Lotka-Volterra Work-Precision Diagrams

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0.1 Lotka-Volterra

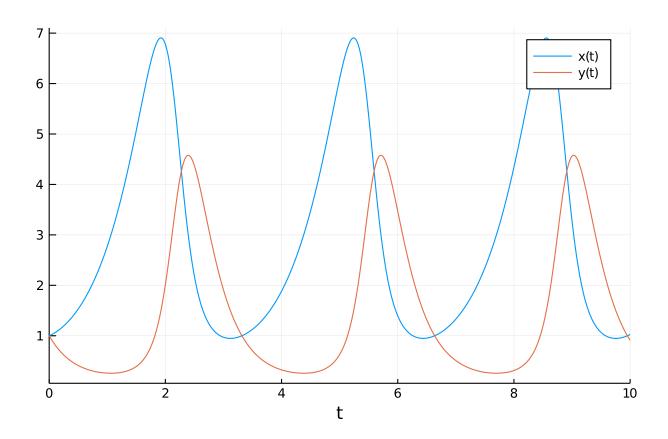
The purpose of this problem is to test the performance on easy problems. Since it's periodic, the error is naturally low, and so most of the difference will come down to startup times and, when measuring the interpolations, the algorithm choices.

```
f = @ode_def LotkaVolterra begin
    dx = a*x - b*x*y
    dy = -c*y + d*x*y
end a b c d

p = [1.5,1.0,3.0,1.0]
prob = ODEProblem(f,[1.0;1.0],(0.0,10.0),p)

abstols = 1.0 ./ 10.0 .^ (6:13)
reltols = 1.0 ./ 10.0 .^ (3:10);
sol = solve(prob,Vern7(),abstol=1/10^14,reltol=1/10^14)
test_sol = TestSolution(sol)
using Plots; gr()

Plots.GRBackend()
plot(sol)
```

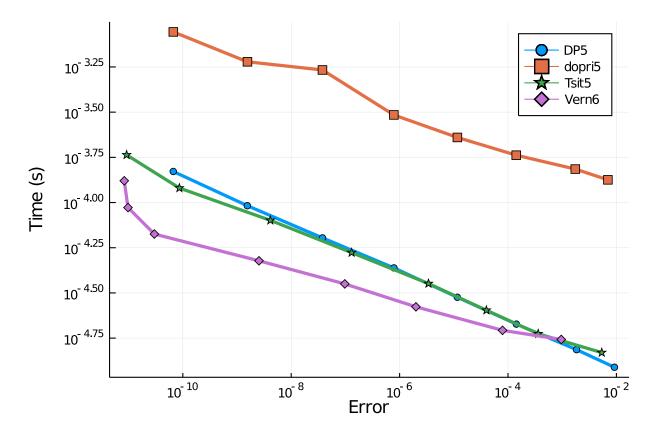


0.1.1 Low Order

setups = [Dict(:alg=>DP5())

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#Dict(:alg=>ode45()) # fail
    Dict(:alg=>dopri5())
    Dict(:alg=>Tsit5())
    Dict(:alg=>Vern6())

]
wp =
WorkPrecisionSet(prob,abstols,reltols,setups;appxsol=test_sol,save_everystep=false,maxiters=10000,numr
plot(wp)
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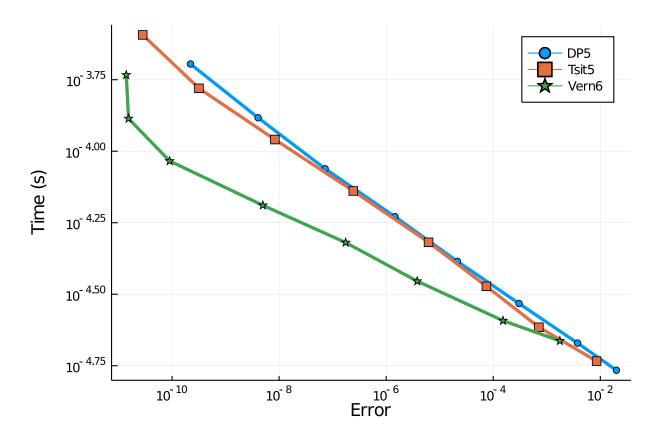


Here we see the OrdinaryDiffEq.jl algorithms once again far in the lead.

0.1.2 Interpolation Error

Since the problem is periodic, the real measure of error is the error throughout the solution.

WorkPrecisionSet(prob,abstols,reltols,setups;appxsol=test_sol,maxiters=10000,error_estimate=:L2,dense_plot(wp)



Here we see the power of algorithm specific interpolations. The ODE.jl algorithm is only able to reach 10^{-7} error even at a tolerance of 10^{-13} , while the Differential Equations.jl algorithms are below 10^{-10}

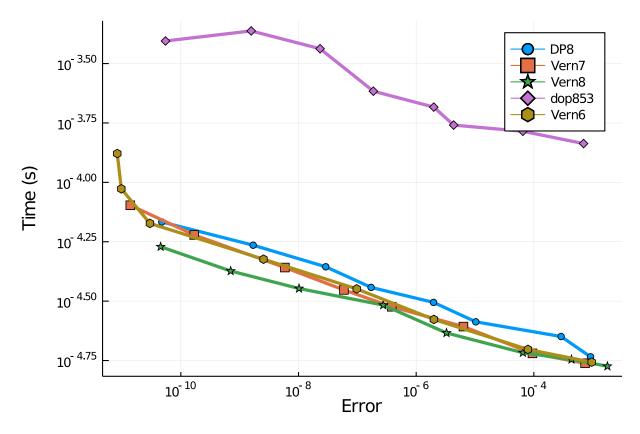
0.2 Higher Order

setups = [Dict(:alg=>DP8())

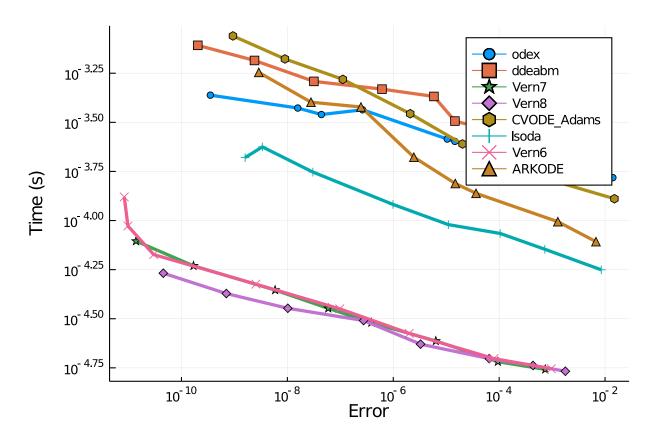
#Dict(:alg=>ode78()) # fails

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Dict(:alg=>Vern7())
    Dict(:alg=>Vern8())
    Dict(:alg=>dop853())
    Dict(:alg=>Vern6())
]
wp =
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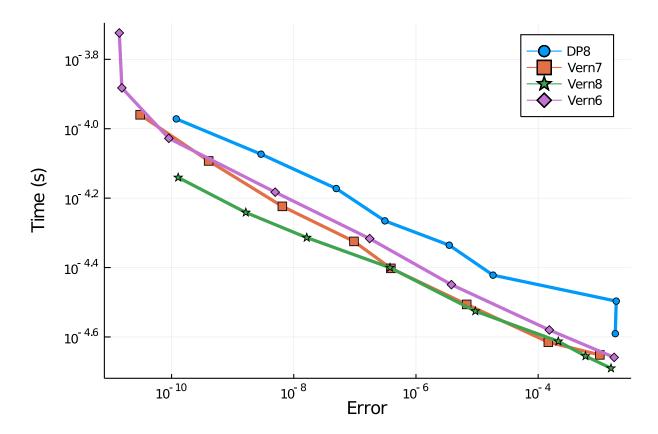


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Again we look at interpolations:

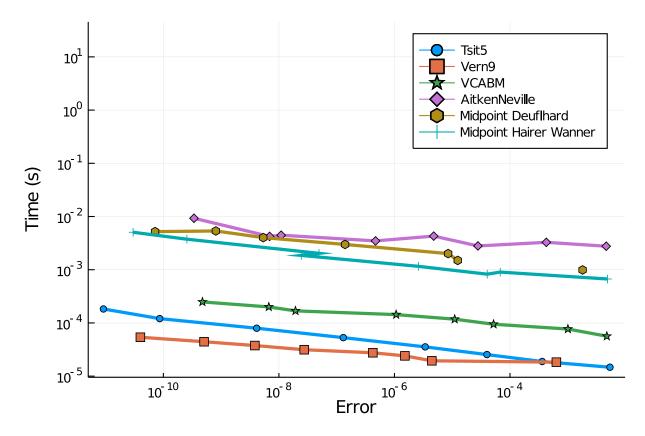
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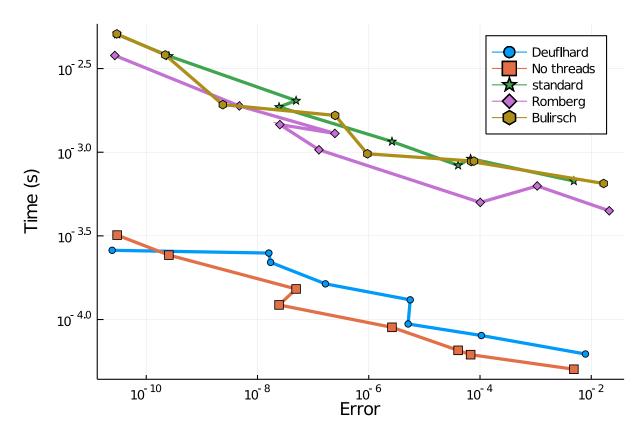


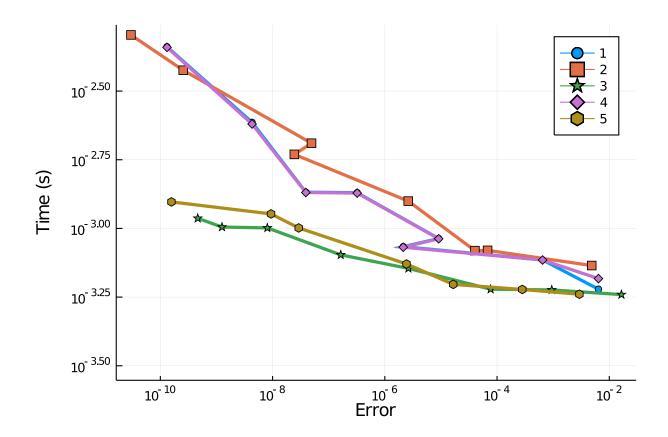
Again, the ODE.jl algorithms suffer when measuring the interpolations due to relying on an order 3 Hermite polynomial instead of an algorithm-specific order matching interpolation which uses the timesteps.

0.3 Comparison with Non-RK methods

Now let's test Tsit5 and Vern9 against parallel extrapolation methods and an Adams-Bashforth-Moulton:







0.4 Conclusion

The OrdinaryDiffEq.jl are quicker and still solve to a much higher accuracy, especially when the interpolations are involved. ODE.jl errors a lot.

```
using SciMLBenchmarks
SciMLBenchmarks.bench_footer(WEAVE_ARGS[:folder],WEAVE_ARGS[:file])
```

0.5 Appendix

These benchmarks are a part of the SciMLBenchmarks.jl repository, found at: https://github.com/SciML, For more information on high-performance scientific machine learning, check out the SciML Open Source Software Organization https://sciml.ai.

To locally run this benchmark, do the following commands:

```
using SciMLBenchmarks
SciMLBenchmarks.weave_file("NonStiffODE","LotkaVolterra_wpd.jmd")
```

Computer Information:

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Julia Version 1.4.2

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Platform Info:

OS: Linux (x86_64-pc-linux-gnu)
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CPU: Intel(R) Core(TM) i7-9700K CPU @ 3.60GHz
WORD_SIZE: 64
LIBM: libopenlibm
LLVM: libLLVM-8.0.1 (ORCJIT, skylake)
Environment:
   JULIA_LOAD_PATH = /builds/JuliaGPU/DiffEqBenchmarks.jl:
   JULIA_DEPOT_PATH = /builds/JuliaGPU/DiffEqBenchmarks.jl/.julia
JULIA_CUDA_MEMORY_LIMIT = 2147483648
JULIA_NUM_THREADS = 8
```

Package Information:

```
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