

**Topic:** Ordinary Differential Equations

**Read:** Ch 22: 22.1, 22.2, 22.5; Chapter 23: 23.1.1

Include a plot with every problem unless otherwise instructed. Each step should be represented with a marker, connected by a solid line. Place a title and label the axes

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**Handwork problems:**

**HW12\_1** Solve the following initial value problem to find  $y(2)$ .

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = yt^2 - 1.1y, \quad y(0) = 1$$

using midpoint method with  $h=0.5$

**HW12\_2** The *van der Pol* equation is a model of an electronic circuit that arose back in the days of vacuum tubes:

$$\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} - (1 - y^2) \frac{dy}{dt} + y = 0$$

Given the initial conditions  $y(0) = y'(0) = 1$ , solve this equation from  $t = 0$  to 1 using Euler's method with a step size of 0.25.

**Coding problems:**

**HW12\_3:** Solve the ODE from 12\_1 above with a MATLAB code implementing both Euler's method and midpoint method with a step size of 0.1. Also display the results from both methods on the same plot along with the analytical result

$$y(t) = e^{(t^3 - 3.3t)/3}$$

Use proper legend with your plot.

**HW12\_4:** Solve the system of nonlinear equations over the interval  $0 \leq t \leq 0.03$  using `ode45`. Display the results on the same graph. Include a legend.  $x(0)=3, y(0)=2, z(0)=1$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -x^4 + yt$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -x + (y + y^4) + z^4$$

$$\frac{dz}{dt} = (y + y^4) + z^4 + t$$