# LAB EXPERIMENT # 11: Study of numerical differentiation (Euler's Differential Equation)

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# 11.1 Objectives

- To understand the numerical differentiation method and its MATLAB implementation
- To understand Euler's method of differentiation method and its MATLAB implementation
- To analyze of results using different values

## 11.2 Theory

Conventional differentiation is difficult to solve, especially for large amounts of data such as data engineering. As a result, numerical differentiation is applied. The derivative is found using a simple algebraic formula in this numerical differentiation method. Numerical differentiation is the process of finding the numerical value of a derivative of a given function at a given point.

The Euler technique (also known as the forward Euler method) is a first-order numerical procedure for solving ordinary differential equations (ODEs) with a given initial value in mathematics and computing science. It is the simplest Runge-Kutta method and the most fundamental explicit method for numerical integration of ordinary differential equations.

For this experiment, given equation is,

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -xy$$

And, y(0) = 1; x = 0.0.25; h = 0.05

### 11.3 Apparatus

MATLAB

#### 11.4 Algorithm

**Step: 1** Start

Step: 2 Define function

**Step: 3** Calculate the values of  $x_0$ ,  $y_0$ , h, s = 0, and  $x_n$ 

The initial conditions are  $x_0$  and  $y_0$  in this case, h denotes the interval, while  $x_n$  is the needed value.

**Step: 4** Determine 'n' using equation, n = x/h

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Step: 5 Calculate the value of x(i)

Step: 6 Calculate the value of y(i) and y(i + 1), where y(i) = y(i) + h*f(x,y)

Step: 7 Display the value of x(i), y(i+1)

Step: 8 Stop
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## 11.5 Pseudocode

```
Define function
input x0, h, y0
n = x/h
for i=1:n+1
        x(i)=0;
        x(i)=x(i)+h;
end
for i=1:n
        y(i);
        y(i+1)= y(i)+h*(f(i,i));
end
D=[x' y']
```

#### 11.6 MATLAB Code

```
clc;
clear all;
f=@(x,y) (-x)*y
x=0.25;
h=0.05;
n=x/h;
x=zeros(1,n+1);
x(1)=0;
for i=1:n+1
    x(i)=0
    x(i)=x(i)+h;
end
y=zeros(1,n);
y(1)=1;
for i=1:n
    y(i);
    y(i+1)=y(i)+(h*f(i,i));
end
D = [x' y']
```

# 11.7 MATLAB Output

```
f = function_handle with value:
    @(x,y)(-x)*y
x = 1 \times 6
        0
x = 1 \times 6
       0.0500
                                                 0
x = 1 \times 6
       0.0500
                   0.0500
                                                 0
                                                                         0
x = 1 \times 6
       0.0500
                   0.0500
                               0.0500
                                                 0
                                                                         0
x = 1 \times 6
       0.0500
                   0.0500
                               0.0500
                                           0.0500
                                                             0
                                                                         0
x = 1 \times 6
       0.0500
                   0.0500
                               0.0500
                                           0.0500
                                                       0.0500
D = 6 \times 2
       0.0500
                   1.0000
       0.0500
                   0.9500
       0.0500
                   0.7500
                  0.3000
       0.0500
       0.0500
                 -0.5000
       0.0500
                 -1.7500
```

## 11.8 Discussion & Analysis

In this experiment, Euler's approach to solve the value of 'y' from a given differential equation for a particular function and conditions. Here, the initial value of 'y' and 'x' is given. Thus, we solved 'y' for the corresponding value of 'x' and created a table for the value of 'y' for the corresponding 'x'.

Thus, the experiment was done was successfully and MATLAB implementation of the method was carried out accordingly.