4. (*a*) Find the unique polynomial of degree 2 which fits the given data :

x	0	1	3
$f(x)$	1	3	55

using Lagrange interpolation polynomial. Also estimate value of f at $x = 0.5$ and $x = 2.5$.

(*b*) Prove the following :

$$(1-\nabla)^{-1} = 1+\frac{1}{2}\delta^2+\delta\sqrt{1+\frac{1}{4}\delta^2}.$$

(*c*) Obtain the piecewise linear interpolating polynomials for the function $f(x)$ defined by the given data :

x	0.5	1.5	2.5
$f(x)$	0.125	3.375	15.625

Also find $f(1.0)$ and $f(2.0)$. 13

5. (*a*) Using forward difference formulas, calculate $f'(3)$ and $f''(3)$ from the following data set :

x	1	2	3	4	5
$f(x)$	2	4	8	16	32

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1. (*a*) Define Truncation Error. Evaluate the sum $\sqrt{3}+\sqrt{5}+\sqrt{7}$ to four significant digits and find its absolute and relative errors.

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(*b*) Perform three iterations of the Bisection Method to obtain a root of the equation :

$$x^3 - 4x - 9 = 0.$$

(*c*) Determine the rate of convergence for the Newton-Raphson Method. 12

2. (*a*) Find a root of the equation :

$$x - e^{-x} = 0$$

correct to three decimal places by the Secant method. Perform three iterations.

(*b*) Perform three iterations using Newton-Raphson method to find a root of the equation :

$$f(x) = x\sin x + \cos x = 0$$

correct to three decimal places, assuming that the root is near $x = \pi$.

(*c*) Perform two iterations of Newton's Method to solve the non-linear system of equations with initial approximation (0.5, 0.5) :

$$f(x, y) = x^2 + 3x + y - 5 = 0$$

$$g(x, y) = x^2 + 3y^2 - 4 = 0.$$ 12

3. (*a*) Find the inverse of the following matrix using the Gauss-Jordan method :

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 3 & -1 \\ 2 & -1 & 3 \end{pmatrix}.$$

(*b*) Perform three iterations of Gauss-Seidel method for the following system of equation :

$$-3x + y = -2,$$

$$2x - 3y + z = 0,$$

$$2y - 3z = -1,$$

assuming initial solution as $(x, y, z) = (0, 0, 0)$.

(*c*) Solve the following linear system by using Gaussian elimination with row pivoting :

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & 4 & 10 \\ 3 & 14 & 28 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ -8 \end{pmatrix}.$$ 12

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