

# Interpolation with Lagrange polynomial

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Given points in the plane, we look for the polynomial of interpolation.

$i$	0	1	2	3
$x_i$	0.001	0.01	0.1	1
$y_i$	176.7578	120.3572	63.9566	8.7780

We have 4 points, the degree of the polynomial is not greater than 3.

We write the form of the Lagrange polynomial from the  $y$  coordinates.

$$L(x) = 176.7578l_0(x) + 120.3572l_1(x) + 63.9566l_2(x) + 8.7780l_3(x)$$

Using  $x$  coordinates, we write and simplify the small Lagrange polynomials.

$$\begin{aligned}
 l_0(x) &= \frac{(x - 0.01)(x - 0.1)(x - 1)}{(0.001 - 0.01)(0.001 - 0.1)(0.001 - 1)} = \frac{x^3 - 1.11x^2 + 0.111x - 0.001}{-8.9010900000000015 \times 10^{-4}} = \\
 &= -1123.45791358137x^3 + 1247.038284075321x^2 - 124.7038284075321x + 1.12345791358137 \\
 l_1(x) &= \frac{(x - 0.001)(x - 0.1)(x - 1)}{(0.01 - 0.001)(0.01 - 0.1)(0.01 - 1)} = \frac{x^3 - 1.101x^2 + 0.1011x - 1.0 \times 10^{-4}}{8.0190000000000014 \times 10^{-4}} = \\
 &= 1247.038284075321x^3 - 1372.989150766928x^2 + 126.075570520015x - 0.12470382840753 \\
 l_2(x) &= \frac{(x - 0.001)(x - 0.01)(x - 1)}{(0.1 - 0.001)(0.1 - 0.01)(0.1 - 1)} = \\
 &= \frac{x^3 - 1.011x^2 + 0.01101x - 1.0000000000000001 \times 10^{-5}}{-0.008019} = \\
 &= -124.7038284075321x^3 + 126.0755705200149x^2 - 1.372989150766928x + 0.0012470382840753 \\
 l_3(x) &= \frac{(x - 0.001)(x - 0.01)(x - 0.1)}{(1 - 0.001)(1 - 0.01)(1 - 0.1)} = \\
 &= \frac{x^3 - 0.111x^2 + 0.00111x - 9.999999999999995 \times 10^{-7}}{0.890109} = \\
 &= 1.123457913581371x^3 - 0.12470382840753x^2 + 0.0012470382840753x - 1.1234579135813704 \times 10^{-6}
 \end{aligned}$$

We use small Lagrange polynomials in the interpolation formula and sum up like powers of  $x$  (the final result is in the frame).

$$\begin{aligned}
 L(x) &= \\
 &= 176.7578(-1123.45791358137x^3 + 1247.038284075321x^2 - 124.7038284075321x + 1.12345791358137) \\
 &+ 120.3572(1247.038284075321x^3 - 1372.989150766928x^2 + 126.075570520015x - 0.12470382840753) \\
 &+ 63.9566(-124.7038284075321x^3 + 126.0755705200149x^2 - 1.372989150766928x + 0.0012470382840753) \\
 &+ 8.7780(1.123457913581371x^3 - 0.12470382840753x^2 + 0.0012470382840753x - 1.1234579135813704 \times 10^{-6}) \\
 &= \left[ -\frac{1255024927298014000}{22230267846633}x^3 + \frac{12664619899898014}{200272683303}x^2 - \frac{69655562309569007}{10013634165150}x + \frac{20413020138676930}{1111513392331650} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

