

MCEN 3030

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HW #7 Due Tues

Last time:

- Implicit Euler
- Runge - Kutta

Today: Extensions of RK:

- Coupled ODEs
- Higher-order ODEs
- Shooting Method

Last time $\frac{dx}{dt} = f(x, t)$ w/ $x(0) = x_0$

Explicit Euler:

$$x_{i+1} = x_i + \Delta t \cdot f(x_i, t_i)$$



Implicit Euler:

$$x_{i+1} = x_i + \Delta t \cdot f(x_{i+1}, t_{i+1})$$

(stable)

Runge-Kutta 4:

$$x_{i+1} = x_i + \Delta t \cdot \phi(x, t)$$

$$\phi(x, t) = \frac{k_1 + 2k_2 + 2k_3 + k_4}{6}$$

where $k_1 = f(x_i, t_i)$

$$k_2 = f\left(x_i + \frac{1}{2}k_1 \cdot \Delta t, t_i + \frac{1}{2}\Delta t\right)$$

$$k_3 = f\left(x_i + \frac{1}{2}k_2 \cdot \Delta t, t_i + \frac{1}{2}\Delta t\right)$$

$$k_4 = f(x_i + k_3 \cdot \Delta t, t_i + \Delta t)$$

Reminder: (Euler)

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = f(x, t)$$

$$\hookrightarrow \frac{x_{i+1} - x_i}{\underbrace{t_{i+1} - t_i}_{\Delta t}} = f(x_i, t_i) \rightarrow x_{i+1} = x_i + \Delta t \cdot f(x_i, t_i)$$

Coupled ODEs

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = f(x, y, t) \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = g(x, y, t) \end{cases} \quad \begin{array}{l} w/ \ x(0) = x_0 \\ y(0) = y_0 \end{array}$$

→ $x(t)$ & $y(t)$, but maybe can't solve analytically:

the dynamics depend on each other

$$\text{Ex: } \left. \begin{array}{l} \dot{x} = ax - bxy \\ \dot{y} = cxy - dy \end{array} \right\} \text{Predator-prey model}$$

Idea is the same as one variable RK4, but with 2×1 vectors:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{i+1} \\ y_{i+1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_i \\ y_i \end{bmatrix} + \frac{\Delta t}{6} \begin{bmatrix} k_{1x} + 2k_{2x} + 2k_{3x} + k_{4x} \\ k_{1y} + 2k_{2y} + 2k_{3y} + k_{4y} \end{bmatrix}$$

where $k_{1x} = f(x_i, y_i, t_i)$

$$k_{1y} = g(x_i, y_i, t_i)$$

$$k_{2x} = f\left(x_i + \frac{1}{2}k_{1x}\Delta t, y_i + \frac{1}{2}k_{1y}\Delta t, t_i + \frac{1}{2}\Delta t\right)$$

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Famous example: Lorenz Equations

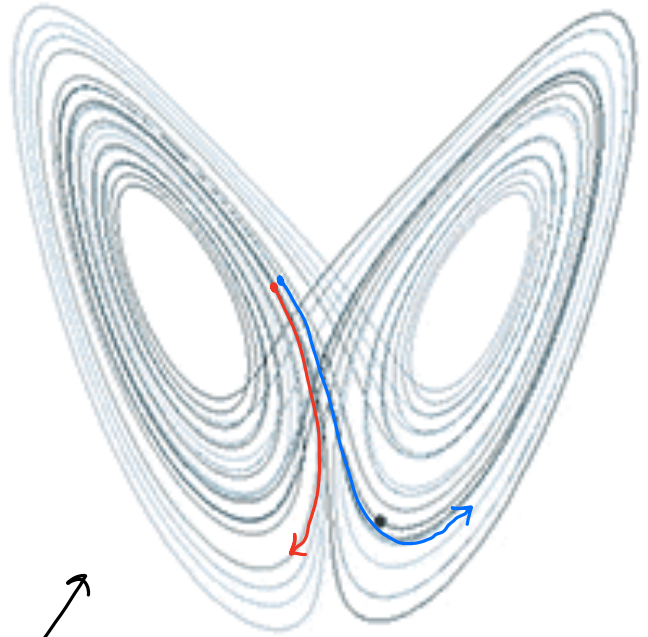
"Butterfly Effect"

$$x(t) \quad y(t) \quad z(t)$$

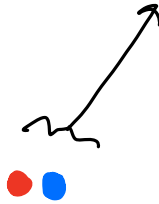
$$\frac{dx}{dt} = \sigma(y - x)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = x(\rho - z) - y$$

$$\frac{dz}{dt} = xy - \beta z$$



- No analytical solution
- Mathematical chaos



— small changes in initial conditions will become large differences after a period of time.

Higher-Order ODEs

... can be treated as coupled ODEs, e.g.

$$m\ddot{x} + b\dot{x} + kx = F(t) \quad (\text{mass damper spring})$$

Define $u \equiv \dot{x} \Rightarrow \ddot{x} = \dot{u}$

$$(\ddot{x} =) \dot{u} = -\frac{b}{m}u - \frac{k}{m}x + \frac{F(t)}{m}$$

$$\dot{x} = u$$

everything on the RHS
is in terms of u, x, t ,
not in terms of \dot{u}, \dot{x}

need two
initial conditions:

$$x(0) = x_0$$

$$u(0) = u_0$$

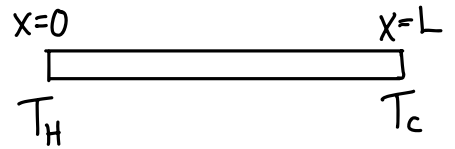
→ looks like coupled ODEs above,
and solve similarly

Shooting Method

With Euler-like methods we are always time-stepping forwards: current information \rightarrow info at next step
– always initial-value problems

But what about boundary-value problems?

e.g. $\frac{d^2 T}{dx^2} = m(T - T_\infty)$



w/ $T(x=0) = T_H$ & $T(x=L) = T_c$ \rightarrow

Proceed as we did on previous page:

define $Q \equiv \dot{T} \Rightarrow \ddot{T} = \dot{Q}$

$$\dot{Q} = m(T - T_\infty)$$

w/out $Q(0) = ???$

$$\dot{T} = Q$$

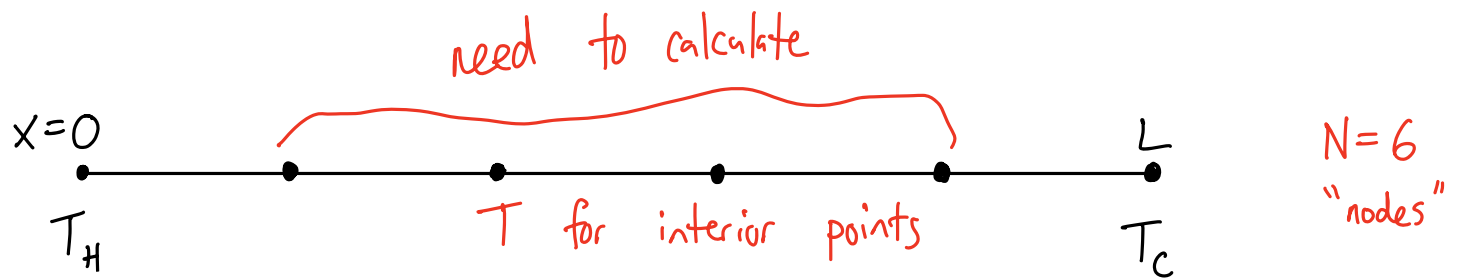
w/ $T(0) = T_H$

Algorithm:

- 1) Guess an initial condition $Q(0) = Q_0$
- 2) Numerically solve for the function T via RK4
- 3) Compare the solution's $T(L)$ to the BC $T(L) = T_c$
- 4) Iterate, guessing a new Q_0 , until convergence

Another approach to BVPs...

Again, let's consider $\frac{d^2 T}{dx^2} = m(T - T_\infty)$



$$\frac{d^2 T}{dx^2} = \frac{T_{i+1} - 2T_i + T_{i-1}}{(\Delta x)^2} = \frac{\frac{T_{i+1} - T_i}{\Delta x} - \frac{T_i - T_{i-1}}{\Delta x}}{\Delta x}$$

$$\frac{T_{i+1} - 2T_i + T_{i-1}}{(\Delta x)^2} = m(T_i - T_\infty)$$

$$T_{i+1} - 2T_i + T_{i-1} = (\Delta x)^2 m T_i - (\Delta x)^2 m T_\infty$$

$$\frac{T_{i+1} + T_{i-1} + (\Delta x)^2 m T_\infty}{2 + (\Delta x)^2 m} = T_i$$

Create a system of equations:

$$T_1 = T_H \quad (\text{a BC})$$

$$T_2 = \frac{T_3 + T_1 + (\Delta x)^2 m T_\infty}{2 + (\Delta x)^2 m}$$

\vdots

\vdots

$$T_{N-1} = \frac{T_N + T_{N-2} + (\Delta x)^2 m T_\infty}{2 + (\Delta x)^2 m}$$

$$T_N = T_C \quad (\text{other BC})$$

Define

$$c = \frac{1}{2 + (\Delta x)^2 m}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -c & 1 & -c & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -c & 1 & -c & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -c & 1 & -c & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -c & 1 & -c \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} T_1 \\ T_2 \\ T_3 \\ T_4 \\ T_5 \\ T_6 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} T_H \\ c(\Delta x)^2 m T_\infty \\ c(\Delta x)^2 m T_\infty \\ c(\Delta x)^2 m T_\infty \\ c(\Delta x)^2 m T_\infty \\ T_C \end{bmatrix}$$

Solve for unknown vector T using

$Ax = b$ techniques