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Question:

What is the solution for the differential equation $y' + \sin x = 0$ Solution:

Theoretical solution:

by rearranging the given differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\sin x\tag{0.1}$$

On integrating both sides w.r.to x,

$$\int \frac{dy}{dx} dx = \int (-\sin x) \, dx \tag{0.2}$$

$$y = \cos x + C \tag{0.3}$$

Solution using Trapezoidal rule:

Consider the equation (0.1),

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\sin x\tag{0.4}$$

$$dy = -\sin x dx \tag{0.5}$$

To apply the Trapezoidal rule, we need to convert it into definite integration. For that let us take two points on x-axis x_n and x_{n+1} , which are at a small separation h and y_n, y_{n+1} be the values of respectively.

$$\int_{y_n}^{y_{n+1}} dy = \int_{x_n}^{x_{n+1}} \sin x dx$$
 (0.6)

By Trapezoidal rule, We can approximate it as,

$$y_{n+1} - y_n = \frac{1}{2} \times h \left(\sin x_n + \sin x_{n+1} \right) \tag{0.7}$$

Where,

$$h = x_{n+1} - x_n (0.8)$$

By taking initial conditions as $x_0 = 0$, $y_0 = 1$ and plotting the points resulted in this algorithm will give the approximate graph for the given differential equation (0.1)

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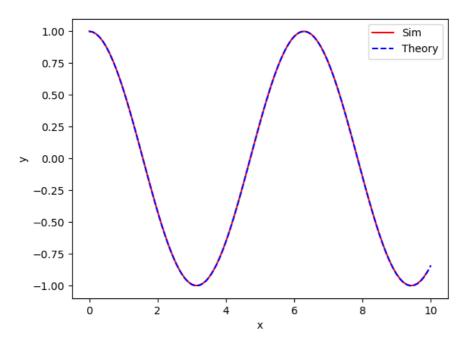


Fig. 0.1: Plot