

NCERT-9.3.11

EE24BTECH11023 - RASAGNA

Question:

Find the solution of the following differential equation, Given that $x = 0$ when $y = 1$.

$$(x^3 + x^2 + x + 1) \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x^2 + x$$

Solution: From the question, after simplification:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2x^2 + x}{(1+x)(1+x^2)} \quad (0.1)$$

Let,

$$\frac{2x^2 + x}{(1+x)(1+x^2)} = \frac{A}{1+x} + \frac{Bx+C}{1+x^2} \quad (0.2)$$

When $x = 0$:

$$A + C = 0 \quad (0.3)$$

When $x = 1$:

$$A + B + C = \frac{3}{2} \quad (0.4)$$

When $x = \frac{-1}{2}$:

$$5A - B + 2C = 0 \quad (0.5)$$

Solving these equations,

$$A = \frac{1}{2}, \quad B = \frac{3}{2}, \quad C = -\frac{1}{2} \quad (0.6)$$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2(1+x)} + \frac{3x-1}{2(1+x^2)} \quad (0.7)$$

Integrating both sides:

$$y = \int \left(\frac{1}{2(1+x)} + \frac{3x}{2(1+x^2)} - \frac{1}{2(1+x^2)} \right) dx \quad (0.8)$$

The solution is,

$$y = \frac{1}{2} \ln(1+x) + \frac{3}{4} \ln(1+x^2) - \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1}(x) + C \quad (0.9)$$

Given $x = 0$ when $y = 1$, solve for C ;

$$C = 1 - \left(\frac{1}{2} \ln(1 + 0) + \frac{3}{4} \ln(1 + 0^2) - \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1}(0) \right) \quad (0.10)$$

$$\therefore C = 1 \quad (0.11)$$

Thus, the final required equation is,

$$y = \frac{1}{2} \ln(1 + x) + \frac{3}{4} \ln(1 + x^2) - \frac{1}{2} \tan^{-1}(x) + 1 \quad (0.12)$$

Logic for writing the code(method of finite difference)

The slope of a tangent at a point (x_0, y_0) on the curve is:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x_0 + h) - f(x_0)}{h} \quad (0.13)$$

By moving infinitesimally small distance(h) along the tangent , we get another point (x_1, y_1) .the value of (x_1, y_1)

$$x_1 = x_0 + h \quad (0.14)$$

$$y_1 = y_0 + \frac{dy}{dx}h \quad (0.15)$$

Here,

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2x_0^2 + x_0}{(1 + x_0)(1 + x_0^2)}. \quad (0.16)$$

On substituting the value of $\frac{dy}{dx}$ in equation (0.15) we get,

$$y_1 = y_0 + \frac{2x_0^2 + x_0}{(1 + x_0)(1 + x_0^2)}h \quad (0.17)$$

Similarly we can obtain n number of points where

$$x_n = x_{n-1} + h \quad (0.18)$$

$$y_n = y_{n-1} + \frac{2x_{n-1}^2 + x_{n-1}}{(1 + x_{n-1})(1 + x_{n-1}^2)}h \quad (0.19)$$

Together these points form the curve representing one of the general solutions of the given Differential Equation. The plot is generated by choosing a known point (x_0, y_0) which satisfies the equation. The value of h is taken to be very small. We generate a large number of points and then plot them.

