

Math 375 Fall 2005

3-Functions

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functions and plots

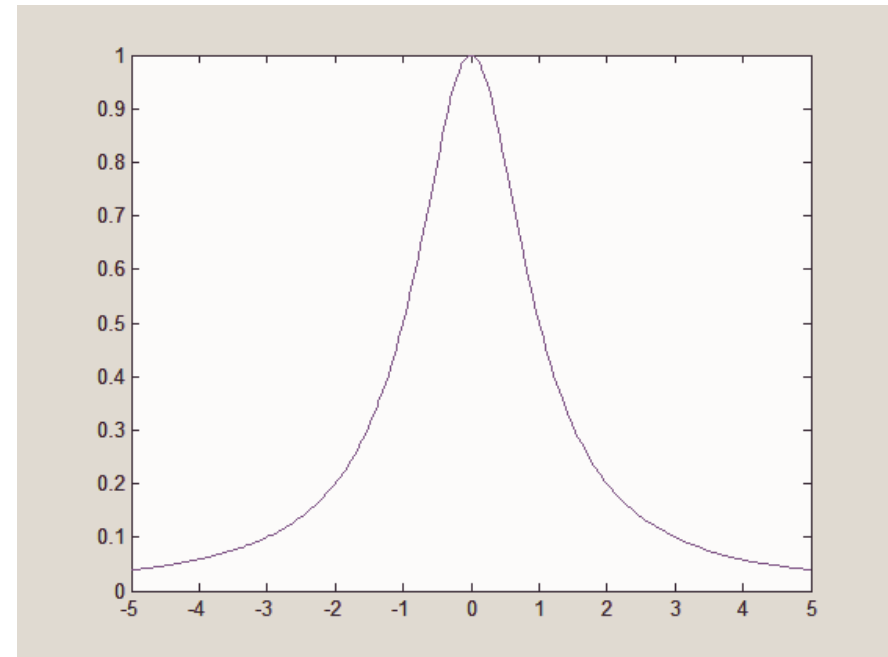
- `fplot`

```
f = '1/(1+x^2)';lims=[-5,5];fplot(f,lims);
```

- `eval`

```
>> x=1.1;y=eval(f)
```

$y = 0.4525$



```
% Script File: SinePlot
```

```
% Displays increasingly smooth plots of  $\sin(2\pi x)$ 
```

```
close all
```

```
for n =[4 8 12 16 20 50 100 200 400]
```

```
    x=linspace(0,1,n); y = sin(2*pi*x);
```

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    plot(x,y)
```

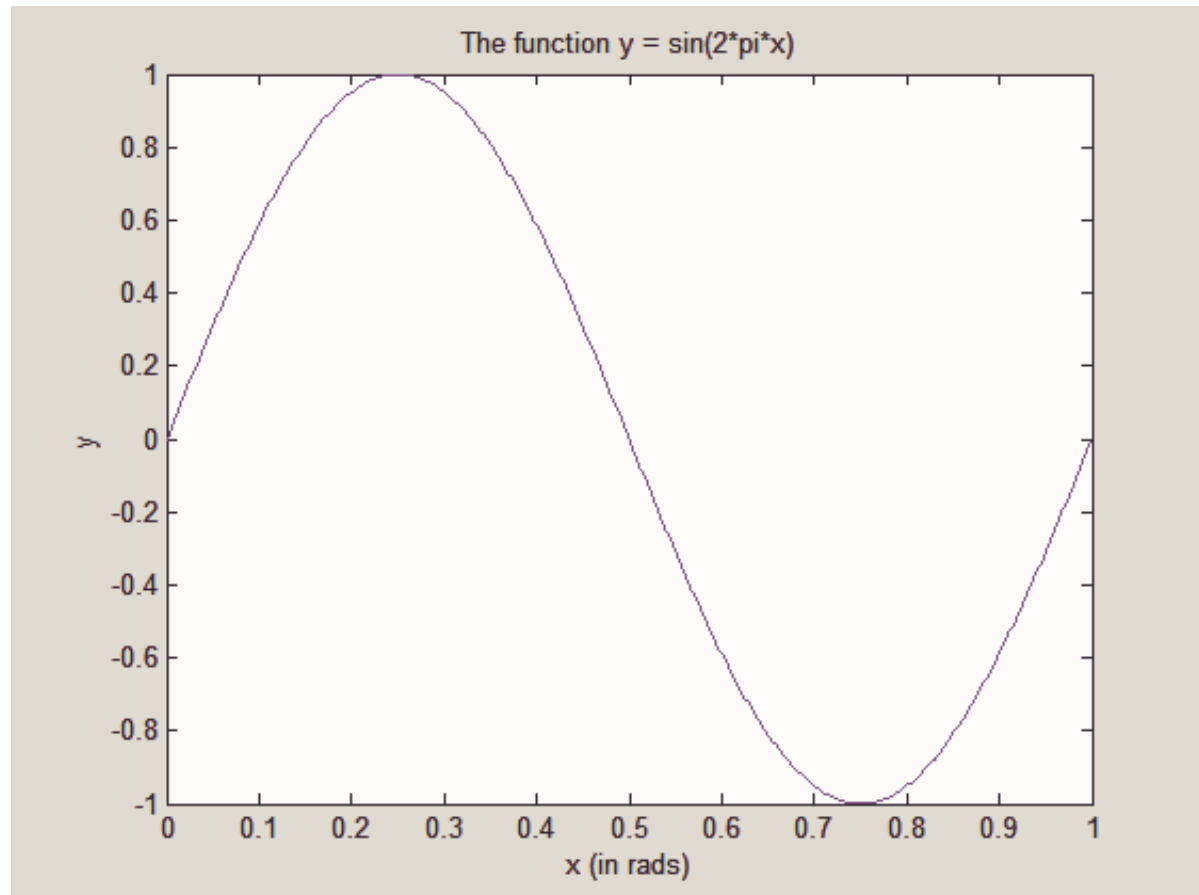
```
    title(' The function  $y = \sin(2\pi x)$  ')
```

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    xlabel(' x (in rads) ')
```

```
    ylabel(' y ')
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```
    pause(1)
```

```
end
```



% some useful commands

%

% **rand** is a random number generator

% (uniform in [0.0,1.0])

% the following command resets its starting value

RAND('state',sum(100*clock))

%

% $x = \mathbf{fzero}(@\mathbf{fun},x_0,\mathbf{options},a_1,a_2,\dots)$

% finds the zero of the function

% $\mathbf{fun}(x,a_1,a_2,\dots)$ nearest x_0

$\mathbf{fun} = 'x^2-x-1';$

fzero(fun,1)

fzero(fun,-1)

```

% function schedule
% schedule(537.24,67912.5,4.98454,15)
function balance = schedule(pmt,principal,ann_rate, yrs)
    I = ann_rate/(100*12);
    months = yrs*12;
    bal(1) = principal;
    int = 0;
    disp(' ')
    disp('      month      balance      interest ')
    disp('      -----')
    for i = 1:months
        int = int + bal(i)*I;
        bal(i+1) = bal(i)*(1+I)-pmt;
        disp(sprintf('   %3.0f      %8.2f      %6.2f',i,bal(i),int))
    end

```

```
% function mortgage
% finds payment, given yearly rate, principal and years
% (assumes interest compounded monthly!)
% mortgage(67912.5, 4.98454, 15)
function payment = mortgage(principal, rate, years)
    I = rate/(100*12);
    months = years*12;
    payment0 = principal/months;

    payment = fzero(@iter,payment0,[],principal,I,months);

function balance = iter(payment,principal, I, months)
    balance = principal;
    for i = 1:months
        balance = balance*(1+I)-payment;
    end
```

```

% Script File: SinTaylor
% Plots, as a function of n, the relative error in the Taylor
% approximation  $x - x^2/2! + \dots + (-1)^n x^{(2*n+1)}/(2*n+1)!$  to  $\sin(x)$ 
nTerms = 50;
err = zeros(50);
for x=[10 5 1 -1 -5 -10]
    figure
    term = x;
    s = x;
    f = sin(x);
    for k=2:50
        term = -x^2*term/((2*k-2)*(2*k-1));
        s = s+term;
        err(k) = abs(f - s+10^(-100));
    end
    relerr = err/abs(sin(x));
    semilogy(1:nTerms,relerr)
    ylabel('Relative Error in Partial Sum.')
    xlabel('Order of Partial Sum.')
    title(sprintf('x = %5.2f',x))
end
end

```


Taylor series for exp(x)

$$T_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{x^k}{k!}$$

```
function y = expF(x,n)
term = 1; y = 1;
for k = 1:n
    x = x*term/k;
    y = y + term;
end
```

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% Script File: ExpTaylor
% Plots, as a function of n, the relative error in the Taylor
% approximation  $1 + x + x^2/2! + \dots + x^n/n!$  to  $\exp(x)$ 
close all
nTerms = 50;
%for x=[10 5 1 -1 -5 -10]
x = input('Enter x: ');
figure
term = 1; s = 1; f = exp(x)*ones(nTerms,1);
for k=1:50,
    term = x*term/k;
    s = s+term;
    err(k) = abs(f(k) - s);
end
relerr = err/exp(x);
semilogy(1:nTerms,relerr)
% semilogy(1:nTerms,err)
ylabel('Relative Error in Partial Sum.')
xlabel('Order of Partial Sum.')
title(sprintf('x = %5.2f',x))
figure
semilogy(1:nTerms,err)
%end
```

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$x = 0.50$

