## The "Classical" Prince-Dormand 13 stage combined order 7 and 8 Runge-Kutta scheme

See: High order embedded Runge-Kutta formulae, by P.J.Prince and J.R.Dormand, Journal of Computational and Applied Mathematics, vol. 7, 1981, pages 67-75.

The nodes of the scheme are:

$$c_2 = \frac{1}{18}, c_3 = \frac{1}{12}, c_4 = \frac{1}{8}, c_5 = \frac{5}{16}, c_6 = \frac{3}{8}, c_7 = \frac{59}{400}, c_8 = \frac{93}{200}, c_9 = \frac{5490023248}{9719169821}, c_{10} = \frac{13}{20}, c_{11} = \frac{30992876149296355}{33518267164510641}, c_{12} = 1, c_{13} = 1.$$

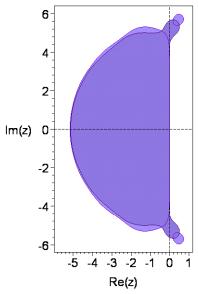
Note: Prince and Dormand give rational approximations for the coefficients which are accurate to just under 20 digits. For example, the value they give for the node  $c_{11}$  is  $\frac{1201146811}{1299019798} \approx 0.92465627764050444441$  while the 20 digit decimal approximation for the value given above is 0.92465627764050444674.

The principal error norm, that is, the 2-norm of the principal error terms is:  $0.4507447204 \times 10^{(-5)}$ .

The principal error norm of the order 7 embedded scheme is: 0.2879665418 x  $10^{\left(-4\right)}$ .

The maximum magnitude of the linking coefficients is: 16.67260867.

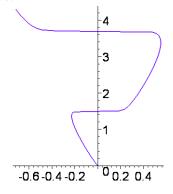
The stability regions for the two schemes are shown in the following picture.



The stability region of the order 7 scheme appears in the darker shade.

The real stability intervals of the order 8 and 7 schemes are respectively [-5.1666, 0] and [-5.1357, 0].

The following picture shows the result of distorting the boundary curve of the stability region of the order 8 scheme horizontally by taking the 11th root of the real part of points along the curve.



The stability region intersects the nonnegative imaginary axis in the interval [1.5019, 3.7023].

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The coefficients in exact form are:
c[2]=1/18,
c[3]=1/12,
c[4]=1/8,
c[5]=5/16,
c[6]=3/8,
c[7]=59/400,
c[8]=93/200,
c[9]=5490023248/9719169821,
c[10]=13/20,
c[11]=30992876149296355/33518267164510641,
c[12]=1,
c[13]=1,
a[2,1]=1/18,
a[3,1]=1/48,
a[3,2]=1/16,
a[4,1]=1/32,
a[4,2]=0,
a[4,3]=3/32,
a[5,1]=5/16,
a[5,2]=0,
a[5,3]=-75/64
a[5,4]=75/64
a[6,1]=3/80,
a[6,2]=0,
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a[6,4]=3/16
a[6,5]=3/20,
a[7,1]=215595617/45000000000,
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The coefficients correct to 85 digits are:
c[4]=.125,
c[5]=.3125,
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c[6]=.375,
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c[12]=1.,
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a[3,2]=.625e-1,
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b*[13]=0.
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