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Question:

Solve the following differential equation:

$$y'' + xy' + xy = 0 ag{0.1}$$

Solution:

By first principle of derivatives,

$$y'(t) = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{y(t+h) - y(t)}{h} \tag{0.2}$$

$$y(t+h) = y(t) + hy'(t)$$
 (0.3)

$$y'' + xy' + xy = 0 (0.4)$$

Rewriting the given equation, we get:

$$y'' = -xy' - xy \tag{0.5}$$

To solve this equation numerically, we apply Euler's method. We start by introducing the following substitutions:

$$y'_{n+1} = y'_n + h(y''_n)$$
(0.6)

Then when we substition eq (0.5) in eq (0.6)

$$y'_{n+1} = y'_n + h(-xy'_n - xy_n)$$
(0.7)

then

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + h(y_n')$$
 (0.8)

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + h(y'_{n-1}) + h(-xy'_{n-1} - xy_{n-1})$$
(0.9)

We need to assume two initial conditions as it is a second order differential equation. So here we assume the initial conditions as

$$x_0 = 0 (0.10)$$

$$y_0 = 0 (0.11)$$

$$y_0' = 1 (0.12)$$

$$h = 0.1 \tag{0.13}$$

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substitute eq (0.10), eq (0.11) and eq (0.10) in eq (0.1) we get

$$y''(0) = 0 (0.14)$$

Substitute eq (0.10) in eq (0.8)

$$y_1 = y_0 + y_0'(0.1) (0.15)$$

$$y_1 = 0.1 (0.16)$$

For the rest of the points use eq (0.8) we get the other points.

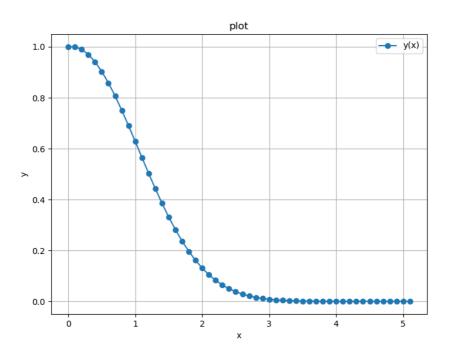


Fig. 0.1: plot