Finite and Shooting Methods

1. Use finite-differences to approximate solutions to the linear BVP for n = 9, 19, 39

$$y'' = 3y - 2y'$$
$$y(0) = e^{3}$$
$$y(1) = 1.$$

Plot the approximate solution together with the exact solution $y(t) = e^{3-3t}$ in one figure. Use built-in Matlab solver for the linear system. Display the error as a function of t in a separate plot.

2. Apply shooting method to the nonlinear system of BVP

$$y_1' = y_1 - 3y_1y_2$$

$$y_2' = -6(ty_2 + \ln y_1)$$

$$y_1(0) = 1$$

$$y_2(1) = -\frac{2}{3}$$

Plot the solution together with the boundary conditions. Use Matlab solver to solve the nonlinear equation.