

# crank\_nicolson

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In [1]: import numpy as np
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In [2]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        %matplotlib inline
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In [3]: def crank_nicolson(c, v):
        dx = 0.05
        dt = 0.005
        # Range of X and T
        rX = 1
        rT = 1
        m = int(rX/dx)
        n = int(rT/dt)
        X = np.linspace(0, rX, m+1)
        Y = np.linspace(0, rT, n)
        U = np.zeros((n, m+1), dtype=np.float32) # U at nth iteration
        U[:, 0] = 0
        U[:, m] = 0
        U[0,:] = np.sin(np.pi*X)
        for k in range(1, n-1):
            A = [v/dx**2 + c/(2*dx) for i in range(1, m)]
            B = [-(2*v)/(dx**2) - 2/dt for i in range(1, m)]
            C = [v/dx**2 - c/(2*dx) for i in range(1, m)]
            D = [U[k-1, j]*((2*v)/(dx**2) - 2/dt) - U[k-1, j-1]*((v)/(dx**2) + c/(2*dx)) - U[k-1, j+1]*((v)/(dx**2) + c/(2*dx)) for j in range(1, m)]
            D[0] = D[0] - U[k, 0]*(v/(dx**2) + c/(2*dx))
            D[m-2] = D[m-2] - U[k, m]*(v/(dx**2) - c/(2*dx))
            U[k, 1:m] = np.array(thomas_algorithm(A, B, C, D))
        return U
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In [4]: def thomas_algorithm(a, b, c, d):
        """
        Solves the Tridiagonal Linear System
        -- -- -- -- --
        |b_1 c_1      | |f_1|  |d_1|
        |a_2 b_2 c_2  | |. |   |. |
        |   a_3 . . . | |. | = |. |
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        |               | |   |   |
        |   a_n b_n | |f_n|  |d_n|
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        """
        assert len(a) == len(b) == len(c) == len(d)
        N = len(c)
        c_ = [None for i in range(N)]
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d_ = [None for i in range(N)]
f = [None for i in range(N)]
c_[0] = c[0]/b[0]
d_[0] = d[0]/b[0]

for i in range(1, N):
    c_[i] = c[i]/(b[i] - a[i]*c_[i-1])
    d_[i] = (d[i] - a[i]*d_[i-1])/(b[i] - a[i]*c_[i-1])

f[N-1] = d_[N-1]
for i in range(N-2, -1, -1):
    f[i] = d_[i] - c_[i]*f[i+1]

return f

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In [5]: U1 = crank_nikolson(1, 0.1)
        U2 = crank_nikolson(1, 0.5)
        U3 = crank_nikolson(1, 1)

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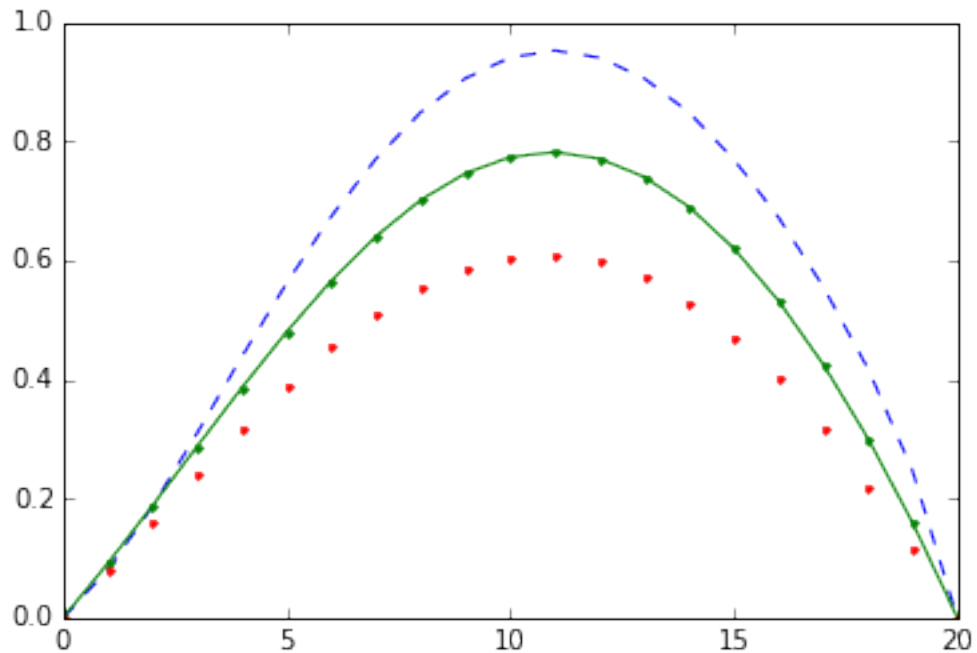
In [6]: plt.plot(U1[10, :], '--'); plt.plot(U2[10, :], '.-'); plt.plot(U3[10, :], '.')

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Out[6]: [<matplotlib.lines.Line2D at 0x7ff48d79e390>]

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In [ ]:

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