

## DSC-VI : Practical-08

### Demonstration of the Runge-Kutta Method

1 Solve  $dy/dx = x$ , where at  $x=0, y=0$

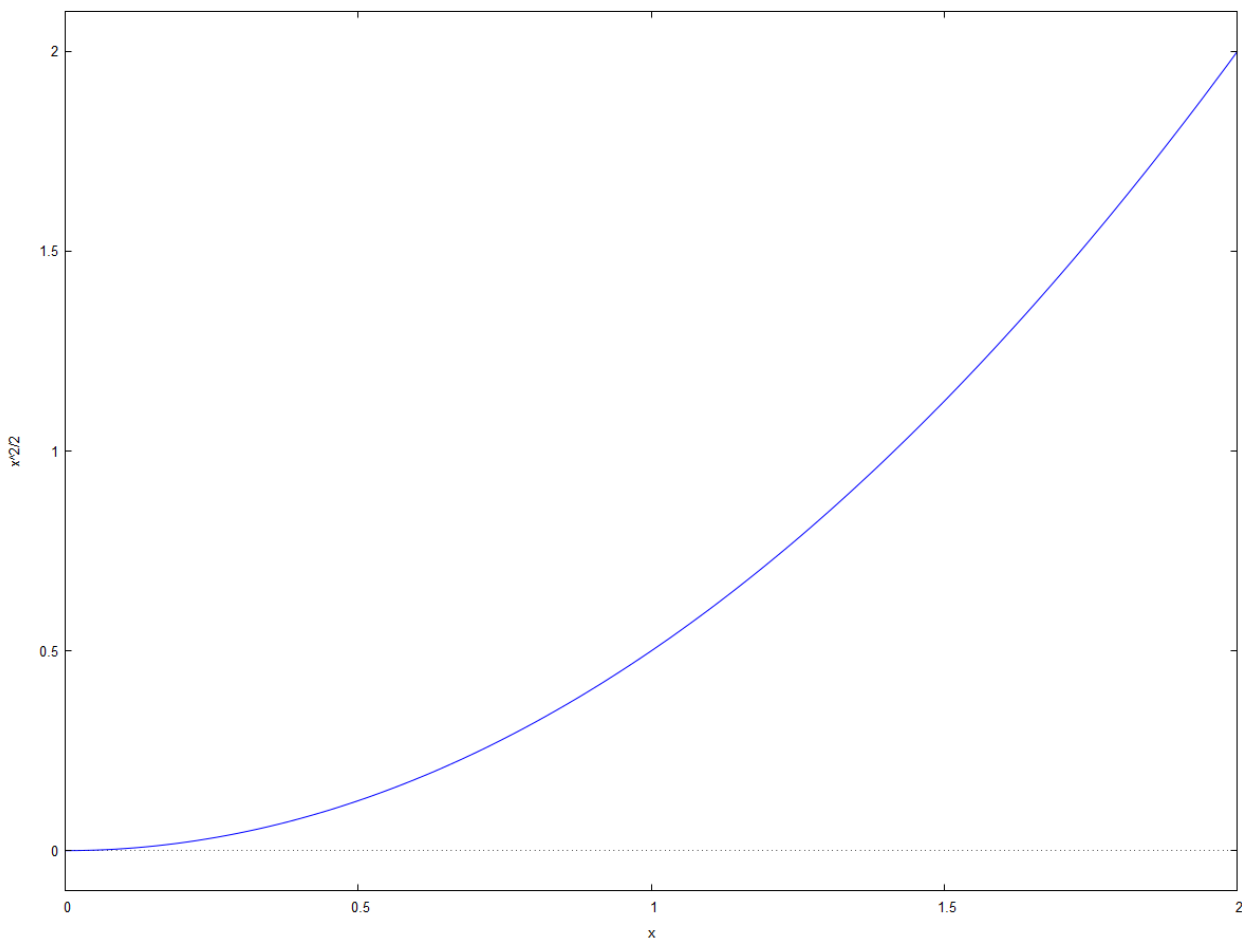
1.1 We solve the above differential equation using ode2():

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--> eqn : 'diff( y , x ) = x ;  
      gs : ode2 ( eqn , y , x ) ;  
      ps : ic1 ( gs , y = 0 , x = 0 ) ;  
      wxplot2d ( rhs ( ps ) , [ x , 0 , 2 ] ) $
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$$\frac{d}{dx}y = x$$

$$y = \frac{x^2}{2} + \%c$$

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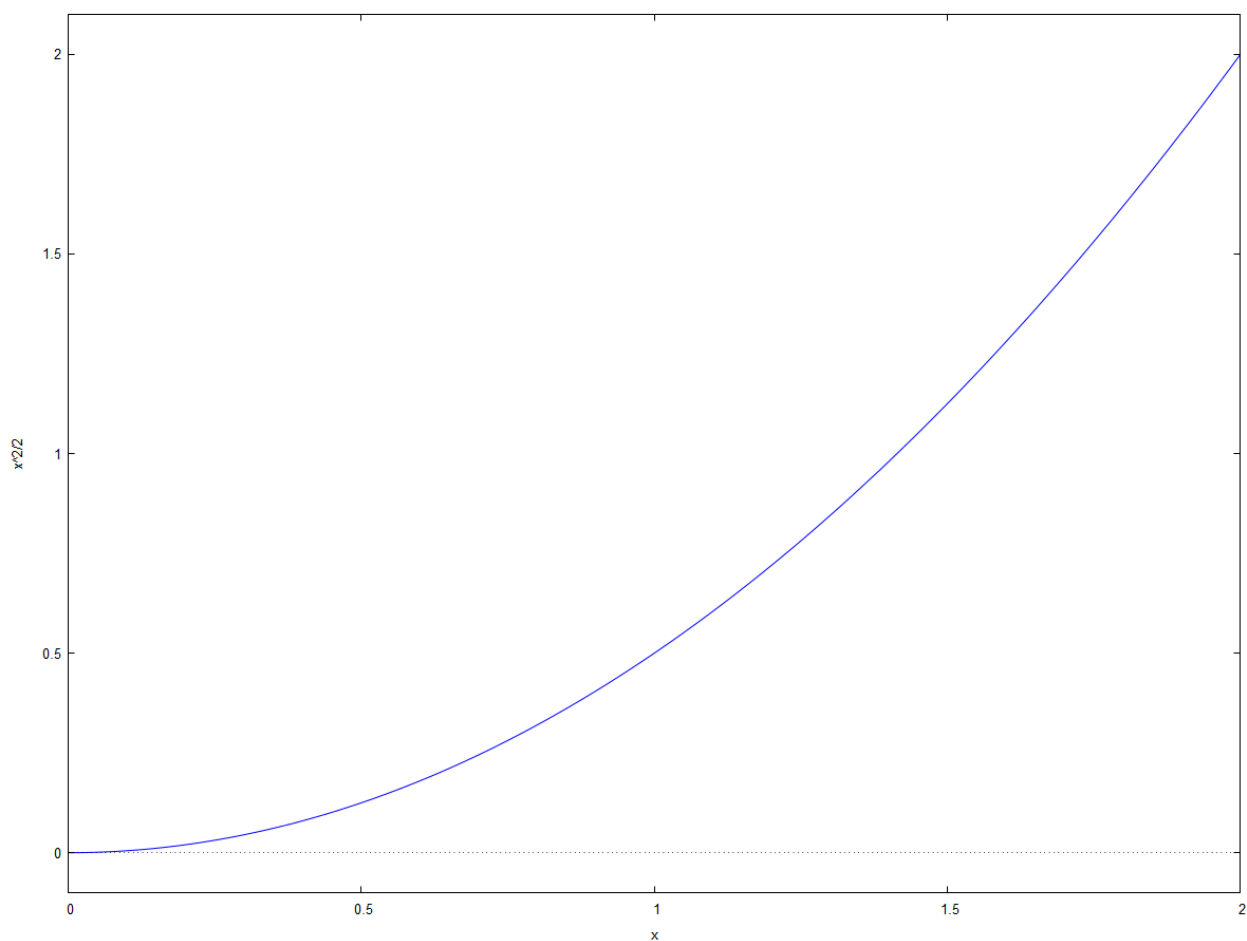
1.2 Now, we use desolve() to solve the same equation

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--> kill ( all ) $
eqn : diff ( y ( x ) , x ) = x ;
gs : desolve ( eqn , y ( x ) ) ;
ps : ev ( gs , y ( 0 ) = 0 ) ;
wxplot2d ( [ rhs ( ps ) ] , [ x , 0 , 2 ] ) $
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$$\frac{d}{dx}y(x) = x$$

$$y(x) = \frac{x^2}{2} + y(0)$$

$$y(x) = \frac{x^2}{2}$$



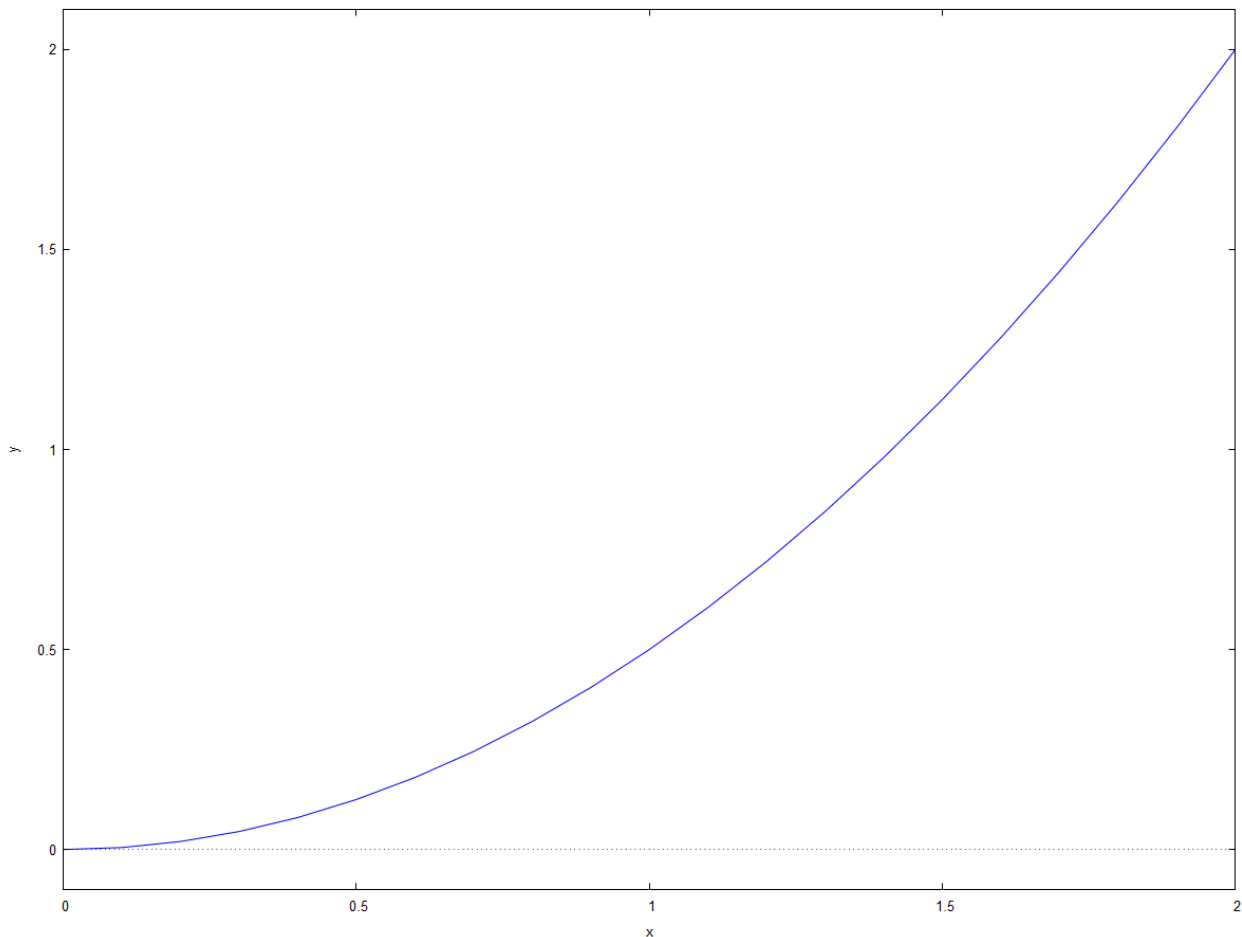
### 1.3 Finally, using the Runge-Kutta Method

Syntax:

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rk([rhs(ODE_1),...,rhs(ODE_n)], [v1,...,vn], [init_1,...,init_n], domain)
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--> kill ( all ) $
eqn : ' diff ( y , x ) = x ;
fsol : rk ( rhs ( eqn ) , [ y ] , [ 0 ] , [ x , 0 , 2 , 0 . 1 ] ) ;
wxplot2d ( [ discrete , fsol ] ) $
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$$\frac{d}{dx}y = x$$



**2 We now have a coupled system of differential equations**

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 4 - x^2 - 4y^2$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = y^2 - x^2 + 1$$

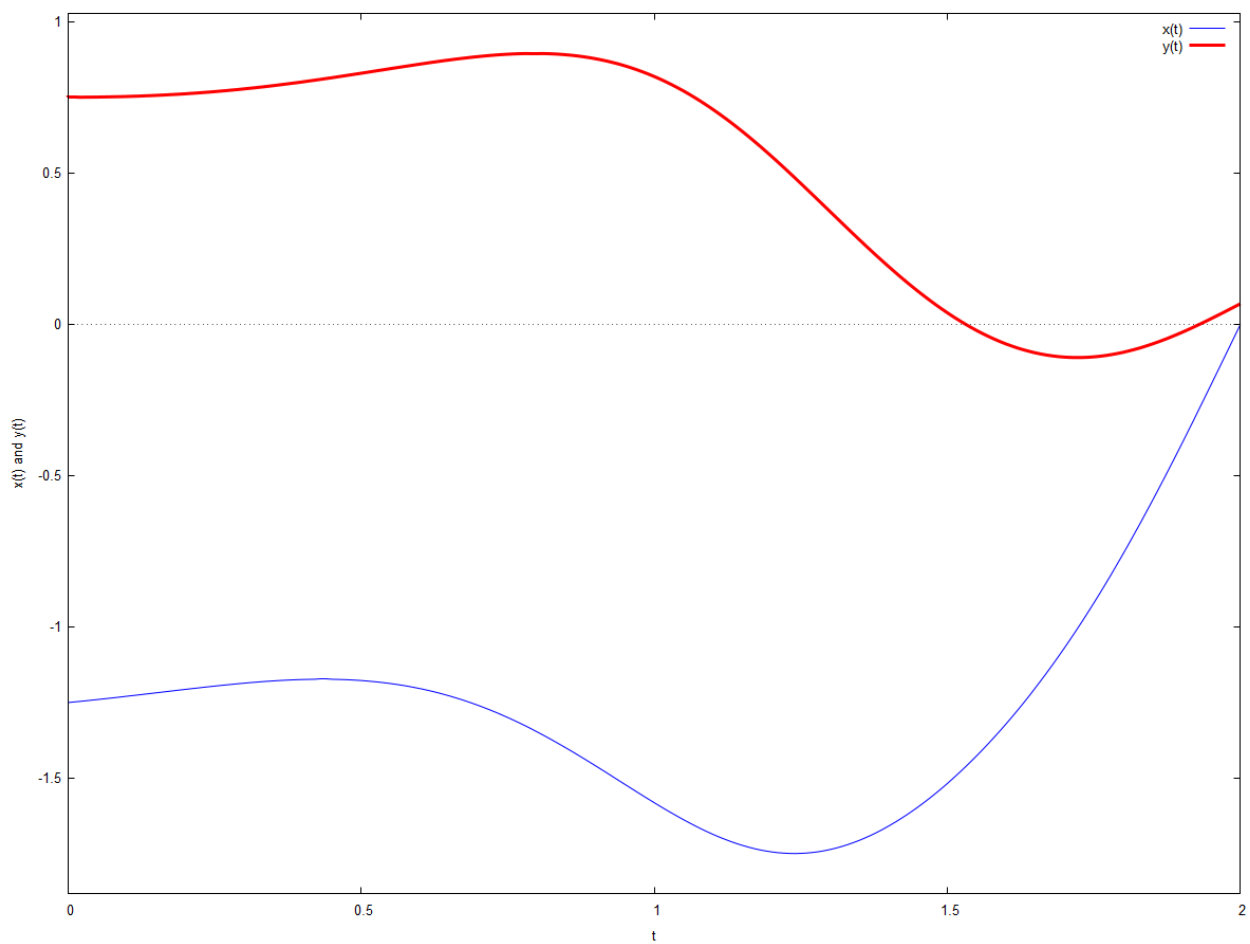
$$x(0) = -1.25, y(0) = 0.75$$

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--> kill ( all ) $
eqn1 : ' diff ( x , t ) = 4 - x ^ 2 - 4 * y ^ 2 ;
eqn2 : ' diff ( y , t ) = y ^ 2 - x ^ 2 + 1 ;
pts : rk ( [ rhs ( eqn1 ) , rhs ( eqn2 ) ] , [ x , y ] , [ - 1 . 25 , 0 . 75 ] , [ t , 0 , 2 , 0 . 01 ] ) $
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$$\frac{d}{dt}x = -4y^2 - x^2 + 4$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}y = y^2 - x^2 + 1$$

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--> curve_x : makelist ( [ pts [ i ] [ 1 ] , pts [ i ] [ 2 ] ] , i , 1 , length ( pts ) ) $
/*wxplot2d([discrete, curve_x])$*/
curve_y : makelist ( [ pts [ i ] [ 1 ] , pts [ i ] [ 3 ] ] , i , 1 , length ( pts ) ) $
wxplot2d ( [ [ discrete , curve_x ] , [ discrete , curve_y ] ] ,
[ legend , "x(t)" , "y(t)" ] ,
[ style , [ lines , 1 ] , [ lines , 3 ] ] ,
[ xlabel , "t" ] ,
[ ylabel , "x(t) and y(t)" ] ) $
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