

Differential equations are fundamental to hybrid systems

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d}{dt}x(t) = f(t, x(t)) \\ x(t_0) = x_0 \end{cases}$$

- Differential equations model the physical world
- Initial value problem
- Analysis of differential equations
 - Mathematics: ODE theory (existence, uniqueness), numerical methods
 - Theorem provers: KeYmaera X

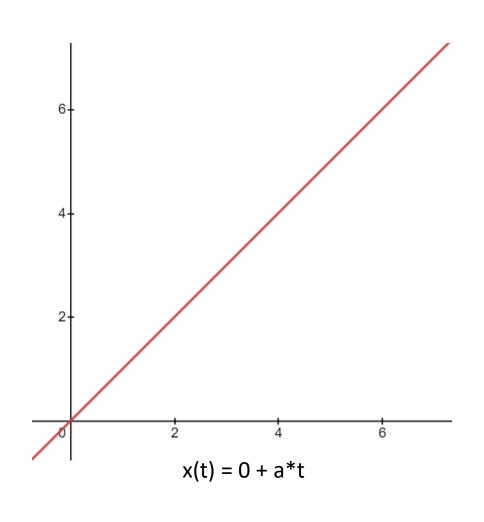
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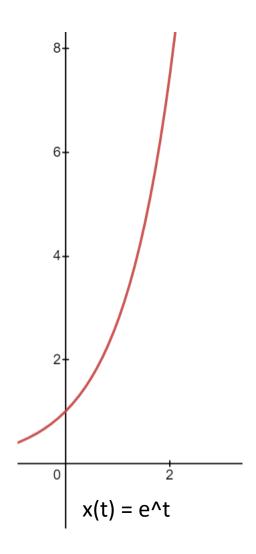
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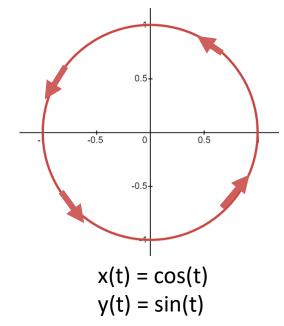
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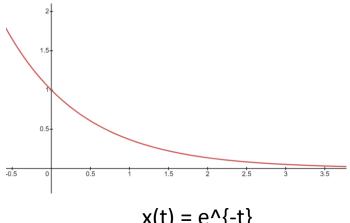
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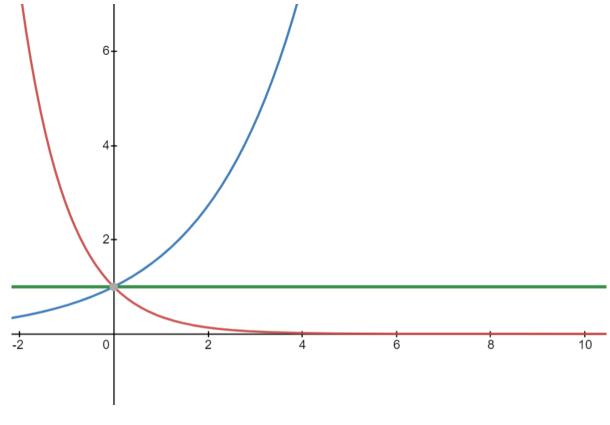
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$$x(t) = e^{-t}$$
 $y(t) = e^{t/2}$ $x(t)*y(t)^2 = 1$

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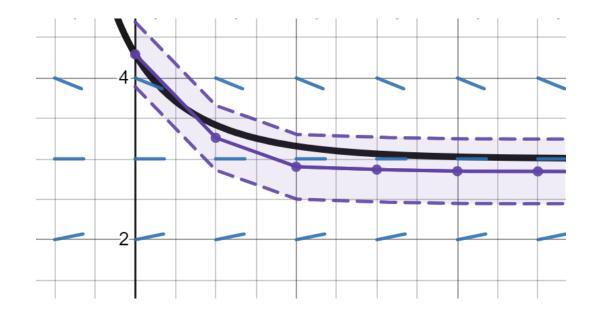
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Numerical methods can offer approximate solutions which are almost like actual solutions

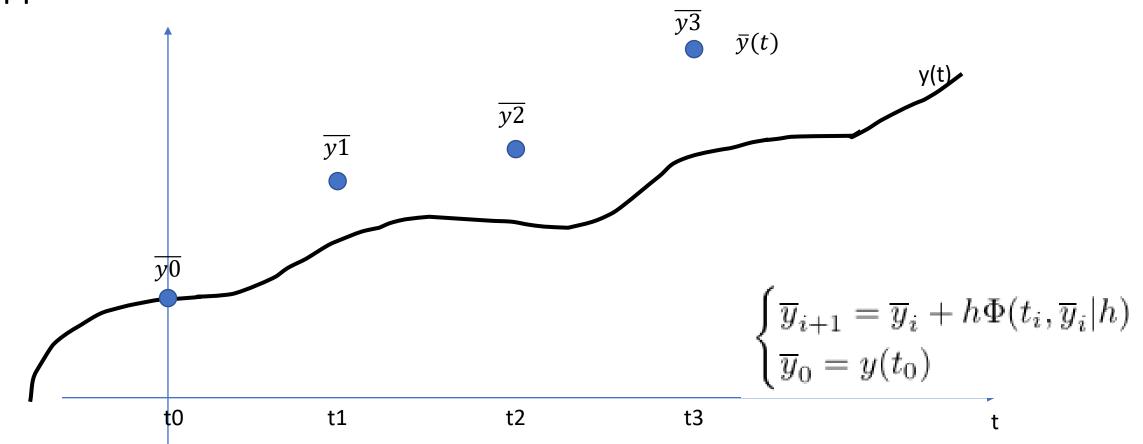
- Require timestep specification
- Symbolic initial value problem
- How to transform post conditions to account for error



$$\begin{cases} \overline{y}_{i+1} = \overline{y}_i + h\Phi(t_i, \overline{y}_i|h) \\ \overline{y}_0 = y(t_0) \end{cases}$$

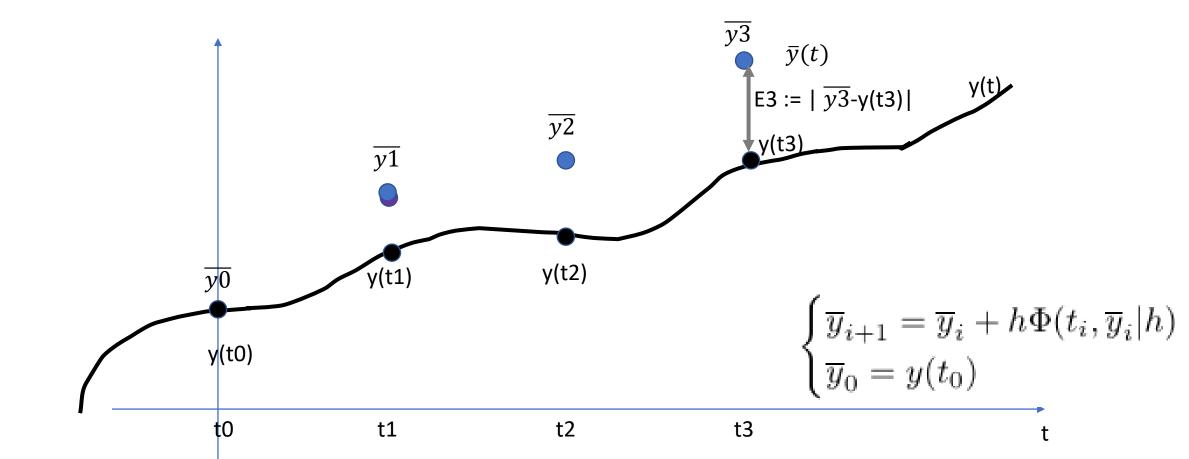
Theory: constructing approximations

• Given timestep h, numerical methods can yield discrete approximations



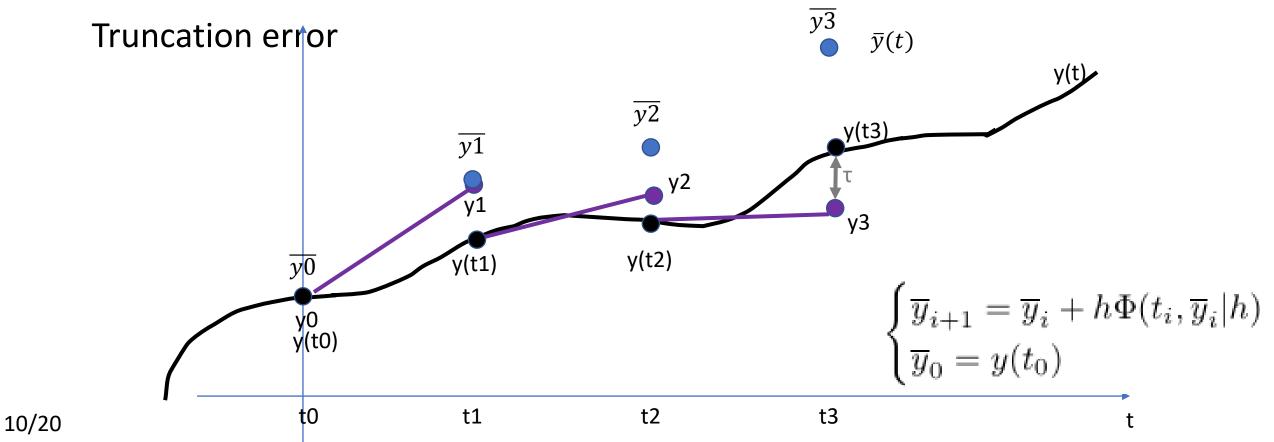
Theory: global error of discrete approximation

Define error Ei := $|\overline{yi} - y(ti)|$, want to find global bound on error



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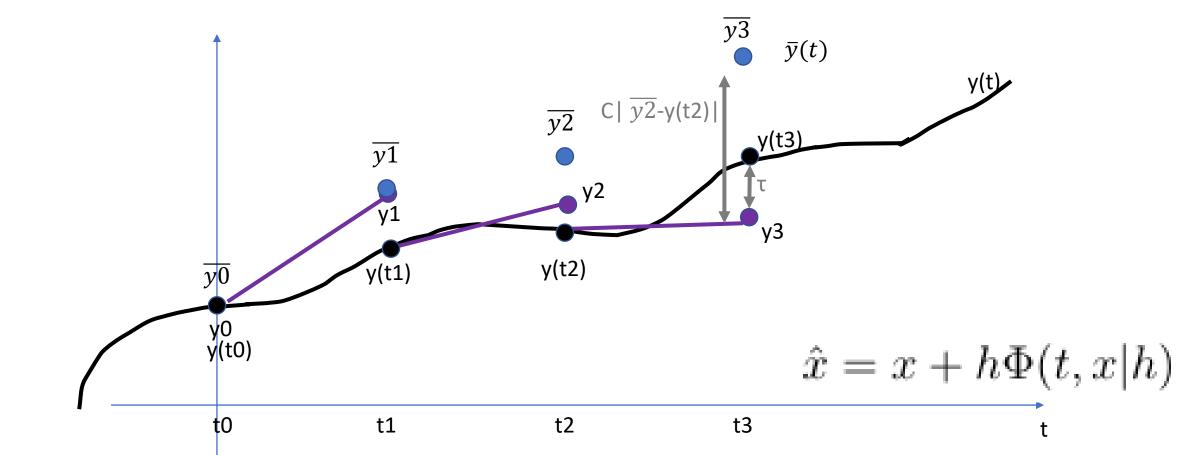
Introduce new sequence $\{y(i+1) = y(t_i) + h\Phi(t_i, y(t_i)|h)\}$ (one step) approximations



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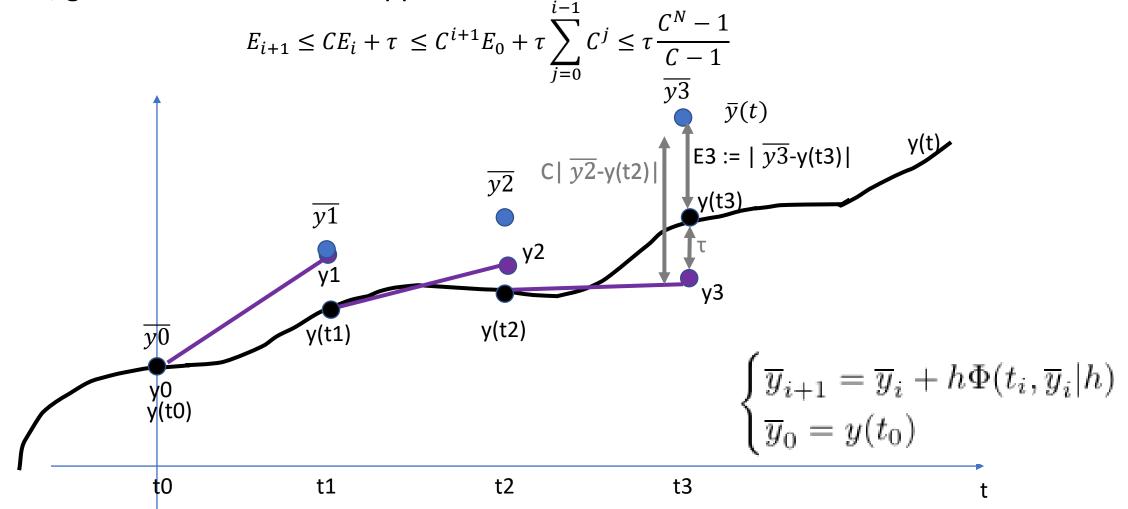
If ϕ sufficiently nice, exists constant C such that $|\hat{y} - \hat{z}| \leq |y - z|C$

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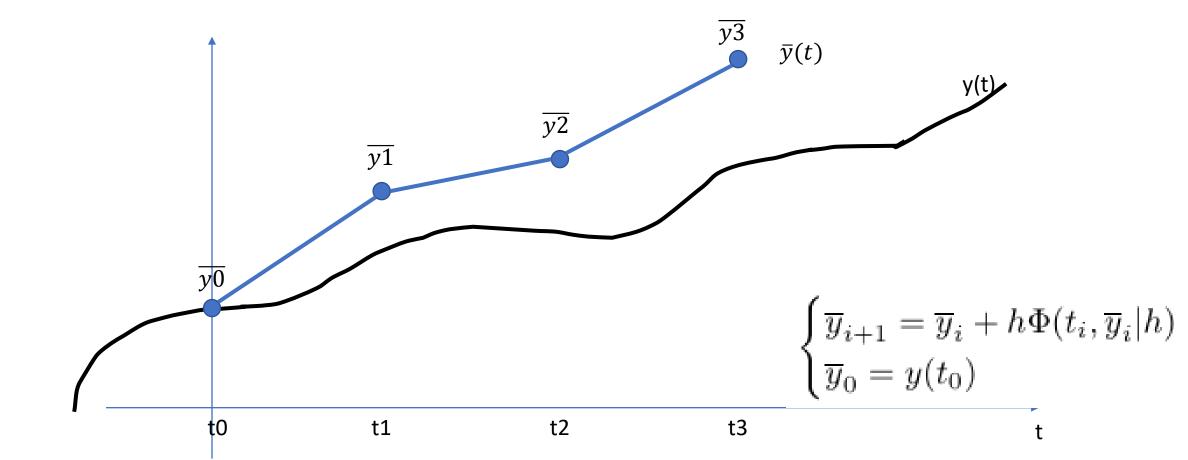
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If N=T/h, global error of discrete approximation



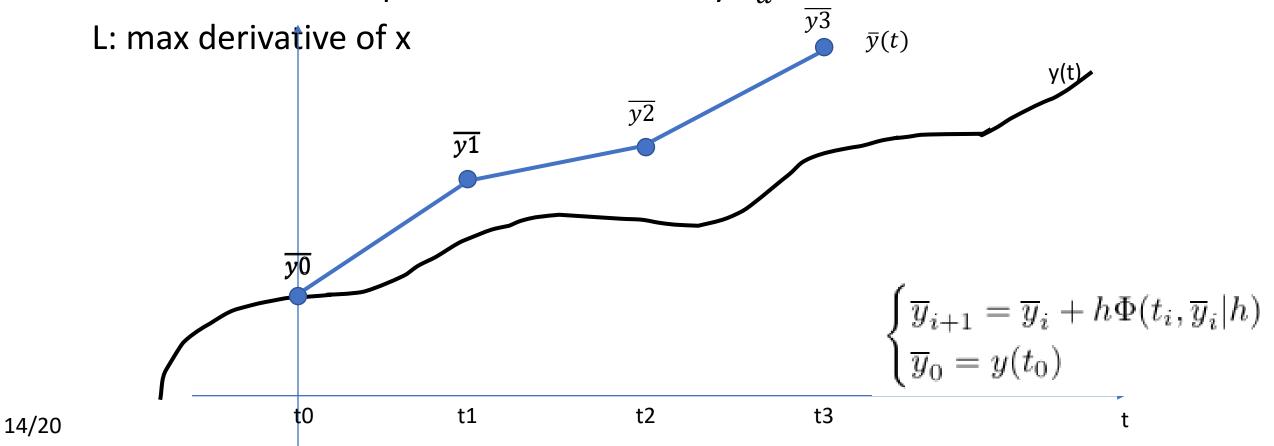
Theory: constructing approximations

Use linear interpolation to convert to continuous approximations



Theory: global error of continuous approximation

If ϵ_a is discrete approximation error, then continuous approximation error of linear interpolation is bounded by ϵ_a +hL



Theory: global error

Putting it together If desired error bound is ϵ , Solve for h

$$\epsilon = \tau \frac{C^N - 1}{C - 1} + hL$$

global error of continuous approximation ϵ_a +hL

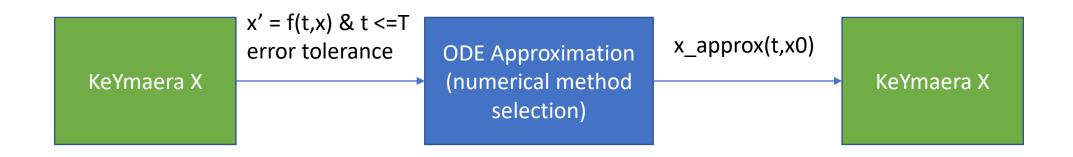
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$$\epsilon_a \le \tau \frac{C^N - 1}{C - 1}$$

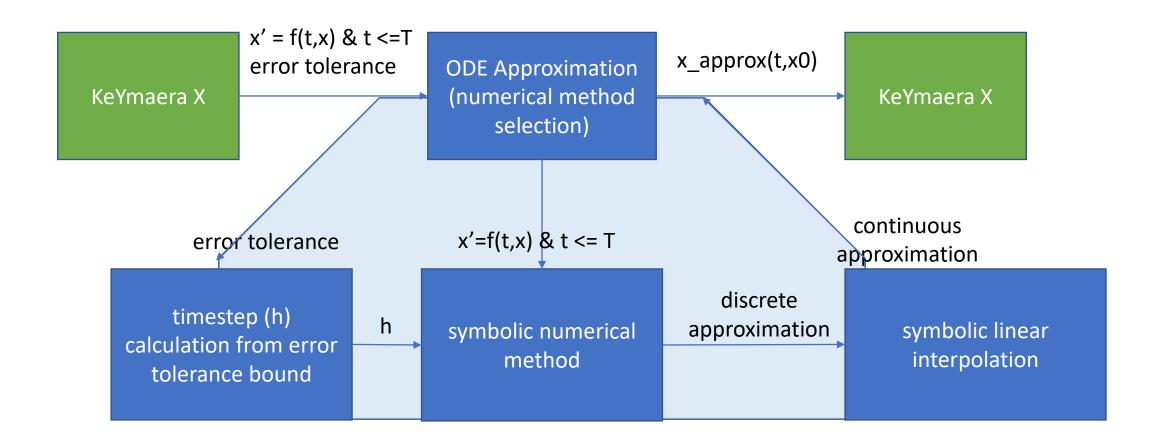
Theory: Proof Rule

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\exists e > 0 \setminus (0 \le t \le T \& |x-x_approx(x0,t,eps)| < e -> P(x))
                                                                         [dApprox]
[t:=0; x0 := x; \{t'=1, x'=f(t,x) \& t <= T\}] P(x)
                                                        \bar{y}(t)
                                                                    y(t)
                                t1
                                           t2
                                                     t3
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Discussion and Further Work

- Comparison of existing KeYmaera X tools for analyzing ODEs
- Theory of how to convert desired error tolerance into continuous approximation
- Implementation
- Convert python function into KeYmaera X function
- Handle non-initial value symbols in function x'=f(t,x)
- Extend to other numerical methods

