CSCI/MATH 3180 Lab Assignment #3

Construct the Newton form of the interpolating polynomial of degree 6 for the function $f(x) = (x^2 + 1)^{-1}$ using the data point. using the data points at x = -6, -4, -2, 0, 2, 4, 6.

Part II. Use Visual Studio 2012 to do the following task.

- 1. Create a C++ console application project in Visual Studio 2012 and name your project **YourLastName3**.
- 2. Write a program that implements the Newton Interpolation discussed in class.
- 3. Write a separate function for each of the following. You may define and call additional functions.
 - Computation of divided differences
 - Evaluation of the interpolating polynomial
- 4. All floating point arithmetic will be double precision.
- 5. Program input: Refer to the lecture notes.
- 6. Program output
 - Divided difference table
 - Table containing f(x), P(x), |f(x) P(x)| for the 13 data points.