

**THE STUDY OF REMAINDER FOR SOME CUBATURE
FORMULAS FOR TRIANGULAR DOMAIN**

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The purpose of this paper is to give some practical cubature formulas in approximation of the integral

$$I = \int_D f(x, y) dx dy \quad (1)$$

where D is a triangular domain, $D = \{(x, y) / x \geq 0, y \geq 0, x + y \leq h\}$ and $f : D \rightarrow R$ is an integrable function on D . We would like to construct some practical cubature formulas of the following form:

$$I = \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{j=1}^n A_{ij} f(x_i, y_j) + R_{mn}(f)$$

where A_{ij} are the coefficients of the formula and $R_{mn}(f)$ the remainder. We will use the quadrature rules given by Bruno Welfer in [2] for triangular domain and we will study the remainder of these rules and some optimal properties. To obtain the error of the approximation formula we will use a generalization of the Peano Theorem, when the function is a member of the so-called Sard space. We will note with B_{pq} the Sard space where $p, q \in N, p + q = m$. Let $\Omega = [0, h] \times [0, h]$ where $h \in R_+$, then the Sard space $B_{p,q}(0, 0)$ is the set of all of the functions $f : \Omega \rightarrow R$ with the following properties:

1. $f^{(p,q)} \in C(\Omega)$
2. $f^{(m-j,j)}(\cdot, 0) \in C[0, h], j = 0, \dots, q - 1$
3. $f^{(i,m-i)}(0, \cdot) \in C[0, h], i = 0, \dots, p - 1$

Theorem 1. *Let $L : B_{pq}(0, 0) \rightarrow R$ be a continuous linear functional. If $\text{Ker}(L) = P_{m-1}^2$ then*

$$\begin{aligned} L(f) = & \sum_{j < q} \int_0^h K_{m-j,j}(s) f^{(m-j,j)}(s, 0) ds + \sum_{i < p} K_{i,m-i}(t) f^{(i,m-i)}(0, t) dt + \\ & + \int_{\omega} K_{p,q}(s, t) f^{(p,q)}(s, t) ds dt \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

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where

$$\begin{aligned}
 K_{m-j,j}(s) &= L^{(x,y)} \left[\frac{(x-s)_+^{m-j-1} y^j}{(m-j-1)! j!} \right], j < q \\
 K_{i,m-i}(t) &= L^{(x,y)} \left[\frac{x^i (y-t)_+^{m-i-1}}{i! (m-i-1)!} \right], i < p \\
 K_{p,q}(s,t) &= L^{(x,y)} \left[\frac{(x-s)_+^{p-1} (y-t)_+^{q-1}}{(p-1)! (q-1)!} \right].
 \end{aligned}$$

First of all we consider the cubature formula with a single knots:

$$\int \int_D f(x,y) dx dy = \frac{h^2}{2} f\left(\frac{h}{3}, \frac{h}{3}\right) + R_1(f). \quad (3)$$

Because the degree of exactness of this formula is equal with 1, we can use the first theorem and follows:

Theorem 2. *If $f^{(2,0)}(\cdot, 0) \in C[0, h]$, $f^{(0,2)}(0, \cdot) \in C[0, h]$ and $f^{(1,1)}(x, y) \in C(D)$ then we can give the following delimitation of the error in formula (3):*

$$|R_1(f)| \leq \frac{h^4}{72} M_{20}f + \frac{h^4}{72} M_{02}f + \frac{89h^4}{1944} M_{11}f,$$

where

$$M_{20}f = \max_{x \in [0, h]} |f^{(2,0)}(x, 0)|, M_{02}f = \max_{y \in [0, h]} |f^{(0,2)}(0, y)|, M_{11}f = \max_D |f^{(1,1)}(x, y)|.$$

Proof. Theorem 1 implies the following error representation:

$$\begin{aligned}
 R_1(f) &= \int_0^h K_{20}(s) f^{(2,0)}(s, 0) ds + \int_0^h K_{02}(s) f^{(0,2)}(0, t) dt \\
 &\quad + \int \int_{T_h} K_{11}(s, t) f^{(1,1)}(s, t) ds dt
 \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

and

$$K_{20}(s) = R^{xy} [(x-s)_+]$$

$$K_{02}(t) = R^{xy} [(y-t)_+]$$

$$K_{11}(s, t) = R^{xy} [(x-s)_+^0 (y-t)_+^0].$$

Therefore the so-called Peano-kernels has the representation

$$\begin{aligned}
 K_{20}(s) &= \begin{cases} \frac{(h-s)^3}{6} - \frac{h^2}{2} \left(\frac{h}{3} - s\right), & s \leq \frac{h}{3} \\ \frac{(h-s)^3}{6}, & s \geq \frac{h}{3} \end{cases} \\
 K_{02}(t) &= \begin{cases} \frac{(h-t)^3}{6} - \frac{h^2}{2} \left(\frac{h}{3} - t\right), & t \leq \frac{h}{3} \\ \frac{(h-t)^3}{6}, & t \geq \frac{h}{3} \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

and

$$K_{11}(s, t) = \begin{cases} \frac{(h-t-s)^3}{6} - \frac{h^2}{2}, & 0 \leq s, t \leq \frac{h}{3} \\ \frac{(h-t-s)^3}{6}, & 0 \leq s \leq \frac{h}{3}, \frac{h}{3} \leq t \leq h \text{ or } \frac{h}{3} \leq s \leq h, 0 \leq t \leq \frac{h}{3} \end{cases}$$

If we study the sign of these functions, we conclude that K_{20} and K_{02} are positive functions at the interval $[0, h]$ and $K_{11}(s, t) \leq 0, 0 \leq s, t \leq \frac{h}{3}$ and $K_{11}(s, t) \geq 0$ if $0 \leq s \leq \frac{h}{3}, \frac{h}{3} \leq t \leq h$ or $\frac{h}{3} \leq s \leq h, 0 \leq t \leq \frac{h}{3}$.

Since

$$\int_0^h K_{20}(s)ds = \frac{h^4}{72},$$

$$\int_0^h K_{02}(t)dt = \frac{h^4}{72},$$

and

$$\int \int_D |K_{11}(s, t)| dsdt = \frac{89h^4}{1944},$$

from (4) finally yields the theorem.

Let now consider the following formula:

$$\int_D \int f(x, y) dx dy = \frac{h^2}{6} \left[f\left(0, \frac{h}{2}\right) + f\left(\frac{h}{2}, 0\right) + f\left(\frac{h}{2}, \frac{h}{2}\right) \right] + R_2(f). \quad (5)$$

The degree of exactness of this formula is 2, therefore we can use the theorem 1 for the representation of the error, and we can give the following delimitation of the approximation error:

Theorem 3. If $f^{(3,0)}(\cdot, 0) \in C[0, h], f^{(2,1)}(\cdot, 0) \in C[0, h], f^{(0,3)}(0, \cdot) \in C[0, h]$ and $f^{(1,2)}(s, t) \in C(D)$ than we have

$$|R_2(f)| \leq M_{30}f \frac{h^5}{720} + M_{21}f \frac{h^5}{364} + M_{03}f \frac{h^5}{720} + M_{12}f \frac{h^5}{24} \quad (6)$$

where

$$M_{30}f = \max_{s \in [0, h]} \left| f^{(3,0)}(s, 0) \right|, M_{21}f = \max_{s \in [0, h]} \left| f^{(2,1)}(s, 0) \right|,$$

$$M_{03}f = \max_{t \in [0, h]} \left| f^{(0,3)}(0, t) \right| \text{ and } M_{12}f = \max_D \left| f^{(1,2)}(s, t) \right|.$$

Proof. We will use the same method like in the previous theorem, than the error of the formula (5) is

$$R_2(f) = \int_0^h K_{30}(s) f^{(3,0)}(s) ds + \int_0^h K_{21}(s) f^{(2,1)}(s, 0) ds + \int_0^h K_{03}(t) f^{(0,3)}(0, t) dt +$$

$$+ \int_D \int K_{12}(s, t) f^{(1,2)}(s, t) ds dt$$

where

$$K_{30}(s) = \begin{cases} \frac{(h-s)^4}{24} - \frac{h^3}{6} \left(\frac{h}{2} - s\right)^2, & s < h/2 \\ \frac{(h-s)^4}{24}, & s \geq h/2 \end{cases}$$

$$K_{21}(s) = \begin{cases} \frac{(h-s)^4}{24} - \frac{h^3}{12}(\frac{h}{2} - s), & s < h/2 \\ \frac{(h-s)^4}{24}, & s \geq h/2 \end{cases}$$

$$K_{12}(s, t) = \begin{cases} \frac{(h-s-t)^3}{6} - \frac{h^2}{6}(\frac{h}{2} - t), & 0 < s, t < h/2 \\ \frac{(h-s-t)^3}{6}, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

and

$$K_{03}(t) = \begin{cases} \frac{(h-t)^4}{24} - \frac{h^2}{6}(\frac{h}{2} - t)^2, & t < h/2 \\ \frac{(h-t)^4}{24}, & t \geq h/2 \end{cases}$$

The kernel functions K_{30} and K_{03} are positive on the interval $[0, h]$ and their integral on the same interval is equal with $\frac{h^5}{720}$. Also we have $\max_{s \in [0, h]} |K_{21}(x, y, s)| = \frac{h^4}{384}$ and $\max_{(s, t) \in D} |K_{12}(x, y, s, t)| = \frac{h^3}{12}$, therefore we can give the following delimitation of the absolute error:

$$\begin{aligned} |R_2(f)| &\leq \left| \int_0^h K_{30}(s) f^{(3,0)}(s, 0) ds \right| + \left| \int_0^h K_{21}(s) f^{(2,1)}(s, 0) ds \right| + \\ &+ \left| \int_0^h K_{03}(t) f^{(0,3)}(0, t) dt \right| + \left| \int_D \int K_{12}(s, t) f^{(1,2)}(s, t) ds dt \right| \\ &\leq M_{30} f \int_0^h |K_{30}(s)| ds + \frac{h^4}{364} \int_0^h |f^{(2,1)}(s, 0)| ds + \\ &+ M_{03} f \int_0^h |K_{03}(t)| dt + \frac{h^3}{12} \int_D \int |f^{(1,2)}(s, t)| ds dt \\ &\leq M_{30} f \frac{h^5}{720} + M_{21} f \frac{h^5}{364} + M_{03} f \frac{h^5}{720} + M_{12} f \frac{h^5}{24}. \end{aligned}$$

Finally we consider the following cubature formula:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_D \int f(x, y) dx dy &= \frac{h^2}{120} \left[3f(0, 0) + 3f(h, 0) + 3f(0, h) + 8f\left(\frac{h}{2}, 0\right) + \right. \\ &\left. + 8f\left(\frac{h}{2}, \frac{h}{2}\right) + 8f\left(0, \frac{h}{2}\right) + 27f\left(\frac{h}{3}, \frac{h}{3}\right) \right] + R_3(f). \end{aligned}$$

Because the degree of exactness of this formula is equal with 3, we can give the following theorem for the delimitation of the absolute error:

Theorem 4. *If $f^{(4,0)}(s, 0) \in C[0, h]$, $f^{(3,1)}(s, 0) \in C[0, h]$, $f^{(0,4)}(0, t) \in C[0, h]$, $f^{(1,3)}(0, t) \in C[0, h]$ and $f^{(2,2)}(s, t) \in C(D)$ then*

$$|R_3(f)| \leq M_{40} f \frac{h^6}{8640} + M_{31} f \frac{7h^6}{1440} + M_{13} f \frac{7h^6}{1440} + M_{04} f \frac{h^6}{8640} + M_{22} f \frac{h^6}{768},$$

where

$$M_{40} f = \max_{s \in [0, h]} |f^{(4,0)}(s, 0)|, M_{31} f = \max_{s \in [0, h]} |f^{(3,1)}(s, 0)|, M_{13} f = \max_{t \in [0, h]} |f^{(1,3)}(0, t)|,$$

$$M_{04}f = \max_{t \in [0, h]} |f^{(0,4)}(0, t)|, M_{22}f = \max_{(s, t) \in D} |f^{(2,2)}(s, t)|.$$

Proof. We will use again the generalization of the Peano theorem in bidimensional case and we have

$$\begin{aligned} R_3(f) &= \int_0^h K_{40}(s) f^{(4,0)}(s, 0) ds + \int_0^h K_{31}(s) f^{(3,1)}(s, 0) ds + \int_0^h K_{04}(t) f^{(0,4)}(0, t) dt + \\ &+ \int_0^h K_{13}(t) f^{(1,3)}(0, t) dt + \int_D \int K_{22}(s, t) f^{(2,2)}(s, t) ds dt \end{aligned}$$

where the K_{40}, K_{31}, K_{13} and K_{22} are the so-called kernel functions, and they have the following representation:

$$K_{40}(s) = \begin{cases} \frac{(h-s)^5}{5!} - \frac{h^2}{120} \left[\frac{(h-s)^3}{2} + 8 \frac{(\frac{h}{2}-s)^3}{3} + 9 \frac{(\frac{h}{3}-s)^3}{2} \right], & s \in [0, \frac{h}{3}] \\ \frac{(h-s)^5}{5!} - \frac{h^2}{120} \left[\frac{(h-s)^3}{2} + 8 \frac{(\frac{h}{2}-s)^3}{3} \right], & s \in (\frac{h}{3}, \frac{h}{2}) \\ \frac{(h-s)^5}{5!} - \frac{h^2}{120} \frac{(h-s)^3}{2}, & s \in [\frac{h}{2}, h] \end{cases}$$

$$K_{31}(s) = \begin{cases} -\frac{(h-s)^5}{5!} - \frac{h^2}{120} \left[h \frac{(h-2s)^2}{2} + h \frac{(h-3s)^2}{2} \right], & s \in [0, \frac{h}{3}] \\ -\frac{(h-s)^5}{5!} - \frac{h^3}{240} (h-2s)^2, & s \in (\frac{h}{3}, \frac{h}{2}) \\ -\frac{(h-s)^5}{5!}, & s \in [\frac{h}{2}, h] \end{cases}$$

$$K_{13}(t) = \begin{cases} -\frac{(h-t)^5}{5!} - \frac{h^2}{120} \left[h \frac{(h-2t)^2}{2} + h \frac{(h-3t)^2}{2} \right], & t \in [0, \frac{h}{3}] \\ -\frac{(h-t)^5}{5!} - \frac{h^3}{240} (h-2t)^2, & t \in (\frac{h}{3}, \frac{h}{2}) \\ -\frac{(h-t)^5}{5!}, & t \in [\frac{h}{2}, h] \end{cases}$$

and

$$K_{22}(s, t) =$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{(h-s-t)^4}{4!} - \frac{h^2}{120} \left[8 \left(\frac{h}{2} - s \right) \left(\frac{h}{2} - t \right) + 27 \left(\frac{h}{3} - s \right) \left(\frac{h}{3} - t \right) \right], & 0 \leq s, t \leq \frac{h}{3} \\ \frac{(h-s-t)^4}{4!} - \frac{h^2}{120} 8 \left(\frac{h}{2} - s \right) \left(\frac{h}{2} - t \right) & \frac{h}{3} \leq s \leq \frac{h}{2}, 0 \leq t \leq \frac{h}{2}, \\ & 0 \leq s \leq \frac{h}{3}, \frac{h}{3} \leq t \leq \frac{h}{2} \\ \frac{(h-s-t)^4}{4!}, & 0 \leq s \leq \frac{h}{2}, \frac{h}{2} \leq t \leq h, \\ & \frac{h}{2} \leq s \leq h, 0 \leq t \leq \frac{h}{2} \end{cases}$$

The K_{40}, K_{31} and the K_{13} functions do not change their sign at the interval $[0, h]$ and if we calculate the maximum of the function K_{22} we obtain $\max_D |K_{22}(s, t)| =$

$\frac{h^4}{384}$, therefore for the absolute value of the error we have the following delimitation:

$$\begin{aligned}
 |R_3(f)| &\leq \left| \int_0^h K_{40}(s) f^{(4,0)}(s, 0) ds \right| + \left| \int_0^h K_{31}(s) f^{(3,1)}(s, 0) ds \right| + \\
 &+ \left| \int_0^h K_{04}(t) f^{(0,4)}(0, t) dt \right| + \left| \int_0^h K_{13}(t) f^{(1,3)}(0, t) dt \right| + \\
 &+ \left| \int_D \int K_{22}(s, t) f^{(2,2)}(s, t) ds dt \right| \\
 &\leq M_{40} f \int_0^h |K_{40}(s)| ds + M_{31} f \int_0^h |K_{31}(s)| ds + M_{04} f \int_0^h |K_{04}(t)| dt + \\
 &+ M_{13} f \int_0^h |K_{13}(t)| dt + M_{22} f \frac{h^6}{768} \\
 &= M_{40} f \frac{h^6}{8640} + M_{31} f \frac{7h^6}{1440} + M_{04} f \frac{7h^6}{1440} + M_{04} f \frac{h^6}{1440} + M_{22} f \frac{h^6}{768}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Remark 1. *The cubature formula (5) has an optimal character, because it satisfy the conditions established by Stroud in [5] regarding the minimal number of knots for a cubature formula. If the degree of exactness of a cubature formula is equal with 2 then the minimal number of the knots is $N = n + 1$ where n is the dimension number. The cubature formula (5) with the degree of exactness 2 and three knots, has a minimal number of knots.*

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