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Note Title

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- $A \subseteq \mathbb{R}$
 $f: A \rightarrow A$ then $x \in A$ is a fixed point for f if $f(x) = x$.

- $x_{n+1} = f(x_n)$

$$y' = f(x, y); y(x_0) = y_0 \quad - \text{IVP.}$$

$\rightarrow \textcircled{1}$

Note that $\textcircled{1}$ is equivalent to

$$y(x) = y_0 + \int_{x_0}^x f(t, y(t)) dt \quad (\text{Thanks to FTC}).$$

$$y_1(x) = y_0 + \int_{x_0}^x f(t, y_0) dt$$

$$y_2(x) = y_0 + \int_{x_0}^x f(t, y_1(t)) dt$$

$$y_3(x) = y_0 + \int_{x_0}^x f(t, y_2(t)) dt$$

\vdots

$$y_n(x) = y_0 + \int_{x_0}^x f(t, y_{n-1}(t)) dt \quad - \text{Picard's approximation.}$$

Remark. Under the assumptions of existence & uniqueness theorems, the seq. $\{y_n\}$ converges to the solution y .

Given $\varepsilon > 0$ \exists $n_0 \in \mathbb{N}$ s.t.

$$|y_n(x) - y(x)| < \varepsilon \quad \forall n > n_0$$

Here n_0 depends only on ε and not on the pt. 'x'.

Example

$$y' = y; y(0) = 1.$$

$$x_0 = 0, y_0 = 1, f(x, y) = y.$$

$$y_1 = 1 + \int_0^x f(t, 1) dt = 1 + \int_0^x 1 dt = 1 + x$$

$$y_2 = 1 + \int_0^x f(t, 1+t) dt = 1 + \int_0^x (1+t) dt = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!}$$

$$y_3 = 1 + \int_0^x f(t, 1+t+\frac{t^2}{2}) dt = 1 + \int_0^x (1+t+\frac{t^2}{2}) dt = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!}$$

\vdots

$$y_n = \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{x^k}{k!} \rightarrow e^x.$$

$$x + y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

A general solution to this ODE is
 $x^2 + y^2 = c$.

$$x + y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Leftrightarrow d(x^2 + y^2) = 0 \quad u(x, y) = \frac{x^2 + y^2}{2}$$

$$M = \partial u / \partial x \quad \& \quad N = \partial u / \partial y$$

$M + N y' = 0$, where $M = M(x, y)$ & $N = N(x, y)$.

Equation ① is called an exact equation if $\exists u$ s.t.
 $M = u_x$ & $N = \partial u / \partial y$

In this case,

$$u_x + u_y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(u(x, y(x))) = 0$$

The general solution to ① is given by $u(x, y) = c$.

Example

$$y + x \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$M = y, \quad N = x$$

$$u(x, y) = xy$$

$xy = c$ is the general solution.

$$M + N y' = 0 \quad - \text{①}$$

is an exact equation

$\Rightarrow \exists$ a fn. u s.t. $M = u_x$ & $N = u_y$.

Suppose that $\boxed{\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y \partial x}}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \right) = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right)$$

$$\text{i.e., } N_x = M_y$$

Suppose that $N_x = M_y$.

Aim. To find u such that $u_x = M$ & $u_y = N$.

If $u_x = M$
 $\Rightarrow u(x, y) = \int M(x, y) dx + h(y) \rightarrow \textcircled{2}$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\int M(x, y) dx + h(y) \right) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\int M(x, y) dx \right) + h'(y) = \int M_y dx + h'(y)\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow h'(y) = u_y - \int M_y dx \rightarrow \textcircled{3}$$

This expression is meaningful if RHS is independent of x .

$$\text{i.e., } \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(u_y - \int M_y dx \right) = 0$$

$$\text{i.e., } N_x - M_y = 0$$

But this is our assumption.

Thus $\textcircled{3}$ is always meaningful and hence we can use it to find h .

Now the required u can be found using $\textcircled{3}$.

Theorem: Suppose that M & N have cts. 1^{st} order partial derivatives, then the equation

$$M + N y' = 0$$

is exact $\Leftrightarrow M_y = N_x$.