

# Euler Method + Runge Kutta Methods + Newton-Raphson

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = v, \quad \frac{dv}{dt} = a$$

1st order linear approximation  $\rightarrow$  Euler method

- $\Delta x = v \Delta t$
- $\Delta v = a \Delta t$ , in general  $a = a(v, x)$

explicit:

$$\begin{cases} x_{i+1} = x_i + v_i \Delta t \\ v_{i+1} = v_i + a_i \Delta t \end{cases}$$

Symplectic

$$\begin{cases} x_{i+1} = x_i + \underline{v_{i+1}} \Delta t \leftarrow \text{second} \\ v_{i+1} = v_i + a_i \Delta t \leftarrow \text{first} \end{cases}$$

implicit:

$$\begin{cases} x_{i+1} = x_i + \underline{v_{i+1}} \Delta t \\ v_{i+1} = v_i + \underline{a_{i+1}} \Delta t \end{cases}$$

If  $a(v, x)$  is linear, then the implicit method can be solved as a linear system of equations. (however most are non-linear  $\Rightarrow$  explicit used more often)  
(set  $-k/m = 1$ )

Example: Harmonic Oscillator,  $F = -kx = ma \Rightarrow a = -x$

explicit:

$$\begin{cases} x_{i+1} = x_i + v_i \Delta t \\ v_{i+1} = v_i - x_i \Delta t \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\Delta t \\ \Delta t & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_{i+1} \\ v_{i+1} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_i \\ v_i \end{pmatrix}$$

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implicit:

$$\begin{cases} x_{i+1} = x_i + v_{i+1} \Delta t \\ v_{i+1} = v_i - x_{i+1} \Delta t \end{cases}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{cases} x_{i+1} - v_{i+1} \Delta t = x_i \\ v_{i+1} + x_{i+1} \Delta t = v_i \end{cases}$$

Solve

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_{i+1} \\ v_{i+1} \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{\Delta t^2 + 1} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \Delta t \\ -\Delta t & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_i \\ v_i \end{pmatrix}$$

# Euler Method for Pendulum

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$$\frac{d\theta}{dt} = \frac{p_\theta}{ml} ; \frac{dp}{dt} = -\sin\theta$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{x} &= v & \dot{\theta} &= \frac{p_\theta}{ml} \\ \dot{v} &= a & \dot{p}_\theta &= -mgl \sin\theta \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta\theta &= p \Delta t \\ \Delta p &= -\sin\theta \Delta t \end{aligned}$$

Explicit

$$\theta_{i+1} = \theta_i + p_i \Delta t$$

$$p_{i+1} = p_i + (-\sin\theta_i) \Delta t$$

(2)  $\leadsto$  (1):

$$\theta_{i+1} = \theta_i + (p_i + \sin(\theta_{i+1}) \Delta t) \Delta t$$

$\rightarrow$   $0 = \theta_i - \theta_{i+1} + (p_i - \sin(\theta_{i+1}) \Delta t) \Delta t$   
Kor rootfinding for  $\theta_{i+1}$ , get:  $\theta_i$

Implicit

$$\theta_{i+1} = \theta_i + p_{i+1} \Delta t \quad (1)$$

$$p_{i+1} = p_i + (-\sin\theta_{i+1}) \Delta t \quad (2) \quad \left( \begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \theta_{i+1} - p_{i+1} \Delta t &= \theta_i \\ p_{i+1} + \sin\theta_{i+1} \Delta t &= p_i \end{aligned} \right)$$

~~$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -\Delta t \\ s & \end{bmatrix}$~~

Symplectic

$$\theta_{i+1} = \theta_i + p_{i+1} \Delta t \quad \leftarrow \text{second}$$

$$p_{i+1} = p_i - \sin\theta_i \Delta t \quad \leftarrow \text{first}$$

$f(\theta_i) = \theta_i - \theta_{i+1} + (p_i - \sin\theta_{i+1} \Delta t) \Delta t$   
 $f'(\theta_i) = -1 - \cos\theta_i \cdot \Delta t^2$

# General Runge-Kutta

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$$y_{i+1} = y_i + \phi h$$

$k_i$  = slope estimate

$$\phi(x_i, y_i, h) = a_1 k_1 + a_2 k_2 + \dots + a_n k_n$$

$$k_1 = f(x_i, y_i)$$

$$k_2 = f(x_i + p_1 h, y_i + q_{11} \underline{k_1} h)$$

$$k_3 = f(x_i + p_2 h, y_i + q_{21} \underline{k_1} h + q_{22} \underline{k_2} h)$$

$\vdots$

$$k_n = f(x_i + p_{n-1} h, y_i + q_{n-1,1} \underline{k_1} + q_{n-1,2} \underline{k_2} h + \dots + q_{n-1,n-1} \underline{k_{n-1}} h)$$

## 2nd Order Runge-Kutta Methods

$$y_{i+1} = y_i + \phi h$$

$$y_{i+1} = y_i + (a_1 k_1 + a_2 k_2) h = \text{Taylor Series Expansion}$$

where  $k_1 = f(x_i, y_i)$

$$k_2 = f(x_i + p_1 h, y_i + q_{11} k_1 h)$$

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$$a_1 + a_2 = 1$$

$$a_2 p_1 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$a_2 q_{11} = \frac{1}{2}$$

3 eqns  $p_1, q_{11},$   
4 unknowns:  $a_1, a_2,$



# Newton-Raphson Root finding Method

$$f(x) \approx f(x_0) + f'(x_0)(x - x_0)$$

Set  $f(x) = 0$

$$\begin{array}{cc} \downarrow & \downarrow \\ x_{i+1} & x_i \end{array}$$

$$x_{i+1} = x_i - \frac{f(x_i)}{f'(x_i)}$$

$x_i$  = initial guess

$x_{i+1}$  = next guess