

7. Initial Values Problem

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{dx(t)}{dt} = f(t, x(t)) \\ x(a) \text{ is given} \end{array} \right. \quad \text{IVP}$$

Solving Differential Equations and Integration

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{dx}{dr} = f(r, x) \\ x(a) = S \end{array} \right.$$

$$\int_t^{t+h} dx = \int_t^{t+h} f(r, x(r)) dr$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t+h) = x(t) + \int_t^{t+h} f(r, x(r)) dr$$

$$\int_t^{t+h} f(r, x(r)) dr \approx h f(t, x(t))$$

$$\text{or } \approx \frac{h}{2} [f(t, x(t)) + f(t+h, x(t+h))]$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t+h) = x(t) + h f(t, x(t))$$

Euler's method.

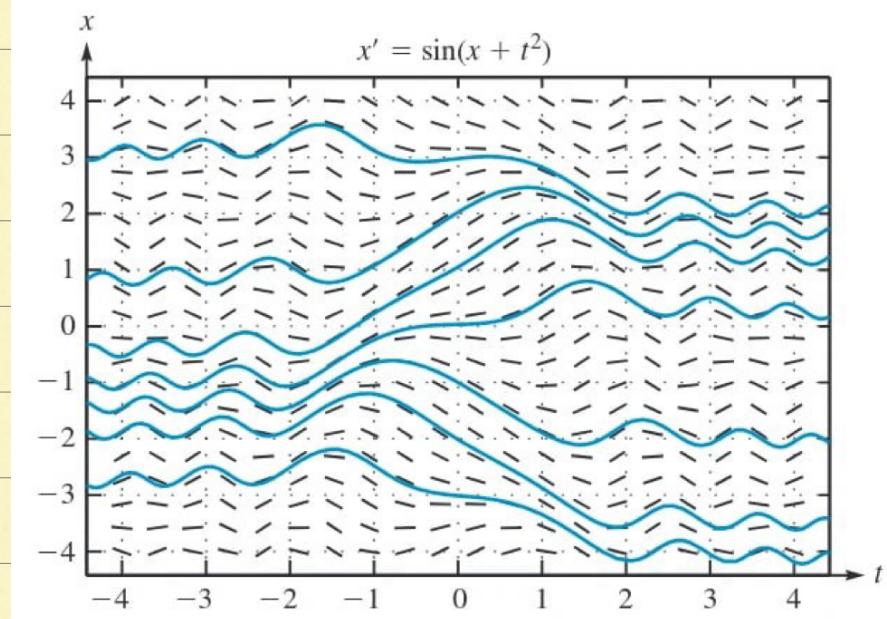
$$\Rightarrow x(t+h) = x(t) + \frac{h}{2} [f(t, x(t)) + f(t+h, x(t+h))]$$

implicit  method

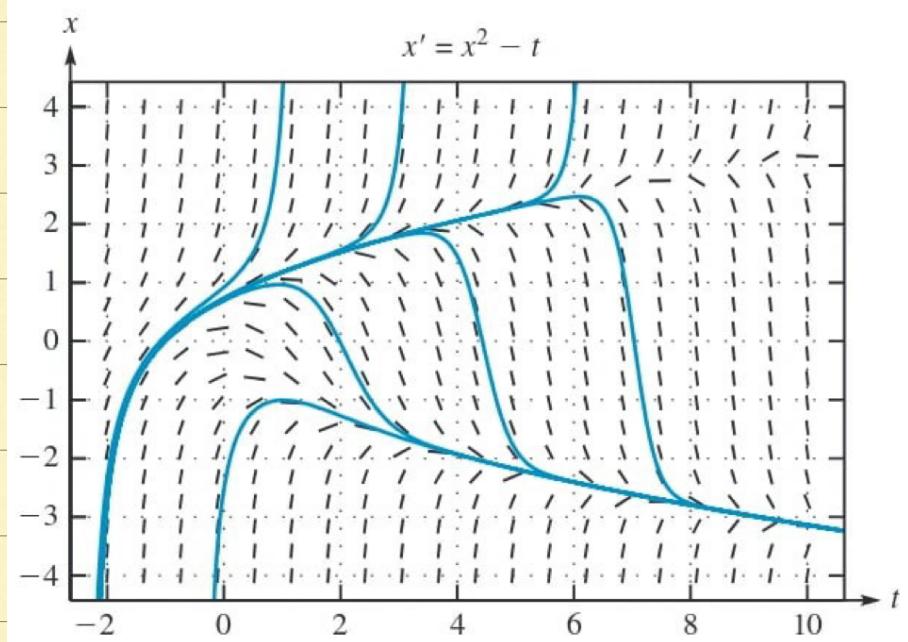
Vector fields

$$x' = \sin(x + t^2)$$

$$x(t_0) = 0$$



$$x' = x^2 - t$$



* initial condition at $t = -2$:

exceedingly sensitive to the initial condition.

* How do we know that the differential equation $x'(t) = x^2 - t$, together with an initial value, $x(t_0) = x_0$, has a unique solution?

Uniqueness of Initial-Value Problems

If f and $\partial f / \partial y$ are continuous in the rectangle defined by $|t - t_0| < \alpha$ and $|x - x_0| < \beta$, then the initial-value problem $x' = f(t, x)$, $x(t_0) = x_0$ has a unique continuous solution in some interval $|t - t_0| < \epsilon$.

Taylor Series Methods

$$x(t+h) = x(t) + h x'(t) + \frac{1}{2!} h^2 x''(t) + \cdots + \frac{1}{m!} h^m x^{(m)}(t) + \cdots$$

Euler's Method

$$\begin{cases} x' = f(t, x(t)) \\ x(a) = x_a \end{cases}$$

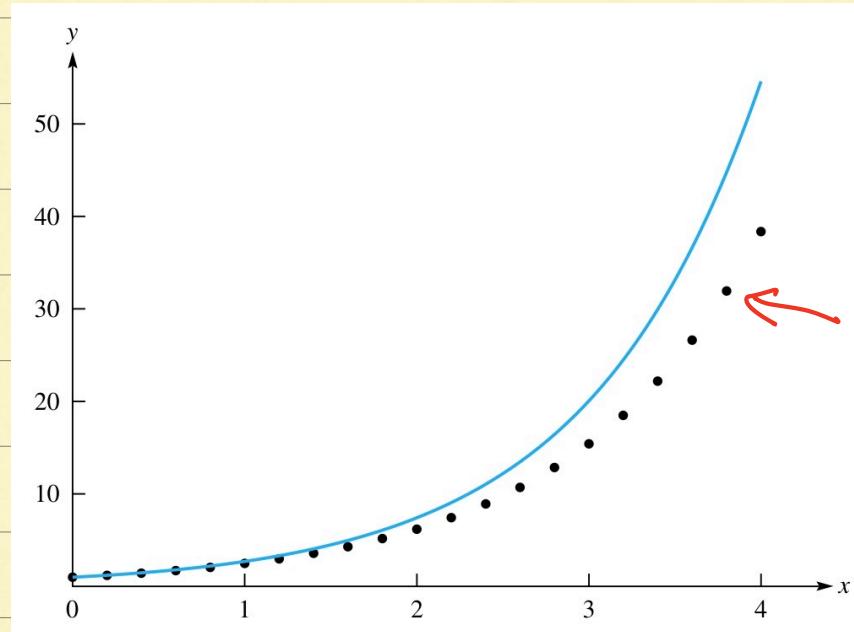
first order Taylor series method

$$x(t+h) \approx x(t) + h x'(t)$$

$$x'(t) \approx \frac{x(t+h) - x(t)}{h}$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t+h) = x(t) + h f(t, x(t))$$

$$\begin{cases} x'(t) = x \\ x(0) = 1 \end{cases}$$



Taylor series Method of higher order

$$\begin{cases} x'(t) = 1 + x(t)^2 + t^3 \\ x(1) = -4 \end{cases}$$

$$x' = 1 + x^2 + t^3$$

$$x'' = 2x x' + 3t^2$$

$$x''' = 2x x'' + 2x' x' + 6t$$

$$x^{(4)} = 2x x''' + 6x' x'' + 6$$

$$x(t+h) = x(t) + h x'(t) + \frac{1}{2!} h^2 x''(t) + \frac{1}{3!} h^3 x'''(t) + \frac{1}{4!} h^4 x^{(4)}(t)$$

Euler method

$$x(2) \approx 4.2358541$$

error $O(h^2)$

exact $x(2) \approx 4.371221866$

Taylor Series Method (order 4)

$$x(2) \approx 4.3712096$$

$O(h^5)$

{ local truncation error
roundoff error

7.2. Runge - kutta Methods

$$x' = f(t, x) , \quad x(a) = x_a$$

$$x_{k+1} = x_k + \beta_1 f_1 + \beta_2 f_2 + \beta_3 f_3 + \beta_4 f_4$$

$$f_1 = h f(t_k, x_k)$$

$$f_2 = h f(t_k + \alpha_2 h, x_k + \alpha_2 f_1)$$

$$f_3 = h f(t_k + \alpha_3 h, x_k + \alpha_3 f_2)$$

$$f_4 = h f(t_k + \alpha_4 h, x_k + \alpha_4 f_3)$$

order	α_2	α_3	α_4	β_1	β_2	β_3	β_4
1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
2	1	0	0	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	0	0
3	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{2}{3}$	0	$\frac{1}{4}$	0	$\frac{3}{4}$	0
4	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	1	$\frac{1}{6}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{3}$	$\frac{1}{6}$

Advantages of R-K : · one step method

- need no starting value.

Disadvantages : · hard to analyze the stability of the method.

- require more computing of f

Deriving RK2

$$\begin{cases} x' = f(t, x) \\ x(a) = x_a \end{cases}$$

$$f(t+h, x+k) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right)^n f(t, x)$$

$$= f + (hf_t + kf_x) + \frac{1}{2!} (h^2 f_{tt} + 2hk f_{tx} + k^2 f_{xx}) + \dots$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right)^0 f(t, x) = f \\ \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right)^1 f(t, x) = h \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} + k \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} \\ \left(h \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + k \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \right)^2 f(t, x) = h^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial t^2} + 2hk \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial t \partial x} + k^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\text{RK-2} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} K_1 = hf(t, x) \\ K_2 = hf(t + \alpha h, x + \beta K_1) \end{array} \right.$$

$$x(t+h) = x(t) + \omega_1 K_1 + \omega_2 K_2$$

$$= x(t) + \omega_1 hf(t, x) + \omega_2 h f(t + \alpha h, x + \beta hf(t, x))$$

$$f(t + \alpha h, x + \beta hf)$$

$$= f + \alpha h f_t + \beta h^2 f f_x + \frac{1}{2} (\alpha h \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \beta h f \frac{\partial}{\partial x})^2 f(\bar{t}, \bar{x})$$

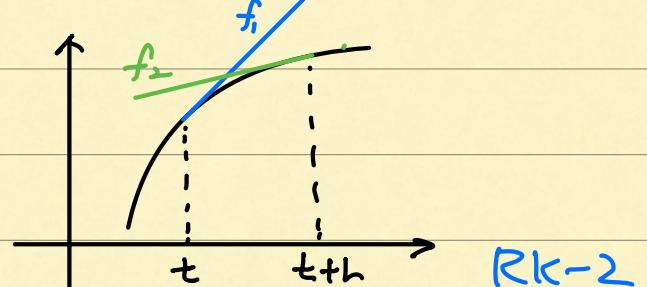
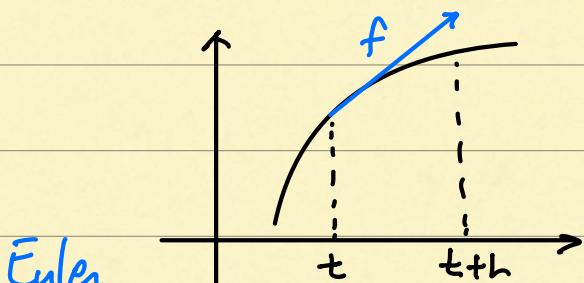
$$\therefore x(t+h) = x(t) + (\omega_1 + \omega_2) hf$$

$$+ \alpha \omega_2 h^2 f_t + \beta \omega_2 h^2 f f_x + O(h^3)$$

$$x(t+h) = x(t) + h \underbrace{x'(t)}_f + \frac{1}{2} h^2 \underbrace{x''(t)}_{f_t + f, f}$$

$$\omega_1 + \omega_2 = 1, \quad \alpha \omega_2 = \frac{1}{2}, \quad \beta \omega_2 = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \beta, \quad \omega_1 = 1 - \frac{1}{2}\alpha, \quad \omega_2 = \frac{1}{2}\alpha \Rightarrow \text{let } \alpha = 1, \beta = 1, \omega_1 = \omega_2 = \frac{1}{2}$$



7.3. Adaptive Runge-Kutta and Multistep Methods

Overview of Adaptive Process

- Given a step size h and an initial value $x(t)$, the RK45 routine computes the value $x(t + h)$ and an error estimate ε .
- If $\varepsilon_{\min} \leq \varepsilon \leq \varepsilon_{\max}$, then the step size h is not changed and the next step is taken by repeating step 1 with initial value $x(t + h)$.
- If $\varepsilon < \varepsilon_{\min}$, then h is replaced by $2h$, provided that $|2h| \leq h_{\max}$.
- If $\varepsilon > \varepsilon_{\max}$, then h is replaced by $h/2$, provided that $|h/2| \geq h_{\min}$.
- If $h_{\min} \leq |h| \leq h_{\max}$, then the step is repeated by returning to step 1 with $x(t)$ and the new h value.

Multi-Step method

$$\begin{cases} x' = f(t, x) \\ x(t_0) = x_0 \end{cases}$$

$$\int_{t_n}^{t_{n+1}} x'(t) dt = x(t_{n+1}) - x(t_n)$$

$$x(t_{n+1}) = x(t_n) + \int_{t_n}^{t_{n+1}} f(t, x(t)) dt$$

Adam-Basforth formula of order 5

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc} -4 & -3 & -2 & -1 & 0 & 1 \\ \hline 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ t_{n-4} & t_{n-3} & t_{n-2} & t_{n-1} & t_n & t_{n+1} \end{array}$$

$$\int_{t_n}^{t_{n+1}} f(t, x) dt \approx h [A f_n + B f_{n-1} + C f_{n-2} + D f_{n-3} + E f_{n-4}]$$

If the integrand is a polynomial of degree ≤ 4 , this will be exact.

$$\int_0^1 f(x) dx \approx \sum_{i=-n}^{\infty} A_i f(i) \Rightarrow \int_{t_0}^{t_0+L} f(x) dx \approx L \sum_{i=-n}^{\infty} A_i f(t_0 + ih)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^1 f(t_0 + sh) ds \approx \sum_{i=-n}^{\infty} A_i f(t_0 + ih)$$

$$P_0(t) = 1, \quad P_1(t) = t, \quad P_2(t) = t(t+1), \quad P_3(t) = t(t+1)(t+2)$$

$$P_4(t) = t(t+1)(t+2)(t+3)$$

$$\int_0^1 P_m(t) dt = A P_m(0) + B P_m(-1) + C P_m(-2) + D P_m(-3) + E P_m(-4)$$

$$\Rightarrow A + B + C + D + E = 1$$

$$-B - 2C - 3D - 4E = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$2C + 6D + 12E = \frac{5}{6}$$

$$-6D - 24E = \frac{9}{4}$$

$$24E = \frac{25}{30}$$

$$\Rightarrow A = \frac{190}{720}, \quad B = \frac{-2774}{720}, \quad C = \frac{2616}{720}, \quad D = \frac{-1274}{720}, \quad E = \frac{251}{720}$$

Adams - Moulton Formula

$$x_{n+1} = x_n + af_{n+1} + bf_n + cf_{n-1} + \dots$$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n + \frac{h}{720} [251f_{n+1} + 646f_n - 246f_{n-1} + 106f_{n-2} - 19f_{n-3}]$$

Predictor - Corrector method

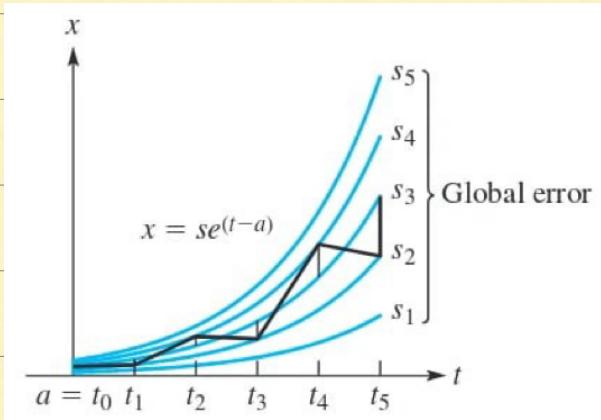
- 1) use the Adam - Bashford formula to predict a tentative value for x_{n+1} , say x_{n+1}^*
- 2) use the Adam - Moulton formula to compute a corrected value of x_{n+1} .

Stability analysis

$$\begin{cases} x' = f(t, x) \\ x(a) = s \end{cases}$$

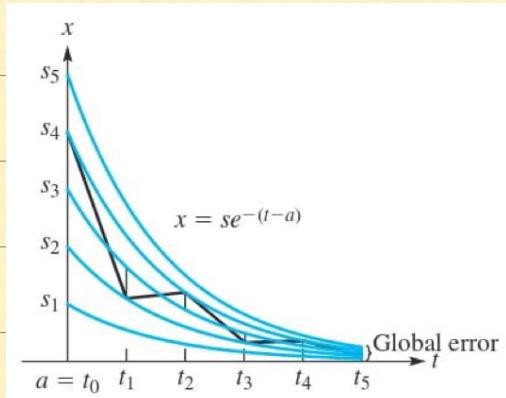
i) $\begin{cases} x' = x \\ x(a) = s \end{cases}$

$$\Rightarrow x = se^{(t-a)}$$



ii) $\begin{cases} x' = -x \\ x(a) = s \end{cases}$

$$\Rightarrow x = se^{-(t-a)}$$



If $f_x > f$ for some positive f , the curves diverge.

However, if $f_x < f$, they converge.

To see why, consider two nearby solution curves that correspond to initial value s and $s+h$.

$$x(t, s+h) = x(t, s) + h \frac{\partial}{\partial s} x(t, s) + \frac{1}{2} h^2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial s^2} x(t, s) + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t, s+h) - x(t, s) \approx h \frac{\partial}{\partial s} x(t, s)$$

The divergence means $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} |x(t, s+h) - x(t, s)| = \infty$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \left| \frac{\partial}{\partial s} x(t, s) \right| = \infty$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial t} x(t, s) = f(t, x(t, s))$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial s} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} x(t, s) = \frac{\partial}{\partial s} f(t, x(t, s)) = f_x \frac{\partial}{\partial s} x(t, s) + f_t \frac{\partial t}{\partial s} \stackrel{s \rightarrow 0}{\rightarrow} 0$$

$$\text{let } \frac{\partial}{\partial s} x(t, s) = u(t). \quad u' = g u \Rightarrow u(t) = C e^{Q(t)}$$

i.e. $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} |u(t)| = \infty$ if $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} Q(t) = \infty$

$$Q(t) = \int_a^t g(\theta) d\theta > \int_a^t f d\theta = f(t-a) \rightarrow \infty \text{ as } t \rightarrow \infty$$

if $f_x = g > f > 0$

Ex) $x' = t + \tan x$

$$f_x(t, x) = \sec^2 x > 1 \Rightarrow \text{solution diverges as } t \rightarrow \infty$$

7.4 Methods for First and High-Order system

• Coupled System

$$\begin{cases} x'(t) = x(t) - y(t) + 2t - t^2 - t^3 & , \quad x(0) = 1 \\ y'(t) = x(t) + y(t) - 4t^2 + t^3 & , \quad y(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

• Uncoupled System

$$\begin{cases} x'(t) = x(t) + 2t - t^2 - t^3 & , \quad x(0) = 1 \\ y'(t) = y(t) - 4t^2 + t^3 & , \quad y(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

• Systems of ODEs

$$\begin{cases} x_1' = f_1(t, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \\ x_2' = f_2(t, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \\ \dots \\ x_n' = f_n(t, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n) \end{cases}$$

$x_1(a) = s_1, \quad x_2(a) = s_2, \quad \dots \quad x_n(a) = s_n$

$$X = [x_1 \ x_2 \ \dots \ x_n]^T$$

$$F = [f_1 \ f_2 \ \dots \ f_n]^T \Rightarrow X' = F$$

$$S = [s_1 \ s_2 \ \dots \ s_n]^T$$

with $X(a) = S$

$$\underline{\text{R-K 4}} \quad X(t+h) = X + \frac{h}{6} (K_1 + 2K_2 + 2K_3 + K_4)$$

where $\begin{cases} K_1 = F(t, X) \\ K_2 = F(t + \frac{1}{2}h, X + \frac{1}{2}h K_1) \\ K_3 = F(t + \frac{1}{2}h, X + \frac{1}{2}h K_2) \\ K_4 = F(t + h, X + h K_3) \end{cases}$

$$K_2 = F(t + \frac{1}{2}h, X + \frac{1}{2}h K_1)$$

$$K_3 = F(t + \frac{1}{2}h, X + \frac{1}{2}h K_2)$$

$$K_4 = F(t + h, X + h K_3)$$

Autonomous ODE

$$x' = F(t, x), \quad x(a) = S \quad : n \text{ eqns}$$

introduce new variable $x_0 = t$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} x' = F(x) \\ x(a) = S \end{cases} : n+1 \text{ eqn}$$

ex) $\begin{cases} x'(t) = x(t) - y(t) + 2t - t^2 - t^3 \\ y'(t) = x(t) + y(t) - 4t^2 + t^3 \end{cases}, \quad x(0) = 1, \quad y(0) = 0$

$$x_0 = t, \quad x_1 = x, \quad x_2 = y$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_0' \\ x_1' \\ x_2' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ x_1 - x_2 + 2x_0 - x_0^2 - x_0^3 \\ x_1 + x_2 - 4x_0^2 + x_0^3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X(0) = [0 \quad 1 \quad 0]^T$$

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High-Order DE

$$\begin{cases} x^{(n)} = f(t, x, x', x'', \dots, x^{(n-1)}) \\ x(a), x'(a), x''(a), \dots, x^{(n-1)}(a) \text{ are given} \end{cases}$$

$$x_1 = x, \quad x_2 = x', \quad x_3 = x'', \quad \dots, \quad x_n = x^{(n-1)}$$

$$x_1' = x' = x_2$$

$$x_2' = x'' = x_3$$

:

$$x_{n-1}' = x^{(n-1)} = x_n$$

$$x_n' = x^{(n)} = f(t, x, \dots, x^{(n-1)})$$

$$X = [x_1 \quad x_2 \quad \dots \quad x_m]^T$$

$$F = [x_2 \quad x_3 \quad \dots \quad x_m \quad f]^T$$

$$\therefore \begin{cases} x = F(t, x) \\ x(a) = S \end{cases} \text{ given}$$

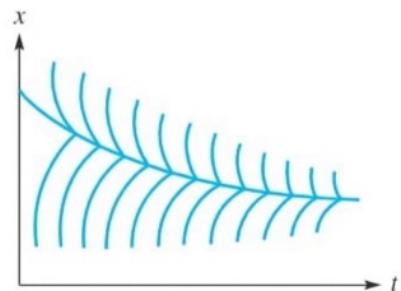
Ex) $\begin{cases} x''' = \cos x + \sin x' - e^x + t^2 \\ x(0) = 3, \quad x'(0) = 7, \quad x''(0) = 13 \end{cases}$

old	new	IV	DE
x	x_1	3	$x_1' = x_2$
x'	x_2	7	$x_2' = x_3$
x''	x_3	13	$x_3' = \cos x_1 + \sin x_2 - e^{x_3} + t^2$

- Adaptive Scheme

- Stiff ODE

FIGURE 7.7
Solution curves for a stiff ODE



$$\begin{cases} x' = -20x - 19y, & x(0) = 2 \\ y' = -19x - 20y, & y(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} x(t) = e^{-39t} + e^{-t} \\ y(t) = e^{-39t} - e^{-t} \end{cases}$$

Explicit Euler Method

$$\begin{cases} x_{n+1} = x_n + h(-20x_n - 19y_n), & x_0 = 2 \\ y_{n+1} = y_n + h(-19x_n - 20y_n), & y_0 = 0 \end{cases}$$
$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} x_n = (1 - 39h)^n + (1-h)^n \\ y_n = (1 - 39h)^n - (1-h)^n \end{cases}$$

numerical solution converges to 0
if $h < 2/39$

Implicit Euler Method

$$\begin{cases} x_{n+1} = x_n + h(-20x_{n+1} - 19y_{n+1}) \\ y_{n+1} = y_n + h(-19x_{n+1} - 20y_{n+1}) \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow X_{n+1} = X_n + A X_{n+1}$$

$$(I - A) X_{n+1} = X_n$$

$$X_{n+1} = (I - A)^{-1} X_n$$

$$\Rightarrow X_n = (I - A)^{-n} X_0$$