

## LECTURE 6 (28/01/26)

THE SETTING IS NOW

$$\begin{cases} y'(t) = Ay(t) + g(y(t)) = f(y(t)) & t \in [0, t^*] \\ y(0) = y_0 \end{cases}$$

WE WRITE THE V.O.C. FORMULA

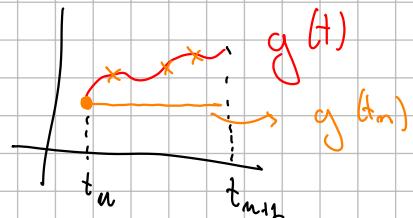
$\Delta$  IMPLICIT FORMULA

$$y(t_{m+1}) = e^{zA} y(t_m) + \int_0^z e^{(z-s)A} g(y(t_m+s)) ds \quad \uparrow$$

$$\left[ y(t_{m+1}) = e^{zA} y(t_m) + \int_0^{(z-s)A} g(t_m+s) ds \right] \quad \uparrow$$

$\Delta$  EXPLICIT FORMULA

IN FACT TO GO HIGHER ORDER IF WE  
DO THE SAME PROCEDURE AS DID  
IN THE LINEAR CASE WE HAVE



$$g(y(t_m + s)) \approx g(y(t_m + c_2 z)) \quad c_2 \in [0, 1]$$

SINCE WE DON'T HAVE  $y(t_m + c_2 z)$  WE APPROXIMATE IT  
(SUITABLY) SO THAT WE CAN END UP WITH A TIME MARCHING  
SCHEME. A REASONABLE CHOICE TO APPROXIMATE  $y(t_m + c_2 z)$   
IS TO COMPUTE IT BY MEANS OF EXPONENTIAL EULER, WHICH  
USES INFORMATION THAT WE HAVE (AT TIME  $t_m$ )

$$y(t_m + c_2 z) \approx y_{m2} = e^{c_2 z A} + c_2 q_1(c_2 z A) g(y_m) \quad y_m \approx y(t_m)$$

THEN IN THE V.O.C. FORMULA WE USE THIS INFORMATION,  
AND WE GET

$$\begin{aligned} y_{m+1} &= e^{zA} y_m + \left( \int_0^z e^{(z-s)A} ds \right) g(y_{m2}) \\ &= e^{zA} y_m + z q_1(z A) g(y_{m2}) \end{aligned}$$

THERE OVERALL WE HAVE THE SCHEME

$$\Rightarrow Y_{m2} = e^{c_2 A} y_m + c_2 \varphi_1 (c_2 A) g(y_m)$$

INTERMEDIATE  
↑ STAGE

$$\Rightarrow y_{m+1} = e^{z A} y_m + z \varphi_1 (z A) g(Y_{m2})$$

→ FINAL APPROXIMATION

THE CONSTRUCTION RESEMBLE THE ONE OF "STANDARD" EXPLICIT RUNGE-KUTTA METHODS. FOR THIS REASON THIS INTEGRATOR BELONGS TO THE CLASS OF THE SO-CALLED (EXPLICIT) EXPONENTIAL RUNGE-KUTTA METHODS (OF COLLOCATION TYPE). IN BUTCHER TABLEAU WAY YOU HAVE

$$\begin{array}{c|cc} c & 0 & \\ \hline & c_2 & c_2 \varphi_1 (c_2 \cdot) \\ & 0 & 0 \varphi_1 (\cdot) \end{array} \rightarrow A$$

$b$

NOT SURPRISINGLY WE CAN GET SECOND ORDER OF CONVERGENCE IF  $c_2 = \frac{1}{2}$  (AS FOR THE LINEAR CASE). WHAT YOU CAN PROVE IS THAT:

- IF  $c_2 \neq \frac{1}{2}$  WE HAVE FIRST ORDER
- IF  $c_2 = \frac{1}{2}$  WE (MAY GET) SECOND ORDER  
 $\hookrightarrow$  WE MAY ENCOUNTER ORDER REDUCTION IN SPECIFIC STIFF PROBLEMS.

NOTICE THAT WE ARE NOT USING IN  $y_{m+1}$  AN INFORMATION THAT WE HAVE, NAMELY  $g(y_m)$ .  
 CAN WE USE IT?

⇒ YES!

$$y_{m2} = e^{c_2 z A} y_m + c_2 z \varphi_1(zA) g(y_m) \quad (\text{as})$$

$$y_{m+1} = e^{z A} y_m + z (b_1 \cdot g(y_m) + b_2 \cdot g(y_{m2}))$$

WHERE  $b_1$  AND  $b_2$  ARE (MATRIX) COEFFICIENTS TO

BE DETERMINED. TO DETERMINE  $b_1$  AND  $b_2$  SO

THAT WE GET SECOND-ORDER WE LOOK AT THE LOCAL  
ERROR OF APPROXIMATION (\*) [IF  $\partial(z^3)$  LOCALLY  $\Rightarrow \partial(z)$   
GLOBALLY]

TO DO THIS WE SET FOR SIMPLICITY OF NOTATION

$h(t) \doteq g(y(t))$  AND SO THE V.O.C. FORMULA

GIVES

$$y(t_{m+1}) = e^{zA} y(t_m) + \int_0^z e^{(z-s)A} h(t_m+s) ds$$

AND BY TAYLOR EXPANSION

$$h(t_m+s) = h(t_m) + s h'(t_m) + \int_0^s h''(t_m+\delta)(s-\delta) d\delta$$

THEREFORE

$$\begin{aligned} y(t_{m+1}) &= e^{zA} y(t_m) + \left( \int_0^z e^{(z-s)A} ds \right) h(t_m) \xrightarrow{\text{z} \varphi_1(zA)} \\ &\quad + \left( \int_0^z e^{(z-s)A} s ds \right) h'(t_m) \xrightarrow{\text{z}^2 \varphi_2(zA)} \\ &\quad + \int_0^z e^{(z-s)A} \int_0^s h''(t_m+\delta)(s-\delta) d\delta ds \end{aligned}$$

SO

$$y(t_{m+1}) = e^{\tau A} y(t_m) + \tau \varphi_1(\tau A) h(t_m) + \tau^2 \varphi_2(\tau A) h'(t_m) \\ + \int_0^{\tau} e^{(s-\tau)A} \int_0^s h''(t_m+\delta) (s-\delta) d\delta ds$$

WE NOW DEVOTE THE NUMERICAL SOLUTION ASSUMING WE ARE STARTING FROM AN EXACT QUANTITY AS  $y^*_{m+1}$ , NAMELY

$$y^*_{m+1} = e^{\tau A} y(t_m) + \tau (b_1 g(y(t_m)) + b_2 g(y(t_m + c_2 \tau))) \\ = e^{\tau A} y(t_m) + \tau (b_1 h(t_m) + b_2 h(t_m + c_2 \tau))$$

BY TAYLOR EXPANSION

$$h(t_m + c_2 \tau) = h(t_m) + c_2 \tau h'(t_m) + \int_0^{c_2 \tau} h''(t_m + \delta) (s-\delta) d\delta$$

THEN WE GET

$$y^*_{m+1} = e^{\tau A} y(t_m) + \tau (b_1 + b_2) h(t_m) \\ + b_2 c_2 \tau^2 h'(t_m) \\ + \tau b_2 \int_0^{c_2 \tau} h''(t_m + \delta) (s-\delta) d\delta$$

NOW WE CAN COMPARE  $y(t_{m+1})$  WITH  $y^*_{m+1}$

$$y^*_{m+1} - y(t_{m+1}) = \tau (b_1 + b_2 - \varphi_1(\tau A)) h(t_m) \\ + \tau^2 (b_2 c_2 - \varphi_2(\tau A)) h'(t_m) \\ + \tau b_2 \int_0^{c_2 \tau} h''(t_m + \delta) (s-\delta) d\delta - \int_0^{\tau} e^{(s-\tau)A} \int_0^s h''(t_m + \delta) (s-\delta) d\delta ds \\ \hookrightarrow \mathcal{O}(\tau^3) \qquad \hookrightarrow \mathcal{O}(\tau^3)$$

IF WE PASS TO  $\| \cdot \|$  LEFT AND RIGHT WE WANT  
TO GET  $\delta(\epsilon^3)$ . THEREFORE WE REQUIRE

$$\begin{cases} b_1 + b_2 - \varphi_1(zA) = 0 \\ b_2 c_2 - \varphi_2(zA) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow b_2 = \frac{1}{c_2} \varphi_2(zA), \quad b_1 = \varphi_1(zA) - \frac{1}{c_2} \varphi_2(zA)$$

$$(c_2 \neq 0)$$

IF WE SUBSTITUTE BACK IN OUR SCHEME WE GET  
THE METHOD

$$y_{n+1} = e^{zA} y_n + c_2 z \varphi_1(c_2 zA) g(y_n) \quad (\star\star)$$

$$y_{n+1} = e^{zA} y_n + z \left( \varphi_1(zA) - \frac{1}{c_2} \varphi_2(zA) \right) g(y_n) + \frac{z}{c_2} \varphi_2(zA) g(y_n) \quad \downarrow$$

OR IN BUTCHER TABLEAU WAY

$c_2 = 1 \Rightarrow$  ENDARK

$$\begin{array}{c|cc} & 0 & \\ \hline c_2 & c_2 \varphi_{1,2} & \\ \hline & y_1 - \frac{1}{c_2} \varphi_2 & \frac{1}{c_2} \varphi_2 \end{array}$$

$\varphi_1(c_2 \cdot)$

WE CAN PROVE THAT INTEGRATOR  $(\star\star)$  IS SECOND ORDER  
ACCURATE (IF  $g$  SUFFICIENTLY OFTEN DIFFERENTIABLE WITH  
BOUNDED DERIVATIVES). MOREOVER THIS IS THOROUGHLY STIFF  
RESISTANT.

## LAWSON METHODS

### V.O.C. FORMULA

$$y(t_{m+1}) = e^{zA} y(t_m) + \int_0^{\tau} e^{(z-s)A} g(y(t_{m+s})) ds$$

WE APPROXIMATE THE WHOLE  
INTEGRAND, NOT JUST  $g(\dots)$

IF WE DO THIS AS FOR EXPONENTIAL EULER ( APPROXIMATING AT LEFT POINT )

WE GET

$$\begin{aligned} y_{m+1} &= e^{zA} y_m + e^{zA} g(y_m) \left( \int_0^{\tau} 1 ds \right) \\ &= e^{zA} (y_m + z g(y_m)) \end{aligned}$$

THIS IS CALLED LAWSON-EULER METHOD

- FIRST-ORDER ACCURATE
- A STABLE BY CONSTRUCTION ( IT INTEGRATES EXACTLY WHEN  $g \equiv 0$  )
- COMPARED TO EXPONENTIAL EULER IT NOT EXACT IF  $g(y(t)) \neq 0$
- THEY JUST REQUIRE MATRIX EXPONENTIALS, NOT  $\phi$  FUNCTIONS

HISTORICALLY THEY ARE DERIVED BY DOING THE CHANGE OF VARIABLES  $z(t) = e^{-tA} y(t)$ . THEN ON THE OBTAINED SYSTEM YOU APPLY A STANDARD RUNGE-KUTTA METHOD AND THEN YOU GO BACK THE ORIGINAL VARIABLE  $y(t)$ .