

## Exercise 3a (bisection method)

- 1) Describe this algorithm in a "flow diagram"
- 2) How fast does this method converge?
- 3) Write a Matlab function file `bisection.m` that performs, with input  $x_0$  and  $x_1$ , the iterations.
- 4) Apply this to the equation  $f(x) = x^3 + 3x - 4 = 0$ .
- 5) the same question for  $f(x) = x^3 - 3x + 2 = 0$ .