

In the name of *GOD*

Computational Physics

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Outline

- Fortran-90 Programming
- Numerical calculus
- Approximation of a function
- Numerical methods for matrices
- Ordinary differential equations
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- Molecular dynamics simulations

Ordinary differential equations

In general, we can classify ordinary differential equations into three major categories:

- (1) initial-value problems, which involve time-dependent equations with given initial conditions;
- (2) boundary-value problems, which involve differential equations with specified boundary conditions;
- (3) eigenvalue problems, which involve solutions for selected parameters (eigenvalues) in the equations.

Initial-value problems

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{f(x, \dot{x}, t)}{m} \\ \frac{dx}{dt} = v \end{cases}, \quad \begin{aligned} v(0) &= v_0 \\ x(0) &= x_0 \end{aligned}$$

The Euler methods

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = f(y, t)$$

$y(t)$ \longrightarrow known

$y(t + \delta t)$ \longrightarrow unknown

$$y(t + \delta t) = y(t) + \delta t \left(\frac{dy}{dt} \right)_t + O(\delta t^2) \xrightarrow{\frac{dy}{dt} = f(y, t)} y(t + \delta t) = y(t) + \delta t f(y(t), t)$$

$$y(t), f(y(t), t) \rightarrow y(t + \delta t)$$

$$t_n = n \delta t$$

$$y(t_n) = y(n \delta t)$$

$$y(t_{n+1}) = y(t_n + \delta t) = y((n+1) \delta t)$$

$$y(0)$$

$$y(\delta t) = y(0) + \delta t f(y(0), 0)$$

$$y(\delta t)$$

$$y(2\delta t) = y(\delta t) + \delta t f(y(\delta t), \delta t)$$

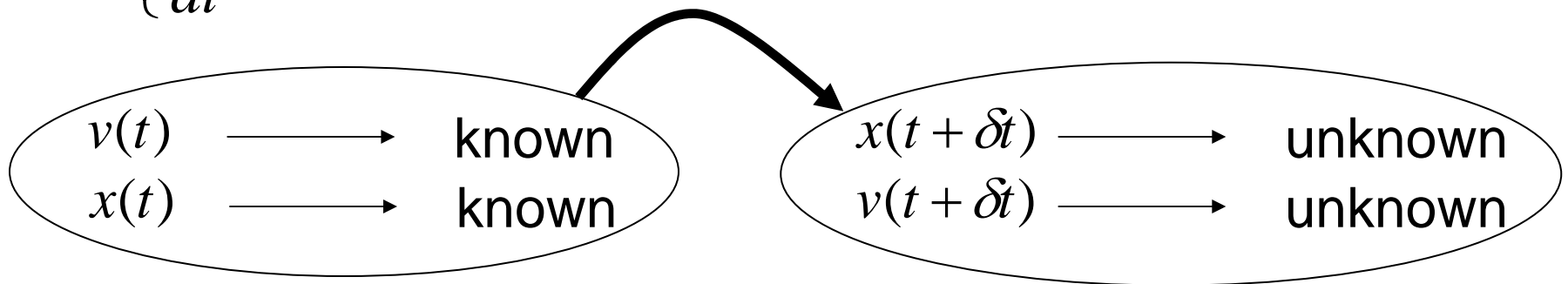
\vdots

$$y(n\delta t)$$

$$y((n+1)\delta t) = y(n\delta t) + \delta t f(y(n\delta t), n\delta t)$$

\vdots

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{f(x, v, t)}{m} = a(x, v, t) \\ \frac{dx}{dt} = v \end{cases}, \quad \begin{aligned} v(0) &= v_0 \\ x(0) &= x_0 \end{aligned}$$



$$v(t + \delta t) = v(t) + \delta t \left(\frac{dv}{dt} \right)_t + O(\delta t^2) \xrightarrow{\frac{dv}{dt} = a(x, v, t)} v(t + \delta t) = v(t) + \delta t a(y(t), v(t), t)$$

$$x(t + \delta t) = x(t) + \delta t \left(\frac{dx}{dt} \right)_t + O(\delta t^2) \xrightarrow{\frac{dx}{dt} = v(x, t)} x(t + \delta t) = x(t) + \delta t v(x(t), t)$$

A red oval encircling the first two equations.
$$v(\delta t) = v(0) + \delta t a(y(0), v(0), 0)$$

$$x(\delta t) = x(0) + \delta t v(x(0), 0)$$

A blue oval encircling the second two equations.
$$v(2\delta t) = v(\delta t) + \delta t a(y(\delta t), v(\delta t), \delta t)$$

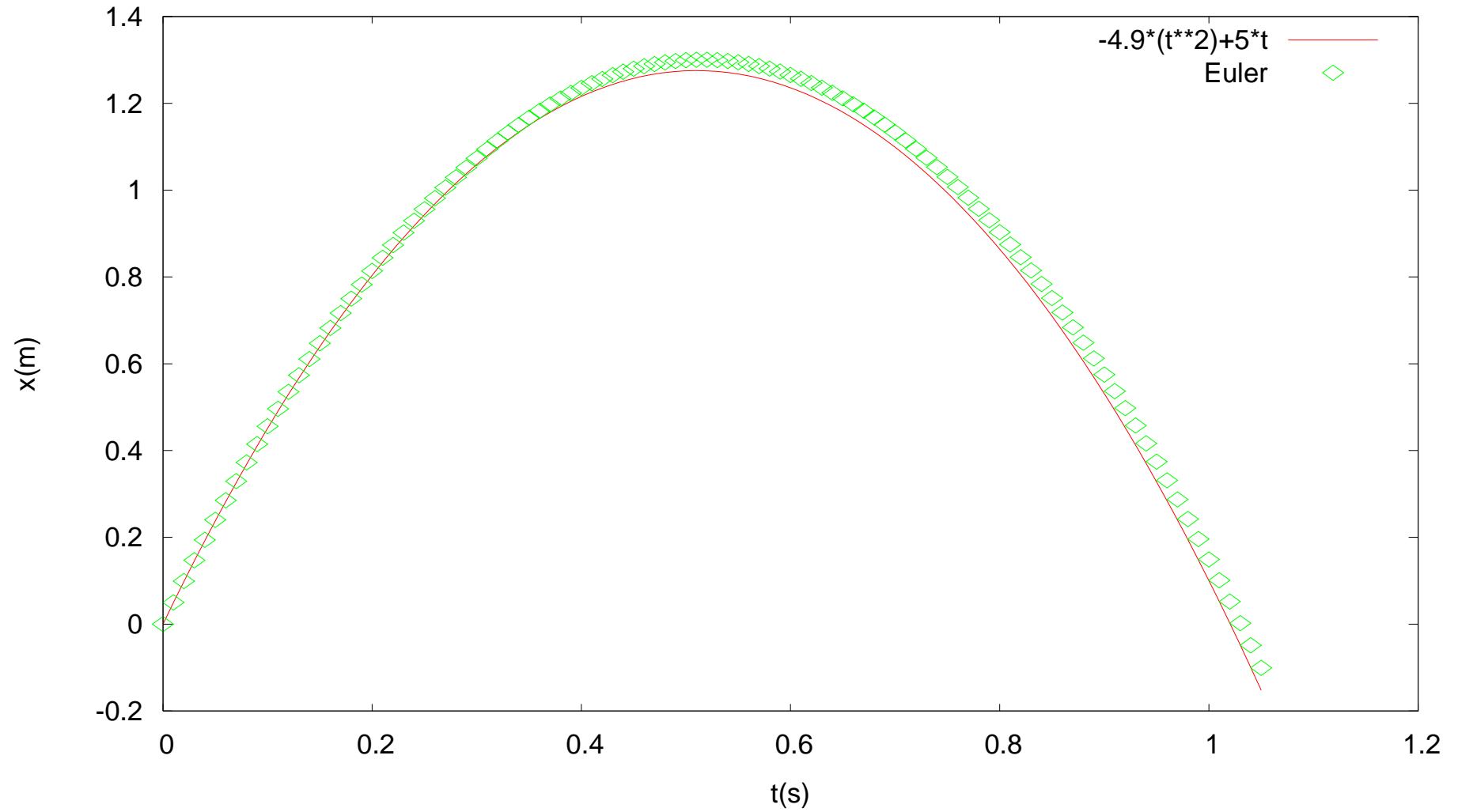
$$x(2\delta t) = x(\delta t) + \delta t v(x(\delta t), \delta t)$$



A green oval encircling the third two equations.
$$v(n\delta t + \delta t) = v(n\delta t) + \delta t a(y(n\delta t), v(n\delta t), n\delta t)$$

$$x(n\delta t + \delta t) = x(n\delta t) + \delta t v(x(n\delta t), n\delta t)$$

$$x(0) = 0 \quad , \quad v(0) = 5 \, m/s$$



The Picard methods

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = f(y, t) \Rightarrow y_{i+1} = y_i + \int_{t_i}^{t_{i+1}} f(y, t) dt$$

use the rectangular approximation:

The Euler method

$$y_{i+1} = y_i + f(y_{i+1}, t_{i+1})\tau + O(\tau^2)$$

use the trapezoid rule:

The Picard method

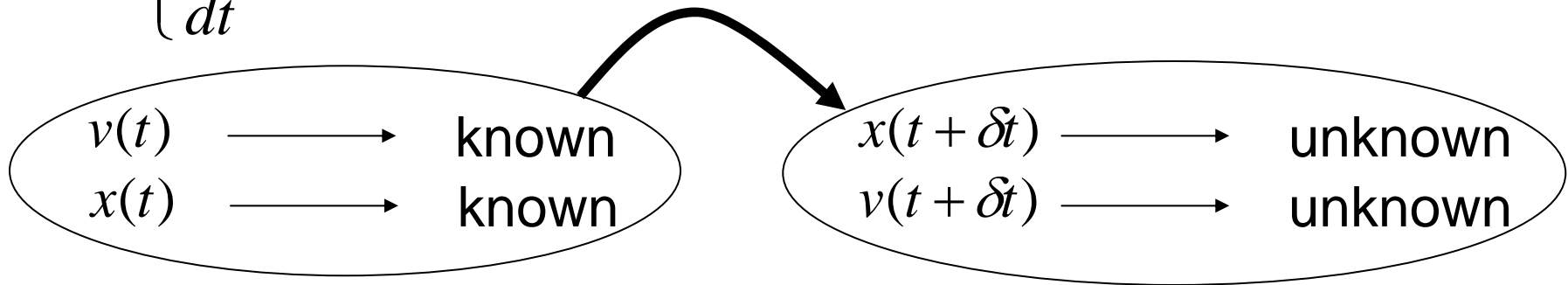
$$y_{i+1} = y_i + \frac{f(y_{i+1}, t_{i+1}) + f(y_i, t_i)}{2} \tau + O(\tau^3)$$

The Picard methods

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dv}{dt} = \frac{f(x, v, t)}{m} = a(x, v, t) \\ \frac{dx}{dt} = v \end{cases}$$

$$v(0) = v_0$$

$$x(0) = x_0$$



Euler:

$$v(t + \delta t) = v(t) + \delta t a(y(t), v(t), t)$$

$$\longrightarrow v(t + \delta t) \longrightarrow \text{known}$$

Picard:

$$x(t + \delta t) = x(t) + \delta t \frac{v(t) + v(t + \delta t)}{2}$$

$$\longrightarrow x(t + \delta t) \longrightarrow \text{known}$$

Verlet algorithm

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} x(t + \delta t) = x(t) + \delta t \dot{x}(t) + \frac{\delta t^2}{2!} \ddot{x}(t) + O(\delta t^3) \quad \textcircled{1} \\ x(t - \delta t) = x(t) - \delta t \dot{x}(t) + \frac{\delta t^2}{2!} \ddot{x}(t) + O(\delta t^3) \quad \textcircled{2} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\textcircled{1} + \textcircled{2} \xrightarrow{\quad} x(t + \delta t) = 2x(t) - x(t - \delta t) + \delta t^2 a(t) + O(\delta t^4)$$

$$\textcircled{1} - \textcircled{2} \xrightarrow{\quad} v(t) = \frac{x(t + \delta t) - x(t - \delta t)}{2\delta t}$$

Verlet algorithm

$$x(0) = x_0 \quad , \quad v(0) = v_0$$

Euler algorithm:

$$x(\delta t) = x(0) + \delta t \, v(x(0), 0)$$

$$x(\delta t)$$

Verlet algorithm:

$$x(2\delta t) = 2x(\delta t) - x(0) + \delta t^2 a(\delta t)$$

$$v(\delta t) = \frac{x(2\delta t) - x(0)}{2\delta t}$$

$$x(2\delta t)$$

$$v(\delta t)$$

Verlet algorithm:

$$x(3\delta t) = 2x(2\delta t) - x(\delta t) + \delta t^2 a(2\delta t)$$

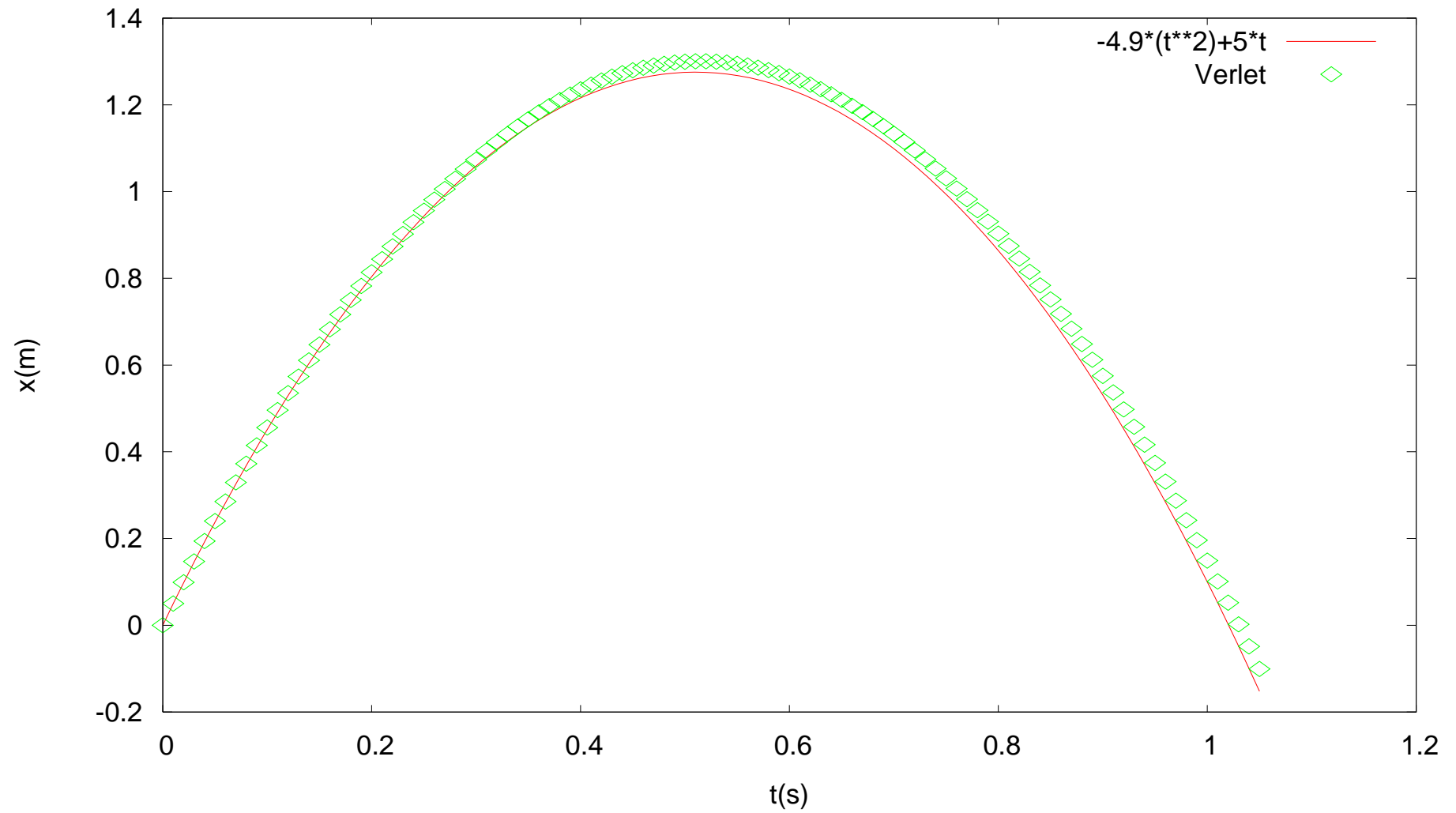
$$v(2\delta t) = \frac{x(3\delta t) - x(\delta t)}{2\delta t}$$

$$x(3\delta t)$$

$$v(2\delta t)$$

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$$x(0) = 0 \quad , \quad v(0) = 5 \, m/s$$



Leap-frog algorithm

$$v(t + \frac{\delta t}{2}) = v(t - \frac{\delta t}{2}) + \delta t a(t)$$

$$x(t + \delta t) = x(t) + \delta t v(t + \frac{\delta t}{2})$$

$$v(t) = \frac{1}{2} \left(v(t - \frac{\delta t}{2}) + v(t + \frac{\delta t}{2}) \right)$$

Leap-frog algorithm

$$v(t + \frac{\delta t}{2}) = v(t - \frac{\delta t}{2}) + \delta t a(t)$$

$$x(t + \delta t) = x(t) + \delta t v(t + \frac{\delta t}{2})$$

$$v(t) = \frac{1}{2} \left(v(t - \frac{\delta t}{2}) + v(t + \frac{\delta t}{2}) \right)$$

$$\begin{cases} v(t - \frac{\delta t}{2}) + v(t + \frac{\delta t}{2}) = 2v(t) \\ v(t + \frac{\delta t}{2}) - v(t - \frac{\delta t}{2}) = \delta t a(t) \end{cases} \Rightarrow v(t + \frac{\delta t}{2}) = \frac{2v(t) + \delta t a(t)}{2}$$

Leap-frog algorithm

$$\begin{cases} v(t + \frac{\delta t}{2}) = \frac{2v(t) + \delta t a(t)}{2} \\ x(t + \delta t) = x(t) + \delta t v(t + \frac{\delta t}{2}) \end{cases}$$

$$x(t + \delta t) = x(t) + \delta t v(t) + \frac{\delta t^2}{2} a(t)$$

Leap-frog algorithm

$$x(0) = x_0 \quad , \quad v(0) = v_0$$

$$v\left(\frac{\delta t}{2}\right) = \delta t a(0)$$

$$x(\delta t) = x(0) + \delta t v\left(\frac{\delta t}{2}\right)$$

$$v(\delta t) = \frac{1}{2} \left(v\left(\frac{\delta t}{2}\right) + v\left(\frac{3\delta t}{2}\right) \right)$$

$$v\left(\frac{3\delta t}{2}\right) = v\left(\frac{\delta t}{2}\right) + \delta t a(\delta t)$$

$$x(2\delta t) = x(\delta t) + \delta t v\left(\frac{3\delta t}{2}\right)$$

$$v(2\delta t) = \frac{1}{2} \left(v\left(\frac{\delta t}{2}\right) + v\left(\frac{3\delta t}{2}\right) \right)$$

$$v\left(\frac{5\delta t}{2}\right) = v\left(\frac{3\delta t}{2}\right) + \delta t a(2\delta t)$$

$$x(3\delta t) = x(2\delta t) + \delta t v\left(\frac{5\delta t}{2}\right)$$

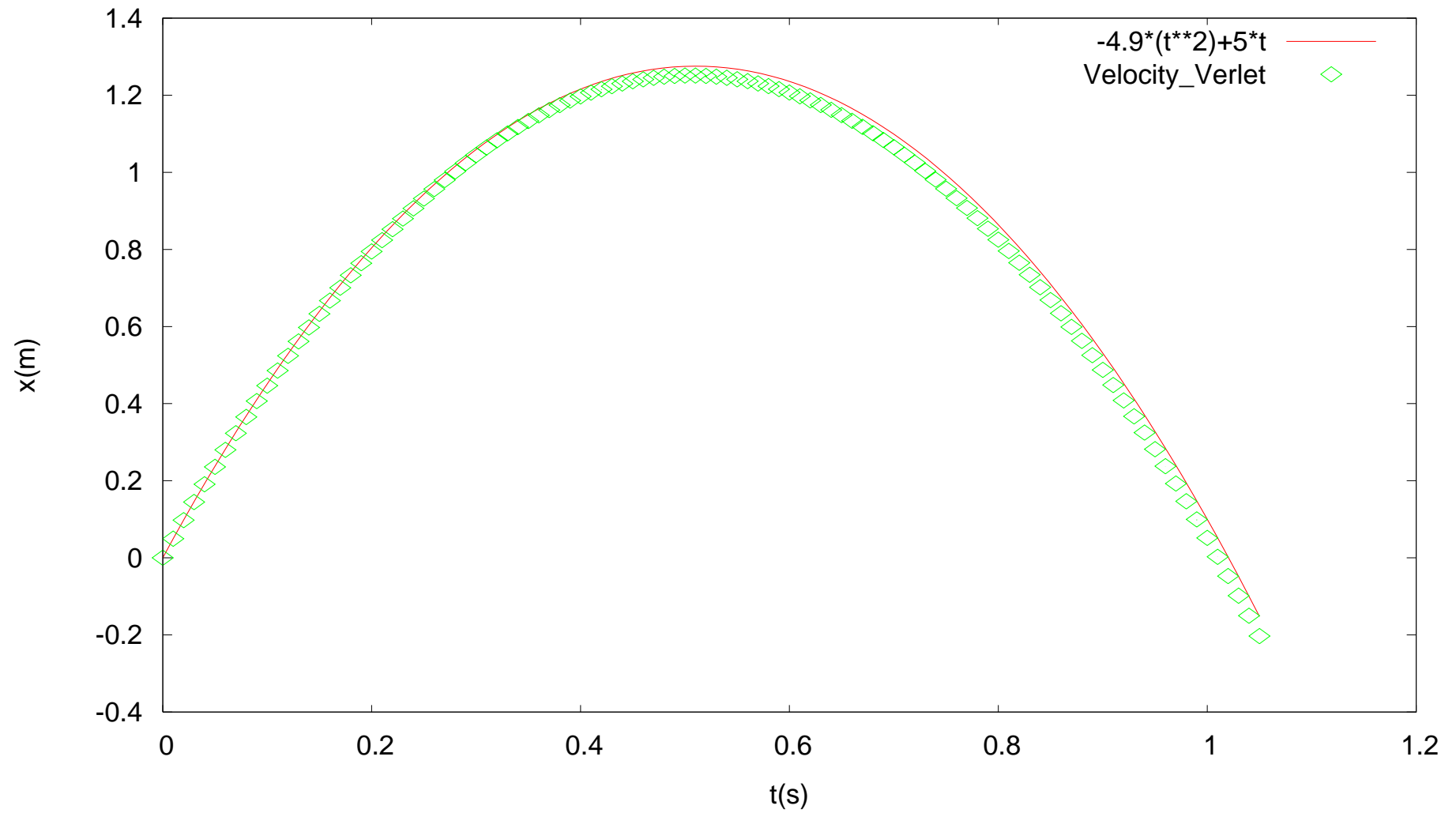
$$v(3\delta t) = \frac{1}{2} \left(v\left(\frac{3\delta t}{2}\right) + v\left(\frac{5\delta t}{2}\right) \right)$$

Velocity-Verlet algorithm

$$x(0) = x_0 \quad , \quad v(0) = v_0$$

$$\begin{cases} x(t + \delta t) = x(t) + \delta t \, v(t) + \frac{1}{2} \delta t^2 \, a(t) \\ v(t + \delta t) = v(t) + \frac{1}{2} \delta t [a(t + \delta t) + a(t)] \end{cases}$$

$$x(0) = 0 \quad , \quad v(0) = 5 \, m/s$$



Runge-Kutta Methods

Second order

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = f(x, t)$$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n + ak_1 + bk_2$$

$$k_1 = \delta t f(x_n, t_n)$$

$$k_2 = \delta t f(x_n + \alpha k_1, t_n + \beta \delta t)$$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n + a\delta t f(x_n, t_n) + b\delta t f(x_n + \alpha k_1, t_n + \beta \delta t)$$

$$f(x_n + \alpha k_1, t_n + \beta \delta t) = f(x_n, t_n) + \alpha k_1 f_x(x_n, t_n) + \beta \delta t f_t(x_n, t_n)$$

$$f(x_n + \alpha k_1, t_n + \beta \delta t) = f(x_n, t_n) + \alpha \delta t f(x_n, t_n) f_x(x_n, t_n) + \beta \delta t f_t(x_n, t_n)$$

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$$x_{n+1} = x_n + (a + b)\delta t f(x_n, t_n) + b\delta t^2 (\alpha f(x_n, t_n) f_x(x_n, t_n) + \beta f_t(x_n, t_n))$$

Runge-Kutta Methods

Second order

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = f(x, t)$$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n + \delta t f(x_n, t_n) + \frac{\delta t^2}{2} f'(x_n, t_n) + \dots$$

$$df = \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} dt + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} dx \xrightarrow{\frac{1}{dt}} \frac{df}{dt} = \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} f$$

$$\frac{df}{dt} = f_t + f_x f$$

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$$x_{n+1} = x_n + \delta t f(x_n, t_n) + \frac{\delta t^2}{2} (f_t(x_n, t_n) + f_x(x_n, t_n) f(x_n, t_n))$$

$$a + b = 1 \quad b\beta = \frac{1}{2} \quad b\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$a = \frac{1}{2} \quad : \quad b = \frac{1}{2}, \alpha = 1, \beta = 1$$

Runge-Kutta Methods

fourth order

$$x_{n+1} = x_n + \frac{1}{6}(k_1 + 2k_2 + 2k_3 + k_4)$$

$$k_1 = \delta t f(x_n, t_n)$$

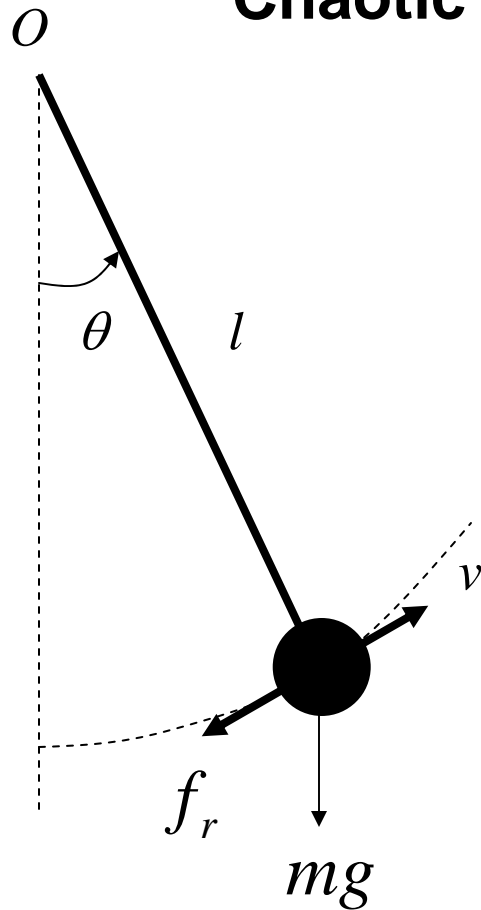
$$k_2 = \delta t f(x_n + k_1, t_n + \frac{1}{2}\delta t)$$

$$k_3 = \delta t f(x_n + \frac{1}{2}k_2, t_n + \frac{1}{2}\delta t)$$

$$k_4 = \delta t f(x_n + k_3, t_n + \delta t)$$

Write program

Chaotic dynamics of a driven pendulum



$$ma_t = f_g + f_d + f_r$$

$$f_g = -mg \sin \theta$$

$$f_d = f_0 \cos \omega_0 t$$

$$f_r = -k v$$

$$a_t = l \frac{d^2 \theta}{dt^2} \quad , \quad v = l \frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

Chaotic dynamics of a driven pendulum

$$ma_t = f_g + f_d + f_r$$

$$ma_t = -mg\sin\theta + f_0\cos\omega_0t - \kappa v$$

$$ml\frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} = -mg\sin\theta + f_0\cos\omega_0t - \kappa l\frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

$$\frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} = -\frac{g}{l}\sin\theta + \frac{f_0}{ml}\cos\omega_0t - \frac{\kappa}{m}\frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

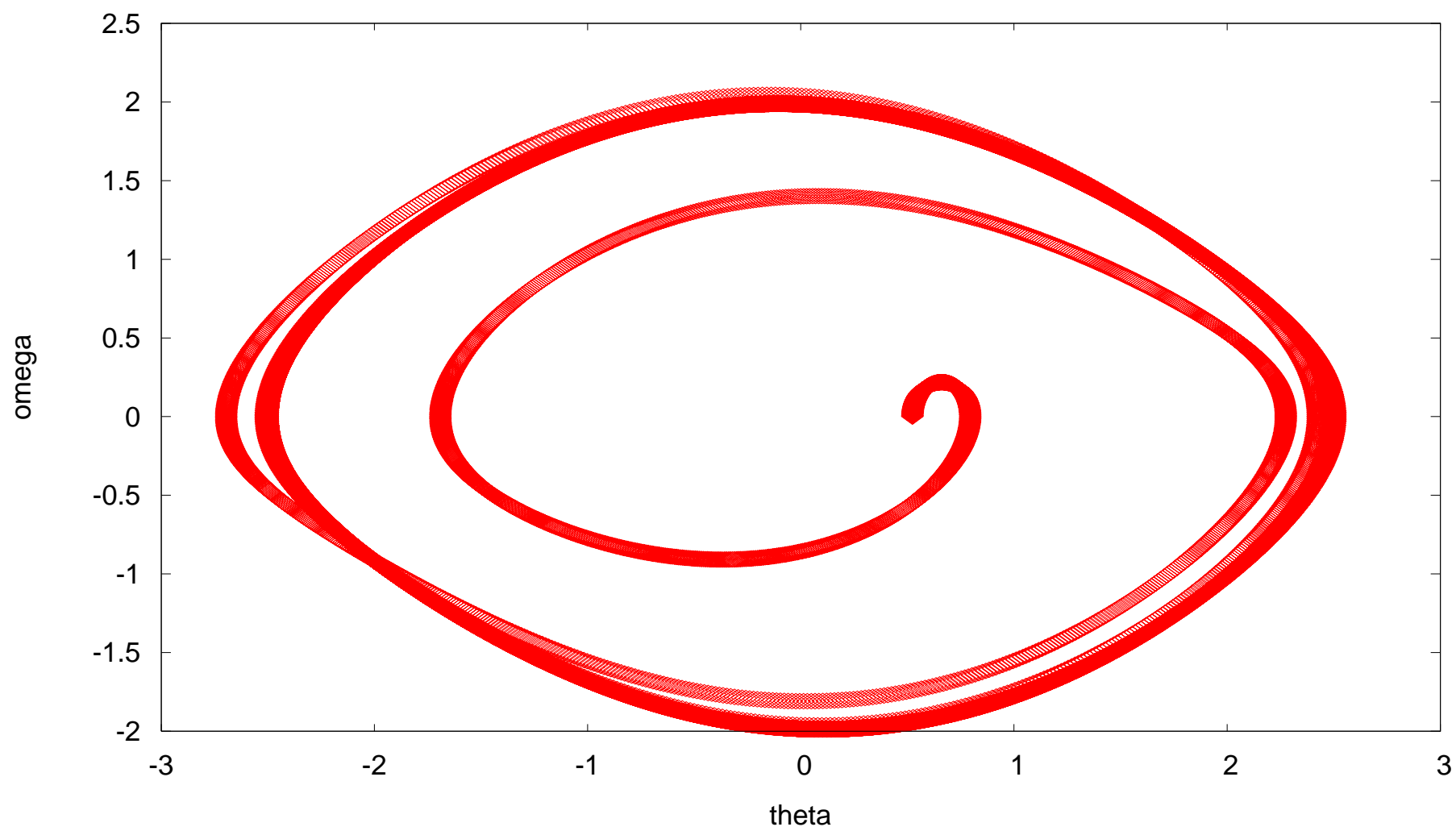
$$\boxed{\frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} + \frac{\kappa}{m}\frac{d\theta}{dt} + \frac{g}{l}\sin\theta = \frac{f_0}{ml}\cos\omega_0t}$$

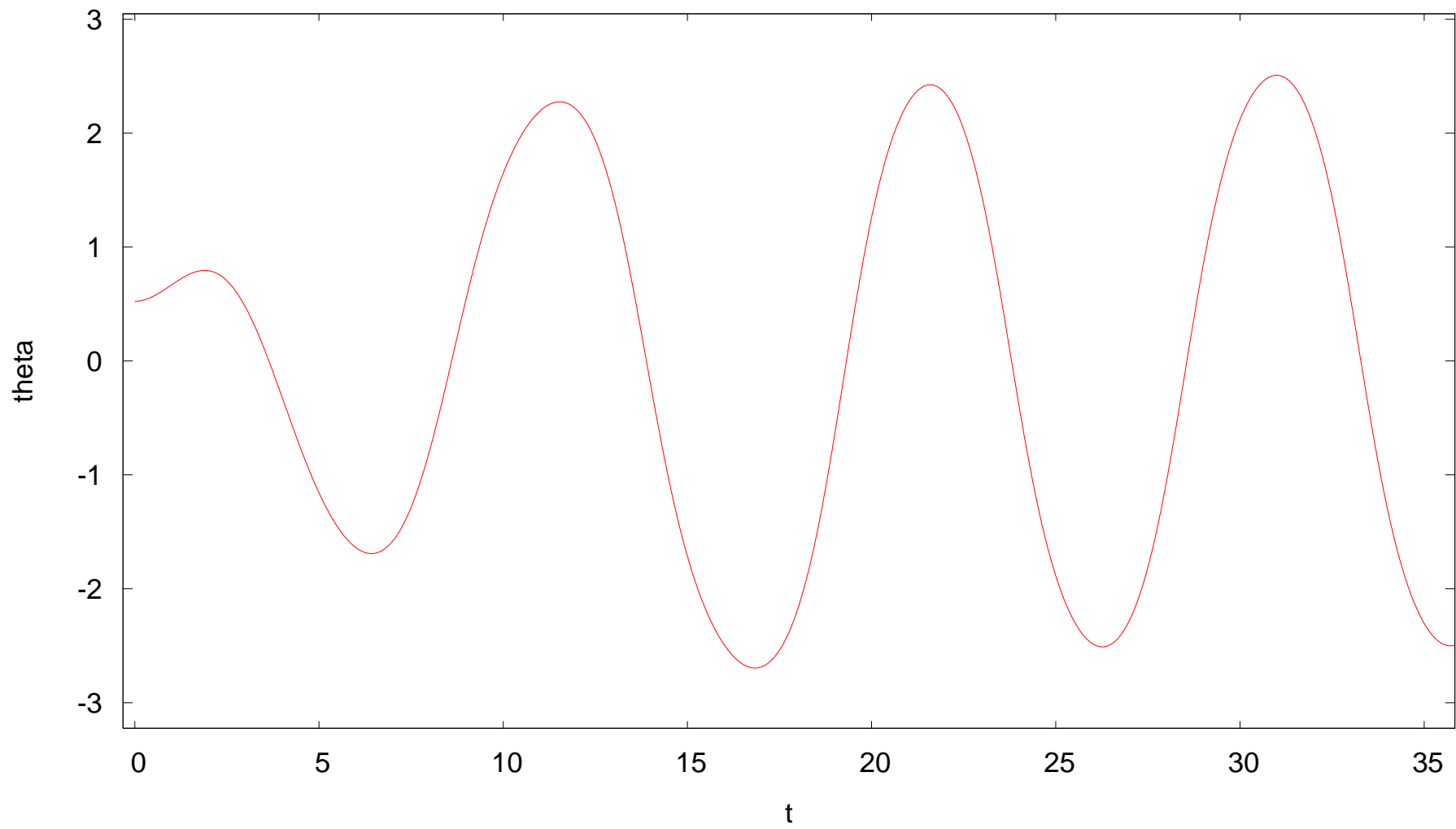
Chaotic dynamics of a driven pendulum

$$\frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} + \frac{\kappa}{m} \frac{d\theta}{dt} + \frac{g}{l} \sin\theta = \frac{f_0}{ml} \cos\omega_0 t$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\kappa}{m} = 0.5 \\ \frac{g}{l} = 1.0 \\ \frac{f_0}{ml} = 0.9 \\ \omega_0 = \frac{2}{3} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{\kappa}{m} = 0.5 \\ \frac{g}{l} = 1.0 \\ \frac{f_0}{ml} = 1.15 \\ \omega_0 = \frac{2}{3} \end{array} \right.$$





2D

$$f_x = 0$$

$$f_y = -g = 9.8 \text{ m} / \text{s}^2$$

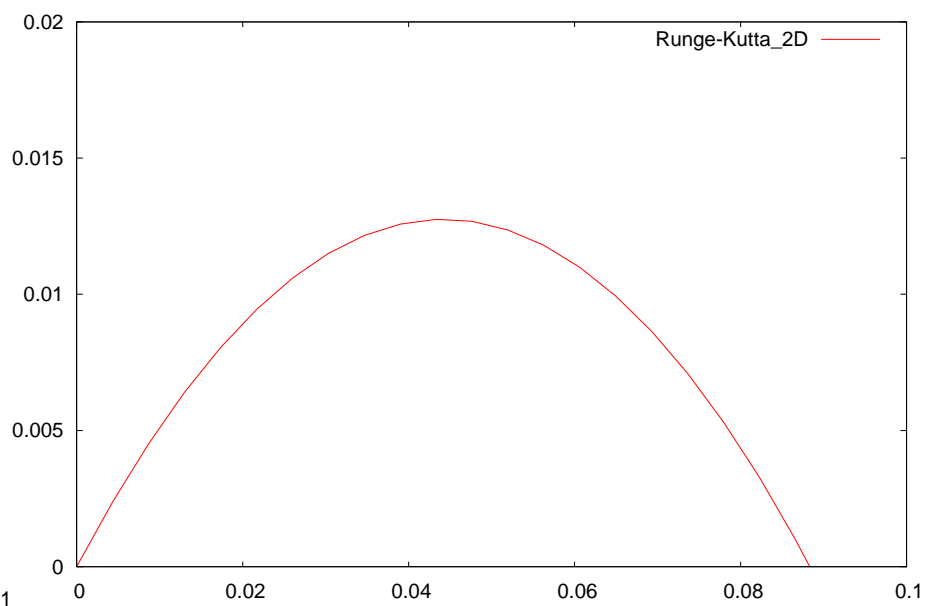
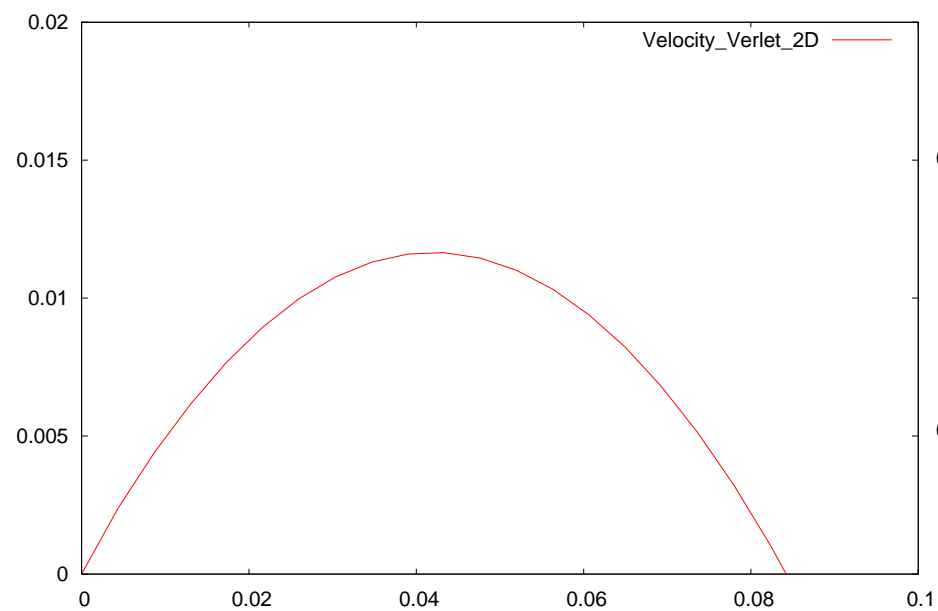
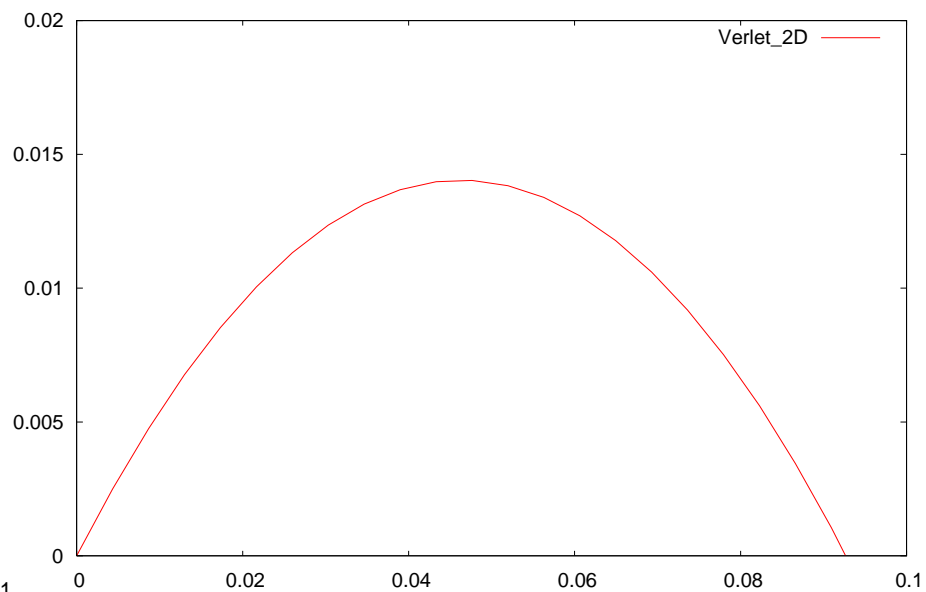
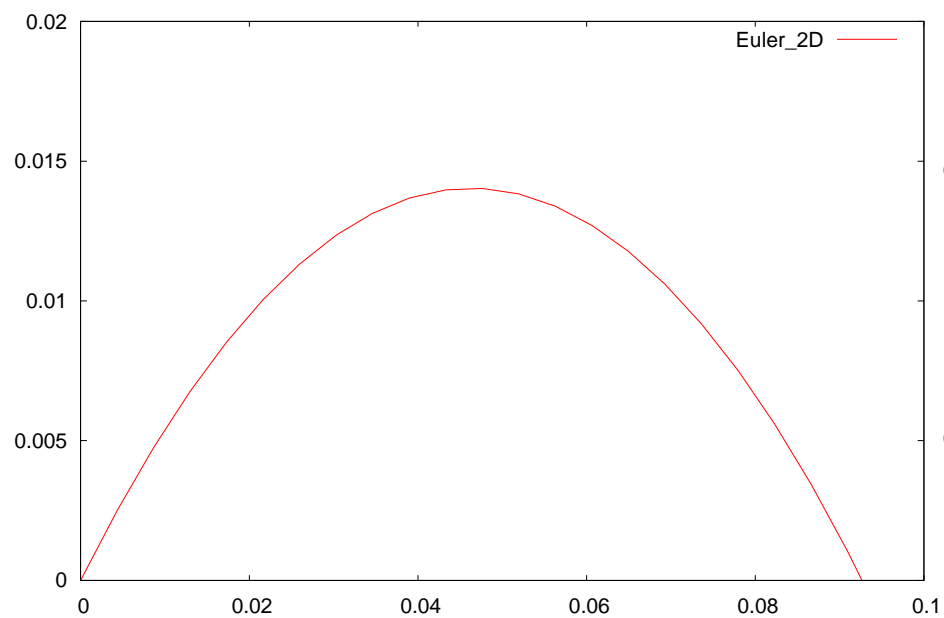
$$m \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} = 0$$

$$m \frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} = f_y$$

$$\begin{cases} x(t = 0) = 0.0 \\ y(t = 0) = 0.0 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} v_0 = 1.0 \\ \theta = 30^\circ \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} v_x = v_0 \cos \theta \\ v_y = v_0 \sin \theta \end{cases}$$



2D

$$f_x = -k_x x$$

$$f_y = -k_y y$$

$$m \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} = f_x \Rightarrow m \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} = -k_x x \Rightarrow \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} + \frac{k_x}{m} x = 0$$

$$m \frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} = f_y \Rightarrow m \frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} = -k_y y \Rightarrow \frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} + \frac{k_y}{m} y = 0$$

$$(x_0, y_0) \quad , \quad (v_{x0}, v_{y0})$$

2D

$$f_x = -1.0x$$

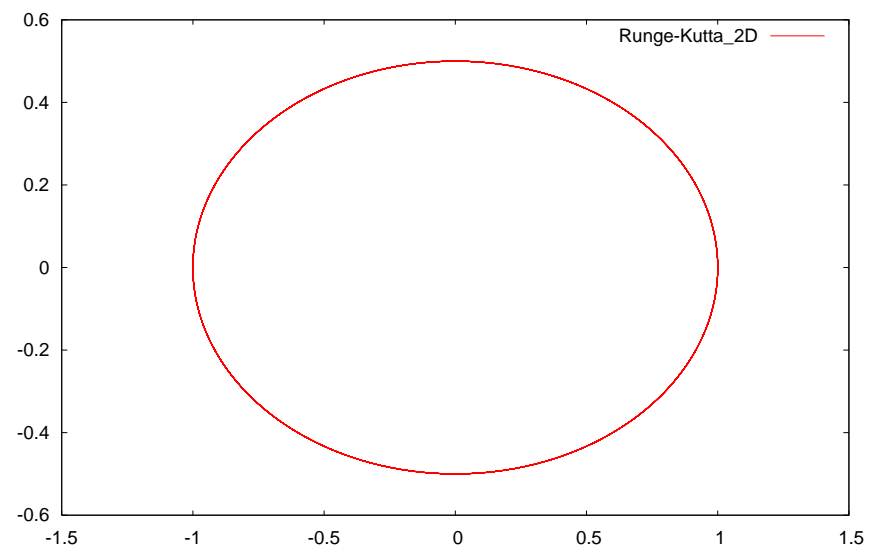
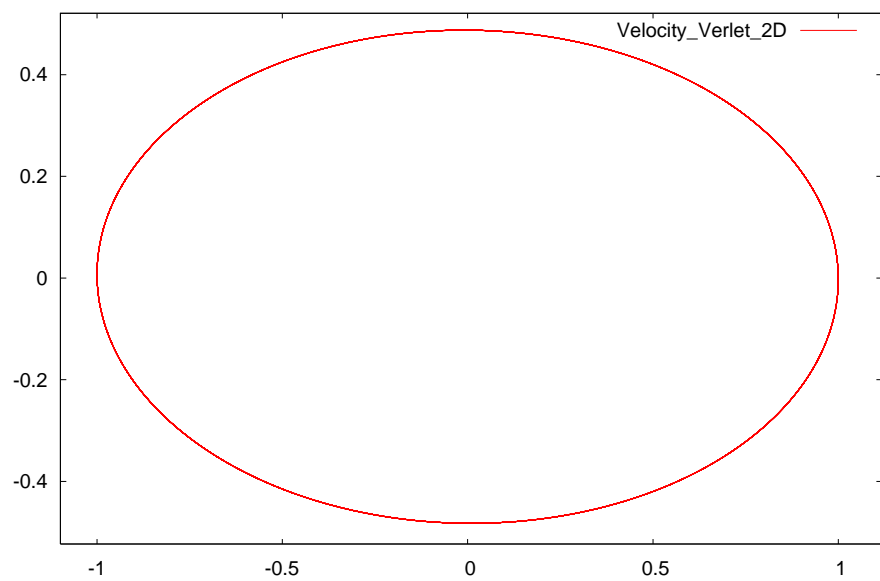
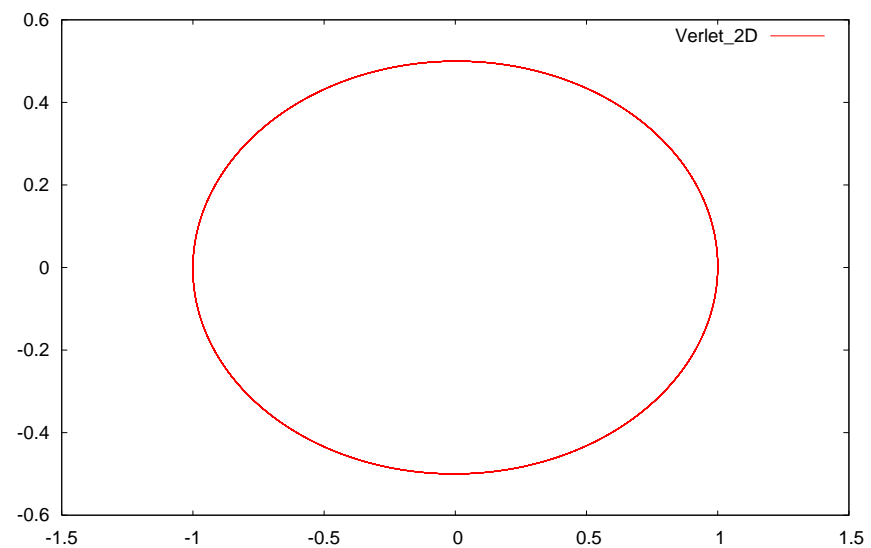
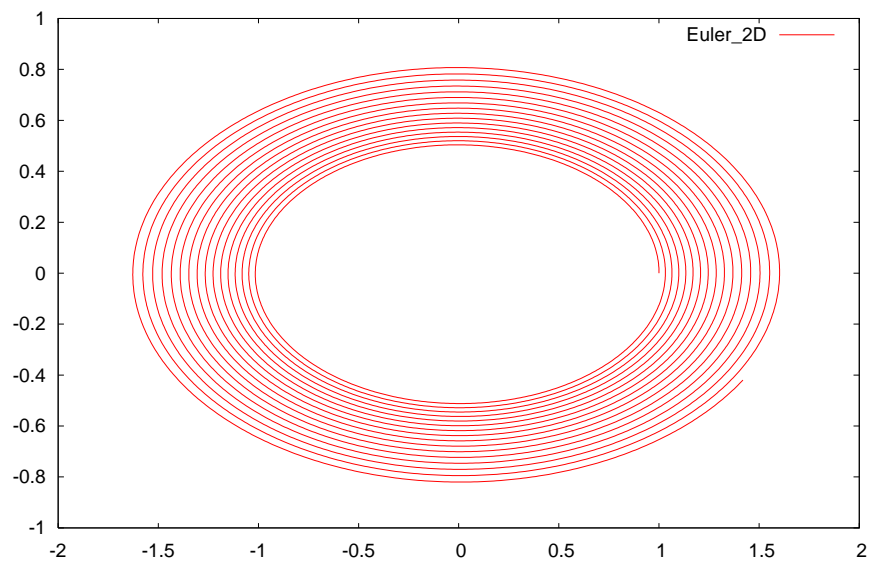
$$f_y = -1.0y$$

$$m = 1$$

$$\begin{cases} x(t = 0) = 1.0 \\ y(t = 0) = 0.0 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} v_0 = 0.5 \\ \theta = 90^\circ \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} v_x = v_0 \cos \theta \\ v_y = v_0 \sin \theta \end{cases}$$



2D

$$f_x = -0.5x$$

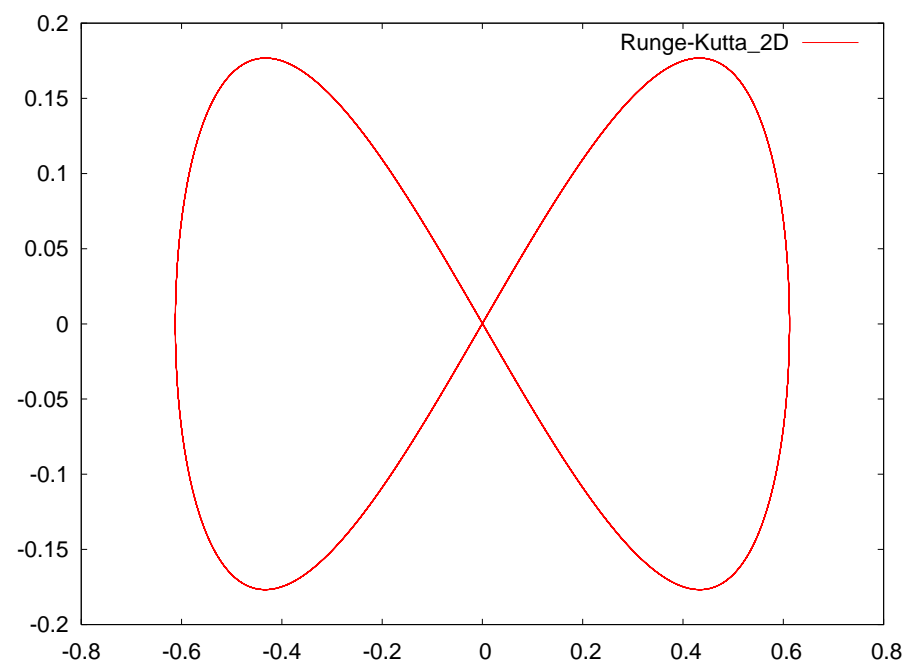
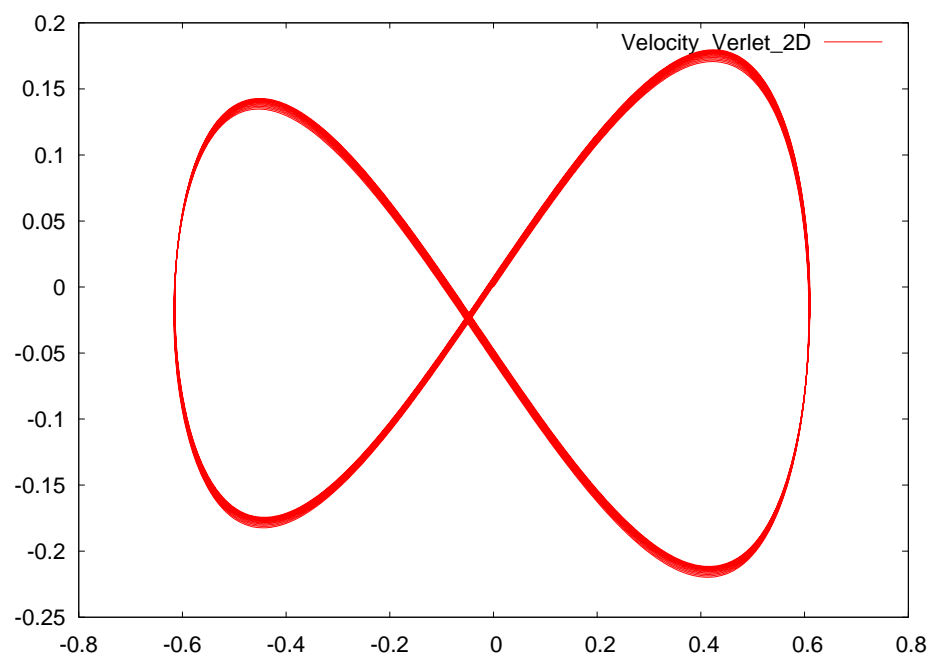
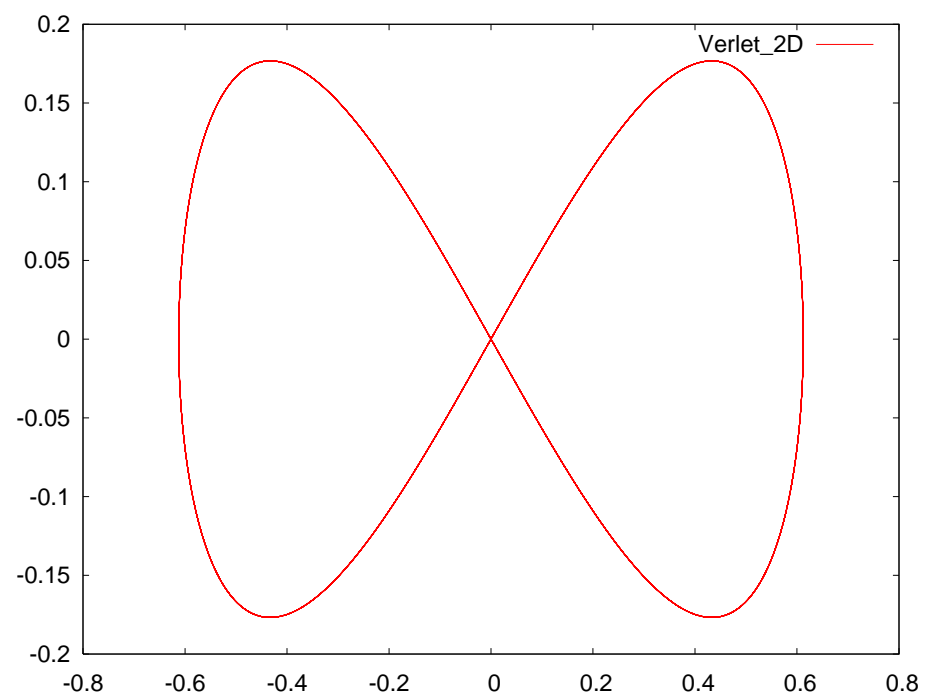
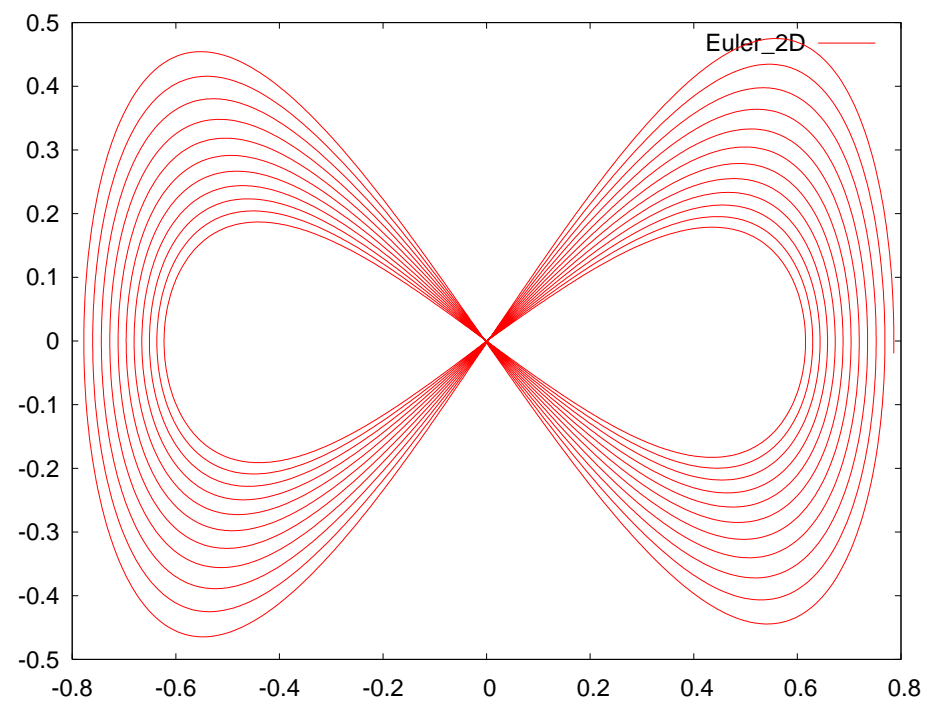
$$f_y = -2.0y$$

$$m = 1$$

$$\begin{cases} x(t = 0) = 0.0 \\ y(t = 0) = 0.0 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} v_0 = 0.5 \\ \theta = 30^\circ \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} v_x = v_0 \cos \theta \\ v_y = v_0 \sin \theta \end{cases}$$



Boundary-value and eigenvalue problems

$$\varphi'' = f(\varphi, \varphi', x)$$

The solution of the Poisson equation with a given charge distribution and known boundary values of the electrostatic potential.

$$\nabla^2 \varphi = -\frac{\rho}{\varepsilon_0}$$

The stationary Schrodinger equation with a given potential and boundary conditions.

$$\frac{-\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla^2 \psi + V(\vec{r})\psi = E\psi$$

Boundary-value problems

$$\varphi'' = f(\varphi, \varphi', x) \quad \xrightarrow{\text{For example}}$$

$$\frac{d^2 \varphi}{dx^2} = 0 \quad , \quad \varphi(0) = 0 \quad , \quad \varphi(l) = \varphi_0$$

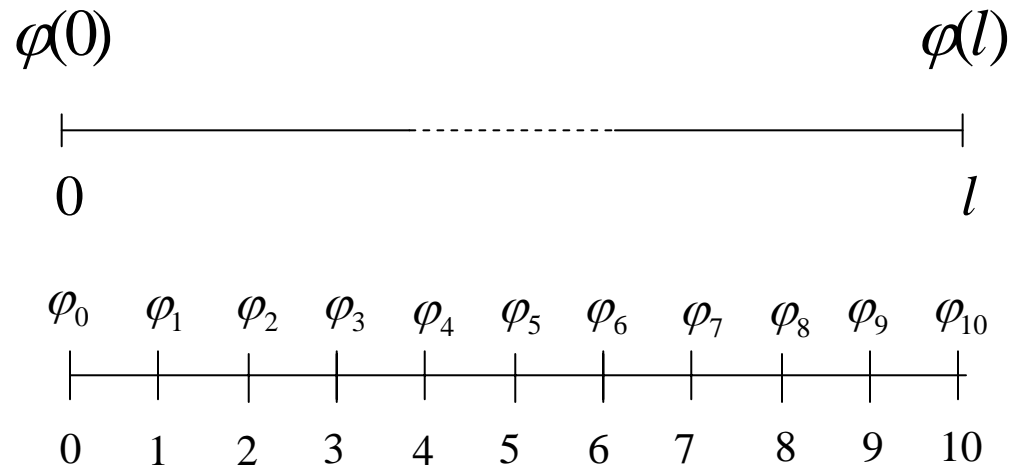
Analytical solution :

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \varphi(0) & & \varphi(l) \\ | & \text{-----} & | \\ 0 & & l \end{array}$$

$$\frac{d^2 \varphi}{dx^2} = 0 \Rightarrow \varphi(x) = ax + b$$

$$\varphi(0) = 0 \quad , \quad \varphi(l) = \varphi_0 \Rightarrow \begin{cases} 0 = b \\ \varphi_0 = al + b \end{cases} \Rightarrow \varphi(x) = \varphi_0 \frac{x}{l}$$

Boundary-value problems

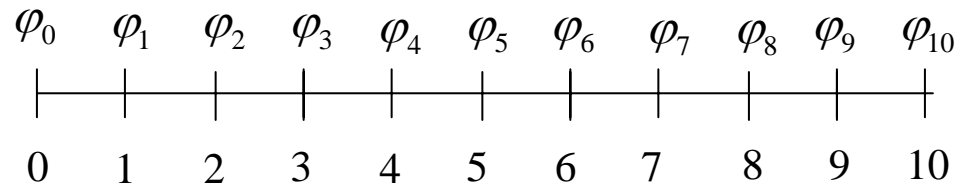


$$\Delta x = \frac{l}{10}$$

$$\frac{\varphi_{i-1} - 2\varphi_i + \varphi_{i+1}}{\Delta x^2} = 0 \Rightarrow \varphi_{i-1} - 2\varphi_i + \varphi_{i+1} = 0$$

$$\varphi_0 = 0 \quad , \quad \varphi_{10} = \varphi_0$$

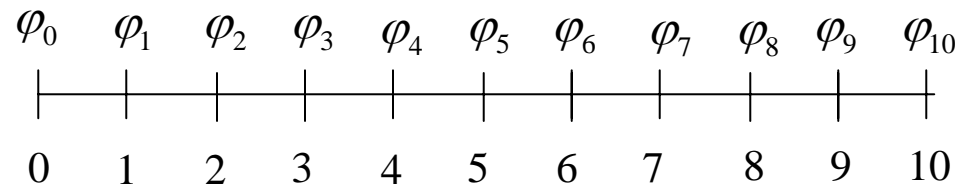
Matrix Method



$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \varphi_0 - 2\varphi_1 + \varphi_2 = 0 \\ \varphi_1 - 2\varphi_2 + \varphi_3 = 0 \\ \vdots \\ \varphi_{i-1} - 2\varphi_i + \varphi_{i+1} = 0 \\ \vdots \\ \varphi_7 - 2\varphi_8 + \varphi_9 = 0 \\ \varphi_8 - 2\varphi_9 + \varphi_{10} = 0 \end{array} \right.$$

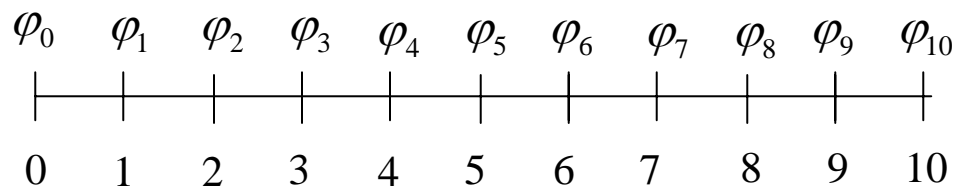
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} -2\varphi_1 + \varphi_2 = -\varphi_0 \\ \varphi_1 - 2\varphi_2 + \varphi_3 = 0 \\ \vdots \\ \varphi_{i-1} - 2\varphi_i + \varphi_{i+1} = 0 \\ \vdots \\ \varphi_7 - 2\varphi_8 + \varphi_9 = 0 \\ \varphi_8 - 2\varphi_9 = -\varphi_{10} \end{array} \right.$$

Matrix Method



$$\begin{bmatrix}
 -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -2 & 1 \\
 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -2
 \end{bmatrix}
 \begin{bmatrix}
 \varphi_1 \\
 \varphi_2 \\
 \varphi_3 \\
 \varphi_4 \\
 \varphi_5 \\
 \varphi_6 \\
 \varphi_7 \\
 \varphi_8 \\
 \varphi_9
 \end{bmatrix}
 =
 \begin{bmatrix}
 \varphi_0 \\
 0 \\
 0 \\
 0 \\
 0 \\
 0 \\
 0 \\
 0 \\
 \varphi_{10}
 \end{bmatrix}$$

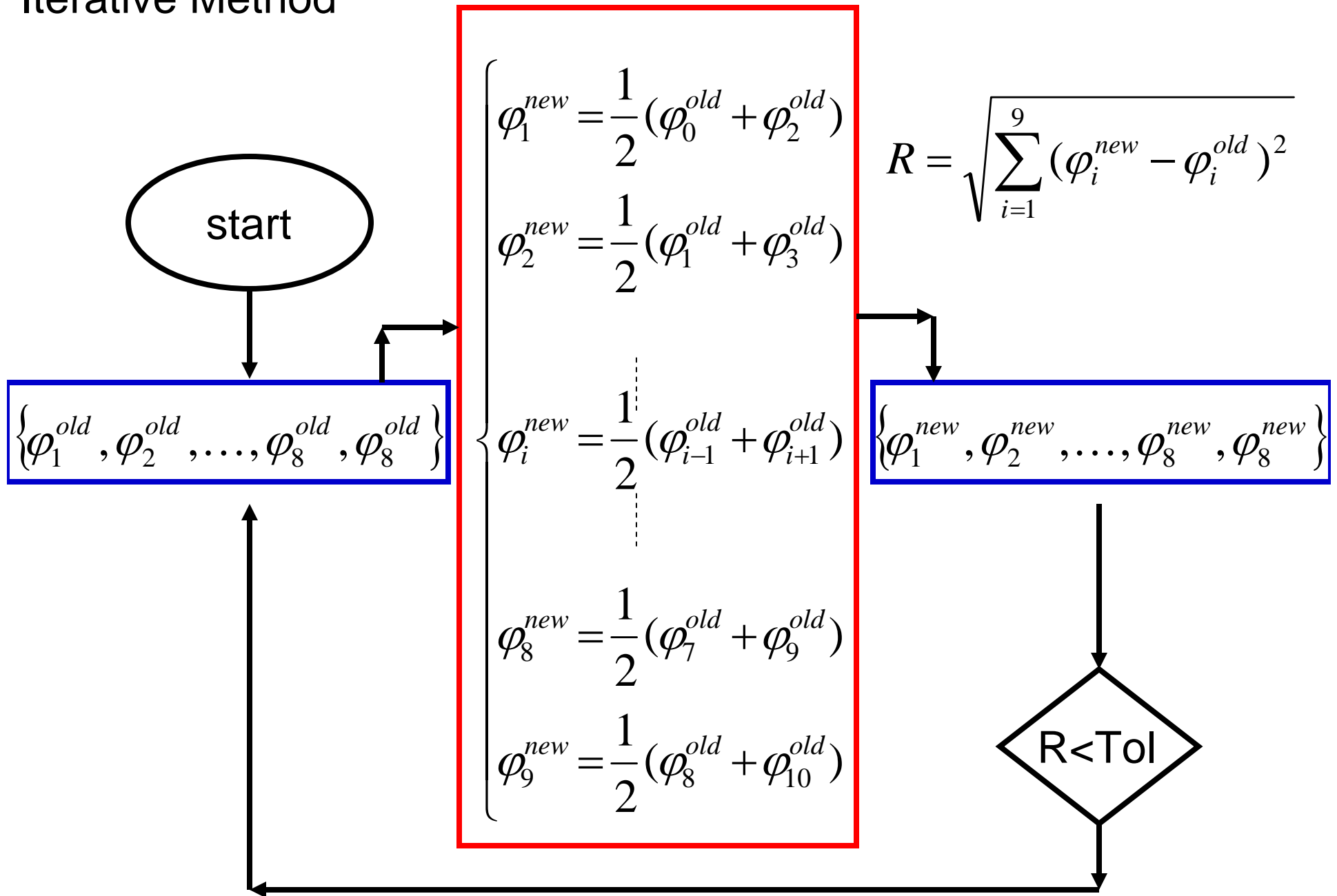
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$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \varphi_0 - 2\varphi_1 + \varphi_2 = 0 \\ \varphi_1 - 2\varphi_2 + \varphi_3 = 0 \\ \vdots \\ \varphi_{i-1} - 2\varphi_i + \varphi_{i+1} = 0 \\ \vdots \\ \varphi_7 - 2\varphi_8 + \varphi_9 = 0 \\ \varphi_8 - 2\varphi_9 + \varphi_{10} = 0 \end{array} \right.$$

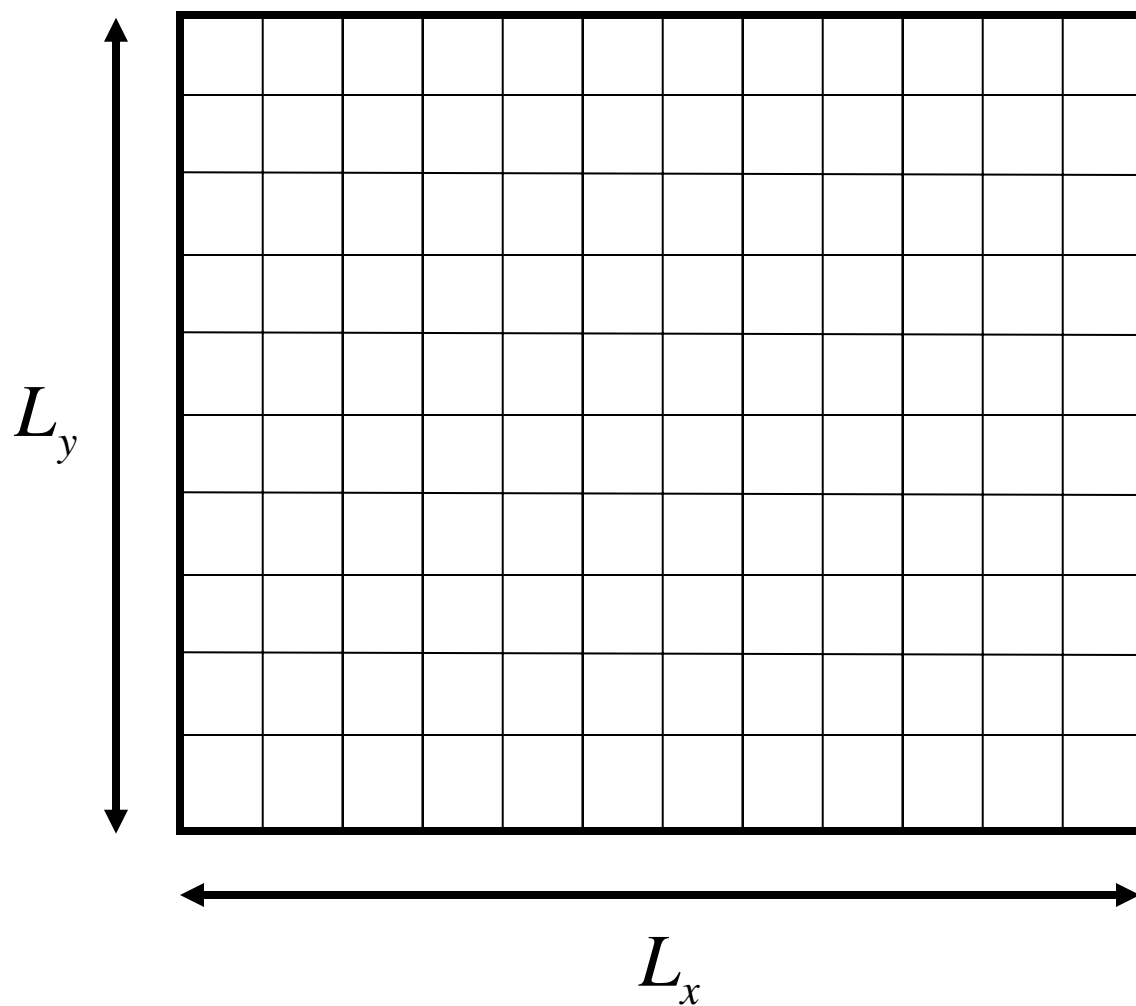
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \varphi_1 = \frac{1}{2}(\varphi_0 + \varphi_2) \\ \varphi_2 = \frac{1}{2}(\varphi_1 + \varphi_3) \\ \vdots \\ \varphi_i = \frac{1}{2}(\varphi_{i-1} + \varphi_{i+1}) \\ \vdots \\ \varphi_8 = \frac{1}{2}(\varphi_7 + \varphi_9) \\ \varphi_9 = \frac{1}{2}(\varphi_8 + \varphi_{10}) \end{array} \right.$$

Iterative Method



2D

$$\nabla^2 \varphi = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial y^2} = 0$$



$$\Delta x = \frac{L_x}{m}$$

$$\Delta y = \frac{L_y}{n}$$

2D

| | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------|----------|----------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| $\varphi_{0,0}$ | $\varphi_{0,1}$ | $\varphi_{0,2}$ | | | | $\varphi_{0,m-2}$ | $\varphi_{0,m-1}$ | $\varphi_{0,m}$ |
| $\varphi_{1,0}$ | $\varphi_{1,1}$ | $\varphi_{1,2}$ | \cdots | \cdots | \cdots | $\varphi_{1,m-2}$ | $\varphi_{1,m-1}$ | $\varphi_{1,m}$ |
| $\varphi_{2,0}$ | $\varphi_{2,1}$ | $\varphi_{2,2}$ | | | | $\varphi_{2,m-2}$ | $\varphi_{2,m-1}$ | $\varphi_{2,m}$ |
| | \vdots | | \cdot | \cdot | | | \vdots | |
| | \vdots | | | \cdot | \cdot | | \vdots | |
| | \vdots | | | | \cdot | | \vdots | |
| | | | | | \cdot | | \vdots | |
| | | | | | | | | |
| $\varphi_{n-2,0}$ | $\varphi_{n-2,1}$ | $\varphi_{n-2,2}$ | | | | $\varphi_{n-2,m-2}$ | $\varphi_{n-2,m-1}$ | $\varphi_{n-2,m}$ |
| $\varphi_{n-1,0}$ | $\varphi_{n-1,1}$ | $\varphi_{n-1,2}$ | \cdots | \cdots | \cdots | $\varphi_{n-1,m-2}$ | $\varphi_{n-1,m-1}$ | $\varphi_{n-1,m}$ |
| $\varphi_{n,0}$ | $\varphi_{n,1}$ | $\varphi_{n,2}$ | | | | $\varphi_{n,m-2}$ | $\varphi_{n,m-1}$ | $\varphi_{n,m}$ |

2D

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| $\varphi_{0,0}$ | $\varphi_{0,1}$ | $\varphi_{0,2}$ | | | | $\varphi_{0,m-2}$ | $\varphi_{0,m-1}$ | $\varphi_{0,m}$ |
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| | | | | | | | \vdots | |
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2D

$$\nabla^2 \varphi = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 \varphi}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

$$\nabla^2 \varphi = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\varphi_{i-1,j} - 2\varphi_{i,j} + \varphi_{i+1,j}}{\Delta x^2} + \frac{\varphi_{i,j-1} - 2\varphi_{i,j} + \varphi_{i,j+1}}{\Delta y^2} = 0$$

$$\frac{\varphi_{i-1,j} + \varphi_{i+1,j}}{\Delta x^2} - 2\left(\frac{1}{\Delta x^2} + \frac{1}{\Delta y^2}\right)\varphi_{i,j} + \frac{\varphi_{i,j-1} + \varphi_{i,j+1}}{\Delta y^2} = 0$$

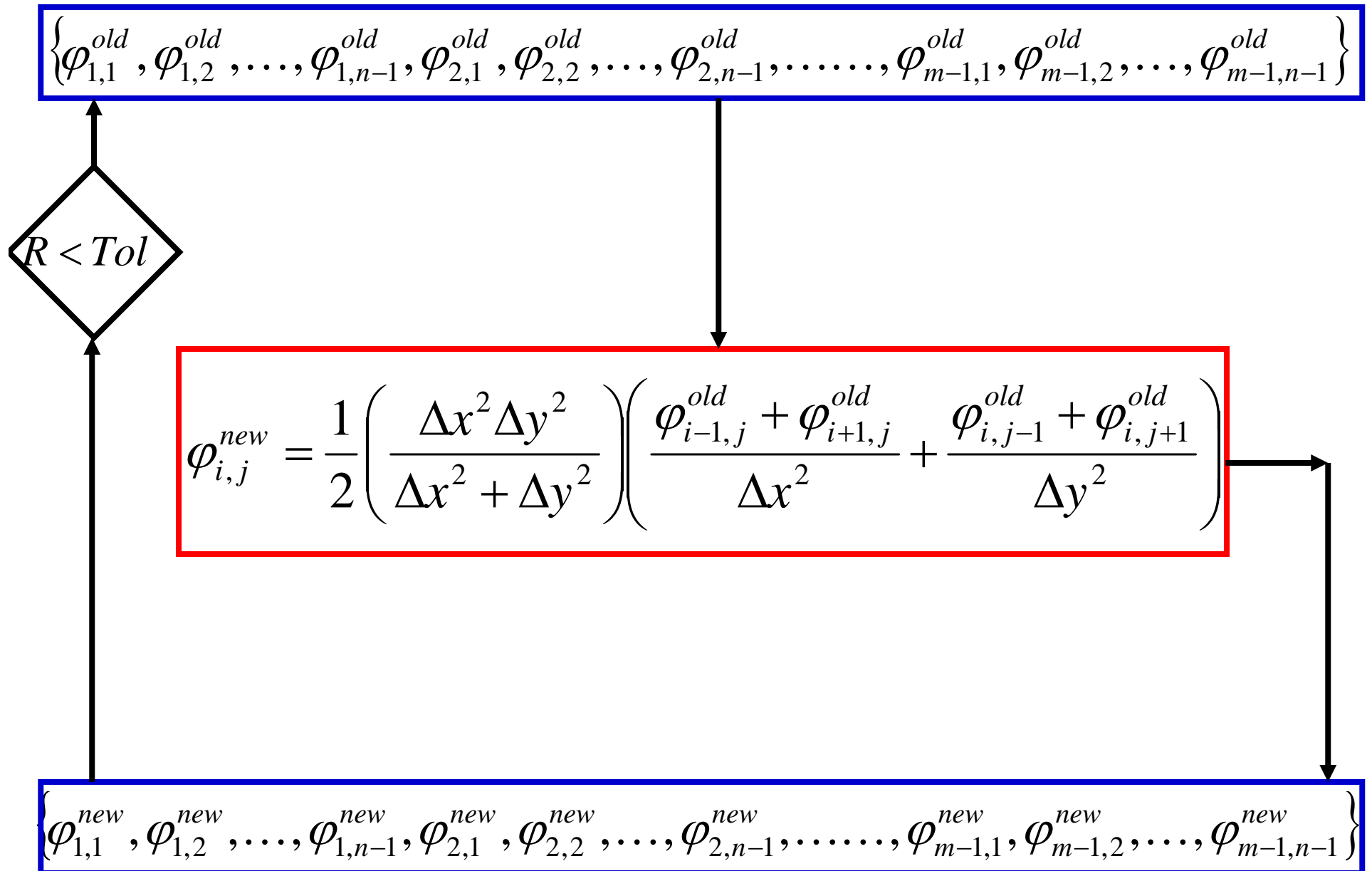
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$$\frac{\varphi_{i-1,j} + \varphi_{i+1,j}}{\Delta x^2} - 2\left(\frac{1}{\Delta x^2} + \frac{1}{\Delta y^2}\right)\varphi_{i,j} + \frac{\varphi_{i,j-1} + \varphi_{i,j+1}}{\Delta y^2} = 0$$

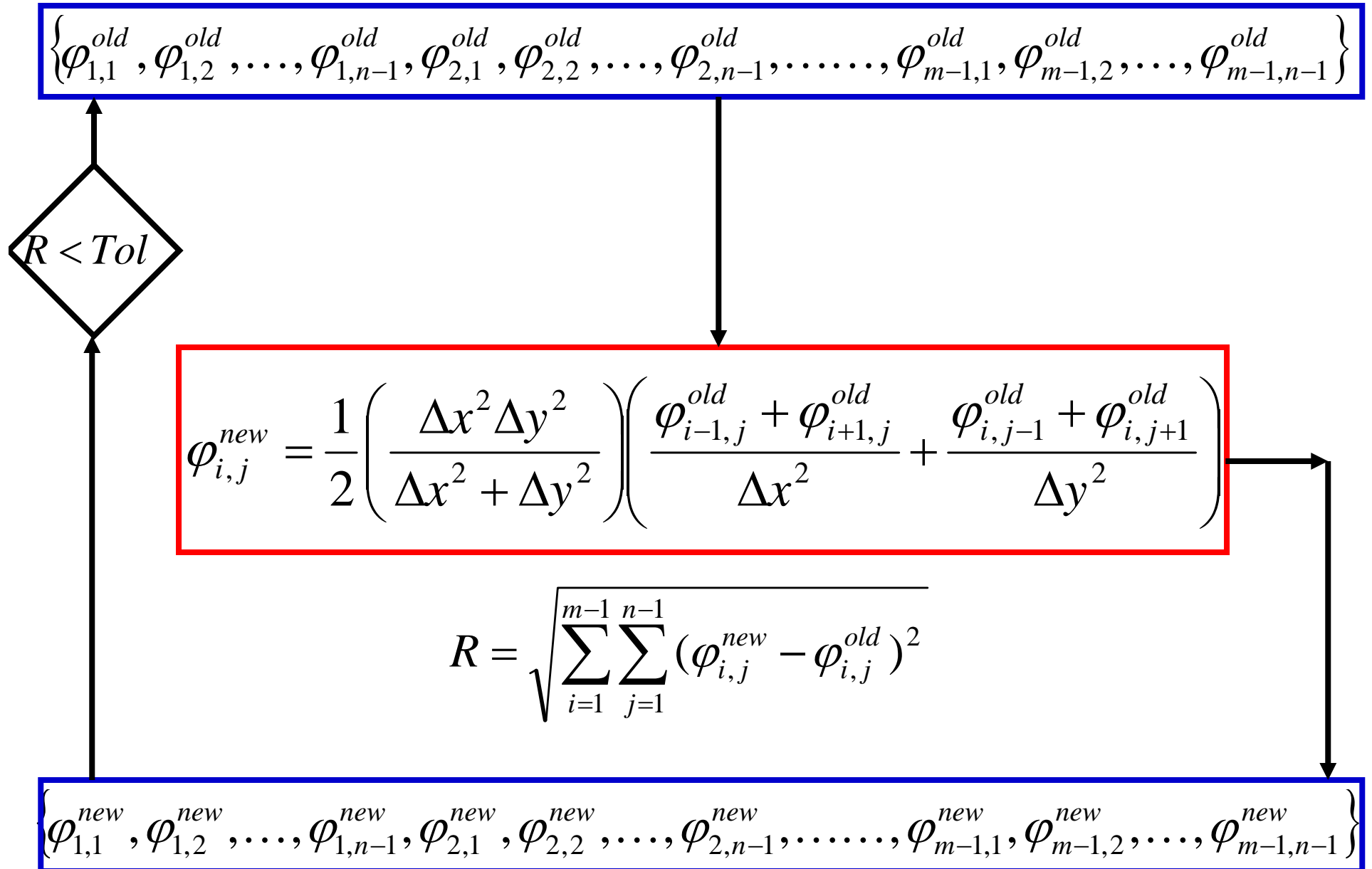
$$2\left(\frac{1}{\Delta x^2} + \frac{1}{\Delta y^2}\right)\varphi_{i,j} = \frac{\varphi_{i-1,j} + \varphi_{i+1,j}}{\Delta x^2} + \frac{\varphi_{i,j-1} + \varphi_{i,j+1}}{\Delta y^2}$$

$$\varphi_{i,j} = \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{\Delta x^2 \Delta y^2}{\Delta x^2 + \Delta y^2}\right)\left(\frac{\varphi_{i-1,j} + \varphi_{i+1,j}}{\Delta x^2} + \frac{\varphi_{i,j-1} + \varphi_{i,j+1}}{\Delta y^2}\right)$$

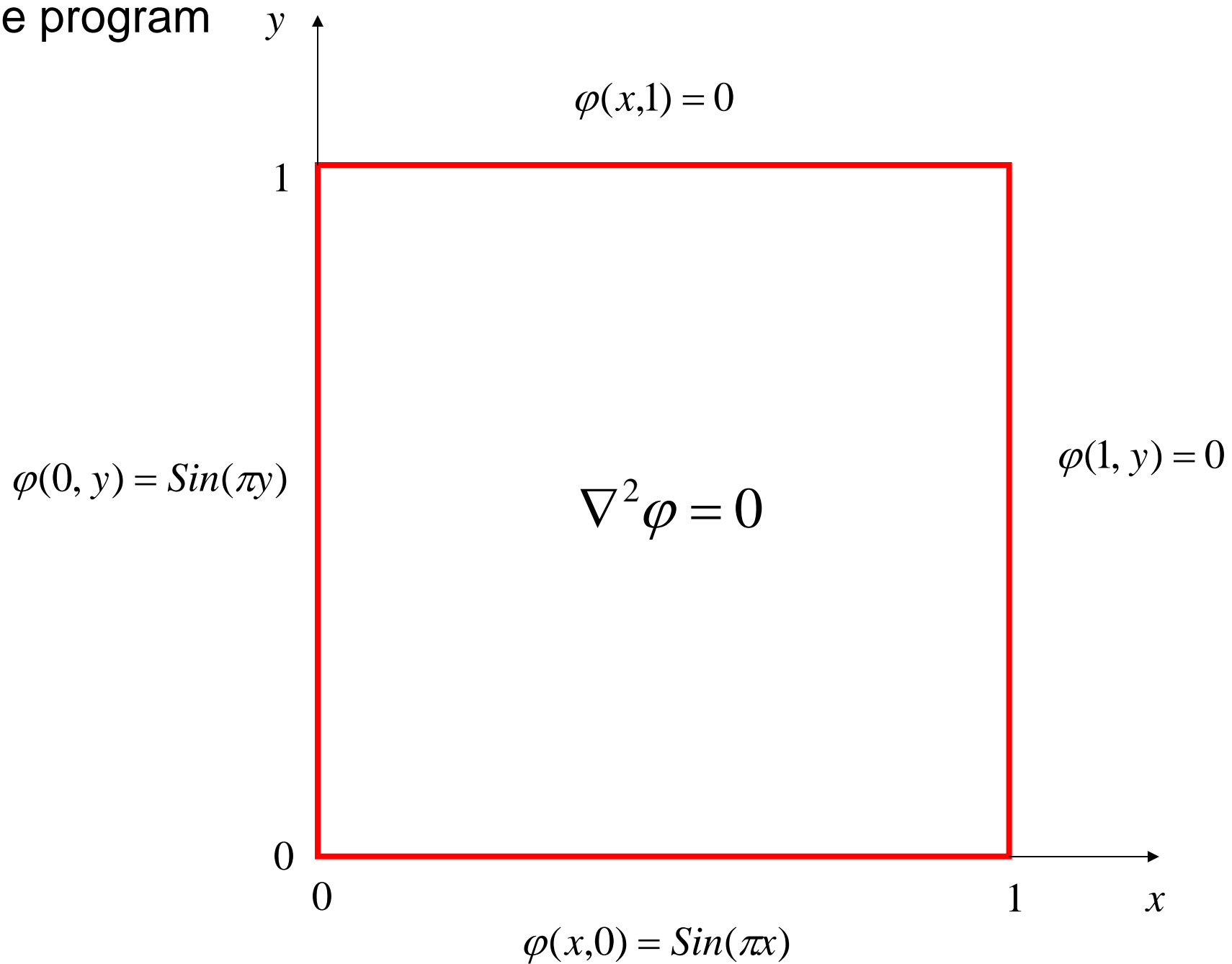
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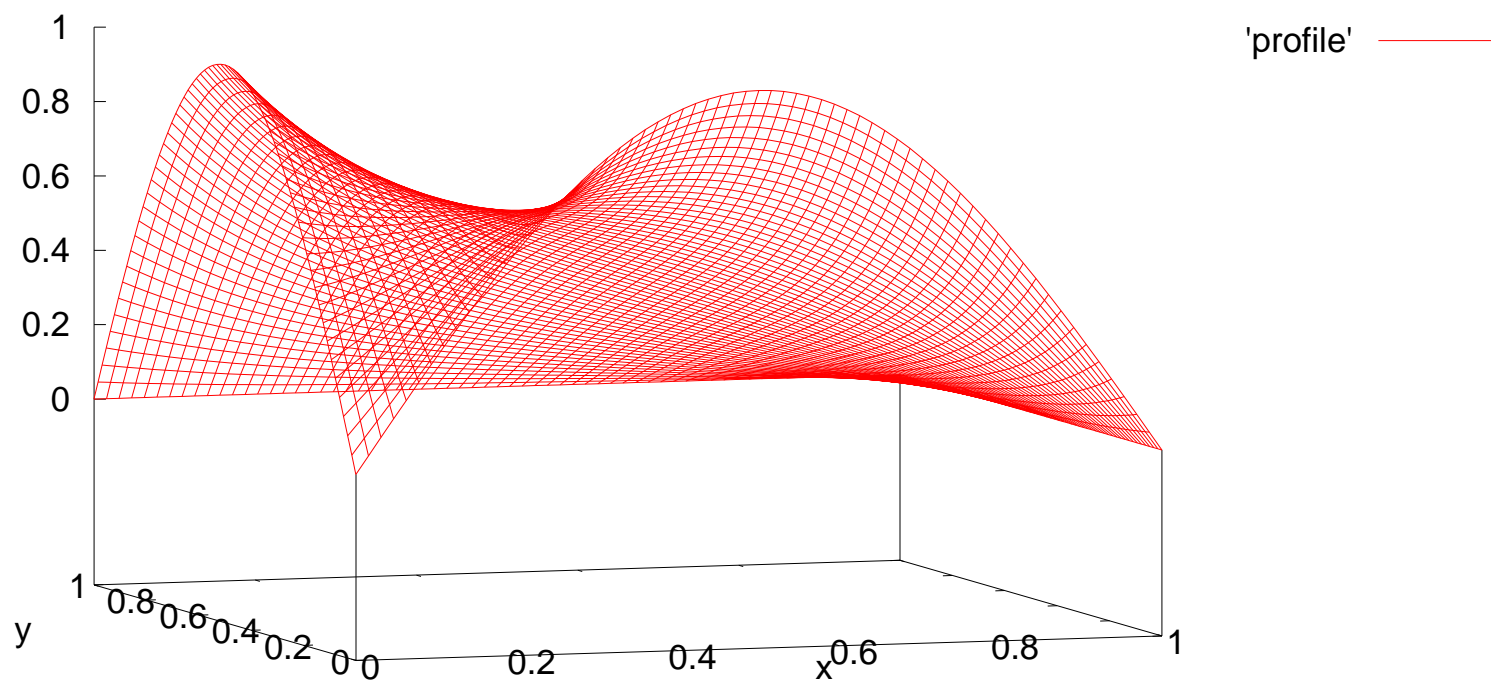
Write program



$$m = 64 \quad , \quad n = 64$$

$$Tol = 1.0d - 4$$

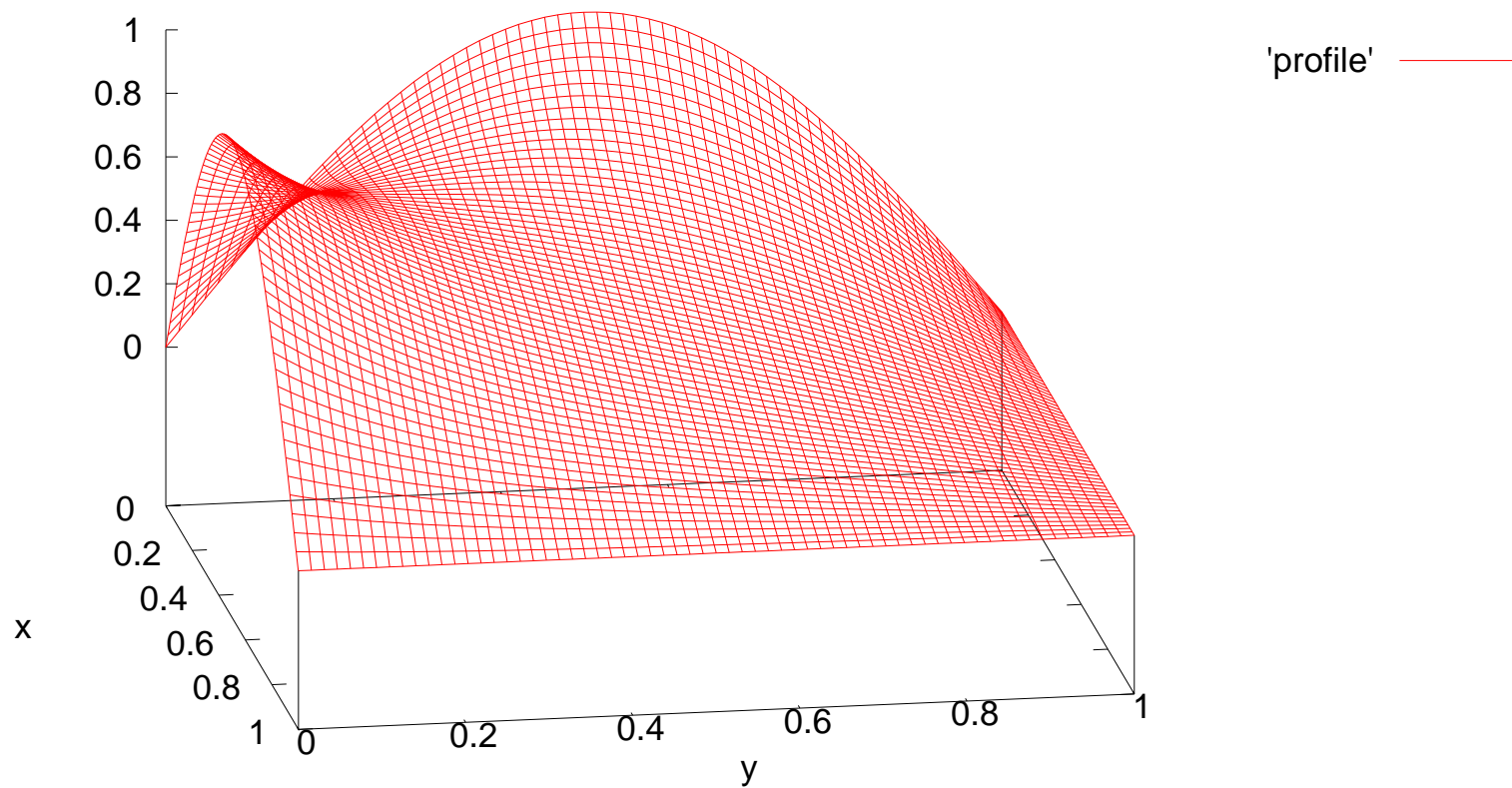
$$\varphi(i, j) = 1.0 \quad i = 1, \dots, m-1 \quad \& \quad j = 1, \dots, n-1$$



$$m = 64 \quad , \quad n = 64$$

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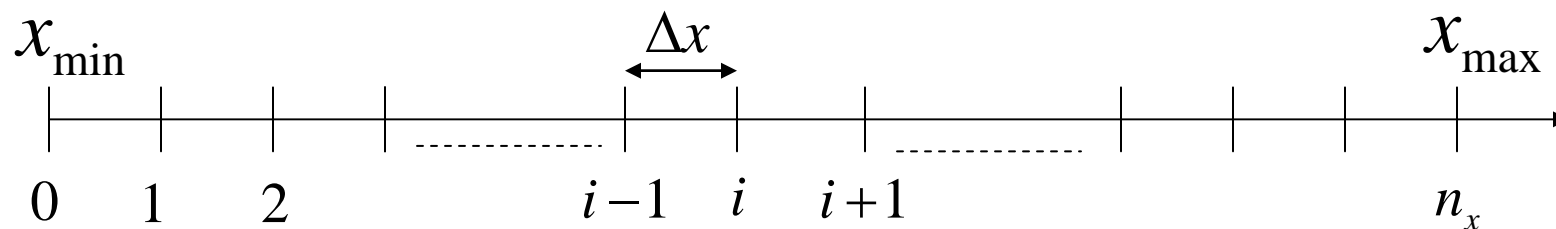


Eigenvalue problems

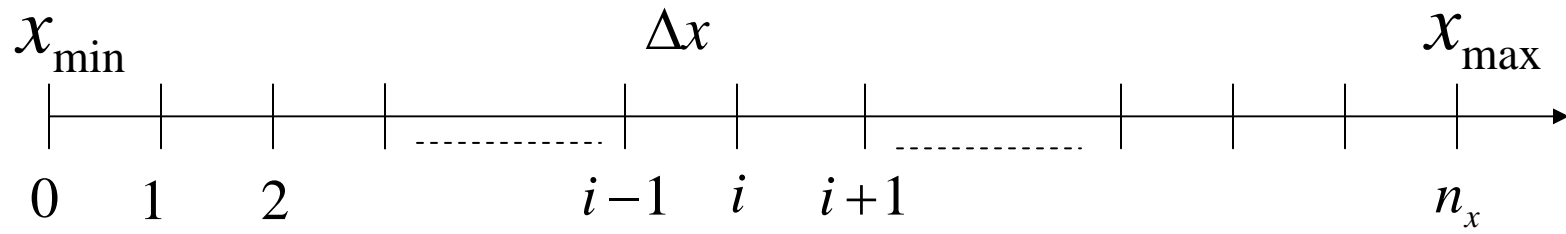
$$\frac{-1}{2} \frac{d^2 \psi}{dx^2} + V(x) \psi = E \psi \quad \hbar = m = 1, \quad V(x) = \frac{1}{2} x^2, \quad k = 1$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \psi(x - \Delta x) & \psi(x) & \psi(x + \Delta x) \\ \hline x - \Delta x & x & x + \Delta x \end{array}$$

$$\frac{d^2 \psi}{dx^2} = \frac{\psi(x + \Delta x) - 2\psi(x) + \psi(x - \Delta x)}{\Delta x^2}$$



$$i \quad : \quad \frac{-1}{2} \left(\frac{\psi_{i+1} - 2\psi_i + \psi_{i-1}}{\Delta x^2} \right) + V_i \psi_i = E \psi_i, \quad V_i = V(x_{\min} + i\Delta x)$$

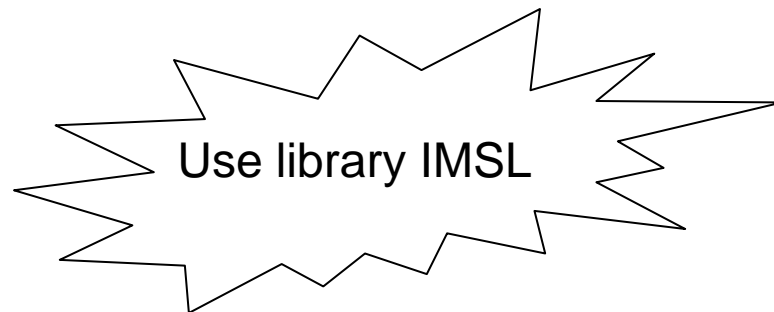


$$\psi_0 = \psi_{n_x} = 0$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{lcl} i=1 & : & \frac{-1}{2} \left(\frac{\psi_0 - 2\psi_1 + \psi_2}{\Delta x^2} \right) + V_1 \psi_1 = E \psi_1 \\ i=2 & : & \frac{-1}{2} \left(\frac{\psi_1 - 2\psi_2 + \psi_3}{\Delta x^2} \right) + V_2 \psi_2 = E \psi_2 \\ \vdots & & \\ i=n_x-1 & : & \frac{-1}{2} \left(\frac{\psi_{n_x-2} - 2\psi_{n_x-1} + \psi_{n_x}}{\Delta x^2} \right) + V_{n_x-1} \psi_{n_x-1} = E \psi_{n_x-1} \end{array} \right.$$

$$i \quad : \quad \frac{-1}{2} \left(\frac{\psi_{i+1} - 2\psi_i + \psi_{i-1}}{\Delta x^2} \right) + V_i \psi_i = E \psi_i$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{\Delta x^2} + V_1 & \frac{-1}{2\Delta x^2} & & & \\ \frac{-1}{2\Delta x^2} & \frac{1}{\Delta x^2} + V_2 & \frac{-1}{2\Delta x^2} & & \\ & & \ddots & \phi & \\ & & \frac{-1}{2\Delta x^2} & \frac{1}{\Delta x^2} + V_i & \frac{-1}{2\Delta x^2} \\ \phi & & & & \ddots \\ & & & \frac{-1}{2\Delta x^2} & \frac{1}{\Delta x^2} + V_{n_x-1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \psi_1 \\ \psi_2 \\ \vdots \\ \psi_i \\ \vdots \\ \psi_{n_x-1} \end{pmatrix} = E \begin{pmatrix} \psi_1 \\ \psi_2 \\ \vdots \\ \psi_i \\ \vdots \\ \psi_{n_x-1} \end{pmatrix}$$



Iterative method and Numerov Algorithm

- For one specific energy value “E”
- We know $\psi_{\min} = 0$ and also assume that $\left(\frac{d\psi}{dx}\right)_{\min}$ is specific
- Don't forget $\psi_{\max} = 0$

$$\frac{-1}{2} \frac{d^2\psi}{dx^2} + V(x)\psi = E\psi \quad \hbar = m = 1, \quad V(x) = \frac{1}{2}x^2, \quad k = 1$$

$$i \quad : \quad \frac{-1}{2} \left(\frac{\psi_{i+1} - 2\psi_i + \psi_{i-1}}{\Delta x^2} \right) + V_i \psi_i = E \psi_i, \quad V_i = V(x_{\min} + i\Delta x)$$

$$i = 1 \quad : \quad \frac{-1}{2} \left(\frac{\psi_0 - 2\psi_1 + \psi_2}{\Delta x^2} \right) + V_1 \psi_1 = E \psi_1, \quad \psi_0 = 0$$

$$\boxed{\psi_2 = 2(1 - \Delta x^2(E - V_1))\psi_1}$$

$$i = 2 \quad : \quad \frac{-1}{2} \left(\frac{\psi_1 - 2\psi_2 + \psi_3}{\Delta x^2} \right) + V_2 \psi_2 = E \psi_2$$

$$\boxed{\psi_3 = -\psi_1 + 2(1 - \Delta x^2(E - V_1))\psi_2}$$

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$$i = n_x - 1 \quad : \quad \frac{-1}{2} \left(\frac{\psi_{n_x-2} - 2\psi_{n_x-1} + \psi_{n_x}}{\Delta x^2} \right) + V_{n_x-1} \psi_{n_x-1} = E \psi_{n_x-1}$$

$$\boxed{\psi_{n_x} = -\psi_{n_x-2} + 2(1 - \Delta x^2(E - V_{n_x-1}))\psi_{n_x-1}}$$

If $\psi_{n_x} \rightarrow 0$ then the energy "E" is eigen value and $\{\psi_i\}$ is corresponding eigen function.