



Numerical Analysis and Simulation I: Ordinary Differential Equations (ODEs)

Sheet 14 - Repetition 2

Exercise 31: Multi-step schemes

We consider the scalar initial value problem $y' = f(x, y)$, $y(x_0) = y_0$ ($y : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$). Furthermore, an equidistant grid $x_j = jh$, $y_j = y(x_j)$ for $j \in \mathbb{N}$ is used.

- a) Determine the order of consistency for the BDF2 method

$$\frac{3}{2}y_{j+1} - 2y_j + \frac{1}{2}y_{j-1} = hf(x_{j+1}, y_{j+1}).$$

Show additionally that the method is stable.

Reminder:

The consistency conditions for a general k -step scheme

$$\sum_{l=0}^k \alpha_l y_{i+l} = h \sum_{l=0}^k \beta_l f(x_{i+l}, y_{i+l})$$

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$$\sum_{l=0}^k \alpha_l = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_{l=0}^k (\alpha_l l - \beta_l) = 0 \quad \text{for order 1}$$

$$\sum_{l=1}^k \alpha_l l^q = q \sum_{l=1}^k \beta_l l^{q-1} \quad \text{for } q = 2, \dots, p.$$

- b) Is the multi-step method given by

$$\frac{1}{2}y_{j+1} - 2y_j + \frac{3}{2}y_{j-1} = -hf(x_{j-1}, y_{j-1})$$

consistent, stable and/or convergent? What is the connection to part (a)?

Exercise 32: Solutions of Linear DAEs. (part 2)

Determine the solution of the following linear systems of DAEs (with non-constant matrices).

Investigate which initial values $y(x_0) = y_0$ are feasible.

Hint: Observe the two equations of each system. Try to eliminate one unknown (y_1 or y_2) to obtain a scalar ODE, which is solved analytically.

a) $\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -x \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y_1' \\ y_2' \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -x \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \sin(x) \\ \cos(x) \end{pmatrix}$

b) $\begin{pmatrix} -x & x^2 \\ -1 & x \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y_1' \\ y_2' \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$

Exercise 33: Space for Additional Questions