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# Dynamical systems in forecasting Greenhouse Micro-climate

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## 1 Member list & Workload

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## 2 Background section:

### 2.1 Exercise 1:

#### 2.1.1 1.a

**Present the definition and classification according to different criteria, the general form of dynamical systems, and especially first-order differential equations systems with initial condition at time  $t_0$ , which are continuous dynamical systems used in this assignment.** • **Definition:**

Mathematical models of scientific systems often lead to differential equations in which the independent variable is time. Such systems arise in astronomy, biology, chemistry, economics, engineering, physics and other disciplines. It is common to speak of a system of differential equations

$$\dot{x} = f(x)$$

as governing a dynamical system. A formal definition of dynamical system that is sometimes used in abstract studies is that of a family of maps  $\phi(t, \cdot) : \Omega \rightarrow \Omega$ , defined on a domain  $\Omega$  parametrized by a variable  $t$  on an interval  $(a, b)$  and satisfying, for each  $p \in \Omega$  the following three conditions:

- (i)  $\phi(0, p) = p$
- (ii)  $\phi \in C[(a, b) \times \Omega]$
- (iii)  $\phi(t + \alpha, p) = \phi(t, \phi(\alpha, p))$ .

• **Classification according to different criteria:**

Consider the three mentioned conditions:

If in item (ii) the  $C$  is replaced by  $C^k$  with  $k \geq 1$ , the dynamical system is said to be differentiable. These studies can be viewed as abstractions of flows of autonomous differential equations. When the mapping  $\phi$  is generated by an initial-value problem

$$\dot{x} = f(x), x(t_0) = p$$

it is a homeomorphism, i.e., a continuous map with a continuous inverse. If the vector field  $f$  is  $C^k$ , it is a diffeomorphism (which is differentiable map that possesses a differential inverse.)

There are also Discrete dynamical systems for which  $t$  takes on discrete values, but we shall consider continuous dynamical systems generated by autonomous system like equation  $\dot{x} = f(x)$  - for which  $t$  takes on values in an interval of the real axis - unless otherwise specified.

• **The general form of dynamical systems:**

In the most general sense, a dynamical system is a tuple  $(T, M, \Phi)$  where  $T$  is a monoid, written additively,  $M$  is a non-empty set and  $\Phi$  is a function

$$\Phi : U \subseteq (T \times M) \rightarrow M$$

with  $proj_2(U) = M$  (where  $proj_2$  is the 2nd projection map)

$$I(x) = \{t \in T : (t, x) \in U\}$$

$$\Phi(0, x) = x$$

$$\Phi(t_2, \Phi(t_1, x)) = \Phi(t_2 + t_1, x), \text{ for } t_1, t_2 + t_1 \in I(x) \text{ and } t_2 \in I(\Phi(t_1, x))$$

The function  $\Phi(t, x)$  is called the evolution function of the dynamical system: it associates to every point in the set  $M$  a unique image, depending on the variable  $t$ , called the evolution parameter.  $M$  is called phase space or state space. while the variable  $x$  represents an initial state of the system.

We often write

$$\Phi_x(t) \equiv \Phi(t, x)$$

$$\Phi^t(x) \equiv \Phi(t, x)$$

if we take one of the variables as constant.

$$\Phi_x : I(x) \rightarrow M$$

is called the flow through  $x$  and its graph trajectory through  $x$ . The set

$$\gamma_x \equiv \{\Phi(t, x) : t \in I(x)\}$$

is called the orbit through  $x$ . Note that the orbit through  $x$  is the image of the flow through  $x$ .

A subset  $S$  of the state space  $M$  is called  $\phi$ -invariant if for all  $x$  in  $S$  and all  $t$  in  $T$

$$\Phi(t, x) \in S$$

Thus, in particular, if  $S$  is  $\phi$ -invariant,  $I(x) = T$  for all  $x$  in  $S$ . That is, the flow through  $x$  must be defined for all time for every element of  $S$

• **The general form of first-order differential equations system:**

There is a general form of differential equation. Suppose  $\phi = \phi(t, x, y)$  is a prescribed function of three variables and the problem is that of finding a function  $x(t)$  such that

$$\phi(t, x(t), \dot{x}(t)) = 0$$

on an interval of the  $t$  axis. The standard form of this equation would be

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

where the function  $f$  is obtained by solving the equation  $\phi(t, x, y) = 0$  for  $y$  as a function of  $t$  and  $x$ .

• **The initial-value problem**

We can only have a unique solution of the differential equation if we somehow specify this constant. One way to do this is to require that the function  $x(t)$  not only satisfy the differential equation but also satisfy the condition that it take on a prescribed value  $x_0$  at a prescribed point  $t_0$ . This lack of uniqueness turns out to be characteristic of more general differential equations as well, and the remedy suggested above to render the solution unique turns out to be appropriate in a variety of naturally occurring circumstances. For this reason we define the initial-value problem:

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = f(t, x), x|_{t=t_0} = x_0$$

Here the function  $f$  and the initial data  $t_0, x_0$  are prescribed.

• **First-order differential equations system in this assignment.**

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{CO}_{2Air} &= \frac{MC_{BlowAir} + MC_{ExtAir} + MC_{PadAir} - MC_{AirCan} - MC_{AirTop} - MC_{AirOut}}{cap_{CO_{2Air}}} \\ \dot{CO}_{2Top} &= \frac{MC_{AirTop} - MC_{TopOut}}{cap_{CO_{2Top}}} \end{aligned}$$

With initial data is  $cap_{CO_{2Air}}$  and  $cap_{CO_{2Top}}$

### 2.1.2 1.b

**Introduce a necessary and sufficient condition for the above systems of differential equations to exist and have unique solutions. Solution:**

We have the formula:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y)$$

The problem how to solve  $y = y(x)$  satisfied that  $y(x_0) = y_0$  is called the cosi problem, and  $x_0, y_0$  is called the initial value (the initial condition).

The problem is in which condion:

- The cosi problem has the solution.
- The solution is unique.

Solving the mentioned above issues means that the theorem of the unique solution.

**Theorem:** We have the formula  $f(x, y, y')$  with the initial value  $(x_0, y_0)$ . Supposed that:

- $f(x, y)$  ( $x, y$ ) is a two-variable continuous function in the inner bounded domain  $G$

$$\begin{cases} x_0 - a \leq x \leq x_0 + a \\ y_0 - b \leq y \leq y_0 + b \end{cases}$$

Since  $f$  is continuous in the inner bounded domain  $G$ , there exists  $M > 0$  satisfied that  $|f(x, y)| \leq M \forall (x, y) \in G$

- $f(x, y)$  is a function satisfying the condition Lipsitz according to variable  $y$  in the inner bounded domain  $G$

Then there exists only one solution  $y = y(x)$  of the equations  $f(x, y, y')$  defined and continuous for the values of  $x$  in the segment  $x_0 - h \leq x \leq x_0 + h$

Where,  $h = \min(a, \frac{b}{M})$  satisfied that when  $x = x_0$ ,  $y(x_0) = y_0$

### 2.1.3 1.c

**Give some examples of solvable first-order differential equations and their exact solutions.** • **Example 1:** Suppose that a bread is removed from a  $100^\circ C$  oven and placed in a room with a temperature of  $25^\circ C$ . In 20 min the bread has a temperature of  $60^\circ C$ . We want to determine the time when the bread at a temperature of  $89^\circ C$ .

**Solution:**

The rate of change of the temperature  $T(t)$  is the derivative  $\frac{dT}{dt}$ .

According to Newton's law of cooling, the rate at which the temperature  $T(t)$  changes in a cooling body is proportional to the difference between the temperature of the body and the constant temperature  $T_s$  of the surrounding medium. Symbolically, the statement is expressed as

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = k(T - T_s)$$

Where  $k$  is a constant of proportionality.

Separating the variables we have

$$\frac{dT}{T - T_s} = k dt \iff \frac{dT}{T - 25} = k dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{dT}{T - 25} = \int k dt \Rightarrow \ln|T - 25| = kt + \ln C$$

$$\Rightarrow T - 25 = e^{kt + \ln C} = Ce^{kt}$$

To find  $k$  we use the condition: if  $t = 20\text{min}$  then  $T = 60^\circ C$ . So

$$60 - 25 = 75e^{k \cdot 20} \Rightarrow e^k = \left(\frac{7}{15}\right)^{\frac{1}{20}}$$

$$k = \frac{1}{20} \cdot \ln\left(\frac{7}{15}\right)$$

Therefore

$$T = 75\left(\frac{7}{15}\right)^{\frac{t}{20}} + 25$$

We want to know when  $T(t) = 89^\circ C$ . Thus we solve

$$89 = 75\left(\frac{7}{15}\right)^{\frac{t}{20}} + 25 \Rightarrow t \approx 4 \text{ min}$$

• **Example 2: Find the solution of the initial-value problem and calculate  $y(1)$ .**  
 **$y' + y = x$ ,  $y(0) = 1$ .**

**Solution:**

$$P(x) = 1, Q(x) = x.$$

We have the formula for this solution.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = Q(x)$$

Multiplying both sides of the above formula to  $e^{\int P(x)dx}$ , we have:

$$e^{\int P(x)dx} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} + e^{\int P(x)dx} \cdot P(x)y = e^{\int P(x)dx} \cdot Q(x)$$

Taking the primitive of both sides:

$$e^{\int P(x)dx} \cdot y = \int Q(x) \cdot e^{\int P(x)dx} dx + C$$

$$y = e^{-\int P(x)dx} \cdot \left[ \int Q(x) \cdot e^{\int P(x)dx} dx + C \right]$$

Apply the formula mentioned above, we have

$$\begin{aligned} y &= e^{-\int 1 dx} \cdot \left[ \int x \cdot e^{\int 1 dx} dx + C \right] = e^{-x} \cdot \left[ \int x \cdot e^x dx + C \right] \\ &= e^{-x} \cdot \left[ (x - 1) \cdot e^x dx + C \right] = (x - 1) + Ce^{-x} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $x = 0$ ,  $y = 1 \Rightarrow 1 = (0 - 1) + Ce^0 \Rightarrow C = 2$ . Therefore the solution to the initial-value problem is  $y = x - 1 + 2e^{-x}$ .

Finally, it's easy to find  $y(1) = 1 - 1 + 2e^{-1} = 2e^{-1}$ .

• **Example 3: We will solve the example 2 with another method: Picard's Iteration Scheme.**

**Picard's Theorem:** is proved by applying Picard's iteration scheme, which we now introduce. We begin by noticing that any solution to the initial value problem of Equations:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y), y(x_0) = y_0 \quad (1)$$

It must also satisfy the integral equation:

$$y(x) = y_0 + \int_{x_0}^x f(t, y(t)) dt \quad (2)$$

because

$$\int_{x_0}^x \frac{dy}{dt} dt = y(x) - y(x_0).$$

The converse is also true: if  $y(x)$  satisfies Equation (2), then  $y' = f(t, y(t))$  and  $y(x_0) = y_0$ . So Equation (1) may be replaced by Equation (2). This sets the stage for Picard's iteration

method: In the integrand in Equation (2), replace  $y(t)$  by the constant  $y_o$ , then integrate and call the resulting right-hand side of Equation (2)  $y_1(x)$ :

$$y_1(x) = y_o + \int_{x_o}^x f(t, y_o) dt \quad (3)$$

This starts the process. To keep it going, we use the iterative formulas

$$y_{n+1}(x) = y_o + \int_{x_o}^x f(t, y_n(t)) dt \quad (4)$$

### Solution:

Return to Example 2:

$$y' = x - y, \quad y(0) = 1$$

For the problem at hand,  $f(x, y) = x - y$ . And Equation (3) becomes

$$y_2(x) = 1 + \int_0^x f(t - 1 + t - x^2 + \frac{1}{6}t^3) dt = 1 - x + x^2 - \frac{1}{3}x^3 + \frac{1}{4!}x^4$$

In this example it is possible to find the exact solution because

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + y = x$$

is a first-order differential equation that is linear in  $y$ . We have already shown how to find the general solution

$$y = x - 1 + Ce^{-x}$$

in the previous example. The solution of the initial value problem is then

$$y = x - 1 + 2e^{-x}$$

If we substitute the Maclaurin series for  $e^{-x}$  in this particular solution, we get

$$y = x - 1 + 2\left(1 - x + \frac{x^2}{2!} - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \dots\right) = 1 - x + x^2 - \frac{x^3}{3!} + 2\left(\frac{x^4}{4!} - \frac{x^5}{5!} + \dots\right)$$

The following example illustrate the Picard iteration scheme, but in most practical cases the computations soon become too burdensome to continue. However, it is one way we could get an idea of how the solution behaves near the initial point.

#### 2.1.4 1.d

**Euler's method** Given a differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y)$  and an initial condition  $y(x_0) = y_0$ , we can approximate the solution  $y = y(x)$  by its linearization:

$$L(x) = y(x_0) + y'(x_0)(x - x_0)$$

or

$$L(x) = y_0 + f(x_0, y_0)(x - x_0)$$

The function  $L(x)$  gives a good approximation to the solution  $y(x)$  in a short interval about  $x_0$ . The basis of Euler's method is to path together a string of linearization to approximate the curve over a longer stretch.



• **Step 1:** We know the point  $(x_0, y_0)$  lies on the solution curve. So from this point which lies exactly on the solution curve, we have obtained the point  $(x_1, y_1)$ , which lies very close to the point  $(x_1, y(x_1))$  on the solution curve by the equation:

$$y_1 = L(x_1) = y_0 + f(x_0, y_0)dx$$

• **Step 2:** Using the point  $(x_1, y_1)$  and the slope  $f(x_1, y_1)$  on the solution curve through  $(x_1, y_1)$ , we take the second step. Setting  $x_2 = x_1 + dx$ , we use the linearization of the solution curve through  $(x_1, y_1)$  to calculate:

$$y_2 = L(x_2) = y_1 + f(x_1, y_1)dx$$

• **Step 3:** Continuing in this fashion, we take the third step and so on. We build literally an approximation to one of the solution by following the direction of the slope field of the differential equation.

The step  $(dx)$  would be small enough to calculate a good approximation. Euler's method is easy to implement on a computer or calculator. A computer generates a table of numerical solutions to an initial value problem, allowing us to input  $x_0$  and  $y_0$ , the number of step  $n$ , and the step size  $dx$ . It then calculates the approximate solution value  $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n$  in iterative fashion, as just described.

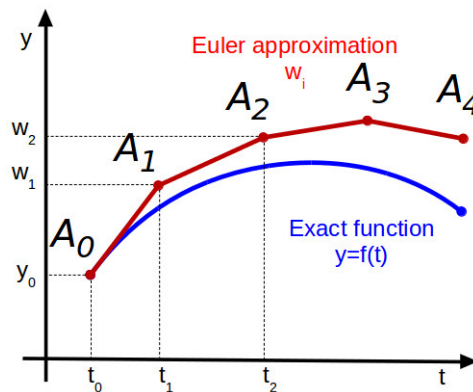


Figure 1: Visualization of Euler's method

**Explicit Runge-Kutta of order 4 algorithms** While Euler's method is simple to program on a computer, it is inherently unstable, only first order accurate, and requires very small  $\Delta t$  in order to achieve reasonable results.

Mathematicians and engineers have developed clever algorithms to modify the slope such that information is used from one or more values of  $t$  between  $t_n$  and  $t_{n+1}$ . These algorithms include the implicit Euler method and various kinds of predictor-corrector techniques, which can be formulated to first-, second-, or higher-order accuracy.

The Runge-Kutta technique is fourth-order accurate, and can be thought of as a kind of predictor-corrector technique in that the final value of  $y_{n+1}$  at  $t = t_{n+1}$  is calculated as:

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + \Delta y_{final}$$

where increment  $\Delta y_{final}$  is a weighted average of four “trial increments,” namely  $\Delta y_1$ ,  $\Delta y_2$ ,  $\Delta y_3$ , and  $\Delta y_4$ , evaluated from slopes calculated at  $t = t_n$ ,  $t_{n+\frac{1}{2}}$ ,  $t_{n+\frac{1}{2}}$ , and  $t_{n+1}$ , respectively. The final predicted value of  $y_{n+1}$  at  $t = t_{n+1}$  is calculated as:

$$\Delta y_{final} = \frac{h}{6}(k_1 + 2k_2 + 2k_3 + k_4)$$

- **Step 1:** Compute the slope at  $x_n$ :

$$k_1 = f(x_n, y_n)$$

- **Step 2:** Compute the slope at the midpoint from  $k_1$ :

$$k_2 = f(x_n + \frac{1}{2}h, y_n + \frac{1}{2}hk_1)$$

- **Step 3:** Compute the slope at the midpoint from  $k_2$ :

$$k_3 = f(x_n + \frac{1}{2}h, y_n + \frac{1}{2}hk_2)$$

- **Step 4:** Compute the slope at the endpoint from  $k_3$ :

$$k_4 = f(x_n + h, y_n + hk_3)$$

- **Step 5:** Compute  $y_{n+1}$ :

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + \frac{h}{6}(k_1 + 2k_2 + 2k_3 + k_4)$$

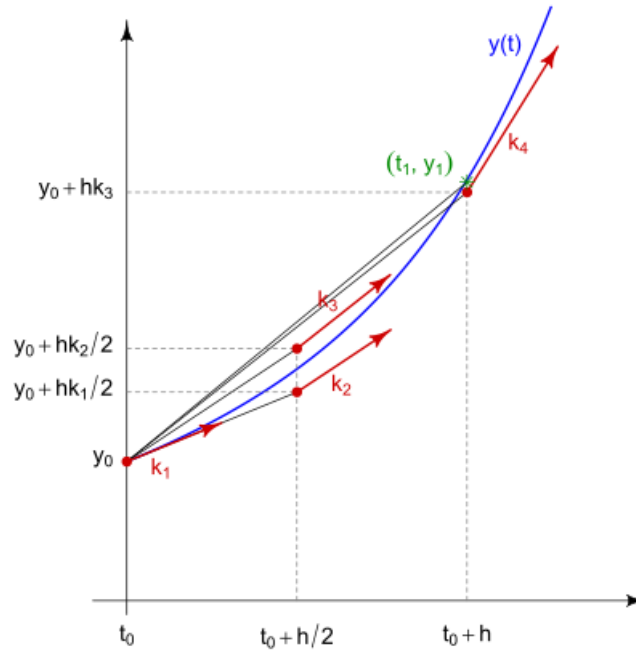


Figure 2: Visualization of Runge-Kutta method

**2.1.5 1.e**

Using Explicit Euler and Explicit Runge-Kutta, give approximate values of the exact solutions of the above examples at time  $t_0, t_0 + h, t_0 + 2h, \dots, t_0 + 5h$  with optional  $h$ . **Example 1:** Suppose that a bread is removed from a  $100^\circ C$  oven and placed in a room with a temperature of  $25^\circ C$ . In 20 min the bread has a temperature of  $60^\circ C$ . We want to determine the temperature after 4 min

We have:

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (T - 25)$$

**• Euler's method:**

The initial point is  $t_0 = 0$  and  $T_0 = 100$  with step  $h = dt = 0.8$  (min)

$$T_1 = T_0 + \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (T - 25) dt = 100 + \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (100 - 25) 0.8 = 97.714$$

$$T_2 = T_1 + \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (T - 25) dt = 97.714 + \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (97.714 - 25) 0.8 = 95.497$$

$$T_3 = T_2 + \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (T - 25) dt = 95.497 + \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (95.497 - 25) 0.8 = 93.348$$

$$T_4 = T_3 + \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (T - 25) dt = 93.348 + \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (93.348 - 25) 0.8 = 91.264$$

$$T_5 = T_4 + \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (T - 25) dt = 91.264 + \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (91.264 - 25) 0.8 = 89.244$$

As we can see the approximation is 89.244 compare with the exact number is 89.3966. The error is 0.17%

**• Runge-Kutta's method:****Step 1**

$$k_1 = f(0, 100) = \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (100 - 25) = -2.858$$

$$k_2 = f(0 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8, 100 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8 * (-2.858)) = -2.8145$$

$$k_3 = f(0 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8, 100 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8 * (-2.8145)) = -2.8151$$

$$k_4 = f(0 + 0.8, 100 + 0.8 * (-2.8151)) = -2.7722$$

$$y(0.8) = 100 + \frac{0.8}{6} (-2.858 + 2 * (-2.8145) + 2 * (-2.8151) - 2.7722) = 97.7481$$

**Step 2**

$$k_1 = f(0.8, 97.7481) = \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (97.7481 - 25) = -2.7722$$

$$k_2 = f(0.8 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8, 97.7481 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8 * (-2.7722)) = -2.73$$

$$k_3 = f(0.8 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8, 97.7481 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8 * (-2.73)) = -2.7306$$

$$k_4 = f(0.8 + 0.8, 97.7481 + 0.8 * (-2.7306)) = -2.689$$

$$y(1.6) = 97.7481 + \frac{0.8}{6} (-2.7722 + 2 * (-2.73) + 2 * (-2.7306) - 2.689) = 95.5638$$

**Step 3**

$$k_1 = f(1.6, 95.5638) = \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (95.5638 - 25) = -2.689$$

$$k_2 = f(1.6 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8, 95.5638 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8 * (-2.689)) = -2.648$$

$$k_3 = f(1.6 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8, 95.5638 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8 * (-2.648)) = -2.649$$

$$k_4 = f(1.6 + 0.8, 95.5638 + 0.8 * (-2.649)) = -2.608$$

$$y(2.4) = 95.5638 + \frac{0.8}{6} (-2.689 + 2 * (-2.648) + 2 * (-2.649) - 2.608) = 93.449$$

#### Step 4

$$k_1 = f(2.4, 93.449) = \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (93.449 - 25) = -2.6084$$

$$k_2 = f(2.4 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8, 93.449 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8 * (-2.6084)) = -2.5686$$

$$k_3 = f(2.4 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8, 93.449 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8 * (-2.5686)) = -2.5692$$

$$k_4 = f(2.4 + 0.8, 93.449 + 0.8 * (-2.5692)) = -2.53$$

$$y(3.2) = 93.449 + \frac{0.8}{6} (-2.6084 + 2 * (-2.5686) + 2 * (-2.5692) - 2.53) = 91.4438$$

#### Step 1

$$k_1 = f(3.2, 91.4438) = \frac{1}{20} \ln \frac{7}{15} (91.4438 - 25) = -2.532$$

$$k_2 = f(3.2 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8, 91.4438 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8 * (-2.532)) = -2.4934$$

$$k_3 = f(3.2 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8, 91.4438 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.8 * (-2.4934)) = -2.494$$

$$k_4 = f(3.2 + 0.8, 91.4438 + 0.8 * (-2.494)) = -2.4469$$

$$y(4) = 91.4438 + \frac{0.8}{6} (-2.532 + 2 * (-2.4934) + 2 * (-2.494) - 2.4469) = 89.45$$

As we can see the approximation is 89.45 compare with the exact number is 89.3966. The error is 0.06%

**Example 2: Find the solution of the initial-value problem and calculate  $y(1)$ .**

$$y' + y = x, y(0) = 1$$

We have:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x - y$$

• **Euler's method:**

The initial point is  $x_0 = 0$  and  $y_0 = 1$  with step  $h = dt = 0.2$

$$y_1 = y_0 + (x_0 - y_0)dx = 1 + (0 - 1) * 0.2 = 0.8$$

$$y_2 = y_1 + (x_1 - y_1)dx = 0.8 + (0.2 - 0.8) * 0.2 = 0.68$$

$$y_3 = y_2 + (x_2 - y_2)dx = 0.68 + (0.4 - 0.68) * 0.2 = 0.624$$

$$y_4 = y_3 + (x_3 - y_3)dx = 0.628 + (0.6 - 0.628) * 0.2 = 0.6192$$

$$y_5 = y_5 + (x_5 - y_5)dx = 0.6192 + (0.8 - 0.6192) * 0.2 = 0.65032$$

As we can see the approximation is 0.65032 compare with the exact number is  $2e^{-1}$  The error is 11.61%

• **Runge-Kutta's method:**

**Step 1**

$$k_1 = f(0, 1) = 0 - 1 = -1$$

$$k_2 = f(0 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2, 1 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2 * (-1)) = -0.8$$

$$k_3 = f(0 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2, 1 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2 * (-0.8)) = -0.82$$

$$k_4 = f(0 + 0.2, 1 + 0.2 * (-0.82)) = -0.64$$

$$y(0.2) = 1 + \frac{0.2}{6}(-1 + 2 * (-0.8) + 2 * (-0.82) - 0.64) = 0.84$$

**Step 2**

$$k_1 = f(0.2, 0.84) = 0.2 - 0.84 = -0.64$$

$$k_2 = f(0.2 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2, 0.84 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2 * (-0.64)) = -0.48$$

$$k_3 = f(0.2 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2, 0.84 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2 * (-0.48)) = -0.49$$

$$k_4 = f(0.2 + 0.2, 0.84 + 0.2 * (-0.49)) = -0.34$$

$$y(0.4) = 0.84 + \frac{0.2}{6}(-0.64 + 2 * (-0.48) + 2 * (-0.49) - 0.34) = 0.74$$

**Step 3**

$$k_1 = f(0.4, 0.74) = 0.4 - 0.74 = -0.34$$

$$k_2 = f(0.4 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2, 0.74 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2 * (-0.34)) = -0.21$$

$$k_3 = f(0.4 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2, 0.74 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2 * (-0.21)) = -0.22$$

$$k_4 = f(0.4 + 0.2, 0.74 + 0.2 * (-0.22)) = -0.1$$

$$y(0.6) = 0.74 + \frac{0.2}{6}(-0.34 + 2 * (-0.21) + 2 * (-0.22) - 0.1) = 0.7$$

**Step 4**

$$k_1 = f(0.6, 0.7) = 0.6 - 0.7 = -0.1$$

$$k_2 = f(0.6 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2, 0.7 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2 * (-0.1)) = 0.01$$

$$k_3 = f(0.6 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2, 0.7 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2 * (-0.01)) = -0.001$$

$$k_4 = f(0.6 + 0.2, 0.7 + 0.2 * (-0.001)) = 0.1002$$

$$y(0.8) = 0.7 + \frac{0.2}{6}(-0.1 + 2 * 0.01 + 2 * (-0.001) + 0.1002) = 0.7$$

### Step 5

$$k_1 = f(0.8, 0.7) = 0.8 - 0.7 = 0.1$$

$$k_2 = f(0.8 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2, 0.7 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2 * 0.097) = 0.19$$

$$k_3 = f(0.8 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2, 0.7 + \frac{1}{2} * 0.2 * 0.19) = 0.18$$

$$k_4 = f(0.8 + 0.2, 0.7 + 0.2 * 0.18) = 0.26$$

$$y(0.4) = 0.703 + \frac{0.2}{6}(0.1 + 2 * 0.19 + 2 * 0.18 + 0.26) = 0.74$$

As we can see the approximation is 0.74 compare with the exact number is  $2e^{-1}$  The error is 0.58%

## 3 Application section:

### 3.1 Exercise 2:

#### 3.1.1 2.a

**Restate the model for the  $CO_2$  concentration in greenhouses in detail as described in Sections 2, 3, and 4 of this assignment and write to the report. • The concentration of  $CO_2$  in the greenhouse air will be described in more detail.**

We have the figure:

*Top/Air*: the compartment above/below the thermal screen;

*Out/Ext*: outside the greenhouse/external source;

*Blow/Pad*: the direct air heater/pad and fan;

*Can*: the canopy inside the greenhouse;

$MC_{AB}$ : the net  $CO_2$  flux from A to B.

#### $CO_2$ concentration of the greenhouse air and the air in the top compartment

In the range of the report, the greenhouse air  $CO_2$  concentration  $CO_{2Air}$  is described by:

$$cap_{CO_{2Air}} \dot{CO}_{2Air} = MC_{BlowAir} + MC_{ExtAir} + MC_{PadAir} - MC_{AirCan} - MC_{AirTop} - MC_{AirOut}$$

The  $CO_2$  concentration of the top compartment air  $CO_{2Top}$  is described by:

$$cap_{CO_{2Top}} \dot{CO}_{2Top} = MC_{AirTop} - MC_{TopOut}$$

where:

- $cap_{CO_{2Top/Air}}$  is the capacity of the compartment above and below the thermal screen to store  $CO_2$  respectively (m).
- $\dot{CO}_{2Top/Air}$  is the rate of change of  $CO_2$  concentration in the compartment above and below the thermal screen in time ( $mg\ m^{-3}\ s^{-1}$ ).
- Carbon dioxide is exchanged between the greenhouse air and surrounding elements i.e. the direct air heater  $MC_{BlowAir}$ , the external  $CO_2$  source  $MC_{ExtAir}$ , the pad and fan system  $MC_{PadAir}$ , and the outdoor air  $MC_{AirOut}$ ,  $MC_{AirCan}$  is the  $CO_2$  flux between the greenhouse air and the canopy ( $mg\ m^{-2}\ s^{-1}$ ).

#### Direct air heater

The head flux from the direct air heater to the greenhouse air is described by:

$$H_{BlowAir} = U_{Blow} P_{Blow} / A_{Flr} [W\ m^{-2}]$$

where:

- $U_{Blow}$  is the control value of the direct air heater ranging in  $[0, 1]$ .
- $P_{Blow}$  (W) is the heat capacity of the direct air heaters.
- $A_{Flr}$  ( $m^2$ ) is the surface of the greenhouse floor.

The  $CO_2$  flux from the heat blower to the greenhouse air is proportional to the heat flux:

$$MC_{BlowAir} = \eta_{HeatCO_2} H_{BlowAir} = \frac{\eta_{HeatCO_2} U_{Blow} P_{Blow}}{A_{Flr}} [\text{mg } m^{-2} s^{-1}]$$

where  $\eta_{HeatCO_2}$  ( $\text{mg } CO_2 J^{-1}$ ) is the amount of  $CO_2$  which is released when 1 Joule of sensible energy is produced by the direct air heater.

### External $CO_2$ source

The  $CO_2$  added to the greenhouse by an external  $CO_2$ -source is described by:

$$MC_{ExtAir} = U_{ExtCO_2} \phi_{ExtCO_2} / A_{Flr} [\text{mg } m^{-2} s^{-1}]$$

where:

- $U_{ExtCO_2}$  is the control value of the external  $CO_2$  source ranging in  $[0, 1]$ .
- $\phi_{ExtCO_2}$  ( $\text{mg } s^{-1}$ ) is the capacity of the external  $CO_2$  source.

On the other hand, the amount of  $CO_2$  that enters the greenhouse through the pad system is due to the difference in the concentration of  $CO_2$  inside and outside the greenhouse. It will be shown clearly in the formula:

$$MC_{PadAir} = f_{Pad}(CO_{2Out} - CO_{2Air}) = \frac{U_{Pad} \phi_{ExtCO_2}}{A_{Flr}} (CO_{2Out} - CO_{2Air})$$

where:

- $U_{Pad}$  is the control value of the pad and fan system ranging in  $[0, 1]$ .
- $f_{Pad}$  ( $m s^{-1}$ ) is the ventilation flux due to the pad and fan system.
- $\phi_{Pad}$  ( $m^3 s^{-1}$ ) is the capacity of the air flux through the pad.

### Movement of air through the thermal screen

The net flux of  $CO_2$  from the lower compartment to the upper compartment of the greenhouse is more complicated and it depends on the difference in the temperature and air density between the two compartments.

$$MC_{AirTop} = f_{ThScr}(CO_{2Air} - CO_{2Top})$$

The airflow rate through the thermal screen  $f_{ThScr}$  ( $m s^{-1}$ ) is the sum of the penetration rate through the screen and the rate at the open regions that are not covered by the thermal screen.

$$f_{ThScr} = U_{ThScr} K_{ThScr} |T_{Air} - T_{Top}|^{\frac{2}{3}} + (1 - U_{ThScr}) \left[ \frac{g(1 - U_{ThScr})}{2p_{Air}^{Mean}} |p_{Air} - p_{Top}| \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}.$$

where:

- $f_{ThScr}$  is the air flux through the thermal screen ( $m s^{-1}$ );
- $U_{ThScr}$  is the control of the thermal screen ranging in  $[0, 1]$ ;
- $K_{ThScr}$  is the screen flux coefficient determining the permeability of the screen ( $m K^{-\frac{2}{3}} s^{-1}$ );
- $g$  is the gravitational acceleration ( $m s^{-2}$ );
- $p_{Air/Top}$  is the density of the greenhouse air below/above the thermal screen ( $kg m^{-3}$ );
- $p_{Air}^{Mean}$  is the mean density of the greenhouse air ( $kg m^{-3}$ );
- $T_{Air/Top}$  is the temperature below and above the thermal screen (K);

### $CO_2$ flux from the inside to the outside of the greenhouse

Let consider the formula:

$$MC_{AirOut} = (f_{VentSide} + f_{VentForced})(CO_{2Air} - CO_{2Out})$$

where:

- $f_{VentSide}$  is the rate for the sidewall ventilation system ( $m s^{-1}$ );

- $U_{VentForced}$  is the the rate for the force ventilation system ( $m s^{-1}$ );

To generalize the model for many different types of greenhouses, the following general formula  $f_{VentRoofSide}$  ( $m s^{-1}$ ) is used:

$$f_{VentRoofSide} = \frac{C_d}{A_{Flr}} \left[ \frac{U_{Roof}^2 U_{Side}^2 A_{Roof}^2 A_{Side}^2}{U_{Roof}^2 A_{Roof}^2 + U_{Side}^2 A_{Side}^2} \cdot \frac{2gh_{SideRoof}(T_{Air} - T_{Out})}{T_{Air}^{Mean}} + \left( \frac{U_{Roof} A_{Roof} + U_{Side} A_{Side}}{2} \right)^2 C_w v_{wind}^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

where:

- $f_{VentRoofSide}$  is the ventilation rate through both the roof and side vents ( $m s^{-1}$ );
- $C_{d/w}$  is the discharge/global wind pressure coefficient depending on the greenhouse shape and the use of an outdoor thermal screen;
- $U_{Roof/Side}$  is the control of the roof/side openings ranging in  $[0,1]$ ;
- $A_{Roof/Side}$  is the roof/side opening area  $m^2$ ;
- $h_{SideRoof}$  is the vertical distance between mid-points of side wall and roof ventilation openings (m);
- $T_{Air}^{Mean}$  is the mean temperature between the indoor and outdoor temperature (K);
- $v_{wind}$  is the speed of wind ( $m s^{-1}$ );

In the presence of an insect screen, the movement speed of the air currents through the ventilation areas will be reduced by a factor:

$$\eta_{InsScr} = \zeta_{InsScr} (2 - \zeta_{InsScr}).$$

where:

- $\eta_{InsScr}$  is the reducing factor;
- $\zeta_{InsScr}$  is the screen porosity i.e. the area of holes per unit area of the insect screen.

The greenhouse leakage is also mentioned in this assignment:

$$f_{leakage} = \begin{cases} 0.25 \times c_{leakage}, & v_{wind} < 0.25 \\ v_{lwind} \times c_{leakage}, & v_{wind} \geq 0.25 \end{cases}$$

where:

- $f_{leakage}$  is the leakage rate depending on wind speed ( $m s^{-1}$ );
- $c_{leakage}$  is the leakage coefficient depending on the greenhouse type;

The total ventilation rates for roof and side vents are calculated by:

$$f_{VentRoof} = \begin{cases} \eta_{InsScr} f''_{VentRoof} + 0.5 f_{leakage}, & \eta_{Side} \geq \eta_{SideThr} \\ \eta_{InsScr} [U_{ThScr} f''_{VentRoof} + (1 - U_{ThScr}) f_{VentRoofSide} \eta_{Side}] + 0.5 f_{leakage}, & \eta_{Side} < \eta_{SideThr} \end{cases}$$

$$f_{VentSide} = \begin{cases} \eta_{InsScr} f''_{VentSide} + 0.5 f_{leakage}, & \eta_{Side} \geq \eta_{SideThr} \\ \eta_{InsScr} [U_{ThScr} f''_{VentSide} + (1 - U_{ThScr}) f_{VentRoofSide} \eta_{Side}] + 0.5 f_{leakage}, & \eta_{Side} < \eta_{SideThr} \end{cases}$$

where:

- $f''_{VentSide}$  is  $f_{VentRoofSide}$  when  $A_{Roof} = 0$ ;
- $\eta_{Side}$  is the ratio between the side vents area and total ventilation area;
- $\eta_{SideThr}$  is the threshold value above which no chimney effect is assumed to occur;
- $f''_{VentRoof}$  is calculate by the formula:

$$f''_{VentRoof} = \frac{C_d U_{Roof} A_{Roof}}{2 A_{Flr}} \left[ \frac{gh_{Roof}(T_{Air} - T_{Out})}{2 T_{Air}^{Mean}} + C_w v_{wind}^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

- $h_{Roof}$  is the vertical dimension of a single ventilation opening (m).

The flux  $f_{VentRoof}$  by the fan system inside the greenhouse is calculated as follows:

$$f_{VentRoof} = \frac{\eta_{InsScr} U_{VentForced} \phi_{VentForced}}{A_{Flr}}$$



where:

- $U_{VentForced}$  is the control value of the forced ventilation ranging in  $[0, 1]$ .
- $\phi_{VentForced}$  is the air flow capacity of the forced ventilation system ( $m^3 s^{-1}$ ).

The  $MC_{TopOut}$  is the net  $CO_2$  flux from the greenhouse to outside through the roof openings is calculated by the formula:

$$MC_{TopOut} = f_{VentRoof}(CO_{2Top} - CO_{2Out})$$

### The net photosynthesis rate

The net photosynthesis rate equals the gross photosynthesis rate minus photorespiration:

$$MC_{AirCan} = M_{CH_2O} h_{C_{Buf}}^{MC_{AirCan}} (P - R)$$

where:

- $M_{CH_2O}$  is the molar mass of  $CH_2O$  ( $mg \mu mol^{-1}$ );
- $h_{C_{Buf}}$  is the inhibition of the photosynthesis rate by saturation of the leaves with carbohydrates, where

$$h_{C_{Buf}} = \begin{cases} 0, & C_{Buf} > C_{Buf}^{Max} \\ 1, & C_{Buf} \leq C_{Buf}^{Max} \end{cases}$$

- $C_{Buf}/C_{Buf}^{Max}$  is the capacity/maximum of carbonhydrates storage in the canopy buffer ( $mg \{CH_2O\} m^{-2}$ );
- $P/R$  is the photosynthesis/photorespiration rate of the canopy during the photosynthesis process ( $\mu mol \{CO_2\} m^{-2} s^{-1}$ );

Photosynthesis rate at canopy level, P, is described by:

$$P = \frac{J \cdot (CO_{2Stom} - \Gamma)}{4 \cdot (CO_{2Stom} + 2\Gamma)}$$

where:

- $J$  ( $\mu mol \{e^{-}\} m^{-2} s^{-1}$ ) is the electron transport rate.
- $4$  ( $\mu mol \{e^{-}\} \mu mol^{-1} \{CO_2\}$ ) is the number of elections per fixed  $CO_2$  molecule.
- $CO_{2Stom}$  ( $\mu mol \{CO_2\} mol^{-1} \{air\}$ ) is the  $CO_2$ -concentration in the stomata.
- $\Gamma$  ( $\mu mol \{CO_2\} mol^{-1} \{air\}$ ) is the  $CO_2$  compensation point.

The photorespiration, R, is described by:

$$R = P \cdot \frac{\Gamma}{CO_{2Stom}}$$

### The electron transport rate

The electron transport rate, J, is a function of the potential rate of electron transport and of the absorbed PAR by the canopy:

$$J = \frac{J^{POT} + \alpha PAR_{Can} - \sqrt{(J^{POT} + \alpha PAR_{Can})^2 - 4\Theta \cdot J^{POT} \cdot \alpha PAR_{Can}}}{2\Theta}$$

where:

- $J^{POT}$  ( $\mu mol \{e^{-}\} m^{-2} s^{-1}$ ) is the potential rate of electron transport.
- $PAR_{Can}$  ( $\mu mol \{photons\} m^{-2} s^{-1}$ ) is the absorbed PAR.
- $\alpha$  ( $\mu mol \{e^{-}\} \mu mol^{-1} \{photons\}$ ) is the conversion factor from photons to electrons, including an efficiency term.
- $\Theta$  is the degree of curvature of the electron transport rate.

The potential rate of electron transport  $J^{POT}$ , depends on temperature (Farquhar et al., 1980):

$$J^{POT} = J_{25,Can}^{POT} \cdot e^{\frac{E_j \cdot T_{Can,K} - T_{25,K}}{R \cdot T_{Can,K} \cdot T_{25,K}}} \cdot \frac{1 + e^{\frac{S \cdot T_{25,K} - H}{R \cdot T_{25,K}}}}{1 + e^{\frac{S \cdot T_{Can,K} - H}{R \cdot T_{Can,K}}}} [\mu mol \{e^{-}\} m^{-2} s^{-1}]$$

where:

- $J_{25,Can}^{MAX}$  ( $\mu\text{mol } \{e^-\} m^{-2} s^{-1}$ ) is the maximum rate of electron transport at  $25^\circ C$  for the canopy.
- $E_j$  ( $J mol^{-1}$ ) is the activation energy for  $J^{POT}$ .
- $T_{Can,K}$  (K) is the canopy temperature.
- $T_{25,K}$  (K) is the reference temperature at  $25^\circ C$ .
- $R_g$  ( $J mol^{-1} K^{-1}$ ) is the molar gas constant.
- $S$  ( $J mol^{-1} K^{-1}$ ) is the entropy term.
- $H$  ( $J mol^{-1}$ ) is the deactivation energy.

The maximum rate of electron transport at  $25^\circ C$  for the canopy is calculated by:

$$J_{25,Can}^{MAX} = LAI \cdot J_{25,Leaf}^{MAX} [\mu\text{mol } \{e^-\} m^{-2} s^{-1}]$$

where  $J_{25,Can}^{MAX}$  ( $\mu \{e^-\} m^{-2} \{leaf\} s^{-1}$ ) is the maximum rate of electron transport for the leaf at  $25^\circ C$ .

### The absorbed PAR by the canopy

The total PAR absorbed by the canopy is the sum of the PAR transmitted by the greenhouse cover that is directly absorbed, and the PAR reflected by the greenhouse floor that is indirectly absorbed:

$$PAR_{Can} = PAR_{GhCan} + PAR_{FlrCan} [\mu\text{mol } \{\text{photons}\} m^{-2} s^{-1}]$$

The PAR which is directly absorbed by the canopy is described by a negative exponential decay of light with LAI in a homogeneous crop:

$$PAR_{GhCan} = PAR_{Gh} \cdot (1 - p_{Can}) \cdot (1 - \exp\{-K_1 \cdot LAI\}) [\mu\text{mol } \{\text{photons}\} m^{-2} s^{-1}]$$

where:

- $PAR_{Gh}$  ( $\mu\text{mol } \{\text{photons}\} m^{-2} s^{-1}$ ) is the PAR above the canopy.
- $p_{Can}$  (W) is the reflection coefficient of the canopy for PAR.
- $K_1$  is the extinction coefficient of the canopy for PAR.

The PAR above the canopy is described by:

$$PAR_{Gh} = \tau_{Gh} \cdot \eta_{GlobPAR} \cdot I_{Glob} [\mu\text{mol } \{\text{photons}\} m^{-2} s^{-1}]$$

where:

- $\tau_{Gh}$  is the light transmission of the greenhouse cover.
- $\eta_{GlobPAR}$  ( $\mu\text{mol } \{\text{photons}\} J^{-1}$ ) is a conversion factor from global radiation to PAR.
- $I_{Glob}$  ( $W m^{-2}$ ) is the outside global radiation.

Absorption of PAR reflected by the greenhouse floor is described by:

$$PAR_{FlrCan} = p_{Flr} \cdot PAR_{Gh} \cdot (1 - p_{Can}) \cdot \exp(-K_1 \cdot LAI) \cdot (1 - \exp(-K_2 \cdot LAI)) [\mu\text{mol } \{\text{photons}\} m^{-2} s^{-1}]$$

where:

- $p_{Flr}$  is the reflection coefficient of the greenhouse floor.
- $K_2$  is the extinction coefficient of the canopy when PAR is reflected from the floor to the canopy. We assumed  $K_2$  to be equal to  $K_1$ .

### CO<sub>2</sub>-relationships in the photosynthetic issue

The CO<sub>2</sub>-concentration inside the stomata,  $CO_{2Stom}$  depends on the stomatal and mesophyll conductance, boundary layer resistance, the photosynthesis rate and the difference between the CO<sub>2</sub>-concentration in the stomata and the CO<sub>2</sub>-concentration of the greenhouse air. However, the CO<sub>2</sub>-concentration in the stomata is assumed to be a fixed fraction of the CO<sub>2</sub>-concentration

in the greenhouse air:

$$CO_{2Stom} = \eta_{CO_{2AirStom}} \cdot CO_{2Air} [\mu\text{mol } \{CO_2\} \text{ mol}^{-1} \{air\}]$$

where  $\eta_{CO_{2AirStom}}$  is conversion factor from the  $CO_2$ -concentration of the greenhouse air,  $CO_{2Air}$ , to the  $CO_2$ -concentration in the stomata.

The  $CO_2$  compensation point ( $\Gamma$ ) affects the leaf photosynthesis rate and depends on temperature:

$$\Gamma = \frac{J_{25,Leaf}^{MAX}}{J_{25,Can}^{MAX}} c_r T_{Can} + 20c_r \left(1 - \frac{J_{25,Leaf}^{MAX}}{J_{25,Can}^{MAX}}\right) [\mu\text{mol } \{CO_2\} \text{ mol}^{-1} \{air\}]$$

where:

- $c_r (\mu\text{mol } \{CO_2\} \text{ mol}^{-1} \{air\} K^{-1})$  determines the effect of canopy temperature on the  $CO_2$  compensation point.

### 3.1.2 2.b

Write programs that calculate the net  $CO_2$  flux from one place to an other place using the formulas (3)-(7), (9)-(19). Each formula is a function with input parameters being the coefficients and variables involved in each respective formula. Then write a program that returns the right side of the system of (1) and (2) divided by  $cap_{CO_{2Air}}$  and  $cap_{CO_{2Top}}$  respectively and named this function dx. Present carefully in the report.

**Formula 3:** The amount of  $CO_2$  going from the heater into the greenhouse air.

```
1 def MC_BlowAir(n_HeatCO2, U_Blow, P_Blow, A_Flr):  
2     return (n_HeatCO2 * U_Blow * P_Blow) / A_Flr
```

**Formula 4:** The amount of  $CO_2$  that is pumped into the greenhouse by the third party that supplies  $CO_2$ .

```
1 def MC_ExtAir(U_ExtCO2, phi_ExtCO2, A_Flr):  
2     return (U_ExtCO2 * phi_ExtCO2) / A_Flr
```

**Formula 5:** The amount of  $CO_2$  that is pumped into the greenhouse by the pad system.

```
1 def MC_PadAir(CO2_Air, U_Pad, phi_Pad, A_Flr, CO2_Out):  
2     return (U_Pad * phi_Pad * (CO2_Out - CO2_Air)) / A_Flr
```

**Formula 6:** The net flux of  $CO_2$  from the lower compartment to the upper compartment.

```
1 def MC_AirTop(CO2_Air, CO2_Top, U_ThScr, K_ThScr, T_Air, T_Top, P_MeanAir, P_Air, P_Top, g):  
2     return f_ThScr(U_ThScr, K_ThScr, T_Air, T_Top, P_MeanAir, P_Air, P_Top, g) * (CO2_Air - CO2_Top)
```

**Formula 7:** The airflow rate through the thermal screen.

```
1 def f_ThScr(U_ThScr, K_ThScr, T_Air, T_Top, P_MeanAir, P_Air, P_Top, g):  
2     return U_ThScr * K_ThScr * (abs(T_Top - T_Air) ** (2 / 3)) + (1 - U_ThScr) * (g * (1 - U_ThScr) * abs(P_Air - P_Top) / (2 * P_MeanAir)) ** (1 / 2)
```

**Formula 9:** the net  $CO_2$  flux from the inside to the outside of the greenhouse.

```
1 def MC_AirOut(CO2_Air, CO2_Out, n_Side, n_SideTHr, U_VentForced, phi_VentForced, U_ThScr, phi_InsScr, v_Wind, c_leakage, Cd, A_Flr, U_Roof, U_Side, A_Roof, A_Side, h_SideRoof, T_Air, T_Out, T_MeanAir, Cw, g):  
2     return (f_VentForced(U_VentForced, phi_VentForced, A_Flr, phi_InsScr) + f_VentSide(n_Side, n_SideTHr, U_ThScr, phi_InsScr, v_Wind, c_leakage, Cd, A_Flr, U_Roof, U_Side, A_Roof, A_Side, h_SideRoof, T_Air, T_Out, T_MeanAir, Cw, g)) * (CO2_Air - CO2_Out)
```

**Formula 10:** General formula used to set the formula for  $f_{VentSide}$ .

```
1 def f_VentRoofSide(Cd, A_Flr, U_Roof, U_Side, A_Roof, A_Side, h_SideRoof, T_Air,
2   T_Out, T_MeanAir, Cw, v_Wind, g):
3   i = ((U_Roof * A_Side * U_Side * A_Roof) ** 2) * 2 * g * h_SideRoof * (T_Air -
4   T_Out) / (((U_Roof * A_Roof) ** 2 + (U_Side * A_Side) ** 2) * T_MeanAir)
5   j = (((U_Roof * A_Roof + U_Side * A_Side) ** 2) / 4) * Cw * (v_Wind ** 2)
6   return (Cd / A_Flr) * (i + j) ** (1 / 2)
```

**Formula 11:**

```
1 def n_InsScr(phi_InsScr):
2   return phi_InsScr * (2 - phi_InsScr)
```

**Formula 12:** leakage rate.

```
1 def f_leakage(v_Wind, c_leakage):
2   if v_Wind < 0.25:
3       return 0.25 * c_leakage
4   else:
5       return v_Wind * c_leakage
```

**Formula 13:**

```
1 def f_VentSide(n_Side, n_SideThr, U_ThScr, phi_InsScr, v_Wind, c_leakage, Cd,
2   A_Flr, U_Roof, U_Side, A_Roof, A_Side, h_SideRoof, T_Air, T_Out, T_MeanAir, Cw,
3   g):
4   if n_Side < n_SideThr:
5       return n_InsScr(phi_InsScr) * ((U_ThScr * (Cd * U_Side * A_Side * v_Wind *
6       math.sqrt(Cw)) / (2 * A_Flr)) + (1 - U_ThScr) * n_Side * f_VentRoofSide(Cd,
7       A_Flr, U_Roof, U_Side, A_Roof, A_Side, h_SideRoof, T_Air, T_Out, T_MeanAir, Cw,
8       v_Wind, g)) + 0.5 * f_leakage(v_Wind, c_leakage)
9   else:
10      return n_InsScr(phi_InsScr) * (U_ThScr * (Cd * U_Side * A_Side * v_Wind * math
11      .sqrt(Cw)) / (2 * A_Flr)) + 0.5 * f_leakage(v_Wind, c_leakage)
```

**Formula 14:**

```
1 def f_VentForced(phi_InsScr, U_VentForced, phi_VentForced, A_Flr):
2   return n_InsScr(phi_InsScr) * U_VentForced * phi_VentForced / A_Flr
```

**Formula 15:** The net CO<sub>2</sub> flux from the greenhouse to outside the greenhouse through the roof openings.

```
1 def MC_TopOut(CO2_Top, CO2_Out, n_Roof, n_Side, n_RoofThr, U_ThScr, phi_InsScr,
2   v_Wind, c_leakage, Cd, U_Roof, A_Roof, A_Flr, h_Vent, T_Air, T_Out, T_MeanAir,
3   Cw, g):
4   return f_VentRoof(n_Roof, n_Side, n_RoofThr, U_ThScr, phi_InsScr, v_Wind,
5   c_leakage, Cd, U_Roof, A_Roof, A_Flr, h_Vent, T_Air, T_Out, T_MeanAir, Cw, g)
6   * (CO2_Top - CO2_Out)
```

**Formula 16:** The flux rate through the roof openings. through the roof openings.

```
1 def f_VentRoof(n_Roof, n_Side, n_RoofThr, U_ThScr, phi_InsScr, v_Wind, c_leakage,
2   Cd, U_Roof, A_Roof, A_Flr, h_Vent, T_Air, T_Out, T_MeanAir, Cw, g):
3   if n_Roof < n_RoofThr:
4       return n_InsScr(phi_InsScr) * (U_ThScr * f_Prime_VentRoof(Cd, U_Roof, A_Roof,
5       A_Flr, h_Vent, T_Air, T_Out, T_MeanAir, Cw, v_Wind, g) + (1 - U_ThScr) *
6       n_Side * f_Prime_VentRoof(Cd, U_Roof, A_Roof, A_Flr, h_Roof, T_Air, T_Out,
7       T_MeanAir, Cw, v_Wind, g)) + 0.5 * f_leakage(v_Wind, c_leakage)
8   else:
9       return n_InsScr(phi_InsScr) * f_Prime_VentRoof(Cd, U_Roof, A_Roof, A_Flr,
10      h_Vent, T_Air, T_Out, T_MeanAir, Cw, v_Wind, g) + 0.5 * f_leakage(v_Wind,
11      c_leakage)
```

**Formula 17:** The flux rate through the roof openings. through the roof openings.

```

1 def f_Prime_VentRoof(Cd, U_Roof, A_Roof, A_Flr, h_Vent, T_Air, T_Out, T_MeanAir,
   Cw, v_Wind, g):
2
3     return Cd * U_Roof * A_Roof * ((g * h_Vent * (T_Air - T_Out) / (2 * T_MeanAir) +
   Cw * v_Wind ** 2) ** (1 / 2)) / (2 * A_Flr)

```

**Formula 18:** The amount of CO<sub>2</sub> that is absorbed into the leaves due to photosynthesis

```

1 def MC_AirCan(CO2_Air, n_CO2_Air_Stom, LAI, T_Air, c_gamma, Theta_Gh, n_Glob_PAR,
   I_Glob, rho_Flr, rho_Can, K1, K2, J_Max25Can, T_Can, T_25K, alpha, phi, CBuf,
   C_MaxBuf, Ej, S, H, R, T_CanK):
2     CO2_Stom = n_CO2_Air_Stom * CO2_Air
3     gamma = (1 / LAI) * c_gamma * T_Can + 20 * c_gamma * (1 - (1 / LAI))
4     PAR_Gh = Theta_Gh * n_Glob_PAR * I_Glob
5     PAR_FlrCan = rho_Flr * PAR_Gh * (1 - rho_Can) * math.exp((-K1) * LAI) * (1 -
   math.exp((-K2) * LAI))
6     PAR_GhCan = PAR_Gh * (1 - rho_Can) * (1 - math.exp((-K1) * LAI))
7     PAR_Can = PAR_GhCan + PAR_FlrCan
8     J_Pot = J_Max25Can * math.exp(Ej * ((T_CanK - T_25K) / (R * T_CanK * T_25K))) *
   (1 + math.exp((S * T_25K - H) / (R * T_25K))) / (1 + math.exp((S * T_CanK - H)
   / (R * T_CanK)))
9     J = (J_Pot + alpha * PAR_Can - math.sqrt((J_Pot + alpha * PAR_Can) ** 2 - 4 *
   phi * J_Pot * alpha * PAR_Can)) / (2 * phi)
10    P = (J * (CO2_Stom - gamma)) / (4 * (CO2_Stom + 2 * gamma))
11    R = P * (gamma / CO2_Stom)
12    return 30 * h_C_Buf(CBuf, C_MaxBuf) * (P - R)

```

**Formula 19:**  $h_{C_{Buf}}$  coefficient.

```

1 def h_C_Buf(CBuf, C_MaxBuf):
2     if CBuf > C_MaxBuf:
3         return 0
4     else:
5         return 1

```

**The rate of change of CO<sub>2</sub> concentration in lower and upper compartments:**

```

1 def dx(CO2_Air, CO2_Top):
2     MCBlowAir = MC_BlowAir(n_HeatCO2, U_Blow, P_Blow, A_Flr)
3     MCExtAir = MC_ExtAir(U_ExtCO2, phi_ExtCO2, A_Flr)
4     MCPadAir = MC_PadAir(CO2_Air, U_Pad, phi_Pad, A_Flr, CO2_Out)
5     MCAirCan = MC_AirCan(CO2_Air, n_CO2_Air_Stom, LAI, T_Air, c_gamma, Theta_Gh,
   n_Glob_PAR, I_Glob, rho_Flr, rho_Can, K1, K2, J_Max25Can, T_Can, T_25K, alpha,
   phi, CBuf, C_MaxBuf, Ej, S, H, R, T_CanK)
6     MCAirOut = MC_AirOut(CO2_Air, CO2_Out, n_Side, n_SideThr, U_VentForced,
   phi_VentForced, U_ThScr, phi_InsScr, v_Wind, c_leakage, Cd, A_Flr, U_Roof,
   U_Side, A_Roof, A_Side, h_SideRoof, T_Air, T_Out, T_MeanAir5, Cw, g)
7     MCAirTop = MC_AirTop(CO2_Air, CO2_Top, U_ThScr, K_ThScr, T_Air, T_Top, P_MeanAir
   , P_Air, P_Top, g)
8     dx_CO2_Air = (MCBlowAir + MCExtAir + MCPadAir - MCAirCan - MCAirTop - MCAirOut)
   / cap_CO2_Air
9
10    MCAirTop = MC_AirTop(CO2_Air, CO2_Top, U_ThScr, K_ThScr, T_Air, T_Top, P_MeanAir
   , P_Air, P_Top, g)
11    MCTopOut = MC_TopOut(CO2_Top, CO2_Out, n_Roof, n_Side, n_RoofThr, U_ThScr,
   phi_InsScr, v_Wind, c_leakage, Cd, U_Roof, A_Roof, A_Flr, h_Vent, T_Air, T_Out
   , T_MeanAir, Cw, g)
12    dx_CO2_Top = (MCAirTop - MCTopOut) / cap_CO2_Top
13    return dx_CO2_Air, dx_CO2_Top

```



### 3.2 Exercise 3:

Assuming constant temperature difference and constant air density difference, study from [Van11] and related citations to find specific and reasonable values for each input parameter of the function  $dx$  including the difference in temperature and in air density except for the variables  $CO_2$  Air and  $CO_2$  T op. Noting that these values need to match the units considered in the report. Check if the programs work properly with the values found and specific  $CO_2$  Air and  $CO_2$  T op values. Present details in the report.

We choose region The Netherlands on Van11 and data on Cucumber/MicrosoftResearch

We choose constant temperature difference equals 1.



Name	Value	Unit	Source/Reason
$\eta_{HeatCO_2}$	0.057	$mg\{CO_2\}J^{-1}$	Van11
$U_{blow}$	0	-	because $P_{blow}$ is x in Netherlands
$P_{blow}$	0	W	Van11
$A_{Flr}$	$1.4 \cdot 10^4$	$m^2$	Van11
$U_{ExtCO_2}$	1	-	On title
$\phi_{ExtCO_2}$	$7.2 \cdot 10^4$	$mg s^{-1}$	Van11
$U_{Pad}$	0	-	Because $\phi_{Pad}$ is x in Netherlands
$\phi_{Pad}$	x	$m^3 \cdot s^{-1}$	Van11
$CO_{2out}$	668	$mg m^{-3}$	Van11
$U_{ThScr}$	0.95	-	On dataset
$K_{ThScr}$	$0.05 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$m^3 m^{-2} K^{-0.66} s^{-1}$	Van11
$T_{air} - T_{top}$	1	K	Constant temperature difference
$\rho_{Air}$	$\frac{353}{291.85}$	$kg \cdot m^{-3}$	$\rho_{Air} = \frac{353}{T_{air}}$ with $T_{Air} = 291.85K$
$\rho_{Top}$	$\frac{353}{290.85}$	$kg \cdot m^{-3}$	$\rho_{Air} = \frac{353}{T_{top}}$ with $T_{Air} = 290.85K$
$\rho_{air}^{mean}$	1.21	$kg \cdot m^{-3}$	$\rho_{air}^{mean} = \frac{\rho_{Air} + \rho_{Top}}{2}$
$\eta_{Side}$	1	-	Random
$\eta_{Side\_Thr}$	0.9	-	$\eta_{Roof\_Thr}$ in Van11
$\zeta_{InsScr}$	1	-	Van11
$U_{Roof}$	0	-	$\rho_{Air} = \frac{ventlee + ventside}{2}$ with ventlee = ventside = 0
$U_{Side}$	0	-	Random
$A_{Roof}$	$0.13 \cdot 10^4$	$m^2$	Van11: $\frac{A_{Roof}}{A_{Flr}} = 0.1$
$A_{Side}$	0	$m^2$	Van11: $\frac{A_{Side}}{A_{Flr}} = 0$
$g$	9.81	$ms^{-2}$	Van11
$h_{SideRoof}$	x	m	Van11
$T_{Air} - T_{Out}$	1	K	Constant temperature difference
$T_{Air}^{mean}$	291.35	K	$T_{Air}^{mean} = \frac{T_{Air} + T_{Out}}{2}$ with $T_{Air} = 291.85$ and $T_{Out} = 290.85$
$C_w$	0.09	-	Van11
$v_{wind}$	4.6	$ms^{-1}$	Van11
$U_{VentForced}$	0	-	No $\phi_{VentForced}$ in the dataset we choose
$\phi_{VentForced}$	x	$m^3 s^{-1}$	Van11
$\eta_{Roof}$	1	-	Random
$\eta_{Roof\_Thr}$	0.9	-	Van11
$C_d$	0.75	-	Van11
$h_{Vent}$	0.68	m	Van11
$M_{CH_2O}$	30	g/mol	
$C_{Buf}^{Max}$	$20 \cdot 10^3$	$mg m^{-2}$	Van11
$C_{Buf}$	$15 \cdot 10^3$	$mg m^{-2}$	Random
$\alpha$	0.385	$\mu mol\{e-\}\mu mol^{-1}\{photons\}$	Van11
$\Theta$	0.7	-	Van11
$J_{25.Can}^{Max}$	210	$\mu mol\{e-\}m^2\{leaf\}s^{-1}$	Van11
$E_j$	$37 \cdot 10^3$	$Jmol^{-1}$	Van11

Name	Value	Unit	Source/Reason
$T_{Can,K}$	292.85	K	$T_{Can,K} = T_{Air} + 1$
$T_{25,K}$	298.15	K	Van11
$S$	710	$Jmol^{-1}$	Van11
$H$	$22 \cdot 10^4$	$Jmol^{-1}$	Van11
$R$	8.314	$Jmol^{-1}$	Van11
$\rho_{Can}$	0.07	-	Van11
$K_1$	0.7	-	Van11
$LAI$	2.5	$m^2m^{-2}$	Van11
$\tau_{Gh}$	0.78	-	Van11
$\eta_{Glob\_PAR}$	2.3	$\mu mol\{photons\}J^{-1}$	Van11
$I_{Glob}$	8.5	$Wm^{-1}$	Van11
$\rho_{Flr}$	0.5	-	Van11
$K_2$	0.7	-	Van11
$\eta_{CO2Air\_Stom}$	0.67	$\mu mol\{CO_2\}mol^{-1}\{air\}$	Van11
$c_\Gamma$	1.7	$\mu mol\{CO_2\}mol^{-1}\{air\}K^{-1}$	Van11
$T_{Can}$	292.85	K	$T_{Can,K} = T_{Air} + 1$
$cap_{CO2Air}$	3	m	Random
$cap_{CO2Top}$	1.5	m	Random

With the specific data as above we can calculate as follows:

The rate of change of CO2 concentration in lower compartment: 0.15782722140447145 (mg.m-3.s-1)  
The rate of change of CO2 concentration in upper compartment: 0.0009199999999999999 (mg.m-3.s-1)

### 3.3 Exercise 4:

#### 3.3.1 4.a

Study explicit Euler and Runge–Kutta of order 4 algorithms for solving first-order differential equations (see references [ESG93; EG96]). Write two programs performing the two algorithms and named them euler and rk4 respectively with inputs: a callable function as dx, the values at time t of the two variables CO2 Air and CO2 T op, the time step h. These solvers return the approximate values of CO2 Air and CO2 T op at time t+h. Present details in the report.

- With the Runge–Kutta of order 4 algorithm found in problem 1. We implement the function rk4. The input parameters: callable, h, time\_start, time\_end, CO2\_Air, CO2\_Top, they are a function callable (dx), h step, initial time, end time and CO2 concentration above and below the greenhouse at the inception respectively.

```

1 def rk4(callable, CO2_Air, CO2_Top, h):
2     if callable == True:
3         temp = dx(CO2_Air, CO2_Top)
4         K1_Air = h * temp[0]
5         K1_Top = h * temp[1]
6
7         temp = dx(CO2_Air + K1_Air / 2, CO2_Top + K1_Top / 2)
8         K2_Air = h * temp[0]
9         K2_Top = h * temp[1]
10
11        temp = dx(CO2_Air + K2_Air / 2, CO2_Top + K2_Top / 2)
12        K3_Air = h * temp[0]

```



```
13     K3_Top = h * temp[1]
14
15     temp = dx(CO2_Air + K3_Air, CO2_Top + K3_Top)
16     K4_Air = h * temp[0]
17     K4_Top = h * temp[1]
18
19     CO2_Air = CO2_Air + (K1_Air + 2 * K2_Air + 2 * K3_Air + K4_Air) * (1 / 6)
20     CO2_Top = CO2_Top + (K1_Top + 2 * K2_Top + 2 * K3_Top + K4_Top) * (1 / 6)
21     return CO2_Air, CO2_Top
```

• *With Euler algorithm.*

```
1 def euler(callable, CO2_Air, CO2_Top, h):
2     if callable == True:
3
4         temp = dx(CO2_Air, CO2_Top)
5
6         CO2_Air = CO2_Air + h * temp[0]
7         CO2_Top = CO2_Top + h * temp[1]
8     return CO2_Air, CO2_Top
```

### 3.3.2 4.b

Select specific values of CO2 Air and CO2 Top at time  $t$  from the data set as initial values to run the solvers and find the approximate values of CO2 Air and CO2 Top in the next 5 minutes, 10 minutes, 20 minutes, ... and calculate the difference of the result from the actual data. Comment on the accuracy of the model and present details in the report. With the following parameters in lesson 3 and the input parameters of the rk4 and euler functions:

- CO2\_Top and CO2\_Air : 673 (mgm - 3).
- $h : 10$  (s)
- callable: callable(dx)

**Runge-Kutta of order 4 algorithm**

```
1 t = 0
2 h = 10
3 end_time = 1200
4 CO2_Air = 673
5 CO2_Top = 673
6 while t < end_time:
7     res = rk4(callable(dx), h, CO2_Air, CO2_Top)
8     CO2_Air = res[0]
9     CO2_Top = res[1]
10    t += h
11    print(res[0])
```

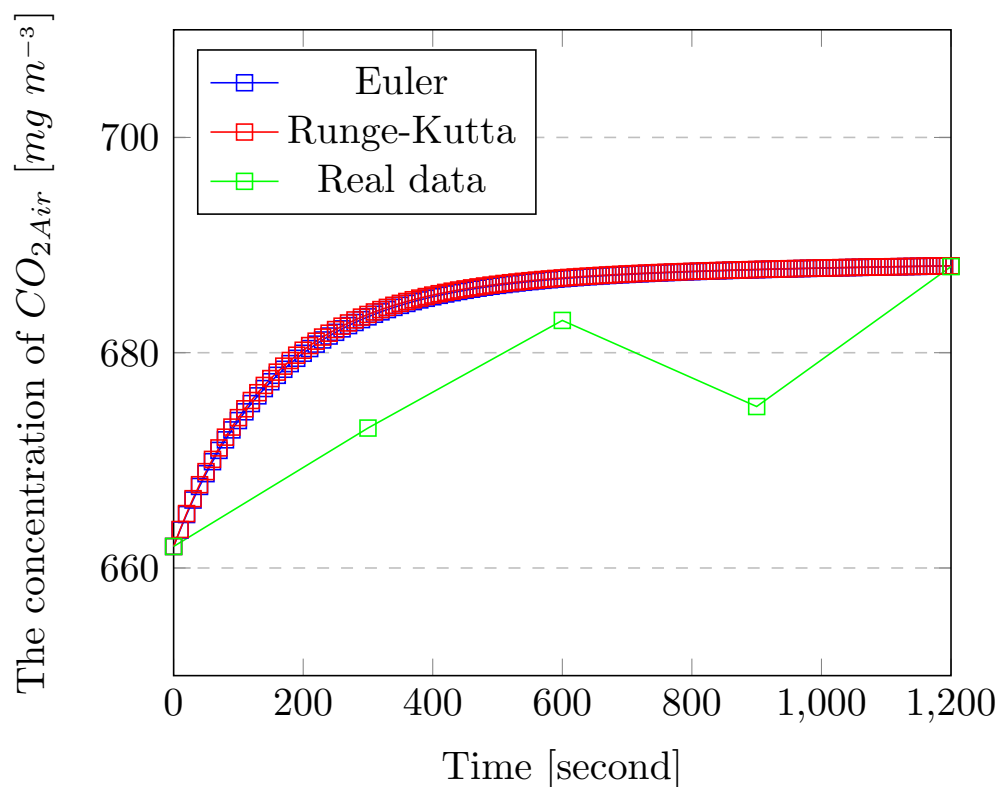
**Euler algorithm**

```
1 t = 0
2 h = 10
3 end_time = 1200
4 CO2_Air = 673
5 CO2_Top = 673
6 while t < end_time:
7     res = euler(callable(dx), h, CO2_Air, CO2_Top)
8     CO2_Air = res[0]
9     CO2_Top = res[1]
10    t += h
11    print(res[0])
```

Time (minute)	Runge-Kutta data	Euler data	Real data
0	662	662	662
5	683.33	683.55	673
10	686.88	686.94	683
15	687.71	687.73	675
20	688.07	688.07	688

The difference values of  $CO_{2Air}$  concentration between Euler and Runge-Kutta method after a period of 20 minutes with a step  $h = 10s$

The  $CO_{2Air}$  values after 20 minutes with steps  $h = 10s$



**Comment:**

- The values found are increasing toward the horizontal asymptote line. Because according to the problem, when the environmental-affected variables are set to constants, the formula show that the concentration  $CO_{2Air}$  is affected by the function  $(CO_{2Air} - CO_{2Out})$ , where the absolute values of this functions decrease over time, so the value of  $CO_{2Air}$  will gradually increase to a constant value, this time-dependent variable function is also called a continuous dynamic system (flow)
- In fact, variables values are always affected by the environment, there is no constant (e.g when the  $CO_2$  concentration changes, the air pressure as well as the temperature will change

according to the condition of the environment). This makes the values of  $CO2_{Air}$  always fluctuate irregularly known as discrete dynamic system (maps)

- Since step  $h$  is rather small (10s) compared to the execution time of the function, the outputs of the function  $rk4$  and the euler functions are not different too much.

### 3.4 Exercise 5:

#### 3.4.1 5.2a

Restate the model for the Vapour Pressure in greenhouses and write to the report.

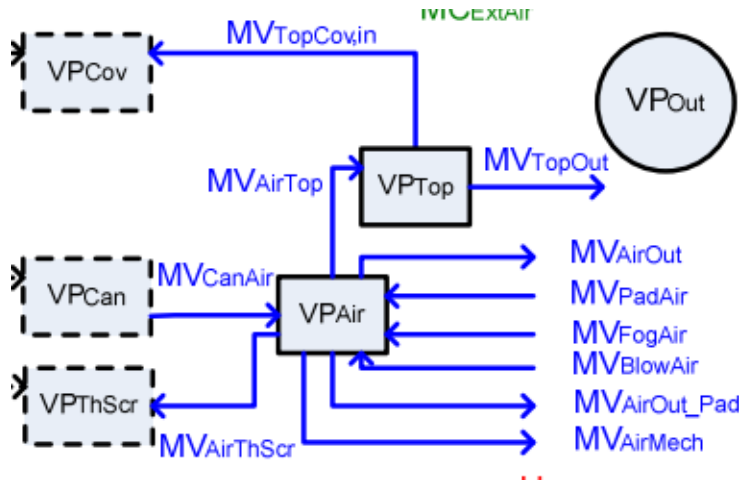


Figure 3: Visualization of Euler's method

**Vapour pressure of the greenhouse air and the air in the top compartment** The vapour pressure of the greenhouse air  $VP_{Air}$  is described by:

$$(1) : cap_{VP_{Air}} \dot{VP}_{Air} = MV_{CanAir} + MV_{PadAir} + MV_{FogAir} + MV_{BlowAir} - MV_{AirThScr} - MV_{AirTop} - MV_{AirOut} - MV_{AirOutPad} - MV_{AirMech} [kgm^{-2}s^{-1}]$$

where:

- $cap_{VP_{Air}}$  is the capacity of the air to store water vapour.
- Vapour is exchanged between the air and surrounding elements, i.e.
- $MV_{CanAir}$  the canopy.
- $MV_{PadAir}$  the outlet of the pad.
- $MV_{FogAir}$  the fogging system.
- $MV_{BlowAir}$  the direct air heater.
- $MV_{AirThScr}$  the thermal screen.
- $MV_{AirTop}$  the top compartment air.
- $MV_{AirOut}$  the outdoor air .
- $MV_{AirOutPad}$  the outdoor air due to the air exchange caused by the pad and fan system.
- $MV_{AirMech}$  the mechanical cooling system.

The vapour pressure of the air in the top compartment  $VP_{Top}$  is described by:

$$(2) : cap_{VP_{Top}} \dot{VP}_{Top} = MV_{AirTop} - MV_{TopCov,in} - MV_{TopOut} [kgm^{-2}s^{-1}]$$

where:

- $cap_{VP_{Top}}$  is the capacity of the top compartment to store water vapour.
- Vapour is exchanged between the air and surrounding elements, i.e.
- $MV_{TopCov,in}$  is the vapour exchange between the top compartment and the internal cover layer.
- $MV_{TopOut}$  is the vapour exchange between the top compartment and the outside air.

### Vapour Fluxes The vapour flux from location to object:

$$(3) : MV_{12} = \frac{1}{1+exp(S_{MV_{12}}(VP_1-VP_2))} 6.4 * 10^{-9} HEC_{12}(VP_1 - VP_2) [kgm^{-2}s^{-1}]$$

where:

- $MV_{12}$  is the vapour flux from location 1 to object 2.
- $S_{MV_{12}} = -0.1$  is the slope of the differentiable switch function for vapour pressure differences.
- $HEC_{12}$  is the heat exchange coefficient between the air of location 1 to object 2 .

$$(4) : HEC_{TopCov,in} = c_{HECin}(T_{Top} - T_{Cov,in})^{0.33} \text{ with } c_{HECin} = 1.86$$

$$(5) : HEC_{AirThScr} = 1.7U_{ThScr}|T_{air} - T_{ThScr}|^{0.33}$$

- $VP_1$  is the vapour pressure of the air of location 1 .
- $VP_2$  is the vapour pressure of the air of object 2 .

$MV_{AirThScr}$ ,  $MV_{TopCov,in}$  and  $MV_{AirMech}$  are described analogously to Equation (3)

### The vapour flux from location to location:

$$(6) : MV_{12} = \frac{M_{water}}{R} f_{12} \left( \frac{VP_1}{T_1 + 273.15} - \frac{VP_2}{T_2 + 273.15} \right) [kgm^{-2}s^{-1}]$$

where:

- $M_{water} = 18$  is the vapour flux from location 1 to object 2.
- $R = 8.314 * 10^3$  is the Molar gas constant.
- $f_{12}$  is the air flux from location 1 to location 2.
- $T_1$  is the temperature of the air of location 1 .
- $T_2$  is the temperature of the air of location 2 .

$MV_{AirTop}$ ,  $MV_{AirOut}$  and  $MV_{TopOut}$  are described analogously to Equation (6) whereby their accompanying air fluxes are  $f_{ThScr}$  (the flux through the thermal screen),  $f_{VentSide} + f_{VentForced}$  (the flux due to natural ventilation through the side windows or forced ventilation) and  $f_{VentRoof}$  (flux due to roof ventilation) respectively

- $f_{ThScr} = U_{ThScr} K_{ThScr} |T_{Air} - T_{Out}|^{0.66} + \frac{1-U_{ThScr}}{p_{air}^{mean}} (0.5p_{air}^{mean}(1-U_{ThScr})g|p_{Air} - p_{Out}|)^{0.5}$  with  $g = 9.81$  and  $K_{ThScr} = 0.05 * 10^{-3}$  and  $p_{Air} = \frac{353}{T_{Air}}$  and  $p_{Out} = \frac{353}{T_{Out}}$
- $f_{Ventside} = \eta_{InsScr} f_{Ventside}'' + 0.5f_{leakage}$  with  $\eta_{InsScr} = 1$  and  $f_{Ventside}''$  is  $f_{VentRoofSide}$  when  $A_{Roof} = 0$  and  $f_{leakage} = v_{wind} * 10^{-4}$  (We use this formula because  $\eta_{Roof} = 1.0 > \eta_{RoofThr} = 0.9$ )

$$f_{VentRoofSide} = \frac{C_d}{A_{Flr}}$$

$$\left[ \frac{U_{Roof}^2 U_{Side}^2 A_{Roof}^2 A_{Side}^2}{U_{Roof}^2 A_{Roof}^2 + U_{Side}^2 A_{Side}^2} \cdot \frac{2gh_{SideRoof}(T_{Air} - T_{Out})}{T_{Air}^{Mean}} + \left( \frac{U_{Roof} A_{Roof} + U_{Side} A_{Side}}{2} \right)^2 C_w v_{wind}^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} \text{ with}$$

$$C_d = 0.75, C_w = 0.09, A_{Flr} = 1.4 * 10^4, A_{roof} = 1.4 * 10^3, A_{side}, h_{sideroof} = 0.$$

- $f_{Ventroof} = \eta_{InsScr} f_{Ventroof}'' + 0.5 f_{leakage}$  with  $\eta_{InsScr} = 1$  and  $f_{leakage} = v_{wind} * 10^{-4}$  (We use this formula because  $\eta_{Roof} = 1.0 > \eta_{RoofThr} = 0.9$ )

$$f_{Ventroof}'' = \frac{C_d U_{Roof} A_{Roof}}{2 A_{Flr}} \left( \frac{gh_{Roof}(T_{Air} - T_{Out})}{2 T_{Air}^{Mean}} + C_w v_{wind}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \text{ with } C_d = 0.75, C_w = 0.09, \\ A_{Flr} = 1.3 * 10^4, A_{Roof} = 1.4 * 10^3, h_{Roof} = 1.6$$

- $f_{Ventforced} = 0$  because we can not find the values of related coefficients.

**Canopy transpiration The canopy transpiration is described by:**

$$(7) : MV_{CanAir} = VEC_{CanAir}(VP_{Can} - VP_{Air})$$

where:

- $VEC_{CanAir}$  is the vapour exchange coefficient between the canopy and air.
- $VP_{Can}$  is the saturated vapour pressure at canopy temperature.

$$VP_{Can} = 610.78 * \exp\left(\frac{T_{Can}}{T_{Can} + 238.3} * 17.2694\right) \text{ with } T_{Can} = T_{Air} + 1$$

- $VP_{Air} = RelativeHumidity * VP_{Can}$

**The vapour transfer coefficient of the canopy transpiration can be calculated by:**

$$(8) : VEC_{CanAir} = \frac{2 p_{Air} c_{p,Air} LAI}{\Delta h \gamma (r_b + r_s)}$$

where:

- $p_{Air} = \frac{353}{T_{Air}}$  is the density of the greenhouse
- $c_{p,Air} = 10^3$  is the specific heat capacity of the air.
- $\Delta h = 2.45 * 10^6$  is the latent heat of evaporation.
- $\gamma = 65.8$  is the psychrometric constant
- $r_b = 275$  is the boundary layer resistance of the canopy for vapour transport.
- $r_s = r_{s,min} = 82$  is the stomatal resistance of the canopy for vapour transport.
- $LAI = 2$  is the leaf area index.

**Direct air heater The vapour flux from the heat blower to the greenhouse air is proportional to the heat flux:**

$$(9) : MV_{BlowAir} = \frac{\eta_{HeatVap} U_{Blow} P_{Blow}}{A_{Flr}}$$

where:

- $\eta_{HeatVap}$  is the amount of vapour which is released when 1 Joule of sensible energy is produced by the direct air heater
- $U_{Blow} = 0$  **Pad and fan cooling The vapour flux from the pad and fan to the greenhouse air is described by:**

$$(10) : MV_{PadAir} = p_{Air} f_{Air} (\eta_{Pad} (x_{Pad} - x_{Out}) + x_{Out})$$

where:

- $x_{Pad} = x_{Out} = \eta_{Pad} = 0$
- $f_{Pad} = \frac{U_{Pad} \phi_{Pad}}{A_{Flr}}$  is the ventilation flux due to the pad and fan system.

**The sensible heat flux from the greenhouse air to the outside air  $H_{AirOutPad}$ , when using the pad and fan system is described by:**

$$(10) : MV_{AirOut\_Pad} = f_{Pad} \frac{M_{water}}{R} \left( \frac{VP_{Air}}{T_{Air} + 273.15} \right)$$

where:

- $f_{Pad} = \frac{U_{Pad} \phi_{Pad}}{A_{Flr}}$  with  $U_{Pad} = 0$

**Fogging The latent heat flux from the greenhouse air depends on the vapour flux from the fogging system to the greenhouse air which is described by:**

$$(11) : MV_{FogAir} = \frac{U_{Fog}\eta_{Fog}}{A_{Flr}}$$

where:

- $U_{fog}$  = 0 is the control valve of the fogging system
- $\eta_{Fog}$  is the capacity of the fogging system.

### 3.4.2 5.2b

Write programs that calculate the net vapor pressure from one place to an other place). Each formula is a function with input parameters being the coefficients and variables involved in each respective formula. Then write a program that returns the right side of the system of (1) and (2) divided by  $cap_{VP_{Air}}$  and  $cap_{VP_{Top}}$  respectively and named this function dx. Present carefully in the report.

The vapour flux from location to object:

```
1 def MV_location_to_object(HEC, VP_1, VP_2):
2     MV_1_2 = ((6.4 * 10**-9 * HEC*(VP_1-VP_2))/(1+math.exp(-0.1*(VP_1-VP_2))))
3     return MV_1_2
```

- To find  $HEC_{TopCov,in}$

```
1 def HEC_Top_Cov_in(T_Top, T_Cov_in):
2     return 1.86*(T_Top - T_Cov_in)**0.33
```

- To find  $HEC_{AirThScr}$

```
1 def HEC_Air_ThScr(T_Air, T_ThScr):
2     U_ThScr = 1
3     return 1.7*U_ThScr*abs(T_Air - T_ThScr)**0.33
```

The vapour flux from location to location:

```
1 def MV_location_to_location(f, T_1, T_2, VP_1, VP_2):
2     MV_1_2 = 18 * (1/(8.314*(10**3))) * f * (((VP_1)/(T_1+273.15)) - ((VP_2)/(
3     T_2+273.15))))
4     return MV_1_2
```

- To find  $f_{ThScr}$

```
1 def f_ThScr(U_ThScr, K_ThScr, T_Air, T_Out, p_mean_air, p_Air, p_Out, g):
2     return U_ThScr * K_ThScr * abs(T_Air-T_Out)**0.66 + (1-U_ThScr)*((0.5*
3     p_mean_air*(1-U_ThScr)*g*abs(p_Air-p_Out))**0.5)/p_mean_air
```

- To find  $f_{VentSide}$

```
1 def f_Vent_Side(n_Ins_Scr, f_prime_Vent_side, f_leakage):
2     return n_Ins_Scr*f_prime_Vent_side + 0.5*f_leakage
```

- To find  $f_{VentRoofSide}$

```
1 def f_prime_Vent_Roof_side(C_d, A_Flr, U_roof, U_side, A_roof, A_side, g,
2     h_roof_side, T_Air, T_Out, T_Mean_Air, C_w, v_wind):
3     return C_d*(((U_roof**2 * U_side**2 * A_roof**2 * A_side**2 * 2 * g *
4     h_roof_side * (T_Air - T_Out))/((U_roof**2 * A_roof**2 + U_side**2 + A_side**2)
5     *T_Mean_Air)
6     + (C_w*v_wind**2 * ((U_roof*A_roof+U_side*A_side)/2)**2))**0.5 / A_Flr
```

- To find  $f_{VentRoof}$

```
1 def f_Vent_Roof(n_Ins_Scr, f_prime_Vent_roof, f_leakage):
2     return n_Ins_Scr * f_prime_Vent_roof + 0.5 * f_leakage
```

- To find  $f_{leakage}$

```
1 def Cal_f_leakage(Windspeed): #c_leakage = 10^-4
2     if (Windspeed < 0.25): return 0.25*10**-4
3     else: return Windspeed*10**-4
```

#### Canopy transpiration:

```
1 def Cal_MV_Can_Air(VEC, VP_Can, VP_Air):
2     return VEC*(VP_Can-VP_Air)
```

#### • To find $VEC_{CanAir}$

```
1 def VEC_Can_Air(p_Air, c_p_Air, LAI, delta_h, gamma, r_b, r_s):
2     return (2 * p_Air * c_p_Air * LAI)/(delta_h*gamma*(r_s+r_b))
```

#### Direct air heater:

```
1 def Cal_MV_Blow_Air(n_Heat_Vap, H_Blow_Air):
2     return n_Heat_Vap*H_Blow_Air
```

#### • To find $H_{Blow}$

```
1 def Cal_MV_Blow_Air(n_Heat_Vap, H_Blow_Air):
2     return n_Heat_Vap*H_Blow_Air
```

#### Pad and fan cooling:

```
1 def Cal_MV_Pad_Air(p_Air, f_Pad, n_Pad, x_Pad, x_Out):
2     return p_Air*f_Pad*(n_Pad*(x_Pad-x_Out)+x_Out)
3
4 def Cal_MV_Air_Out_Pad(f_pad, M_Water, R, VP_Air, T_Air):
5     return f_pad*M_Water/R*(VP_Air/(T_Air+273.15))
```

#### • To find $f_{Pad}$

```
1 def f_Pad(U_Pad, phi_Pad, Air_Flr):
2     return U_Pad*phi_Pad/Air_Flr
```

#### Fogging

```
1 def Cal_MV_Fog_Air(U_Fog, phi_Fog, Air_Flr):
2     return U_Fog*phi_Fog/Air_Flr
```

#### Function dx to calculate $VP_{Air}$ and $VP_{Top}$

```
1 def dx(VP_Air, VP_saturated, T_Air, U_ThScr, U_Roof, temp, Windspeed):
2     p_Air = Calculate_density(VP_Air, VP_saturated, T_Air)
3     p_Other = Calculate_density(VP_Air, VP_saturated, T_Air+temp)
4     f_leakage = Cal_f_leakage(Windspeed)
5
6     MV_Blow_Air = Cal_MV_Blow_Air(4.43*10**-8, H_Blow(1, 0, 1.4 * 10**4))
7     #0
8     MV_Pad_Air = Cal_MV_Pad_Air(p_Air, f_Pad(0, 0, 1.4*10**4), 0, 0, 0)
9     #0
10    MV_Air_Out_Pad = Cal_MV_Air_Out_Pad(f_Pad(0, 0, 1.4*10**4), 18, 8.314*10**3,
11    VP_Air, T_Air)
12    #0
13    MV_Fog_Air = Cal_MV_Fog_Air(0, 0, 1.4*10**4)
14    #0
15    MV_Can_Air = Cal_MV_Can_Air(VEC_Can_Air(p_Air, 10**3, 2, 2.45*10**6, 65.8,
16    275, 82.0), VP_saturated, VP_Air)
17    MV_Air_Top = MV_location_to_location(f_ThScr(U_ThScr, 0.05* 10**-3, T_Air,
18    T_Air+temp, (p_Air+p_Other)/2, p_Air, p_Other, 9.81), T_Air, T_Air+temp,
19    VP_Air, VP_saturated)
20    MV_Air_Out = MV_location_to_location(f_Vent_Side(1, f_prime_Vent_Roof_side
21    (0.75, 1.4*10**4, U_Roof, 0, 0.1*1.4*10**4, 0, 9.81, 0, T_Air, T_Air+temp,
22    T_Air+temp/2, 0.09, Windspeed), f_leakage)+f_Vent_Forced(), T_Air, T_Air+temp,
23    VP_Air, VP_saturated)
```

```

13 MV_Top_Out = MV_location_to_location(f_Vent_Roof(1, f_prime_Vent_roof(0.75,
    U_Roof, 0.1*1.4*10**4, 1.4*10**4, 9.81, 0.68, T_Air, T_Air+temp, T_Air+temp/2,
    0.09, Windspeed), f_leakage), T_Air, T_Air+temp, VP_Air, VP_saturated)
14 MV_Air_ThScr = MV_location_to_object(HEC_Air_ThScr(T_Air, T_Air+temp), VP_Air,
    VP_saturated) #0
15 MV_Top_Cov_in = MV_location_to_object(HEC_Top_Cov_in(T_Air+temp, T_Air+temp),
    VP_Air, VP_saturated) #0
16 MV_Air_Mech = MV_location_to_object(HEC_Air_Mech(), VP_Air, VP_saturated) #0
17
18 cap_VP_Air = Cal_cap_VP(18, 4, 8.314*10**3, T_Air)
19 cap_VP_Top = Cal_cap_VP(18, 4.8, 8.314*10**3, T_Air+temp)
20
21 VP_Air = (MV_Can_Air + MV_Pad_Air + MV_Fog_Air + MV_Blow_Air - MV_Air_ThScr -
    MV_Air_Top - MV_Air_Out - MV_Air_Out_Pad - MV_Air_Mech) / cap_VP_Air
22 VP_Top = (MV_Air_Top - MV_Top_Cov_in - MV_Top_Out) / cap_VP_Top
23 return VP_Air, VP_Top

```

• To find  $cap_{VP_{Air}}$  and  $cap_{VP_{Top}}$

```

1 def Cal_cap_VP(M_Water, h, R, T):
2     return M_Water*h/(R*(T+273.15))

```

Some other functions: • To find  $VP$  and  $VP_{Saturated}$

```

1 def Cal_VP_Air(Relative_Humidity, P_ws):
2     return Relative_Humidity * P_ws
3 def Cal_VP_saturated(T_Air):
4     return 610.78 * math.exp(T_Air * 17.2694 / (T_Air + 238.3))

```

• To find Air Density

```

1 def pressure_at_height(h):
2     return 101325*(1-2.25577*(10**-5)*h)**5.25588
3
4 def Calculate_density(VP_Air, VP_saturated, T):
5     return ((pressure_at_height(0) - VP_saturated) / (287.058*(T + 273.15))) +
    (VP_Air/(461.495*(T+273.15)))

```

### 3.4.3 5.3

Check the program Assuming constant temperature difference and constant air density difference, study from [Van11] and related citations to find specific and reasonable values for each input parameter of the function  $dx$  including the difference in temperature and in air density except for the variables  $CO_2$  Air and  $CO_2$  T op. Noting that these values need to match the units considered in the report. Check if the programs work properly with the values found and specific  $CO_2$  Air and  $CO_2$  T op values. Present details in the report.

We choose region The Netherlands on Van11 and data on Cucumber/MicrosoftResearch and constant temperature difference equals 1.





Name	Value	Unit	Source/Reason
$T_{Can}$	$T_{Air} - 1$	K	Constant temperature difference
$T_{Top}$	$T_{Air} - 1$	K	Constant temperature difference
$T_{TopCov,in}$	$T_{Air} - 1$	K	Constant temperature difference
$T_{ThScr}$	$T_{Air} - 1$	K	Constant temperature difference
$T_{Out}$	$T_{Air} - 1$	K	Constant temperature difference
$U_{ThScr}$	0.95	-	Dataset
$C_{HECin}$	1.86	$Wm^{-2}K^{-1}$	Van11
$M_{Water}$	18	$kgkmol^{-1}$	Van11
$S_{MV_{12}}$	-0.1	$Pa^{-1}$	Van11
$R$	$8.314 \cdot 10^3$	$Jkmol^{-1}K^{-1}$	Van11
$K_{ThScr}$	$0.05 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$m^3m^{-2}K^{-0.66}s^{-1}$	Van11
g	9.81	$ms^{-2}$	Van11
$\rho_{Air}$	$\frac{353}{291.85}$	$kg \cdot m^{-3}$	$\rho_{Air} = \frac{353}{T_{Air}}$ with $T_{Air} = 291.85K$
$\rho_{Top}$	$\frac{353}{290.85}$	$kg \cdot m^{-3}$	$\rho_{Air} = \frac{353}{T_{top}}$ with $T_{Air} = 290.85K$
$\rho_{air}^{mean}$	1.21	$kg \cdot m^{-3}$	$\rho_{air}^{mean} = \frac{\rho_{Air} + \rho_{Top}}{2}$
$\eta_{Side}$	1	-	Random
$\eta_{Side\_Thr}$	0.9	-	$\eta_{Roof\_Thr}$ in Van11
$\zeta_{InsScr}$	1	-	Van11
$U_{Roof}$	0	-	$\rho_{Air} = \frac{ventlee+ventside}{2}$ with ventlee = ventside = 0
$U_{Side}$	0	-	Random
$A_{Roof}$	$0.13 \cdot 10^4$	$m^2$	Van11: $\frac{A_{Roof}}{A_{Flr}} = 0.1$
$A_{Side}$	0	$m^2$	Van11: $\frac{A_{Side}}{A_{Flr}} = 0$
$h_{SideRoof}$	x	m	Van11
$T_{Air}^{mean}$	291.35	K	$T_{Air}^{mean} = \frac{T_{Air} + T_{Out}}{2}$ with $T_{Air} = 291.85$ and $T_{Out} = 290.85$
$C_w$	0.09	-	Van11
$v_{wind}$	4.6	$ms^{-1}$	Van11
$U_{VentForced}$	0	-	No $\phi_{VentForced}$ in the dataset we choose
$\phi_{VentForced}$	x	$m^3s^{-1}$	Van11
$\eta_{Roof}$	1	-	Random
$\eta_{Roof\_Thr}$	0.9	-	Van11
$C_d$	0.75	-	Van11
$h_{Vent}$	0.68	m	Van11
$M_{CH_2O}$	30	g/mol	

Name	Value	Unit	Source/Reason
$T_{Can,K}$	292.85	K	$T_{Can,K} = T_{Air} + 1$
$T_{25,K}$	298.15	K	Van11
$S$	710	$Jmol^{-1}$	Van11
$H$	$22 \cdot 10^4$	$Jmol^{-1}$	Van11
$R$	8.314	$Jmol^{-1}$	Van11
$\rho_{Can}$	0.07	-	Van11
$K_1$	0.7	-	Van11
$LAI$	2	$m^2m^{-2}$	Van11

For the particular values of dataset, we choose the data on Cucumber/MicrosoftResearch

Name	Value
$T_{Air}$	18.8
$T_{Top}$	18.7
Rh (Relative Humidity)	82
$U_{ThScr}$	0.95
$U_{Roof}$	$e^{-8}$
WindSpeed	0
$VP_{Air}$	1770.61
$VP_{Top}$	1770.61
$VP_{Saturated}$	2158.28
$p_{Air}$	1.1964

The result is  $\dot{VP}_{Air} = 1.1369$  and  $\dot{VP}_{Top} = -0.0369$

### 3.4.4 5.4a

Study explicit Euler and Runge–Kutta of order 4 algorithms for solving first-order differential equations (see references [ESG93; EG96]). Write two programs performing the two algorithms and named them euler and rk4 respectively with inputs: a callable function as dx, the values at time t of the two variables CO2 Air and CO2 T op, the time step h. These solvers return the approximate values of CO2 Air and CO2 T op at time t+h. Present details in the report.

- *With Euler algorithm.*

```

1 def Euler(func, VP_Air, VP_Top, h):
2     time = updateTime()
3     VP_saturated = updateSaturated(time)
4     T_Air = updateTAir(time)
5     U_ThScr = updateUThScr(time)
6     U_Roof = updateURoof(time)
7     windSpeed = updateVWind(time)
8
9     k = func(VP_Air, VP_saturated, T_Air, U_ThScr, U_Roof)
10
11     VP_Air += CO2_Air + k[0]*h
12     VP_Top += CO2_Top + k[1]*h
13
14     return VP_Air, VP_Top

```

- *Runge-Kutta's algorithm*  $KR$

```

1 def rk(func, VP_Air, VP_Top, h):
2     time = updateTime()
3     VP_saturated = updateSaturated(time)
4     T_Air = updateTAir(time)
5     U_ThScr = updateUThScr(time)
6     U_Roof = updateURoof(time)
7     k = func(VP_Air, VP_saturated, T_Air, U_ThScr, U_Roof)
8
9     k1 = func(VP_Air, VP_saturated, T_Air, U_ThScr, U_Roof, temp, Windspeed)
10     k2 = func(VP_Air + h*k1[0]*0.5, VP_saturated, T_Air, U_ThScr, U_Roof, temp
11     , Windspeed)
12     k3 = func(VP_Air + h*k2[0]*0.5, VP_saturated, T_Air, U_ThScr, U_Roof, temp
13     , Windspeed)

```

```
12     k4 = func(VP_Air + h*k3[0], VP_saturated, T_Air, U_ThScr, U_Roof, temp,
13               Windspeed)
14     VP_Air += h * (k1[0] + 2*k2[0] + 2*k3[0] + k4[0]) * (1 / 6)
15     VP_Top += h * (k1[1] + 2*k2[1] + 2*k3[1] + k4[1]) * (1 / 6)
16
17     return VP_Air, VP_Top
```

### 3.4.5 5.4b

Select specific values of CO2 Air and CO2 Top at time t from the data set as initial values to run the solvers and find the approximate values of CO2 Air and CO2 Top in the next 5 minutes, 10 minutes, 20 minutes, ... and calculate the difference of the result from the actual data. Comment on the accuracy of the model and present details in the report.

Step 1: Calculate and save the data

```
1  t = 0
2  h = 0.1
3  temp = -0.1
4  end_time = 5
5
6
7  filename = "Data_after_sort.csv"
8  filename_result_VP_Air = "result_VP_Air_version_2.csv"
9  filename_result_VP_Top = "result_VP_Top_version_2.csv"
10
11 field = []
12 rows = []
13
14
15 rows_result_VP_Air = []
16 rows_result_VP_Top = []
17 field_result_VP_Air = ['Timestamp', 'Real_VP_Air', 'Euler_Vp_Air', '
18   Euler_Difference', 'Rk_VP_Air', 'Rk_Difference']
19 field_result_VP_Top = ['Timestamp', 'Euler_VP_Top', 'Rk_VP_Top']
20
21 #field_out = ['Timestamp', 'Temp', 'Rh', 'VentLee', 'VentWind', 'EnergyCurtain', '
22   OutsideTemp', 'OutsideRh', 'WindSpeed']
23 with open(filename, mode='r') as csv_file:
24     csv_reader = csv.DictReader(csv_file)
25     for row in csv_reader:
26         rows.append(row)
27         print("Total no. of rows: %d"%(csv_reader.line_num))
28 initial = Cal_VP_Air(float(rows[0]['Rh'])/100, Cal_VP_saturated(float(rows[0]['
29   Temp'])))
30
31 rows_result_VP_Air.append([rows[0]['Timestamp'], initial, 0, 0, 0, 0])
32 rows_result_VP_Top.append([rows[0]['Timestamp'], initial, initial])
33
34 for i in range(100):
35
36     if ( rows[i]['Temp'] != '' ) :
37         T_Air = float(rows[i]['Temp'])
38     else : T_Air = float(rows[i-1]['Temp'])
39
40     if ( rows[i]['Rh'] != '' ) :
41         RH = float(rows[i]['Rh'])/100
42     else: RH = float(rows[i-1]['Rh'])/100
```

```

41     if ( rows[i]['EnergyCurtain'] != '' ):
42         U_ThScr = float(rows[i]['EnergyCurtain'])/100
43     else: U_ThScr = float(rows[i-1]['EnergyCurtain'])/100
44     if ( rows[i]['VentLee'] != '' and rows[i]['VentWind'] != '' ) :
45         U_Roof = Cal_U_Roof(float(rows[i]['VentLee']), float(rows[i]['VentWind']))
46         if U_Roof == 0:
47             U_Roof = math.exp(-8)
48     else:
49         U_Roof = math.exp(-8)
50
51     Windspeed = float(rows[i]['WindSpeed'])
52
53     VP_saturated = Cal_VP_saturated(T_Air)
54     VP_Air_rk = Cal_VP_Air(RH, VP_saturated)
55     VP_Top_rk = VP_Air_rk
56     VP_Air_el = VP_Air_rk
57     VP_Top_el = VP_Top_rk
58
59     if ( i > 0 ):
60         rows_result_VP_Air.append([rows[i]['Timestamp'], VP_Air_rk, result_el[0],
61             result_el[0] - VP_Air_rk, result_rk[0], result_rk[0] - VP_Air_rk])
62         rows_result_VP_Top.append([rows[i]['Timestamp'], result_el[1], result_rk
63             [1]])
64
65     while t < end_time:
66         result_rk = rk4(dx, VP_Air_rk, VP_Top_rk, h, VP_saturated, T_Air, U_ThScr,
67             U_Roof, temp, Windspeed)
68         result_el = euler(dx, VP_Air_el, VP_Top_el, h, VP_saturated, T_Air,
69             U_ThScr, U_Roof, temp, Windspeed)
70         t = round(t + h, 1)
71         VP_Air_rk = result_rk[0]
72         VP_Top_rk = result_rk[1]
73         VP_Air_el = result_el[0]
74         VP_Top_el = result_el[1]
75
76     t = 0
77
78     with open(filename_result_VP_Air, 'w', newline='') as csvfile:
79         # creating a csv writer object
80         csvwriter = csv.writer(csvfile)
81         # writing the fields
82         csvwriter.writerow(field_result_VP_Air)
83         csvwriter.writerows(rows_result_VP_Air)
84
85     with open(filename_result_VP_Top, 'w', newline='') as csvfile:
86         # creating a csv writer object
87         csvwriter = csv.writer(csvfile)
88         # writing the fields
89         csvwriter.writerow(field_result_VP_Top)
90         csvwriter.writerows(rows_result_VP_Top)

```

### Illustrating Data in Graphs:

The following table shows the data of  $VP_{Air}$  from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 90(\text{min})$  with step  $h = 0.1$  (min)

Time (minute)	Real data	Euler data	Runge-Kutta data
0	1770.613	0	0
5	1777.321	1776.255	1776.254
10	1772.976	1783.068	1783.067
15	1770.803	1778.799	1778.797

20	1768.631	1776.657	1776.656
25	1759.817	1774.516	1774.515
30	1775.291	1765.635	1765.634
35	1753.339	1781.276	1781.275
40	1768.631	1776.657	1776.656
45	1751.18	1759.246	1759.245
50	1742.453	1757.105	1757.104
55	1753.339	1748.308	1748.308
60	1751.18	1759.231	1759.230
65	1744.702	1757.118	1757.117
70	1742.543	1750.729	1750.728
75	1744.702	1748.591	1748.590
80	1746.861	1750.719	1750.718
85	1736.065	1752.847	1752.845
90	1736.065	1742.207	1742.206

As you can see, the values of Euler's method and Rybge-Kutta's method are almost the same. Therefore, the graph can not demonstrate the different between data of two methods. For more details, the following link contains all the data during the duration from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 500$  (min)

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1EHZswAuSg9qqUgGkQ6D8HeXFyRNbhF8q?usp=sharing>

The following graph shows the data of  $VP_{Air}$  from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 500$ (min) with step  $h = 0.1$  (min)

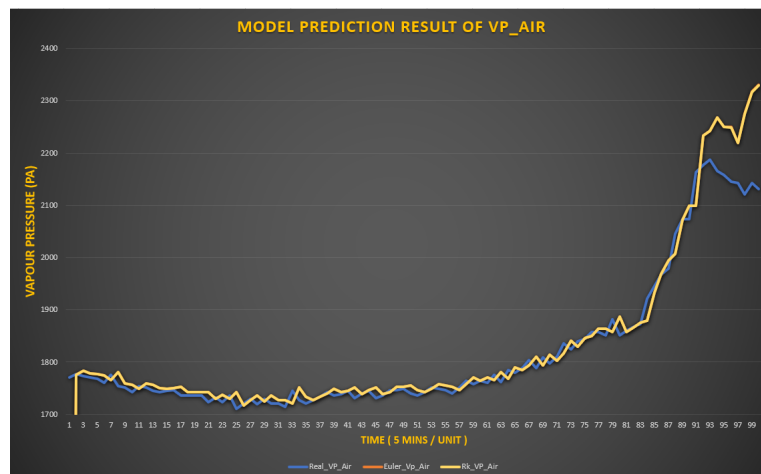


Figure 4: The data of  $VP_{Air}$

The following table shows the data of  $VP_{Air}$  from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 90$ (min) with step  $h = 0.1$  (min)

Time (minute)	Euler data	Runge-Kutta data
0	0	0

5	1770.613	1770.613
10	1770.430	1770.430
15	1777.140	1777.140
20	1772.804	1772.804
25	1770.630	1770.631
30	1768.457	1768.457
35	1759.645	1759.645
40	1775.114	1775.114
45	1753.160	1753.160
50	1751.000	1751.000
55	1744.514	1744.514
60	1742.346	1742.346
65	1744.506	1744.506
70	1746.667	1746.667
75	1735.865	1735.865
80	1735.865	1735.865
85	1735.865	1735.865
90	1735.865	1735.865

As you can see, the values of Euler's method and Rybge-Kutta's method are almost the same. Therefore, the graph can not demonstrate the different between data of two methods. For more details, the following link contains all the data during the duration from  $t = 0$  to  $t = 500$  (min)

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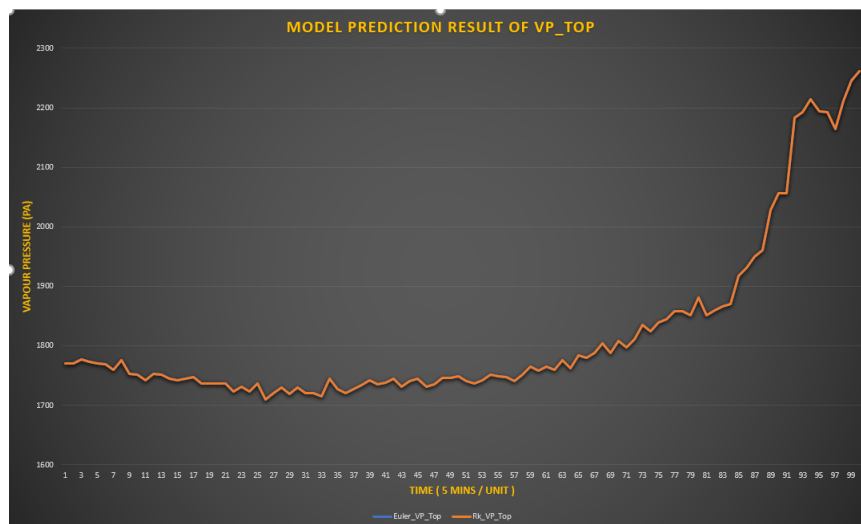


Figure 5: The data of  $VP_{Top}$

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