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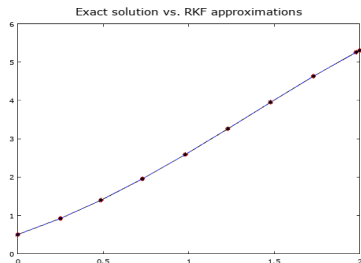
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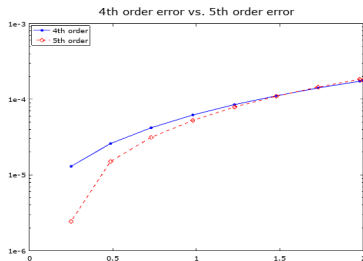
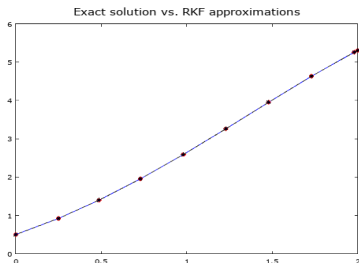
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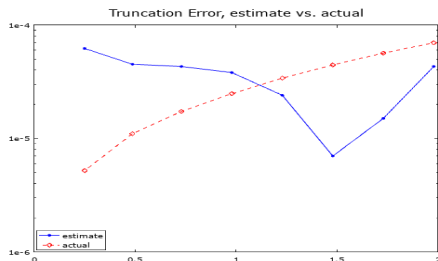
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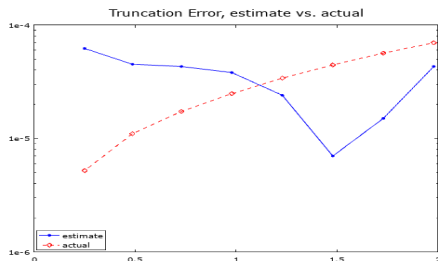
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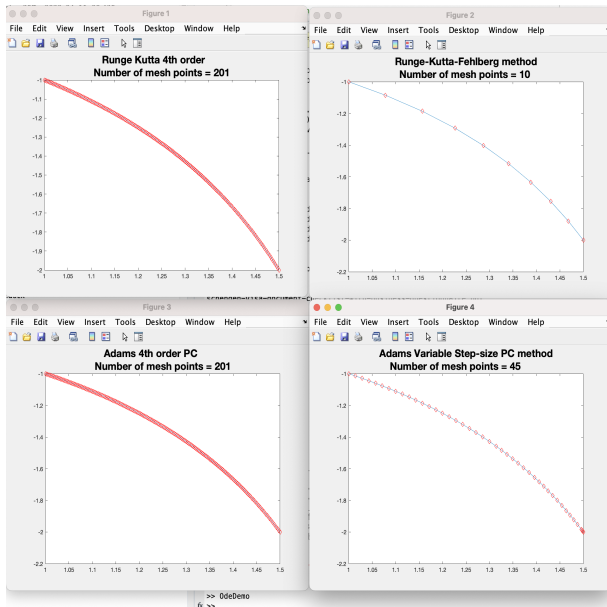
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OdeDemo in matlab



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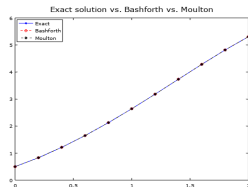
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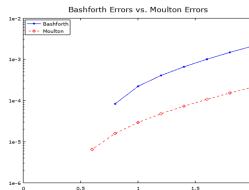
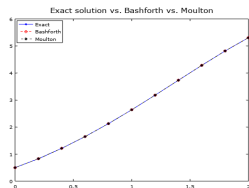
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%
% main loop
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c = h*[ 1/24 -5/24  19/24 9/24 ];
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for i = 4:N
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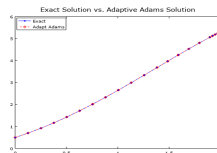
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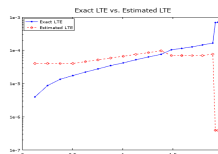
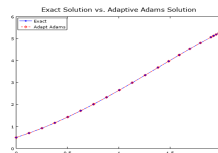


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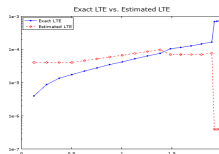
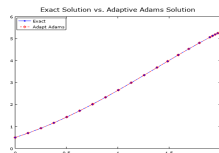
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0.87991	0.1257	2.3287	2.3287	$5.913e-05$	$4.3e-06$
1.0056	0.1257	2.6557	2.6557	$6.706e-05$	$5.4e-06$
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1.4857	0.10301	3.9698	3.9697	$7.029e-05$	$1.08e-05$
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1.9233	0.025558	5.124	5.124	$3.918e-07$	$1.77e-05$
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Adaptive Adams4PC

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0	0	0.5	0.5	0	0
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Estimated LTE is neither upper bound nor accurate

Multistep vs. Runge-Kutta

- ▶ Multistep methods cheaper than Runge-Kutta.
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OdeDemo: `matlab` code on *bcourses* running different ODE solvers.

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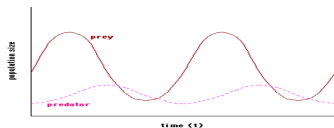
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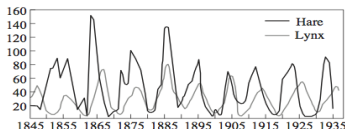
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Circle of life: Boom and Bust dynamics



Circle of life from Canada



Hungry fox y catches squirrel x
(best wildlife photo, 2019)



Lynx and Hare in the Canadian snow



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Systems of ODEs in vector form

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Definition: The function $f(t, \mathbf{u})$ for $\mathbf{u} = \begin{pmatrix} u_1 \\ u_2 \\ \vdots \\ u_m \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbf{R}^m$ defined

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$$\mathcal{D} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \{(t, \mathbf{u}) \mid a \leq t \leq b, \quad -\infty < u_j < \infty, \quad 1 \leq j \leq m.\}$$

satisfies a Lipschitz condition on \mathcal{D} if

$$|f(t, \mathbf{u}) - f(t, \mathbf{z})| \leq L \sum_{j=1}^m |u_j - z_j|, \quad \text{where } \mathbf{z} = \begin{pmatrix} z_1 \\ z_2 \\ \vdots \\ z_m \end{pmatrix},$$

for a constant L and all $(t, \mathbf{u}), (t, \mathbf{z}) \in \mathcal{D}$.

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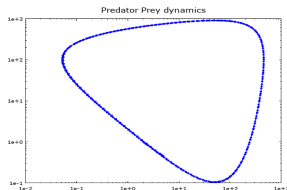
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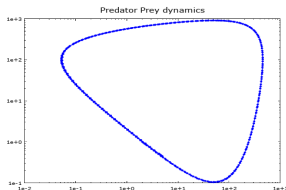
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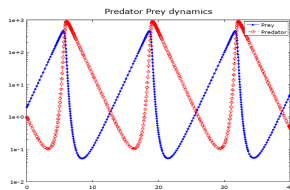
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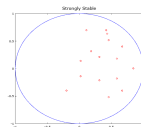
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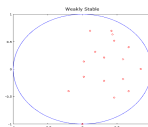
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