
Assignment 9 - Linear Shooting

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Theory

1 Initial Value Problem

The general solution of any differential equation gives information about the structure of the complete solution space for the problem. The problems in which we are given the value of function $y(x)$ and its derivative $y'(x)$ at the same point say at $x=0$ i.e. $y(0)=x_1$ and $y'(0)=x_2$. Such problems are traditionally called initial value problems (IVP's) because the system is assumed to start evolving from the fixed initial point.

2 Boundary Value Problem

The problems in which we are given the value of function on more than one points say at $x=0$, $x=1$ i.e. $y(0) = 1$ and $y(1) = 5$. These problems are known as boundary value problems (BVP's) because the points 0 and 1 are regarded as boundary points (or edges) of the domain of interest in the application.

2.1 Difference between Boundary value and Initial value

An initial value problem is how to aim my gun. A boundary value problem is how to aim my gun so that the bullet hits the target.

In short the difference is given in the table below:

IVP	BVP
The value of the function and its derivative is given at the same point	The value of the function is given at more than one points
This usually apply for dynamic system that is changing over time	This is very useful for a system that has space boundary

3 Two- Point Boundary Value Problem

Here we will discuss about the Two- Point Boundary Value problem these are the differential equations whose values are given at two points of the defined domain. There are three types of two point boundary conditions :

1. Dirichlet Boundary Condition
2. Neumann Boundary Condition
3. Robin Boundary Condition

We further illustrate these condition in coming sections.

3.0.1 General form of the second order boundary value problem (BVP)

The general form is given by:

$$y'' = f(x, y, y') \quad a \leq x \leq b$$

3.0.2 Types of boundary conditions

1. **Dirichlet Boundary Condition:-** If the value of the unknown function is specified at two points i.e $y(0) = 1$ and $y(1) = 5$, then it is Dirichlet boundary condition.
2. **Neumann Boundary Condition:-** If the value of the first derivative of the unknown function is specified at two points i.e $y'(0)=1$ and $y'(1)=3$, then it is Neumann boundary condition.
3. **Robin Boundary Condition:-** If the value of unknown function and the first derivative of the unknown function is specified at two points i.e $y(0) = 1$ and $y'(1)=3$, then it is Robin boundary condition. It is also known as mixed boundary condition.

3.0.3 Homogeneous and Non-homogeneous BVP

If we have a boundary value problem in form of :

$$y'' + p(x)y' + q(x)y = g(x)$$

Then we can say that the given boundary value problem is convergence if $g(x)=0$ along with $y_0 = 0$ and $y_1 = 0$ (regardless of the boundary conditions we use). If any of these are not zero we will call the BVP non-homogeneous.

4 Shooting Method

In numerical analysis, the shooting method is a method for solving a boundary value problem by reducing it to an initial value problem. It involves finding solutions to the initial value problem for different initial conditions until one finds the solution that also satisfies the boundary conditions of the boundary value problem.

5 Linear Shooting Method

since the given equation is :

$$y'' + p(x)y' + q(x)y + r(x) = 0$$

with robin boundary conditions:

$$\alpha_1 y(a) + \alpha_2 y'(a) = \alpha_3$$

$$\beta_1 y(b) + \beta_2 y'(b) = \beta_3$$

1. **case 1** if $\alpha_2 = \beta_2 = 0$ i.e $y(a) = \alpha$ and $y(b) = \beta$
It becomes Dirichlet Boundary condition
2. **case 2** if $\alpha_1 = \beta_1 = 0$
i.e $y'(a) = \alpha$ and $y'(b) = \beta$
It becomes Neumann Boundary condition.

For the computational grid, let N be a positive integer, and the partition the interval $[a, b]$ into

$$a = x_0 < x_1 < x_2 \dots < x_{n-1} < x_n = b$$

where $x_i = a + ih$ and $h = \frac{(b-a)}{N}$. Further, let ω_i denotes the approximation to the exact solution, $y(x)$, at $x = X_i$.

Evaluate the differential equations at each interior grid point $x = x_i (1 \leq i \leq N - 1)$, replace the

derivatives by second order central difference approximations and collecting the like terms. The resulting computational template is :

$$(-1 + \frac{h}{2}p_i)\omega_i + (2 + h^2q_i)w_i + (-1 + \frac{h}{2}p_i)\omega_{i+1} = -h^2r_i$$

Let's focus on the boundary condition at $x_0 = a$:

$$\alpha_1 y(a) + \alpha_2 y'(a) = \alpha_3$$

To maintain the second order accuracy of the other equations, we could replace the derivative in the boundary conditions by $O(h^2)$ forward difference approximation.

$$y'_1 \approx \frac{-3y_1 + 4y_2 - y_3}{2h}$$

6 Condition

suppose the Linear Boundary value problem :

$$y'' = p(x)y + q(x)y' + r(x)$$

with $y(a) = \alpha$ and $y(b) = \beta$.

if this satisfies:

1. $p(x)$, $q(x)$, $r(x)$ are continuous on $[a,b]$
2. $p(x) > 0$ on $[a,b]$

7 Initial Value Problem

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9 Linear Shooting Method

since the given equation is :

$$y'' + p(x)y' + q(x)y + r(x) = 0$$

with robin boundary conditions:

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_1 y(a) + \alpha_2 y'(a) &= \alpha_3 \\ \beta_1 y(b) + \beta_2 y'(b) &= \beta_3 \end{aligned}$$

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i.e $y'(a) = \alpha$ and $y'(b) = \beta$
It becomes Neumann Boundary condition.

Explain Linear shooting method to solve the BVP

$$y''(x) + p(x)y'(x) + q(x)y(x) + r(x) = 0 \quad ; \quad a < x < b$$

with the Robin boundary conditions

$$\alpha_1 y(a) + \alpha_2 y'(a) = \alpha_3$$

$$\beta_1 y(b) + \beta_2 y'(b) = \beta_3$$

using RK4 for solving the corresponding IVP. Discuss the Neumann and Dirichlet conditions as a special case of this.

Consider BVP with Dirichlet Boundary Condition:

$$y'' = f(x, y, y') \quad a \leq x \leq b$$

$$\text{with } y(a) = \alpha \text{ and } y(b) = \beta$$

If we wish to solve this by converting it into initial value problem, we need to know value of y' at $x = a$ so make an assumption for it.

Let $y'(a) = s$. so, the initial value problem involving a parameter S having the form,

$$y'' = f(x, y, y') \quad \text{for } a \leq x \leq b$$

with $y(a) = \alpha$ and $y'(a) = S$ (guess) This converts the problem into an IVP.

Let, $y(x, s)$ be the solution of this IVP.

The solution of this problem satisfy:

$$y(b, s) = \beta$$

$$\text{If } \phi(s) = y(b, s) - \beta$$

Thus the problem reduces to finding $s = S$ such that $\phi(s) = 0$.

Thus, we solve that BVP by using the solution of a sequence of IVP's involving parameter ' S '.

we choose $s = s_k$ such that:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} y(b, s_k) = y(b) = \beta$$

where $y(x, s_k)$ denotes the solution of the IVP with $s = s_k$.

while $y(x)$ denotes the solution of the BVP.

we choose the values of the s_k until $y(b, s_k)$ is sufficiently close to β .

$$y(b, s_k) - \beta = 0$$

This is a non linear equation which we can solve using Newton Raphson or Secant Method.

In the case of Neumann Boundary conditions:

$$y'(a) = \alpha \text{ and } y'(b) = \beta$$

Now $y(a)$ is approximated and then improved in each iteration. we use the initial conditions:

$$y(a) = s \text{ and } y'(a) = \alpha$$

s is chosen such that

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(s) &= y'(b, s) - y'(b) \\ &= y'(b, s) - \beta \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

where, $y(x)$ is the solution of BVP and $y(x, s)$ is the solution of IVP with $y(a) = s$.

In the case of Robin Boundary conditions:

Let us take an example where:

$$y(a) = \alpha$$

$$\beta_1 y(b) + \beta_2 y'(b) = \beta \text{ is given}$$

we have to guess $y'(a) = s$ for this to convert it into a IVP.

Therefore, the objective function whose roots are to be determined becomes:

$$\phi(s) = \beta - \beta_1 y(b, s) - \beta_2 y'(b, s)$$

we will find the value of s iteratively such that $\phi(s)$ approaches 0.

similarly, it can be done for the different cases .

10 Condition of Having Unique solution

suppose we have a boundary value problem as:

$$y'' = f(x, y, y') \quad a \leq x \leq b$$

$$\text{with } y(a) = \alpha \text{ and } y(b) = \beta$$

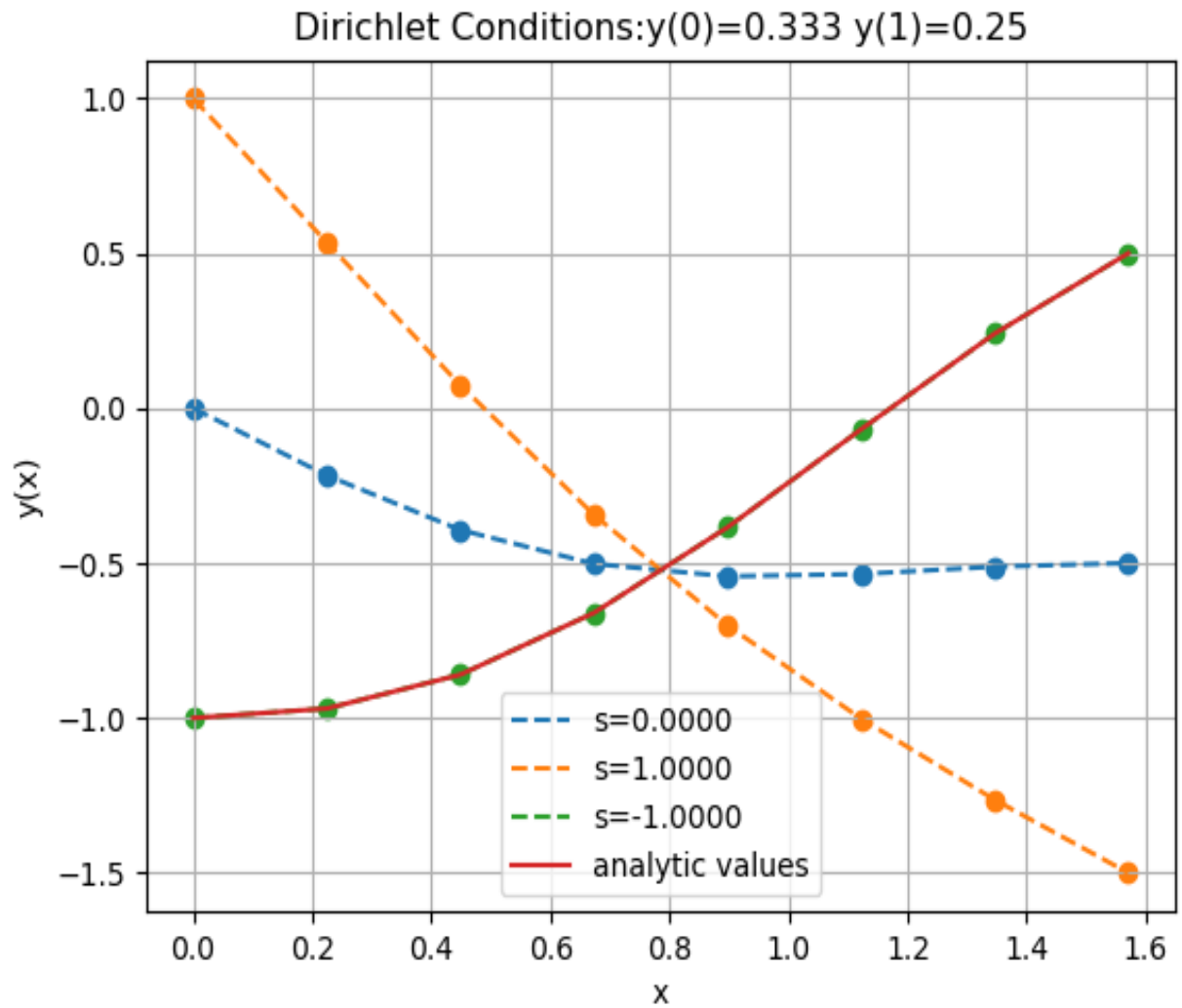
is continuous on set $D = (x, y, y'), a \leq x \leq b$

and that the partial derivatives f_y and $f_{y'}$ are also continuous on D . If :

1. $f(x, y, y') > 0$, for all $(x, y, y') \in D$.
2. A constant M exists, with

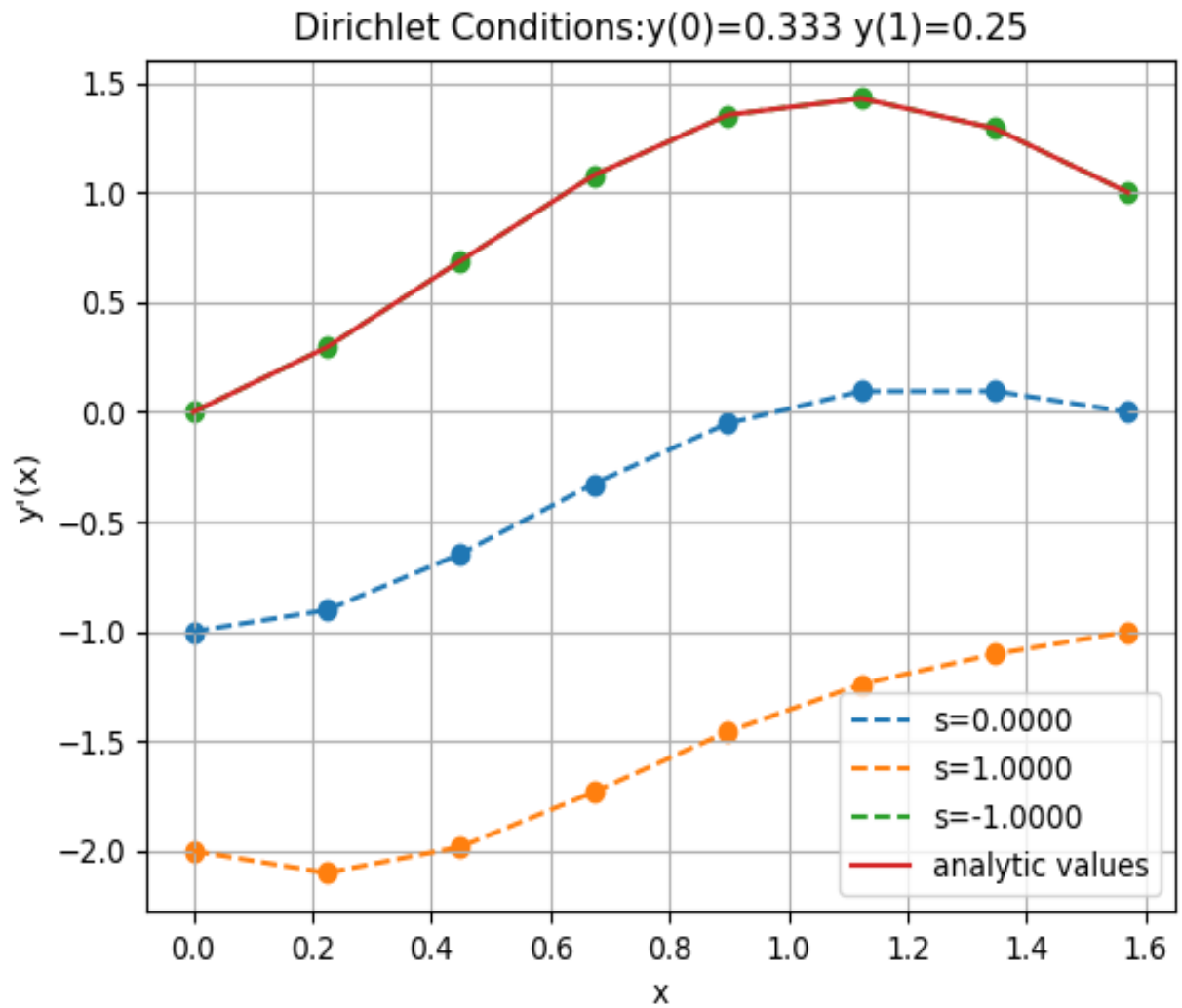
$$|f(x, y, y')| < M \text{ for all } (x, y, y') \in D$$

then the boundary-value problem has a unique solution.



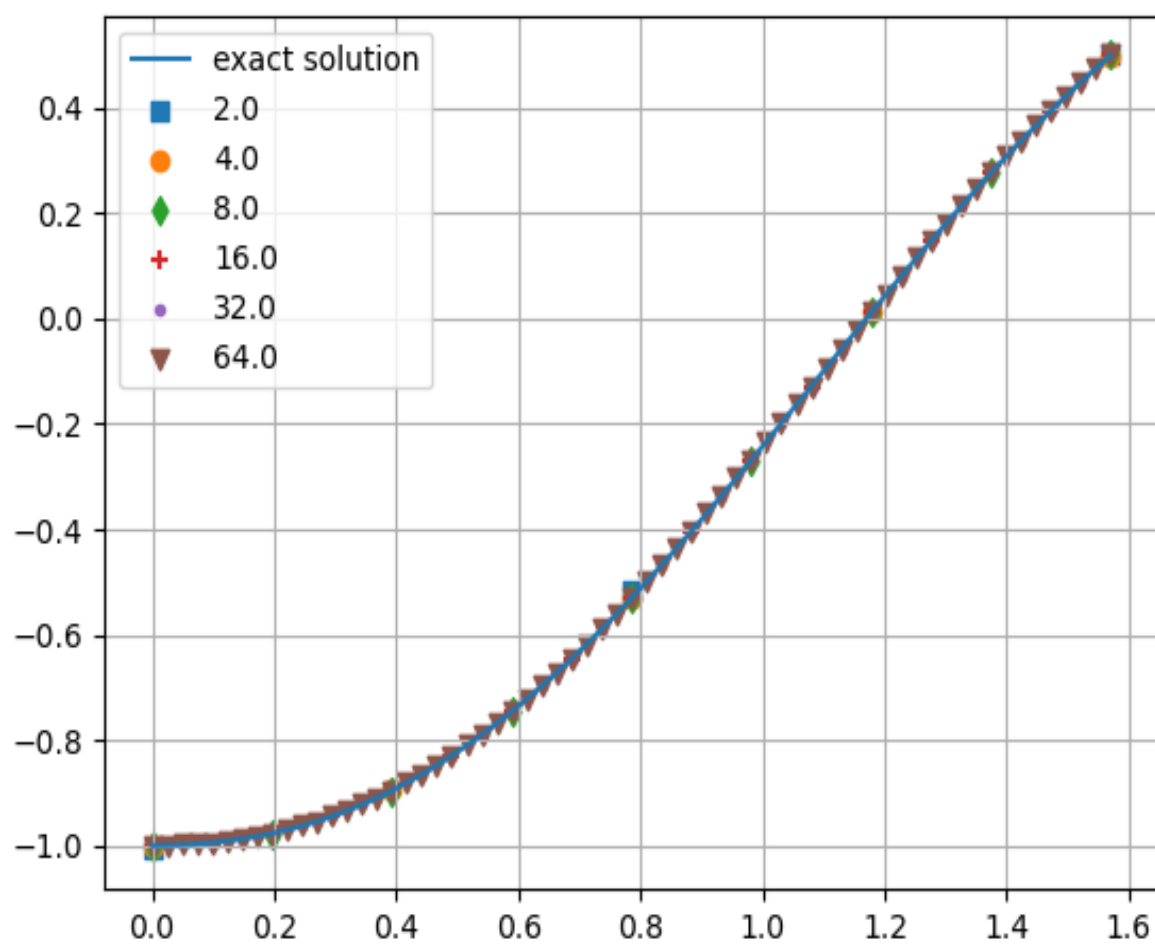
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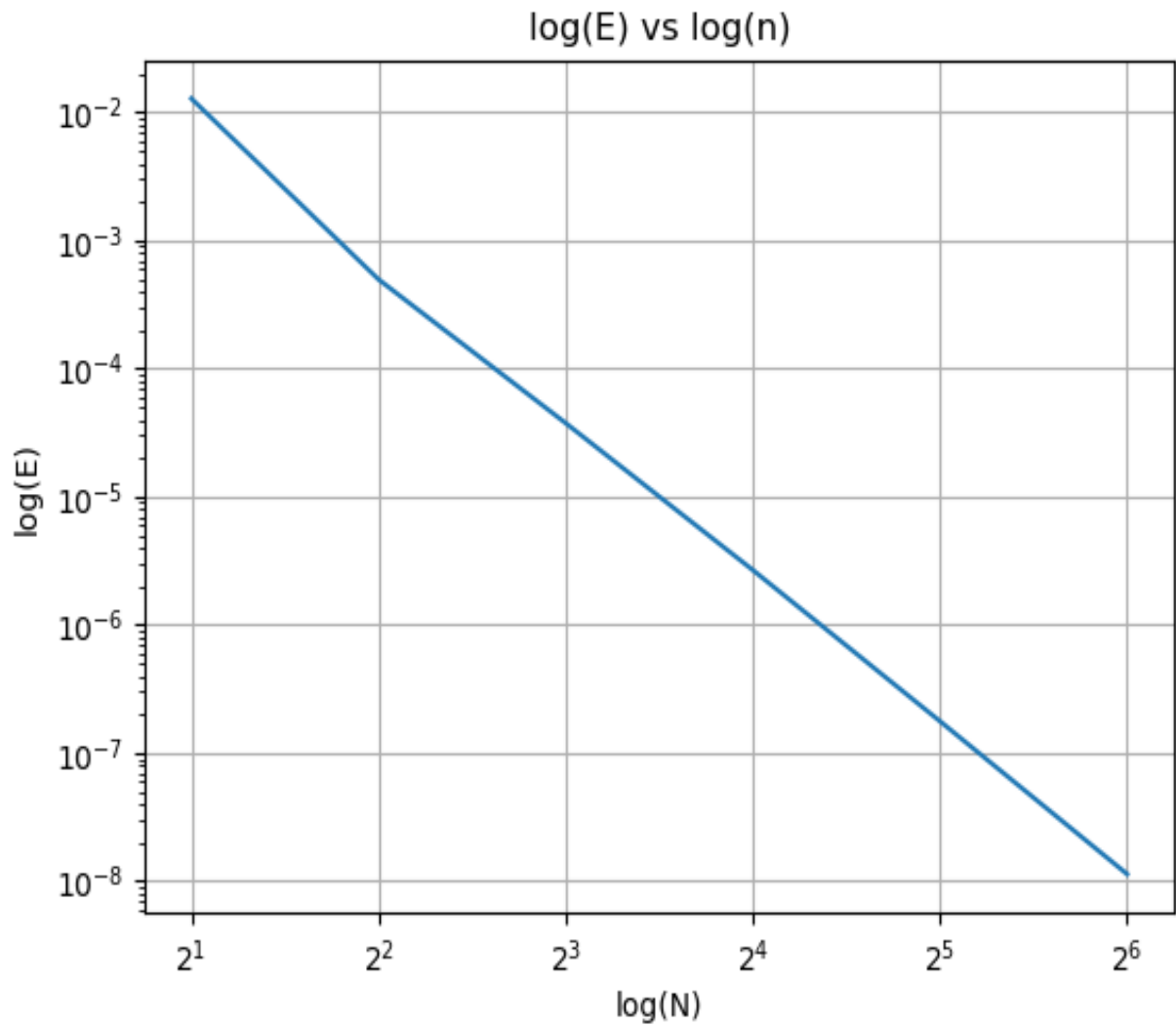
	x_i	y_{num}	y_{anal}	error
0	0.000000	-1.000199	-1.000000	0.000199
1	0.392699	-0.895434	-0.895858	0.000424
2	0.785398	-0.529832	-0.530330	0.000498
3	1.178097	0.011618	0.011607	0.000011
4	1.570796	0.499590	0.500000	0.000410



Number of points=8

	x_i	y_{num}	y_{anal}	error
0	0.000000	-1.000003	-1.000000	0.000003
1	0.196350	-0.977057	-0.977073	0.000016
2	0.392699	-0.895830	-0.895858	0.000028
3	0.589049	-0.745697	-0.745729	0.000031
4	0.785398	-0.530306	-0.530330	0.000024
5	0.981748	-0.268148	-0.268155	0.000008
6	1.178097	0.011595	0.011607	0.000012
7	1.374447	0.276609	0.276638	0.000029
8	1.570796	0.499962	0.500000	0.000038





	N	Absolute error	error ratio	RMS error	error ratio
0	2.0	1.284552e-02	NaN	8.554222e-03	NaN
1	4.0	4.979073e-04	25.799026	3.565444e-04	23.992026
2	8.0	3.763009e-05	13.231624	2.370216e-05	15.042694
3	16.0	2.683100e-06	14.024858	1.585662e-06	14.947805
4	32.0	1.772182e-07	15.140090	1.026945e-07	15.440572
5	64.0	1.135997e-08	15.600233	6.531689e-09	15.722501

slope,intercept: (-3.963505446041488, -0.8050378842152899)

Programming

```
1 import numpy as np
2 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
3 from IVP import *
4 from math import *
5 import pandas as pd
6 from scipy.stats import linregress
7
8
9
10 def func_x(x,y_vec):
11     ans_vec=np.zeros((2))
12     ans_vec[0]=y_vec[1]
13     ans_vec[1]=np.sin(3*x)+(-1*y_vec[0])
14     return ans_vec
15
16 def row_cutting(mat,row_no):
17     col_no=int(np.size(mat)/len(mat))
18     new_mat=np.zeros((row_no,col_no))
19     for i in range(row_no):
20         new_mat[i,:]=mat[i,:]
21     return new_mat
22
23 def graph_log_sketch(X,Y):
24     fig,ax=plt.subplots()
25     plt.plot(X,Y)
26     ax.set_xscale("log",base=2)
27     ax.set_yscale("log")
28     ax.set_title("log(E) vs log(n)")
29     ax.set_xlabel("log(N)")
30     ax.set_ylabel("log(E)")
31     plt.grid()
32     plt.show()
33
34 def analy_y(x):
35     return (3/8)*np.sin(x)-np.cos(x)-(1/8)*np.sin(3*x)
36
37 def analy_deriv_y(x):
38     return (3/8)*np.cos(x)+np.sin(x)-(3/8)*np.cos(3*x)
39
40
41 def graph_sketching(x,y_mat,s_k,x_axis,y_axis,title,analy_y):
42     fig,ax=plt.subplots()
43     n=len(y_mat)
44     for i in range(n):
45         plt.plot(x,y_mat[i,:],"--",label="s="+str('%.4f'%(s_k[i])))
46         plt.scatter(x,y_mat[i,:])
47     y_true=[]
48     analy_y=np.vectorize(analy_y)
49     y_true=analy_y(x)
50     plt.plot(x,y_true,label="analytic values")
51     plt.grid()
52     plt.legend()
53     ax.set_title(title)
54     ax.set_xlabel(x_axis)
55     ax.set_ylabel(y_axis)
56     plt.plot()
57     plt.show()
58
59
60
61 def linear_shooting(a,b,a1,a2,a3,a4,b1,b2,func_x,no_pt,tol=None,s_0=0,s_1=1,N_max=50):
62
63     def phi(s):
64         if a2==0:
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65         para=[b1/a1,s]
66     else:
67         deriv_s=(b1-(a1*s))/a2
68         para=[s,deriv_s]
69         t=np.linspace(a,b,no_pt,float)
70         ans_mat=RK_fourth_vec(t,para,func_x)
71         last_val=a3*ans_mat[-1,0]+a4*ans_mat[-1,1]
72         return abs(b2-last_val),ans_mat,t
73
74     if tol==None:
75         tol=-999
76
77     s_k=[]
78     y_mat_s=np.zeros((53,no_pt))
79     y_mat_d_s=np.zeros((53,no_pt))
80
81     err,ans_mat,t=phi(s_0)
82     s_k.append(s_0)
83     y_mat_s[0,:]=ans_mat[:,0]
84     y_mat_d_s[0,:]=ans_mat[:,1]
85
86     if err<tol or N_max==1:
87         y_mat_s=row_cutting(y_mat_s,len(s_k))
88         y_mat_d_s=row_cutting(y_mat_d_s,len(s_k))
89         return s_k,ans_mat,y_mat_s,t,y_mat_d_s
90
91     else:
92         err,ans_mat,t=phi(s_1)
93         s_k.append(s_1)
94         y_mat_s[1,:]=ans_mat[:,0]
95         y_mat_d_s[1,:]=ans_mat[:,1]
96
97         if err<tol or N_max==2:
98             y_mat_s=row_cutting(y_mat_s,len(s_k))
99             y_mat_d_s=row_cutting(y_mat_d_s,len(s_k))
100             return s_k,ans_mat,y_mat_s,t,y_mat_d_s
101
102         else:
103             step=2
104             while step<N_max:
105                 s_2 = s_0 - (s_1-s_0)*phi(s_0)[0]/( phi(s_1)[0] - phi(s_0)[0] )
106                 s_k.append(s_2)
107                 s_0 = s_1
108                 s_1 = s_2
109                 step = step + 1
110                 diff,ans_mat,t=phi(s_2)
111                 y_mat_s[step-1,:]=ans_mat[:,0]
112                 y_mat_d_s[step-1,:]=ans_mat[:,1]
113                 if diff<tol:
114                     y_mat_s=row_cutting(y_mat_s,len(s_k))
115                     y_mat_d_s=row_cutting(y_mat_d_s,len(s_k))
116                     return s_k,ans_mat,y_mat_s,t,y_mat_d_s
117
118     if tol!=-999:
119         print("tolerance not reached")
120     y_mat_s=row_cutting(y_mat_s,len(s_k))
121     y_mat_d_s=row_cutting(y_mat_d_s,len(s_k))
122     return s_k,ans_mat,y_mat_s,t,y_mat_d_s
123
124 def calc_rms_error(y_vec1,y_vec2):
125     sum_ele=0
126     for i in range(len(y_vec1)):
127         ele=(y_vec1[i]-y_vec2[i])**2
128         sum_ele=sum_ele+ele
129     ans=sqrt(sum_ele/len(y_vec1))
130     return ans
131

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132 a=0
133 b=(np.pi)/2
134 #part1 Dirichlet
135 alpha1=1
136 alpha2=1
137 beta1=-1
138 alpha3=0
139 alpha4=1
140 beta2=1
141 s_k,ans_mat,y_mat_s,t,y_d_s=linear_shooting(a,b,alpha1,alpha2,alpha3,alpha4,beta1,
        beta2,func_x,8,tol=10**-6,s_0=0,s_1=1)
142 graph_sketching(t,y_mat_s,s_k,"x","y(x)","Dirichlet Conditions:y(0)=0.333 y(1)=0.25
        ",analy_y)
143 graph_sketching(t,y_d_s,s_k,"x","y'(x)","Dirichlet Conditions:y(0)=0.333 y(1)=0.25"
        ,analy_deriv_y)
144
145 s_k,ans_mat,y_mat_s,t,y_d_s=linear_shooting(a,b,alpha1,alpha2,alpha3,alpha4,beta1,
        beta2,func_x,5,10**-6)
146 analy_y=np.vectorize(analy_y)
147 corr_list=analy_y(t)
148 err_list=np.abs(ans_mat[:,0]-corr_list)
149 data_mat1=np.column_stack((t,ans_mat[:,0],corr_list,err_list))
150 print("Number of points=4")
151 pdf1=pd.DataFrame(data_mat1,columns=["x_i","y_num","y_anal","error"])
152 print(pdf1)
153
154 print()
155
156 s_k,ans_mat,y_mat_s,t,y_d_s=linear_shooting(a,b,alpha1,alpha2,alpha3,alpha4,beta1,
        beta2,func_x,9,10**-6)
157 analy_y=np.vectorize(analy_y)
158 corr_list=analy_y(t)
159 err_list=np.abs(ans_mat[:,0]-corr_list)
160 data_mat1=np.column_stack((t,ans_mat[:,0],corr_list,err_list))
161 print("Number of points=8")
162 pdf1=pd.DataFrame(data_mat1,columns=["x_i","y_num","y_anal","error"])
163 print(pdf1)
164
165
166
167 N_list=np.logspace(1.0,6.0,num=6,base=2)
168 err_abs=np.zeros(len(N_list))
169 err_rms=np.zeros(len(N_list))
170 ratio_err1=np.zeros(len(N_list))
171 ratio_err2=np.zeros(len(N_list))
172 marker_list=["s","o","d","+",".","v"]
173
174 count=0
175 for i in N_list:
176     s_k,ans_mat,y_mat_s,t,y_d_s=linear_shooting(a,b,alpha1,alpha2,alpha3,alpha4,
        beta1,beta2,func_x,int(i+1),tol=None,N_max=4)
177     analy_y=np.vectorize(analy_y)
178     err_abs[count]=np.max(np.abs(ans_mat[:,0]-analy_y(t)))
179     err_rms[count]=calc_rms_error(ans_mat[:,0],analy_y(t))
180     plt.scatter(t,ans_mat[:,0],label=str(i),marker=marker_list[count])
181     if count==0:
182         ratio_err1[count]=None
183         ratio_err2[count]=None
184     else:
185         ratio_err1[count]=err_abs[count-1]/err_abs[count]
186         ratio_err2[count]=err_rms[count-1]/err_rms[count]
187     count=count+1
188 plt.plot(t,analy_y(t),label="exact solution")
189 data_mat2=np.column_stack((N_list,err_abs,ratio_err1,err_rms,ratio_err2))
190 print()
191 pdf2=pd.DataFrame(data_mat2,columns=["N","Absolute error","error ratio","RMS error"
        ,"error ratio"])

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192 print(pdf2)
193 plt.grid()
194 plt.legend()
195 plt.show()
196
197 graph_log_sketch(N_list,err_abs)
198 log_x=np.log10(N_list)
199 log_y=np.log10(err_abs)
200 print("slope,intercept:",linregress(log_x,log_y)[0:2])

1 import numpy as np
2 def euler(f, initial_cond , t):
3     """
4     Finds the solution of a Differential Equation using Euler Method.
5
6     Parameters
7     -----
8     f : function
9         A Python function or method for which the solution is to be found.
10    initial_cond : array
11        An Array of the Initial Conditions.
12    t : array
13        The x-axis values.
14
15    Returns
16    -----
17    mat : matrix
18        Returns a matrix with the solution of each Differential Equation the nth
19    order Differential Equation was broken into.
20    """
21    h = t[1] - t[0]
22
23    mat = np.array([],[])
24    mat = np.zeros([len(t), len(initial_cond)])
25
26    mat[0,:] = initial_cond
27
28    ele = np.array([])
29
30    for i in range(0 , len(t)-1):
31        ele = mat[i,:] + np.multiply(h, f(t[i], mat[i,:]))
32        mat[i+1,:] = ele
33
34    return mat
35
36 def RK_2(f, initial_cond ,t):
37     """
38     Finds the solution of a Differential Equation using RK-2 Method.
39
40     Parameters
41     -----
42     f : function
43         A Python function or method for which the solution is to be found.
44    initial_cond : array
45        An Array of the Initial Conditions.
46    t : array
47        The x-axis values.
48
49    Returns
50    -----
51    mat : matrix
52        Returns a matrix with the solution of each Differential Equation the nth
53    order Differential Equation was broken into.
54    """
55    h = t[1] - t[0]
56
57    mat = np.array([],[])

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57     mat = np.zeros([len(t), len(initial_cond)])
58
59     mat[0,:] = initial_cond
60
61     k1 = np.array([])
62     k2 = np.array([])
63
64     for i in range(0 , len(t)-1):
65         k1 = np.multiply(h, f(t[i], mat[i,:]))
66         k2 = np.multiply(h, f(t[i]+h/2, mat[i,:]+ k1/2))
67         sum = np.multiply((k1+k2),1/2)
68
69         ele = mat[i,:] + sum
70         mat[i+1,:] = ele
71
72     return mat
73
74
75
76 def RK_fourth_vec(t, initial_cond, f):
77     """
78     Finds the solution of a Differential Equation using RK-4 Method.
79
80     Parameters
81     -----
82     f : function
83         A Python function or method for which the solution is to be found.
84     initial_cond : array
85         An Array of the Initial Conditions.
86     t : array
87         The x-axis values.
88
89     Returns
90     -----
91     mat : matrix
92         Returns a matrix with the solution of each Differential Equation the nth
93         order Differential Equation was broken into.
94     """
95     h = t[1] - t[0]
96
97     mat = np.array([],[])
98     mat = np.zeros([len(t), len(initial_cond)])
99
100    mat[0,:] = initial_cond
101
102    k1 = np.array([])
103    k2 = np.array([])
104    k3 = np.array([])
105    k4 = np.array([])
106    ele = np.array([])
107
108    for i in range(0 , len(t)-1):
109
110        k1 = f(t[i], mat[i,:])
111        k2 = f(t[i]+(h/2),(mat[i,:]+np.multiply(k1, (h/2))))
112        k3 = f(t[i]+(h/2),(mat[i,:]+np.multiply(k2, (h/2))))
113        k4 = f(t[i]+(h/1),(mat[i,:]+np.multiply(k3, (h/1))))
114        sum = np.multiply((k1+np.multiply(k2,2)+np.multiply(k3,2)+k4), (1/6))
115
116        ele = mat[i,:] + np.multiply((sum), h)
117        mat[i+1,:] = ele
118
119    return mat

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