

Problem 1:

$$(a) f_i'(x) + \sum_{k=0}^2 a_k f_{i+k}(x) = O(h^\alpha)$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{array}{cccc} f_i & f_i' & f_i'' & f_i''' \\ \hline f_i' & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ a_0 f_i & a_0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ a_1 f_{i+1} & a_1 & a_1 h & \frac{1}{2} a_1 h^2 & \frac{1}{6} a_1 h^3 \\ \hline a_2 f_{i+2} & a_2 & 2a_2 h & 2a_2 h^2 & \frac{4}{3} a_2 h^3 \end{array} \Rightarrow f_i' + \sum_{k=0}^2 a_k f_{i+k} = (a_0 + a_1 + a_2) f_i + (1 + a_1 h + 2a_2 h) f_i' + (\frac{1}{2} a_1 h^2 + 2a_2 h^2) f_i'' + (\frac{1}{6} a_1 h^3 + \frac{4}{3} a_2 h^3) f_i''' + \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} a_0 + a_1 + a_2 = 0 \\ 1 + a_1 h + 2a_2 h = 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} a_1 h^2 + 2a_2 h^2 = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} a_1 = -\frac{2}{h} \\ a_2 = \frac{1}{2h} \\ a_3 = \frac{3}{2h} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f_i'(x) = \frac{-3f_i + 4f_{i+1} - f_{i+2}}{2h} + O(h^2) \Rightarrow \text{leading error: } \frac{1}{3} h^2 f_i'''$$

$$(b) f(x) = e^{ikx}$$

Consider a domain with length L and N intervals (uniform) $\Rightarrow h = \frac{L}{N}$

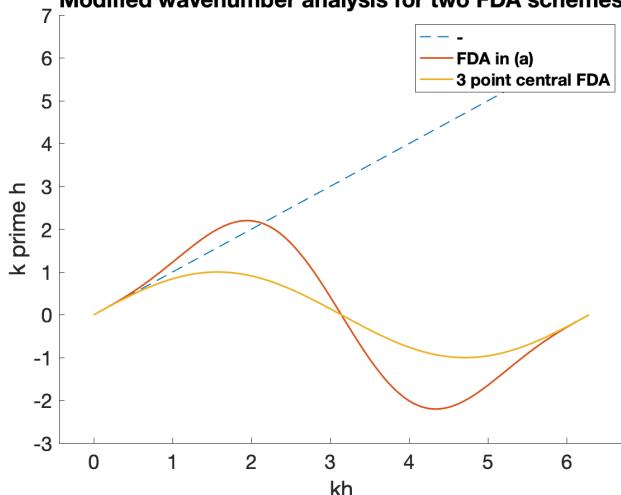
① consider FDA in (a):

$$\begin{aligned} f_j'(x) &= \frac{-3f_j + 4f_{j+1} - f_{j+2}}{2h} = \frac{1}{2h} (-3e^{ikx_j} + 4e^{ik(x_j+h)} - e^{ik(x_j+2h)}) \\ &= \frac{e^{ikx_j}}{2h} (-3 + 4e^{ikh} - e^{2ikh}) \\ &= i \cdot \left[\frac{1}{2ih} (-3 + 4e^{ikh} - e^{2ikh}) \right] \cdot e^{ikx_j} \Rightarrow k'_1 = \frac{1}{2ih} (-3 + 4e^{ikh} - e^{2ikh}) \end{aligned}$$

② consider 3-point central FDA:

$$f_j'(x) = \frac{f_{j+1} - f_{j-1}}{2h} = i \cdot \left[\frac{1}{2ih} (e^{ikh} - e^{-ikh}) \right] \cdot e^{ikx_j} \Rightarrow k'_2 = \frac{1}{2ih} (e^{ikh} - e^{-ikh})$$

Modified wavenumber analysis for two FDA schemes



(c) consider the 3-point central formula for $f''(x)$

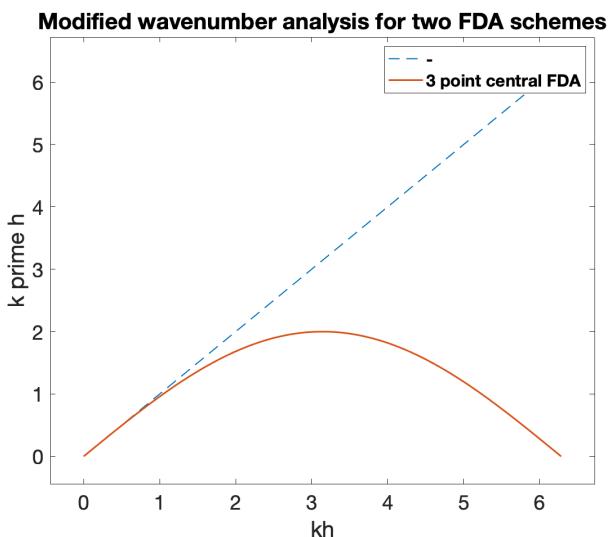
$$\text{exact derivative} = f''(x) = i^2 k^2 e^{ikx} = -k^2 e^{ikx}$$

$$f''_j(x) = \frac{f_{j+1} - 2f_j + f_{j-1}}{h^2} = \frac{1}{h^2} (e^{ik(x_j+h)} - 2e^{ikx_j} + e^{ik(x_j-h)})$$

$$= \frac{1}{h^2} e^{ikx_j} \cdot (e^{ikh} - 2 + e^{-ikh})$$

$$= -\left[\frac{-1}{h^2} (e^{ikh} - 2 + e^{-ikh}) \right] e^{ikx_j} \Rightarrow k'^2 = \frac{-1}{h^2} (e^{ikh} - 2 + e^{-ikh})$$

Comment: with the wavenumber increasing, the accuracy decrease.



Problem 2:

$$\begin{aligned}
 (a) \quad & y_{n+1} = y_n + h[\theta f_{n+1} + (1-\theta)f_n] \\
 \Rightarrow & y_{n+1} = y_n + \lambda h [\theta y_{n+1} + (1-\theta)y_n] \\
 \Rightarrow & (1-\lambda h\theta) y_{n+1} = [1 + (1-\theta)\lambda h] y_n \\
 \Rightarrow & y_{n+1} = \frac{1 + (1-\theta)\lambda h}{1 - \theta\lambda h} y_n \\
 \Rightarrow & \zeta = \frac{1 + (1-\theta)h(\lambda_R + i\lambda_I)}{1 - \theta h(\lambda_R + i\lambda_I)} = \frac{A e^{ia}}{B e^{i\beta}}
 \end{aligned}$$

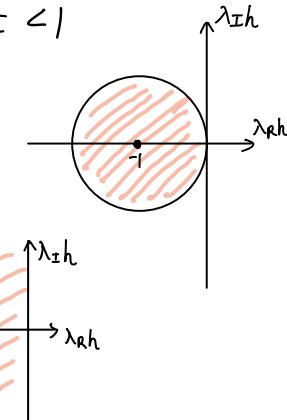
We want $|\zeta|^2 = \frac{|A|^2}{|B|^2} = \frac{[1 + (1-\theta)\lambda_R h]^2 + [(1-\theta)\lambda_I h]^2}{(1-\theta h\lambda_R)^2 + (\lambda_I \theta h)^2} < 1$

① $\theta = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\zeta|^2 &= (1 + \lambda_R h)^2 + (\lambda_I h)^2 \\
 \Rightarrow & \text{conditionally stable}
 \end{aligned}$$

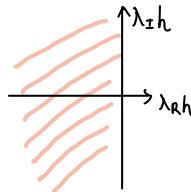
② $\theta = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\zeta|^2 &= \frac{\left(1 + \frac{1}{2}\lambda_R h\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\lambda_I h\right)^2}{\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\lambda_R h\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\lambda_I h\right)^2} < 1 \quad \text{always} \\
 \Rightarrow & \text{unconditionally stable}
 \end{aligned}$$



③ $\theta = 1$

$$\begin{aligned}
 |\zeta|^2 &= \frac{1}{(1 - \lambda_R h)^2 + (\lambda_I h)^2} < 1 \quad \text{for all } \lambda_R < 0 \\
 \Rightarrow & \text{unconditionally stable}
 \end{aligned}$$



$$(b) \quad |\zeta|^2 = \frac{[1 + (1-\theta)\lambda_R h]^2 + [(1-\theta)\lambda_I h]^2}{(1-\theta h\lambda_R)^2 + (\lambda_I \theta h)^2} \quad \text{With } \lambda_R = -\frac{1}{\tau}, \lambda_I = \omega$$

$$\Rightarrow |\zeta|^2 = \frac{\left[1 - \frac{h}{\tau}(1-\theta)\right]^2 + [(1-\theta)\omega h]^2}{\left(1 + \frac{h}{\tau}\theta\right)^2 + (\omega \theta h)^2} = \frac{\left[1 + \frac{h}{\tau}(\theta-1)\right]^2 + [(\theta-1)\omega h]^2}{\left(1 + \frac{h}{\tau}\theta\right)^2 + (\omega \theta h)^2}$$

If $\theta > 1$, then $\left(1 + \frac{h}{\tau}\theta\right)^2 > \left[1 + \frac{h}{\tau}(\theta-1)\right]^2$, $(\omega \theta h)^2 > [(\theta-1)\omega h]^2$

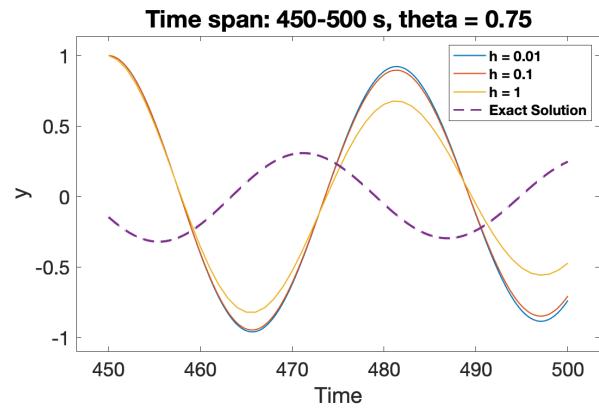
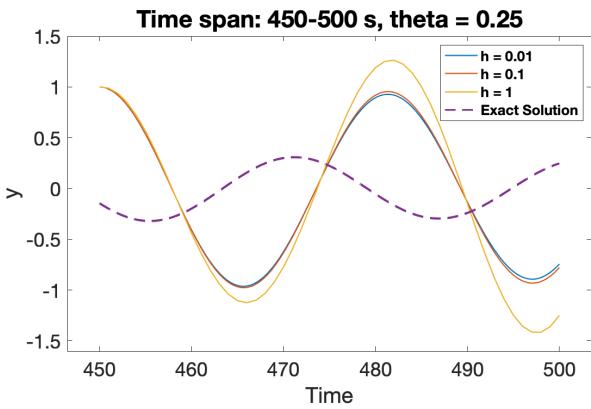
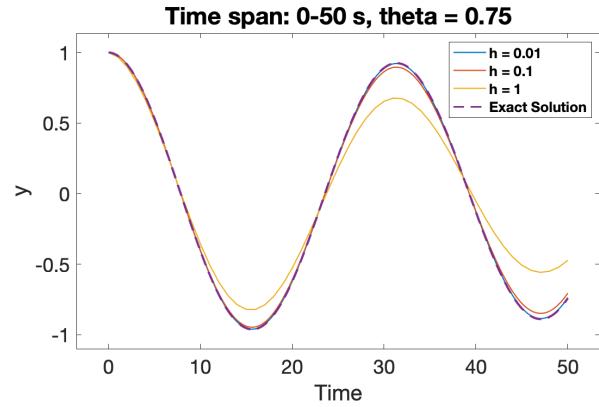
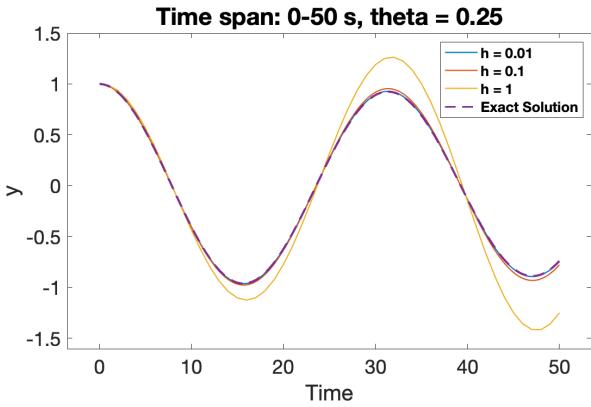
then $|\zeta|^2 < 1$ always

\Rightarrow Eq (1) is unconditionally stable

(c) exact solution:

$$y' = \left(-\frac{1}{\tau} + i\omega\right) y, \quad y(0) = 1 \Rightarrow y = e^{(i\omega - \frac{1}{\tau})t}$$

\Rightarrow see plots in the next page



$$(d) \quad y' = i\omega y, \quad y(0) = 1$$

$$\sigma = \frac{\left[1 - \frac{h}{T}(1-\theta)\right] + [(1-\theta)\omega h]i}{\left(1 + \frac{h}{T}\theta\right) + (\omega\theta h)i} = \frac{1 + (\frac{1}{4}\omega h)i}{1 + (\frac{3}{4}\omega h)i} = A e^{i\alpha}$$

$$|\sigma|^2 = \frac{\left[1 - \frac{h}{T}(1-\theta)\right]^2 + [(1-\theta)\omega h]^2}{\left(1 + \frac{h}{T}\theta\right)^2 + (\omega\theta h)^2} = \frac{1 + \frac{1}{16}\omega^2 h^2}{1 + \frac{9}{16}\omega^2 h^2}$$

$$\text{Amplitude Error} = |\sigma| - 1$$

$$\text{Phase Error} = \alpha - \omega h$$

with $\omega h \ll 1$, we have $\sigma \approx 1$, $\alpha \approx 0$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \text{Amplitude Error} \approx 0 \\ \text{Phase Error} \approx 0 \end{cases}$$

3. (20 points) A third-order Runge-Kutta scheme (RK3) is used to integrate the model linear problem:

$$y' = \lambda y \quad ; \quad y(0) = 1. \quad (3)$$

RK3 scheme is given below :

$$\begin{aligned} f_1 &= f(y_n) \\ f_2 &= f(y_n + (8/15)hf_1) \\ f_3 &= f(y_n + (1/4)hf_1 + (5/12)hf_2) \\ y_{n+1} &= y_n + h(f_1/4 + 3f_3/4) \end{aligned}$$

- a) Obtain the stability restriction on the time step h for $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$. Plot the solution as a stability diagram. What is the restriction on h when $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$?

- b) Implement the RK3 scheme to solve Equation (1). Verify the order of truncation error in your RK3 solution by comparing it to the exact solution.

Problem 3:

$$\begin{aligned}
 (a) \quad f_1 &= f(y_n) = \lambda y_n \\
 f_2 &= f\left(y_n + \frac{8}{15}h \cdot \lambda y_n\right) \\
 &= \lambda \left(1 + \frac{8}{15}h\lambda\right) y_n \\
 f_3 &= f\left(y_n + \frac{1}{4}h f_1 + \frac{5}{12}h f_2\right) \\
 &= \lambda \left(1 + \frac{2}{3}h\lambda + \frac{2}{9}h^2\lambda^2\right) y_n
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow y_{n+1} &= y_n + h \left(\frac{1}{6}f_1 + \frac{3}{4}f_3 \right) \\
 &= \left[1 + h\lambda + \frac{1}{2}(h\lambda)^2 + \frac{1}{6}(h\lambda)^3 \right] y_n
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma = 1 + h\lambda + \frac{1}{2}(h\lambda)^2 + \frac{1}{6}(h\lambda)^3$$

$$\text{For } h: \left| 1 + h + \frac{1}{2}h^2 + \frac{1}{6}h^3 \right| \leq 1$$

(b) T.E.: $O(h^4)$

