

# Interpolation

## Divided Difference Formula





# **Newton's Divided Difference Table** (for unequal Intervals)

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0		$\frac{y_1 - y_0}{x_1 - x_0} = \Delta y_0$	$\frac{\Delta y_1 - \Delta y_0}{x_2 - x_0} = \Delta^2 y_0$	$\frac{\Delta^2 y_1 - \Delta^2 y_0}{x_3 - x_0} = \Delta^3 y_0$	$\frac{\Delta^3 y_1 - \Delta^3 y_0}{x_4 - x_0} = \Delta^4 y_0$
1		$\frac{y_2 - y_1}{x_2 - x_1} = \Delta y_1$	$\frac{\Delta y_2 - \Delta y_1}{x_3 - x_1} = \Delta^2 y_1$	$\frac{\Delta^2 y_2 - \Delta^2 y_1}{x_4 - x_1} = \Delta^3 y_1$	
2		$\frac{y_3 - y_2}{x_3 - x_2} = \Delta y_2$	$\frac{\Delta y_3 - \Delta y_2}{x_4 - x_2} = \Delta^2 y_2$		
3		$\frac{y_4 - y_3}{x_4 - x_3} = \Delta y_3$			
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2		$\frac{y_3 - y_2}{x_3 - x_2} = \Delta y_2$	$\frac{\Delta y_2 - \Delta y_1}{x_3 - x_1} = \Delta^2 y_1$	$\frac{\Delta^2 y_2 - \Delta^2 y_1}{x_4 - x_1} = \Delta^3 y_1$	$\frac{\Delta^3 y_1 - \Delta^3 y_0}{x_4 - x_0} = \Delta^4 y_0$
3		$\frac{y_4 - y_3}{x_4 - x_3} = \Delta y_3$	$\frac{\Delta y_3 - \Delta y_2}{x_4 - x_2} = \Delta^2 y_2$		
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# Example:

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0			$\frac{-6 - 3}{0 + 1} = -9$	$\frac{15 + 9}{3 + 0} = 6$	$\frac{41 - 6}{6 + 1} = 5$	$\frac{13 - 5}{7 + 1} = 1$
1			$\frac{39 + 6}{3 - 0} = 15$	$\frac{261 - 15}{6 - 0} = 41$	$\frac{132 - 41}{7 - 0} = 13$	
2			$\frac{822 - 39}{6 - 3} = 261$	$\frac{789 - 261}{7 - 3} = 132$		
3			$\frac{1611 - 822}{7 - 6} = 789$			
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# Newton's Divided Difference Interpolation Formula

$$\begin{aligned} \square y(x) &= y_0 + (x - x_0)\Delta y_0 + (x - x_0)(x - x_1)\Delta^2 y_0 \\ &\quad + (x - x_0)(x - x_1)(x - x_2)\Delta^3 y_0 \\ &\quad + (x - x_0)(x - x_1)(x - x_2)(x - x_3)\Delta^4 y_0 \\ &\quad + \dots(1) \end{aligned}$$

# Problem

**Problem 01.** The values of  $x$  and  $f(x)$  are given below:

$x$  : 4      5      7      10      11

$f(x)$ : 48      100      294      900      1210

with the help of given data construct **a divided difference table** and

hence **find the values of  $f(8)$  and  $f(15)$ .**

# Solution:

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0			$\frac{100 - 48}{5 - 4} = 52$	$\frac{97 - 52}{7 - 4} = 15$	$\frac{21 - 15}{10 - 4} = 1$	$\frac{1 - 1}{11 - 4} = 0$
1			$\frac{294 - 100}{7 - 5} = 97$	$\frac{202 - 97}{10 - 5} = 21$	$\frac{27 - 21}{11 - 5} = 1$	
2			$\frac{900 - 294}{10 - 7} = 202$	$\frac{310 - 202}{11 - 7} = 27$		
3			$\frac{1210 - 900}{11 - 10} = 310$			
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## Solution

We have to find the values of  $f(8)$  and  $f(15)$ .

From the table we get,

$$x = 8$$

$$x_0 = 4$$

$$x_1 = 5$$

$$x_2 = 7$$

$$x_3 = 10$$

$$x_4 = 11$$

$$y_0 = 48$$

$$\Delta y_0 = 52$$

$$\Delta^2 y_0 = 15$$

$$\Delta^3 y_0 = 1$$

$$\Delta^4 y_0 = 0$$

## From Newton's Divided Difference Interpolation Formula

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## Solution

We have to find the values of  $f(8)$  and  $f(15)$ .

Therefore,

$$y(8)$$

$$= 48 + (8 - 4) \times 52 + (8 - 4)(8 - 5) \times 15 \\ + (8 - 4)(8 - 5)(8 - 7) \times 1 = 448$$

$$\& y(15) = 48 + (15 - 4) \times 52 + (15 - 4)(15 - 5) \\ \times 15 + (15 - 4)(15 - 5)(15 - 7) \times 1 = 3150$$



Problem 01. Find the cubic polynomial which takes the following values  $f(0) = 1$ ,  $f(1) = 3$ ,  $f(3) = 31$ , and  $f(10) = 1011$ . Hence or otherwise obtain  $f(2.5)$ .



Problem 02. Using Newton's Divided difference formula estimate  $f(6)$  from the following table

<b>x</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>F(x)</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>1452</b>	<b>2366</b>	<b>9702</b>

Problem 3: Apply Lagrange's formula to estimate  $\sin 39^\circ$  using the following values:

<b>x</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>40</b>
<b>f(x)= sin(x)</b>	0	1.1736	0.3420	0.5	0.6428





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