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## **FVM: Practical Assignment 2**

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## Problem

We discretize the Laplace equation with Robin boundary condition by finite volume method:

$$\begin{cases} -u_{xx}(x) = f(x) & \text{in } \Omega \\ u'(0) - \lambda_0 u(0) = u'(1) + \lambda_1 u(1) = 0 \end{cases} \quad (1)$$

1. Solve equation (1) with regular grid and the control point be midpoint of control volume  $(1/2x_{i-1/2} + 1/2x_{i+1/2})$ .
2. Solve equation (1) with regular grid and the control point be  $1/3$  from the left of each control volume  $(x_1 = 2/3x_{i-1/2} + 1/3x_{i+1/2})$ .
3. Solve equation (1) with singular grid (not uniform grid).
4. Find the some approximations to error between the exact and discrete solutions in discrete  $H_0^1$  norm be 2 order for the equations such that Laplace equation with Dirichlet, Neumann, Robin boundary conditions.

## Solution

Discrete similar problem for the case of homogeneous dirichlet boundary, we have:

$$\begin{cases} \alpha_i u_{i-2} + \beta_i u_i + \gamma_i u_{i+1} = f_i & \forall i \in \overline{1, N} \\ u'(0) - \lambda_0 u(0) = u'(1) + \lambda_1 u(1) = 0 \end{cases}$$

where,

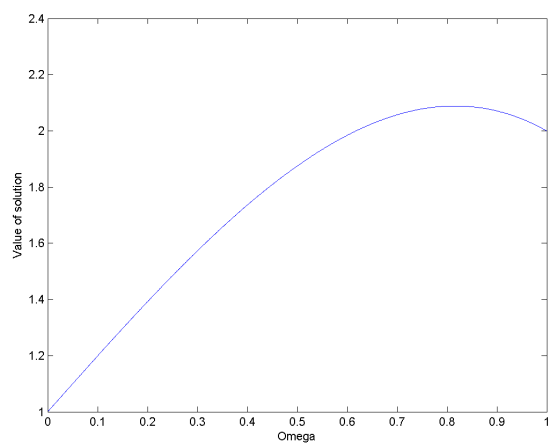
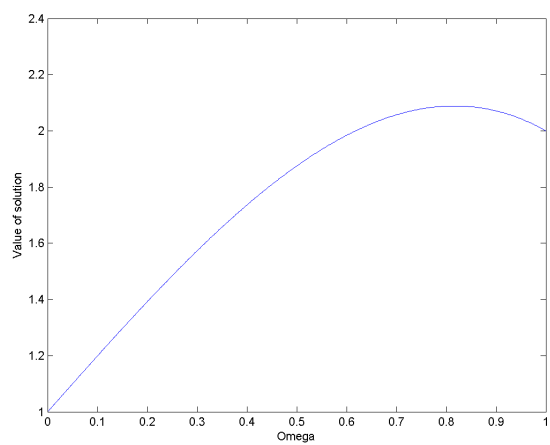
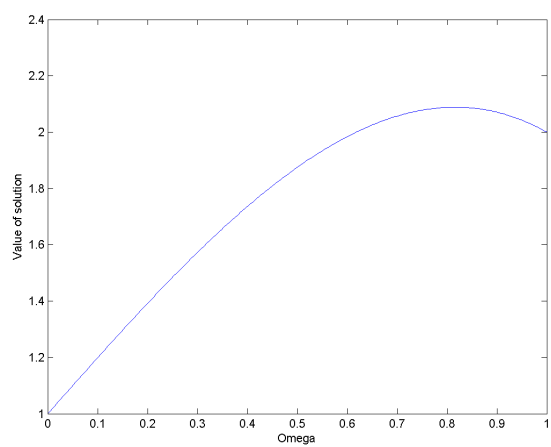
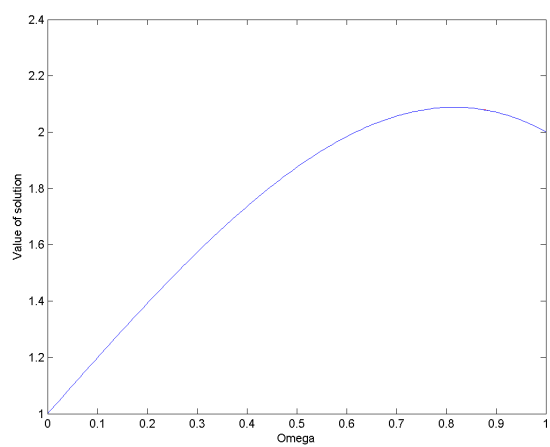
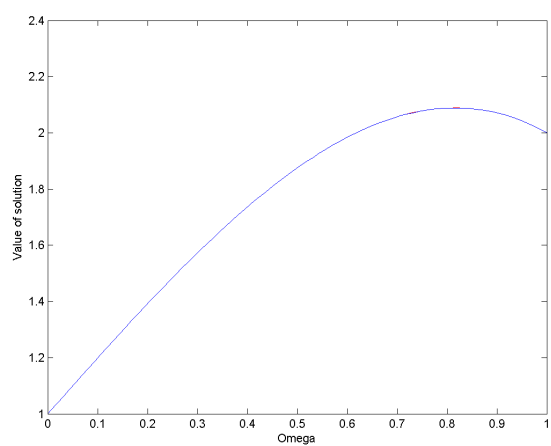
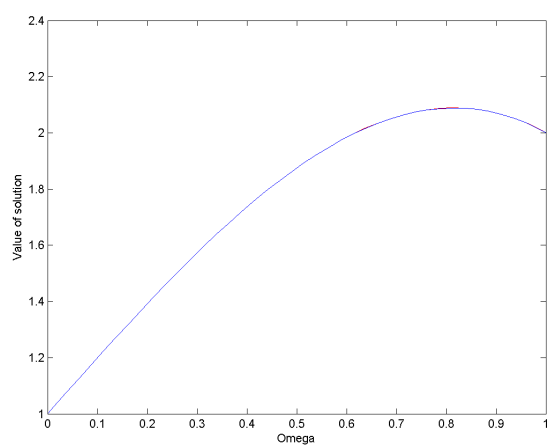
$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_i &= \frac{-1}{|D_{i-1/2}| |T_i|} \\ \beta_i &= \frac{1}{|D_{i+1/2}| |T_i|} + \frac{1}{|D_{i-1/2}| |T_i|} \\ \gamma_i &= \frac{-1}{|D_{i+1/2}| |T_i|} \end{aligned}$$

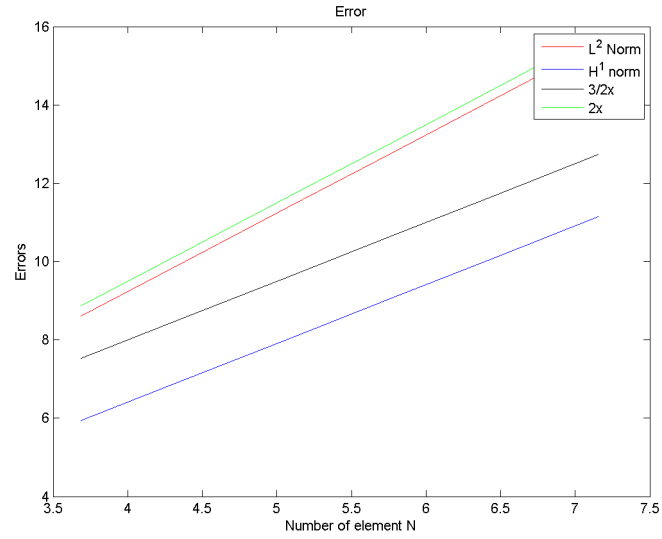
We have linear system for the scheme

$$\begin{cases} i = 1, & \left( \frac{\alpha_1}{1 + \lambda_0 |D_{1/2}|} + \beta_1 \right) u_1 + \gamma_1 u_2 & = f_1 \\ i = 2, & \alpha_2 u_1 + \beta_2 u_2 + \gamma_2 u_3 & = f_2 \\ i = 3, & \alpha_3 u_2 + \beta_3 u_3 + \gamma_3 u_4 & = f_3 \\ & \dots & \\ i = N-1, & \alpha_{N-1} u_{N-2} + \beta_{N-1} u_{N-1} + \gamma_{N-1} u_N & = f_{N-1} \\ i = N, & \alpha_N u_{N-1} + \left( \frac{\gamma_N}{1 + \lambda_1 |D_{N+1/2}|} + \beta_N \right) u_N & = f_N \end{cases}$$

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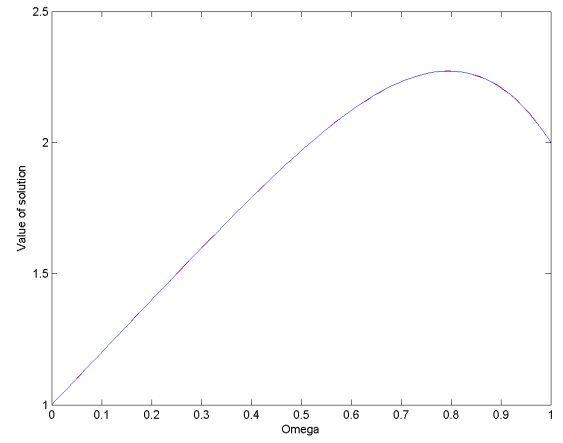
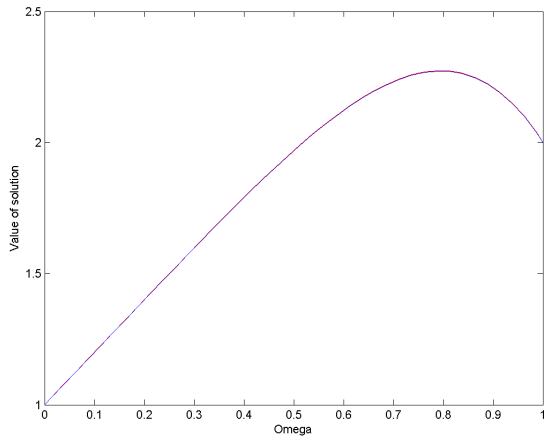
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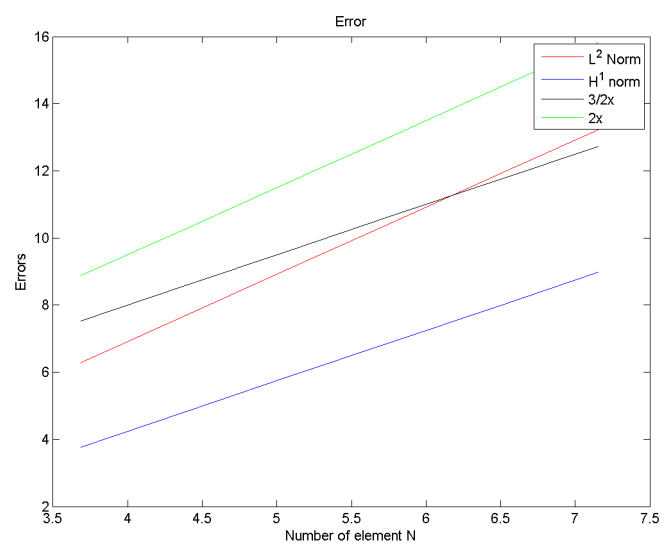
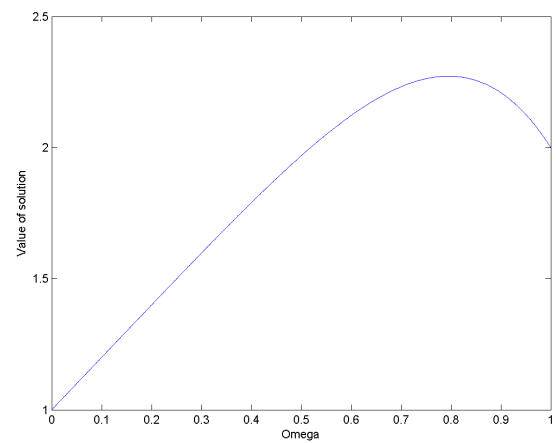
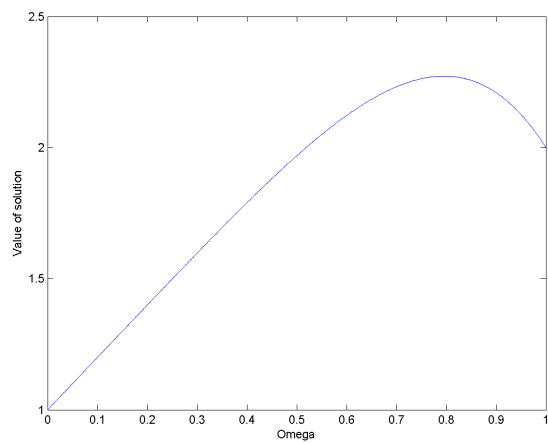
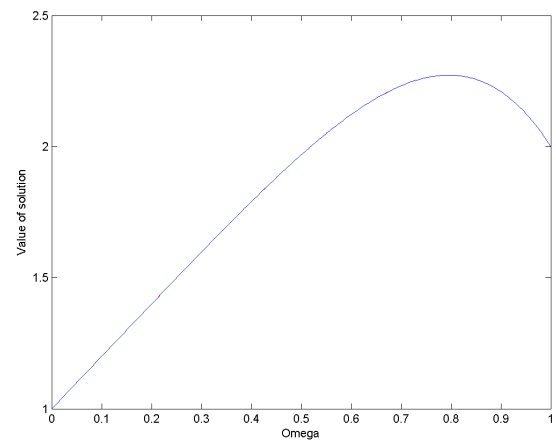
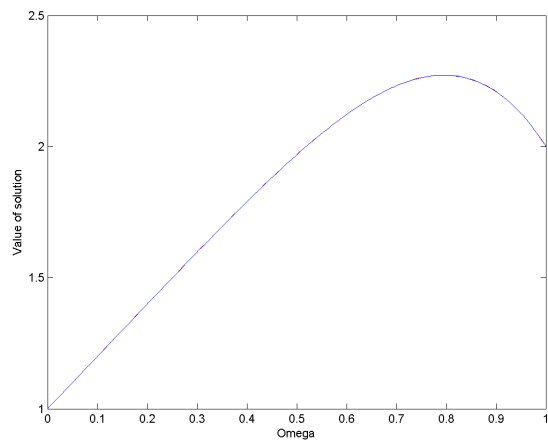




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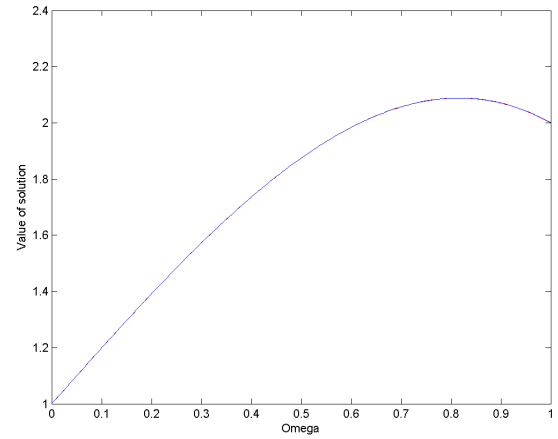
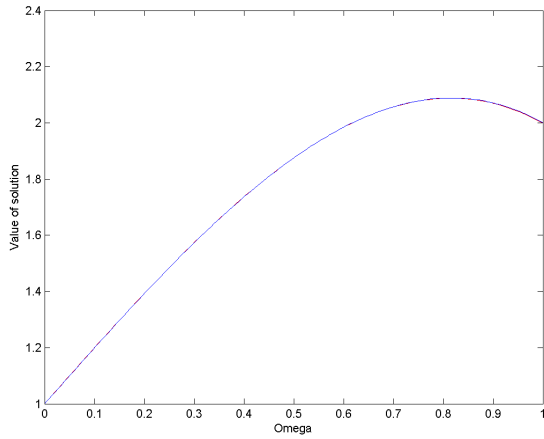
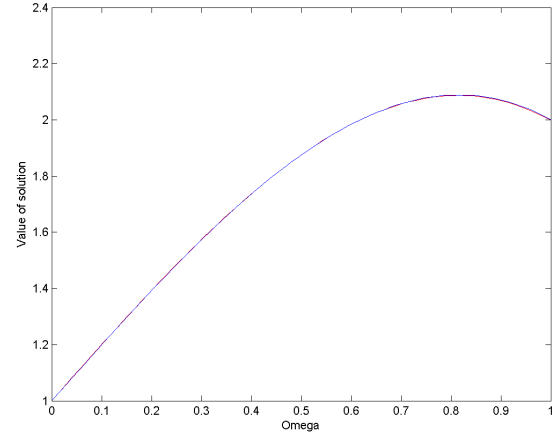
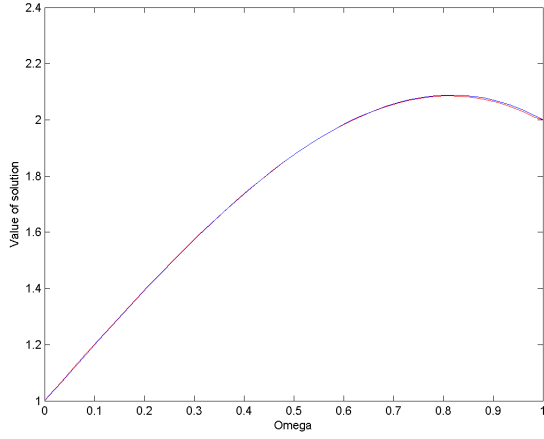
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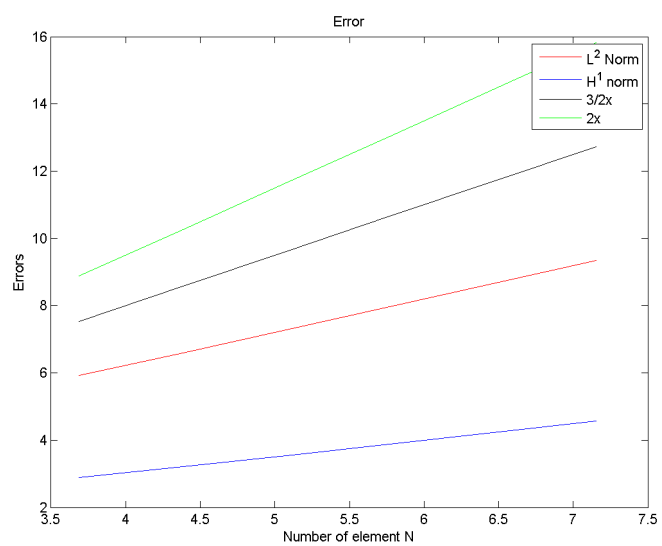
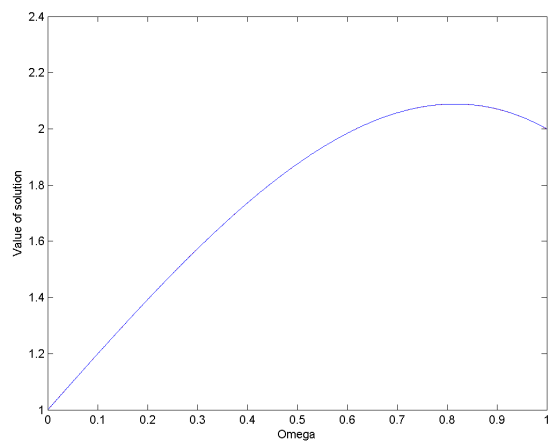
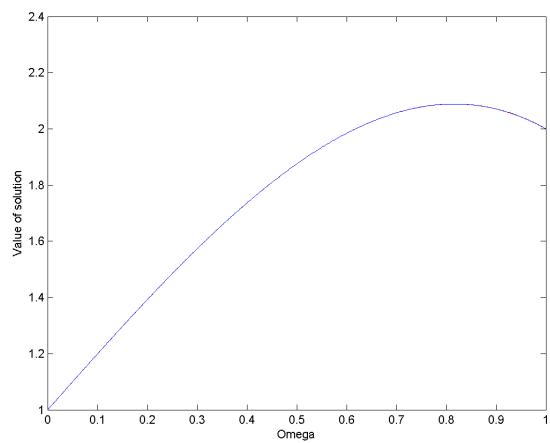




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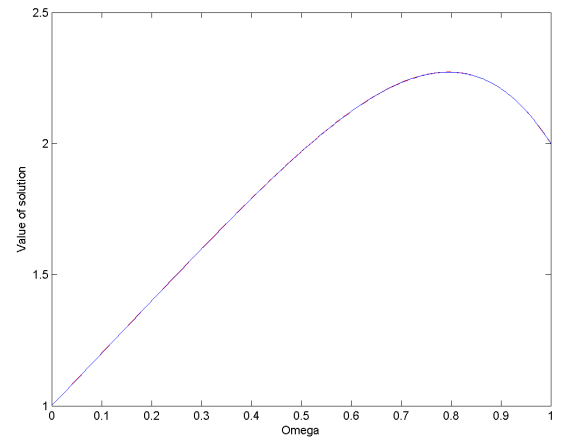
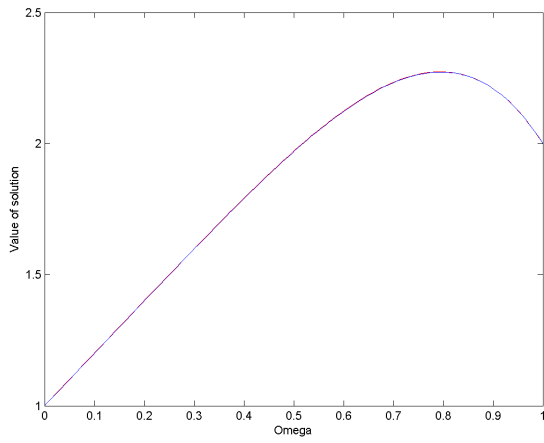
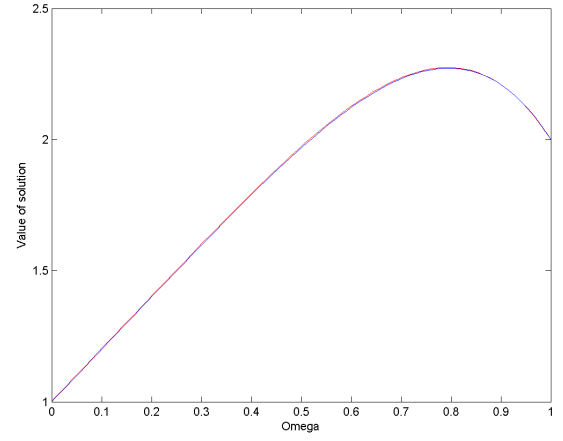
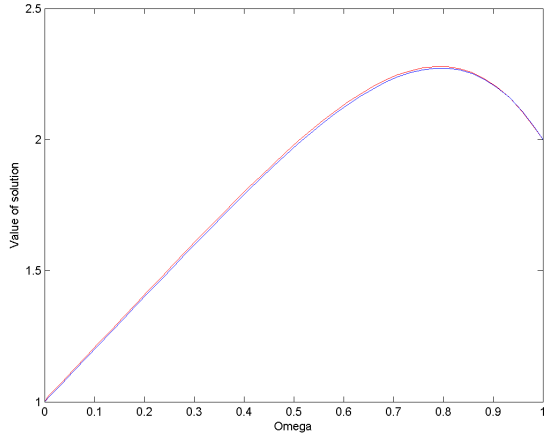
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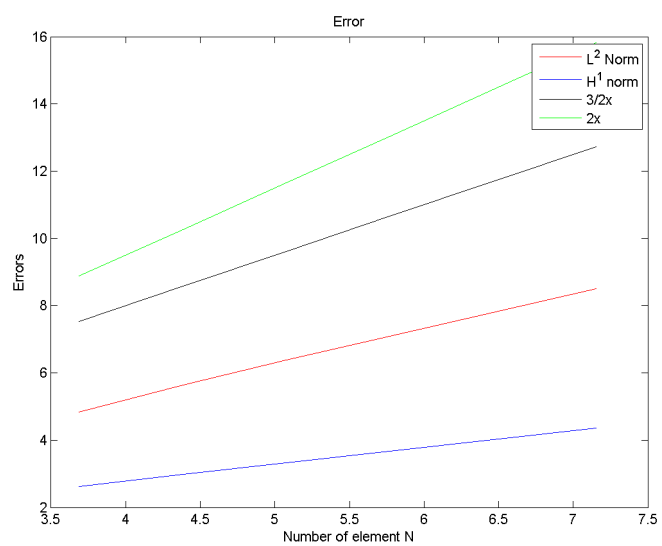
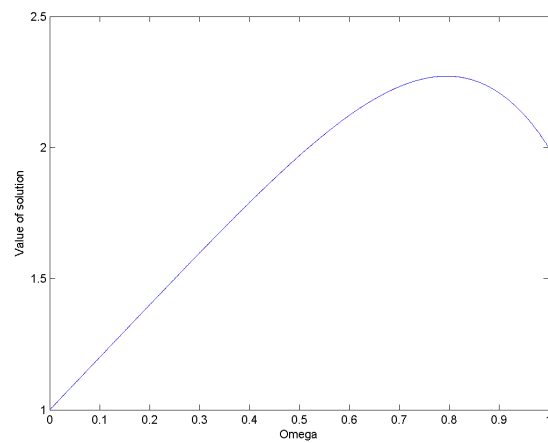
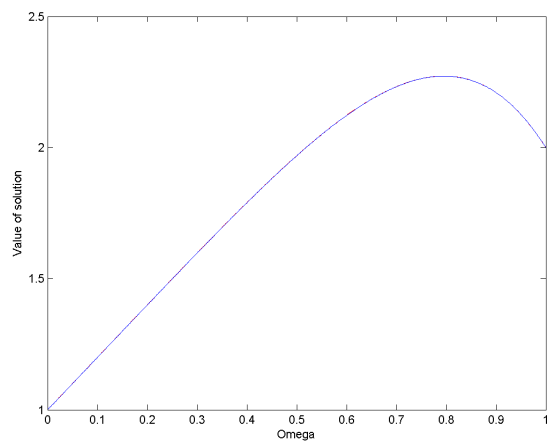


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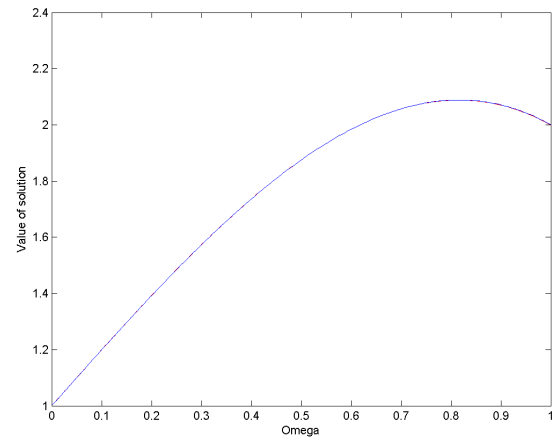
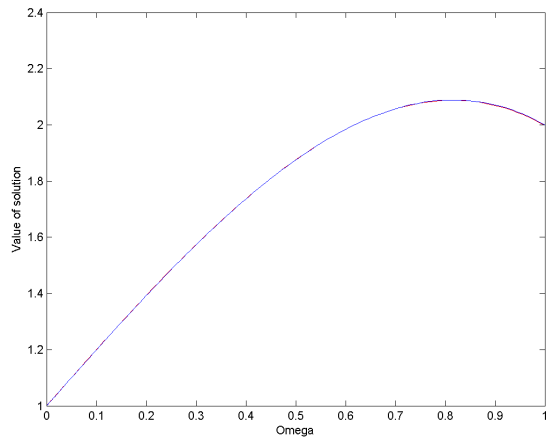
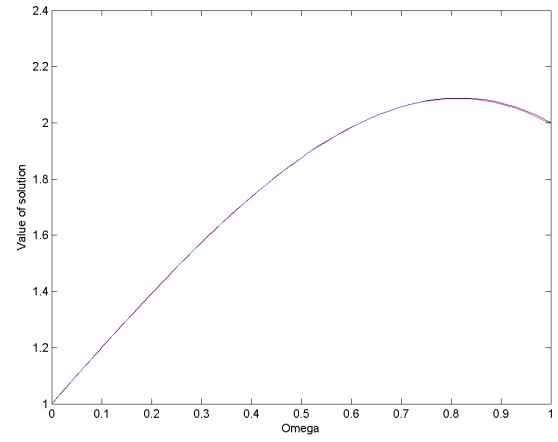
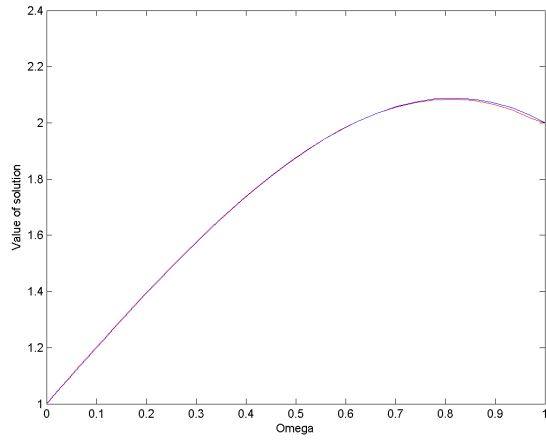


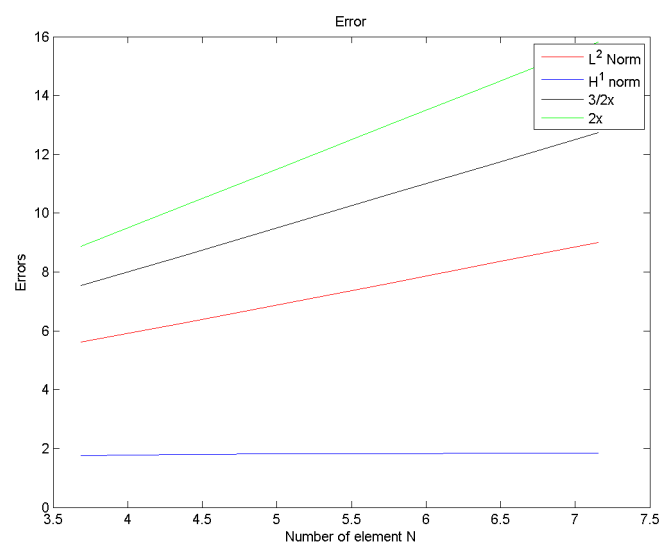
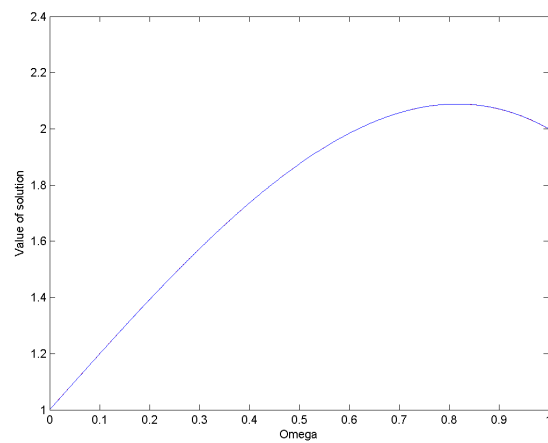
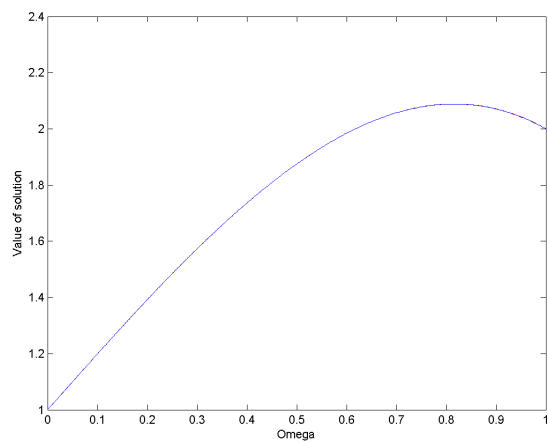




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