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AN ASYMPTOTICALLY OPTIMAL CUBATURE FORMULA

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The numerical formula (defined with proper values of certain parameters) with remainder R(f) is called the optimal formula for the set H of functions f if its parameters are picked out of the condition of minimum of the quantity

 $R[H] = \sup_{f \in H} |R(f)|.$ (1)

We denote the minimal value of (1) by $R_{\text{opt}}[H]$.

The formula with remainder R(f) is called asymptotically optimal* on the set H if

$$\lim_{N\to\infty} R_{\text{opt}}[H]/R[H] = 1,$$

where N is the number of parameters defining the formula.

Let $1 < q \le \infty$, M, P, Q, r, s, m, n be given numbers, $p^{-1} + q^{-1} = 1$, $W^{r,s}L_q$ the set of functions f(x,y) on square $0 \le x$, $y \le 1$ with piecewise continuous derivatives

$$f^{(j,l)}(x,y)$$
 $(j=0,...,r; l=0,...,s)^{**}$

and satisfying conditions

$$\begin{split} \| \int_{0}^{1} f^{(r,0)}(\cdot,y) \, dy \|_{L_{q}(0,1)} & \leq P, \quad \| \int_{0}^{1} f^{(0,s)}(x,\cdot) \, dx \|_{L_{q}(0,1)} \leq Q, \\ \| f^{(r,s)}(\cdot,\cdot) \|_{L_{q}(0,1;0,1)} & \leq M. \end{split}$$

We shall construct an asymptotically optimal cubature formula

^{*} According to [1]. ** $f^{(j,l)}(x,y) = \frac{\partial^{j+l} f(x,y)}{\partial x^j \partial y^l}$.

$$\int_{0}^{1} \int_{0}^{1} f(x, y) dx dy = \sum_{k=0}^{m} \sum_{l=0}^{n} A_{kl} f(x_k, y_l) + R_{mn}(f)$$
 (2)

for the set $W^{r,s}L_q$.

Here $\{A_{kl}\}$, $\{x_k\}$, $\{y_l\}$ are parameters chosen arbitrarily.

Let $J_{\alpha\nu} = \{0, 1, \ldots, \alpha - 1\} \cup \{\nu - \alpha + 1, \nu - \alpha + 2, \ldots, \nu\}, B_i(x), B_i - Bernoulli polynomials and numbers, <math>\overline{B}_i{}^{\alpha} = B_i \ (i \neq \alpha),$

$$\overline{B}_{\alpha}^{\alpha} = B_{\alpha} - c_{\alpha p}, \|B_{\alpha}(x) - c_{\alpha p}\|_{L_{p}(0,1)} = \min_{c} \|B_{\alpha}(x) - c\|_{L_{p}(0,1)} = \alpha! B_{\alpha p},$$

$$\omega_{\nu\alpha}(x) = x \left(x - \frac{1}{\nu} \right) \dots \left(x - \frac{\alpha - 1}{\nu} \right),$$

$$\lambda_{k\nu}^{\alpha} = \lambda_{\nu-k,\nu}^{\alpha} = \sum_{j=1}^{\alpha-1} \frac{\overline{B}_{j+1}^{\alpha}}{(j+1)!\nu^{j+1}} \left[\frac{\omega_{\nu\alpha}(x)}{\left(x - \frac{k}{\nu} \right) \omega'_{\nu\alpha} \left(\frac{k}{\nu} \right)} \right]^{(j)} \Big|_{x=0}$$

$$(k=0, 1, \dots, \alpha - 1),$$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{1}{\nu}, & k \equiv J_{\alpha\nu}; \\ \frac{1}{2\nu} + \lambda_{k\nu}^{\alpha}, & k \in \{0, \nu\}; \\ \frac{1}{\nu} + \lambda_{k\nu}^{\alpha}, & k \in J_{\alpha\nu} \setminus \{0, \nu\}. \end{cases}$$

Theorem. The cubature formula (2) with coefficients and nodes

$$A_{kl} = A_{km}^r A_{ln}^s, x_k = \frac{k}{m}, y_l = \frac{l}{n}$$
 $(k = 0, ..., m; l = 0, ..., n)$ (3)

is asymptotically optimal on the set $W^{r,s}L_q$ and has the bound for the remainder

$$\sup_{f \in W^{r,s}L_q} |R_{mn}(f)| = \frac{PB_{rp}}{m^r} + \frac{QB_{sp}}{n^s} + o\left(\frac{1}{m^r} + \frac{1}{n^s}\right).$$

Proof. As it follows from [2] and

$$\widetilde{W}^{r,s}L_q = \{f(x,y) : f \in W^{r,s}L_q, f^{(i,0)}(1,y) = f^{(i,0)}(0,y), f^{(0,j)}(x,1) = \\
= f^{(0,j)}(x,0) \quad (i=0,\ldots,r-1; j=0,\ldots,s-1)\} \subset W^{r,s}L_q$$

the estimation

$$\sup_{\equiv W^{r,s}L_q} |R_{mn}(f)| \geqslant \frac{PB_{rp}}{m^r} + \frac{QB_{sp}}{n^s} + \frac{MB_{rp}B_{sp}}{m^r n^s}$$
(4)

is true for arbitrary formula (2).

It is shown in [3] that the quadrature formula

$$\int_{0}^{1} f(x) dx = \sum_{k=0}^{m} A_{k} f(x_{k}) + R_{m}(f)$$
 (5)

with nodes $x_k = k/m$, coefficients $A_k = A^r_{km}$ (k = 0, ..., m) is asymptotically optimal among all formulas (5) for the set $W^r L_q = \{f(x): f^{(r-1)}(x) \text{ is absolutely continuous on } [0,1], \|f^{(r)}(\cdot)\|_{L_q(0,1)} \leq 1\}$ $(1 < q \leq \infty)$ and has the estimation

$$\sup_{f \in W^{r}L_{q}} |R_{m}(f)| = \frac{B_{rp}}{m^{r}} (1 + o(1)).$$
 (6)

Since this formula is exact for polynomials of degree $\leq r-1$, it is easy to see [4,5] that the quantity (6) can be written in the form

$$\sup_{f \in W^{r_{L_q}}} |R_m(f)| = ||K_{rm}(\cdot)||_{L_p(0,1)}, \tag{7}$$

where $K_{rm}(x)$ is a certain monospline.

Consider now the formula (2) with coefficients and nodes (3). It is a particular formula of common formulas considered in paper [6] and can be obtained from the formula (20) of [6], where K(x,y) must be taken in the form

$$K(x,y) = K_{rm}(x) K_{sn}(y).$$

The functions $K_{ij}(x)$ are defined in (7). Therefore by paper [6] (see the formula (29) there) and taking into account (6), (7) we have the estimation

$$\sup_{f \in W^{r,s}L_q} |R_{mn}(f)| = \frac{P(B_{rp} + o(1))}{m^r} + \frac{Q(B_{sp} + o(1))}{n^s} + \frac{M(B_{rp} + o(1))(B_{sp} + o(1))}{m^r n^s}$$

for the formula (2) with values (3).

Hence (as the inequality (4) for every other formula is true) the theorem is proved.

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