

MAST 2384 Assignment # 2 Solutions

1. $(12xy^2 - 21\ln y + 5x^2)dx + (6x^2y - 7/y)dy = 0, y(1) = 1$
 $M(x,y) = 12xy^2 - 21\ln y + 5x^2 \Rightarrow M_y = 24xy - 21/y$
 $N(x,y) = 6x^2y - 7/y \Rightarrow N_x = 12xy - 7/y$ } $M_y \neq N_x$
DE not exact

$$\frac{M_y - N_x}{N} = \frac{12xy - 14/y}{6x^2y - 7/y} = \frac{2}{x} \quad (\text{a function of } x \text{ only})$$

the integrating factor is $\mu(x) = e^{\int \frac{2}{x} dx} = e^{2\ln x} = x^2$
 and the DE becomes

$$(12x^3y^2 - 21x^2\ln y + 5x^4)dx + (6x^4y - 7x^2/y)dy = 0$$

$$M^*(x,y) = 12x^3y^2 - 21x^2\ln y + 5x^4 \Rightarrow M_y^* = 24x^3y - 21x^2/y$$

$$N^*(x,y) = 6x^4y - 7x^2/y \Rightarrow N_x^* = 24x^3y - 21x^2/y$$
 } $M_y^* = N_x^*$
DE now exact

$$F(x,y) = \int N^*(x,y) dy + g(x) \quad (\text{or } \int M^*(x,y) dx + g(y))$$

$$= \int (6x^4y - 7x^2/y) dy + g(x)$$

$$= 3x^4y^2 - 7x^2\ln y + g(x)$$

then $\frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = 12x^3y^2 - 21x^2\ln y + g'(x)$
 $= M^*(x,y) = 12x^3y^2 - 21x^2\ln y + 5x^4$

then $g'(x) = 5x^4 \Rightarrow g(x) = x^5$

and so $F(x,y) = 3x^4y^2 - 7x^2\ln y + x^5$ and the general solution is $3x^4y^2 - 7x^2\ln y + x^5 = C$

$$y(1) = 1 \Rightarrow 3(1)^4(1)^2 - 7(1)^2\ln(1) + (1)^5 = C \Rightarrow C = 4$$

\therefore the unique solution is $3x^4y^2 - 7x^2\ln y + x^5 = 4$

2. $(-2y\sin x + 2xy^3 - e^xy^2)dx + (4\cos x + 4xy^2 - 3e^xy)dy = 0, y(0) = 2$
 $M(x,y) = -2y\sin x + 2xy^3 - e^xy^2 \Rightarrow M_y = -2\sin x + 6xy^2 - 2e^xy$
 $N(x,y) = 4\cos x + 4xy^2 - 3e^xy \Rightarrow N_x = -4\sin x + 8xy^2 - 3e^xy$ } $M_y \neq N_x$
DE not exact

$$\frac{M_y - N_x}{M} = \frac{2\sin x - 2xy^2 + e^xy}{-2y\sin x + 2xy^3 - e^xy^2} = \frac{-1}{y} \quad (\text{a function of } y \text{ only})$$

and so $\mu(y) = e^{-\int \frac{-1}{y} dy} = e^{\ln y} = y$ and the DE becomes

$$(-2y^2 \sin x + 2xy^4 - e^x y^3) dx + (4y \cos x + 4x^2 y^3 - 3e^x y^2) dy = 0$$

$$M^*(x,y) = -2y^2 \sin x + 2xy^4 - e^x y^3 \Rightarrow M_y^* = -4y \sin x + 8xy^3 - 3e^x y^2 \quad \left. \vphantom{M^*} \right\} = N_x$$

$$N^*(x,y) = 4y \cos x + 4x^2 y^3 - 3e^x y^2 \Rightarrow N_x^* = -4y \sin x + 8xy^3 - 3e^x y^2 \quad \left. \vphantom{N^*} \right\} \text{not exact}$$

$$F(x,y) = \int M^*(x,y) dx + g(y) = \int (-2y^2 \sin x + 2xy^4 - e^x y^3) dx + g(y)$$

$$= 2y^2 \cos x + x^2 y^4 - e^x y^3 + g(y)$$

$$\text{then } \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} = 4y \cos x + 4x^2 y^3 - 3e^x y^2 + g'(y)$$

$$= N^*(x,y) = 4y \cos x + 4x^2 y^3 - 3e^x y^2 \Rightarrow g'(y) = 0 \text{ take } g(y) = 0$$

then $F(x,y) = 2y^2 \cos x + x^2 y^4 - e^x y^3$ and the general solution

$$\text{is } 2y^2 \cos x + x^2 y^4 - e^x y^3 = C$$

$$y(0) = 2 \Rightarrow 2(2)^2 \cos(0) + (0)^2 (2)^4 - e^0 (2)^3 = C \Rightarrow C = 0$$

\therefore the unique solution is $\boxed{2y^2 \cos x + x^2 y^4 - e^x y^3 = 0}$

3. $y' + \frac{2}{x} y = x$, $y(4) = 3$, linear with $f(x) = \frac{2}{x}$, $g(x) = x$

$$\mu(x) = e^{\int f(x) dx} = e^{\int \frac{2}{x} dx} = e^{2 \ln x} = x^2$$

the general solution is $y(x) = \frac{1}{\mu(x)} \left[\int \mu(x) g(x) dx \right] + C$

$$= x^{-2} \left[\int (x^2)(x) dx + C \right]$$

$$= x^{-2} \left(\int x^3 dx + C \right)$$

$$= x^{-2} \left(\frac{1}{4} x^4 + C \right) = \frac{1}{4} x^2 + C x^{-2}$$

$$\text{then } y(4) = 3 \Rightarrow 3 = \frac{1}{4} (4)^2 + C (4)^{-2} = 4 + \frac{1}{16} C \Rightarrow C = -16$$

\therefore the unique solution is $\boxed{y(x) = \frac{1}{4} x^2 - 16x^{-2}}$

4. $y' - 2y = 3e^x$, $y(0) = 4$, linear with $f(x) = -2$, $g(x) = 3e^x$

$$\mu(x) = e^{\int -2 dx} = e^{-2x}$$

general solution $y(x) = e^{2x} \left[\int e^{-2x} 3e^x dx + C \right]$
 $= e^{2x} (3 \int e^{-x} dx + C)$
 $= e^{2x} (-3e^{-x} + C) = Ce^{2x} - 3e^x$

$$y(0) = 4 \Rightarrow 4 = Ce^0 - 3e^0 \Rightarrow C = 7$$

\therefore the unique solution is $y(x) = 7e^{2x} - 3e^x$

5. $y' + y \tan x = y^2$, $y(0) = 1/2$

this is a Bernoulli equation with $p(x) = \tan x$, $q(x) = 1$, $a = 2$

so let $u = y^{1-a} = y^{-1}$ and the DE becomes

$$u' + (1-a)p u = (1-a)q$$

$$\text{or } u' - \tan x u = -1$$

which is linear with $f(x) = -\tan x$, $r(x) = -1$

$$\text{so } \mu(x) = e^{\int -\tan x dx} = e^{\int -\sin x dx} = e^{\ln \cos x} = \cos x$$

$$\text{so } u(x) = \sec x \left[\int -\cos x dx + C \right]$$

$$= \sec x (-\sin x + C) = C \sec x - \tan x$$

but $y(x) = u(x)^{-1} \Rightarrow y(x) = \frac{1}{C \sec x - \tan x}$ (general solution)

then $y(0) = 1/2 \Rightarrow 1/2 = \frac{1}{C \sec(0) - \tan(0)} = \frac{1}{C} \Rightarrow C = 2$

\therefore the unique solution is $y(x) = \frac{1}{2 \sec x - \tan x}$

$$Q6. \quad y'' - 9y = 0$$

$$\text{ch. eq.}: \lambda^2 - 9 = 0$$

$$\lambda = \pm 3$$

$$\text{G.S.: } y = c_1 e^{3x} + c_2 e^{-3x}$$

$$\text{I.C.'s: } y(0) = c_1 + c_2 = 2 \quad \dots (1)$$

$$y' = 3c_1 e^{3x} - 3c_2 e^{-3x}$$

$$y'(0) = 3c_1 - 3c_2 = 0 \quad \dots (2)$$

$$\begin{cases} 3c_1 + 3c_2 = 6 \\ 3c_1 - 3c_2 = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{From (2), } c_1 = c_2$$

$$\text{From (1), } c_1 + c_2 = 2$$

\therefore The unique solution of the IVP is

$$y = e^{3x} + e^{-3x}$$

$$\text{check: } y' = 3e^{3x} - 3e^{-3x}$$

$$y'' = 9e^{3x} + 9e^{-3x} = 9y$$

$$\therefore y'' - 9y = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$y(0) = 2 \quad \checkmark \quad y'(0) = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$Q7. \quad y'' + \pi^2 y = 0 \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = \pi$$

$$\text{char-eq: } \lambda^2 + \pi^2 = 0$$

$$\lambda = \pm i\pi$$

$$\text{GS: } y = c_1 \cos \pi x + c_2 \sin \pi x$$

$$\text{IC's: } y(0) = c_1 = 1$$

$$y' = \pi c_2 \cos \pi x$$

$$y'(0) = \pi c_2 = \pi \Rightarrow c_2 = 1$$

\therefore unique solution to I.V.P.:

$$\boxed{y = \cos \pi x + \sin \pi x}$$

$$\text{check: } y' = -\pi \sin \pi x + \pi \cos \pi x$$

$$y'' = -\pi^2 (\cos \pi x + \sin \pi x) = -\pi^2 y$$

$$\therefore y'' + \pi^2 y = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = \pi \quad \checkmark$$

$$Q8. \quad y'' + 4y' + 4y = 0, \quad y(0) = 7, \quad y'(0) = -18$$

$$\text{char. eq: } \lambda^2 + 4\lambda + 4 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow (\lambda + 2)^2 = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \lambda = -2 \quad (\text{double root})$$

$$\text{G.S.: } y = c_1 e^{-2x} + c_2 x e^{-2x}$$

$$\text{I.C.'s: } y(0) = c_1 = 7$$

$$y' = -2c_1 e^{-2x} + c_2 e^{-2x} - 2c_2 x e^{-2x}$$

$$y'(0) = -2c_1 + c_2 = -18$$

$$\Rightarrow -2(7) + c_2 = -18$$

$$\Rightarrow c_2 = -4$$

\therefore unique solution to I.V.P. is:

$$\boxed{y = 7e^{-2x} - 4xe^{-2x}}$$

$$\text{Check: } y' = -14e^{-2x} - 4e^{-2x} + 8xe^{-2x}$$
$$= -18e^{-2x} + 8xe^{-2x}$$

$$y'' = 36e^{-2x} + 8e^{-2x} - 16xe^{-2x}$$
$$= 44e^{-2x} - 16xe^{-2x}$$

$$y'' + 4y' + 4y = e^{-2x} [44 - 16x + 4(-18 + 8x) + 4(7 - 4x)]$$

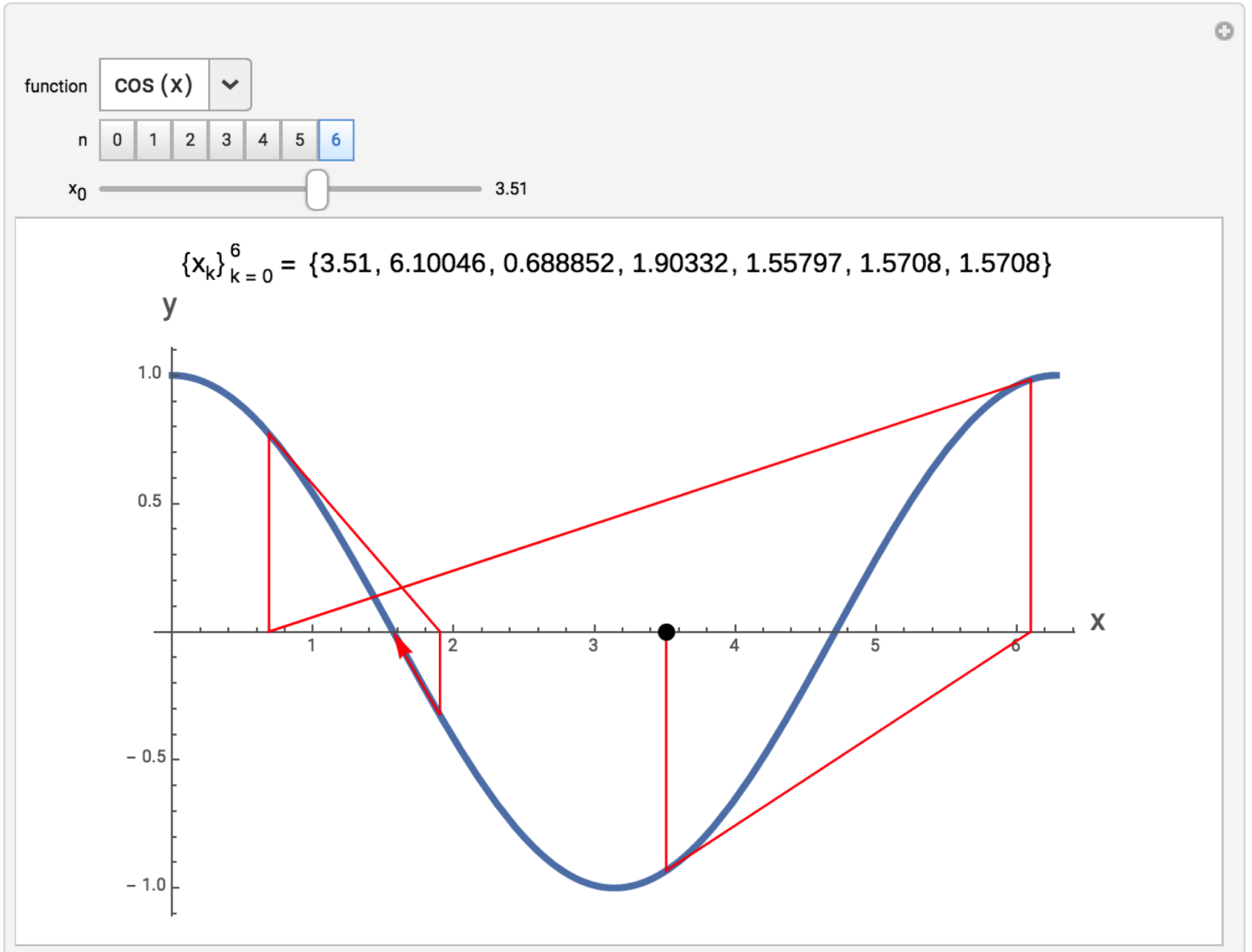
$$= e^{-2x} [44 - 72 + 28 - 16x + 32x - 16x]$$

$$= 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$y(0) = 7 \quad \checkmark$$

$$y'(0) = -18 \quad \checkmark$$

Q 9. a)



$$9b) \quad f(x) = \cos x, \quad f'(x) = -\sin x$$

$$\frac{f(x)}{f'(x)} = -\cot x$$

$$a_0 = \pi, \quad x_0 = 3.51, \quad b_0 = 2\pi$$

Step 1

$$c := x_0 - \frac{f(x_0)}{f'(x_0)} = 3.51 + \cot(3.51) \\ \approx 6.100459 \quad (\text{to 6 d.p.})$$

$$c \in (a_0, b_0), \quad \text{so } x_1 := c.$$

$$f(a_0) = -1, \quad f(x_1) \approx 0.983352, \quad f(b_0) = 1$$

← opposite signs, i.e. $f(a_0)f(x_0) < 0$, so:

$$a_1 := \pi, \quad x_1 = 6.100459, \quad b_1 = x_1$$

Step 2

$$c := x_1 - \frac{f(x_1)}{f'(x_1)} = x_1 + \cot(x_1) \\ \approx 0.688838$$

$$c \notin (a_1, b_1), \quad \text{so } x_2 := \frac{1}{2}(a_1 + b_1) \\ = 4.621026$$

$$f(a_1) = -1, \quad f(x_2) = -0.091236, \quad f(b_1) = 0.983352$$

← opposite signs, so:

$$a_2 := x_2 = 4.621026, \quad b_2 = b_1 = 6.100459$$

9 b) cont.:

$$\underline{\text{Step 3}} \quad c := x_2 - \frac{f(x_2)}{f'(x_2)} = x_2 + \cot(x_2) \\ \approx 4.712644$$

$c \notin (a_2, b_2)$, so $x_3 := c$.

$$f(a_2) < 0, \quad f(x_3) \stackrel{>}{\neq} 0, \quad f(b_2) > 0$$

opposite signs, so:

$$a_3 := a_2 = 4.621026, \quad x_3 = b_3 = 4.712644$$

$$\underline{\text{Step 4}} \quad c := x_3 + \cot(x_3) \approx 4.712389$$

$c \in (a_3, b_3)$, so $x_4 := c$

$$\underline{\underline{x_4 = 4.712389}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 10 \text{ a) } L_0(x) &= \frac{(x-x_1)(x-x_2)(x-x_3)}{(x_0-x_1)(x_0-x_2)(x_0-x_3)} \\
 &= \frac{x^3 - (x_1+x_2+x_3)x^2 + (x_1x_2 + x_1x_3 + x_2x_3) - x_1x_2x_3}{(-0.5)(-1.1)(-1.4)} \\
 &= (-1.2987)(x^3 - 6.3x^2 + \underbrace{(3.52+4+5.5)}_{=13.02}x - 8.8) \\
 &= -1.2987x^3 + 8.1818x^2 - 16.9091x + 11.4286
 \end{aligned}$$

check: $L_0(x_0) = -1.729 + 9.900 - 18.600 + 11.429 \approx 1 \checkmark$
 (could also check $L_0(x_1) = 0$, $L_0(x_2) = 0$ and/or $L_0(x_3) = 0$)

$$\begin{aligned}
 L_1(x) &= \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_2)(x-x_3)}{(x_1-x_0)(x_1-x_2)(x_1-x_3)} \\
 &= \frac{x^3 - (x_0+x_2+x_3)x^2 + (x_0x_2 + x_0x_3 + x_2x_3)x - x_0x_2x_3}{(0.5)(-0.6)(-0.9)} \\
 &= 3.7037(x^3 - 5.8x^2 + 10.67x - 6.09) \\
 &= 3.7037x^3 - 21.4815x^2 + 39.5185x - 22.4074
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 L_2(x) &= \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)(x-x_3)}{(x_2-x_0)(x_2-x_1)(x_2-x_3)} \\
 &= \frac{x^3 - (x_0+x_1+x_3)x^2 + (x_0x_1 + x_0x_3 + x_1x_3)x - x_0x_1x_3}{(1.1)(0.6)(-0.3)} \\
 &= (-5.0505)(x^3 - 5.2x^2 + 8.51x - 4.4) \\
 &= -5.0505x^3 + 26.2626x^2 - 42.9798x + 22.2222
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 L_3(x) &= \frac{(x-x_0)(x-x_1)(x-x_2)}{(x_3-x_0)(x_3-x_1)(x_3-x_2)} \\
 &= 2.6455x^3 - 12.9630x^2 + 20.3704x - 10.2434
 \end{aligned}$$

10 a) (cont.)

$$\begin{aligned}P_3(x) &= f_0 L_0(x) + f_1 L_1(x) + f_2 L_2(x) + f_3 L_2(x) \\&= (3.2)(-1.2987x^3 + 8.1818x^2 - 16.9091x + 11.4286) \\&\quad + (5.5)(3.7037x^3 - 21.4815x^2 + 39.5185x - 22.4074) \\&\quad + (8.0)(-5.0505x^3 + 26.2626x^2 - 42.9798x + 22.2222) \\&\quad + (9.1)(2.6455x^3 - 12.9630x^2 + 20.3704x - 10.2434) \\&= -0.1154x^3 + 0.1710x^2 + 4.7749x - 2.1065\end{aligned}$$

check: $P_3(1.1) \approx 3.2 \checkmark$

However, I should have kept 5 d.p. of intermediate results, to have final results accurate to 4 d.p., since I multiplied by eg. 9.1. Indeed wolframalpha.com (see next page) gives:

$$-0.11544x^3 + 0.171717x^2 + 4.77475x - 2.10635$$

10 b) $P_3(1.25) = 3.9049$

$$P_3(2.0) = 7.2065$$

$$\begin{aligned}c) \epsilon_{\min}(1.25) &= \frac{0.5}{4!} \left| (1.25-1.1)(1.25-1.6)(1.25-2.2)(1.25-2.5) \right| \\&= \frac{0.5}{24} (0.06234) \approx 0.0013\end{aligned}$$

$$\epsilon_{\max}(1.25) = \frac{3}{24} (0.06234) \approx 0.0078$$

$$\epsilon_{\min}(2) = \frac{0.5}{24} (0.036) \approx \cancel{0.0045} 0.00075$$

$$\epsilon_{\max}(2) = \frac{3}{24} (0.036) = 0.0045$$

InterpolatingPolynomial[[{1.1,3.2},{1.6,5.5},{2.2,8.0},{2.5,9.1}],x]



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Input:

$$\text{InterpolatingPolynomial}\left[\left\{\begin{pmatrix} 1.1 & 3.2 \\ 1.6 & 5.5 \\ 2.2 & 8 \\ 2.5 & 9.1 \end{pmatrix}, x\right\}\right]$$

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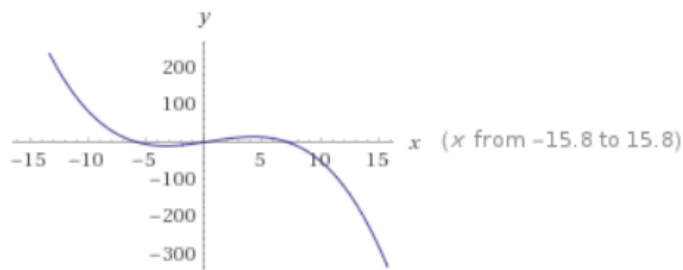
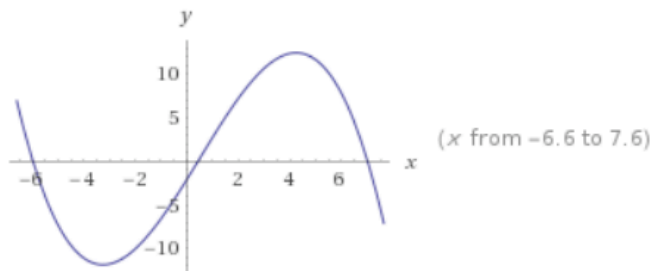
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Result:

$$((-0.11544(x - 1.6) - 0.428571428571429)(x - 2.5) + 9.1$$

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Alternate forms:

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$$x(x(0.171717 - 0.11544x) + 4.77475) - 2.10635$$



$$-0.11544x^3 + 0.171717x^2 + 4.77475x - 2.10635$$