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# 遞迴數列及渾沌現象

## 研究摘要

給定一個  $p \in (0, 1)$ ，令  $k_0 = 0, p_0 = p$ ，定義  $k_1$  為能使  $\frac{p^k}{1-p} \leq 1$  的最小正整數  $k$ ，而  $p_1 = \frac{p^{k_1}}{1-p}$ ；相同的，對於給定的  $k_{n-1}$ ， $k_n$  為能使  $\frac{p^k}{1-p_{n-1}} \leq 1$  的最小正整數  $k$ ， $p_n = \frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_{n-1}}$ 。若存在  $k_n$  使得  $\frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_{n-1}} = 1$ ，則稱  $p \in I_n$ ；若對於所有的  $n$  與  $k_n$ ， $\frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_{n-1}} < 1$ ，則稱  $p \in I_\infty$ 。如此區間  $(0, 1)$  可分解成集合  $I_1, I_2, \dots, I_\infty$ 。

進行電腦模擬時，常須要使用亂數。本主題研究對於不同的  $p$  值 ( $0 < p < 1$ )，觀察遞迴數列  $p_n$  ( $n \geq 0$ ) 的性質，並探討  $p$  值與其所屬的集合  $I_n$  的關係。討論對任意  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots, \infty$ ， $I_n$  是否為空集合，以及  $p$  值在哪些範圍時，數列  $p_n$  會產生渾沌現象，及哪些  $p$  可產生亂數。主要的結果如下：

- (1) 當  $0 < p \leq \frac{1}{4}$  時，則  $p \in I_\infty$ ，且數列  $p_n$  遞增，並收斂到極限值 
$$p_\infty = \frac{1 - \sqrt{1 - 4p}}{2}。$$
- (2) 當  $\frac{1}{4} < p < 1$  且  $p$  為  $\frac{1}{3}$  和  $\frac{1}{2}$  以外的有理數時，則  $p \in I_\infty$ ，且不存在相異的兩數  $a$  與  $b$ ，使得  $p_a = p_b$ 。
- (3) 對於任意正整數  $n$ ， $I_n$  為非空集合。首先針對較小的  $n$  值，找到了一些屬於  $I_n$  的元素，例如  $\frac{1}{2} \in I_1$ ， $\frac{1}{3} \in I_3$ ， $\frac{2 - \sqrt{2}}{2} \in I_5$ ， $\frac{5 - \sqrt{5}}{10} \in I_7$ ， $2 - \sqrt{3} \in I_9$ 。
- (4) 在討論  $I_n$  是否為空集合時，我們考慮當  $k_n = 1$ ，把表示  $p_n$  的分數展開，則得到的結果可用以下遞迴式表示： $a_0(p) = 1$ ，

$$a_1(p) = 1 - p, \quad a_{n+1}(p) = a_n - p a_{n-1} \quad (n \geq 1), \quad p_n = \frac{p a_{n-1}(p)}{a_n(p)}。$$

要使  $p_n = 1$ ，就要使分母與分子相等，亦即  $a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p) = 0$ ，也就是  $a_{n+1}(p) = 0$ 。此多項式  $a_n(p)$  與 Fibonacci 多項式

$f_0(x) = 1, \quad f_1(x) = x, \quad f_{n+1}(x) = x f_n(x) + f_{n-1}(x) \quad (n \geq 1)$  相關。經過轉

換後，求得  $p_n = 1$  的解為  $\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}} \in I_n$ 。

- (5) 根據第(2)部分得到的結果，發現選定適當的  $p$  值代入，遞迴數列  $p_n$  會產生渾沌現象：決定一  $p$  值 ( $0.25 < p < 1$ )，並代入多次後，各  $p_n$  值在  $(p, 1)$  間的分布出現渾沌情況。而當  $p$  接近 1 時， $p_n$  接近均勻分布，這時就可利用每次產生的  $p_n$  作為亂數值了。

關鍵字：渾沌，Fibonacci 多項式，遞迴數列

# Recursive sequences and chaos phenomena

## Abstract

For a given fixed number  $p \in (0,1)$ , let  $n_0=0$ ,  $p_0=p$ ,

$$k_1 = \inf\{k \geq 1: \frac{p^k}{1-p} \leq 1\},$$

and

$$p_1 := \frac{p^{k_1}}{1-p}.$$

By induction, for given  $p_{n-1}$ , we define

$$k_n = \inf\{k \geq 1: \frac{p^k}{1-p_{n-1}} \leq 1\},$$

and

$$p_n := \frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_{n-1}}.$$

Then,  $\{p_n, n \geq 0\}$  is a sequence of numbers belongs to  $(p, \infty)$ . For each  $n=1,2,\dots$ , let  $I_n := \{p \in (0,1); \text{there exists } k_n \text{ such that } p^{k_n} / (1-p_{n-1}) = 1\}$ , and denote  $I_\infty = \{p \in (0,1); p^{k_n} / (1-p_{n-1}) < 1 \text{ for all } k \text{ and } k_n\}$ . It is noted that the open interval  $(0,1)$  can be decomposed as a countably union of  $I_1, I_2, \dots$ , and  $I_\infty$ .

Motivated by the problem of random number generation in computer simulation, in this article, we study the behavior of the recursive sequence  $\{p_n, n \geq 0\}$  for various  $p \in (0,1)$ . In particular, we explore the relationship between  $p$  and  $I_n$ , for  $n=1,2,\dots,\infty$ . Our main results shows that

1. When  $0 < p \leq 1/4$ , then  $p \in I_\infty$  and the sequence  $\{p_n, n \geq 0\}$  is monotone increasing with limit  $(1-\sqrt{1-4p})/2$ .

2. When  $1/4 < p < 1$  and is a rational number except  $1/3$  and  $1/2$ , then  $p \in I_\infty$  and  $p_n$  are distinct from each other for different  $n$ . That is,  $p_i \neq p_j$  for  $i \neq j$ .

3. For each  $n=1,2,\dots,I_n$  is not empty. We first find explicit element in each  $I_n$  for small  $n$ , for instance,  $\frac{1}{2} \in I_1$ ,  $\frac{1}{3} \in I_3$ ,  $\frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2} \in I_5$ ,  
 $\frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{10} \in I_7$ ,  $2-\sqrt{3} \in I_9$ .

4. In general, we let  $k_n=1$ , and expand the ratio of  $p_n$  to get recursive  $a_0(p) = 1$ ,  $a_1(p) = 1-p$ ,  $a_{n+1}(p) = a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p)$  ( $n \geq 1$ ),  

$$p_n = \frac{p a_{n-1}(p)}{a_n(p)} .$$

In order to make  $p_n = 1$ , we need  $a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p) = 0$ , that is  $a_{n+1}(p) = 0$ . Then the polynomial  $a_n(p)$  has relation with the Fibonacci polynomial  $f_0(x) = 1$ ,  $f_1(x) = x$ ,  $f_{n+1}(x) = x f_n(x) + f_{n-1}(x)$  ( $n \geq 1$ ). A simple transformation leads that

$$\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}} \in I_n, \text{ for } n=1,2,\dots$$

5. By using the result form part 2, we find that for a suitable initial point  $p \in (0,1)$ , the recursive sequence  $\{p_n, n \geq 0\}$  can provide an example of chaotic systems. To be more precise, when  $.25 < p < 1$ , a chaotic phenomena happens and it approaches to uniform distribution as  $p$  approaches to 1. Then the sequence  $\{p_n, n \geq 0\}$  can be used to produce random numbers.

**Keywords.** chaos, Fibonacci polynomial, recursive sequence.

## 一、研究動機：

生活上大部分使用到亂數是一序列的亂數值，研究時常需要使用電腦模擬一些自然的現象，亂數能反映出實際的情況。亂數產生器(Random Number Generator)可利用遞迴函數反覆代入來產生亂數值。因此我設定  $p$  值使  $0 < p < 1$ ，並且  $p_0 = p$ ,  $p_n = \frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_{n-1}}$ ，其中  $k_n$  是能使  $p_n \leq 1$  的最小正整數，以觀察每次產生的數值，在區間  $(p, 1)$  中的分布情形？

## 二、研究過程：

作電腦模擬時，使用遞迴函數  $p_n = \frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_{n-1}}$ ， $k_n$  是能使  $p_n \leq 1$  的最小正整數，觀察此函數的值域分布情形。

(一) 電腦模擬觀察到一些現象： $p$  小於等於 0.25 時， $p_n$  會逐漸增加，但  $p_\infty$  等於某個小於等於 0.5 的值。

證明：

1. 用數學歸納法證明任何  $p_n$  都不會大於 0.5

當  $n = 1$  時， $p_1 = \frac{p}{1-p_0} \leq \frac{0.25}{1-0.25} = \frac{1}{3} < 0.5$ ，成立，

設當  $n = k$  時成立，亦即  $p_k \leq 0.5$ ，

則當  $n = k+1$  時， $p_{k+1} = \frac{p}{1-p_k} \leq \frac{0.25}{1-0.5} = 0.5$ ，故成立。

2. 再證明  $p_n > p_{n-1}$

當  $n = 1$  時， $\frac{p}{1-p_0} > p = p_0$ ，成立，

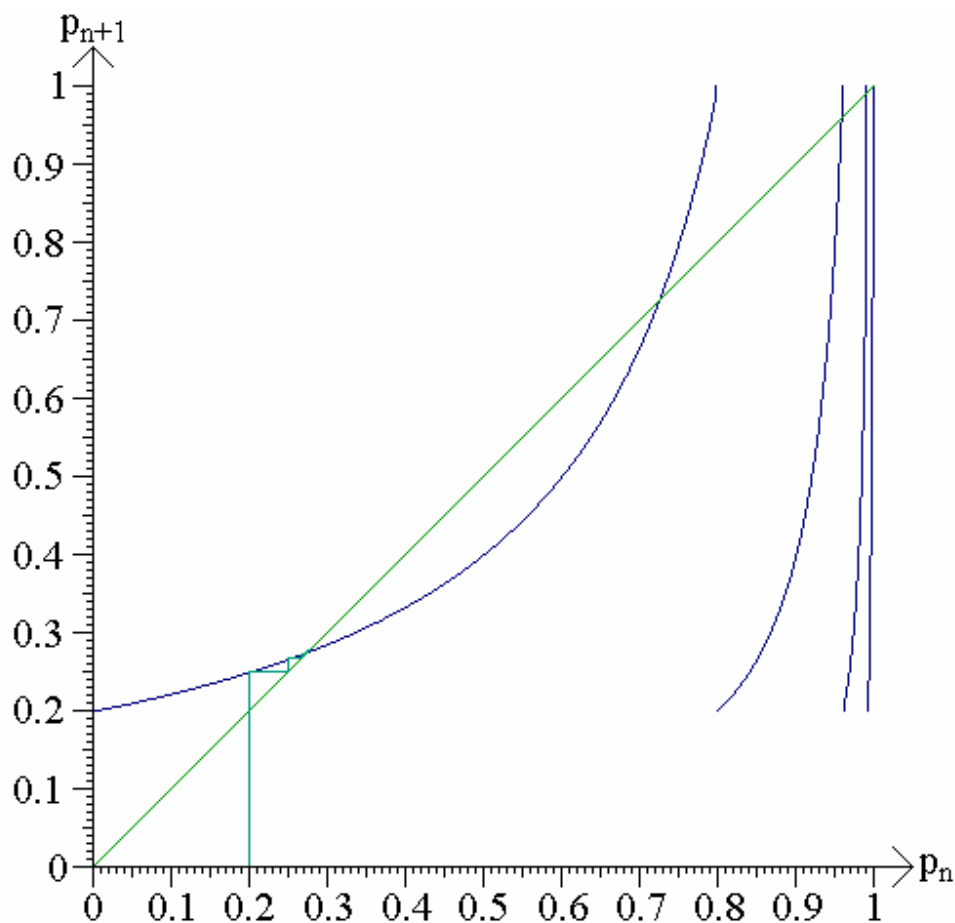
設當  $n = k$  時成立，亦即  $p_k > p_{k-1}$ ，

則當  $n = k + 1$  時， $p_{k+1} = \frac{p}{1-p_k} > \frac{p}{1-p_{k-1}} = p_k$ ，成立。

3. 由此， $p_n$ 將收斂到一個 $\leq 0.5$ 的數值 $p_\infty$ 。

例如  $p=0.2$ ：

圖 1



上圖 1 中橫軸為  $p_n$ ，縱軸為  $p_{n+1}$ ，藍色線為  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p^{k_{n+1}}}{1-p_n}$  ( $k_{n+1}$  為可使  $p_{n+1} \leq 1$  的最小正整數)，綠色線為  $p_{n+1} = p_n$ 。兩線相交處

$\frac{p^{k_{n+1}}}{1-p_n} = p_n$  即為  $p_\infty$  的值。藍色線是由不連續的曲線構成，且  $p_n$  靠近 1 時，每一段圖形接近直線，原因是  $p_n$  增加到接近 1 時，分母會變得很小，所以  $\frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_n}$  中的  $k_n$  值增大的速度也越來越快。

4. 計算  $p_\infty$  的值：

$\because p, p_n < 0.5$ ，故  $p < 1 - p_n$ ， $k_n$  值只要取 1，就可使  $\frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_n} < 1$ 。

令  $x = p_\infty$ ，則  $\frac{p}{1-x} = x$ ，

$$p = x(1-x),$$

$$p = x - x^2,$$

$$x^2 - x + p = 0,$$

$$x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1-4p}}{2}, \text{ 但 } \frac{1 + \sqrt{1-4p}}{2} \geq \frac{1}{2} \text{ 故不合,}$$

只有  $\frac{1 - \sqrt{1-4p}}{2}$  符合，

$$\therefore p_\infty = \frac{1 - \sqrt{1-4p}}{2}。$$

(三) 當  $0.25 < p < 1$  時，證明除了  $\frac{1}{3}$  及  $\frac{1}{2}$  以外的所有有理數都屬於  $I_\infty$ ，且不會有任何兩個  $I_a$  和  $I_b$  相同：

1. 當  $p$  為有理數，並且分子不為 1 的情形：

(1) 先以  $p = \frac{4}{11}$  和  $p = \frac{3}{7}$  為例，分別代入數次後，觀察規律：

①  $p = \frac{4}{11}$

表 1

|          |                |
|----------|----------------|
| $p_0$    | 4/11           |
| $p_1$    | 4/7            |
| $p_2$    | 28/33          |
| $p_3$    | 48/55          |
| $p_4$    | 320/847        |
| $p_5$    | 308/527        |
| $p_6$    | 2108/2409      |
| $p_7$    | 14016/36421    |
| $p_8$    | 13244/22405    |
| $p_9$    | 89620/100771   |
| $p_{10}$ | 586304/1349271 |

$p = \frac{4}{11}$  的分子為偶數，且每次代入後所得到的值之分子也是偶數。

②但  $p$  的分子為奇數時， $p_n$  的分子不一定為奇數，

例如  $p = \frac{5}{19}$ ：

表 2

|          |             |
|----------|-------------|
| $p_0$    | 5/19        |
| $p_1$    | 5/14        |
| $p_2$    | 70/171      |
| $p_3$    | 45/101      |
| $p_4$    | 505/1064    |
| $p_5$    | 280/559     |
| $p_6$    | 2795/5301   |
| $p_7$    | 1395/2506   |
| $p_8$    | 12530/21109 |
| $p_9$    | 5555/8579   |
| $p_{10}$ | 42895/57456 |

雖然分子不全為奇數，但都是 5 的倍數，推測這可能是由於  $p$  的分子為 5 的緣故。

③再把分子改為 3，觀察  $p_n$  的分子是否為 3 的倍數： $p = \frac{3}{7}$

表 3

|          |           |
|----------|-----------|
| $p_0$    | 3/7       |
| $p_1$    | 3/4       |
| $p_2$    | 36/49     |
| $p_3$    | 9/13      |
| $p_4$    | 117/196   |
| $p_5$    | 36/79     |
| $p_6$    | 237/301   |
| $p_7$    | 387/448   |
| $p_8$    | 1728/2989 |
| $p_9$    | 549/1261  |
| $p_{10}$ | 3783/4984 |

代入 10 次後，發現每次得到的分子均為 3 的倍數。  
 以下設  $p$  的分子為質數  $m$  的倍數，證明所有  $p_n$  的分子均含有質因數  $m$ ：

(2) 利用歸納法證明當  $p$  為有理數，並且化為最簡分數後，分子含有質因數  $m$ （設為  $ma_0$ ），分母不為  $m$  的倍數（設為  $mb_0+c_0$ ）時，即  $p = \frac{ma_0}{mb_0+c_0}$ ，則任何  $p_n$  的分子均為  $m$  的倍數，分母則不是  $m$  的倍數：

① 當  $n=0$  時， $p_0 = p = \frac{ma_0}{mb_0+c_0}$  (成立)

② 若  $n=l$  成立，亦即  $p_l = \frac{ma_l}{mb_l+c_l}$ ，

則當  $n=l+1$  時，

$$p_{l+1} = \frac{p^{k_{l+1}}}{1-p_l} = \frac{\left(\frac{ma_0}{mb_0+c_0}\right)^{k_{l+1}}}{1-\frac{ma_l}{mb_l+c_l}} = \frac{mb_l+c_l}{m(b_l-a_l)+c_l} \times \frac{(ma_0)^{k_{l+1}}}{(mb_0+c_0)^{k_{l+1}}}$$

其中左邊的  $\frac{mb_l+c_l}{m(b_l-a_l)+c_l}$  分子與分母都不是  $m$  的倍數，

右邊的  $\frac{(ma_0)^{k_{l+1}}}{(mb_0+c_0)^{k_{l+1}}}$  的分子是  $ma_0$  的乘幂，仍為  $m$  的倍數；分母是  $mb_0+c_0$  的乘幂，所以不為  $m$  的倍數。兩分數相乘後，可得知  $p_{l+1}$  的分子為  $m$  的倍數，分母則不是。如果此分數可約分，則因分母無  $m$  的因數，故無法把分子中  $m$  的因數約去，約分後的分數分子仍為  $m$  的倍數，分母仍不是。由此  $n=l+1$  也成立。

③ 由①,②， $n$  為任何數時均成立。

(3) 上面的試驗過程中，發現由同一  $p$  值得到的各  $p_n$  值均不相同：分母和分子逐漸增大，雖然有時會經由約分而減小，但增大的速度仍然較快，沒有發生同一  $p_n$  值重複出現的情況。

如果某一  $p_a$  與先前出現的  $p_b$  相同，但  $p_{a-1}$  與  $p_{b-1}$  相異，則表示不同的兩數代入後，會得到相同的數值。

現在以  $p = \frac{2}{5}$  為例，計算除了  $p_1 = \frac{2}{3}$  以外，是否還有別的

$p_n$  能使  $p_{n+1} = \frac{2}{3}$  ：

$$\frac{\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^{k_n}}{1-p_n} = \frac{2}{3}, \quad \text{其中 } k_n \text{ 爲正整數,}$$

$$\frac{1-p_n}{\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^{k_n}} = \frac{3}{2},$$

$$1-p_n = \frac{3}{2} \times \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^{k_n},$$

當  $k_n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$ ,

$$p_n = \frac{2}{5}, \frac{19}{25}, \frac{113}{125}, \frac{601}{625}, \dots,$$

但因  $p$  的分子爲偶數，故只有  $\frac{2}{5}$  符合。

由此可見，須取適當的  $k_n$  值，才能使  $p_n$  的分子含有與  $p$  的分子相同的質因數。

以下爲證明：

(4) 當  $p = \frac{ma_0}{mb_0+c_0}$  時，由已知的  $p_{n+1}$  (設爲  $\frac{ma_{n+1}}{mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}}$ ) 逆推，

求得  $p_n$  可能的數值：

$$\text{由於 } p_{n+1} = \frac{p^{k_{n+1}}}{1-p_n},$$

$$1-p_n = \frac{p^{k_{n+1}}}{p_{n+1}},$$

$$\text{可得 } p_n = 1 - \frac{p^{k_{n+1}}}{p_{n+1}},$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{即 } p_n &= 1 - \frac{\left(\frac{ma_0}{mb_0+c_0}\right)^{k_{n+1}}}{\frac{ma_{n+1}}{mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}}} \\ &= 1 - \frac{mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}}{ma_{n+1}} \times \frac{(ma_0)^{k_{n+1}}}{(mb_0+c_0)^{k_{n+1}}} \end{aligned}$$

因  $p_n$  的分子必為  $m$  的倍數，且分母不是  $m$  的倍數，故

$$\begin{aligned} 1 - p_n &= 1 - \frac{ma_{n+1}}{mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}} = \frac{m(b_{n+1}-a_{n+1})+c_{n+1}}{mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}} \\ &= \frac{mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}}{ma_{n+1}} \times \frac{(ma_0)^{k_{n+1}}}{(mb_0+c_0)^{k_{n+1}}} \end{aligned}$$

約簡後的分子、分母均不為  $m$  的倍數。 $mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}$  與  $(mb_0+c_0)^{k_{n+1}}$  都不是  $m$  的倍數，所以  $(ma_0)^{k_{n+1}}$  與  $ma_{n+1}$  所含因數  $m$  個數必須相等，約簡後才會抵銷。設  $a_{n+1}$  含有  $d$  個 2 的因數，而  $a_0$  含有  $e$  個 2 的因數，則  $k_n$  必等於  $\frac{d+1}{e+1}$ 。 $p, p_{n+1}, k_{n+1}$  均已確定，由此可得到唯一的  $p_n$ ，亦即只有唯一合理的  $p_n$  值可產生特定的  $p_{n+1}$ 。

- (5) 假設  $p_0, p_1, p_2, \dots$  中有兩數重複，而最先重複的兩數分別為  $p_a$  以及  $p_b (b > a)$ ，則由前面(2)可知  $p_{a-1}$  與  $p_{b-1}$  也相同，這與原先的假設“ $p_a$  與  $p_b$  為最先重複的兩數”相矛盾，因此不可能有任何兩數重複出現。

2. 若  $p$  為有理數，且分子為 1 的情形：

大於 0.25 的真分數中，分子為 1 的只有  $\frac{1}{3}$  和  $\frac{1}{2}$ 。

$$(1) p = \frac{1}{2}, p_1 = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} = 1, \text{ 故 } \frac{1}{2} \in I_1 \text{。}$$

$$(2) p = \frac{1}{3}, p_1 = \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1}{2}, p_2 = \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{2}{3}, p_3 = \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{2}{3}} = 1,$$

$$\text{故 } \frac{1}{3} \in I_3 \text{。}$$

(三)  $0.25 < p \leq 0.5$  時，有一些  $p$  值經過有限步的運算後，可以得到 1：

1. 例如前面的  $\frac{1}{2}$  和  $\frac{1}{3}$ ，圖形分別如下：

$$p = \frac{1}{2}$$

圖 2

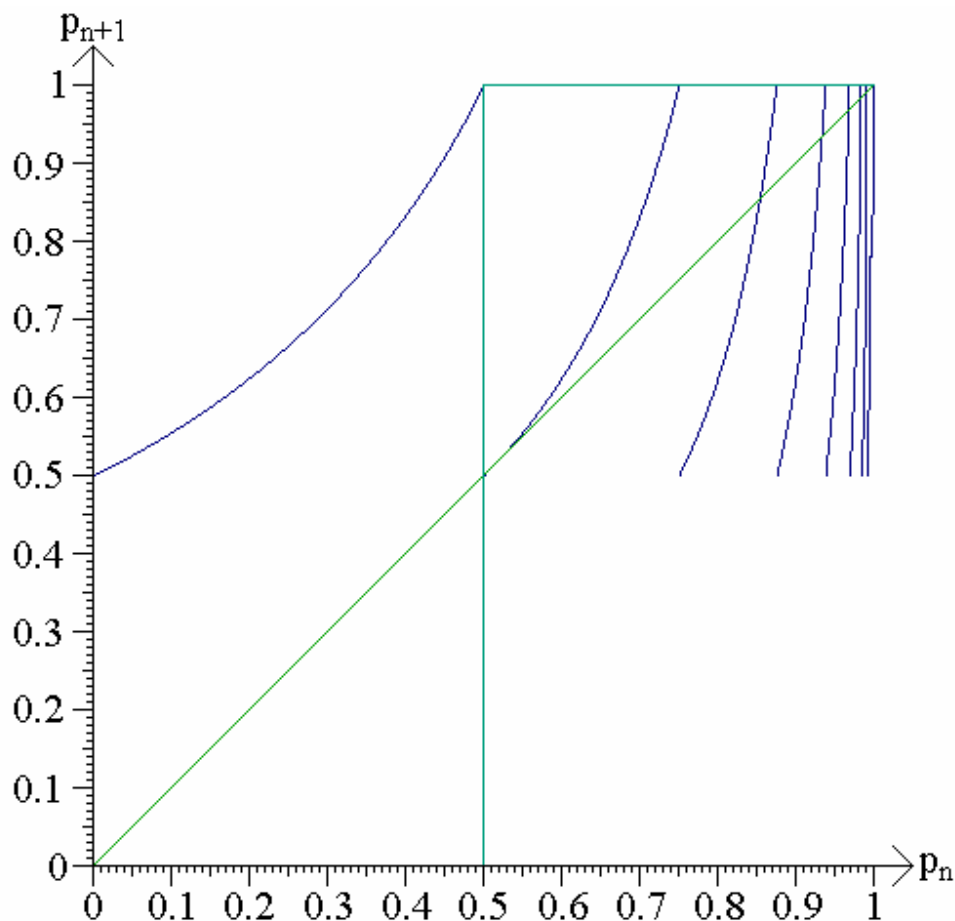
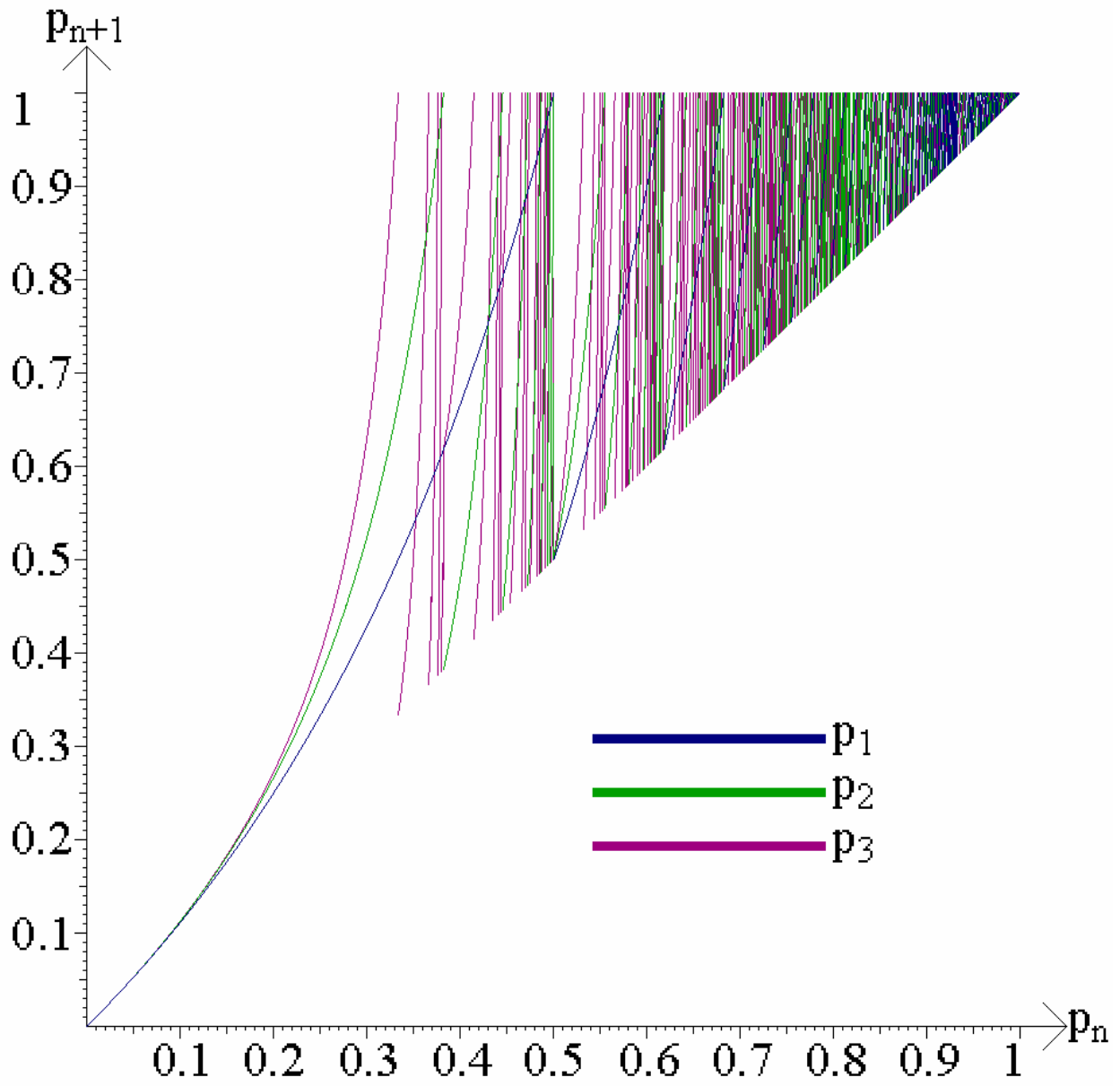




圖 4



(2)  $p_7=1$  的試驗情況：

- ①  $p$  從 0.25 開始增加，到  $p_7 = 1$  為止， $p_7$  未達到 1 以前， $p_7$  隨  $p$  增加，但超過此範圍時， $p_7$  又回到與  $p$  相近的值，這時就要把  $p$  減小了。

表 4

| $p$     | $p_7$               | $p$ 值過大或過小 |
|---------|---------------------|------------|
| 0.25    | 0.44444 44444 44444 | 過小         |
| 0.26    | 0.52087 17671 73351 | 過小         |
| 0.27    | 0.68191 59224 35899 | 過小         |
| 0.275   | 0.89008 27805 49313 | 過小         |
| 0.28    | 0.48331 38401 55949 | 過大         |
| 0.276   | 0.96475 80974 21005 | 過小         |
| 0.277   | 0.29445 79839 85269 | 過大         |
| 0.2765  | 0.27934 10174 99825 | 過大         |
| 0.2764  | 0.27657 81470 72783 | 過大         |
| 0.2763  | 0.99128 91275 48333 | 過小         |
| 0.27635 | 0.99593 32506 04733 | 過小         |
| 0.27637 | 0.99780 96069 24777 | 過小         |
| 0.27638 | 0.99875 18499 75209 | 過小         |
| 0.27639 | 0.99969 68190 50126 | 過小         |

- ② 由此可以看出  $0.27639 < p < 0.27640$ ，如果繼續試驗，能夠確定  $p = 0.27639 32022 50021\dots$ 。

此  $p$  值代入 7 次的情形為：

表 5

|       |                     |
|-------|---------------------|
| $p_0$ | 0.27639 32022 50021 |
| $p_1$ | 0.38196 60112 50105 |
| $p_2$ | 0.44721 35954 99958 |
| $p_3$ | 0.50000 00000 00000 |
| $p_4$ | 0.55278 64045 00042 |
| $p_5$ | 0.61803 39887 49895 |
| $p_6$ | 0.72360 67977 49978 |
| $p_7$ | 0.99999 99999 99998 |

③從上表 5 觀察到的現象：

最後的  $p_7$  並不剛好為 1，是因為有效位數不足。

另外  $p_3$  等於  $\frac{1}{2}$ ，而  $p_5$  應為  $\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}$ ， $p_1$  是  $1 - p_6$  的值，也就是  $\frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}$ 。

④利用  $p_1 = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}$  來計算  $p$  值：

$$\text{設 } \frac{p}{1-p} = p_1 = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2},$$

$$\text{則 } p = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2} (1-p), \quad p + \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2} p = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2},$$

$$\frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{2} p = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}, \quad p = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{5-\sqrt{5}} = \frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{10}.$$

⑤現在把  $p$  值實際代入 7 次檢驗：

$$p_1 = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}, \quad p_2 = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{5}, \quad p_3 = \frac{1}{2}, \quad p_4 = \frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{5},$$

$$p_5 = \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}, \quad p_6 = \frac{5+\sqrt{5}}{10}, \quad p_7 = 1.$$

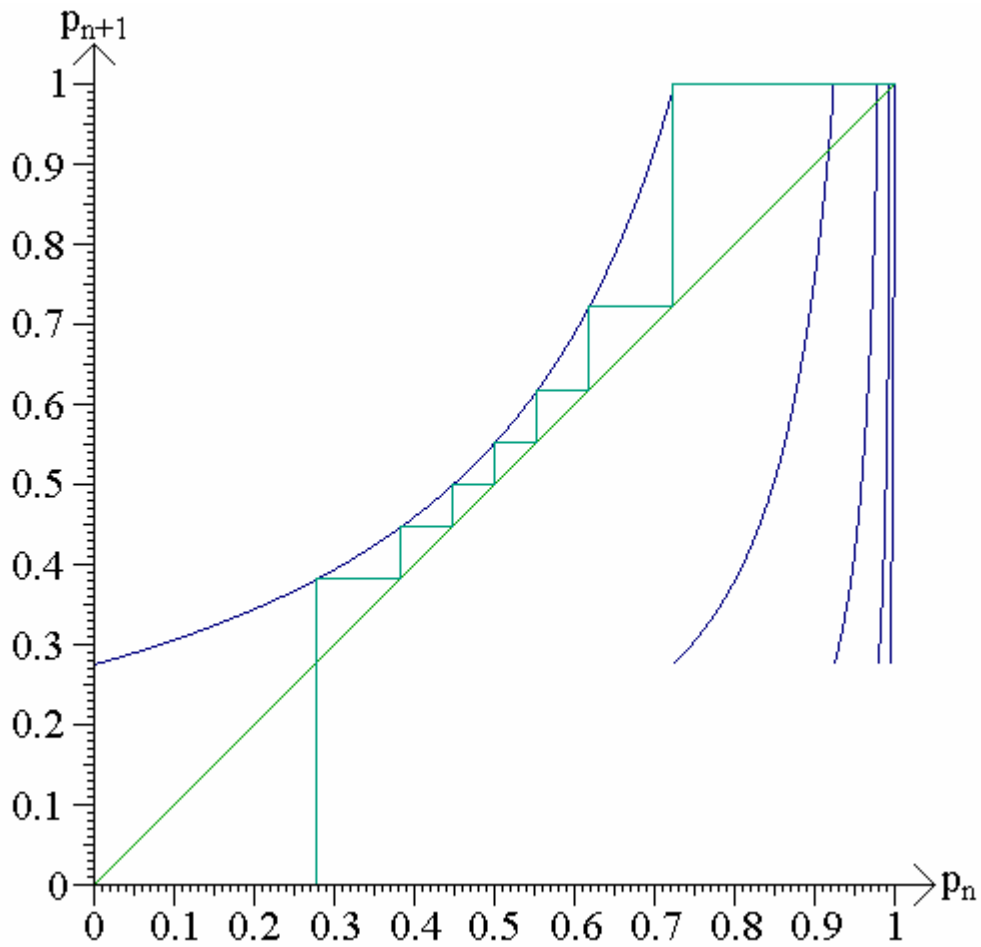
$p_7$  確實為 1，故  $\frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{10} \in I_7$ 。

另外觀察到  $p = 0.2$  時， $p_\infty$  的值為

$$\frac{1-\sqrt{0.2}}{2} = \frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{10}, \quad \text{正好是此數值。}$$

下圖 5 是  $\frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{10}$  代入 7 次達到 1 的情形：

圖 5



3.  $p_5 = 1$  及  $p_9 = 1$  的情形：

(1) 經過試驗後，找到以下兩個  $p$  值，分別代入 5 次及 9 次後會相當接近 1：

表 6

|       |                     |                     |
|-------|---------------------|---------------------|
| $p_0$ | 0.29289 32188 13452 | 0.26794 91924 31122 |
| $p_1$ | 0.41421 35623 73094 | 0.36602 54037 84437 |
| $p_2$ | 0.49999 99999 99998 | 0.42264 97308 10372 |
| $p_3$ | 0.58578 64376 26902 | 0.46410 16151 37752 |
| $p_4$ | 0.70710 67811 86451 | 0.49999 99999 99996 |
| $p_5$ | 0.99999 99999 99977 | 0.53589 83848 62240 |
| $p_6$ |                     | 0.57735 02691 89617 |
| $p_7$ |                     | 0.63397 45962 15546 |
| $p_8$ |                     | 0.73205 08075 68845 |
| $p_9$ |                     | 0.99999 99999 99877 |

(2) 左欄中的  $p$  值屬於  $I_5$ ，代入的過程中，可觀察到

$$p_1 \doteq \sqrt{2} - 1, p_2 \doteq \frac{1}{2}, p_4 \doteq \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2},$$

$$\therefore \frac{p}{1-p_1} = p_2, \quad \therefore \frac{p}{2-\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{2},$$

$$p = \frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2}。$$

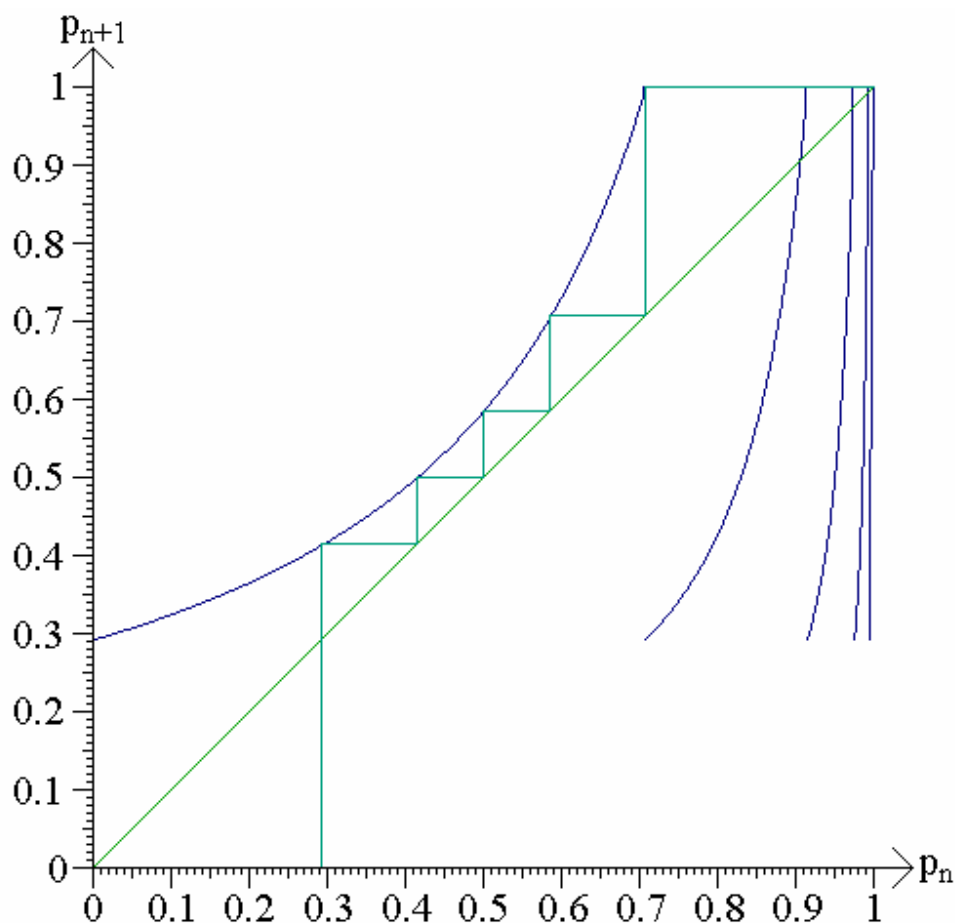
以  $p = \frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2}$  實際代入的情形：

$$p_1 = \sqrt{2}-1, \quad p_2 = \frac{1}{2}, \quad p_3 = 2-\sqrt{2}, \quad p_4 = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \quad p_5=1$$

證實  $\frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2} \in I_5$ 。

下圖 6 為  $p = \frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2}$  的代入情形：

圖 6



(3) p.13 表 6 右欄中的  $p$  值則屬於  $I_9$ ，代入的過程中，可觀察到：

$$p_3 \doteq 2\sqrt{3}-3, \quad p_4 \doteq \frac{1}{2}, \quad p_8 \doteq \sqrt{3}-1,$$

$$\therefore \frac{p}{1-p_3} = p_4,$$

$$\therefore \frac{p}{4-2\sqrt{3}} = \frac{1}{2},$$

$$p = 2 - \sqrt{3}$$

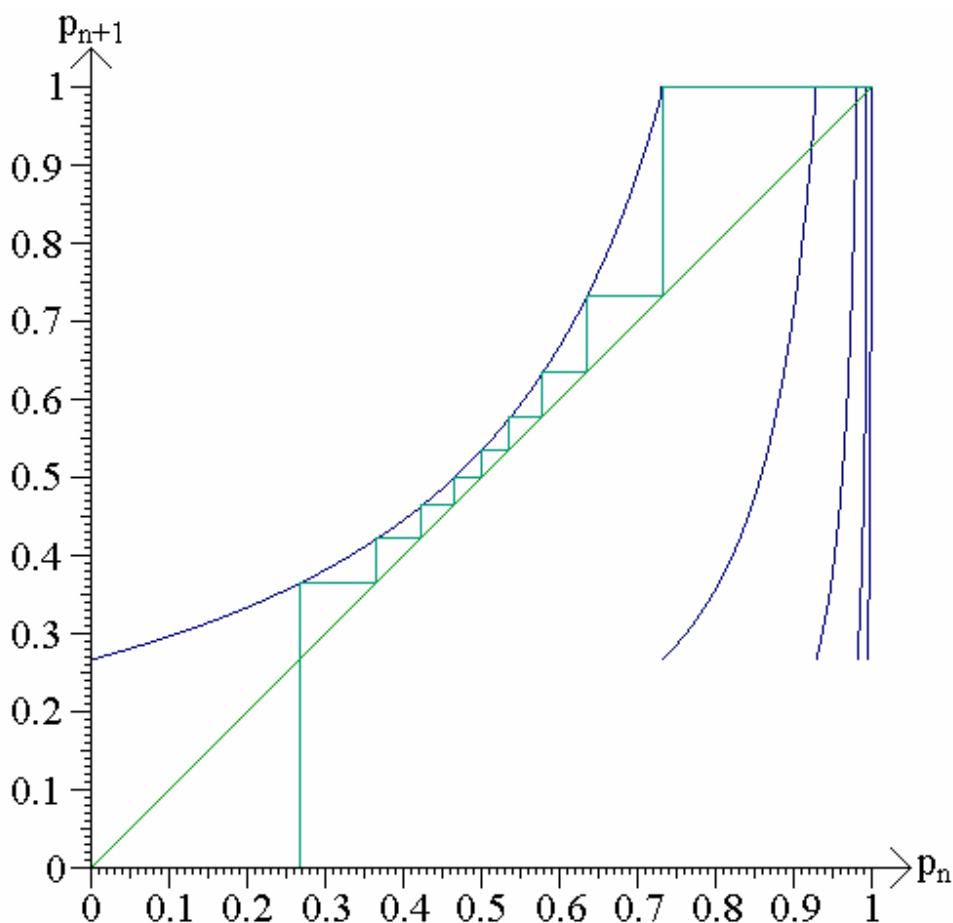
以  $2 - \sqrt{3}$  實際代入的情形：

$$p_1 = \frac{\sqrt{3}-1}{2}, \quad p_2 = \frac{3-\sqrt{3}}{3}, \quad p_3 = 2\sqrt{3}-3, \quad p_4 = \frac{1}{2},$$

$$p_5 = 4-2\sqrt{3}, \quad p_6 = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}, \quad p_7 = \frac{3-\sqrt{3}}{2}, \quad p_8 = \sqrt{3}-1, \quad p_9 = 1.$$

證實  $2 - \sqrt{3} \in I_9$ 。

圖 7



(四) 集合  $I_n$  有無限多個，所以無法用試驗的方式確定所有的  $I_n$  是否都有元素存在。考慮當  $k_n = 1$ ，探討是否存在能使  $p_n = 1$  的  $p$  值：

1. 在  $k_n = 1$  的情況下，將  $p_0, p_1, p_2, \dots$  用  $p$  表示：

$$p_0 = p,$$

$$p_1 = \frac{p}{1-p_0} = \frac{p}{1-p},$$

$$p_2 = \frac{p}{1-p_1} = \frac{p-p^2}{1-2p},$$

$$p_3 = \frac{p}{1-p_2} = \frac{p-2p^2}{1-3p+p^2},$$

$$p_4 = \frac{p}{1-p_3} = \frac{p-3p^2+p^3}{1-4p+3p^2},$$

$$p_5 = \frac{p}{1-p_4} = \frac{p-4p^2+3p^3}{1-5p+6p^2-p^3},$$

$$p_6 = \frac{p}{1-p_5} = \frac{p-5p^2+6p^3-p^4}{1-6p+10p^2-4p^3}.$$

2. 設  $p_n = \frac{a(p)}{b(p)}$ ，則  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p}{1-p_n} = \frac{p b(p)}{b(p)-a(p)}$ ，其中分子為  $p_n$  的分

母乘以  $p$ ，分母中的  $a(p)$  則相當於  $p_{n-1}$  的分母乘以  $p$ ，所以  $p_{n+1}$  的分母等於  $p_n$  的分母減去  $p_{n-1}$  的分母乘上  $p$ 。

故對於任意的自然數  $n$ ， $p_n$  可表示為  $\frac{p a_{n-1}(p)}{a_n(p)}$ ，其中  $a_0(p) = 1$ ， $a_1(p) = 1 - p$ ， $a_{n+1}(p) = a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p)$ ，如下表 7：

表 7

|             | 常數 | $p$ | $p^2$ | $p^3$ | $p^4$ | $p^5$ |
|-------------|----|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| $a_0(p)$    | 1  |     |       |       |       |       |
| $a_1(p)$    | 1  | -1  |       |       |       |       |
| $a_2(p)$    | 1  | -2  |       |       |       |       |
| $a_3(p)$    | 1  | -3  | +1    |       |       |       |
| $a_4(p)$    | 1  | -4  | +3    |       |       |       |
| $a_5(p)$    | 1  | -5  | +6    | -1    |       |       |
| $a_6(p)$    | 1  | -6  | +10   | -4    |       |       |
| $a_7(p)$    | 1  | -7  | +15   | -10   | +1    |       |
| $a_8(p)$    | 1  | -8  | +21   | -20   | +5    |       |
| $a_9(p)$    | 1  | -9  | +28   | -35   | +15   | -1    |
| $a_{10}(p)$ | 1  | -10 | +36   | -56   | +35   | -6    |

3. 以上各多項式是由 Fibonacci 多項式轉變而成：

(1) Fibonacci 多項式的遞迴公式為  $f_{n+1}(x) = x f_n(x) + f_{n-1}(x)$ ，而

此處是  $a_{n+1}(p) = a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p)$ ，乘以  $p$  倍的是  $a_{n-1}$  而非  $a_n$ ，因此係數將與 Fibonacci 多項式順序相反，亦即高次項與低次項對調。又因  $a_n(p)$  和  $a_{n-1}(p)$  之間的運算符號是“-”，所以  $a_n(p)$  帶有符號，其中常數項為正，正負相間。

(2) Fibonacci 多項式中  $f_1 = 1, f_2 = x$ ，次數不同，所以接下來所有的多項式，相鄰的兩項次數都差 2，亦即每兩項之間都有缺項。而此處的  $a_n(p)$  則不會發生缺項。

4. 求出  $p_n = 1$  的解：

(1) 欲使  $p_n = \frac{p a_{n-1}(p)}{a_n(p)} = 1$ ，則必須使  $p a_{n-1}(p) = a_n(p)$ ，移項得  $a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p) = 0$ ，可代換為  $a_{n+1}(p) = 0$ 。

(2) Fibonacci 多項式  $f_n(x) = 0$  的解為

$$x \in \left\{ 2i \cos \frac{j\pi}{n}, j = 1, 2, \dots, n-1 \right\}。$$

(3) 若把 Fibonacci 多項式中的  $x^2$  以  $p$  代換（如果各次項為奇數，則先約去  $x$ ），得到多項式  $g_n(p)$ ，則  $g_n(p) = 0$  的每個解均為  $f_n(x) = 0$  之解的平方：

$$p \in \left\{ -4 \cos^2 \frac{j\pi}{n}, j = 1, 2, \dots, n-1 \right\}。$$

又因  $\cos \frac{j\pi}{n} = \cos \frac{(n-j)\pi}{n}$ ，所以有一半的解是重複的，相異的解有：

$$p \in \left\{ -4 \cos^2 \frac{j\pi}{n}, j = 1, 2, \dots, \left[ \frac{n}{2} \right] \right\}$$

例： $f_6(x) = x^5 + 4x^3 + 3x$ ，則  $g_6(p) = p^2 + 4p + 3$ ， $g_6(p) = 0$  的解有  $-3, -1, 0$ 。

(4) 再把  $g_n(p)$  中每項改為正負相間，其中領導係數為正，得  $h_n(p)$ ，則  $h_n(p)$  的解為  $g_n(p)$  解之相反數：

$$p \in \left\{ 4 \cos^2 \frac{j\pi}{n}, j = 1, 2, \dots, \left[ \frac{n}{2} \right] \right\}。$$

例： $h_6(p) = p^2 - 4p + 3$ ， $h_6(p) = 0$  的解有 3, 1, 0。

(5) 最後把  $h_n(p)$  每項的係數順序倒轉，即可得到最初的  $a_{n-2}(p)$  (因為  $h_2(p)$  對應的是  $a_0(p)$ )， $a_{n-2}(p) = 0$  的解為  $h_n(p)$

$$\text{解之倒數：} p \in \left\{ \frac{1}{4 \cos^2 \frac{j\pi}{n}}, j = 1, 2, \dots, \left[ \frac{n-1}{2} \right] \right\}。j = \frac{n}{2} \text{ 並不}$$

合，因為  $\cos \frac{\pi}{2} = 0$ ，故  $p = \frac{1}{0}$  無意義。

例： $a_4(p) = 3p^2 - 4p + 1$ ， $a_4(p) = 0$  的解有  $\frac{1}{3}$ ，1。

(6)  $p_n = 1$  的解相當於  $a_{n+1}(p) = 0$  的解，也就是

$$p \in \left\{ \frac{1}{4 \cos^2 \frac{j\pi}{n+3}}, j = 1, 2, \dots, \left[ \frac{n+2}{2} \right] \right\}。$$

5. 證明  $a_{n+1} = 0$  的所有解當中，只有  $\frac{1}{4 \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}}$ ，亦即  $j = 1$  符合：

(1)  $p_{n+1} = 0$  的解必定小於  $p_n = 0$  的解，因為當  $p_0$  增大時， $p_n$  在未達到 1 之前，也會跟著增大，所以欲使  $p_n = 1$  延後出現，就必須降低  $p_n$  的值。

(2) 用數學歸納法：

當  $n = 1$  時， $a_2(p) = 0$  只能得到一個解： $\frac{1}{2}$ ，此時  $j = 1$ ，成立。

設當  $n = k$  時成立，亦即合理的解為  $\frac{1}{4 \cos^2 \frac{\pi}{k+3}}$ ，

則當  $n = k + 1$  時，若  $j$  取 2 以上，由於  $\frac{2\pi}{k+4} > \frac{\pi}{k+3}$ ，

$$\cos \frac{2\pi}{k+4} < \cos \frac{\pi}{k+3},$$
$$\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{2\pi}{k+4}} > \frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{k+3}},$$

故不合，所以  $j$  只能取 1。

(3) 由此， $\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}} \in I_n$ 。所以對於任意的自然數  $n$ ，至少可以找到一個屬於  $I_n$  的  $p$  值。

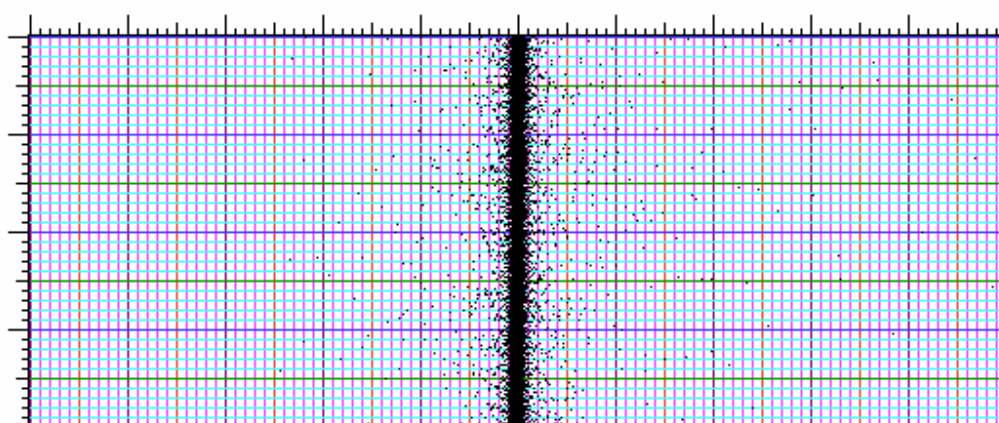
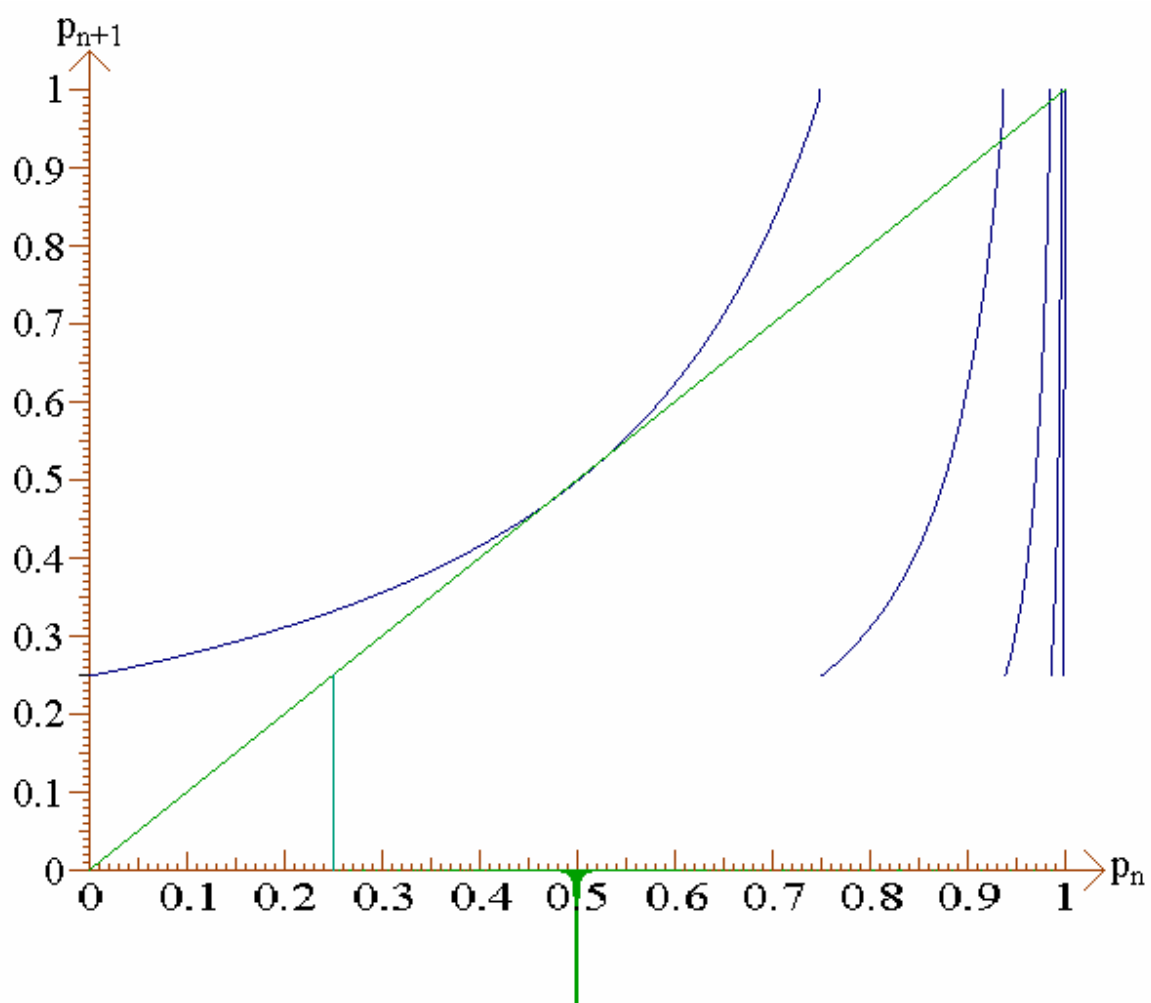
(五) 觀察特定  $p$  值的代入結果：

1. 接近 0.25 的  $p$  值經過反覆代入多次，每次出現的  $p_n$  值分布情況並不平均，而是集中在 0.5 附近出現：

(1)  $p=0.250001$  時  $p_n$  的分布情況：

下圖 8 上方深藍曲線是以  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p^{n_k}}{1-p_n}$ ，綠色斜線是  $p_{n+1} = p_n$ ，淺藍色線段是  $p$  在橫軸上的位置，中間的直方圖則是把 0~1 分成 500 個區間，顯示  $p$  代入 25,000 次時，每次出現的  $p_n$  在各區間分布的情形。下方的方格則是把每個區間再分成 200 等分，當  $p_n$  值落在某一區間時，相對應的位置就點上一黑點。

圖 8



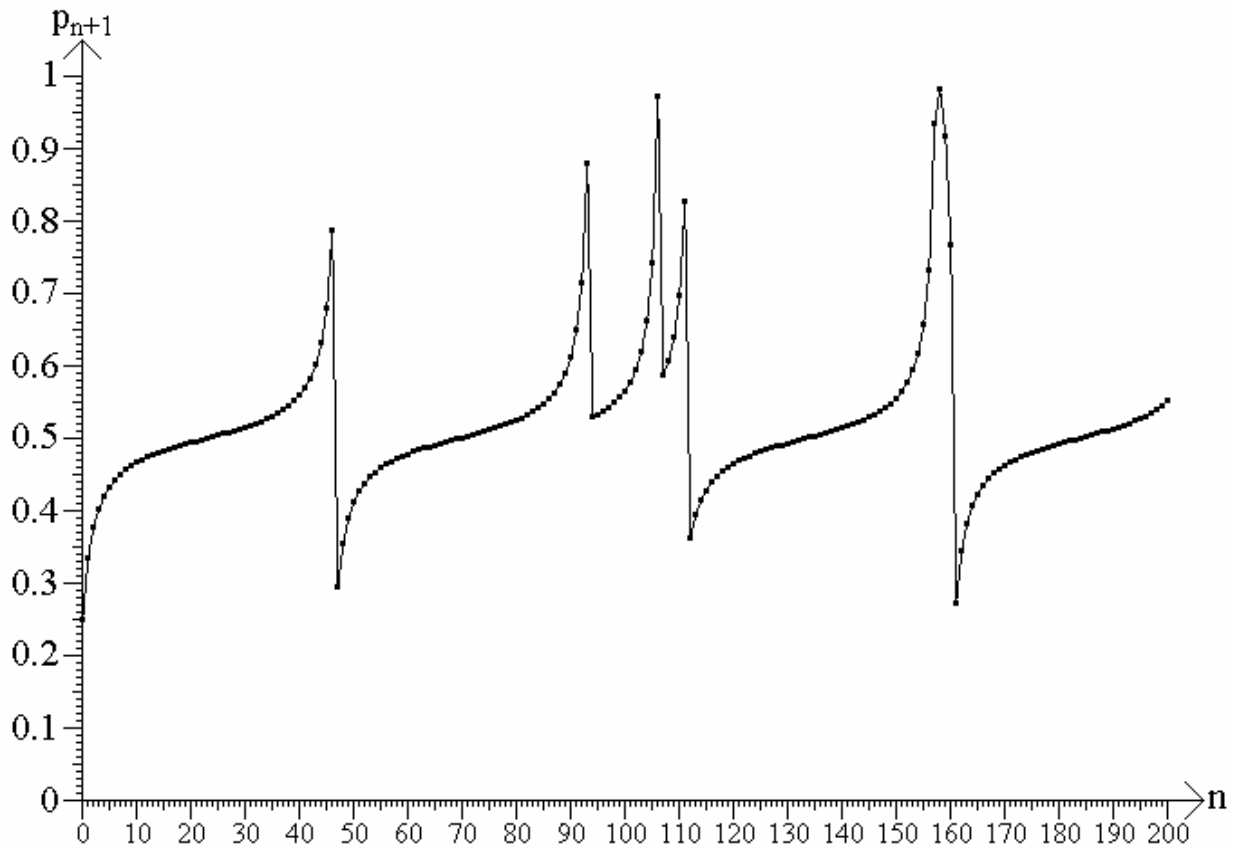
下表 8 為圖 8 中央部分直方圖 500 條直線分別代表的數字，共 25 列 20 欄，由上而下，由左而右。如果此區間的數小於  $p$ ，而無  $p_n$  值在此範圍中，則用“-”符號表示。

表 8

$P_0 = .250001$

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|--------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 78856  | 8 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 61752  | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 8 637  | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 327  | 7 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 196  | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 10 133 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 11 94  | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 11 72  | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 15 55  | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 15 44  | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 18 37  | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 21 29  | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 26 27  | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 29 21  | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 37 19  | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 45 18  | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 55 14  | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 71 12  | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 95 13  | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 132 12 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 198 7  | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 326 10 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 639 8  | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 1682 8 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 8858 6 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

(2) 以  $p = 0.251$  代入 200 次，並把  $p_n$  值畫成折線圖：  
圖 9



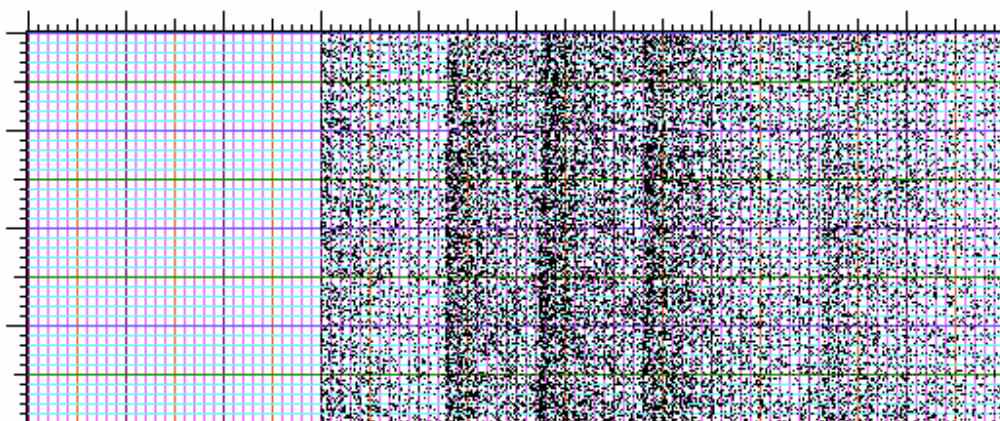
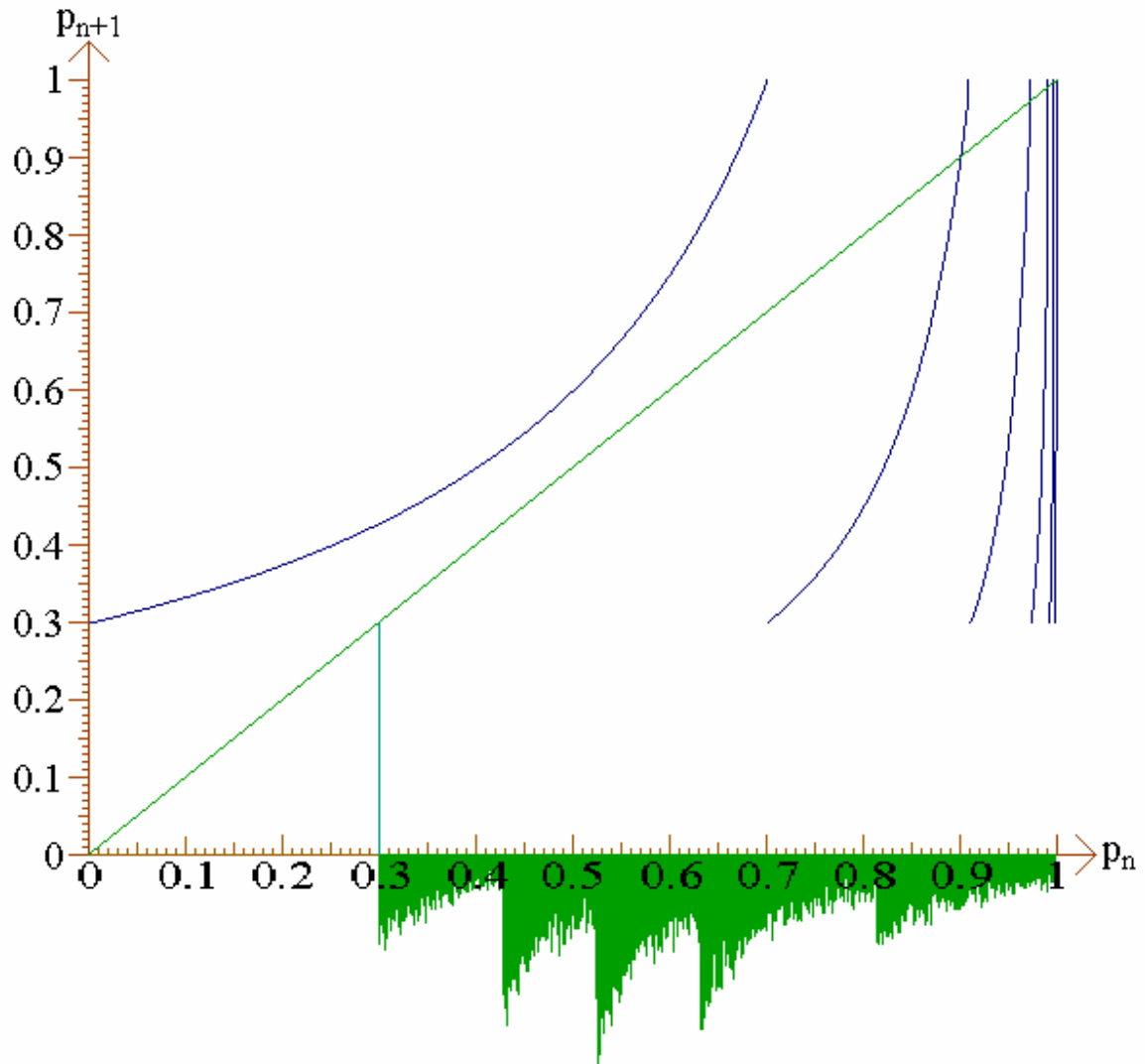
從上圖 9 中可看出  $p_n$  從 0.25 開始遞增，到接近 0.5 時，增加速度減慢，然後又繼續增加到接近 1，下一個值則較無規律，可能為  $(p, 1)$  間的任何位置，必須視前一個  $p_n$  而定。接下來重複此過程，其中  $p_n$  增加最慢處，仍在 0.5 附近，這是因為當  $p$  接近 0.25 且  $p_n$  接近 0.5 時， $\frac{p}{1-p_n} \doteq \frac{0.25}{1-0.5} = 0.5$ ，所以得出的  $p_{n+1}$ ，與  $p_n$  的差異並不大。由此可見  $p$  接近 0.25 時，產生的  $p_n$  值大部分集中在 0.5 附近，並不是一個均勻的分布。

2.  $0.25 < p < 0.5$  的情形：

以  $p = 0.3$  為例

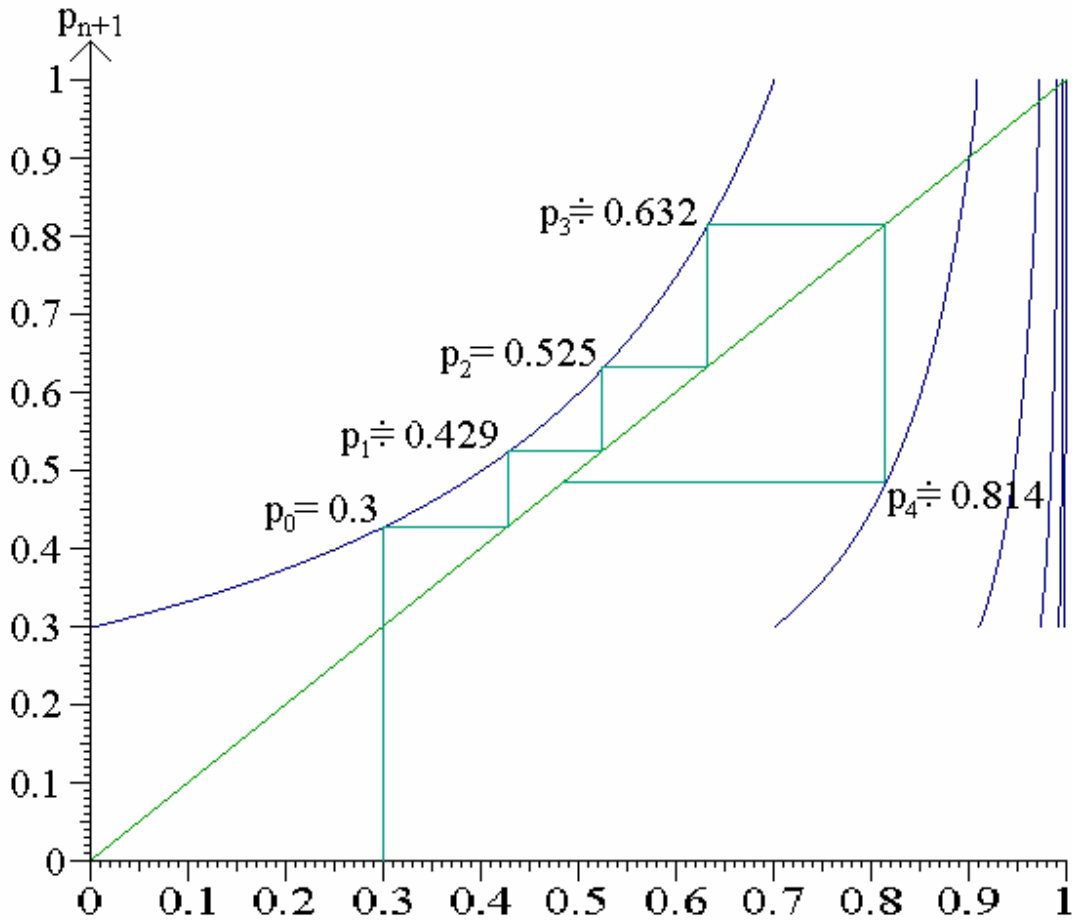
依照 p.21 圖 8 的方式，以  $p = 0.3$  代入的情況如下：

圖 10



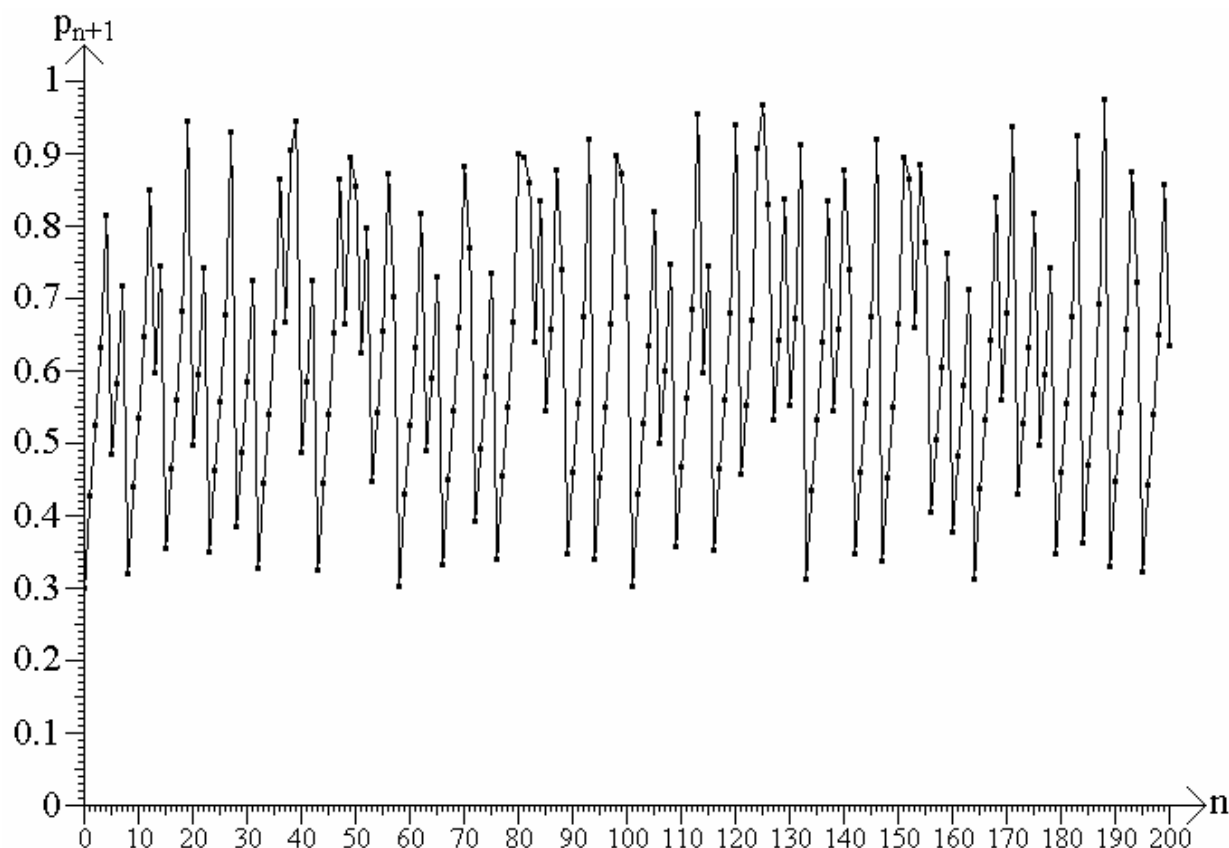
下圖 11 是  $p = 0.3$  代入 5 次， $p_1 \sim p_5$  的位置圖：

圖 11



前頁圖 10 中可看出  $p_n$  在大約 0.300, 0.428, 0.524, 0.632, 0.814 等 5 個值附近出現的頻率特別高，且與上圖 11 中  $p = 0.3$  代入得到的  $p_0 \sim p_4$  位置相當。現在把  $p$  代入 200 次，將每次的  $p_n$  值畫成折線圖，觀察各  $p_n$  值的分布情形：

圖 12



從上圖 12 可觀察到：

- (1) 開始時  $p = 0.3$ ， $p_n$  連續遞增，經過 4 次代入，就已達到 0.8 以上，與前頁圖 11 對照，可看出前 4 次代入時， $k_n$  均為 1，而第 5 次代入時，因  $p_4 > 0.7$ ， $\frac{0.3}{1-p_4} > \frac{0.3}{1-0.7} = 1$ ，故  $k_5 > 1$ 。由此，第 5 次代入時， $p_5$  的值將視  $p_4$  與  $k_5$  而定，而非繼續增加。
- (2) 接下來重複此過程：當  $p_n < 0.7$  時， $k_{n+1}$  取 1，且  $p_{n+1} > p_n$ ，直到某一數值  $p_{n+m} > 0.7$ 。由圖 10 可得知， $p_{n+m} > 0.7$  時， $p_{n+m+1}$  將可能為  $(p, 1)$  間的任何數值，但較小的數值出現的頻率較高，原因是圖 10 中  $p_{n+1}$  較小時，曲線較平緩，故較大範圍的  $p_n$  會對應到較小的  $p_{n+1}$ 。

(3) 如此，重複代入多次後，若某一次達到 0.7 以上，則下一次的數值，接近  $p$  值(0.3)的情況較多，其他的數值則較少。這些數值繼續代入 4 次，分別會接近  $p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4$ ，但第 5 次代入後，不一定接近  $p_5$ ，因為  $p_4 > 0.7$ ，從圖 10 中可看出， $p_n$  值越大時，只要有微小的差異，將可能使  $p_{n+1}$  相差很大。因此圖 10 中間部分的直方圖中，接近  $p_0, p_1, p_2, p_3, p_4$  的區域， $p_n$  特別集中。

(4) 因每次達到 0.7 以後，下一次代入得到的值較無規律，而是分布在  $(p, 1)$  之間，而且越小的數，出現的頻率越高，又因 0.3 為有理數，每次所得到的  $p_n$  將不重複，故發生渾沌 (Chaos) 現象，把  $p$  代入多次後， $p_n$  值將難以預測。

渾沌現象是運用了某些圖形的碎形特性，這種性質從主要圖形的一連串局部重複累積而成。確定一組規則，使之隨機反覆運作，就能掌握某種形狀特質，重複這些規則，尺度一階階縮小，由此看來，形狀越碎形化，規則也會越簡單。

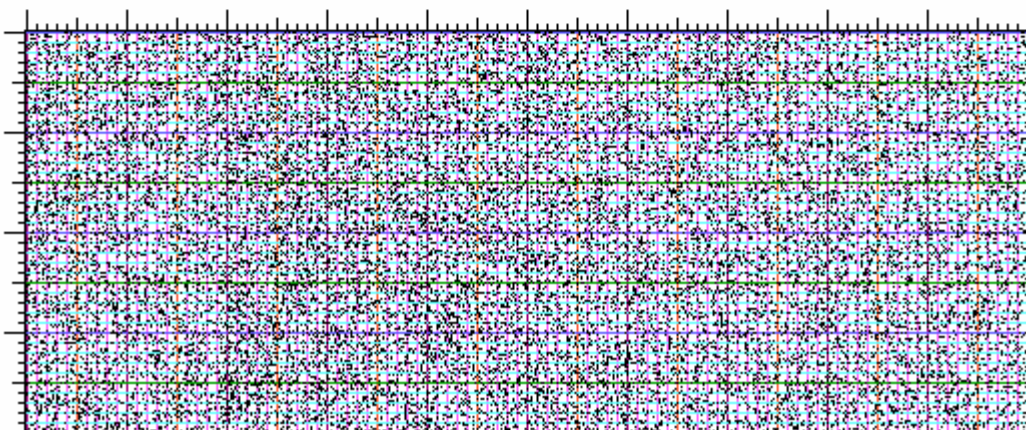
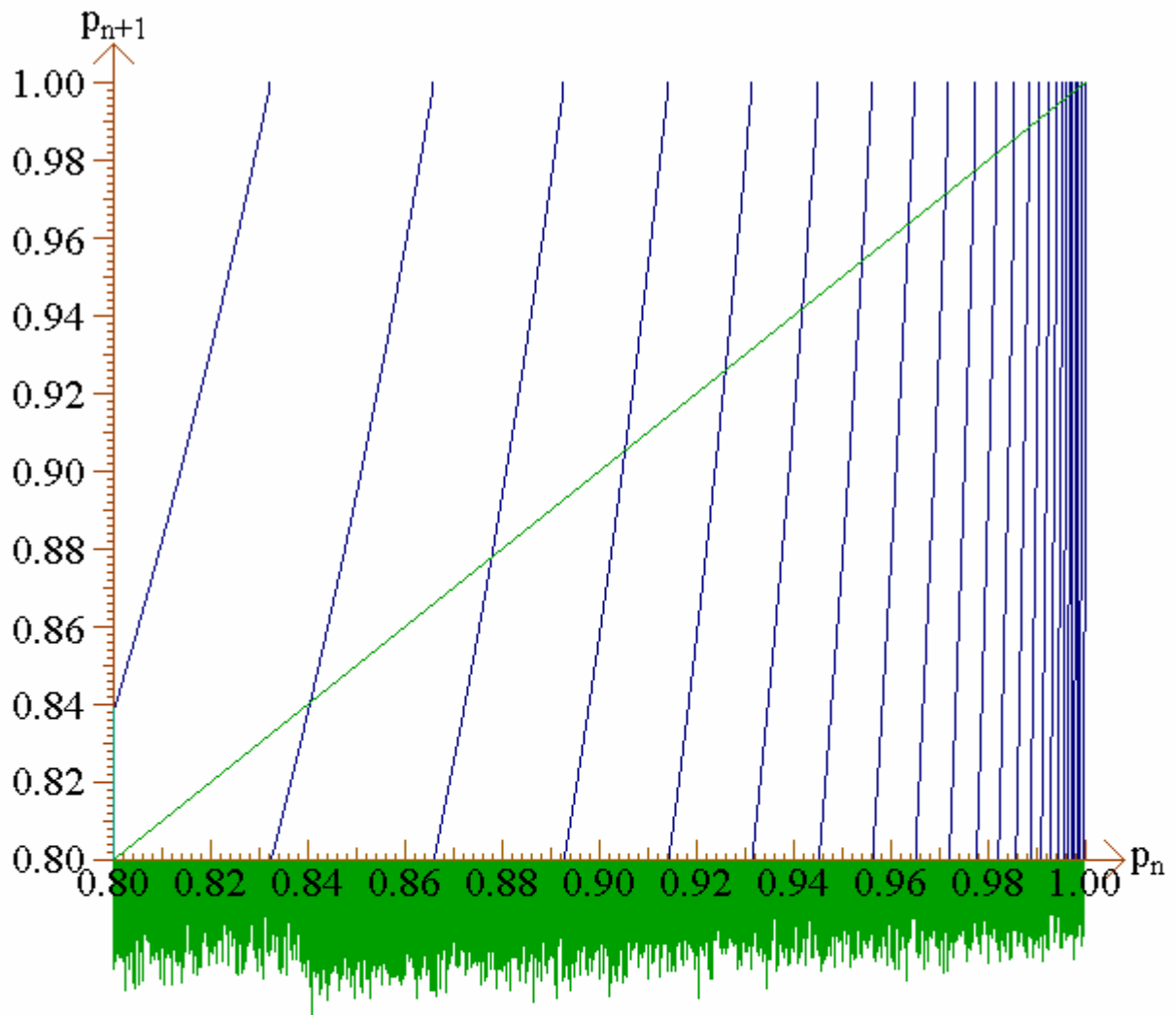
## 2. $p > 0.5$ 的情形：

$p$  越大時，各  $p_n$  的分布越平均，以  $p = 0.8$  為例

下圖顯示  $p = 0.8$  的代入情形，為方便觀察，把圖形比例放大，只顯示 0.8~1 的範圍，因為  $p_n \geq 0.8$ 。

圖形上半部的座標圖，表示  $0.8 \leq p_n < 1$  時，把  $p_n$  代入，所得到  $p_{n+1}$  的值。中間則是把 0.8 ~ 1 分為 500 個區間，將  $p$  值代入 25,000 次後，統計每區間的  $p_n$  值數量，所畫成的直方圖。下面的方格則是把每一區間再分為 200 等分，當某一  $p_n$  值落在一區間當中時，相對應的位置就畫上一黑點。

圖 13



下表 9 為圖 13 中央部分直方圖 500 條直線方別代表的數字，共 25 列 20 欄，由上而下，由左而右。

表 9

$p_0 = .8$

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 56 | 45 | 47 | 45 | 51 | 56 | 59 | 42 | 57 | 49 | 61 | 61 | 49 | 47 | 47 | 52 | 50 | 54 | 53 | 41 |
| 52 | 64 | 48 | 54 | 65 | 52 | 48 | 54 | 54 | 50 | 43 | 43 | 71 | 47 | 34 | 36 | 52 | 41 | 38 | 45 |
| 48 | 50 | 44 | 61 | 80 | 65 | 52 | 55 | 62 | 64 | 58 | 53 | 44 | 44 | 53 | 43 | 56 | 58 | 40 | 39 |
| 50 | 48 | 53 | 29 | 57 | 68 | 50 | 54 | 52 | 71 | 45 | 52 | 46 | 56 | 50 | 38 | 35 | 37 | 35 | 52 |
| 50 | 50 | 41 | 47 | 60 | 51 | 55 | 46 | 67 | 44 | 49 | 45 | 49 | 44 | 47 | 55 | 56 | 57 | 42 | 38 |
| 52 | 64 | 41 | 49 | 58 | 61 | 61 | 47 | 50 | 40 | 70 | 43 | 42 | 37 | 40 | 48 | 46 | 46 | 46 | 45 |
| 67 | 46 | 52 | 46 | 69 | 61 | 71 | 59 | 50 | 62 | 63 | 60 | 56 | 47 | 54 | 51 | 39 | 42 | 52 | 46 |
| 49 | 52 | 33 | 38 | 66 | 71 | 59 | 56 | 50 | 60 | 54 | 50 | 61 | 49 | 40 | 50 | 45 | 50 | 41 | 28 |
| 56 | 54 | 38 | 47 | 56 | 57 | 61 | 47 | 56 | 54 | 59 | 43 | 61 | 45 | 31 | 36 | 62 | 42 | 44 | 28 |
| 47 | 52 | 54 | 39 | 63 | 54 | 55 | 55 | 62 | 61 | 62 | 43 | 41 | 52 | 50 | 48 | 42 | 41 | 47 | 42 |
| 63 | 63 | 36 | 56 | 72 | 60 | 49 | 53 | 53 | 67 | 54 | 57 | 41 | 48 | 50 | 50 | 40 | 38 | 37 | 37 |
| 66 | 55 | 44 | 58 | 64 | 56 | 59 | 52 | 44 | 53 | 46 | 47 | 36 | 66 | 38 | 41 | 30 | 39 | 51 | 29 |
| 41 | 47 | 40 | 55 | 58 | 54 | 56 | 54 | 63 | 60 | 63 | 57 | 45 | 51 | 46 | 43 | 30 | 36 | 50 | 45 |
| 64 | 33 | 58 | 39 | 57 | 64 | 67 | 52 | 57 | 52 | 59 | 54 | 48 | 51 | 49 | 45 | 47 | 43 | 36 | 45 |
| 47 | 48 | 59 | 59 | 54 | 53 | 67 | 64 | 52 | 46 | 60 | 57 | 45 | 41 | 57 | 41 | 50 | 52 | 36 | 37 |
| 62 | 46 | 43 | 32 | 58 | 56 | 67 | 52 | 48 | 59 | 42 | 44 | 48 | 30 | 53 | 38 | 48 | 45 | 44 | 41 |
| 38 | 58 | 58 | 46 | 67 | 58 | 70 | 62 | 73 | 47 | 51 | 42 | 45 | 57 | 51 | 50 | 36 | 46 | 42 | 39 |
| 41 | 49 | 56 | 51 | 61 | 64 | 48 | 60 | 50 | 44 | 46 | 51 | 40 | 54 | 49 | 52 | 56 | 42 | 37 | 38 |
| 42 | 59 | 52 | 43 | 59 | 60 | 66 | 47 | 60 | 56 | 45 | 54 | 42 | 43 | 44 | 47 | 41 | 32 | 44 | 38 |
| 53 | 55 | 44 | 51 | 50 | 60 | 51 | 56 | 52 | 59 | 42 | 41 | 44 | 47 | 49 | 44 | 52 | 39 | 47 | 51 |
| 49 | 55 | 42 | 38 | 61 | 60 | 46 | 47 | 62 | 50 | 55 | 51 | 43 | 50 | 39 | 50 | 39 | 43 | 50 | 40 |
| 51 | 42 | 33 | 52 | 55 | 59 | 68 | 56 | 42 | 57 | 48 | 43 | 56 | 45 | 55 | 39 | 40 | 48 | 39 | 39 |
| 47 | 37 | 46 | 57 | 65 | 62 | 56 | 66 | 54 | 51 | 50 | 45 | 51 | 54 | 39 | 44 | 36 | 38 | 40 | 33 |
| 51 | 44 | 50 | 53 | 59 | 64 | 53 | 56 | 58 | 47 | 47 | 47 | 54 | 53 | 42 | 54 | 44 | 31 | 50 | 44 |
| 61 | 54 | 57 | 60 | 71 | 61 | 49 | 56 | 51 | 46 | 43 | 56 | 42 | 45 | 41 | 33 | 45 | 38 | 43 | 39 |

由圖 13 中可看出  $p_n$  值的分布差距已不明顯，這是由於 0.8 代入後，只有第 1 次代入時，會發生類似前面以 0.3 代入時，數值遞增的情形，但 0.3 代入時，前 4 次的  $k_n$  可取最小值 1，到第 5 次時， $k_n$  才變為其他的數值，停止遞增的規律。而  $p = 0.8$  時， $k_1 = 8$ ， $p_1 = 0.8388608$ ，到了  $n_2$ ，已經不能用最小值 8，必須為 9，而  $p_2 = 0.8329303\dots$ ，立刻就停止了遞增的規律。 $p = 0.3$  時， $p_n$  達到 0.7 以後，下一次代入所產生的  $p_{n+1}$  分布不均，集中在接近  $p$  值(0.3)的地方，但  $p = 0.8$  時未發生此狀況，原因是曲線  $p_{n+1} = \frac{0.8^{k_{n+1}}}{1-p_n}$  傾斜程度相當大，已經接近直線，導致彎曲情況不明顯，也就是任意一個  $p_n$  值，下一次代入時，產生的  $p_{n+1}$  在(0.8, 1)中的分布接近均勻分布，可用來產生亂數。

(六)  $0.25 < p < 1$  時，代入所得到的  $p_n$  值在亂數產生器(Random Number Generator)上的應用：

1.  $p$  接近 1 時， $p_n$  在  $(p, 1)$  之間接近平均分布，所以如要產生

$a \sim b$  間的亂數  $r$ ，可利用線型函數  $r = a + \frac{b(p_n - p)}{1 - p}$ ，把  $p \sim 1$

的數值轉換為  $a \sim b$  間的數值即可，為避免開始時產生的幾個數值不夠均勻，可考慮捨去最初的幾個  $p_n$  值不用。例如下表 10 為  $p = 0.9$  代入 100 次的數值，欲產生  $0 \sim 1$  間的亂數，從  $p_{10}$  開始取用：

$r_1 = 0.7644915\dots$ ,  $r_2 = 0.5658556\dots$ ,  $r_3 = 0.7643012\dots$ ,  
 $r_4 = 0.5581310\dots$ ,  $r_5 = 0.5936046\dots$ , 依此類推

表 10

|                      |                      |                         |                       |
|----------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1). 984770902183612  | 2). 970568520843624  | 3). 945003096738492     | 4). 951594729868443   |
| 5). 973061132485150  | 6). 929198491218439  | 7). 912562740599305     | 8). 912270622656761   |
| 9). 909232978649651  | 10). 976449153866438 | 11). 956585568823122    | 12). 976430120724319  |
| 13). 955813107120308 | 14). 959360468966092 | 15). 938791405241909    | 16). 950025682387580  |
| 17). 942509857518431 | 18). 910325858376755 | 19). 988349367969318    | 20). 924865160613559  |
| 21). 955479499995319 | 22). 952171657343451 | 23). 984798643571927    | 24). 972339738981343  |
| 25). 904964527740656 | 26). 932592631882362 | 27). 958512707090255    | 28). 919607903333041  |
| 29). 992217473905698 | 30). 908400486485661 | 31). 967574802486815    | 32). 953059865558774  |
| 33). 903089835166414 | 34). 914551960041752 | 35). 933508166083718    | 36). 971710585898658  |
| 37). 983153586876528 | 38). 974878340444946 | 39). 996413274173846    | 40). 942751712122974  |
| 41). 914171676455297 | 42). 929372027583961 | 43). 914804951665213    | 44). 936280272574271  |
| 45). 912586091502338 | 46). 912514317775938 | 47). 911765686099131    | 48). 904029731182470  |
| 49). 923508731282576 | 50). 938535861320232 | 51). 946075846047458    | 52). 970525441137113  |
| 53). 943621890110441 | 54). 928281622162509 | 55). 900896267323153    | 56). 993676903568007  |
| 57). 905634914572590 | 58). 939217940566622 | 59). 956692444203495    | 60). 978839777391401  |
| 61). 958192168649778 | 62). 912557317984198 | 63). 912214049684090    | 64). 908647030530762  |
| 65). 970186100259932 | 66). 932881615181347 | 67). 962639656285516    | 68). 919071796162667  |
| 69). 985644550288110 | 70). 926672094171494 | 71). 979024260382969    | 72). 966619530973894  |
| 73). 925785505244521 | 74). 967328538794436 | 75). 945876102332696    | 76). 966943726492773  |
| 77). 934865037823350 | 78). 991952965552336 | 79). 976156777054526    | 80). 944855466748701  |
| 81). 949047171443835 | 82). 924409660997379 | 83). 949721878700612    | 84). 936814776590232  |
| 85). 920305949160431 | 86). 900817539237712 | 87). 992888152416208    | 88). 994066648203076  |
| 89). 965123440007528 | 90). 984524798613644 | 91). 955133479197681    | 92). 944828293283331  |
| 93). 948579741632754 | 94). 916006423695162 | 95). 949673136757217    | 96). 935907464473602  |
| 97). 907277837043756 | 98). 955859725126879 | 99). 960373681339030100 | 100). 962795529256995 |

2.  $p$  較小， $p_n$  分布較不均勻時的使用方式：

下表 11 為  $p = 0.3$  代入 25 次的數值。由於  $p = \frac{3}{10}$  為有理數，故  $p_n$  也都是有理數，亦即有限小數或循環小數。若某個  $p_n$  為有限小數，則可採用此數的所有位數；若為循環小數，則可採用一個循環節的數字。為避免產生的數值分布不均勻，每次產生數值的前幾位小數可先刪去，又因最初幾個  $p_n$  值的分子與分母較小，可能使循環節太短，故剛開始的幾個  $p_n$  值可不採計，若循環節過長，可採用其中一部分，例如從  $p_5$  起，每個數值從第 3 位小數開始採用：

$p_5$  為混循環小數  $0.4\overline{846153}$ ，可取用 46153，

$p_6$  的循環節較長  $0.58208955\dots$ ，可取用整個循環節除了最前面兩位數 58 以外的部分，或取 10 位數 2089552238，

$p_7$  為混循環小數  $0.71\overline{7857142}$ ，可取用 7857142，

全部串聯後得到 4615320895522387857142...，可作為亂數之用。

表 11

|     |         |   |         |   |                    |
|-----|---------|---|---------|---|--------------------|
| 1)  | 3       | / | 7       | = | 0.4285714285714285 |
| 2)  | 21      | / | 40      | = | 0.5250000000000000 |
| 3)  | 12      | / | 19      | = | 0.6315789473684210 |
| 4)  | 57      | / | 70      | = | 0.8142857142857143 |
| 5)  | 63      | / | 130     | = | 0.4846153846153846 |
| 6)  | 39      | / | 67      | = | 0.5820895522388060 |
| 7)  | 201     | / | 280     | = | 0.7178571428571429 |
| 8)  | 126     | / | 395     | = | 0.3189873417721519 |
| 9)  | 237     | / | 538     | = | 0.4405204460966543 |
| 10) | 807     | / | 1,505   | = | 0.5362126245847176 |
| 11) | 903     | / | 1,396   | = | 0.6468481375358166 |
| 12) | 2,094   | / | 2,465   | = | 0.8494929006085192 |
| 13) | 4,437   | / | 7,420   | = | 0.5979784366576819 |
| 14) | 2,226   | / | 2,983   | = | 0.7462286288970835 |
| 15) | 26,847  | / | 75,700  | = | 0.3546499339498019 |
| 16) | 22,710  | / | 48,853  | = | 0.4648639796941846 |
| 17) | 146,559 | / | 261,430 | = | 0.5606051333052825 |
| 18) | 78,429  | / | 114,871 | = | 0.6827571797929852 |
| 19) | 344,613 | / | 364,420 | = | 0.9456478788211404 |
| 20) | 491,967 | / | 990,350 | = | 0.4967607411521179 |

### 三、研究結果與討論

(一)  $p < 0.25$  的研究結果：

$$p_n \text{ 將收斂到 } p_\infty = \frac{1 - \sqrt{1 - 4p}}{2} \text{。}$$

(二)  $0.25 < p < 1$  的研究結果：

1. 若  $p$  為  $\frac{1}{2}$  和  $\frac{1}{3}$  以外的有理數，則  $p \in I_\infty$ ，並且沒有兩個相異的  $a$  和  $b$ ，使得  $I_a = I_b$ 。

$$2. \frac{1}{2} \in I_1, \quad \frac{1}{3} \in I_3, \quad \frac{2 - \sqrt{2}}{2} \in I_5, \quad \frac{5 - \sqrt{5}}{10} \in I_7, \quad 2 - \sqrt{3} \in I_9 \text{。}$$

3. 對於任意自然數  $n$ ，存在  $\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}} \in I_n$ ，故每個  $I_n$  均不為空集合。

(三) 當  $k_n = 1$ ，把  $p_n$  用  $p$  表示時，得到的分數為  $\frac{p a_{n-1}(p)}{a_n(p)}$ ，

其中多項式  $a_n(p)$  的遞迴關係式為  $a_{n+1}(p) = a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p)$ ，  
 $a_0(p) = 1$ ， $a_1(p) = p$ 。

若要使  $p_n = 1$ ，則此分數之分子和分母必須相等：

$$a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p) = 0,$$

亦即  $a_{n+1}(p) = 0$ 。

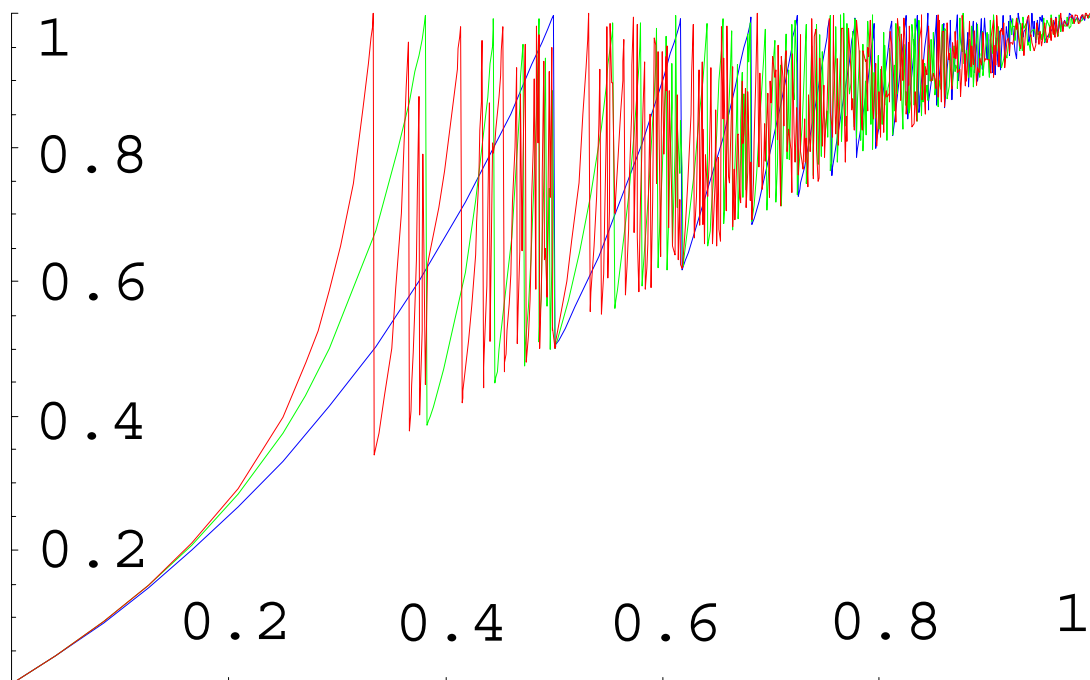
此多項式可用 Fibonacci 多項式推算出，與 Fibonacci 多項式的差別如下表 12：

表 12

| 項目       | $p_n$ 的分母減去分子 $a_{n+1}(p)$  | Fibonacci 多項式 $f_n(x)$                | 令兩種多項式 $=0$ ，求得的根之差異  |
|----------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|---|
| 相鄰兩項的次數差 | 1 次                         | 2 次                                   | 令 $p = x^2$ ，則欲求 $a_{n+1}(p) = 0$ 的解，須把 $f_n(x) = 0$ 的解平方   |
| 最低次項     | 常數項(0 次)                    | $n$ 為奇數時，最低次項為常數； $n$ 為偶數時，最低次項為 1 次項 | 當 Fibonacci 多項式的最低次項為 1 次項時，把 $x$ 提出，不影響 $a_{n+1}(p)=0$ 之解，因為此時產生的解 $x=0$ ，無法推算出 $a_{n+1}(p)=0$ 的解。 |
| 係數之正負    | 常數項為正，正負相間                  | 全部為正                                  | $f_n(x) = 0$ 的解平方後，還需乘以 $-1$ 。  |
| 係數順序     | 常數項必為 1，次序與 Fibonacci 多項式相反 | 最高次項為 1                               | 因係數順序相反，所以上面得到的結果，需要取倒數。  |

(四) 下圖為 0~1 間的  $p$  值代入 3 次所得到的結果：  
 (藍色線表示  $p_1$ ；綠色線表示  $p_2$ ；紅色線表示  $p_3$ )

圖 14



從圖 14 中可看出：

當  $p$  從 0 開始增加時藍色線  $p_1$  從 0 遞增到 1 以後，又回到與  $p$  相同的值，再開始增加。此線分為無限多段，因  $k_n$  的值可以從 1 一直到  $\infty$ 。每段的頂端所對應的  $p$  值，就屬於  $I_1$ 。 $p$  值越接近 1，屬於  $I_1$  的數出現頻率就越高。

綠色線  $p_2$  分段的情形則是在  $p_1$  圖形的每一段中，再分為更多段。每段代表的是第 2 次代入時所取的  $k_n$  值。由此屬於  $I_2$  的數也有無限多個。

同理  $I_3$  以後的情況也如此，故此圖為碎形，因此把圖形任意放大後，仍可看出如同上圖 14 的情形。

(五) 當  $k_n=1$  時， $p_n$  用  $p$  表示的結果，得到的分子與分母與 Fibonacci 多項式相關。如果令  $k_n=2$ ，則：

$$p_1 = \frac{p^2}{1+p} ,$$

$$p_2 = \frac{p^2 - p^3}{1 - p - p^2},$$

$$p_3 = \frac{p^2 - p^3 - p^4}{1 - p - 2p^2 + p^3},$$

$$p_4 = \frac{p^2 - p^3 - 2p^4 + p^5}{1 - p - 3p^2 + 2p^3 + p^4},$$

$$p_5 = \frac{p^2 - p^3 - 3p^4 + 2p^5 + p^6}{1 - p - 4p^2 + 3p^3 + 3p^4 - p^5},$$

$$p_6 = \frac{p^2 - p^3 - 4p^4 + 3p^5 + 3p^6 - p^7}{1 - p - 5p^2 + 4p^3 + 6p^4 - 3p^5 - p^6},$$

$$p_7 = \frac{p^2 - p^3 - 5p^4 + 4p^5 + 6p^6 - 3p^7 - p^8}{1 - p - 6p^2 + 5p^3 + 10p^4 - 6p^5 - 4p^6 + p^7}.$$

令  $p_n$  的分子為  $p^2 b_{n-1}(p)$ ，分母為  $b_n(p)$ ，則  $b_n(p)$  各項係數為：  
表 13

|                    | 常數項 | p  | p <sup>2</sup> | p <sup>3</sup> | p <sup>4</sup> | p <sup>5</sup> | p <sup>6</sup> | p <sup>7</sup> | p <sup>8</sup> |
|--------------------|-----|----|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| b <sub>0</sub> (p) | 1   |    |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |
| b <sub>1</sub> (p) | 1   | -1 |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |
| b <sub>2</sub> (p) | 1   | -1 | -1             |                |                |                |                |                |                |
| b <sub>3</sub> (p) | 1   | -1 | -2             | +1             |                |                |                |                |                |
| b <sub>4</sub> (p) | 1   | -1 | -3             | +2             | +1             |                |                |                |                |
| b <sub>5</sub> (p) | 1   | -1 | -4             | +3             | +3             | -1             |                |                |                |
| b <sub>6</sub> (p) | 1   | -1 | -5             | +4             | +6             | -3             | -1             |                |                |
| b <sub>7</sub> (p) | 1   | -1 | -6             | +5             | +10            | -6             | -4             | +1             |                |
| b <sub>8</sub> (p) | 1   | -1 | -7             | +6             | +15            | -10            | -10            | +4             | +1             |

與表 7 中  $a_n(p)$  的差異有：

1.  $k$  每增加 1， $b_n(p)$  的次數就增加 1，而前面的  $a_n(p)$  則是  $k$  每增加 2，次數才增加 1。
2. 常數項與一次項的係數固定為 1 和 -1，且符號是按照 “-, -, +, +”，每 4 項循環一次。

3. 上表 13 中從常數項開始算起每兩直欄一組，則每組兩欄除正負號相反外，左邊一欄某一格所出現的數字，在右邊一欄的下一格也將出現。如果把每一組的右邊一欄刪除，則剩下的部分將與  $a_n(p)$  相同。

此一部分尚在研究中。

(六) 當  $p > 0.25$  時，會發生渾沌現象：

$p_n$  在  $k_n$  能取最小值時遞增，例如  $p = 0.3$  時， $k_n$  最小值為 1，從  $p_1$  至  $p_5$ ，代入時都可取  $k_n = 1$ ，所以開始時連續 5 個  $p_n$  都是遞增的； $p = 0.8$  時， $k_n$  最小須取 8，但只有第 1 次代入時， $k_1$  可用 8， $k_2$  則必須用 9，所以只有  $p_0$  至  $p_1$  是遞增的。

當某個  $p_n$  代入時， $k_{n+1}$  不能再取最小值時，就停止遞增的規律，而產生的  $p_{n+1}$  則必須視  $p_n$  而定，在  $p$  值較小時，所得到的  $p_{n+1}$  較小（接近  $p$ ）的情況較多，但在  $p$  接近 1 時，則接近均勻分布。 $p_n$  接近 1 時，只要  $p_n$  有些微的差距，就可能使得出的  $p_{n+1}$  相差甚遠。

重複此過程多次後， $p_n$  值就會變得難以預測，故產生渾沌的狀況。當  $p$  較小時， $p_n$  呈現遞增，到不能遞增時，下一個值又經常回到  $p$  附近，故反覆代入多次後，可觀察到  $p_n$  在  $p_0, p_1, p_2, \dots$  等剛開始的幾個  $p$  值附近出現較密集。 $p$  較大時，遞增的現象不易發生，且在不能遞增時，下一次代入所產生的值接近均勻分布在  $(p, 1)$  中，所以經過多次代入後， $p_n$  接近均勻分布於  $(p, 1)$  之中。

每次產生的  $p_n$  值可作為亂數使用，有兩種方式：

1. 當  $p_n$  均勻分布在  $(p, 1)$  之間時，可直接把各  $p_n$  經由線型函數

$$r = a + \frac{b(p_n - p)}{1 - p} \quad \text{當作在區間}(a, b)\text{所產生的亂數來使用。}$$

2. 當  $p$  為有理數，但  $p_n$  不為均勻分布時，可先把  $p_n$  的前幾位小數刪去，再依以下方法處理：

若  $p$  為有限小數，則取所有的位數；

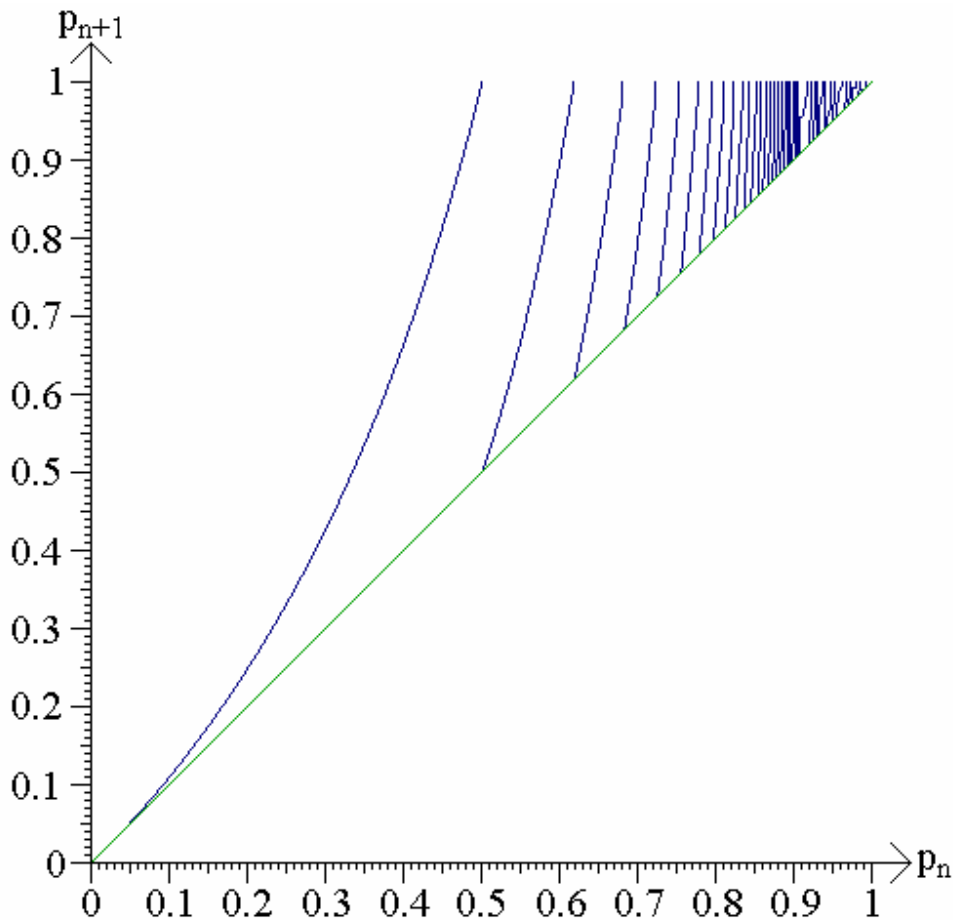
若  $p$  為循環小數（純循環或混循環），可取到第一個循環節

結束為止。為避免發生如  $1/7=0.142857\dots$ ， $142+857=999$ ； $1/17=0.0588235294117467$ ， $05882352+94117467=99999999$  等循環節的前半段與後半段之和為一串 9 的情況，可改為取到第一個循環節之一半為止。

(七) 如果將遞迴式改為  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p_n^{k_n}}{1-p_n}$ ，即分子部分由  $p^{k_n}$  改為  $p_n^{k_n}$ ，則與原來遞迴式的差異為：

原本  $p_{n+1}$  值受到  $p$  與  $p_n$  兩個值的影響，而現在  $p_{n+1}$  只由  $p_n$  來決定，因此無論原來的  $p$  值為何，代入  $p_n$  所求得  $p_{n+1}$  的函數圖形就只有一種：

圖 15



#### 四、結論與應用

(一) 當  $p < 0.25$  時， $p \in I_\infty$ ，且  $p_n$  收斂於  $p_\infty = \frac{1-\sqrt{1-4p}}{2}$ 。

當  $0.25 < p < 1$  且  $p$  為除了  $\frac{1}{2}$  與  $\frac{1}{3}$  以外的有理數時， $p \in I_\infty$ ，且對於相異的兩數  $a$  與  $b$ ， $p_a \neq p_b$ 。

對於任意自然數  $n$ ，在集合  $I_n$  中至少有一個元素  $\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}}$ 。

(二) 遞迴式  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_n}$  與 Fibonacci 多項式的關聯：

1. 當  $k_n = 1$ ，把  $p_n$  表示成分數就相當於展開連分數  $\frac{p}{1-\frac{p}{1-\frac{p}{1-\dots}}}$  (共

$n$  層)，將此連分數化簡成分母、分子均為多項式的形式後，則分母、分子均可由 Fibonacci 多項式演變而得：

先把 Fibonacci 多項式  $f_n(x)$  相鄰兩項的次數差由 2 次改為 1 次，如果最低次項為 1 次項而非常數項，則把各項都降低 1 次。再將各項的符號改為正負相間，其中最高次項為正。最後把係數倒轉，即可得到多項式  $a_n(x)$ ，而  $p_n = \frac{p a_n(p)}{a_{n+1}(p)}$ 。

要求出  $p_n=1$  的解，就令  $p a_n(p)=a_{n+1}(p)$ ，由於此遞迴式為

$a_{n+1}(p) = a_n(p) + a_{n-1}(p)$ ，故  $a_{n+2}(p) = 0$  的解即為  $p = 1$  的解。

已知 Fibonacci 多項式的解為  $x \in \{2i \cos \frac{j\pi}{n}, j = 1, 2, \dots, n-1\}$ ，

故可推出  $p_n = 1$  即  $a_{n+1}(p) = 0$  的解為

$p \in \left\{ \frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{j\pi}{n+3}}, j = 1, 2, \dots, \left[ \frac{n+2}{2} \right] \right\}$ ，但只有  $\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}}$  在合理範圍內，因此  $\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}} \in I_n$ 。

2.  $n = 0 \sim 7$  時多項式  $a_n(p)$  分別為：

表 14

|                    | 常數 | p  | p <sup>2</sup> | p <sup>3</sup> | p <sup>4</sup> |
|--------------------|----|----|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| a <sub>0</sub> (p) | 1  |    |                |                |                |
| a <sub>1</sub> (p) | 1  | -1 |                |                |                |
| a <sub>2</sub> (p) | 1  | -2 |                |                |                |
| a <sub>3</sub> (p) | 1  | -3 | +1             |                |                |
| a <sub>4</sub> (p) | 1  | -4 | +3             |                |                |
| a <sub>5</sub> (p) | 1  | -5 | +6             | -1             |                |
| a <sub>6</sub> (p) | 1  | -6 | +10            | -4             |                |
| a <sub>7</sub> (p) | 1  | -7 | +15            | -10            | +1             |

與巴斯卡三角形對照：

表 15

|   |   |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |  |
|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|--|
| 1 |   |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |  |
| 1 | 1 |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |  |
| 1 | 2 | 1  |    |    |    |    |   |   |  |
| 1 | 3 | 3  | 1  |    |    |    |   |   |  |
| 1 | 4 | 6  | 4  | 1  |    |    |   |   |  |
| 1 | 5 | 10 | 10 | 5  | 1  |    |   |   |  |
| 1 | 6 | 15 | 20 | 15 | 6  | 1  |   |   |  |
| 1 | 7 | 21 | 35 | 35 | 21 | 7  | 1 |   |  |
| 1 | 8 | 28 | 56 | 70 | 56 | 28 | 8 | 1 |  |

$a_n(p)$  每項的係數，在巴斯卡三角形中沿左下到右上方向的斜線出現。

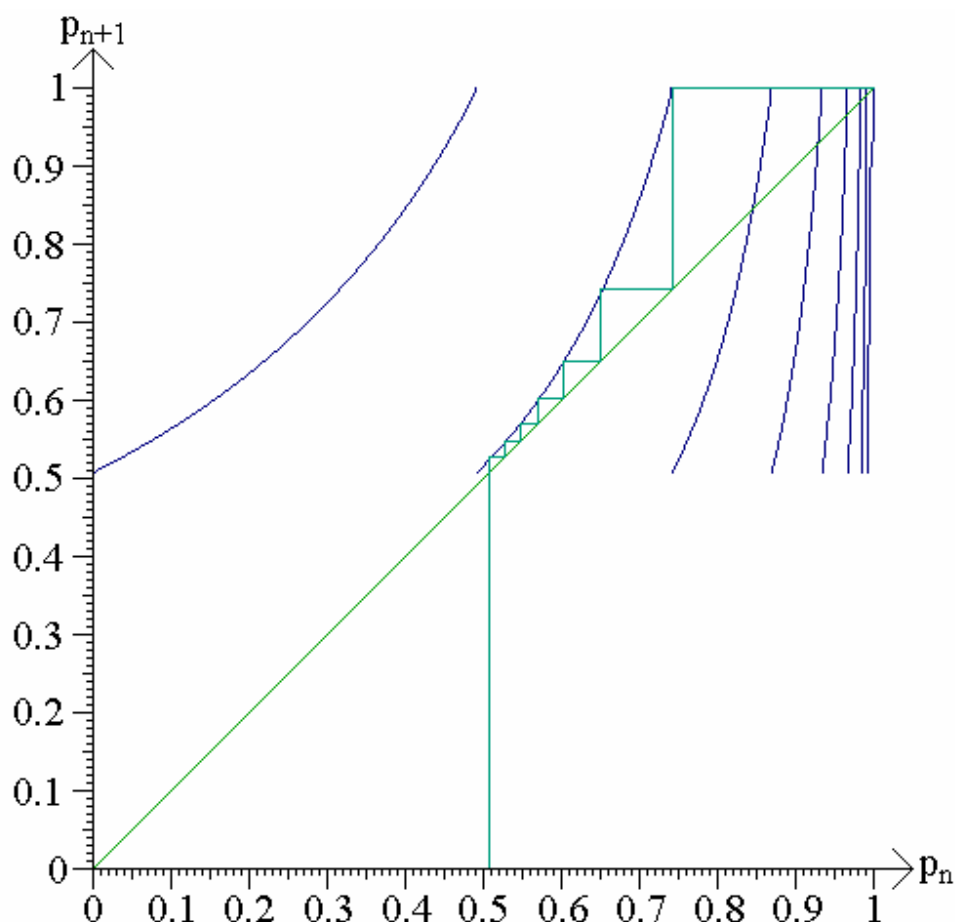
3. 如果把  $k_n$  改為 2，則  $p_n = \frac{p^2 b_n(p)}{b_{n+1}(p)}$ ， $n=0 \sim 8$  時的多項式  $b_n(p)$

分別爲：  
表 16

|                     | 常數項 | p  | p <sup>2</sup> | p <sup>3</sup> | p <sup>4</sup> | p <sup>5</sup> | p <sup>6</sup> | p <sup>7</sup> | p <sup>8</sup> | p <sup>9</sup> | p <sup>10</sup> | p <sup>11</sup> |
|---------------------|-----|----|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| b <sub>0</sub> (p)  | 1   |    |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>1</sub> (p)  | 1   | -1 |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>2</sub> (p)  | 1   | -1 | -1             |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>3</sub> (p)  | 1   | -1 | -2             | +1             |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>4</sub> (p)  | 1   | -1 | -3             | +2             | +1             |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>5</sub> (p)  | 1   | -1 | -4             | +3             | +3             | -1             |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>6</sub> (p)  | 1   | -1 | -5             | +4             | +6             | -3             | -1             |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>7</sub> (p)  | 1   | -1 | -6             | +5             | +10            | -6             | -4             | +1             |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>8</sub> (p)  | 1   | -1 | -7             | +6             | +15            | -10            | -10            | +4             | +1             |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>9</sub> (p)  | 1   | -1 | -8             | +7             | +21            | -15            | -20            | +10            | +5             | -1             |                 |                 |
| b <sub>10</sub> (p) | 1   | -1 | -9             | +8             | +28            | -21            | -35            | +20            | +15            | -5             | -1              |                 |
| b <sub>11</sub> (p) | 1   | -1 | -10            | +9             | +36            | -28            | -56            | +35            | +35            | -15            | -6              | +1              |

以求  $p_7 = 1$  的解爲例，利用 Mathematica 計算  
 $b_8(p) = 1 - p - 7p^2 + 6p^3 + 15p^4 - 10p^5 - 10p^6 + 4p^7 + p^8 = 0$  的解，  
 得到  $b_8(p) = 0$  有 8 個解，其中唯一符合的解爲  
 $p = 0.50866\ 09187\ 58394\dots$ ，把此  $p$  值實際代入檢驗，過程如下圖 16 所示：

圖 16



從圖 16 中可看出從  $p_0$  至  $p_7$  的值都位於深藍色線由左算起的第 2 段  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p^2}{1-p_n}$  與綠色線  $p_{n+1} = p_n$  之間。這情況類似

$0.25 < p < 0.5$  且當  $k_n=1$  時屬於  $I_n$  集合的數  $\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}}$  代入時

的圖形，但差別為  $p_0, p_1, \dots$  等數位於圖 5 中深藍色線的第 1 段  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p}{1-p_n}$  與綠色線  $p_{n+1} = p_n$  之間。

當  $p = 0.25$  時， $p_{n+1} = p_n$  與  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p}{1-p_n}$  相切於點  $(0.5, 0.5)$ ； $p < 0.25$  時，兩線則相交於兩點。這導致  $p_n$  收斂到兩線相交處。

但當  $k_n = 1$  時， $p_{n+1} = \frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_n}$  的斜率太大，所以無法與  $p_{n+1} = p_n$  相切於一點或相交於兩點，故不會發生收斂的情形。

(三)  $0.25 < p < 1$  時產生渾沌現象，在亂數產生器(Random Number Generator)上的應用之探討：

$p_n$  需要取到足夠接近 1 時，利用線型函數轉換成  $a \sim b$  間的亂數時，才不會失真。因為當  $p_n$  不夠大時，會發生連續幾個  $p_n$  值遞增的情形，接下來再代入一次，回到  $p$  附近的可能性太大，會造成  $p_n$  在  $p_0, p_1, p_2, \dots$  等剛開始的幾個  $p$  值附近出現的頻率太高，而不能均勻分布。 $P$  值較大時，可避免連續遞增以及遞增結束後，下一  $p_n$  值位置分布不均的情況發生，而能產生較均勻的亂數。

如果  $p_n$  太小，可用以下的方式代替：去掉前面幾位數，只採用後面一段。但  $p$  為有理數時， $p_n$  也都是有理數，亦即有限小數或是循環小數。若  $p_n$  為有限小數，則採用所有的小數位數除去前面幾位；若為循環小數，無論是純循環或是混循環，都可採用到第一個循環節的一半為止。

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## 六、附錄

### 程式總表

| 程式名稱                       | 用途  |
|----------------------------|---|
| <a href="#">Chaos.bas</a>  | 把輸入的 $p$ 值代入 10,000 次，以 0.002 為組距畫出 $p_1 \sim p_{10,000}$ 在各組出現次數直方圖，並以 0.00001 為單位印出每次代入的結果。圖形上方顯示 0~0.998(以 0.002 為單位)分別代入 $p_n$ 值計算的結果 $p_{n+1}$ (最小單位 0.01)。                                  |
| <a href="#">Chaos2.bas</a> | 把輸入的 $p$ 值代入 80 次，以 15 位小數列出每次計算結果。   |
| <a href="#">Chaos3.bas</a> | 用 3 種顏色在坐標圖上顯示出 $p=0 \sim 399/400$ (以 $1/400$ 為單位)時， $p_1 \sim p_3$ 的值。   |
| <a href="#">Chaos4.bas</a> | 修改 Chaos3.bas， $p$ 值的間隔改為 $1/800$ ，因輸出的圖表過大，故分左下、左上和右上等三部分輸出。(圖表右下沒有內容)   |
| <a href="#">Chaos5.bas</a> | 設定一段 0~1 之間的範圍，在此範圍中，每隔一定的間隔，就取一個數當作 $p$ 值，代入指定的次數，輸出得到的結果。   |
| <a href="#">Chaos6.bas</a> | 改進 Chaos.bas，當直方圖長度超出 140 像素時，會自動縮小圖形的比例為原本的一半，以避免超出範圍外。  |
| <a href="#">Chaos7.bas</a> | 輸入正整數的分子及分母作為 $p$ 值，計算 $p_1 \sim p_{20}$ 的值，並分別以最簡分數和小數表示。  |
| <a href="#">Chaos8.bas</a> | 改進 Chaos6.bas， $p < 0.7$ 時代入 25,000 次， $p \geq 0.7$ 只代入 5,000 次( $p$ 愈大時，計算花費時間愈長，且 $p_n$ 出現的範圍也較小，只在 $p$ 與 1 之間，故代入太多次，直方圖會太長)，圖形完成後，列出長條圖 500 根直條分別表示的數字(限於螢幕空間，每個數最多只能顯示 4 位數字，超過 9,999 就會溢位)。 |

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| <a href="#">Chaos9.bas</a>  | 改進 Chaos8.bas，可改變觀察範圍，輸入 0~1 之間的任何區間作為觀察範圍，即以此範圍的 1/500 作為組距，統計 p 值代入特定次數(p<0.7 次數同 Chaos8.bas，p ≥ 0.7 增加為 10,000 次以利觀察)後每次的結果在這 500 組中出現的次數，並以觀察範圍的 1/100,000 為最小單位，在方格上描出每次出現的數。最後與 Chaos8.bas 一樣列出長條圖各直條的確實數字，若數字超過 9,999，顯示不下時，即輸出“E”和前 3 位數，例如 11,850 即為“E118”。 |
| <a href="#">Chaos10.bas</a> | 改進 Chaos2.bas，先輸入 p 值與 p <sub>0</sub> 值(可以不相同)，再計算 p <sub>1</sub> ~p <sub>80</sub> 的值。   |
| <a href="#">Chaos11.bas</a> | 輸入 p 值和代入次數，畫出 0 < p <sub>n</sub> < 1 之間 $p_{n+1} = \frac{p_n^{k_n}}{p_n}$ 與 p <sub>n+1</sub> = p <sub>n</sub> 的函數圖形，並用淺藍色折線表示 p 代入時的情形(直線表示由 p <sub>n</sub> 得到 p <sub>n+1</sub> 的運算，橫線表示把 p <sub>n+1</sub> 由縱軸移到橫軸，以作為新的 p <sub>n</sub> ，進行下一次運算)，解析度為 400 × 400。   |
| <a href="#">Chaos12.bas</a> | 改進 Chaos11.bas，可以設定座標圖中橫軸與縱軸的觀察範圍。   |
| <a href="#">Chaos13.bas</a> | 將 Chaos11.bas 輸出圖形的解析度改為 500 × 400，以配合 Chaos9.bas 的圖形觀察。   |
| <a href="#">Chaos14.bas</a> | 把遞迴式改為 $p_{n+1} = \frac{p_n^{k_n}}{p_n}$ 的函數圖形，此為固定的圖形，不需輸入 p 值。   |
| <a href="#">Chaos15.bas</a> | 輸入 p 值，代入 200 次，畫出圖形的橫軸為代入次數 n，縱軸為 p <sub>n</sub> 。  |

以下是 Chaos7.bas, Chaos9.bas, Chaos15.bas 的程式碼，謹供參考：

Chaos7.bas :

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CLS
1 INPUT P, Q
IF Q = 0 OR P > INT(P) OR Q > INT(Q) THEN 1
IF (P / Q) <= 0 OR (P / Q) >= 1 THEN 1
M# = P: N# = Q
GOSUB SUB1
P = M#: Q = N#
P0# = P / Q
P0P# = P: P0Q# = Q
FOR I = 1 TO 20
  A = 0
  DO
    A = A + 1
    P1P# = P0Q# * P ^ A
    P1Q# = (P0Q# - P0P#) * Q ^ A
    P1# = P1P# / P1Q#
    M# = P1P#: N# = P1Q#
    GOSUB SUB1
    P1P# = M#: P1Q# = N#
    P1# = P1P# / P1Q#
  LOOP UNTIL P1# < 1.00000000001#
  PRINT USING "##) #####, / #####, =
#.#####"; I; P1P#; P1Q#; P1#
  IF P1# > .99999999999# THEN END
  P0P# = P1P#: P0Q# = P1Q#
NEXT I
END

SUB1:
S# = M#: T# = N#
DO
  T# = T# - S# * INT(T# / S#)
  IF T# = 0 THEN R# = S#: EXIT DO
  S# = S# - T# * INT(S# / T#)
  IF S# = 0 THEN R# = T#: EXIT DO
LOOP
M# = M# / R#: N# = N# / R#
RETURN
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Chaos9.bas :

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CLS
SCREEN 12
LINE (0, 0)-(639, 479), 15, BF
DO
  INPUT "P0="; P#
LOOP WHILE P# <= 0 OR P# > .98
DO
  INPUT "Enter two numbers between 0 and 1 as the range"; B, E
  IF B < E AND B >= 0 AND E <= 1 THEN EXIT DO
LOOP
B# = B
E# = E
C# = (E# - B#) / 500
LINE (0, 0)-(640, 480), 15, BF
LINE (70, 100)-(570, 100), 6
FOR I = 0 TO 100
  IF I MOD 10 = 0 THEN
    LINE (70 + I * 5, 90)-(70 + I * 5, 99), 6
    LINE (70 + I * 5, 234)-(70 + I * 5, 243), 0
    LINE (70 + I * 5, 245)-(70 + I * 5, 444), 5
  ELSE
    IF I MOD 5 = 0 THEN
      LINE (70 + I * 5, 94)-(70 + I * 5, 99), 6
      LINE (70 + I * 5, 238)-(70 + I * 5, 243), 0
      LINE (70 + I * 5, 245)-(70 + I * 5, 444), 12
    ELSE
      LINE (70 + I * 5, 97)-(70 + I * 5, 99), 6
      LINE (70 + I * 5, 241)-(70 + I * 5, 243), 0
      LINE (70 + I * 5, 245)-(70 + I * 5, 444), 13
    END IF
  END IF
END IF
NEXT I
FOR I = 245 TO 440 STEP 5
  IF (I + 5) MOD 50 = 0 THEN
    LINE (59, I)-(68, I), 0
    LINE (70, I)-(570, I), 9
  ELSE
    IF (I + 5) MOD 25 = 0 THEN
      LINE (63, I)-(68, I), 0
      LINE (70, I)-(570, I), 2
    ELSE
      LINE (66, I)-(68, I), 0
      LINE (70, I)-(570, I), 11
    END IF
  END IF
END IF
NEXT I
LINE (69, 244)-(570, 445), 0, B
LOCATE 1, 1
PRINT "P0="; P#
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PRINT "Range: "; B; "to"; E
LOCATE 6, 8
PRINT B
LOCATE 6, 71
PRINT E
DIM A(500)
LOCATE 1, 1
P0# = P#
IF P# < .8 THEN T = 25000 ELSE T = 10000
R = 1

FOR I = 1 TO T
  A = 0
  DO
    A = A + 1
    P1# = P# ^ A / (1 - P0#)
  LOOP UNTIL P1# <= 1
  D = (P1# - B#) / C#
  IF 0 <= D AND D < 500 THEN
    A(INT(D)) = A(INT(D)) + 1
    IF A(INT(D)) = 133 / R THEN GOSUB SUB3 ELSE GOSUB SUB1
  END IF
  IF I MOD 100 = 0 THEN
    LOCATE 3, 1
    PRINT USING "Times: #####,"; I;
    LOCATE 4, 1
    PRINT USING "  P  :#####"; P1#;
  END IF
  IF P1# >= .9999999899999999# THEN S = I: LOCATE 25, 41: PRINT P1#: EXIT FOR
  P0# = P1#
NEXT I
S = I - 1
LOCATE 3, 1
PRINT USING "Times: #####,"; S;
FOR I = 0 TO 499
  A = 0
  DO
    A = A + 1
    P1# = P# ^ A / (1 - (B# + C# * I))
  LOOP UNTIL P1# <= 1
  PSET ((70 + I), (100 - P1# * 100)), 12
NEXT I
IF P# - B# > -.0000001# AND P# < E# THEN LINE (70 + (P# - B#) / C#, 0)-(70 + (P# - B#) /
C#, 100), 3
LINE (70, 100 - B# * 100)-(570, 100 - (B# + C# * 500) * 100), 1
LOCATE 29, 10
PRINT "Press any key to continue";
DO
LOOP WHILE INKEY$ = ""
CLS

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PRINT "P0="; P#
FOR I = 0 TO 24
  FOR J = 0 TO 19
    LOCATE I + 2, J * 4 + 1
    IF P# - (B + (J * 25 + I + 1) * C#) >= -.0000001 THEN
      PRINT "  -"
    ELSE
      IF A(I + J * 25) < 10000 THEN
        PRINT USING "#####"; A(I + J * 25);
      ELSE
        PRINT "E"; MID$(STR$(A(I + J * 25)), 2, 3)
      END IF
    END IF
  NEXT J
NEXT I
END

SUB1:
PSET ((70 + INT(D)), (100 + A(INT(D)) * R)), 2
PSET ((70 + INT(D)), 245 + ((P1# - B#) / C# - INT((P1# - B#) / C#)) * 200), 0
RETURN

SUB3:
LINE (70, 101)-(570, 233), 15, BF
R = R / 2
FOR X = 0 TO 499
  IF A(X) > 0 THEN LINE (70 + X, 100)-(70 + X, 100 + A(X) * R), 2
NEXT X
LOCATE 5, 1
PRINT "Ratio: 1 :"; 1 / R
RETURN

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## Dense15.bas :

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SCREEN 12
CLS
LINE (0, 0)-(639, 479), 15, BF
DO
    INPUT "P="; P#
LOOP UNTIL 0 < P# AND P# < 1
CLS
LINE (0, 0)-(639, 479), 15, BF
PRINT "P="; P#
COLOR 0
LINE (15, 20)-(15, 440)
LINE (15, 440)-(635, 440)
FOR I = 0 TO 100
    IF I MOD 10 = 0 THEN
        LINE (5, I * 4 + 40)-(14, I * 4 + 40)
        LINE (I * 3 + 15, 441)-(I * 3 + 15, 450)
        LINE (I * 3 + 315, 441)-(I * 3 + 315, 450)
    ELSE
        IF I MOD 5 = 0 THEN
            LINE (10, I * 4 + 40)-(14, I * 4 + 40)
            LINE (I * 3 + 15, 441)-(I * 3 + 15, 445)
            LINE (I * 3 + 315, 441)-(I * 3 + 315, 445)
        ELSE
            LINE (12, I * 4 + 40)-(14, I * 4 + 40)
            LINE (I * 3 + 15, 441)-(I * 3 + 15, 443)
            LINE (I * 3 + 315, 441)-(I * 3 + 315, 443)
        END IF
    END IF
NEXT I
LINE (15, 20)-(5, 30)
LINE (15, 20)-(25, 30)
LINE (625, 430)-(635, 440)
LINE (635, 440)-(625, 450)
P0# = P#
LINE (14, 440 - P0# * 400 - 1)-(16, 440 - P0# * 400 + 1), 0, BF
FOR I = 1 TO 200
    K = 0
    DO
        K = K + 1
        P1# = P# ^ K / (1 - P0#)
    LOOP UNTIL P1# <= 1
    LINE (15 + (I - 1) * 3, 440 - P0# * 400)-(15 + I * 3, 440 - P1# * 400), 0
    LINE (15 + I * 3 - 1, 440 - P1# * 400 - 1)-(15 + I * 3 + 1, 440 - P1# * 400 + 1), , BF
    IF P1# > .999999999999# THEN EXIT FOR
    P0# = P1#
NEXT I
END
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# Recursive sequences and chaos phenomena

## Abstract

For a given fixed number  $p \in (0,1)$ , let  $n_0=0$ ,  $p_0=p$ ,

$$k_1 = \inf\{k \geq 1: \frac{p^k}{1-p} \leq 1\},$$

and

$$p_1 := \frac{p^{k_1}}{1-p}.$$

By induction, for given  $p_{n-1}$ , we define

$$k_n = \inf\{k \geq 1: \frac{p^k}{1-p_{n-1}} \leq 1\},$$

and

$$p_n := \frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_{n-1}}.$$

Then,  $\{p_n, n \geq 0\}$  is a sequence of numbers belongs to  $(p, \infty)$ . For each  $n=1,2,\dots$ , let  $I_n := \{p \in (0,1); \text{there exists } k_n \text{ such that } p^{k_n} / (1-p_{n-1}) = 1\}$ , and denote  $I_\infty = \{p \in (0,1); p^{k_n} / (1-p_{n-1}) < 1 \text{ for all } k \text{ and } k_n\}$ . It is noted that the open interval  $(0,1)$  can be decomposed as a countably union of  $I_1, I_2, \dots$ , and  $I_\infty$ .

Motivated by the problem of random number generation in computer simulation, in this article, we study the behavior of the recursive sequence  $\{p_n, n \geq 0\}$  for various  $p \in (0,1)$ . In particular, we explore the relationship between  $p$  and  $I_n$ , for  $n=1,2,\dots,\infty$ . Our main results shows that

1. When  $0 < p \leq 1/4$ , then  $p \in I_\infty$  and the sequence  $\{p_n, n \geq 0\}$  is monotone increasing with limit  $(1-\sqrt{1-4p})/2$ .

2. When  $1/4 < p < 1$  and is a rational number except  $1/3$  and  $1/2$ , then  $p \in I_\infty$  and  $p_n$  are distinct from each other for different  $n$ . That is,  $p_i \neq p_j$  for  $i \neq j$ .

3. For each  $n=1,2,\dots,I_n$  is not empty. We first find explicit element in each  $I_n$  for small  $n$ , for instance,  $\frac{1}{2} \in I_1$ ,  $\frac{1}{3} \in I_3$ ,  $\frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2} \in I_5$ ,  
 $\frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{10} \in I_7$ ,  $2-\sqrt{3} \in I_9$ .

4. In general, we let  $k_n=1$ , and expand the ratio of  $p_n$  to get recursive  $a_0(p) = 1$ ,  $a_1(p) = 1-p$ ,  $a_{n+1}(p) = a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p)$  ( $n \geq 1$ ),  

$$p_n = \frac{p a_{n-1}(p)}{a_n(p)} .$$

In order to make  $p_n = 1$ , we need  $a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p) = 0$ , that is  $a_{n+1}(p) = 0$ . Then the polynomial  $a_n(p)$  has relation with the Fibonacci polynomial  $f_0(x) = 1$ ,  $f_1(x) = x$ ,  $f_{n+1}(x) = x f_n(x) + f_{n-1}(x)$  ( $n \geq 1$ ). A simple transformation leads that

$$\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}} \in I_n, \text{ for } n=1,2,\dots$$

5. By using the result form part 2, we find that for a suitable initial point  $p \in (0,1)$ , the recursive sequence  $\{p_n, n \geq 0\}$  can provide an example of chaotic systems. To be more precise, when  $.25 < p < 1$ , a chaotic phenomena happens and it approaches to uniform distribution as  $p$  approaches to 1. Then the sequence  $\{p_n, n \geq 0\}$  can be used to produce random numbers.

**Keywords.** chaos, Fibonacci polynomial, recursive sequence.

## I. Research motive :

With a majority of random numbers found in day-to-day living being a series of random number values, it is more than often that a computer simulator is needed in search. A Random Number Generator allows random numeral values be generated using the recursive functions of recurring decimals. To which, I have defined  $p$  value to be  $0 < p < 1$  and that  $p_0 = p$ ,  $p_n = \frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_{n-1}}$ , in which  $k_n$  being the smallest positive number that produces  $p_n \leq 1$  with which to observe the numeral values generated in each simulation and how they are distributed within the given parameter of  $p$  and 1.

## II. Research process:

In computer simulation, the reason for adopting the reversal function  $p_n = \frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_{n-1}}$  lies in that  $k_n$  being the smallest positive number that produces  $p_n \leq 1$  can help observe the value distribution of such function.

(I) Some phenomena concluded from the computer simulation show that when  $p$  is smaller than or equals to 0.25,  $p_n$  will gradually increase, but  $p_\infty$  will always equal to a value less than or equals to 0.5. This serves to validate that,

1. No validation by mathematical inductive means would prove  $p_n$  to be greater than 0.5

Given  $n = 1$ , equation  $p_1 = \frac{p}{1-p_0} \leq \frac{0.25}{1-0.25} = \frac{1}{3} < 0.5$ , will withstand,

Given  $n = k$  is to withstand, which indicates  $p_k \leq 0.5$ ,

Given  $n = k+1$ , equation  $p_{k+1} = \frac{p}{1-p_k} \leq \frac{0.25}{1-0.5} = 0.5$  would therefore also withstand

2. This also validates that  $p_n > p_{n-1}$

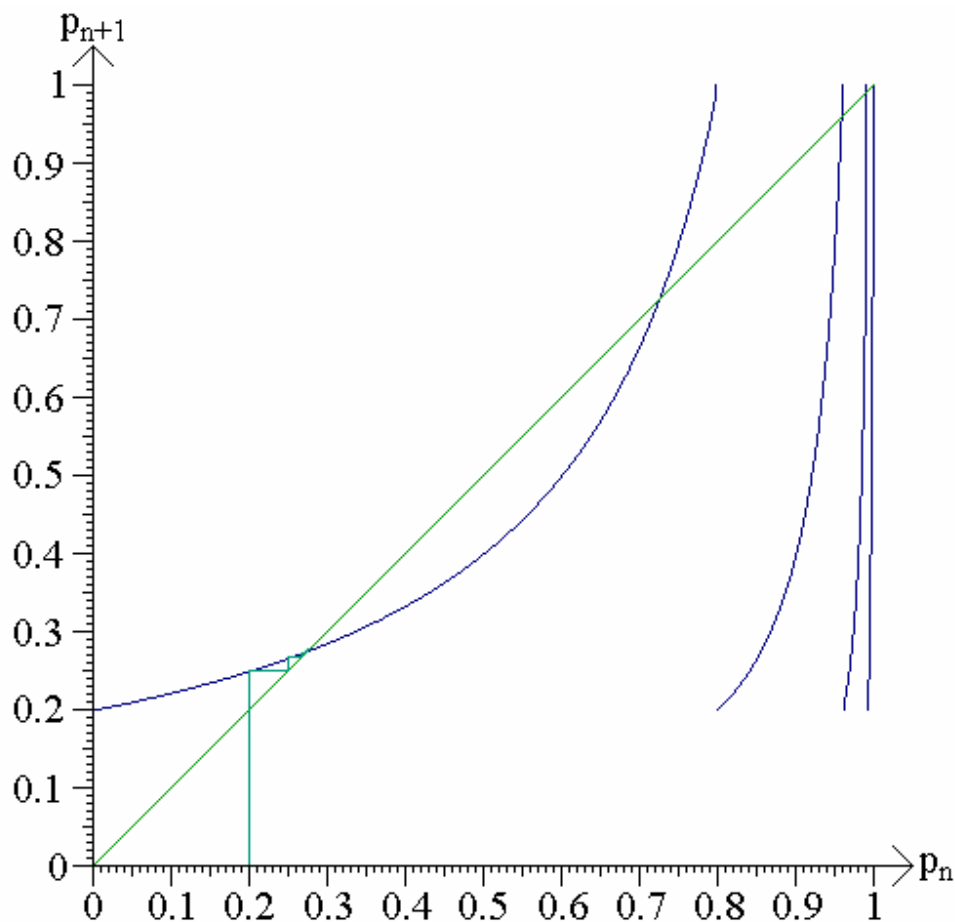
Given  $n = 1$ ,  $\frac{p}{1-p_0} > p = p_0$  is to withstand,

Given  $n = k$  is to withstand, which indicates  $p_k > p_{k-1}$ ,

Therefore given  $n = k + 1$ , equation  $p_{k+1} = \frac{p}{1-p_k} > \frac{p}{1-p_{k-1}} = p_k$  would also withstand.

3. At which,  $p_n$  will coverage to a numeral value  $p_\infty$  that is  $\leq 0.5$ ;  
For instance, given  $p=0.2$  :

Graph 1



In the foregoing chart where the horizontal axis being  $p_n$ , the vertical axis being  $p_{n+1}$ , the blue line being  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p^{k_{n+1}}}{1-p_n}$  (where  $k_{n+1}$  being the smallest positive number that ensures  $p_{n+1} \leq 1$ ), the green line being  $p_{n+1} = p_n$ , the point where the two lines intersect,  $\frac{p^{k_{n+1}}}{1-p_n} = p_n$ , would be the value of  $p_\infty$ .

In which, the blue line is not only noticeably of an incomplete curve but segments of its graph tend to become vertical when  $p_n$  approaches 1 as its denominator becomes very small when  $p_n$  nears, hence the rate of  $k_n$  in  $\frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_n}$  will accelerate.

#### 4. Calculating the $p_\infty$ value:

$\therefore p, p_n < 0.5$ , as long as  $p < 1 - p_n$  and  $k_n$  equals to 1, equation  $\frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_n} < 1$  will withstand.

Given  $x = p_\infty$ , then  $\frac{p}{1-x} = x$ ,

$$p = x(1-x),$$

$$p = x - x^2,$$

$$x^2 - x + p = 0,$$

$$x = \frac{1 \pm \sqrt{1-4p}}{2}, \text{ but } \frac{1 + \sqrt{1-4p}}{2} \geq \frac{1}{2} \text{ will arise to contradict}$$

but  $\frac{1 - \sqrt{1-4p}}{2}$  will conform,

$$\therefore p_\infty = \frac{1 - \sqrt{1-4p}}{2} \circ$$

(III) Given  $0.25 < p < 1$ , attempts are made to validate that all rational numbers, except  $\frac{1}{3}$  and  $\frac{1}{2}$ , would belong to  $I_\infty$ , and that none will be identical to  $I_a$  and  $I_b$ :

1. Given  $P$  being a rational number and its denominator other

than 1:

- (1) Taking to the example of  $p = \frac{4}{11}$  and  $p = \frac{3}{7}$  a logical order can be observed by repeatedly replaced the both:

① Where  $p = \frac{4}{11}$

Table 1

|          |                |
|----------|----------------|
| $p_0$    | 4/11           |
| $p_1$    | 4/7            |
| $p_2$    | 28/33          |
| $p_3$    | 48/55          |
| $p_4$    | 320/847        |
| $p_5$    | 308/527        |
| $p_6$    | 2108/2409      |
| $p_7$    | 14016/36421    |
| $p_8$    | 13244/22405    |
| $p_9$    | 89620/100771   |
| $p_{10}$ | 586304/1349271 |

Given that the numerator of  $p = \frac{4}{11}$  an even number, the value of numerator derived in each replacement will also produce an even number.

- ② But an odd number to the numerator of  $p$  does not always produce an odd number to the numerator of  $p_n$ ,

For example, when  $p = \frac{5}{19}$  :

Table 2

|                 |             |
|-----------------|-------------|
| p <sub>0</sub>  | 5/19        |
| p <sub>1</sub>  | 5/14        |
| p <sub>2</sub>  | 70/171      |
| p <sub>3</sub>  | 45/101      |
| p <sub>4</sub>  | 505/1064    |
| p <sub>5</sub>  | 280/559     |
| p <sub>6</sub>  | 2795/5301   |
| p <sub>7</sub>  | 1395/2506   |
| p <sub>8</sub>  | 12530/21109 |
| p <sub>9</sub>  | 5555/8579   |
| p <sub>10</sub> | 42895/57456 |

In spite not all numerators are in odd number but rather multiplications of 5, this can be deduced to the fact that the number of p being 5.

- ③ The numerator is then modified to 3 to observe whether the numerators of p<sub>n</sub> are multiplications of 3, where  $p = \frac{3}{7}$

Table 3

|                 |           |
|-----------------|-----------|
| p <sub>0</sub>  | 3/7       |
| p <sub>1</sub>  | 3/4       |
| p <sub>2</sub>  | 36/49     |
| p <sub>3</sub>  | 9/13      |
| p <sub>4</sub>  | 117/196   |
| p <sub>5</sub>  | 36/79     |
| p <sub>6</sub>  | 237/301   |
| p <sub>7</sub>  | 387/448   |
| p <sub>8</sub>  | 1728/2989 |
| p <sub>9</sub>  | 549/1261  |
| p <sub>10</sub> | 3783/4984 |

Upon replacing 10 times, it has been found that the numerators are consistently multiplications of 3 in each validation.

Under the premises that the numerators of  $p$  are multiplications to a quantifiable number  $m$ , validation is made that the numerators of  $p_n$  will contain said quantifiable number  $m$ :

- (2) Upon validating  $p$  as a rational number using the inductive method and converting to a simple divider, where its numerators contains primary factors and its denominators other than the multiplications of  $m$ , set to  $mb_0+c_0$ , this indicates that  $p = \frac{ma_0}{mb_0+c_0}$ , where none of its numerators of  $p_n$  would be multiplications to  $m$ , and its denominators multiplications other than that of  $m$ :

① Given  $n=0$ ,  $p_0 = p = \frac{ma_0}{mb_0+c_0}$  would withstand.

② Given  $n=\ell$ , meaning  $p_\ell = \frac{ma_\ell}{mb_\ell+c_\ell}$ , then when  $n=\ell+1$

$$p_{\ell+1} = \frac{p_{\ell+1}}{1-p_\ell} = \frac{\left(\frac{ma_0}{mb_0+c_0}\right)^{k_{\ell+1}}}{1-\frac{ma_\ell}{mb_\ell+c_\ell}} = \frac{mb_\ell+c_\ell}{m(b_\ell-a_\ell)+c_\ell} \times \frac{(ma_0)^{k_{\ell+1}}}{(mb_0+c_0)^{k_{\ell+1}}},$$

Where neither the numerators or denominators of

$\frac{mb_\ell+c_\ell}{m(b_\ell-a_\ell)+c_\ell}$  to left were multiplications of  $m$  were

multiplications of  $m$ , and the numerator,  $mb_0+c_0$ , the power of  $ma_0$ , which are multiplications of  $m$ , it can be concluded that the numerators of  $n=\ell+1$  are multiplications of  $m$ , but not the denominators. And suppose the fraction can be further subdivided, the  $m$  factor in the numerator cannot be weeded out for none of its denominators contain  $m$  factor, leaving the simplified numerator fraction as multiplications of  $m$ , but not the denominators, hence  $n=\ell+1$  will also withstand.

- ③ As validated through ① and ②, the equation is to withstand

irrespective whatever the number n is.

- (3) The above experiment indicate that although a host of  $p_n$  values concluded from the same p varies as both the denominators and numerators go up, despite occasionally reducing through subdivision, the velocity of their expansion will accelerate, and that no identical  $p_n$  values will be repeated.

But suppose a given  $p_a$  be identical to  $p_b$  that previously occurred, but  $p_{a-1}$  and  $p_{b-1}$  being dissimilar, this indicates that replacing the both numbers would arrive at the same numeral value.

To demonstrate using the example of  $p = \frac{2}{5}$ , it is intended to calculate whether there are any other  $p_n$  that allows  $p_{n+1} = \frac{2}{3}$  except  $p_1 = \frac{2}{3}$ ,

$$\frac{\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^{k_n}}{1-p_n} = \frac{2}{3}, \text{ where } k_n \text{ being a positive number,}$$

$$\frac{1-p_n}{\left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^{k_n}} = \frac{3}{2},$$

$$1-p_n = \frac{3}{2} \times \left(\frac{2}{5}\right)^{k_n},$$

Given  $k_n = 1, 2, 3, \dots,$

$$p_n = \frac{2}{5}, \frac{19}{25}, \frac{113}{125}, \frac{601}{625}, \dots,$$

Yet bound by the criterion that the numerator of P must be an odd number, this concludes that only  $\frac{2}{5}$  meets the requirement.

This indicates that only an optimal  $k_n$  value derived can the

numerator of  $p_n$  and  $p$  contain the identical primary factor as further validated below:

(4) Given  $p = \frac{ma_0}{mb_0+c_0}$ , all probable values of  $p_n$  can be deduced from a known  $p_{n+1}$ , which is set to  $\frac{ma_{n+1}}{mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}}$ ,

$$\text{For } p_{n+1} = \frac{pk_{n+1}}{1-p_n},$$

$$1 - p_n = \frac{pk_{n+1}}{p_{n+1}},$$

$$\text{This will conclude } p_n = 1 - \frac{pk_{n+1}}{p_{n+1}},$$

$$\text{meaning } p_n = 1 - \frac{\left(\frac{ma_0}{mb_0+c_0}\right)k_{n+1}}{\frac{ma_{n+1}}{mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}}}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}}{ma_{n+1}} \times \frac{(ma_0)k_{n+1}}{(mb_0+c_0)k_{n+1}}$$

Given the numerator of  $p_n$  must be a multiplication of  $m$  and its denominator not; therefore,

$$1 - p_n = 1 - \frac{ma_{n+1}}{mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}} = \frac{m(b_{n+1}-a_{n+1})+c_{n+1}}{mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}}$$

$$= \frac{mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}}{ma_{n+1}} \times \frac{(ma_0)k_{n+1}}{(mb_0+c_0)k_{n+1}}$$

Where only neither the simplified numerator nor the denominator are multiplications of  $m$ , and neither  $mb_{n+1}+c_{n+1}$  and  $(mb_0+c_0)^{n_{k+1}}$  are multiplications of  $m$  can they cancel each other after simplification being that the number of  $m$  factors under  $(ma_0)^{k_{n+1}}$

and  $ma_{n+1}$  must be identical. Suppose  $a_{n+1}$  contains a “d” number of 2 factors, and  $a_0$  contains an “e” number of 2 factors, and that  $k_n$  must equal to  $\frac{d+1}{e+1}$ , and  $p, p_{n+1}, k_{n+1}$  have all been established, this will allow the one and only  $p_n$  be concluded, meaning that only one specific  $p_n$  value can be used to produce a specific  $p_{n+1}$ .

- (5) Assuming two numbers amongst  $p_0, p_1, p_2, \dots$  have been repeated and the first two repeated numbers being  $p_a$  and  $p_b$  ( $b > a$ ), this can be concluded from the preceding (2) to conclude that  $p_a$  and  $p_b$  should be identical, a fact that contradicts with the initial hypothesis assuming that  $p_a$  and  $p_b$  will be the first to repeat to rule out all probabilities that any two numbers will recur.

2. Suppose under the scenario where  $p$  being a rational number and its numerator being 1:

Of all tangible fractions that are greater than 0.25, only  $\frac{1}{3}$  and  $\frac{1}{2}$  produce numerator of 1.

$$(1) p = \frac{1}{2}, p_1 = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} = 1, \text{ thus } \frac{1}{2} \in I_1 \circ$$

$$(2) p = \frac{1}{3}, p_1 = \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1}{2}, p_2 = \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{2}{3}, p_3 = \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{1 - \frac{2}{3}} = 1,$$

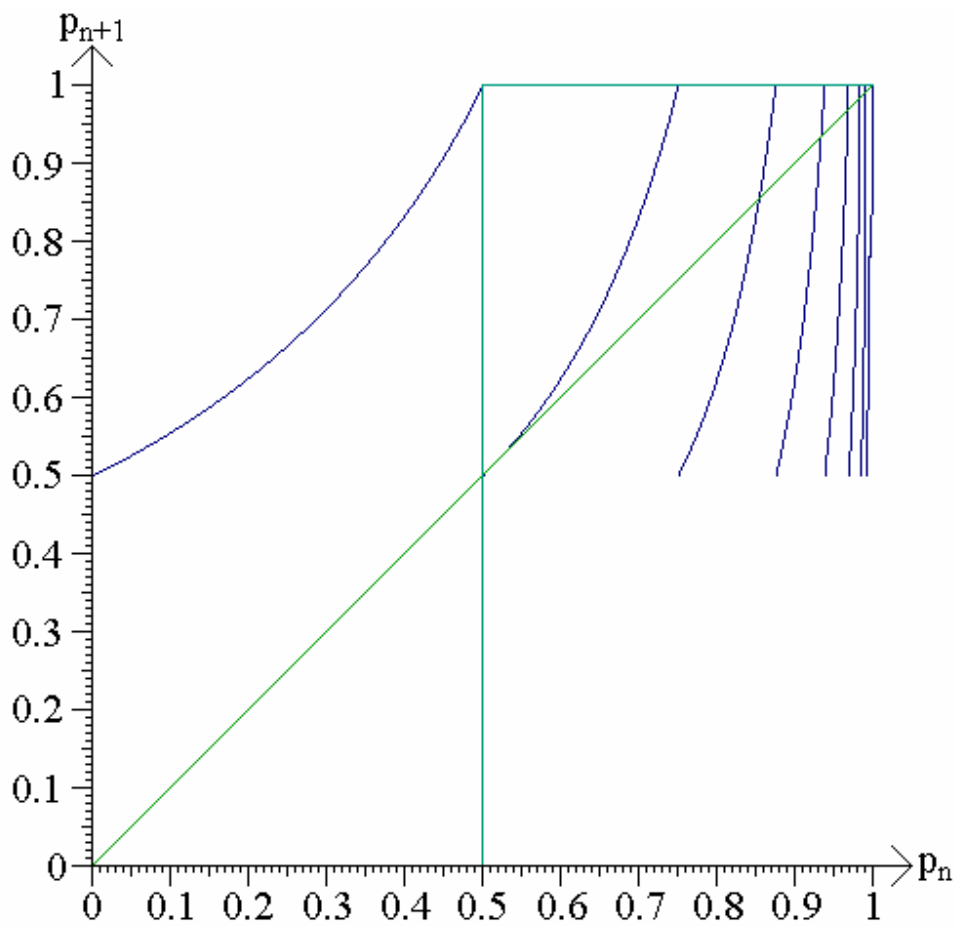
$$\text{thus } \frac{1}{3} \in I_3 \circ$$

- (III) Given  $0.25 < p \leq 0.5$ , some of the  $p$  values, upon undergoing conditional computations, can be concluded to 1:

- For example taking to the foregoing  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{1}{3}$ , which can be graphed as indicated below,

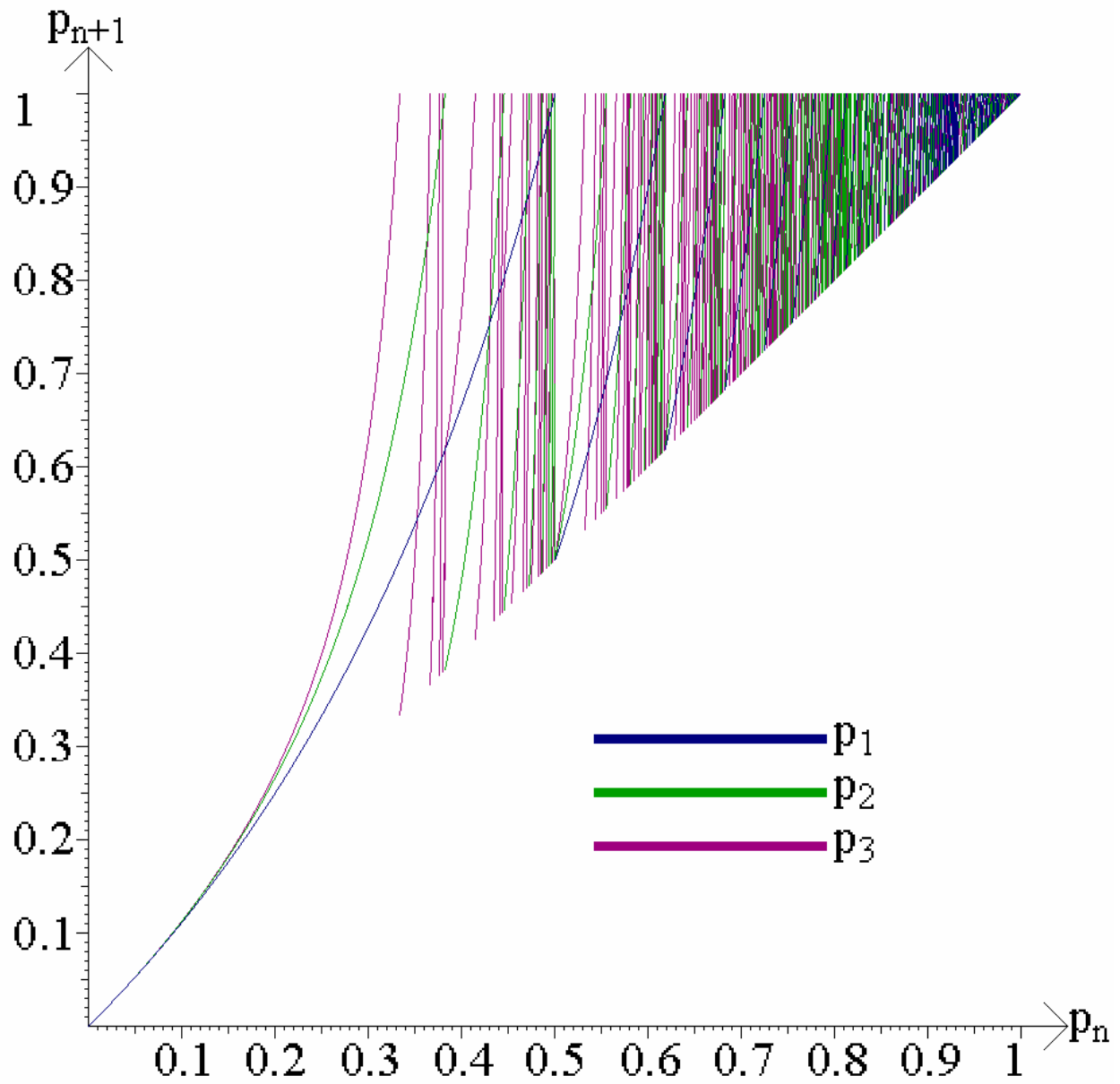
Where  $p = \frac{1}{2}$

Graph 2



Where  $p = \frac{1}{3}$

Graph 3



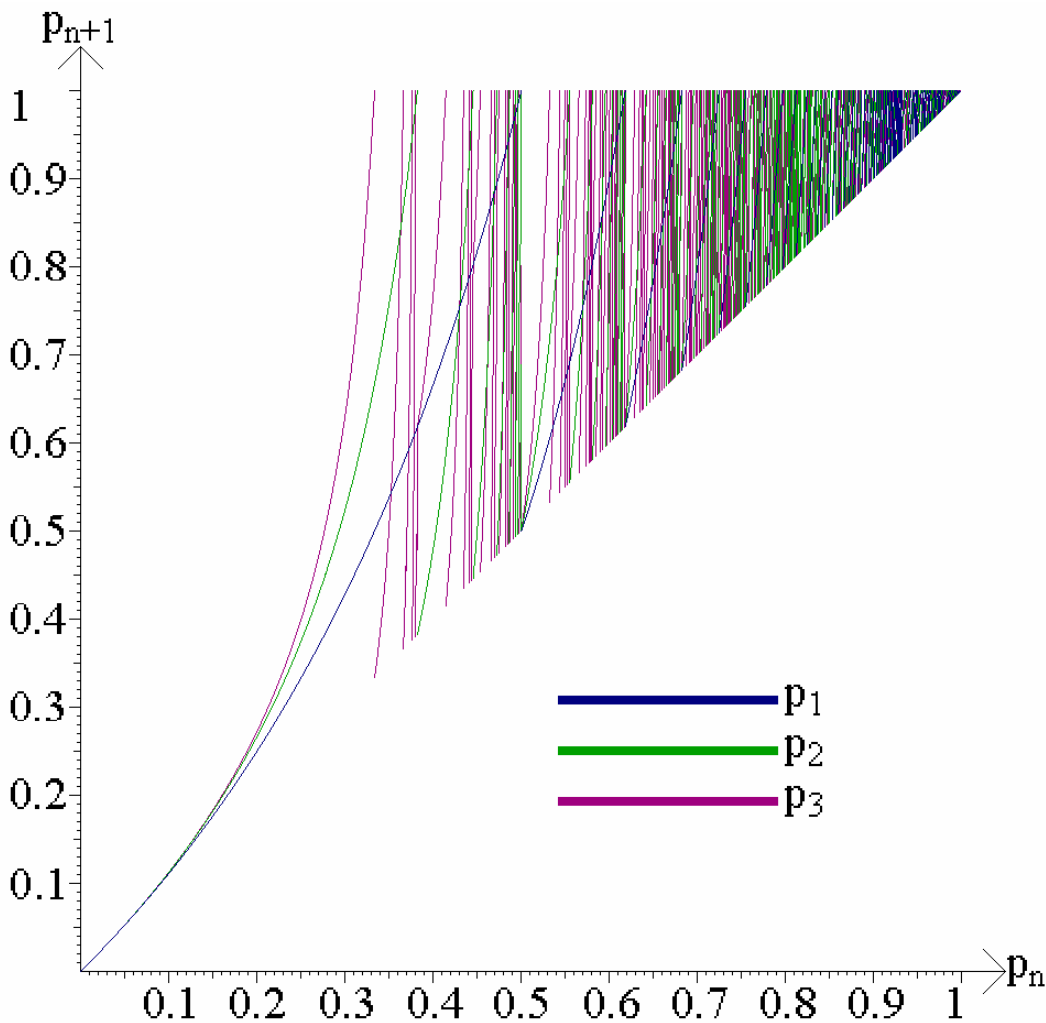
2. Validation is then performed to locate what other figures would produce 1 as they are plotted in:

(1) Validation method:

An  $n$  value, where ( $n=1,2,3,\dots$ ) is chosen to condition  $p_n=1$ , whereby  $p$  is gradually increased from 0.25 as  $p_n$  value also increases, and keep adjusting the  $p$  until it reaches  $p_n=1$  to locate  $p \in I_n$ .

Graph 4 below has the  $p$  value plotted in with  $p_1$ ,  $p_2$  and  $p_3$  concluded, where it indicates that as  $p$  increases from 0,  $p_n$  will also increase with it; however, when  $p_n$  reaches 1 and  $p$  continues to increase,  $p_n$  will diminish to become closer to  $p$ , a method that deploys examining the value of  $p$  to condition  $p_n$  equals to 1.

Graph 4



(2) Experiment scenario where  $p_7=1$  :

- ① By increasing P from 0.25 to stop at  $p_7 = 1$ , the value of  $p_7$  will increase alongside P before reaching one, but it will require diminished the p value as  $p_7$  becomes closer to that of p when exceeding 1.

Table 4

| p       | $p_7$               | Over or underrated P value |
|---------|---------------------|----------------------------|
| 0.25    | 0.44444 44444 44444 | Underrated                 |
| 0.26    | 0.52087 17671 73351 | Underrated                 |
| 0.27    | 0.68191 59224 35899 | Underrated                 |
| 0.275   | 0.89008 27805 49313 | Underrated                 |
| 0.28    | 0.48331 38401 55949 | Overrated                  |
| 0.276   | 0.96475 80974 21005 | Underrated                 |
| 0.277   | 0.29445 79839 85269 | Overrated                  |
| 0.2765  | 0.27934 10174 99825 | Overrated                  |
| 0.2764  | 0.27657 81470 72783 | Overrated                  |
| 0.2763  | 0.99128 91275 48333 | Underrated                 |
| 0.27635 | 0.99593 32506 04733 | Underrated                 |
| 0.27637 | 0.99780 96069 24777 | Underrated                 |
| 0.27638 | 0.99875 18499 75209 | Underrated                 |
| 0.27639 | 0.99969 68190 50126 | Underrated                 |

- ② This indicates that given  $0.27639 < p < 0.27640$  if the experiment continues, it can be established that  $p = 0.276393202250021\dots$  ◦

A scenario by repeatedly replacing the p value seven times shows,

Table 5

|       |                     |
|-------|---------------------|
| $p_0$ | 0.27639 32022 50021 |
| $p_1$ | 0.38196 60112 50105 |
| $p_2$ | 0.44721 35954 99958 |
| $p_3$ | 0.50000 00000 00000 |
| $p_4$ | 0.55278 64045 00042 |
| $p_5$ | 0.61803 39887 49895 |
| $p_6$ | 0.72360 67977 49978 |
| $p_7$ | 0.99999 99999 99998 |

- ③ A phenomenon observed from the above table 5:  
The last  $p_7$  that has not fallen on 1 has been the insufficient number of decimal points taken.

Also when  $p_3$  equals to  $\frac{1}{2}$ ,  $p_5$  should be  $\frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}$ , and  $p_1$  the value of  $1 - p_6$ , meaning  $\frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}$ .

- ④ Calculating  $p$  value using  $p_1 = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}$  :

Suppose  $\frac{p}{1-p} = p_1 = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}$ ,

$$\text{Then } p = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2} (1-p), \quad p + \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2} p = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2},$$

$$\frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{2} p = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}, \quad p = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{5-\sqrt{5}} = \frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{10}.$$

- ⑤ The  $p$  value is then plotted in seven times for validation :

$$p_1 = \frac{3-\sqrt{5}}{2}, \quad p_2 = \frac{\sqrt{5}}{5}, \quad p_3 = \frac{1}{2}, \quad p_4 = \frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{5},$$

$$p_5 = \frac{\sqrt{5}-1}{2}, \quad p_6 = \frac{5+\sqrt{5}}{10}, \quad p_7 = 1 \circ$$

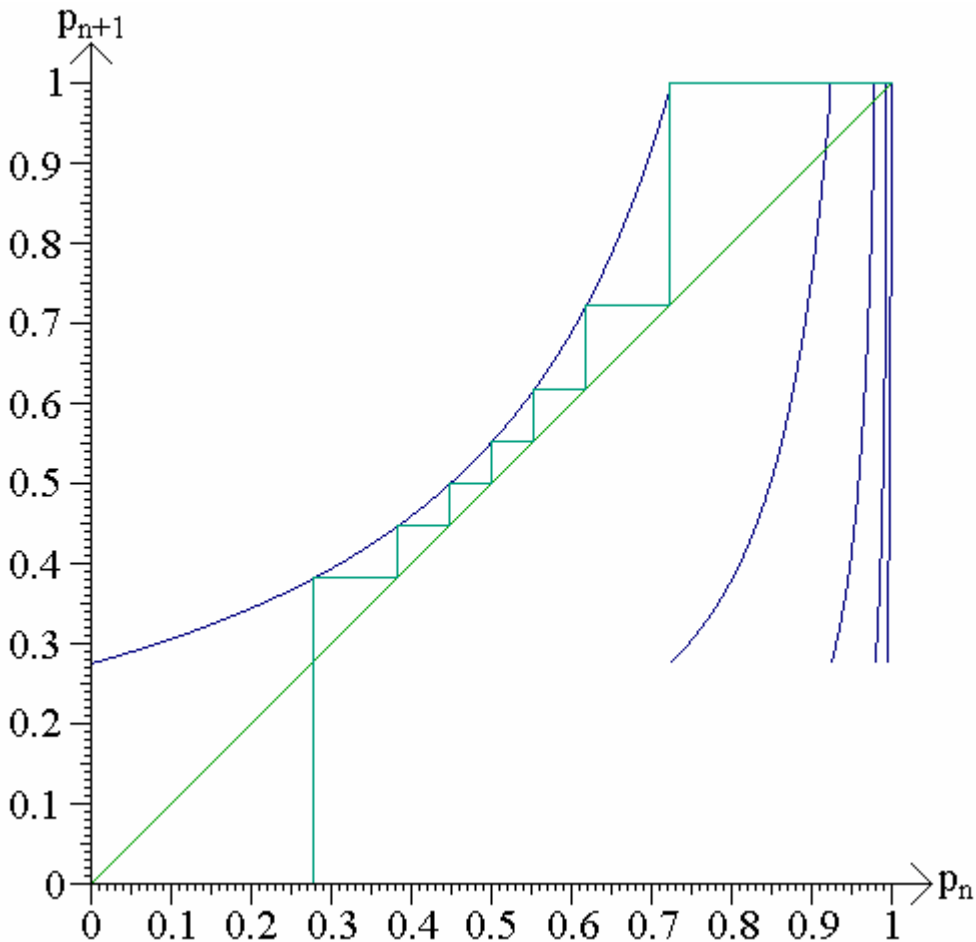
Where  $p_7$  has indeed been validated as 1, hence  $\frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{10} \in I_7 \circ$

It has also been observed when  $p = 0.2$ , the value of  $p_\infty$ ,

$$\frac{1-\sqrt{0.2}}{2} = \frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{10}, \text{ will also fall on the this value.}$$

Graph 5 below depicts how  $\frac{5-\sqrt{5}}{10}$  is plotted in seven times to achieve the result of one:

Graph 5



3. Scenarios where  $p_5 = 1$  and  $p_9 = 1$ :

(1) Two  $p$  values concluded from the experiment, which are plotted in five and nine times respectively, would produce

results that are in close proximity to 1:

Table 6

|       |                     |                     |
|-------|---------------------|---------------------|
| $p_0$ | 0.29289 32188 13452 | 0.26794 91924 31122 |
| $p_1$ | 0.41421 35623 73094 | 0.36602 54037 84437 |
| $p_2$ | 0.49999 99999 99998 | 0.42264 97308 10372 |
| $p_3$ | 0.58578 64376 26902 | 0.46410 16151 37752 |
| $p_4$ | 0.70710 67811 86451 | 0.49999 99999 99996 |
| $p_5$ | 0.99999 99999 99977 | 0.53589 83848 62240 |
| $p_6$ |                     | 0.57735 02691 89617 |
| $p_7$ |                     | 0.63397 45962 15546 |
| $p_8$ |                     | 0.73205 08075 68845 |
| $p_9$ |                     | 0.99999 99999 99877 |

(2) The process in which  $p - I_5$  shown to left is plotted can be observed that,

$$p_1 \doteq \sqrt{2} - 1, p_2 \doteq \frac{1}{2}, p_4 \doteq \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2},$$

$$\therefore \frac{p}{1-p_1} = p_2, \quad \therefore \frac{p}{2-\sqrt{2}} = \frac{1}{2},$$

$$p = \frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2} \circ$$

Scenario where  $p = \frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2}$  is plotted in:

$$p_1 = \sqrt{2}-1, \quad p_2 = \frac{1}{2}, \quad p_3 = 2-\sqrt{2}, \quad p_4 = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}, \quad p_5=1$$

which validates  $\frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2} \in I_5 \circ$

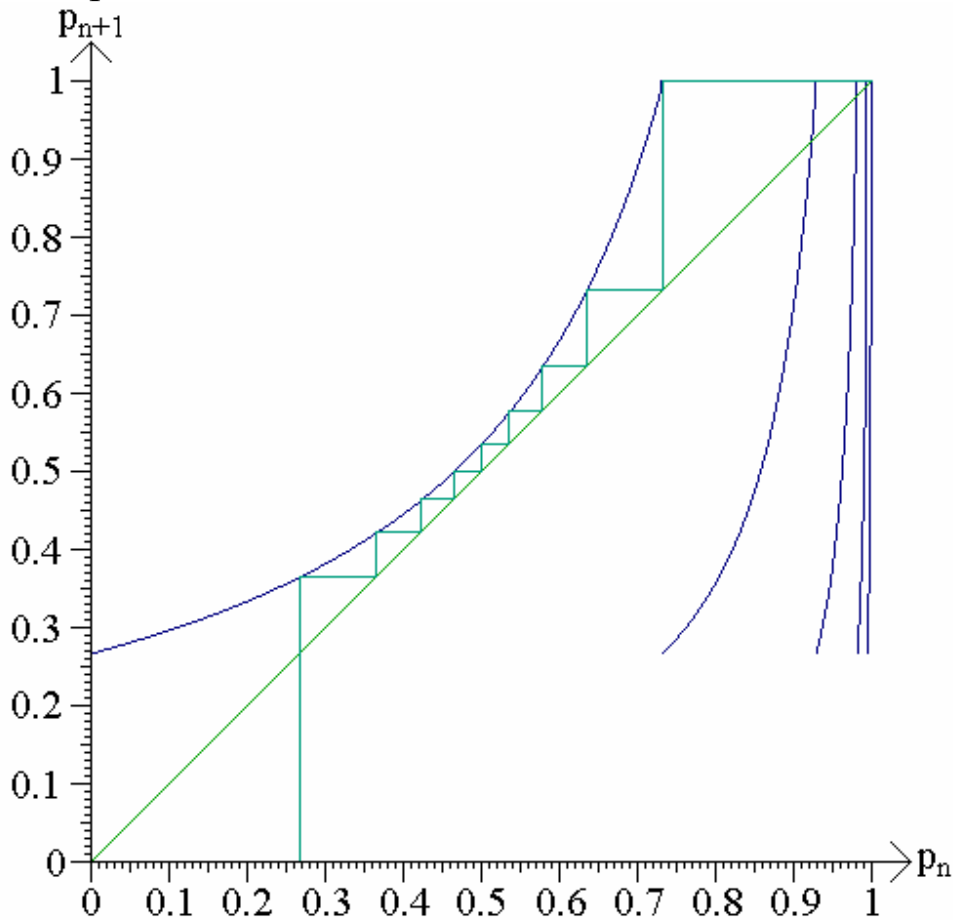
Graph 6 below depicts a scenario when  $p = \frac{2-\sqrt{2}}{2}$  is plotted in:



$$p_5 = 4 - 2\sqrt{3}, \quad p_6 = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}, \quad p_7 = \frac{3 - \sqrt{3}}{2}, \quad p_8 = \sqrt{3} - 1, \quad p_9 = 1.$$

Which validates  $2 - \sqrt{3} \in I_9$ .

Graph 7



(IV) While it may be unfeasible to validate through experiment whether  $I_n$  consists of all tangible elements being that the number of a set,  $I_n$ , can be infinite. In light of which, the premise of  $k_n = 1$  has been taken in an attempt to ascertain a  $p$  value that produces  $p_n = 1$ :

1. Assuming  $k_n = 1$ ,  $p_0, p_1, p_2, \dots$  are expressed in  $p$ :

$$p_0 = p,$$

$$p_1 = \frac{p}{1 - p_0} = \frac{p}{1 - p},$$

$$p_2 = \frac{p}{1-p_1} = \frac{p-p^2}{1-2p} ,$$

$$p_3 = \frac{p}{1-p_2} = \frac{p-2p^2}{1-3p+p^2} ,$$

$$p_4 = \frac{p}{1-p_3} = \frac{p-3p^2+p^3}{1-4p+3p^2} ,$$

$$p_5 = \frac{p}{1-p_4} = \frac{p-4p^2+3p^3}{1-5p+6p^2-p^3} ,$$

$$p_6 = \frac{p}{1-p_5} = \frac{p-5p^2+6p^3-p^4}{1-6p+10p^2-4p^3} .$$

2. Assuming  $p_n = \frac{a(p)}{b(p)}$  , then  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p}{1-p_n} = \frac{p b(p)}{b(p)-a(p)}$  , in which the numerator being the denominator of  $p_n$  times  $p$ , and the denominator's  $a(p)$  being the denominator of  $p_{n-1}$  times  $p$ , the denominator of  $p_{n+1}$  will equal to the denominator of  $p_n$  minus the denominator of  $p_{n-1}$  times  $p$ .

Thus for any random natural number  $n$ , its  $p_n$  can be expressed as  $\frac{p a_{n-1}(p)}{a_n(p)}$  , in which  $a_0(p) = 1$ ,  $a_1(p) = 1 - p$ ,  $a_{n+1}(p) = a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p)$  , as indicated in the table blow :

Table 7

|                     | Constant number | P   | p <sup>2</sup> | p <sup>3</sup> | p <sup>4</sup> | p <sup>5</sup> |
|---------------------|-----------------|-----|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| a <sub>0</sub> (p)  | 1               |     |                |                |                |                |
| a <sub>1</sub> (p)  | 1               | -1  |                |                |                |                |
| a <sub>2</sub> (p)  | 1               | -2  |                |                |                |                |
| a <sub>3</sub> (p)  | 1               | -3  | +1             |                |                |                |
| a <sub>4</sub> (p)  | 1               | -4  | +3             |                |                |                |
| a <sub>5</sub> (p)  | 1               | -5  | +6             | -1             |                |                |
| a <sub>6</sub> (p)  | 1               | -6  | +10            | -4             |                |                |
| a <sub>7</sub> (p)  | 1               | -7  | +15            | -10            | +1             |                |
| a <sub>8</sub> (p)  | 1               | -8  | +21            | -20            | +5             |                |
| a <sub>9</sub> (p)  | 1               | -9  | +28            | -35            | +15            | -1             |
| a <sub>10</sub> (p) | 1               | -10 | +36            | -56            | +35            | -6             |

3. All polynomials above have been derived from the Fibonacci polynomial:

(1) The Fibonacci polynomial's inductive equation is defined as  $f_{n+1}(x) = x f_n(x) + f_{n-1}(x)$ , where  $a_{n+1}(p) = a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p)$  times  $p$  being  $a_{n-1}$  instead of  $a_n$ , hence the coefficients produced will be the opposite to the sequence of Fibonacci polynomial, meaning the sequential ranking will be exactly the opposite. While the "Minus" that appeared the computation of  $a_n(p)$  and  $a_{n-1}(p)$  would result in a conditional value to  $a_n(p)$ , thus producing constants within to cover both positive and negative integrals.

(2) While the varied integrals in the Fibonacci polynomial, where  $f_1 = 1, f_2 = x$ , would produce polynomials with a deviation of 2 amongst every two adjacent polynomials, meaning there are omission in between every two, there will not be any omission with  $a_n(p)$ .

4. To conclude a solution, where  $p_n = 1$  :

(1) To condition  $p_n = \frac{p a_{n-1}(p)}{a_n(p)} = 1$ , it is necessary that  $p a_{n-1}(p) = a_n(p)$ , in which the conversion allows  $a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p) = 0$  be substituted with  $a_{n+1}(p) = 0$  ◦

(2) The solution for Fibonacci polynomial using  $f_n(x) = 0$  will conclude

$$x \in \left\{ 2i \cos \frac{j\pi}{n}, j = 1, 2, \dots, n-1 \right\} \circ$$

(3) Suppose the  $x^2$  in the Fibonacci polynomials are substituted with  $p$ , where any odd number is simplified with an  $x$ , a polynomial,  $g_n(p)$ , can therefore be concluded, and the solution to polynomials  $g_n(p) = 0$  will always be the square root to the solution where  $g_n(p) = 0$  :

$$p \in \left\{ -4 \cos^2 \frac{j\pi}{n}, j = 1, 2, \dots, n-1 \right\} \circ$$

Moreover, for  $\cos \frac{j\pi}{n} = \cos \frac{(n-j)\pi}{n}$ , one half of the solutions will be repetitive, hence the dissimilar solutions would be:

$$p \in \{-4 \cos^2 \frac{j\pi}{n}, j = 1, 2, \dots, [\frac{n}{2}]\}$$

For example :  $f_6(x) = x^5 + 4x^3 + 3x$ , then  $g_6(p) = p^2 + 4p + 3$ ,  
The solution where  $g_6(p) = 0$  will conclude  $-3, -1, 0$  .

- (4) By converting all elements under  $g_n(p)$  to fall within the positive and negative integral and a leading coefficient as positive will conclude  $h_n(p)$ , and the solution to  $h_n(p)$  will be the exact reverse number of that for  $g_n(p)$  :

$$p \in \{4 \cos^2 \frac{j\pi}{n}, j = 1, 2, \dots, [\frac{n}{2}]\} \circ$$

For example: The solution to  $h_6(p) = p^2 - 4p + 3$ ,  $h_6(p) = 0$  will be  $3, 1, 0$  .

- (5) Finally, all  $h_n(p)$  coefficients are sequentially reserved to arrive at the initial  $a_{n-2}(p)$  for  $h_2(p)$  corresponds to  $a_0(p)$ , and the solution to where  $a_{n-2}(p) = 0$  will be the reverse number of the solution for  $h_n(p)$  :

$$p \in \{\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{j\pi}{n}}, j = 1, 2, \dots, [\frac{n-1}{2}]\} \circ \text{ Where } j = \frac{n}{2} \text{ emerges as}$$

incoherent since  $\cos \frac{\pi}{2} = 0$ , thus rendering  $p = \frac{1}{0}$  meaningless.

For example : The solution to  $a_4(p) = 3p^2 - 4p + 1$ ,  $a_4(p) = 0$  will be  $\frac{1}{3}, 1$  .

- (6) And the solution to  $p_n = 1$  will be that of the solution of  $a_{n+1}(p) = 0$ , meaning,

$$p \in \left\{ \frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{j\pi}{n+3}}, j = 1, 2, \dots, \left[ \frac{n+2}{2} \right] \right\} \circ$$

5. Validation is then made to certain that only  $\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}}$  of all

solutions found where  $a_{n+1} = 0$ , meaning  $j = 1$ , will produce the optimal result:

(1) The solution for where  $p_{n+1} = 0$  must be smaller than the solution where  $p_n = 0$  for it is necessary to reduce the value of  $p_n$  in order to delay the occurrence of where  $p_n = 1$  since  $p_n$  does increase alongside increasing  $p_0$  before reaching 1.

(2) When the mathematical recursive method is applied: Given  $n = 1$ , only one solution where  $a_2(p) = 0$  can be obtained, which is  $\frac{1}{2}$ , and  $j = 1$  is to withstand.

Given where  $n = k$  is to withstand, this indicates a rational solution will be  $\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{k+3}}$ ,

Then when  $n = k + 1$  and  $j$  being two or higher, since  $\frac{2\pi}{k+4}$

$$> \frac{\pi}{k+3},$$

$$\cos \frac{2\pi}{k+4} < \cos \frac{\pi}{k+3},$$

$$\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{2\pi}{k+4}} > \frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{k+3}},$$

would only arise to contradict would only allow  $j$  be set at 1.

(3) At which ,  $\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}} \in I_n$  . It is feasible that at least one p

value that before to  $I_n$  can be located in any random set of natural number n.

(V) Observation on findings concluded from replacing certain p values:

1. The p values close to 0.25, which are repeatedly plotted in do not produce a consistent distribution of  $p_n$  values but rather occurred around the proximity of 0.5:

(1) Distribution of  $p_n$  when  $p=0.250001$  :

In Fig. 8 below where the deep blue curve being where  $p_{n+1} = p_n$ , the blue diagonal line being, in between the light blue parameter are the axial position of p, and the square at the center has had 500 grids divided to cover from 0 to 1, this has been made to depict the distribution of  $p_n$  in various segments when p is plotted in 25,000 times. The grids below are subdivision of each segment in 200 shares, in which a corresponding black dot is placed when a  $p_n$  value falls on a certain point within a segment.

Graph 8

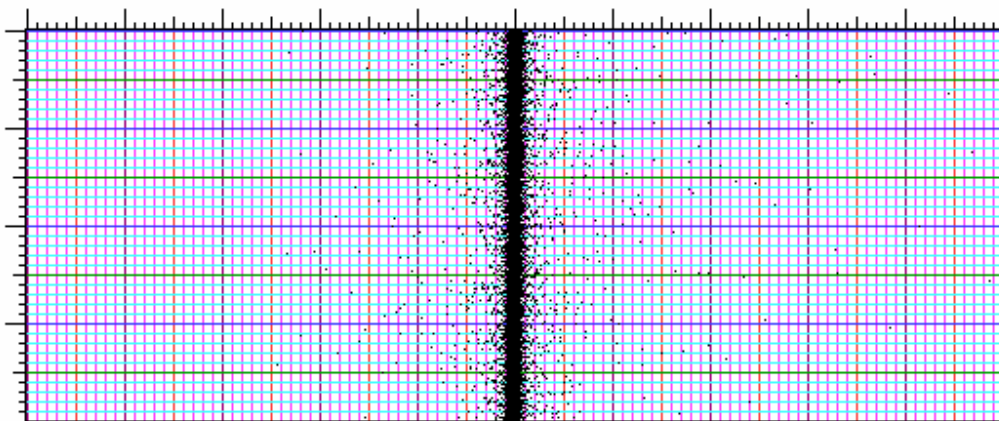
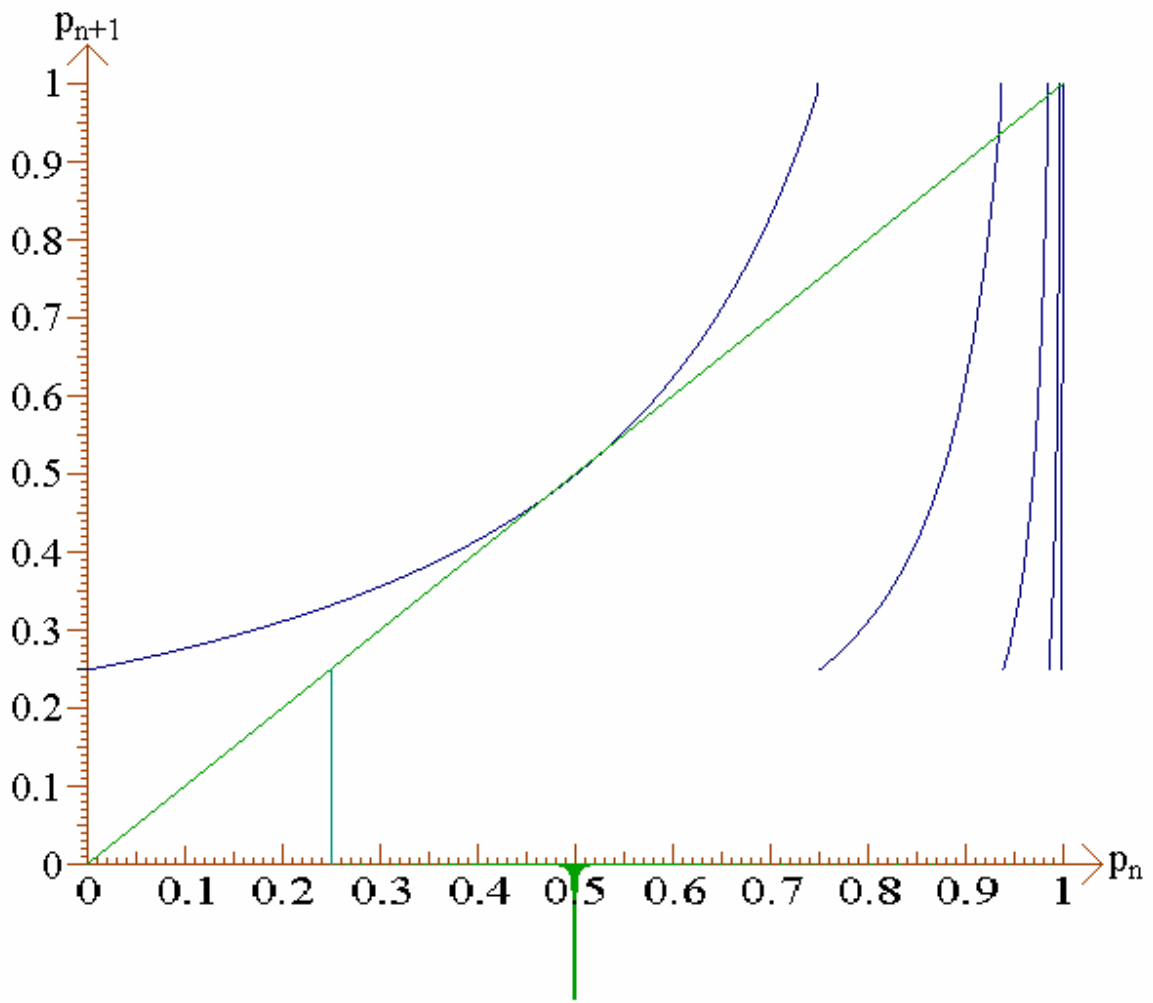


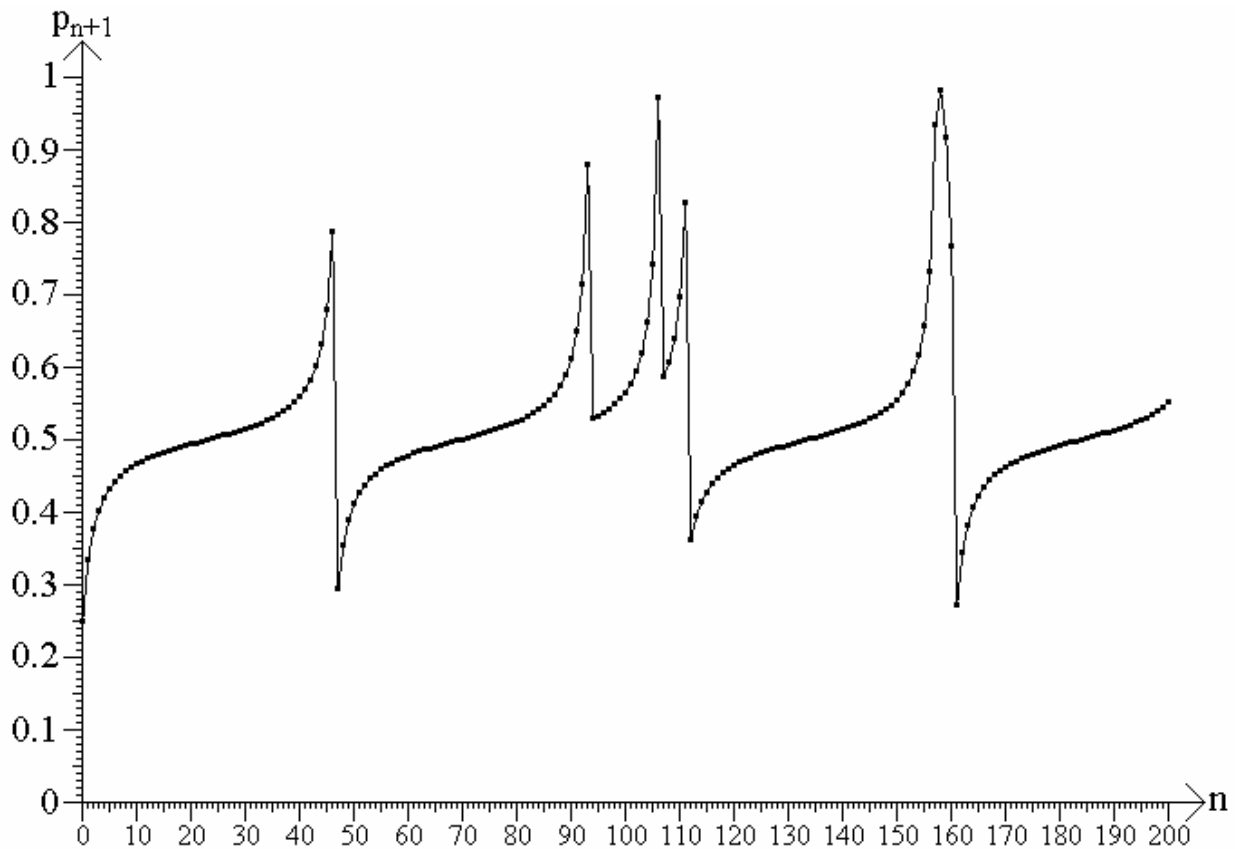
Table 8 below represents the numeral figures shown in the vertical grid in the center portion of Graph 8, where it consists of 20 rows and 20 columns, in an up-down and left-right configuration, where numbers that fall below P to result in no  $p_n$  value within the parameter are shown with a strike.

Table 8

P0= .250001

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|--------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 78856  | 8 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 61752  | 6 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 8 637  | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 327  | 7 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 9 196  | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 10 133 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 11 94  | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 11 72  | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 15 55  | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 15 44  | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 18 37  | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 21 29  | 5 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 26 27  | 3 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 29 21  | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 37 19  | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 2 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 45 18  | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 55 14  | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 71 12  | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 95 13  | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 132 12 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 198 7  | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 326 10 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 639 8  | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 1682 8 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| - | - | - | - | - | 0 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 8858 6 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

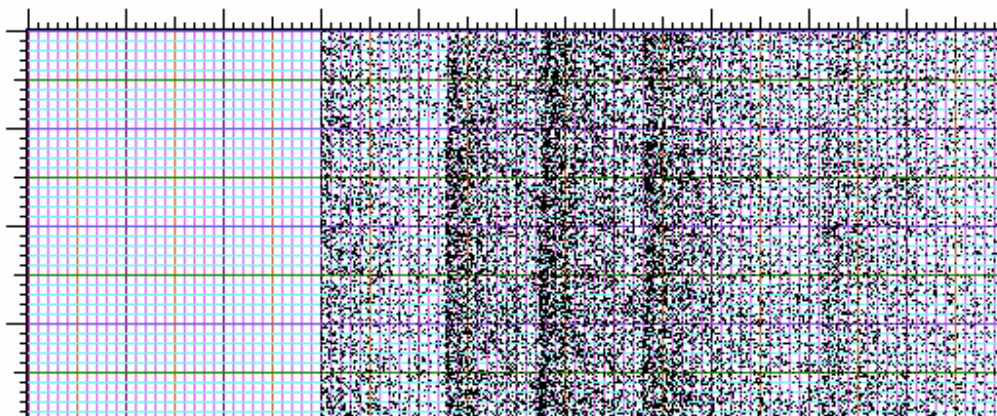
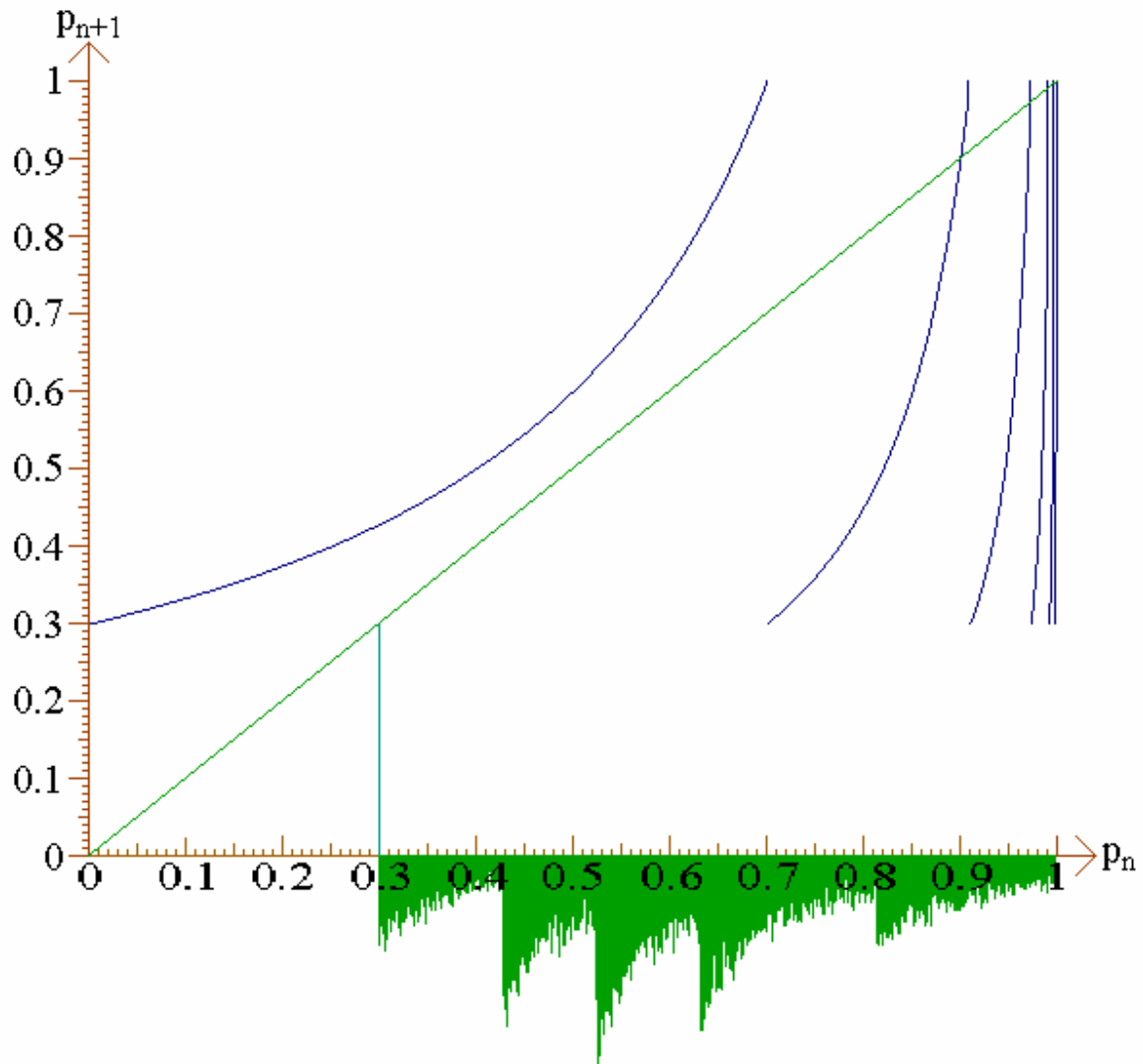
- (2) Condition where  $p = 0.251$  is plotted in 200 times and the corresponding  $p_n$  values are mapped into a curve:  
Graph 9



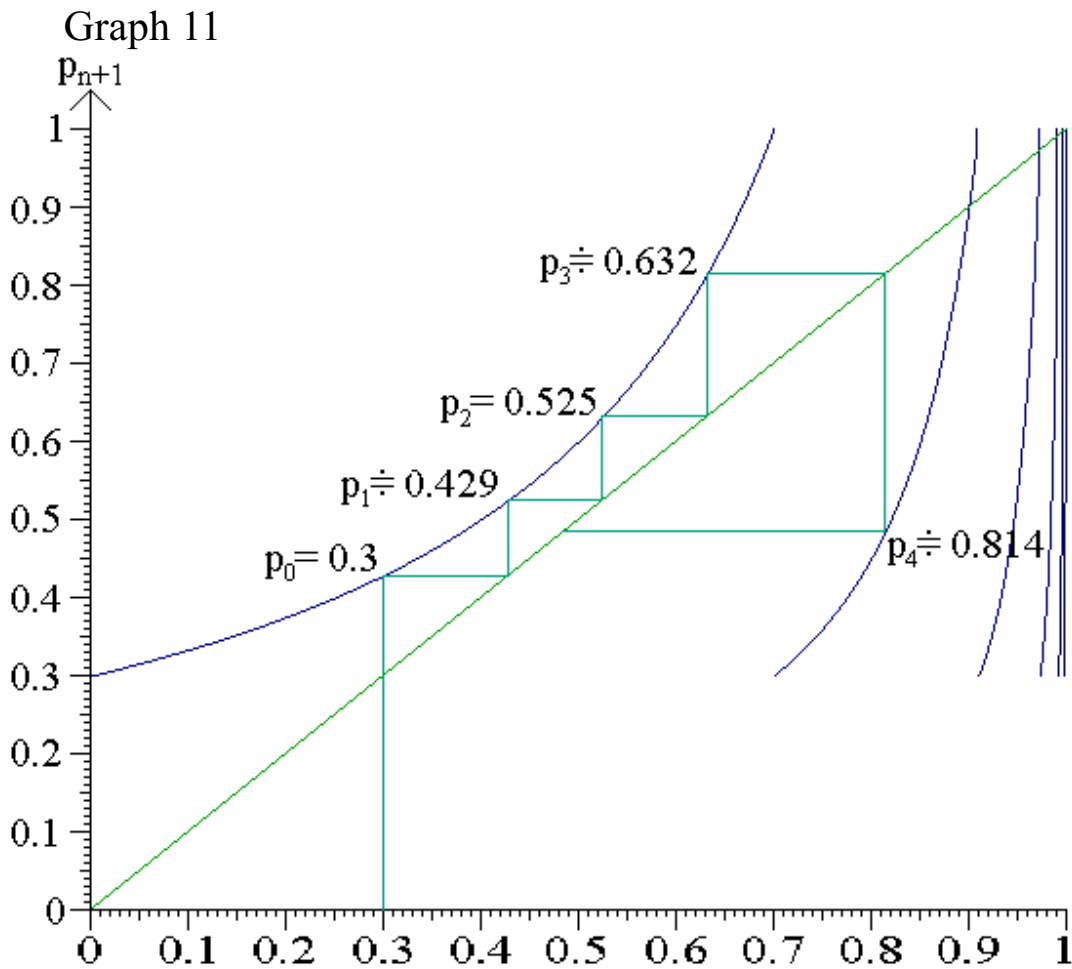
Graph 9 above indicates that as  $p_n$  gradually diminishes from 0.25 as it approaches 0.5, its rate of increase tapers and picks up again as it approaches 1, and that thereafter has no specific pattern and can be anywhere between  $p$  and 1, depending on the previously  $p_n$ . What follows is the same repetitive process, and the slowest point of increase in  $p_n$  is still at around 0.5, being that as  $p$  approaches 0.25 and  $p_n$  approaches 0.5,  $\frac{p}{1-p_n} \doteq \frac{0.25}{1-0.5} = 0.5$ , regulating the  $p_{n+1}$  and  $p_n$  produced to contain little variation.

This also indicates that despite  $p_n$  values are largely concentrated at around 0.5 when  $p$  approaches 0.25 but the distribution has not been an even one.

2. Under the scenario where  $0.25 < p < 0.5$  :  
assuming  $p = 0.3$  for instance,  
A fluctuation curve using  $p=0.3$  as shown in Fig. 8, page 21  
indicates:  
Graph 10

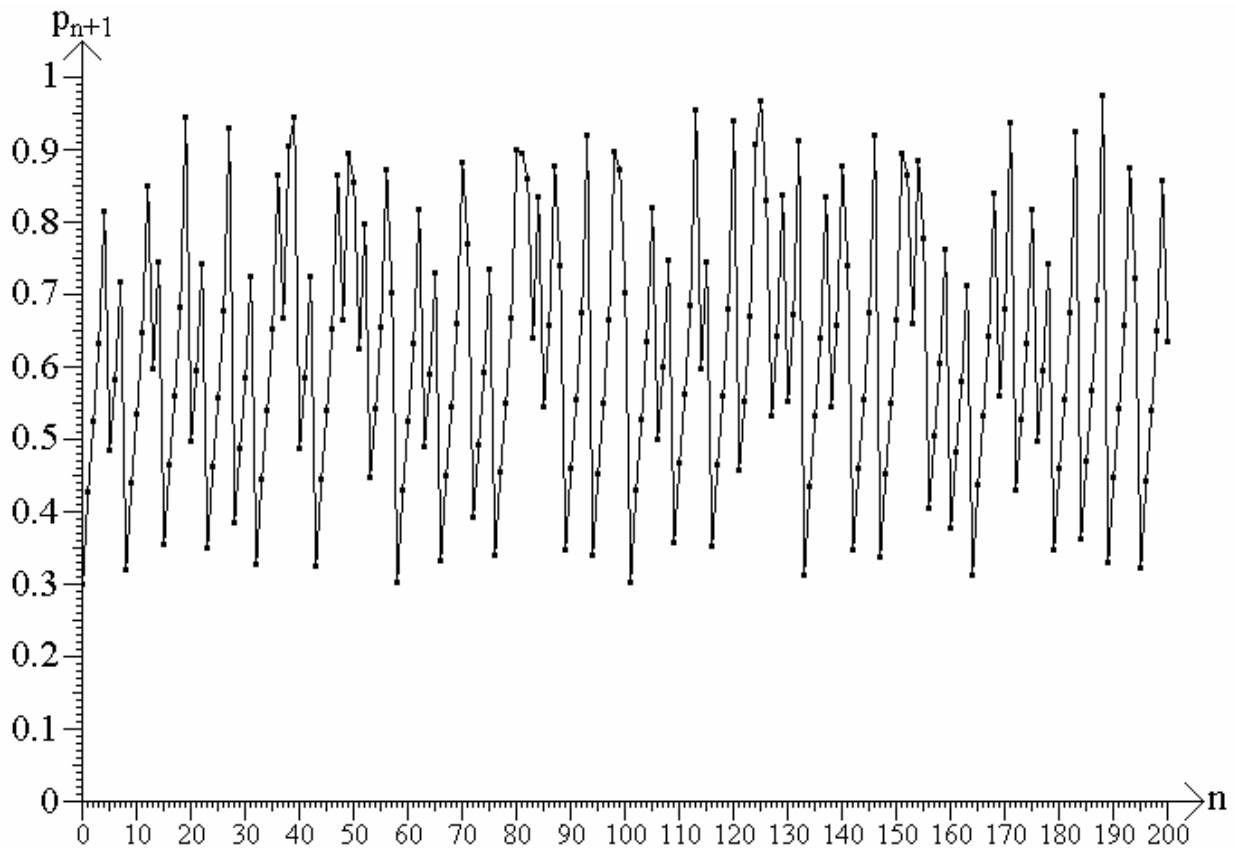


Graph 11 below depicts a flowchart mapping the positions of  $p_1$  through  $p_5$  five times each, where  $p = 0.3$ :



Graph 10 from the previous page shows  $p_n$  has an exceptionally high occurrence at roughly five spots of 0.300, 0.428, 0.524, 0.642, .814, which are also roughly coincident with that appears between  $p_0$  through  $p_4$  where  $p=0.3$  as depicted in Graph 11. A more in-depth observation is now made through replacing  $p$  200 times and connecting all  $p_n$  values produced into a flowchart format.

Graph 12



Graph 12 above provides a few observations as follows :

- (1) At the starting point where  $p=0.3$ ,  $p_n$  has begun incrementally increasing and has already reached 0.8 or higher before replacing the fourth time, and it is evident, when compared with that in Graph 11 of the previous page, that the value of  $p_5$  is tied to  $p_4$  and  $k_5$  when fifth replacement takes place, instead of continuing to increase.
- (2) The process is then repeated – Where 2 when  $p_n < 0.7$  and  $k_{n+1}$  is defined as 1 until a certain value arises to indicate  $p_{n+m} > 0.7$ , it can be concluded from Graph 10 that when  $p_{n+m} > 0$ ,  $p_{n+m+1}$  can be any number between  $p$  and 1 but most probably a smaller value being that the cure appears milder when  $p_{n+1}$  in Graph 10 is relatively smaller, hence a greater area of  $p_n$  is being projected onto a relatively smaller  $p_{n+1}$ .

- (3) Following the same method and upon repeated replacement, where a given replacement that reaches 0.7 or higher tends to produce a  $p$  value equals to 0.3 but less frequently on other figures. While continuing to plot in these figures four more times and the results will become closer to  $p_1$ ,  $p_2$ ,  $p_3$  and  $p_4$ ; however, upon the fifth replacement, the figures may not always come near  $p_5$ , which is because when  $p_4 > 7$ , it can be observed from Graph 10 that when  $p_n$  value increases, any minute difference can result in a greater disparity on  $p_{n+1}$ . Which explains why there is a concentration of  $p_n$  in the parameter encircled by  $p_0$ ,  $p_1$ ,  $p_2$ ,  $p_3$  and  $p_4$  as observed in the center block in Graph 10.
- (4) Yet noticeably is that once the sequence of replacement reaches 0.7, the ones that follow tend to become less orderly and are scattered between  $p$  and 1, and the smaller the numbers, the higher the frequency that they appear. While 0.3 being a rational number, no  $p_n$  generated will be repeated, thus the chaos phenomenon after repeatedly replacing  $p$  will make  $p_n$  values generated even more unpredictable.

The chaos phenomenon, taking to the characteristics of certain graphic fragments, has had such characteristics largely came from the accumulation of a particular repetition. And the ability to ascertain a set of rules with which to randomly execute the replacement would allow the grappling of certain configuration traits simply by repeating these rules as the scale gradually goes down. At which, it can be concluded that the more fragmented a configuration, the simpler the rules would become.

## 2. Scenario where $p > 0.5$ :

The greater that  $p$  is, the distribution of  $p_n$  will become more evenly as can be demonstrated when  $p = 0.8$ ,

The graphic below depicts a scenario on sequence of replacement

where  $p=0.8$ , and the graph has been proportionally increased for easier reading, indicating only the range between 0.8 and 1 since  $p_n \geq 0.8$ .

The upper half of the coordinate shown in the graph depicts the values of  $p_{n+1}$  when  $p_n$  is repeatedly replaced. In which, the area between 0.7 and 1, subdivided into 500 grids, indicates a square block, in which the number of  $p_n$  in each grid is tallied as  $p$  is repeatedly replaced 25,000 times. The square below is a subdivision of 200 from each grid, where a dot is placed wherever it corresponds to a certain  $p_n$  value.

Graph 13

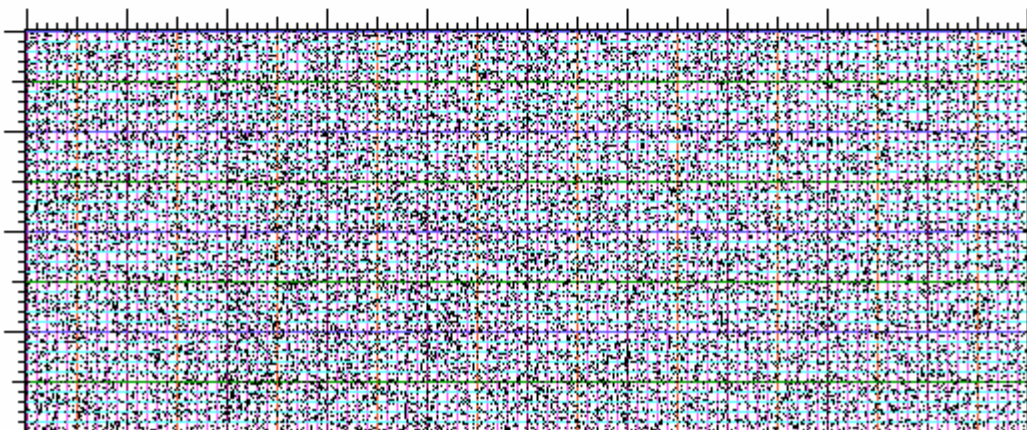
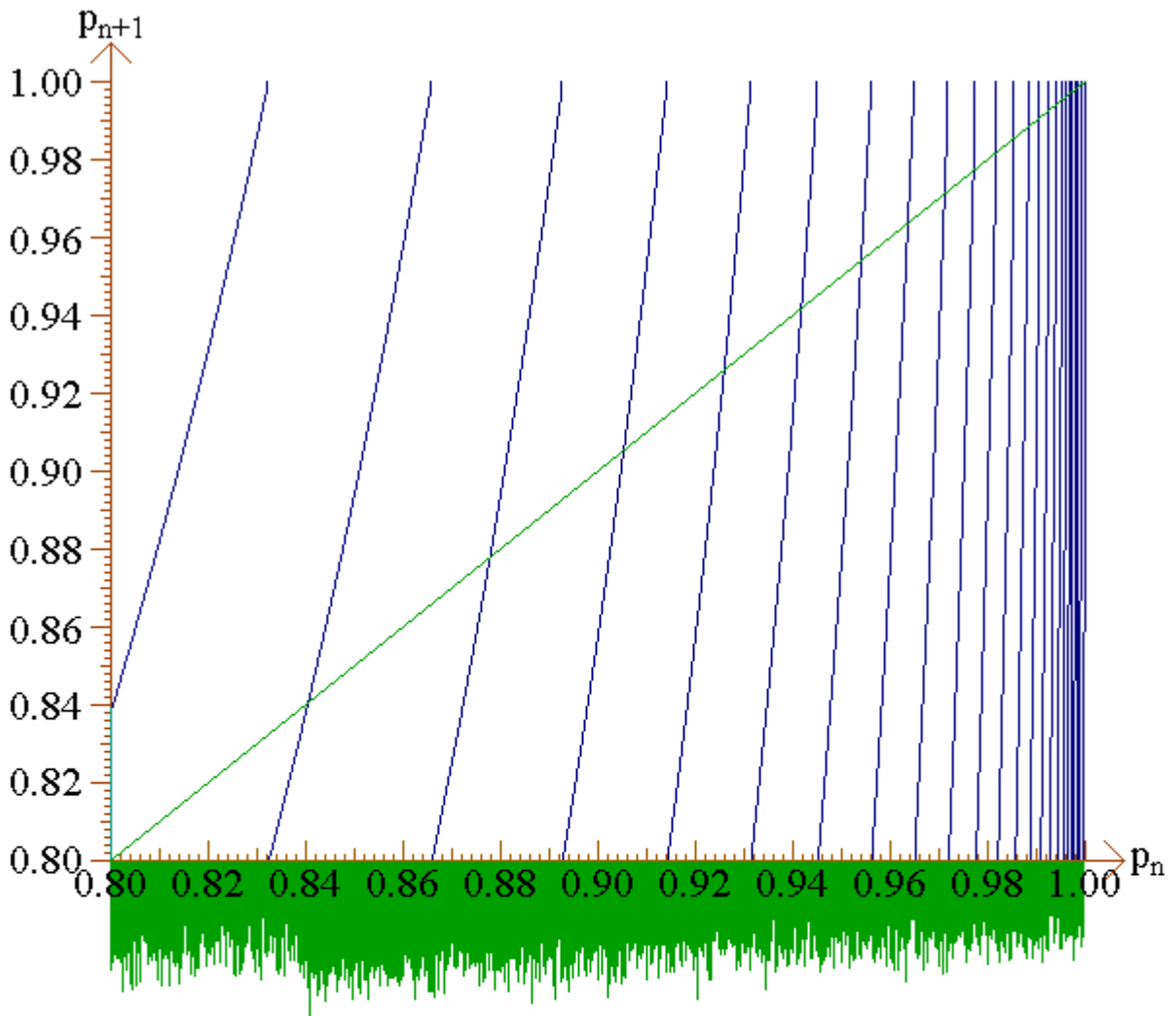


Table 9 below depicts the numbers that represent the 500 straight lines appeared in the center block in Graph 13, where it consists of 25 rows and 20 columns in an up-down, left-right configuration.

Table 9

P0= .8

|    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| 56 | 45 | 47 | 45 | 51 | 56 | 59 | 42 | 57 | 49 | 61 | 61 | 49 | 47 | 47 | 52 | 50 | 54 | 53 | 41 |
| 52 | 64 | 48 | 54 | 65 | 52 | 48 | 54 | 54 | 50 | 43 | 43 | 71 | 47 | 34 | 36 | 52 | 41 | 38 | 45 |
| 48 | 50 | 44 | 61 | 80 | 65 | 52 | 55 | 62 | 64 | 58 | 53 | 44 | 44 | 53 | 43 | 56 | 58 | 40 | 39 |
| 50 | 48 | 53 | 29 | 57 | 68 | 50 | 54 | 52 | 71 | 45 | 52 | 46 | 56 | 50 | 38 | 35 | 37 | 35 | 52 |
| 50 | 50 | 41 | 47 | 60 | 51 | 55 | 46 | 67 | 44 | 49 | 45 | 49 | 44 | 47 | 55 | 56 | 57 | 42 | 38 |
| 52 | 64 | 41 | 49 | 58 | 61 | 61 | 47 | 50 | 40 | 70 | 43 | 42 | 37 | 40 | 48 | 46 | 46 | 46 | 45 |
| 67 | 46 | 52 | 46 | 69 | 61 | 71 | 59 | 50 | 62 | 63 | 60 | 56 | 47 | 54 | 51 | 39 | 42 | 52 | 46 |
| 49 | 52 | 33 | 38 | 66 | 71 | 59 | 56 | 50 | 60 | 54 | 50 | 61 | 49 | 40 | 50 | 45 | 50 | 41 | 28 |
| 56 | 54 | 38 | 47 | 56 | 57 | 61 | 47 | 56 | 54 | 59 | 43 | 61 | 45 | 31 | 36 | 62 | 42 | 44 | 28 |
| 47 | 52 | 54 | 39 | 63 | 54 | 55 | 55 | 62 | 61 | 62 | 43 | 41 | 52 | 50 | 48 | 42 | 41 | 47 | 42 |
| 63 | 63 | 36 | 56 | 72 | 60 | 49 | 53 | 53 | 67 | 54 | 57 | 41 | 48 | 50 | 50 | 40 | 38 | 37 | 37 |
| 66 | 55 | 44 | 58 | 64 | 56 | 59 | 52 | 44 | 53 | 46 | 47 | 36 | 66 | 38 | 41 | 30 | 39 | 51 | 29 |
| 41 | 47 | 40 | 55 | 58 | 54 | 56 | 54 | 63 | 60 | 63 | 57 | 45 | 51 | 46 | 43 | 30 | 36 | 50 | 45 |
| 64 | 33 | 58 | 39 | 57 | 64 | 67 | 52 | 57 | 52 | 59 | 54 | 48 | 51 | 49 | 45 | 47 | 43 | 36 | 45 |
| 47 | 48 | 59 | 59 | 54 | 53 | 67 | 64 | 52 | 46 | 60 | 57 | 45 | 41 | 57 | 41 | 50 | 52 | 36 | 37 |
| 62 | 46 | 43 | 32 | 58 | 56 | 67 | 52 | 48 | 59 | 42 | 44 | 48 | 30 | 53 | 38 | 48 | 45 | 44 | 41 |
| 38 | 58 | 58 | 46 | 67 | 58 | 70 | 62 | 73 | 47 | 51 | 42 | 45 | 57 | 51 | 50 | 36 | 46 | 42 | 39 |
| 41 | 49 | 56 | 51 | 61 | 64 | 48 | 60 | 50 | 44 | 46 | 51 | 40 | 54 | 49 | 52 | 56 | 42 | 37 | 38 |
| 42 | 59 | 52 | 43 | 59 | 60 | 66 | 47 | 60 | 56 | 45 | 54 | 42 | 43 | 44 | 47 | 41 | 32 | 44 | 38 |
| 53 | 55 | 44 | 51 | 50 | 60 | 51 | 56 | 52 | 59 | 42 | 41 | 44 | 47 | 49 | 44 | 52 | 39 | 47 | 51 |
| 49 | 55 | 42 | 38 | 61 | 60 | 46 | 47 | 62 | 50 | 55 | 51 | 43 | 50 | 39 | 50 | 39 | 43 | 50 | 40 |
| 51 | 42 | 33 | 52 | 55 | 59 | 68 | 56 | 42 | 57 | 48 | 43 | 56 | 45 | 55 | 39 | 40 | 48 | 39 | 39 |
| 47 | 37 | 46 | 57 | 65 | 62 | 56 | 66 | 54 | 51 | 50 | 45 | 51 | 54 | 39 | 44 | 36 | 38 | 40 | 33 |
| 51 | 44 | 50 | 53 | 59 | 64 | 53 | 56 | 58 | 47 | 47 | 47 | 54 | 53 | 42 | 54 | 44 | 31 | 50 | 44 |
| 61 | 54 | 57 | 60 | 71 | 61 | 49 | 56 | 51 | 46 | 43 | 56 | 42 | 45 | 41 | 33 | 45 | 38 | 43 | 39 |

What can be seen in Graph 13 is that the disparity amongst the distribution of  $p_n$  has become less ominous, which stems from that only the incrementally increasing figures would occur when the 8<sup>th</sup> replacement first takes place, similar to what occurred on the third replacement, where the first four  $K_n$  can be taken to the smallest value of 1 and that only the fifth placement would  $K_n$  become some other numbers as the incrementally increasing rhythm stops. Whereas when  $p=0.8$  and  $k_1=$ ,  $p_1 =0.8388608$ , and when repeated up to  $n_2$ , the maximum sequence of replacement of 8 no longer applies but rather by 9, under which the incrementally increasing rhythm will immediately come to a halt as soon as  $p_2 \doteq 0.8329303\dots$ , which has stemmed from the relatively larger gradient of  $p_{n+1} = \frac{0.8^{k_{n+1}}}{1-p_n}$  that is approaching a

straight line that no longer represents a curve, which means any  $p_{n+1}$ ,  $m$  between 0.8 and 1, derived from  $p_n$  used in the next sequence of replacement process will produce a nearly even distribution, which can be used for simulating random numbers.

(VI) Applications of  $p_n$  values derived from replacing the  $p$  values, where  $0.25 < p < 1$ , using a random number generator:

- Given that  $p_n$  generated when  $p$  approaches one would appear an indirect even distribution, linear function, where  $r = a + \frac{b(p_n - p)}{1 - p}$ , can be used to convert the value of  $p$  to 1 into that of between  $a$  and  $b$  for generating a set of random numbers between given  $a$  and  $b$ . To weed out the first few numbers that may not have been as evenly normalized, the first few  $p_n$  values generated may be scrapped as demonstrated in Table 10 below, where random figures derived from replacing the  $P$  values, where  $p=0.9$ , have had the random figures begin at  $P_{10}$ .

$$r_1 = 0.7644915\dots, \quad r_2 = 0.5658556\dots, \quad r_3 = 0.7643012\dots, \\ r_4 = 0.5581310\dots, \quad r_5 = 0.5936046\dots, \quad \text{so on and so forth}$$

Table 10

|                     |                     |                        |                     |
|---------------------|---------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| 1).984770902183612  | 2).970568520843624  | 3).945003096738492     | 4).951594729868443  |
| 5).973061132485150  | 6).929198491218439  | 7).912562740599305     | 8).912270622656761  |
| 9).909232978649651  | 10).976449153866438 | 11).956585568823122    | 12).976430120724319 |
| 13).955813107120308 | 14).959360468966092 | 15).938791405241909    | 16).950025682387580 |
| 17).942509857518431 | 18).910325858376755 | 19).988349367969318    | 20).924865160613559 |
| 21).95547949995319  | 22).952171657343451 | 23).984798643571927    | 24).972339738981343 |
| 25).904964527740656 | 26).932592631882362 | 27).958512707090255    | 28).919607903333041 |
| 29).992217473905698 | 30).908400486485661 | 31).967574802486815    | 32).953059865558774 |
| 33).903089835166414 | 34).914551960041752 | 35).933508166083718    | 36).971710585898658 |
| 37).983153586876528 | 38).974878340444946 | 39).996413274173846    | 40).942751712122974 |
| 41).914171676455297 | 42).929372027583961 | 43).914804951665213    | 44).936280272574271 |
| 45).912586091502338 | 46).912514317775938 | 47).911765686099131    | 48).904029731182470 |
| 49).923508731282576 | 50).938535861320232 | 51).946075846047458    | 52).970525441137113 |
| 53).943621890110441 | 54).928281622162509 | 55).900896267323153    | 56).993676903568007 |
| 57).905634914572590 | 58).939217940566622 | 59).956692444203495    | 60).978839777391401 |
| 61).958192168649778 | 62).912557317984198 | 63).912214049684090    | 64).908647030530762 |
| 65).970186100259932 | 66).932881615181347 | 67).962639656285516    | 68).919071796162667 |
| 69).985644550288110 | 70).926672094171494 | 71).979024260382969    | 72).966619530973894 |
| 73).925785505244521 | 74).967328538794436 | 75).945876102332696    | 76).966943726492773 |
| 77).934865037823350 | 78).991952965552336 | 79).976156777054526    | 80).944855466748701 |
| 81).949047171443835 | 82).924409660997379 | 83).949721878700612    | 84).936814776590232 |
| 85).920305949160431 | 86).900817539237712 | 87).992888152416208    | 88).994066648203076 |
| 89).965123440007528 | 90).984524798613644 | 91).955133479197681    | 92).944828293283331 |
| 93).948579741632754 | 94).916006423695162 | 95).949673136757217    | 96).935907464473602 |
| 97).907277837043756 | 98).955859725126879 | 99).960373681339030100 | .962795529256995    |

2. Means for applying smaller  $p$  when  $p_n$  values appear unevenly distributed:

Table 11 below indicates figures concluding from replacing  $p$  25 times, where  $p=0.3$ .

Given that  $p=\frac{3}{10}$  is of a rational number, and that all  $p_n$  values are of rational number, meaning of limited decimal points or repetitive decimal numbers, a certain  $p_n$  values that are in limited decimal points may simply have all the decimal points of such a number taken, whereas those taking to repetitive decimal numbers may allow the number of a repetitive cycle to be taken. To weed out the numbers generated from being unevenly normalized, the first few decimal points of the figure may be dropped, and that the first few  $p_n$  values may also be dropped since the smaller numerator and denominator may risk shortening the repetitive cycle, or have a portion taken, such as that from  $p_5$ , or that from the third decimal point, if a repetitive cycle should become excessive.

$P_5$ , being a repetitive decimal of  $0.4846153$  would allow  $46153$  be taken.

$P_6$ , being having an extended repetitive cycle of  $0.58208966\dots$ , may allow that except the first two numbers  $58$  be taken, or simply the 10 digits after that.

$P_7$ , being a mixed repetitive decimal of  $0.717857142$ , may allow  $7857142$  be taken.

And the final figure blending the above findings would conclude  $4615320895522387857142\dots$ , which can be used for generating random numbers.

Table 11

|     |           |           |                    |
|-----|-----------|-----------|--------------------|
| 1)  | 3 /       | 7 =       | 0.4285714285714285 |
| 2)  | 21 /      | 40 =      | 0.5250000000000000 |
| 3)  | 12 /      | 19 =      | 0.6315789473684210 |
| 4)  | 57 /      | 70 =      | 0.8142857142857143 |
| 5)  | 63 /      | 130 =     | 0.4846153846153846 |
| 6)  | 39 /      | 67 =      | 0.5820895522388060 |
| 7)  | 201 /     | 280 =     | 0.7178571428571429 |
| 8)  | 126 /     | 395 =     | 0.3189873417721519 |
| 9)  | 237 /     | 538 =     | 0.4405204460966543 |
| 10) | 807 /     | 1,505 =   | 0.5362126245847176 |
| 11) | 903 /     | 1,396 =   | 0.6468481375358166 |
| 12) | 2,094 /   | 2,465 =   | 0.8494929006085192 |
| 13) | 4,437 /   | 7,420 =   | 0.5979784366576819 |
| 14) | 2,226 /   | 2,983 =   | 0.7462286288970835 |
| 15) | 26,847 /  | 75,700 =  | 0.3546499339498019 |
| 16) | 22,710 /  | 48,853 =  | 0.4648639796941846 |
| 17) | 146,559 / | 261,430 = | 0.5606051333052825 |
| 18) | 78,429 /  | 114,871 = | 0.6827571797929852 |
| 19) | 344,613 / | 364,420 = | 0.9456478788211404 |
| 20) | 491,967 / | 990,350 = | 0.4967607411521179 |

### III. Research finding & Discussion:

(I) Research findings on the hypothesis that  $p < 0.25$ :

$$p_n \text{ will converge to } p_\infty = \frac{1 - \sqrt{1 - 4p}}{2} .$$

(II) Research findings on the hypothesis that  $0.25 < p < 1$  :

1. Suppose  $p$  being a rational number other than  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{1}{3}$  , then  $p \in I_\infty$  , and that no two dissimilar  $a$  and  $b$  would conclude  $I_a = I_b$  .

$$2. \frac{1}{2} \in I_1, \quad \frac{1}{3} \in I_3, \quad \frac{2 - \sqrt{2}}{2} \in I_5, \quad \frac{5 - \sqrt{5}}{10} \in I_7, \quad 2 - \sqrt{3} \in I_9 .$$

3. Given that any natural number  $n$  exists within  $\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}} \in I_n$  ,

thus none of the  $I_n$  values would be an empty set.

(III) Given  $k_n = 1$ , and that  $p_n$  is expressed as  $p$ , the fraction concluded would be  $\frac{p a_{n-1}(p)}{a_n(p)}$  , in which the recursive equation of polynomial , , would be  $a_{n+1}(p) = a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p)$ ,  $a_0(p) = 1$ ,  $a_1(p) = p$  .

To condition  $p_n = 1$ , the numerator and denominator of this fraction would need to be identical:

$$a_n(p) - p a_{n-1}(p) = 0,$$

meaning  $a_{n+1}(p) = 0$  .

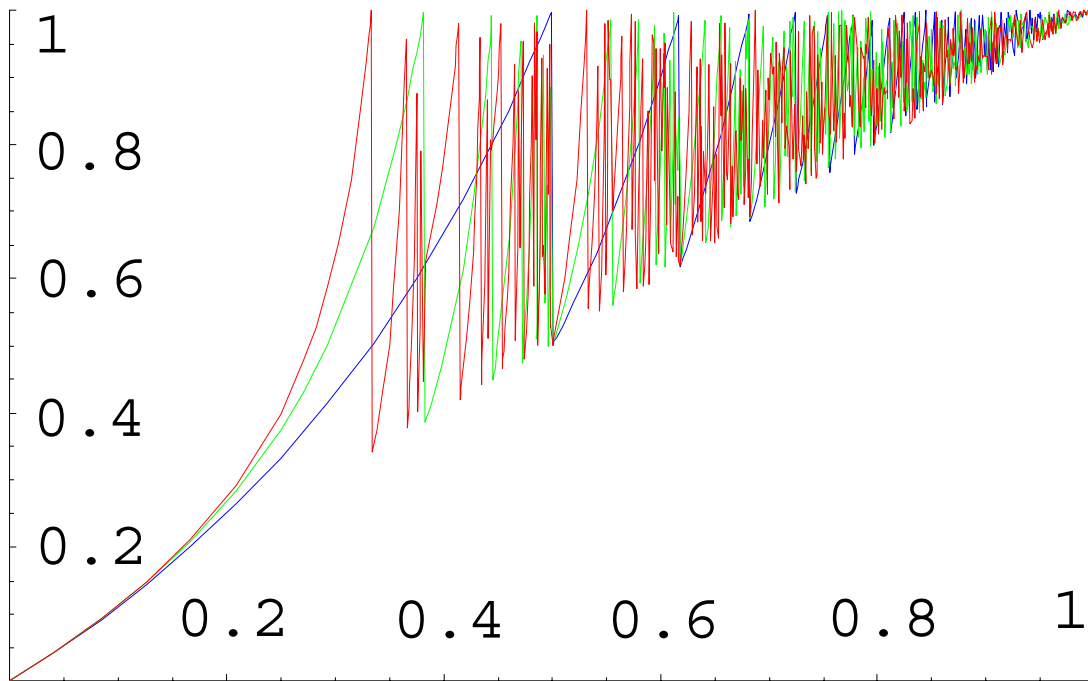
The polynomial can be deduced from the Fibonacci polynomial, and its differences to that of a straight Fibonacci polynomial are excerpted in Table 12:

Table 12

| Heading                                  | The denominator of $p_n$ minus the numerator, $a_{n+1}(p)$   | Fibonacci polynomial, $f_n(x)$   | The differential of square roots, where both polynomials equal to zero  |
|--|--|--|---|
| Sequential order of two adjacent numbers | Once   | Twice  | Given $p = x^2$ , concluding the solution, where $a_{n+1}(p) = 0$ , would require taking the square root, where $f_n(x) = 0$ .  |
| Minimum replacement                      | Constant number of zero times  | The minimum replacement would be constant if $n$ is of an odd number, whereas it would be at 1 when $n$ is of an even number | Given that extracting $x$ bears no relation to the solution of a Fibonacci polynomial, $a_{n+1}(p)=0$ , for the solution generated hypothesizing $x=0$ cannot be used for concluding a solution, where $a_{n+1}(p)=0$ ° |
| Positive and negative coefficients       | The constant numbers are intermittently positive, positive and negative                                  | All positive   | Where upon taking the square root assuming $f_n(x) = 0$ , the figures are then multiplied with $-1$ °   |
| Coefficient sequence                     | The constant numbers must be 1, and in an order that is exactly the opposite of the Fibonacci polynomial | The maximum replacement being 1  | The findings concluded as stated above will need to be reserved being that its coefficient sequence is reversed   |

(IV) The graph below depicts the result of p value, of between 0 and 1, being replaced three times, where blue indicates  $p_1$ , green  $p_2$ , and red  $p_3$ .

Graph 14



What can be concluded from Graph 14 are that:

When  $p$  increases from 0, the blue line,  $p_1$ , will incrementally increase from 0 to 1 before reverting to values identical to  $p$ , where the line can be broken down to infinite sections, hence the values of  $k_n$  can be from 1 to infinity, and the values of  $p$  matched at the topside will belong to  $I_1$ . The closer  $p$  values approach 1, the more likely that numbers belonging to  $I_1$  will occur.

The subdivision of green line  $p_2$  further divides each segment of graph  $p_1$ , where each segment represents a  $K_n$  value in the second replacement, one that belongs to  $I_2$  also contains an infinite number.

Similarly, all conditions after  $I_3$  will be identical, thus the graph will be come fragmented, and a randomly enlarged graphic would indicate the same conditions as depicted in Graph 14.

(V) Where given  $k_n=1$  , findings on the numerators and denominators concluded, shown in  $p_n$  and  $p$ , will be related to the Fibonacci polynomials; however, given  $k_n=2$ , then,

$$p_1 = \frac{p^2}{1+p} ,$$

$$p_2 = \frac{p^2-p^3}{1-p-p^2} ,$$

$$p_3 = \frac{p^2-p^3-p^4}{1-p-2p^2+p^3} ,$$

$$p_4 = \frac{p^2-p^3-2p^4+p^5}{1-p-3p^2+2p^3+p^4} ,$$

$$p_5 = \frac{p^2-p^3-3p^4+2p^5+p^6}{1-p-4p^2+3p^3+3p^4-p^5} ,$$

$$p_6 = \frac{p^2-p^3-4p^4+3p^5+3p^6-p^7}{1-p-5p^2+4p^3+6p^4-3p^5-p^6} ,$$

$$p_7 = \frac{p^2-p^3-5p^4+4p^5+6p^6-3p^7-p^8}{1-p-6p^2+5p^3+10p^4-6p^5-4p^6+p^7} .$$

Given the numerator of  $p_n$  being  $p^2 b_{n-1}(p)$  , and its denominator being  $b_n(p)$  , the coefficients of  $b_n(p)$  will be:

Table 13

|          | Constant | $p$ | $p^2$ | $p^3$ | $p^4$ | $p^5$ | $p^6$ | $p^7$ | $p^8$ |
|----------|----------|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| $b_0(p)$ | 1        |     |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| $b_1(p)$ | 1        | -1  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| $b_2(p)$ | 1        | -1  | -1    |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| $b_3(p)$ | 1        | -1  | -2    | +1    |       |       |       |       |       |
| $b_4(p)$ | 1        | -1  | -3    | +2    | +1    |       |       |       |       |
| $b_5(p)$ | 1        | -1  | -4    | +3    | +3    | -1    |       |       |       |
| $b_6(p)$ | 1        | -1  | -5    | +4    | +6    | -3    | -1    |       |       |
| $b_7(p)$ | 1        | -1  | -6    | +5    | +10   | -6    | -4    | +1    |       |
| $b_8(p)$ | 1        | -1  | -7    | +6    | +15   | -10   | -10   | +4    | +1    |

What come to deviate from  $a_n(p)$  in Table 7 are:

1. For every one increased to  $k$ , the number of replacement to  $b_n(p)$  will also increase by one, whereas only two increases to  $k$  in the previous  $a_n(p)$  would the number of replacement be increased by once.
2. The coefficient of the constant and the first derivative has been constant at 1 and  $-1$ , and the positive-negative sequence is repeated as “-,-,+,” every fourth time.
3. By grouping the vertical columns in a group of two starting from the constant column in Table 13, the number appeared to the left of a certain column can be found to the next column to its left and right except in opposite integral, and the rest will be identical to that of  $a_n(p)$  if the numbers to the left of each grouping were deleted.

This portion is still under study.

(VI) When  $p > 0.25$ , the chaos phenomenon will occur:

$p_n$  will begin to incrementally increase when  $k_n$  is taken to the smallest value; for example, given  $p=0.3$ , and the smallest value of  $k_n$  being 1, replacing  $p_1$  through  $p_5$  would conclude  $k_n=1$ , indicating that the first  $p_n$  values taken are incrementally increasing. Whereas given  $p=9$  and 8 taken as the smallest of  $k_n$ , only from  $p_0$  to  $p_1$  will incrementally increase since 8 has been taken for  $k_n$  and 9 is filled in for  $K_2$ .

When the replacement reaches a  $p_n$  tier, where no more smallest number can be taken for  $k_{n+1}$ , the generation of  $p_{n+1}$  will depend on  $p_n$ , where a smaller  $p$  will tend to conclude a smaller  $p_{n+1}$  as it approaches  $p$ , whereas when  $p$  approaches 1, a more even distribution can be found. Whereas when  $p_n$  approaches 1, any slight variation to  $p_n$  may likely to conclude a  $p_{n+1}$  that is way off.

And by repeating the process a few more times, the values of  $p_n$  will become unpredictable, hence a chaos will occur. When  $P$  remains smaller,  $p_n$  will incrementally increase and return to the

vicinity of  $p$  when it can no longer increase incrementally, which allows the observation of more concentrated occurrence of the first few  $p$  values when  $p_n$  is at  $p_0, p_1, p_2, \dots$ . Whereas as  $p$  grows larger and the incrementally increasing phenomenon becomes less feasible without any incremental increase, all values generated in the next tier will tend to distribute evenly between  $p$  and 1, hence the values of  $p_n$  will be evenly distributed between  $p$  and 1 after several replacements.

The values of  $p_n$  generated in each time can be used for generating random numbers, which take to two forms:

1. When  $p_n$  values are evenly distributed between  $p$  and 1, all values of  $p_n$  can be converted through linear function, where  $r = a + \frac{b(p_n - p)}{1 - p}$ , as random numbers generated between the parameters  $a$  and  $b$ .

2. When  $p$  is of a rational number but its  $p_n$  being unevenly distributed, the first few decimal numbers of the  $p_n$  can be deleted and treated by the following:

When  $p$  is of a limited decimal, all decimal points will be taken.

When  $p$  is of a cyclical decimal, pure or mixed, the first complete repetitive cycle can be taken, or one half of the first repetitive cycle be taken to avoid a probable circumstance, where  $1/7 = 0.142857\dots$ ,  $142 + 857 = 999$  ;

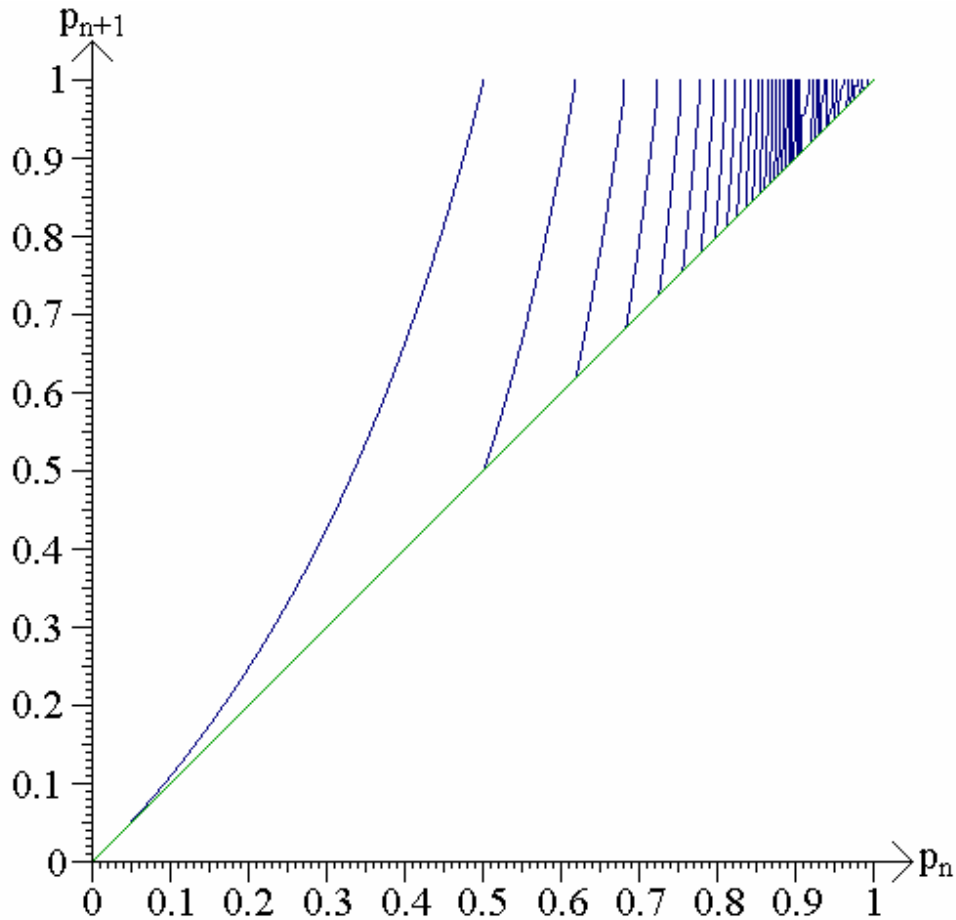
$1/17 = 0.0588235294117467$ ,  $05882352 + 94117467 = 99999999$  may result in a string of 9's .

(VII) Suppose the recursive equation is modified to  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p_n^{k_n}}{1 - p_n}$ ,

meaning the numerator is changed from  $p^{k_n}$  to  $p_n^{k_n}$ , the variations to the previous recursive equation are:

The value of  $p_{n+1}$ , which is once determined by the factors of  $p$  and  $p_n$ , will now has  $p_{n+1}$  determined by  $p_n$ , and the function graph of  $P_{n+1}$  derived from  $p_n$  will only be one irrespective what the previous  $p$  values are.

Graph 15



#### IV. Conclusion & Applications

(I) When  $p < 0.25$ , not only  $p \in I_\infty$  but  $p_n$  will converge to  $p_\infty = \frac{1 - \sqrt{1 - 4p}}{2}$ .

Given  $0.25 < p < 1$  and  $p$  being a rational number other than  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{1}{3}$ , not only  $p \in I_\infty$  but  $p_a \neq p_b$  as far as any two dissimilar numbers,  $a$  and  $b$ , are concerned.

To any natural number  $n$ , there is at least one element,

$$\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}}, \text{ in a given set, } I_n .$$

(II) The correlation of recursive equation,  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p^{k_n}}{1-p_n}$ , to the Fibonacci polynomial:

1. Given  $k_n=1$ , and the values of  $p_n$  expressed in fraction being the equivalent of an extended fraction,  $\frac{p}{1-\frac{p}{1-\frac{p}{1-\dots}}}$ , to  $n$  tier, a

process in which denominators and numerators can be simplified from such a serial fractions would allow the denominator and numerator be concluded directly from the Fibonacci polynomial:

First the sequential order of two adjacent sequences of a Fibonacci polynomial,  $f_n(x)$ , is reduced from 2 to 1, or an even reduction of 1 if the lower tiers are of single intervals instead of a constant. And the numeral values are conditioned to fall within positive and negative, where the highest order being positive. Lastly, the coefficient is then

reversed to conclude a polynomial,  $a_n(x)$ , and  $p_n = \frac{p a_n(p)}{a_{n+1}(p)}$ .

To conclude the solution where  $p=1$ , it only needs to define  $p a_n(p)=a_{n+1}(p)$  being that its recursive equation is of  $a_{n+1}(p) = a_n(p) + a_{n-1}(p)$ , thus the solution of  $a_{n+2}(p) = 0$  will be that of  $p=1$ .

Given that the known solution of a Fibonacci polynomial being  $x \in \{2i \cos \frac{j\pi}{n}, j = 1, 2, \dots, n-1\}$ , it can be deduced that when  $p_n=1$ , the solution under the hypothesis where  $a_{n+1}(p) = 0$

will be  $p \in \left\{ \frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{j\pi}{n+3}}, j = 1, 2, \dots, \left[ \frac{n+2}{2} \right] \right\}$ , provided that

$\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}}$  falls within a rational range, hence  $\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}} \in I_n$ .

2. Given  $n = 0 \sim 7$ , the polynomials,  $a_n(p)$ , will be:

Table 14

|          | Constant | p  | p <sup>2</sup> | p <sup>3</sup> | p <sup>4</sup> |
|----------|----------|----|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| $a_0(p)$ | 1        |    |                |                |                |
| $a_1(p)$ | 1        | -1 |                |                |                |
| $a_2(p)$ | 1        | -2 |                |                |                |
| $a_3(p)$ | 1        | -3 | +1             |                |                |
| $a_4(p)$ | 1        | -4 | +3             |                |                |
| $a_5(p)$ | 1        | -5 | +6             | -1             |                |
| $a_6(p)$ | 1        | -6 | +10            | -4             |                |
| $a_7(p)$ | 1        | -7 | +15            | -10            | +1             |

A comparison to the Pascal triangle :

Table 15

|   |   |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |  |
|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|--|
| 1 |   |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |  |
| 1 | 1 |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |  |
| 1 | 2 | 1  |    |    |    |    |   |   |  |
| 1 | 3 | 3  | 1  |    |    |    |   |   |  |
| 1 | 4 | 6  | 4  | 1  |    |    |   |   |  |
| 1 | 5 | 10 | 10 | 5  | 1  |    |   |   |  |
| 1 | 6 | 15 | 20 | 15 | 6  | 1  |   |   |  |
| 1 | 7 | 21 | 35 | 35 | 21 | 7  | 1 |   |  |
| 1 | 8 | 28 | 56 | 70 | 56 | 28 | 8 | 1 |  |

Each coefficient of  $a_n(p)$  will appear along the diagonal line from lower left to upper right in a Pascal triangle.

3. Suppose  $k_n$  is substituted by 2, and that  $p_n = \frac{p^2 b_n(p)}{b_{n+1}(p)}$ ,  $n=0\sim 8$ ,  
the polynomials of  $b_n(p)$  will be:

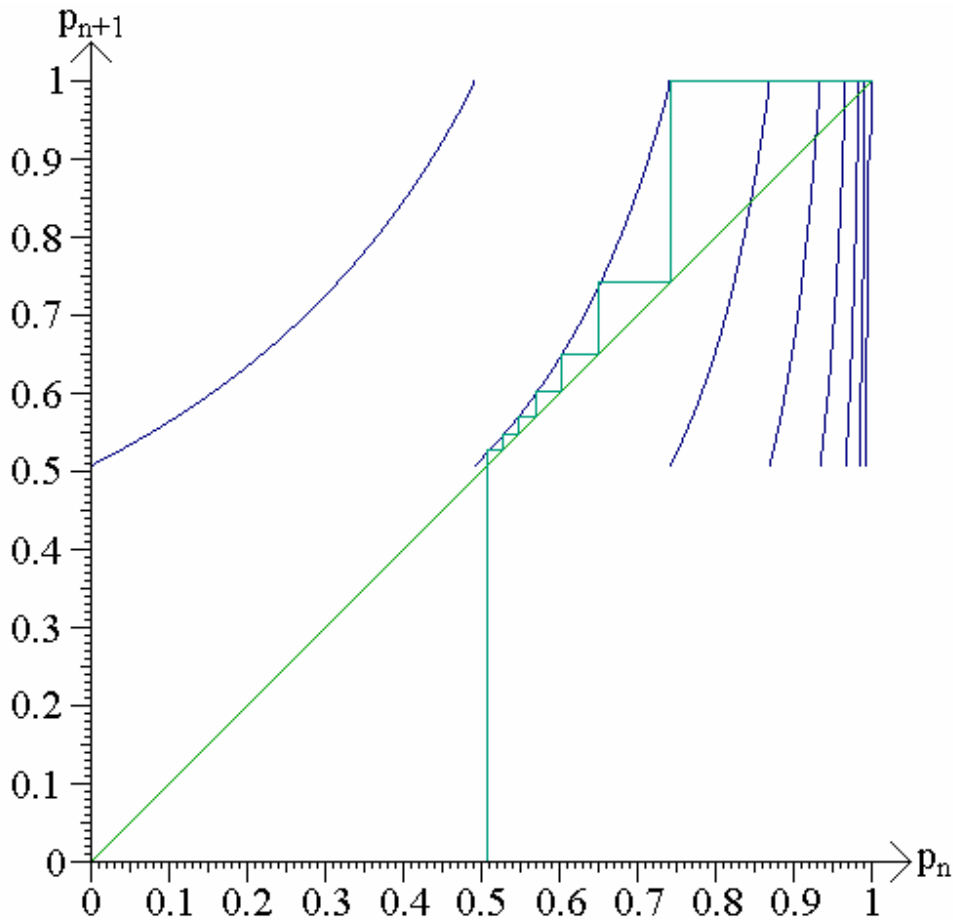
Table 16

|                     | Constant | p  | p <sup>2</sup> | p <sup>3</sup> | P <sup>4</sup> | p <sup>5</sup> | p <sup>6</sup> | p <sup>7</sup> | p <sup>8</sup> | p <sup>9</sup> | p <sup>10</sup> | p <sup>11</sup> |
|---------------------|----------|----|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| b <sub>0</sub> (p)  | 1        |    |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>1</sub> (p)  | 1        | -1 |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>2</sub> (p)  | 1        | -1 | -1             |                |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>3</sub> (p)  | 1        | -1 | -2             | +1             |                |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>4</sub> (p)  | 1        | -1 | -3             | +2             | +1             |                |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>5</sub> (p)  | 1        | -1 | -4             | +3             | +3             | -1             |                |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>6</sub> (p)  | 1        | -1 | -5             | +4             | +6             | -3             | -1             |                |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>7</sub> (p)  | 1        | -1 | -6             | +5             | +10            | -6             | -4             | +1             |                |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>8</sub> (p)  | 1        | -1 | -7             | +6             | +15            | -10            | -10            | +4             | +1             |                |                 |                 |
| b <sub>9</sub> (p)  | 1        | -1 | -8             | +7             | +21            | -15            | -20            | +10            | +5             | -1             |                 |                 |
| b <sub>10</sub> (p) | 1        | -1 | -9             | +8             | +28            | -21            | -35            | +20            | +15            | -5             | -1              |                 |
| b <sub>11</sub> (p) | 1        | -1 | -10            | +9             | +36            | -28            | -56            | +35            | +35            | -15            | -6              | +1              |

Taking to illustrate the solution based on the hypothesis where  $p_7=1$  to be completed via Mathematica for concluding the solution of,

$b_8(p) = 1-p-7p^2+6p^3+15p^4-10p^5-10p^6+4p^7+p^8 = 0$ , would conclude eight solutions where  $b_8(p) = 0$ , but the only satisfactory solution has been  $p = 0.50866\ 09187\ 58394\dots$ , which can be validated by replacing the p values as shown in Graph 16 below:

Graph 16



As indicated in Graph 16 are how the values of  $p_0$  to  $p_7$  fall between the second section of the blue line from left, where  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p^2}{1-p_n}$ , and the second section of green line, where  $p_{n+1} = p_n$ .

A scenario that is fairly similar to the graph depicting an In set replaced by  $\frac{1}{4\cos^2 \frac{\pi}{n+3}}$ , where  $0.25 < p < 0.5$ , and  $k_n=1$ ,

except the only difference lies in that the numbers of  $p_0, p_1, \dots$  fall between the first section, where  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p}{1-p_n}$ , and that of the green line, where  $p_{n+1} = p_n$ .

Given that  $p=0.25$ , and  $p_{n+1} = p_n$  and  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p}{1-p_n}$  intersect at the point of 0.5 and 0.5, where  $p < 0.25$ , the two lines will intersect in two places, which will result in  $p_n$  being converged to where the

two lines intersect.

Yet given  $k_n=1$ , no convergence will take place being that the excessive gradient of  $p_{n+1} = \frac{p_n^{k_n}}{1-p_n}$  will prevent it from intersecting with  $p_{n+1} = p_n$  at one or both points.

- (III) Examining the application of chaos phenomenon through a random number generator when  $0.25 < p < 1$ :

Only  $p_n$  Values that are taken to as close to 1 can distortion be eliminated using linear function for converting random numbers to fall between a and b for when  $p_n$  is underrated, several incrementally increasing  $p_n$  values may result, preventing an even distribution as the first few  $p_n$  values of  $p_0, p_1, p_2, \dots$  tends to revert to where the  $p$  values are. Higher  $p_n$  values can help to avoid unevenly distributed  $p_n$  values during and after the incremental increase to generate more evenly distributed random numbers.

Whereas if the  $p_n$  values are underrated, the following means can be used for substitution: By dropping a few of the decimals in front and using only the rear. However, given  $p$  values are of a rational number, the values of  $p_n$  would also need to be in rational numbers, meaning they are either limited decimals or repetitive decimals. Suppose  $p_n$  being limited decimal and the decimal points taken have had the first few numbers dropped, this would allow the number be taken up to the first half of a repetitive cycle whether it be a pure or mixed repetition.

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## VI. Appendage

### Summary of equations

| Equation                   | Usage   |
|----------------------------|---|
| <a href="#">Chaos.bas</a>  | The input p values are replaced 10,000 times and graphed in a 0.002 set interval of a $p_1$ to $p_{10,000}$ grid, and a printout is obtained using 0.0001 as the output unit, with which findings of $p_{n+1}$ values, set to a minimum unit of 0.001, are concluded by replacing the $p_n$ value, set to 0.002 per unit, are graphed to cover 0 to 0.0098.   |
| <a href="#">Chaos2.bas</a> | The input p values are replaced 80 times, and the findings of each computation printed out with 15 decimals.  |
| <a href="#">Chaos3.bas</a> | The values of $p_1$ through $p_3$ shown in three colors on a coordinate graph taken to 1/400 per unit, where $p = 0 \sim 399/400$ .   |
| <a href="#">Chaos4.bas</a> | A modification of Chaos3.bas, where the interval of p values has been changed to 1/800, where the output is divided into three parts, i.e. lower left, upper left and upper right, for the oversized graph, and no entry for lower right of the graph.  |
| <a href="#">Chaos5.bas</a> | The results of output using numbers taken from a given interval between 0 and 1 as the values of p.   |
| <a href="#">Chaos6.bas</a> | An improvement of Chaos.bas that automatically compresses the size of a graph by one-half when the length of an upright graph should exceed 140 pixels to avoid going over the margin.  |
| <a href="#">Chaos7.bas</a> | The numerator and denominator of positive input numbers taken as p values for calculating the value of $p_1$ to $p_{20}$ , and expressed in simplest fraction and decimal point.  |
| <a href="#">Chaos8.bas</a> | An improved Chaos6.bas that offers numeral expression indicating the 500 straight lines in an elongated graph and rounded to four decimal points as it overflows when reaching 9,999 being that it requires 25,000 replacement when $p < 0.7$ , or 5000 times when $p \geq 0.7$ , where the values of $p_n$ will become cluttered and the computation longer as p increases, besides the narrowly rated $p_n$ values will infinitely extend the length of printout paper. |

|                             |   |
|-----------------------------|---|
| <a href="#">Chaos9.bas</a>  | An improved Chao8.bas that can be used to modify an observation parameter by keying in any area between 0 and 1 as an observation area, taking to the set interval of 1/500, whereby by the findings has the statistics of p values replaced remain identical as that of Choas8.bas when $p < 0.7$ , but up to 10,000 times when $p \geq 0.7$ , with which a recurrence can be charted from an observation area rated to $1/100,000^{\text{th}}$ as the minimum unit. It then proceduces the precise numeral numbers of a long graph and rounded by E and the first three decimals, i.e. 11,850 as E118 when exceeding 9,999. |
| <a href="#">Chaos10.bas</a> | An improved Chao2.bas, which allows keying in varied p values and $P_0$ values before computing the values of $p_1$ to $p_{80}$ .   |
| <a href="#">Chaos11.bas</a> | It converts the input p values and number of replacements into a function graph for $p_{n+1} = \frac{p_n^{k_n}}{p_n}$ and $p_{n+1} = p_n$ on the premises that $0 < p_n < 1$ , and shown in blue line indicating the state of p replacements, in which straight line indicates how $p_n$ is converted to $p_{n+1}$ , and the horizontal axes indicates how $p_{n+1}$ is shifted from the vertical axes to the horizontal one as the new $p_n$ values readying for the next computation, at a resolution of 400 x 400.   |
| <a href="#">Chaos12.bas</a> | An improved Chaos11.bas, which can be used to reset the parameters of vertical and horizontal axes for observation purposes.  |
| <a href="#">Chaos13.bas</a> | It allows modifying the resolution of Chaos11.bas to 500 x 400 in support of observation graphs produced by Chaos9.bas.   |
| <a href="#">Chaos14.bas</a> | It converts recursive equation into a $p_{n+1} = \frac{p_n^{k_n}}{p_n}$ function graph, which is a fixed graph that does not require inputting p values.  |
| <a href="#">Chaos15.bas</a> | It allows repeatedly replacing the input p value 200 times and map out a graph with its horizontal axle depicting the number of replacements and vertical axes the $p_n$ values.  |

Below excerpts the equation of Chaos7.bas, Chaos9.bas, Chaos15.bas as general references:

Chaos7.bas :

```
CLS
1 INPUT P, Q
IF Q = 0 OR P > INT(P) OR Q > INT(Q) THEN 1
IF (P / Q) <= 0 OR (P / Q) >= 1 THEN 1
M# = P: N# = Q
GOSUB SUB1
P = M#: Q = N#
P0# = P / Q
P0P# = P: P0Q# = Q
FOR I = 1 TO 20
  A = 0
  DO
    A = A + 1
    P1P# = P0Q# * P ^ A
    P1Q# = (P0Q# - P0P#) * Q ^ A
    P1# = P1P# / P1Q#
    M# = P1P#: N# = P1Q#
    GOSUB SUB1
    P1P# = M#: P1Q# = N#
    P1# = P1P# / P1Q#
  LOOP UNTIL P1# < 1.00000000001#
  PRINT USING "##) #####, / #####, =
#.#####"; I; P1P#; P1Q#; P1#
  IF P1# > .99999999999# THEN END
  P0P# = P1P#: P0Q# = P1Q#
NEXT I
END

SUB1:
S# = M#: T# = N#
DO
  T# = T# - S# * INT(T# / S#)
  IF T# = 0 THEN R# = S#: EXIT DO
  S# = S# - T# * INT(S# / T#)
  IF S# = 0 THEN R# = T#: EXIT DO
LOOP
M# = M# / R#: N# = N# / R#
RETURN
```

Chaos9.bas :

```
CLS
SCREEN 12
LINE (0, 0)-(639, 479), 15, BF
DO
  INPUT "P0="; P#
LOOP WHILE P# <= 0 OR P# > .98
DO
  INPUT "Enter two numbers between 0 and 1 as the range"; B, E
  IF B < E AND B >= 0 AND E <= 1 THEN EXIT DO
LOOP
B# = B
E# = E
C# = (E# - B#) / 500
LINE (0, 0)-(640, 480), 15, BF
LINE (70, 100)-(570, 100), 6
FOR I = 0 TO 100
  IF I MOD 10 = 0 THEN
    LINE (70 + I * 5, 90)-(70 + I * 5, 99), 6
    LINE (70 + I * 5, 234)-(70 + I * 5, 243), 0
    LINE (70 + I * 5, 245)-(70 + I * 5, 444), 5
  ELSE
    IF I MOD 5 = 0 THEN
      LINE (70 + I * 5, 94)-(70 + I * 5, 99), 6
      LINE (70 + I * 5, 238)-(70 + I * 5, 243), 0
      LINE (70 + I * 5, 245)-(70 + I * 5, 444), 12
    ELSE
      LINE (70 + I * 5, 97)-(70 + I * 5, 99), 6
      LINE (70 + I * 5, 241)-(70 + I * 5, 243), 0
      LINE (70 + I * 5, 245)-(70 + I * 5, 444), 13
    END IF
  END IF
END IF
NEXT I
FOR I = 245 TO 440 STEP 5
  IF (I + 5) MOD 50 = 0 THEN
    LINE (59, I)-(68, I), 0
    LINE (70, I)-(570, I), 9
  ELSE
    IF (I + 5) MOD 25 = 0 THEN
      LINE (63, I)-(68, I), 0
      LINE (70, I)-(570, I), 2
    ELSE
      LINE (66, I)-(68, I), 0
      LINE (70, I)-(570, I), 11
    END IF
  END IF
END IF
NEXT I
LINE (69, 244)-(570, 445), 0, B
LOCATE 1, 1
PRINT "P0="; P#
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PRINT "Range: "; B; "to"; E
LOCATE 6, 8
PRINT B
LOCATE 6, 71
PRINT E
DIM A(500)
LOCATE 1, 1
P0# = P#
IF P# < .8 THEN T = 25000 ELSE T = 10000
R = 1

FOR I = 1 TO T
  A = 0
  DO
    A = A + 1
    P1# = P# ^ A / (1 - P0#)
  LOOP UNTIL P1# <= 1
  D = (P1# - B#) / C#
  IF 0 <= D AND D < 500 THEN
    A(INT(D)) = A(INT(D)) + 1
    IF A(INT(D)) = 133 / R THEN GOSUB SUB3 ELSE GOSUB SUB1
  END IF
  IF I MOD 100 = 0 THEN
    LOCATE 3, 1
    PRINT USING "Times: #####,"; I;
    LOCATE 4, 1
    PRINT USING "  P  :#####"; P1#;
  END IF
  IF P1# >= .9999999899999999# THEN S = I: LOCATE 25, 41: PRINT P1#: EXIT FOR
  P0# = P1#
NEXT I
S = I - 1
LOCATE 3, 1
PRINT USING "Times: #####,"; S;
FOR I = 0 TO 499
  A = 0
  DO
    A = A + 1
    P1# = P# ^ A / (1 - (B# + C# * I))
  LOOP UNTIL P1# <= 1
  PSET ((70 + I), (100 - P1# * 100)), 12
NEXT I
IF P# - B# > -.0000001# AND P# < E# THEN LINE (70 + (P# - B#) / C#, 0)-(70 + (P# - B#) /
C#, 100), 3
LINE (70, 100 - B# * 100)-(570, 100 - (B# + C# * 500) * 100), 1
LOCATE 29, 10
PRINT "Press any key to continue";
DO
LOOP WHILE INKEY$ = ""
CLS

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PRINT "P0="; P#
FOR I = 0 TO 24
  FOR J = 0 TO 19
    LOCATE I + 2, J * 4 + 1
    IF P# - (B + (J * 25 + I + 1) * C#) >= -.0000001 THEN
      PRINT "  -"
    ELSE
      IF A(I + J * 25) < 10000 THEN
        PRINT USING "#####"; A(I + J * 25);
      ELSE
        PRINT "E"; MID$(STR$(A(I + J * 25)), 2, 3)
      END IF
    END IF
  NEXT J
NEXT I
END

SUB1:
PSET ((70 + INT(D)), (100 + A(INT(D)) * R)), 2
PSET ((70 + INT(D)), 245 + ((P1# - B#) / C# - INT((P1# - B#) / C#)) * 200), 0
RETURN

SUB3:
LINE (70, 101)-(570, 233), 15, BF
R = R / 2
FOR X = 0 TO 499
  IF A(X) > 0 THEN LINE (70 + X, 100)-(70 + X, 100 + A(X) * R), 2
NEXT X
LOCATE 5, 1
PRINT "Ratio: 1 :"; 1 / R
RETURN

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## Dense15.bas :

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SCREEN 12
CLS
LINE (0, 0)-(639, 479), 15, BF
DO
  INPUT "P="; P#
LOOP UNTIL 0 < P# AND P# < 1
CLS
LINE (0, 0)-(639, 479), 15, BF
PRINT "P="; P#
COLOR 0
LINE (15, 20)-(15, 440)
LINE (15, 440)-(635, 440)
FOR I = 0 TO 100
  IF I MOD 10 = 0 THEN
    LINE (5, I * 4 + 40)-(14, I * 4 + 40)
    LINE (I * 3 + 15, 441)-(I * 3 + 15, 450)
    LINE (I * 3 + 315, 441)-(I * 3 + 315, 450)
  ELSE
    IF I MOD 5 = 0 THEN
      LINE (10, I * 4 + 40)-(14, I * 4 + 40)
      LINE (I * 3 + 15, 441)-(I * 3 + 15, 445)
      LINE (I * 3 + 315, 441)-(I * 3 + 315, 445)
    ELSE
      LINE (12, I * 4 + 40)-(14, I * 4 + 40)
      LINE (I * 3 + 15, 441)-(I * 3 + 15, 443)
      LINE (I * 3 + 315, 441)-(I * 3 + 315, 443)
    END IF
  END IF
NEXT I
LINE (15, 20)-(5, 30)
LINE (15, 20)-(25, 30)
LINE (625, 430)-(635, 440)
LINE (635, 440)-(625, 450)
P0# = P#
LINE (14, 440 - P0# * 400 - 1)-(16, 440 - P0# * 400 + 1), 0, BF
FOR I = 1 TO 200
  K = 0
  DO
    K = K + 1
    P1# = P# ^ K / (1 - P0#)
  LOOP UNTIL P1# <= 1
  LINE (15 + (I - 1) * 3, 440 - P0# * 400)-(15 + I * 3, 440 - P1# * 400), 0
  LINE (15 + I * 3 - 1, 440 - P1# * 400 - 1)-(15 + I * 3 + 1, 440 - P1# * 400 + 1), , BF
  IF P1# > .999999999999# THEN EXIT FOR
  P0# = P1#
NEXT I
END
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## 評 語

- (1) 題材及內容十分充實、完整
- (2) 注意由多次遞迴數值計算而產生的誤差。
- (3) 是否將 random number generator 改為 pseudo random number generator。
- (4) (p.17)  $\text{an}(p)$  是否為 well-known 函數？