

12.9.2.2

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Question:

Consider the differential equation

$$y' - 2x - 2 = 0 \quad (0.1)$$

Verify that

$$y = x^2 + 2x + C \quad (0.2)$$

is a solution for it.

Theoretical Solution:

The given differential equation is:

$$y' - 2x - 2 = 0 \quad (0.3)$$

Rearrange the terms to group all x and y related terms:

$$y' = 2x + 2 \quad (0.4)$$

Now integrate both sides with respect to x :

$$\int y' dx = \int (2x + 2) dx \quad (0.5)$$

The left-hand side simplifies to y , and the right-hand side is integrated term by term:

$$y = \int 2x dx + \int 2 dx \quad (0.6)$$

$$y = x^2 + 2x + C \quad (0.7)$$

This matches the assumed solution:

$$y = x^2 + 2x + C \quad (0.8)$$

Computational Solution:

The **bilinear transform** is used to approximate the continuous derivative y' and reformulate the differential equation into a discrete time difference equation.

Consider a first order differential equation of the form

$$y' = f(x, y) \quad (0.9)$$

The derivative y' in the equation is approximated using the bilinear transform. In the bilinear transform, the derivative is expressed in discrete form as:

$$y' \approx \frac{y_{n+1} - y_n}{h} \quad (0.10)$$

Substituting this approximation into the general equation gives:

$$\frac{y_{n+1} - y_n}{h} = f(x, y) \quad (0.11)$$

The Trapezoidal rule is applied to $f(x, y)$ to approximate the value of $f(x, y)$ over the interval $[x_n, x_{n+1}]$.

$$f(x, y) \approx \frac{1}{2} [f(x_n, y_n) + f(x_{n+1}, y_{n+1})] \quad (0.12)$$

Substitute this into the discretized equation:

$$\frac{y_{n+1} - y_n}{h} = \frac{1}{2} [f(x_n, y_n) + f(x_{n+1}, y_{n+1})] \quad (0.13)$$

Rearranging for y_{n+1} , we get

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + \frac{h}{2} [f(x_n, y_n) + f(x_{n+1}, y_{n+1})] \quad (0.14)$$

This is the general trapezoidal difference equation obtained using the bilinear transform. Smaller the value of h will give more precise plot. We obtain points to plot by repeatative iteration.

Substituting our $f(x, y) = 2x + 2$ in the above equation we get,

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + h(x_n + x_{n+1}) + 2h \quad (0.15)$$

The above equation is the required difference equation.

Below is the comparison between the Theoretical plot and the simulated plot

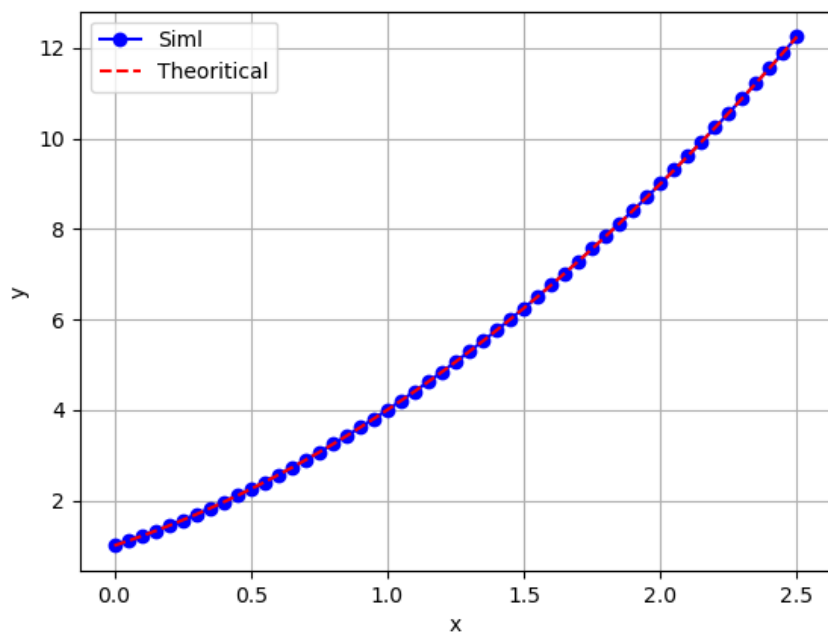


Fig. 0.1: Computational vs Theoretical solution of $y' - 2x - 2 = 0$