

# CECC421: Numerical Analysis

## Lecture 3: Taylor Series-02

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## Purpose of the Session:

- Plot the Taylor series for the **exponential function, sine function, and cosine function** using the **pyplot.matplotlib** library in Python for different numbers of series terms.
- To install it use this command on your computer's terminal :  
'pip install matplotlib'

## Exercise 1:

Using **pyplot.matplotlib** in Python:

1.To plot the **exponential function**  $e^x$  represented by its Taylor series, implemented using a for loop for the first order (n=0), second order (n=1), third order (n=2), and fourth order (n=3).

2.To plot the **actual exponential function**  $e^x$  , implemented using the actual exp function from the math library.

Remember that the Taylor series for the exponential function is given by the following form:

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} + \dots = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$$

(n=2)

$$e^x = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!}$$

(n=1)

$$e^x = 1 + x$$

(n=0)

$$e^x = 1$$

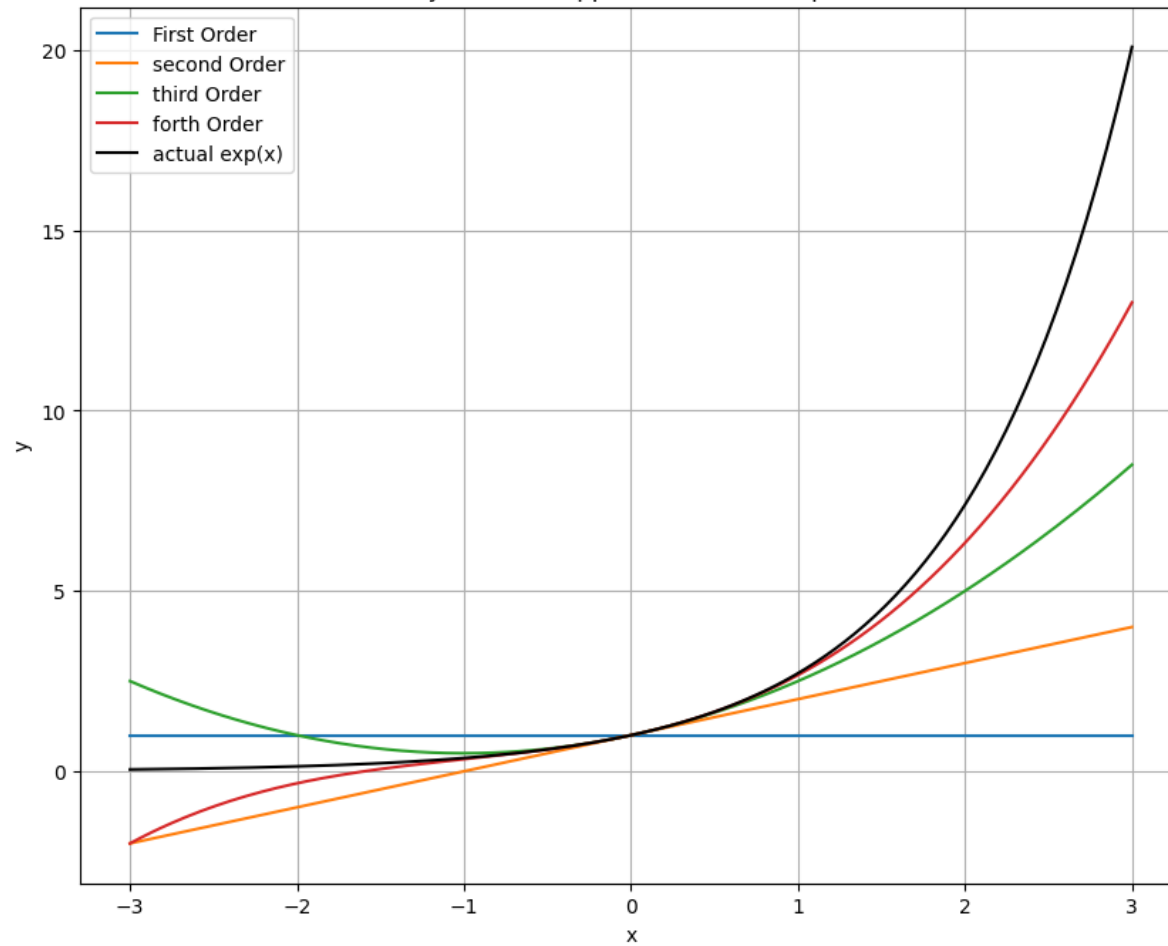
```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import math

num= np.linspace(-3, +3, 200)
e_to_num = np.zeros(len(num))
labels = ['First Order', 'second Order', 'third Order',
'forth Order']
plt.figure(figsize = (10,8))

for i in range(4):
    label = labels[i]
    e_to_num = e_to_num + (num**i) / math.factorial(i)
    plt.plot(num, e_to_num, label=label)
```

```
plt.plot(num, np.exp(num), 'k', lab
'actual exp(x)')
plt.grid()
plt.title('Taylor Series
Approximations of exp(x)')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```

Taylor Series Approximations of  $\exp(x)$



## Exercise 2:

Use matplotlib.pyplot in Python:

1.To plot the **exponential function**  $e^x$  represented by the Taylor series, which is implemented using a function for the first-order approximation (n=0), second-order (n=1), third-order (n=2), and fourth-order (n=3).

2.To plot the **actual exponential function**  $e^x$ , which is implemented using the actual exp function from the math library.

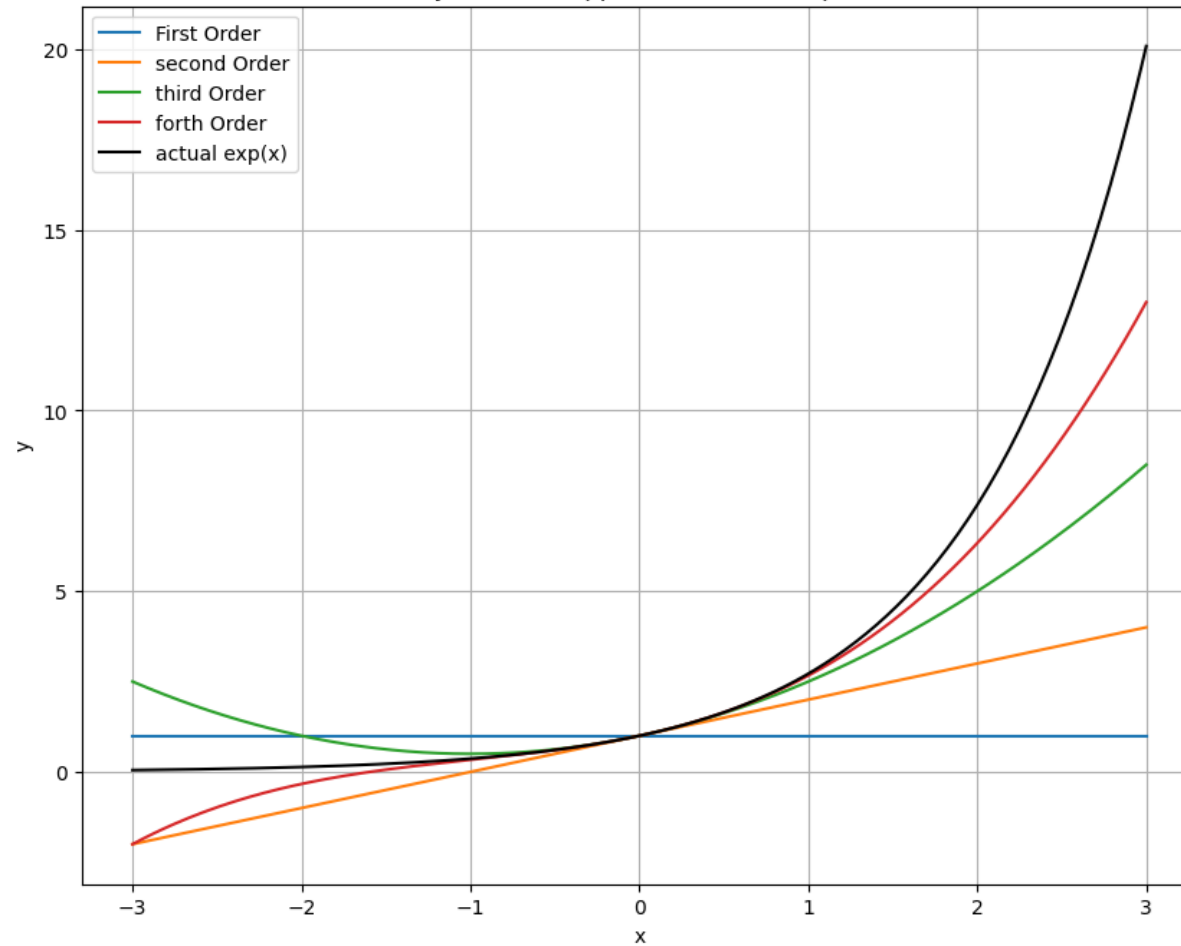
```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import math
```

```
def Tylor_Series_Function_with_return(num,range_limit):
    exp_num=np.zeros(len(num))
    for j in range(range_limit):
        exp_num = exp_num + num**j/math.factorial(j)
    return (exp_num)
num= np.linspace(-3, +3, 200)
labels = ['First Order', 'second Order', 'third Order', 'forth Order']
plt.figure(figsize = (10,8))

for i in range(4):
    label = labels[i]
    exp_num_1 = Tylor_Series_Function_with_return(num,i)
    plt.plot(num, exp_num_1, label=label)
#Matplotlib will color each line by default
```

```
plt.plot(num, np.exp(num), 'k', label =
'actual exp(x)')
plt.grid()
plt.title('Taylor Series
Approximations of exp(x)')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```

Taylor Series Approximations of  $\exp(x)$



## Exercise 3:

Use `matplotlib.pyplot` in Python:

- 1.To plot **the trigonometric function  $\sin x$**  represented by the Taylor series, which is implemented using a for loop for the first-order approximation ( $n=0$ ), third-order ( $n=1$ ), fifth-order ( $n=2$ ), and seventh-order ( $n=3$ ).
- 2.To plot the **actual trigonometric function  $\sin x$**  which is implemented using the actual sin function from the numpy

The Taylor series expansion for the  $\sin x$  function is given by:

$$\sin(x) \approx \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{(x)^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!}$$
$$\approx 1 - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \frac{x^7}{7!} + \frac{x^9}{9!} - \frac{x^{11}}{11!} + \dots$$

This formula consists of a sequence of odd-power terms of  $x$ , divided by the factorial of the exponent, alternating in sign. It provides an increasingly accurate approximation of  $\sin x$  as more terms are included.

```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import math
```

```
x = np.linspace(-np.pi, np.pi, 200)
y = np.zeros(len(x))
```

```
labels = ['First Order', 'Third Order', 'Fifth Order',
'Seventh Order']
```

```
plt.figure(figsize = (10,8))
```

```
for n in range(4):
```

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    label = labels[n]
```

```
    y = y + ((-1)**n * (x)**(2*n+1)) /math.factorial(2*n+1)
```

```
    plt.plot(x,y, label = label)
```

```
plt.plot(x, np.sin(x), 'k', label = 'Analytic')
```

```
plt.grid()
```

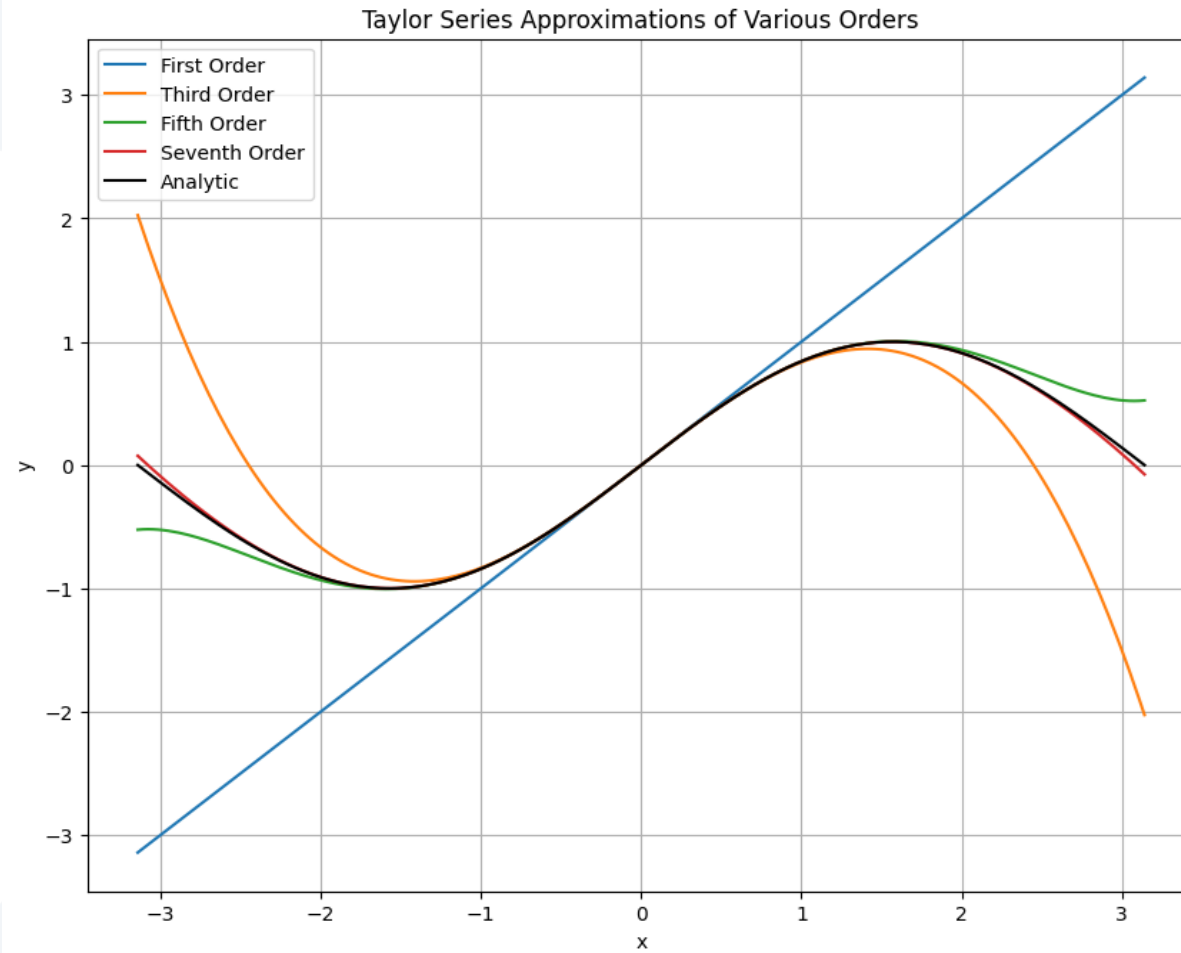
```
plt.title('Taylor Series
Approximations of Various
Orders')
```

```
plt.xlabel('x')
```

```
plt.ylabel('y')
```

```
plt.legend()
```

```
plt.show()
```



## Exercise 4:

Use [matplotlib.pyplot](#) in Python:

- 1.To plot the **trigonometric function**  $\cos x$  represented by the Taylor series, which is implemented using a for loop for the first-order approximation ( $n=0$ ), second-order ( $n=1$ ), fourth-order ( $n=2$ ), and sixth-order ( $n=3$ ).
- 2.To plot the actual **trigonometric function**  $\cos x$ , which is implemented using the actual cos function from the numpy library.

Remember that the Taylor series for the  $\cos x$  function is given as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}\cos(x) &\approx \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{(x)^{2n}}{(2n)!} \\ &\approx 1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \frac{x^6}{6!} + \frac{x^8}{8!} - \frac{x^{10}}{10!} + \dots\end{aligned}$$

```
x = np.linspace(-2*np.pi, 2*np.pi, 20000)
y = np.zeros(len(x))

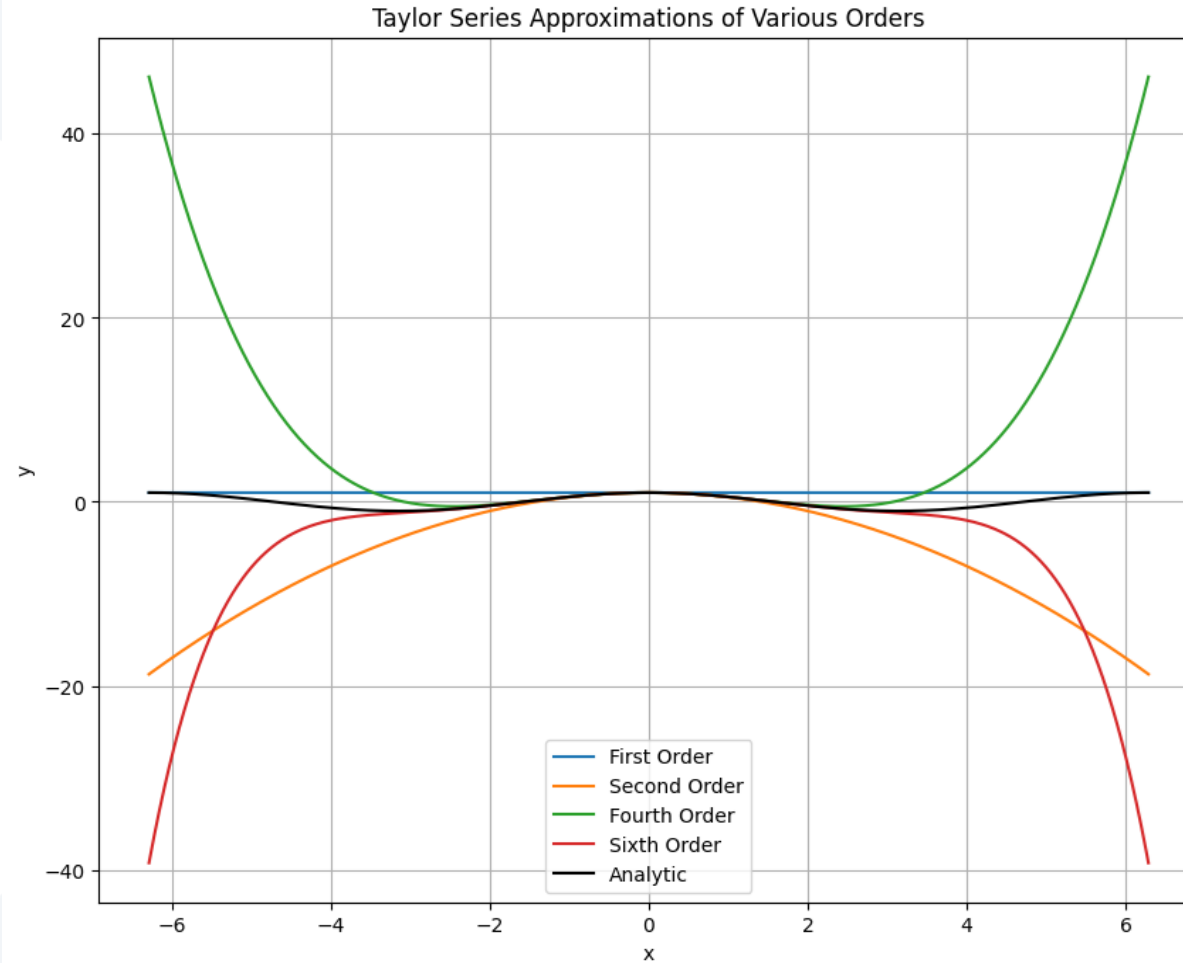
labels = ['First Order', 'Second Order', 'Fourth Order',
'Sixth Order']

plt.figure(figsize = (10,8))

for n in range(4):
    label = labels[n]
    y = y + ((-1)**n * (x)**(2*n)) / np.math.factorial(2*n)
    plt.plot(x,y, label = label)

plt.plot(x, np.cos(x), 'k', label = 'Analytic')
```

```
plt.grid()
plt.title('Taylor Series
Approximations of Various
Orders')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('y')
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



**Thanks for Listening**