

GENERAL INEQUALITIES FOR MULTIPOINT PADÉ APPROXIMANTS TO A STIELTJES FUNCTION EXPANDED AT REAL POINTS

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Abstract. In this paper we establish the general inequalities for diagonal and subdiagonal multipoint Padé approximants to a Stieltjes function f in terms of power expansion of f on the real line. The inequalities derived produce the best upper and lower bounds on f with respect to the given coefficients of Stieltjes series. As an example of applications sequences of upper and lower Padé bounds converging to the effective dielectric constant of a random array of spheres are evaluated.

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