

TTK4130 - Modeling and Simulation
Assignment 7
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1a) Dynamic model:

$$\dot{x} = f(x, u, t)$$

Assume:

$$u = u_k \quad \text{for } t \in [t_k, t_{k+1}]$$

ERK2 based on two evaluations
of f , the first on $[x(t_k), u_k]$
can be written as:

$$K_1 = f(x(t_k), u(t_k), t_k)$$

$$K_2 = f(x(t_k) + a \cdot \Delta t \cdot K_1, \\ u(t_k + c \Delta t), t_k + c \Delta t)$$

$$x_{k+1} = x(t_k) + \Delta t \sum_{i=1}^2 b_i \cdot k_i$$

Butcher tableau

$$\begin{array}{c|cc} 0 & & \\ c & a & \\ \hline & b_1 & b_2 \end{array}$$

ERZ numerical error:

$$e_k = X_{k+1} - X(t_{k+1}|k)$$

$X(t|k)$ actual traj. of ODE
with init. cond. $X(t_k|k) = X_k$

I am to provide cond.

on a, b_1, b_2 and c such that
 e_k of the method is of
order 3.

$$\begin{aligned} X(t_{k+1}) = & X(t_k) + \Delta t \cdot f(X(t_k), u_k) \\ & + \frac{\Delta t^2}{2} \cdot \dot{f}(X(t_k), u_k) + O(\Delta t^3) \end{aligned}$$

$$(2c) \quad X_{k+1} = X(t_k) + \Delta t (b_1 k_1 + b_2 k_2)$$

(3) \Downarrow

$$X_{k+1} - X(t_{k+1}) = \Delta t b_1 k_1 + \Delta t b_2 k_2$$

$$- \Delta t k_1 - \underbrace{\frac{\Delta t^2}{2} \dot{f}(X(t_k), u_k)}_{(\approx \dot{f} \text{ from now})} + O(\Delta t^3)$$

$$= e_k$$

We do a Taylor exp. on k_2

$$k_2 = k_1 + a \Delta t \dot{f}(X(t_k), u_k) + O(\Delta t^2)$$

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$$\begin{aligned} e_k &= \Delta t b_1 k_1 + \Delta t b_2 k_1 + \Delta t^2 b_2 a \dot{f} \\ &\quad + \Delta t b_2 O(\Delta t^2) - \Delta t k_1 - \frac{\Delta t^2}{2} \dot{f} \\ &\quad - O(\Delta t^3) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \Delta t (b_1 + b_2 - 1) k_1 + \Delta t^2 (b_2 a - \frac{1}{2}) \dot{f} + O(\Delta t^3)$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\underline{b_1 + b_2 = 1, \quad b_2 a = \frac{1}{2}, \quad c \in [0, 1]}}$$

$$b) e_k = O(\Delta t^3)$$

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$$\|X_N - X(T)\| = O(\Delta t^2)$$

($\forall \|X_{k+1} - X(t_{k+1})\|$, for each ~~step~~ step has an error $O(\Delta t^3)$)

and integration to T , we get

$$\frac{T}{\Delta t} = N \text{ steps in total.}$$

After these, the error is:

$$\frac{T}{\Delta t} \Delta t^3 = T \Delta t^2 = O(\Delta t^2)$$

c) Modus operandi for surviving third year spring-semester for MTTK, dictates that:

(optional) := "Do not"

Some day in the future, I'll have the time to enjoy what I learn.

2a) Butcher Tableau:

RK1:

$$\begin{array}{c|c} 0 & \\ \hline & 1 \end{array}$$

RK2:

$$\begin{array}{c|cc} 0 & & \\ \hline \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & \\ \hline & 0 & 1 \end{array}$$

RK3:

$$\begin{array}{c|cccc} 0 & & & & \\ \hline \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & & & \\ \frac{1}{2} & & \frac{1}{2} & & \\ 1 & & & 1 & \\ \hline & \frac{1}{6} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{3} & \frac{1}{6} \end{array}$$

Test system:

$$\dot{x} = \lambda x$$

we'll use:

$$x_{k+1} = x_k + \Delta t \sum_i^s b_i K_i$$

$$K_s = f\left(x_k + \Delta t \sum_i^s a_{si} K_i, u(t_k + c_s \Delta t)\right)$$

The code was tested for

$$\lambda = -2, t \in [0, 2], \Delta t = 0.4, X(0) = 1$$

See three first figures for
RK1, RK2 and RK4

b) I got better results for
lower Δt 's

Very low Δt 's (like 0.1) gave
very good results for all
methods (see the 4. 5. and 6. fig)

Actual order of methods as a
function of Δt :

~~Actual order~~

RK	Order	$\frac{1}{2} \Delta t$ - error
1	1	$\frac{1}{2}$
2 2	2	$\frac{1}{4}$
4	4	$\frac{1}{16}$

c) At $\lambda < -5$ RK1 and 2 is unstable

At $\lambda < -6.97$ RK4 is unstable

(I just twiddled with the code for a bit until they became unstable.)

3a) $\dot{x} = y$
 $\dot{y} = u(1 - x^2)y - x$

$$u = 5$$

$$x(0) = 2$$

$$y(0) = 0$$

With ODE45 it seems both x and y are marginally stable

b) Increasing beyond $\Delta t = 16$ doesn't work.

Seems lower values work the best

$\Delta t < 0.12$ gives that RK4 and ODE45 gives somewhat equal plots.