

# Chapter 02

## Solution of Algebraic and Transcendental Equations

### **3. Newton - Raphson Method**

## Procedure of Newton – Raphson Method:

**Step 1 :** The given function =  $f(x)$  and find  $f'(x)$

$$\text{Given, } x^3 - 3x - 5 = 0$$

$$\text{let, } f(x) = x^3 - 3x - 5$$

$$f(x) = x^3 - 3x - 5$$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dx} f(x) = \frac{d}{dx} x^3 - 3 \frac{d}{dx} x - \frac{d}{dx} 5$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f'(x) &= 3x^2 - 3 \times 1 - 0 \\ &= 3x^2 - 3 \end{aligned}$$

**Find  $f(x)$  and  $f'(x)$   
in the step 1**

## Procedure of Newton – Raphson Method:

Find the Interval  
between ( a , b )  
in the step 2

**Step 2 :** Choose , two real numbers a and b such that ,  $f ( a ) \times f ( b ) < 0$

$$f(x) = x^3 - 3x - 5$$

$$\therefore \text{for } x = a = 2, f(a) = a^3 - 3 \times a - 5$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f(2) &= 2^3 - 3 \times 2 - 5 \\ &= 8 - 11 = -3 < 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$f(x) = x^3 - 3x - 5$$

$$\therefore \text{for } x = b = 3, f(b) = b^3 - 3 \times b - 5$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f(b) &= b^3 - 3 \times b - 5 \\ &= 27 - 9 - 5 = 13 > 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore f(a) \times f(b) = f(2) \times f(3) = (-3) \times 13 = -39 < 0$$

Since ,  $f(a) = f(2)$  is negative and  $f(b) = f(3)$  is positive, So at least one real root lies between 2 and 3.

**Step 3 :** Find the following equation (1) by Newton – Raphson formula.

**Newton –  
Raphson formula**

we know that from Newton-Raphson formula,

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$\therefore x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$$

$$\therefore x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{x_n^3 - 3x_n - 5}{3x_n^2 - 3} \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$\therefore f(x) = x^3 - 3x - 5$$

$$\therefore f(x_n) = x_n^3 - 3x_n - 5$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = 3x^2 - 3$$

$$\therefore f'(x_n) = 3x_n^2 - 3$$

**Step 4 :** Let, the initial value,  $x = x_0 \in (a, b)$  and putting the value,  $n=0$  in the above equation (1)

we are capable to find the successive improved approximations are as follows:

$$\therefore x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

putting  $n = 0$ , and

let the initial value,  $x = x_0$  in equation (1)

$$x_{0+1} = x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)}$$

$$\therefore x_1 = x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)}$$

Putting ,  $n= 0$  and then take initial value and then find first approximate value.

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{x_n^3 - 3x_n - 5}{3x_n^2 - 3} \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

For,  $n = 0$  and  $x = x_0 = 2$  (say) in equation (1)

$$x_{0+1} = x_0 - \frac{x_0^3 - 3x_0 - 5}{3x_0^2 - 3}$$

$$\therefore x_1 = x_0 - \frac{x_0^3 - 3x_0 - 5}{3x_0^2 - 3}$$

$$\therefore x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

putting  $n = 0$ , let the initial value,  $x = x_0$  in equation (1)

$$x_{0+1} = x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)}$$

$$\therefore x_1 = x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)}$$

Putting ,  $n = 0$  and then take initial value and then find first approximate value.

### Step 4: Remain part

$$\therefore x_1 = x_0 - \frac{x_0^3 - 3x_0 - 5}{3x_0^2 - 3}$$

For  $x = x_0 = 2$  (say); [From interval (2, 3)]

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 &= x_0 - \frac{x_0^3 - 3x_0 - 5}{3x_0^2 - 3} \\ &= 2 - \frac{2^3 - 3 \times 2 - 5}{3 \times 2^2 - 3} = 2.333 \end{aligned}$$

## Step 4: Remain part

$$\therefore x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

putting  $n = 1$ , let the initial value,  $x = x_1$  in equation (1)

$$x_{1+1} = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)}$$

$$\therefore x_2 = x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)}$$

Similarly  
find the others  
approximate value.

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{x_n^3 - 3x_n - 5}{3x_n^2 - 3} \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

Again, putting  $n = 1$ ,  $x = x_1$  in equation (1)

$$x_2 = x_1 - \frac{x_1^3 - 3x_1 - 5}{3x_1^2 - 3}$$

For  $x = x_1 = 2.333$

$$x_2 = x_1 - \frac{x_1^3 - 3x_1 - 5}{3x_1^2 - 3}$$

$$= 2.333 - \frac{(2.333)^3 - 3 \times 2.333 - 5}{3 \times (2.333)^2 - 3} = 2.2806$$



Let see the above data by the following table :

Step 4: Remain part

No. of Iterations, n	$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{x_n^3 - 3x_n - 5}{3x_n^2 - 3}$	$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{x_n^3 - 3x_n - 5}{3x_n^2 - 3}$
$n=0$	$x_1 = x_0 - \frac{x_0^3 - 3x_0 - 5}{3x_0^2 - 3}$	$x_1 = 2 - \frac{2^3 - 3 \times 2 - 5}{3 \times 2^2 - 3} = 2.333$
$n=1$	$x_2 = x_1 - \frac{x_1^3 - 3x_1 - 5}{3x_1^2 - 3}$	$x_2 = 2.333 - \frac{(2.333)^3 - 3 \times 2.333 - 5}{3 \times (2.333)^2 - 3} = 2.2806$

Similarly,

$$x_3 = x_2 - \frac{f(x_2)}{f'(x_2)}$$

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$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$$

### Step 4: Remain part

No. of Iterations, n	$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{x_n^3 - 3x_n - 5}{3x_n^2 - 3}$	$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{x_n^3 - 3x_n - 5}{3x_n^2 - 3}$
$n = 2$	$x_3 = x_2 - \frac{x_2^3 - 3x_2 - 5}{3x_2^2 - 3}$	$x_3 = 2.2806 - \frac{(2.2806)^3 - 3 \times (2.2806) - 5}{3 \times (2.2806)^2 - 3} = 2.2790$
$n = 3$	$x_4 = x_3 - \frac{x_3^3 - 3x_3 - 5}{3x_3^2 - 3}$	$x_4 = 2.2790 - \frac{(2.2790)^3 - 3 \times 2.2790 - 5}{3 \times (2.2790)^2 - 3} = 2.2790$

**Step 5 :** We shall continue this iterative process until the value of two successive approximation are approximately equal.

*That is ,  $x_n \approx x_{n-1}$  or  $f(x_n) \approx 0$ .*

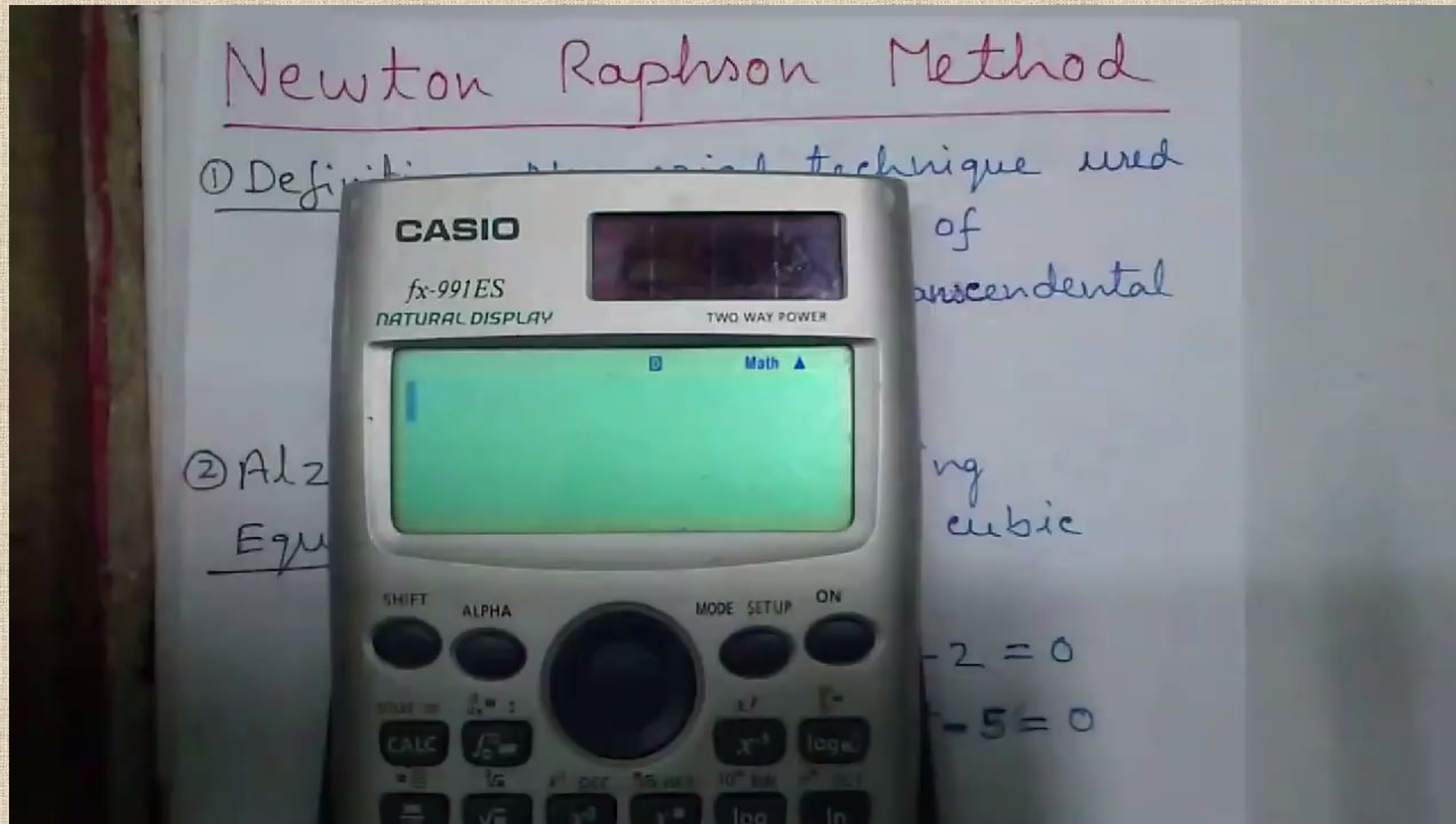
Since  $x_n = x_{n-1}$  that is ,  $x_4 = x_3$  from the above table (slide no 10)

So the Newton - Rapshon method gives no new values of x

Therefore , the approximate root is correct to four decimal places.

Hence the require root is 2.2790 .

# How to solve Newton –Raphson Method by using Calculator

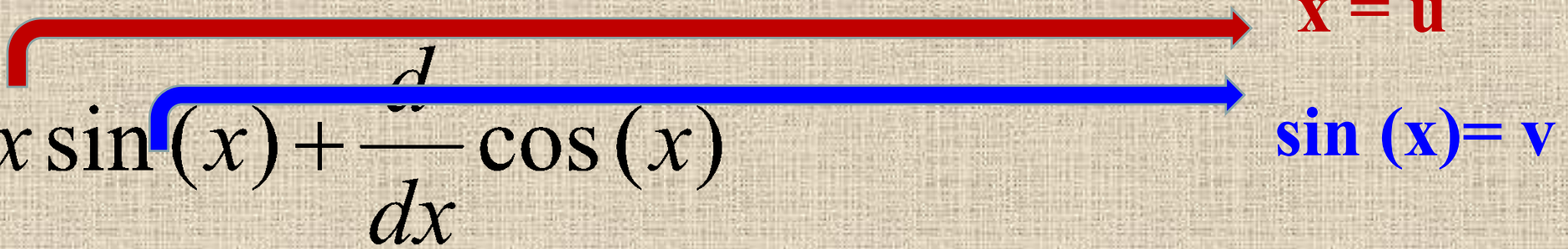


**Problem 1:** Find the root of the equation  $x \sin(x) + \cos(x) = 0$ , using Newton-Rapshom method.

**Solution :** *Given that*,  $x \sin(x) + \cos(x) = 0$

**Step 1**

Let,  $f(x) = x \sin(x) + \cos(x)$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} x \sin(x) + \frac{d}{dx} \cos(x)$$


$x = u$   
 $\sin(x) = v$

## Step 1 :

$$f'(x) = \left[ x \frac{d}{dx} \sin(x) + \sin(x) \frac{d}{dx} x \right] - \sin(x)$$

$$f'(x) = [x \cos(x) + \sin(x) \cdot 1] - \sin(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f'(x) &= x \cos(x) + \sin(x) - \sin(x) \\ &= x \cos(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}(uv) = u \frac{d}{dx} v + v \frac{d}{dx} u$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \cos(x) = -\sin(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \sin(x) = \cos(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} x = 1$$

Hints: Calculator must be in radian Mode.

## Step 2 :

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

$$\text{for, } x = 2, \text{ then } f(2) = 2 \sin(2) + \cos(2) \\ = 1.40 > 0$$

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

$$\text{for, } x = 3, \text{ then } f(3) = 3 \sin(3) + \cos(3) \\ = -0.56 < 0$$

Since  $f(2)$  and  $f(3)$  are of opposite sign so at least one real root lies between 2 and 3.

## Step 3 :

we know that from Newton-Rapshon method ,

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{x_n \sin(x_n) + \cos(x_n)}{x_n \cos(x_n)} \dots\dots(1)$$

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

$$\therefore f(x_n) = x_n \sin(x_n) + \cos(x_n)$$

$$\because f'(x) = x \cos(x)$$

$$\therefore f'(x_n) = x_n \cos(x_n)$$

#### Step 4 :

Now Putting  $n = 0$  and Let , the initial value  $x_0 = 2.79$  *in the above equation of (1)*

#### Step 5 :

we are capable to find the successive improved approximations are as following table:



Hints: Calculator must be in radian Mode.

No. of Iterations ,n	$x_n$	$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{x_n \sin(x_n) + \cos(x_n)}{x_n \cos(x_n)}$
<b>0</b>	$x_0 = 2.79$ (say)	$x_1 = 2.79 - \frac{2.79 \sin(2.79) + \cos(2.79)}{2.79 \cos(2.79)} = 2.7984$
<b>1</b>	$x_1 = 2.7984$	$x_2 = 2.7984 - \frac{2.7984 \sin(2.7984) + \cos(2.7984)}{2.7984 \cos(2.7984)} = 2.79834$

$$x_{0+1} = x_0 - \frac{x_0 \sin(x_0) + \cos(x_0)}{x_0 \cos(x_0)}$$

$$x_1 = 2.79 - \frac{2.79 \sin(2.79) + \cos(2.79)}{2.79 \cos(2.79)}$$
$$= 2.7984$$

$$x_{1+1} = x_1 - \frac{x_1 \sin(x_1) + \cos(x_1)}{x_1 \cos(x_1)}$$

$$x_2 = x_1 - \frac{x_1 \sin(x_1) + \cos(x_1)}{x_1 \cos(x_1)}$$
$$= 2.7984 - \frac{2.7984 \sin(2.7984) + \cos(2.7984)}{2.7984 \cos(2.7984)}$$
$$= 2.79834$$

From the above table , we get ,

$$\therefore x_1 = 2.7984 \quad \text{and} \quad \therefore x_2 = 2.79834$$

$$\therefore x_2 \approx x_1$$

The approximate root is correct to three decimal places. Hence the require root is 2.7984.

You have to do mode  
on radian to your  
calculator

**Problem 02:** Find the real root of the equation  $x^2 - 4 \sin(x) = 0$  correct to four decimal places using Newton-Raphson method. Solution

*Solution:*

Given that,  $x^2 - 4 \sin(x) = 0$

let,  $f(x) = x^2 - 4 \sin(x)$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \frac{d}{dx} x^2 - \frac{d}{dx} 4 \sin(x)$$

$$\therefore f'(x) = 2x - 4 \cos(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} x^n = n x^{n-1}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dx} x^2 = 2 x^{2-1} = 2x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} a f(x) = a \frac{d}{dx} f(x) = a f'(x)$$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dx} 4 \sin(x) = 4 \frac{d}{dx} \sin(x) = 4 \cos(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \sin(x) = \cos(x)$$

$$\because f(x) = x^2 - 4 \sin(x)$$

$$\text{for } x = a = -1, \text{ then } f(a) = a^2 - 4 \sin(a)$$

$$\therefore f(-1) = (-1)^2 - 4 \sin(-1) = -2.36 < 0$$

$$\because f(x) = x^2 - 4 \sin(x)$$

$$\text{for } x = b = -2, \text{ then } f(b) = b^2 - 4 \sin(b)$$

$$\therefore f(-2) = (-2)^2 - 4 \sin(-2) = 0.36 > 0$$

Since  $f(-1)$  and  $f(-2)$  are of opposite sign, so at least one real root lies between -1 and -2.

we know that from Newton-Raphson method,

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$$

$$\because f(x) = x^2 - 4 \sin(x)$$

$$\because f'(x) = 2x - 4 \cos(x)$$

$$\therefore f(x_n) = x_n^2 - 4 \sin(x_n)$$

$$\therefore f'(x_n) = 2x_n - 4 \cos(x_n)$$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{x_n^2 - 4 \sin(x_n)}{2x_n - 4 \cos(x_n)} \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

Now Putting  $n = 0$  and Let , the initial value ,  $x_0 = -1.9$  *in the above equation of (1)*

we are capable to find the successive improved approximations are as following table:

No. of Iterations, n	$x_{n+1}$	$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{x_n^2 - 4 \sin(x_n)}{2x_n - 4 \cos(x_n)}$
$n=0$	$x_{0+1} = x_1 = x_0 - \frac{x_0^2 - 4 \sin(x_0)}{2x_0 - 4 \cos(x_0)}$	$x_1 = -1.9 - \frac{(-1.9)^2 - 4 \sin(-1.9)}{2(-1.9) - 4 \cos(-1.9)} = -1.93$
$n=1$	$x_{1+1} = x_2 = x_1 - \frac{x_1^2 - 4 \sin(x_1)}{2x_1 - 4 \cos(x_1)}$	$x_2 = -1.93 - \frac{(-1.93)^2 - 4 \sin(-1.93)}{2(-1.93) - 4 \cos(-1.93)} = -1.9338$

For ,  $n=0$ , let  $x_0 = -1.9$

$$x_{0+1} = x_0 - \frac{x_0^2 - 4 \sin(x_0)}{2x_0 - 4 \cos(x_0)}$$

$$\therefore x_1 = -1.9 - \frac{(-1.9)^2 - 4 \sin(-1.9)}{2(-1.9) - 4 \cos(-1.9)} = -1.93$$

For ,  $n=1$ , and  $x_1 = -1.93$

$$x_{1+1} = x_1 - \frac{x_1^2 - 4 \sin(x_1)}{2x_1 - 4 \cos(x_1)}$$

$$\therefore x_2 = -1.93 - \frac{(-1.93)^2 - 4 \sin(-1.93)}{2(-1.93) - 4 \cos(-1.93)} = -1.9338$$

From the above table , we get ,

$$x_1 = -1.93 \quad \text{and} \quad x_2 = -1.9338$$

$$\therefore x_2 \approx x_1$$

The approximate root is correct to two decimal places.  
Hence the require root is -1.93

## Algorithm for Newton-Raphson method:

Steps	Task
01	Define $f(x)$
02	<i>Define , <math>f'(x)</math></i>
02	<i>Read the initial value , <math>x_0</math></i>
03	Set , $n = 0$
04	$n = n + 1$
05	Calculate , $x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)}$

## Algorithm for Newton-Raphson method:

Steps	Task
06	If $ x_n - x_{n-1}  \approx 0.0001$ <i>Then go to step 8</i> <i>elseif</i> $n = n + 1$ <i>Go to step 5.</i>
07	Print $x_n$ , the desired root
08	Stop



## Practice Work

Find the root of the following equation by using Newton – Raphson method :

1.  $2x = \ln x + 7$  correct to 4 decimal places
2.  $3x + \sin x = e^x$  correct to 3 decimal places.
3.  $\cos x = 3x - 1$  correct to 3 decimal places.
4.  $e^x \tan x = 1$  correct to 3 decimal
5.  $3x = \ln_{10} x + 7$  correct to 4 decimal places



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