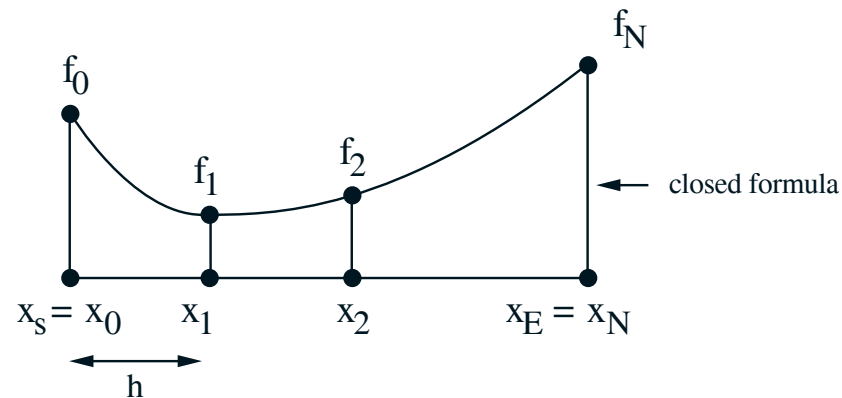


## LECTURE 16

### GAUSS QUADRATURE

- In general for Newton-Cotes (equispaced interpolation points/ data points/ integration points/ nodes).

$$\int_{x_S}^{x_E} f(x) dx = h[w'_0 f_0 + w'_1 f_1 + \dots + w'_N f_N] + E$$

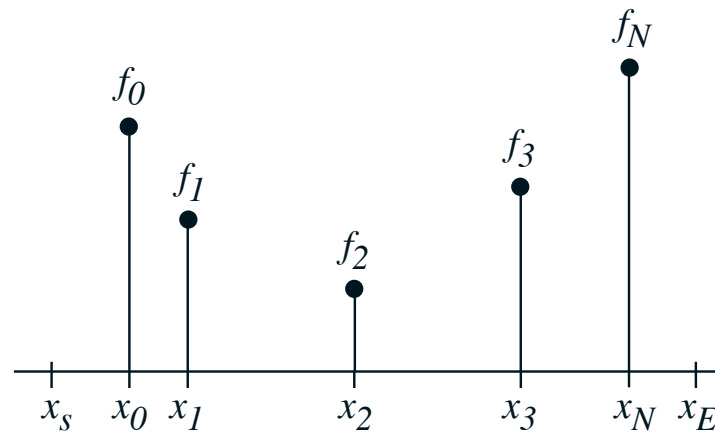


- Note that for Newton-Cotes formulae only the weighting coefficients  $w_i$  were unknown and the  $x_i$  were fixed

- However the number of and placement of the integration points influences the accuracy of the Newton-Cotes formulae:
  - $N$  even  $\rightarrow N^{\text{th}}$  degree interpolation function exactly integrates an  $N + 1^{\text{th}}$  degree polynomial  $\rightarrow$  This is due to the placement of one of the data points.
  - $N$  odd  $\rightarrow N^{\text{th}}$  degree interpolation function exactly integrates an  $N^{\text{th}}$  degree polynomial.
- *Concept: Let's allow the placement of the integration points to vary such that we further increase the degree of the polynomial we can integrate exactly for a given number of integration points.*
- *In fact we can integrate an  $2N + 1$  degree polynomial exactly with only  $N + 1$  integration points*

- Assume that for Gauss Quadrature the form of the integration rule is

$$\int_{x_S}^{x_E} f(x) dx = [w_0 f_0 + w_1 f_1 + \dots + w_N f_N] + E$$



- In *deriving* (not applying) these integration formulae
  - Location of the integration points,  $x_i$   $i = 0, N$  are unknown
  - Integration formulae weights,  $w_i$   $i = 0, N$  are unknown
- $2(N+1)$  unknowns  $\rightarrow$  we will be able to exactly integrate any  $2N+1$  degree polynomial!

## Derivation of Gauss Quadrature by Integrating Exact Polynomials and Matching

### Derive 1 point Gauss-Quadrature

- 2 unknowns  $w_o, x_o$  which will exactly integrate any linear function
- Let the *general* polynomial be

$$f(x) = Ax + B$$

where the coefficients  $A, B$  can equal any value

- Also consider the integration interval to be  $[-1, +1]$  such that  $x_S = -1$  and  $x_E = +1$  (no loss in generality since we can always transform coordinates).

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} f(x) dx = w_o f(x_o)$$

- Substituting in the form of  $f(x)$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} (Ax + B) dx = w_o (Ax_o + B) \Rightarrow$$

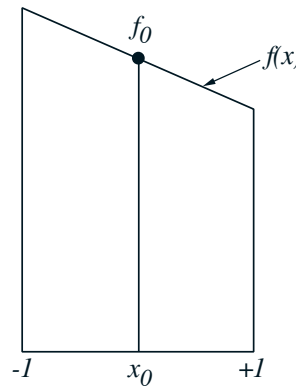
$$\left[ A \frac{x^2}{2} + Bx \right]_{-1}^{+1} = w_o(Ax_o + B) \Rightarrow$$

$$A(0) + B(2) = A(x_o w_o) + B(w_o)$$

- In order for this to be true for any 1st degree polynomial (i.e. any  $A$  and  $B$ ).

$$\begin{cases} 0 = x_o w_o \\ 2 = w_o \end{cases}$$

- Therefore  $x_o = 0$ ,  $w_o = 2$  for 1 point ( $N = 1$ ) Gauss Quadrature.



- We can integrate exactly with only 1 point for a linear function while for Newton-Cotes we needed two points!

**Derive a 2 point Gauss Quadrature Formula**



- The general form of the integration formula is

$$I = w_0 f_0 + w_1 f_1$$

- $w_0, x_0, w_1, x_1$  are all unknowns
- 4 unknowns  $\Rightarrow$  we can fit a 3rd degree polynomial exactly

$$f(x) = Ax^3 + Bx^2 + Cx + D$$

- Substituting in for  $f(x)$  into the general form of the integration rule

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} f(x) dx = w_0 f(x_0) + w_1 f(x_1)$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_{-1}^{+1} [Ax^3 + Bx^2 + Cx + D] dx = w_o[Ax_o^3 + Bx_o^2 + Cx_o + D] + w_1[Ax_1^3 + Bx_1^2 + Cx_1 + D] \\
 & \Rightarrow \\
 & \left[ \frac{Ax^4}{4} + \frac{Bx^3}{3} + \frac{Cx^2}{2} + Dx \right]_{-1}^{+1} = w_o(Ax_o^3 + Bx_o^2 + Cx_o + D) + w_1(Ax_1^3 + Bx_1^2 + Cx_1 + D) \\
 & \Rightarrow \\
 & A[w_o x_o^3 + w_1 x_1^3] + B\left[w_o x_o^2 + w_1 x_1^2 - \frac{2}{3}\right] + C[w_o x_o + w_1 x_1] + D[w_o + w_1 - 2] = 0
 \end{aligned}$$

- In order for this to be true for **any** third degree polynomial (i.e. all arbitrary coefficients,  $A, B, C, D$ ), we must have:

$$w_o x_o^3 + w_1 x_1^3 = 0$$

$$w_o x_o^2 + w_1 x_1^2 - \frac{2}{3} = 0$$

$$w_o x_o + w_1 x_1 = 0$$

$$w_o + w_1 - 2 = 0$$

- 4 nonlinear equations  $\rightarrow$  4 unknowns

$$w_0 = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad w_1 = 1$$

$$x_0 = -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \quad \text{and} \quad x_1 = +\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$$

- All polynomials of degree 3 or less will be *exactly* integrated with a Gauss-Legendre 2 point formula.



**Gauss Legendre Formulae**

$$I = \int_{-1}^{+1} f(x) dx = \sum_{i=0}^N w_i f_i + E$$

$N$	$N + 1$	$x_i,$ $i = 0, N$	$w_i$	Exact for polynomials of degree
0	1	0	2	1
1	2	$-\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}, +\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$	1, 1	3
2	3	-0.774597, 0, +0.774597	0.5555, 0.8889, 0.5555	5
$N$	$N + 1$			$2N + 1$

$N$	$N + 1$	$x_i,$ $i = 0, N$	$w_i$	Exact for polynomials of degree
3	4	-0.86113631 -0.33998104 0.33998104 0.86113631	0.34785485 0.65214515 0.65214515 0.34785485	7
4	5	-0.90617985 -0.53846931 0.00000000 0.53846931 0.90617985	0.23692689 0.47862867 0.56888889 0.47862867 0.23692689	9
5	6	-0.93246951 -0.66120939 -0.23861919 0.23861919 0.66120939 0.93246951	0.17132449 0.36076157 0.46791393 0.46791393 0.36076157 0.17132449	11

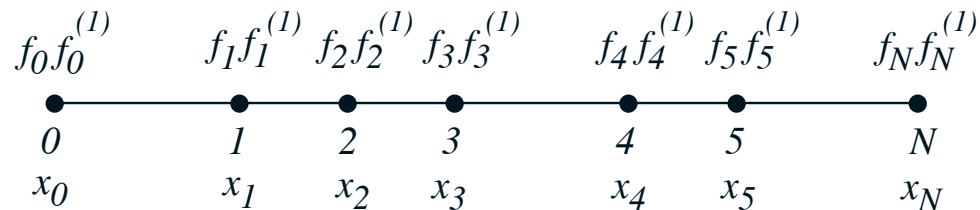
- Notes
  - $N + 1$  = the number of integration points
  - Integration points are symmetrical on  $[-1, +1]$
  - Formulae can be applied on any interval using a coordinate transformation
  - $N + 1$  integration points  $\rightarrow$  will integrate polynomials of up to degree  $2N + 1$  exactly.
    - Recall that Newton Cotes  $\rightarrow N + 1$  integration points only integrates an  $N^{th}/N + 1^{th}$  degree polynomial exactly depending on  $N$  being odd or even.
    - For Gauss-Legendre integration, we allowed both weights and integration point locations to vary to match an integral exactly  $\Rightarrow$  more d.o.f.  $\Rightarrow$  allows you to match a higher degree polynomial!
    - An alternative way of looking at Gauss-Legendre integration formulae is that we use Hermite interpolation instead of Lagrange interpolation! (How can this be since Hermite interpolation involves derivatives  $\rightarrow$  let's examine this!)

## Derivation of Gauss Quadrature by Integrating Hermite Interpolating Functions

### Hermite interpolation formulae

- Hermite interpolation which *matches* the function and the first derivative at  $N + 1$  interpolation points is expressed as:

$$g(x) = \sum_{i=0}^N \alpha_i(x) f_i + \sum_{i=0}^N \beta_i(x) f_i^{(1)}$$



- It can be shown that in general for non-equispaced points

$$\alpha_i(x) = t_i(x) l_{iN}(x) l_{iN}(x) \quad i = 0, N$$

$$\beta_i(x) = s_i(x) l_{iN}(x) l_{iN}(x) \quad i = 0, N$$

where

$$p_N(x) \equiv (x - x_0)(x - x_1) \cdots (x - x_N)$$

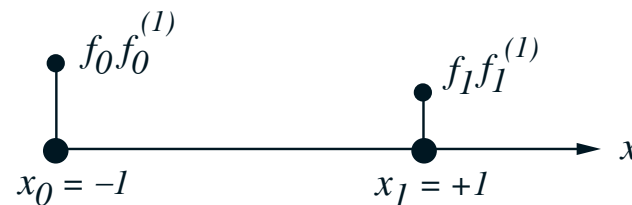
$$l_{iN}(x) \equiv \frac{p_N(x)}{(x - x_i) p_N^{(1)}(x_i)} \quad i = 0, N$$

$$t_i(x) \equiv 1 - (x - x_i) \frac{2}{l_{iN}^{(1)}(x_i)}$$

$$s_i(x) \equiv (x - x_i)$$

**Example of defining a cubic Hermite interpolating function**

- Derive Hermite interpolating functions for 2 interpolation points located at  $-1$  and  $+1$  for the interval  $[-1, +1]$ .



$$N + 1 = 2 \text{ points} \Rightarrow N = 1$$

- Establish  $p_N(x)$

$$p_1(x) = (x - x_0)(x - x_1) \Rightarrow$$

$$p_1^{(1)}(x) = (x - x_0) + (x - x_1)$$

- Establish  $l_{iN}(x)$

$$l_{i1}(x) = \frac{p_1(x)}{(x - x_i)[p_1^{(1)}(x_i)]}$$

$$l_{i1}(x) = \frac{(x - x_o)(x - x_1)}{(x - x_i)[(x_i - x_o) + (x_i - x_1)]}$$

- Let  $i = 0$

$$l_{o1}(x) = \frac{(x - x_o)(x - x_1)}{(x - x_o)[0 + (x_o - x_1)]} \Rightarrow$$

$$l_{o1}(x) = \frac{x - x_1}{x_o - x_1}$$

- Substitute in  $x_o = -1$  and  $x_1 = +1$

$$l_{o1}(x) = \frac{1}{2}(1 - x)$$

- Let  $i = 1$

$$l_{11}(x) = \frac{(x - x_0)(x - x_1)}{(x - x_1)[(x_1 - x_0) + 0]}$$

- Substitute in values for  $x_0, x_1$

$$l_{11}(x) = \frac{1}{2}(1 + x)$$

- Taking derivatives

$$l'_{01}(x) = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$l'_{11}(x) = +\frac{1}{2}$$



- Establish  $t_i(x)$

$$t_o(x) = 1 - (x - x_o) 2 l_{o1}^{(1)}(x_o) \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$t_o(x) = 1 - (x + 1)(2) \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$t_o(x) = 2 + x$$

$$t_1(x) = 1 - (x - x_1) 2 l_{11}^{(1)}(x_1) \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$t_1(x) = 1 - (x - 1) \left(2 \cdot \frac{1}{2}\right) \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$t_1(x) = 2 - x$$

- Establish  $s_i(x)$

$$s_o(x) = x + 1$$

$$s_1(x) = x - 1$$

- Establish  $\alpha_i(x)$

$$\alpha_o(x) = t_o(x)l_{o1}(x)l_{o1}(x) \Rightarrow$$

$$\alpha_o(x) = (2+x)\frac{1}{2}(1-x)\frac{1}{2}(1-x) \Rightarrow$$

$$\alpha_o(x) = \frac{1}{4}(2-3x+x^3)$$

$$\alpha_1(x) = t_1(x)l_{11}(x)l_{11}(x) \Rightarrow$$

$$\alpha_1(x) = (2-x)\frac{1}{2}(1+x)\frac{1}{2}(1+x) \Rightarrow$$

$$\alpha_1(x) = \frac{1}{4}(2+3x-x^3)$$

- Establish  $\beta_i(x)$

$$\beta_o(x) = s_o(x)l_{o1}(x)l_{o1}(x) \Rightarrow$$

$$\beta_o(x) = (x+1)\frac{1}{2}(1-x)\frac{1}{2}(1-x) \Rightarrow$$

$$\beta_o(x) = \frac{1}{4}(1-x-x^2+x^3)$$

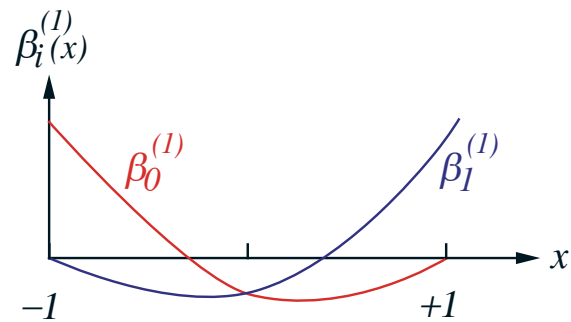
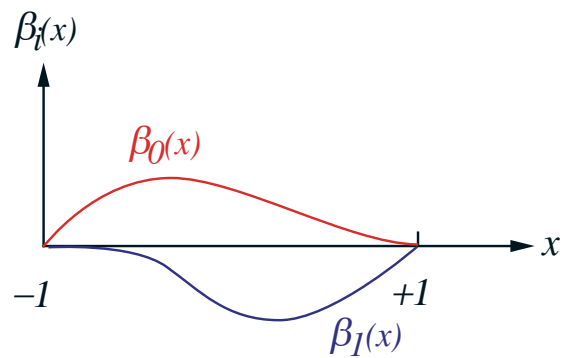
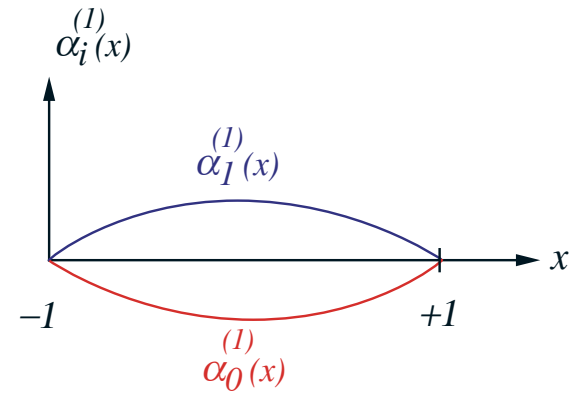
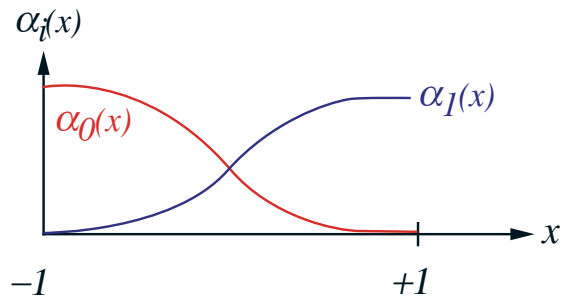
$$\beta_1(x) = s_1(x)l_{11}(x)l_{11}(x) \Rightarrow$$

$$\beta_1(x) = (x-1)\frac{1}{2}(1+x)\frac{1}{2}(1+x) \Rightarrow$$

$$\beta_1(x) = \frac{1}{4}(-1-x+x^2+x^3)$$

- In general

$$g(x) = \alpha_o(x)f_o + \alpha_1(x)f_1 + \beta_o(x)f_o^{(1)} + \beta_1(x)f_1^{(1)}$$



- These functions satisfy the constraints

$$\alpha_i(x_j) = \delta_{ij}$$

$$\beta_i(x_j) = 0$$

$$\alpha_i^{(1)}(x_j) = 0$$

$$\beta_i^{(1)}(x_j) = \delta_{ij}$$

**Gauss-Legendre Quadrature by integrating Hermite interpolating polynomials**

$$I = \int_{-1}^{+1} f(x) dx = \sum_{i=0}^N w_i f_i + E$$

- Notes
  - Use  $[-1, +1]$  without loss of generality  $\Rightarrow$  we can always transform the interval.
  - Approximation for  $I$  is exact for  $2N + 1$  degree polynomials
- We can derive all Gauss-Legendre quadrature formulae by approximating  $f(x)$  with an  $2N + 1^{th}$  degree Hermite interpolating function *using*  $N$  *specially selected* integration/interpolation points.

$$I = \int_{-1}^{+1} g(x) dx + E$$

where

$$g(x) = \sum_{i=0}^N \alpha_i(x) f_i + \sum_{i=0}^N \beta_i(x) f_i^{(1)}$$

- Thus

$$I = \int_{-1}^{+1} \left[ \sum_{i=0}^N \alpha_i(x) f_i + \sum_{i=0}^N \beta_i(x) f_i^{(1)} \right] dx + E$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$I = \sum_{i=0}^N A_i f_i + \sum_{i=0}^N B_i f_i^{(1)} + E$$

where

$$A_i \equiv \int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_i(x) dx \quad \text{and} \quad B_i \equiv \int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_i(x) dx$$

- Furthermore we can show that

$$E = \int_{-1}^{+1} \left[ \frac{p_{N+1}^2(x)}{(2N+2)!} f^{(2N+2)}(x_0) + \text{H.O.T.} \right] dx$$

- Note that we are assuming Taylor series expansions about  $x_0$  and using higher order terms in the expansion.
  - Therefore  $E = 0$  for any polynomial of degree  $2N + 1$  or less!
- The problem that we encounter is that the integration formula as it now stands *in general* requires us to know both functional and first derivative values at the nodes!
- Let us select  $x_0, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N$  such that

$$B_i = 0 \quad i = 0, N \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_i(x) dx = 0 \quad i = 0, N \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} s_i(x) l_{iN}(x) l'_{iN}(x) dx = 0 \quad i = 0, N \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} (x - x_i) \frac{p_N(x)}{(x - x_i) p_N^{(1)}(x_i)} l_{iN}(x) dx = 0 \quad i = 0, N \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{1}{p_N^{(1)}(x_i)} \int_{-1}^{+1} p_N(x) l_{iN}(x) dx = 0 \quad i = 0, N$$

$p_N(x) \Rightarrow$  polynomial of degree  $N + 1$

$l_{iN}(x) \Rightarrow$  polynomial of degree  $N$

- Therefore we require  $p_N(x)$  to be orthogonal on  $[-1, +1]$  to **all** polynomials of degree  $N$  or less  $\Rightarrow$  any multiple of Legendre-Polynomials will satisfy this.

- Let

$$p_N(x) = \frac{2^{N+1} [(N+1)!]^2}{[2(N+1)]!} P_{N+1}(x)$$

where

$$p_N(x) = (x - x_0)(x - x_1)(x - x_2) \dots (x - x_N)$$

$P_{N+1}$  = the Legendre polynomial of degree  $N + 1$

$\frac{2^{N+1} [(N+1)!]^2}{[2(N+1)]!}$  is required to normalize the leading coefficient of  $P_{N+1}(x)$



- What have we done by defining  $p_N(x)$  in this way  $\Rightarrow$  we have selected the integration/interpolation/data points  $x_0, x_1, \dots, x_N$  to be the *roots* of  $P_{N+1}(x)$ .
- In general

$$P_n(x) = \frac{1}{2^n n!} \frac{d^n (x^2 - 1)^n}{dx^n}$$

$$P_0(x) = 1$$

$$P_1(x) = x$$

$$P_2(x) = \frac{1}{2}(3x^2 - 1)$$

$$P_3(x) = \frac{1}{2}(5x^3 - 3x)$$

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- So far we have established
  - Selecting  $p_N(x)$  to be proportional to the Legendre Polynomial of degree  $N + 1 \Rightarrow$  this satisfies the orthogonality condition which will lead to:

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_i(x) dx = 0$$

As a result  $f_i^{(1)}$  terms will *not* appear in the Gauss-Legendre integration formula.

- If we select  $p_N(x)$  to be the Legendre Polynomial of degree  $N + 1 \Rightarrow$  the roots of that polynomial will represent the interpolating/integration/data points since  $p_N(x) = (x - x_0)(x - x_1) \dots (x - x_N)$  has been set equal to  $CP_{N+1}(x)$
- Now we must find the weights of the integration formula. Note that  $A_i$  will represent the weights!

$$A_i \equiv \int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_i(x) dx \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$A_i = \int_{-1}^{+1} t_i(x) l_{iN}(x) l_{iN}(x) dx$$

where

$$t_i(x) = 1 - (x - x_i)^2 l_{iN}^{(1)}(x_i)$$

$$l_{iN}(x) = \frac{p_N(x)}{(x - x_i) p_N^{(1)}(x_i)}$$

$$p_N(x) = (x - x_0) \dots (x - x_N)$$

and where  $x_0, \dots, x_N$  are the **roots** of the Legendre polynomial of degree  $N + 1$  or

$$p_N(x) = \frac{2^{N+1} [(N+1)!]^2}{[2(N+1)]!} P_{N+1}(x)$$

### Two point Gauss-Legendre integration

Develop a 2 point Gauss-Legendre integration formula for  $[-1, +1]$ . Let

$$g(x) = \sum_{i=0}^1 \alpha_i(x)f_i + \sum_{i=0}^1 \beta_i(x)f_i^{(1)}$$

$$g(x) = \alpha_0(x)f_0 + \alpha_1(x)f_1 + \beta_0(x)f_0^{(1)} + \beta_1(x)f_1^{(1)}$$

- Thus

$$I = \int_{-1}^{+1} g(x)dx + E \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$I = \int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_0(x)f_0 dx + \int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_1(x)f_1 dx + \int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_0(x)f_0^{(1)} dx + \int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_1(x)f_1^{(1)} dx \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$I = f_0 \int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_0(x)dx + f_1 \int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_1(x)dx + f_0^{(1)} \int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_0(x)dx + f_1^{(1)} \int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_1(x)dx$$

***Step 1 - Establish interpolating points***

- Interpolation points will be the roots of the Legendre Polynomial of order 2.

$$P_2(x) = \frac{1}{2}(3x^2 - 1) \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(3x^2 - 1) = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$3x^2 = 1 \Rightarrow$$

$$x^2 = \frac{1}{3} \Rightarrow$$

$$x_{0,1} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \Rightarrow$$

$$x_{0,1} = \pm 0.57735$$

- Checking these roots

$$P_2(x) = \frac{1}{2^2 2!} \frac{d^2(x^2 - 1)^2}{dx^2} \Rightarrow$$

$$P_2(x) = \frac{1}{8} \frac{d^2}{dx^2}(x^4 - 2x^2 + 1) \Rightarrow$$

$$P_2(x) = \frac{1}{8}(12x^2 - 4) \Rightarrow$$

$$P_2(x) = \frac{1}{2}(3x^2 - 1)$$

$$p_1(x) = \frac{2^2(2!)^2}{(2(2))!} P_2(x) \Rightarrow$$

$$p_1(x) = \frac{4 \cdot 4}{4 \cdot 3 \cdot 2} \cdot \frac{1}{2}(3x^2 - 1) \Rightarrow$$

$$p_1(x) = x^2 - \frac{1}{3}$$

- From formula which defines  $p_1(x)$  using the integration points

$$p_1(x) = \left(x + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}\right)\left(x - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}\right) = x^2 - \frac{1}{3}$$

***Step 2 - Establish the coefficients of the derivative terms in the integration formula***

- Let's demonstrate that with the roots  $x_{o,1} = \pm 0.57735$  we will satisfy

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_o(x) dx = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_1(x) dx = 0$$

- First develop  $\beta_o(x)$  and  $\beta_1(x)$  by developing  $p_1(x)$ ,  $p_1^{(1)}(x)$ ,  $l_{o1}(x)$ ,  $l_{11}(x)$ ,  $s_o(x)$  and  $s_1(x)$

$$p_1(x) = (x - x_o)(x - x_1)$$

$$p_1^{(1)}(x) = (x - x_o) + (x - x_1)$$

$$l_{j1}(x) = \frac{p_1(x)}{(x-x_j)p_1'(x_j)} \quad j = 0, 1 \Rightarrow$$

$$l_{j1}(x) = \frac{(x-x_o)(x-x_1)}{(x-x_j)[(x_j-x_o) + (x_j-x_1)]}$$

$$l_{o1}(x) = \frac{(x-x_o)(x-x_1)}{(x-x_o)[x_o-x_o + x_o-x_1]} \Rightarrow$$

$$l_{o1}(x) = \frac{x-x_1}{x_o-x_1}$$

$$l_{11}(x) = \frac{(x-x_o)(x-x_1)}{(x-x_1)[(x_1-x_o) + (x_1-x_1)]} \Rightarrow$$

$$l_{11}(x) = \frac{x-x_o}{x_1-x_o}$$



$$s_o(x) = x - x_o$$

$$s_1(x) = x - x_1$$

- Now we can establish  $\beta_o(x)$

$$\beta_o(x) = s_o(x) l_{o1}(x) l_{o1}(x) \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$\beta_o(x) = (x - x_o) \left( \frac{x - x_1}{x_o - x_1} \right) \left( \frac{x - x_1}{x_o - x_1} \right)$$

- Noting that  $x_o = -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$ ,  $x_1 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$

$$\beta_o(x) = \left( x + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \right) \frac{\left( x - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \right) \left( x - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \right)}{\left( -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \right)^2} \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$\beta_o(x) = \frac{3}{4} \left[ x^3 - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} x^2 - \frac{1}{3} x + \left( \frac{1}{3} \right)^{3/2} \right]$$

- Similarly for  $\beta_1(x)$

$$\beta_1(x) = s_1(x) l_{11}(x) l_{11}(x) \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$\beta_1(x) = (x - x_1) \frac{(x - x_o)}{(x_1 - x_o)} \cdot \frac{(x - x_o)}{(x_1 - x_o)}$$

- Substituting  $x_o = -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$ ,  $x_1 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$

$$\beta_1(x) = \frac{\left(x - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}\right)\left(x + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}\right)\left(x + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}\right)}{\left(\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}\right)^2} \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$\beta_1(x) = \frac{3}{4} \left[ x^3 + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} x^2 - \frac{1}{3} x - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} \right]$$

- Now we can develop  $\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_o(x) dx$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_o(x) dx = \int_{-1}^{+1} \frac{3}{4} \left[ x^3 - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} x^2 - \frac{1}{3} x + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} \right] dx \Rightarrow$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_o(x) dx = \frac{3}{4} \left[ \frac{x^4}{4} - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} x^3 - \frac{1}{6} x^2 + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} x \right]_{-1}^{+1} \Rightarrow$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_o(x) dx = \frac{3}{4} \left[ \left( \frac{1}{4} - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} - \frac{1}{6} + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} \right) - \left( \frac{1}{4} + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} - \frac{1}{6} - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} \right) \right] \Rightarrow$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_o(x) dx = \mathbf{0}$$

- Develop  $\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_1(x) dx$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_1(x) dx = \int_{-1}^{+1} \frac{3}{4} \left[ x^3 + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} x^2 - \frac{1}{3} x - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} \right] dx \Rightarrow$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_1(x) dx = \frac{3}{4} \left[ \frac{x^4}{4} + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} x^3 - \frac{1}{6} x^2 - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} x \right]_{-1}^{+1} \Rightarrow$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_1(x) dx = \frac{3}{4} \left[ \left( \frac{1}{4} + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} - \frac{1}{6} - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} \right) - \left( \frac{1}{4} - \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} - \frac{1}{6} + \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^{3/2} \right) \right] \Rightarrow$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_1(x) dx = 0$$

- Now our integration formula reduces to:

$$I = f_o \int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_o(x) dx + f_1 \int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_1(x) dx \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$I = A_o f_o + A_1 f_1$$

where

$$A_o \equiv \int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_o(x) dx \quad \text{and} \quad A_1 \equiv \int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_1(x) dx$$

**Step 3 - Develop**  $A_o, A_1$

- Establish  $\alpha_o(x)$

$$\alpha_o(x) = t_o(x) l_{o1}(x) l_{o1}(x) \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$\alpha_o(x) = [1 - (x - x_o) 2l_{o1}^{(1)}(x_o)] l_{o1}(x) l_{o1}(x) \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$\alpha_o(x) = \left\{ 1 - (x - x_o) \left[ \frac{2}{x_o - x_1} \right] \right\} \left( \frac{x - x_1}{x_o - x_1} \right) \left( \frac{x - x_1}{x_o - x_1} \right) \Rightarrow$$

$$\alpha_o(x) = \left\{ 1 - \left( x + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \right) \left[ \frac{2}{-\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}} \right] \right\} \frac{\left( x - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \right) \left( x - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \right)}{\left( -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \right) \left( -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} - \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \right)} \Rightarrow$$

$$\alpha_o(x) = \frac{3}{4} \left\{ 1 - \left( x + \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \right) \left( \frac{2}{-2\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}} \right) \right\} \left( x^2 - 2\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}x + \frac{1}{3} \right) \Rightarrow$$

$$\alpha_o(x) = \frac{3\sqrt{3}}{4} \left\{ \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} + x \right\} \left( x^2 - 2\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}x + \frac{1}{3} \right) \Rightarrow$$

$$\alpha_o(x) = \frac{3}{4} \sqrt{3} \left\{ x^3 - x + 2 \left( \frac{1}{3} \right)^{3/2} \right\}$$

- Develop  $\int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_o(x) dx$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_o(x) dx = \int_{-1}^{+1} \left[ \frac{3}{4} \sqrt{3} \left( x^3 - x + 2 \left( \frac{1}{3} \right)^{3/2} \right) \right] dx \Rightarrow$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_o(x) dx = \frac{3}{4} \sqrt{3} \left[ \frac{x^4}{4} - \frac{x^2}{2} + 2 \left( \frac{1}{3} \right)^{3/2} x \right]_{-1}^{+1} \Rightarrow$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_o(x) dx = \frac{3}{4} \sqrt{3} \left[ \left( \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2} + 2 \left( \frac{1}{3} \right)^{3/2} \right) - \left( \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2} - 2 \left( \frac{1}{3} \right)^{3/2} \right) \right] \Rightarrow$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_o(x) dx = \frac{3}{4} \sqrt{3} \left( 4 \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \frac{1}{3} \right) \Rightarrow$$

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_o(x) dx = 1 \Rightarrow$$

$$\mathbf{A_o = 1}$$

- Similarly we can show that  $A_1 = \int_{-1}^{+1} \alpha_1(x) dx = 1$

- **Thus we have established the two point Gauss Quadrature rule**

$$I = \int_{-1}^{+1} f(x) dx = w_0 f_0 + w_1 f_1$$

**where  $x_0 = -\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$  and  $x_1 = +\sqrt{\frac{1}{3}}$  are the integration points and  $w_0 = w_1 = 1$**

- We note that this integration rule was established by defining a Hermite cubic interpolating function and defining the integration points  $x_0, x_1$  such that

$$\int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_0(x) dx = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \int_{-1}^{+1} \beta_1(x) dx = 0$$

- Therefore the functional derivative values drop out of the Gauss Legendre integration formula!