

Answer for assignment 2 (3SK3)

(a)

$$\bar{E}(k, c) = \frac{1}{2\Delta} \int_{x_0-\Delta}^{x_0+\Delta} [\cos x - (kx + c)]^2 dx$$

$$\frac{\delta \bar{E}}{\delta k} = -\frac{1}{\Delta} \int_{x_0-\Delta}^{x_0+\Delta} (\cos x - kx - c) x dx = 0$$

$$\frac{\delta \bar{E}}{\delta c} = -\frac{1}{\Delta} \int_{x_0-\Delta}^{x_0+\Delta} (\cos x - kx - c) dx = 0$$

$$\int_{x_0-\Delta}^{x_0+\Delta} (\cos x) x dx - k \int_{x_0-\Delta}^{x_0+\Delta} x^2 dx - c \int_{x_0-\Delta}^{x_0+\Delta} x dx = 0$$

$$\int_{x_0-\Delta}^{x_0+\Delta} (\cos x) dx - k \int_{x_0-\Delta}^{x_0+\Delta} x dx - c \int_{x_0-\Delta}^{x_0+\Delta} dx = 0$$

Form the above equations, we can see that it is a system of two linear equations in variables k and c

(b)

$$K = \frac{3}{2} \frac{(\cos(x_0+h) + \sin(x_0+h))h - \cos(x_0-h) + \sin(x_0-h)h}{h^3}$$

$$c = \frac{-1/2(-\sin(x_0+h)h^2 + 3x_0\cos(x_0+h) + 3x_0\sin(x_0+h)h - 3x_0\cos(x_0-h) + 3x_0\sin(x_0-h)h + \sin(x_0-h)h^2)}{h^3}$$

(c)

$$\overline{f(x)} = \cos x_0 - \sin x_0 (x - x_0)$$

(d)

k_* is not equal to the slope of the linear Taylor expansion.

(e)

S1 =

$$-1/4/h^4*(6*\cos(x_0+h)*\sin(x_0+h)*h-6*\sin(x_0+h)*\cos(x_0-h)*h-6*\cos(x_0-h)*\cos(x_0+h)+4*\sin(x_0-h)^2*h^2+4*\sin(x_0+h)^2*h^2+3*\cos(x_0+h)^2+3*\cos(x_0-h)^2+4*\sin(x_0+h)*\sin(x_0-h)*h^2+\cos(x_0-h)*\sin(x_0-h)*h^3-\cos(x_0+h)*\sin(x_0+h)*h^3+6*\cos(x_0+h)*\sin(x_0-h)*h-2*h^4-6*\cos(x_0-h)*\sin(x_0-h)*h)$$

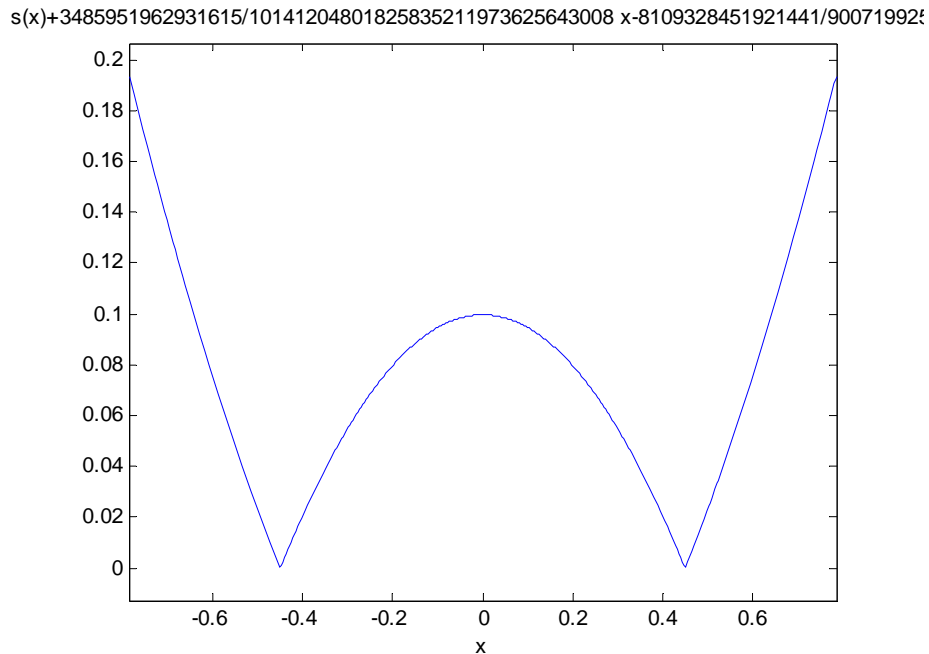
(f)

They are different, and $g_*(x) = k_*x + c_*$ is a better linear approximation. The reason is $g_*(x) = k_*x + c_*$ is the optimal one among all possible linear approximation.

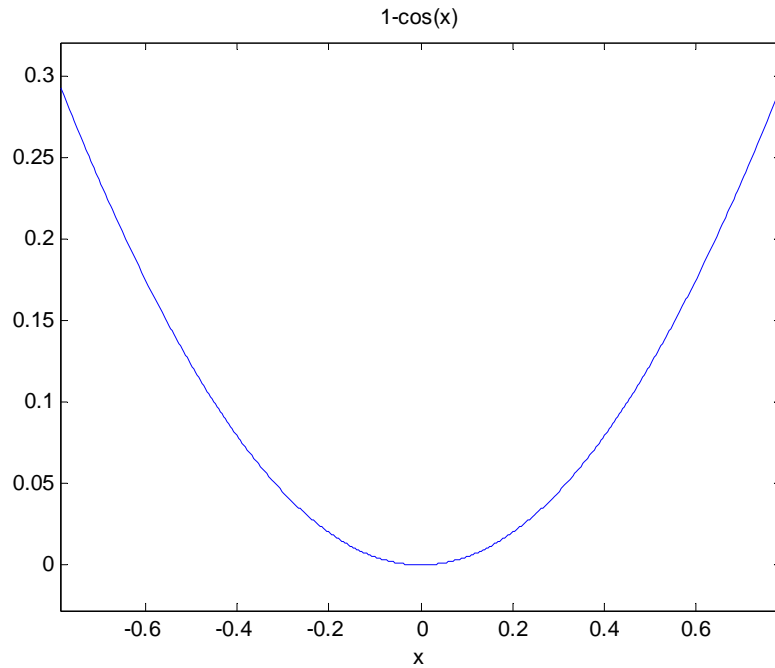
(g)

The $e(x)$ computed based on $g_*(x)$ has two roots which are not at x_0 , while its counterpart has only one root which is at x_0 . The $e(x)$ computed based on $g_*(x)$ has a local maximum around x_0 , while the counterpart has the global minimum around x_0 .

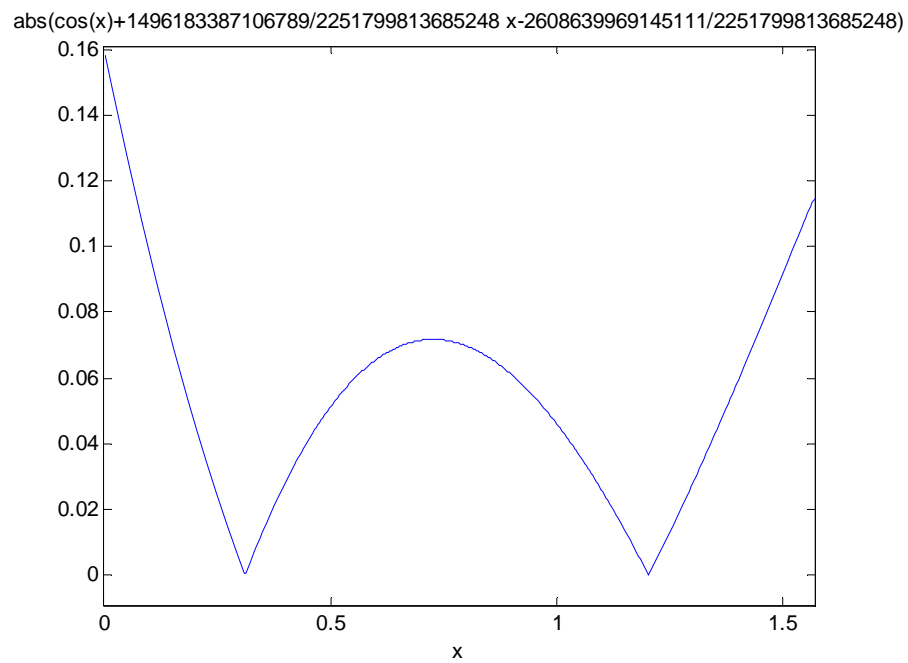
The figure $e(x)$ computed based on $g_*(x)$ when $\Delta = \pi / 4, x_0 = 0$



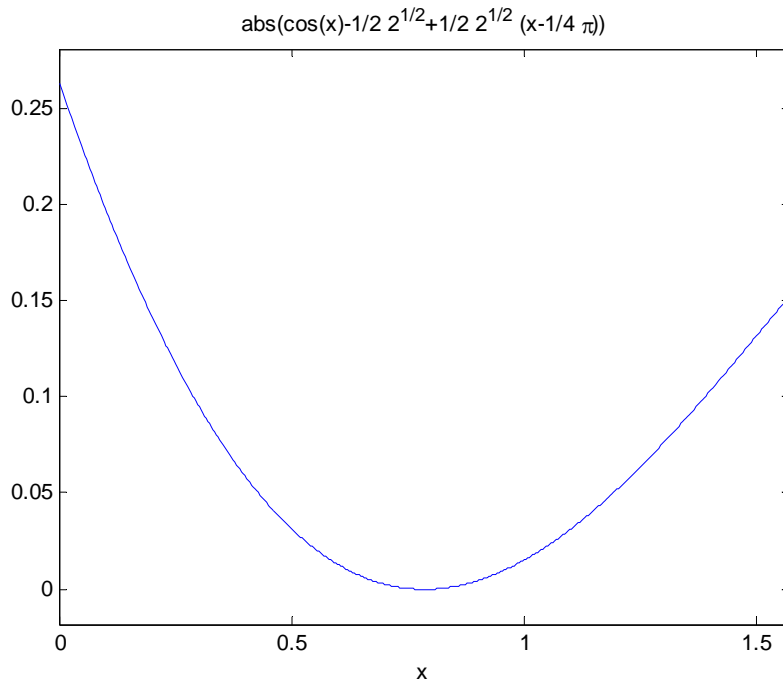
The figure $e(x)$ computed based on first order Taylor approximation when $\Delta = \pi / 4, x_0 = 0$



The figure $e(x)$ computed based on $g_*(x)$ when $\Delta = \pi/4, x_0 = \pi/4$

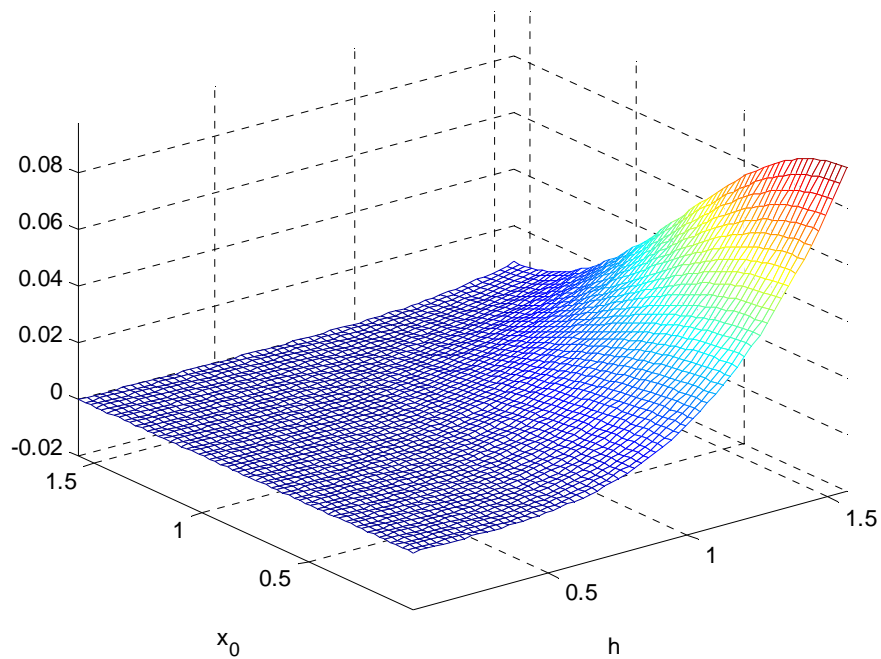


The figure $e(x)$ computed based on first order Taylor approximation when $\Delta = \pi/4, x_0 = \pi/4$



(h)

$$\sin(x_0+h) \sin(x_0-h) h^2 + 6 \cos(x_0+h) \sin(x_0-h) h + 6 \cos(x_0+h) \sin(x_0+h) h + 4 \sin(x_0-h)^2 h^2 - 6 \sin(x_0+h) \cos(x_0-h) h^2$$



Matlab Code:

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clear;
syms x0 h k x b real

f1 = (cos(x)-k*x-b)*x;
term1 = int(f1, x, x0-h, x0+h);

f2 = (cos(x)-k*x-b);
term2 = int(f2, x, x0-h, x0+h);

A = solve(term1, term2, k, b); % question (b) k and b are
got

S1_term = (cos(x) - A.k*x - A.b)^2;
S1 = int(S1_term, x, x0-h, x0+h)/(2*h); % question (e)

figure, ezmesh(S1); % question (h)

S2_term = (cos(x) + sin(x0)*x - cos(x0) - sin(x0)*x0)^2;
S2 = int(S2_term, x, x0-h, x0+h)/(2*h); %MSE formula of
the first-order Taylor approximation

%figure, ezmesh(S2, [pi/200, pi/2, pi/200, pi/2]);
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sub = S2 - S1; %compare the two MSEs on
pi/4 and pi/3
sub_1 = subs(sub, x0, pi/4);
sub_2 = subs(sub, x0, pi/3);
xx = pi/200:pi/200:pi/4;
ss = size(xx, 2);
ff1 = zeros(1, ss);
ff2 = zeros(1, ss);
for i=1:ss
    ff1(i) = subs(sub_1, h, xx(i));
    ff2(i) = subs(sub_2, h, xx(i));
end

figure, plot(xx, ff1, '-.r*', xx, ff2, '--mo');
xlabel('0 \leq h \leq \pi/4');
ylabel('f(h)');
title('f(h)');
legend('x0=\pi/4', 'x0=\pi/3'); % question (f)

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% question (g)
clear;
syms x0 h k x b real

f1 = (cos(x)-k*x-b)*x;
term1 = int(f1, x, x0-h, x0+h);

f2 = (cos(x)-k*x-b);
term2 = int(f2, x, x0-h, x0+h);

A = solve(term1, term2, k, b);

x0_store = [0, pi/4];

h_value = pi/4;

for i = 1:2
    k = subs(A.k, {h, x0}, {h_value, x0_store(i)});
    b = subs(A.b, {h, x0}, {h_value, x0_store(i)});

    error1 = abs(cos(x) - k*x - b);
    figure, ezplot(error1, [x0_store(i)-h_value,
x0_store(i)+h_value]);
end

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apx = cos(x0) - sin(x0)*(x-x0);
error_formula = abs(cos(x) - apx);

for i = 1:2
    error2 = subs(error_formula, x0, x0_store(i));
    figure, ezplot(error2, [x0_store(i)-h_value,
x0_store(i)+h_value]);
end

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