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Question: Verify that the function $y = a \cos x + b \sin x$, where, $a, b \in \mathbf{R}$ is a solution of the differential equation $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + y = 0$ if f(0) = a and f'(0) = b.

Solution:

Theoritical solution:

The given differential equation is a second-order linear ordinary differential equation. Let y(0) = a and y'(0) = b. By definition of Laplace transform,

$$\mathcal{L}(f(t)) = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} f(t) dt \tag{1}$$

Some used properties of Laplace transform include,

$$\mathcal{L}(y'') = s^2 \mathcal{L}(y) - sy(0) - y'(0) = s^2 \mathcal{L}(y) - sa - b$$
 (2)

$$\mathcal{L}(\cos t) = \frac{s}{s^2 + 1} \tag{3}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\sin t) = \frac{1}{s^2 + 1} \tag{4}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(cf(t)) = c\mathcal{L}(f(t)) \tag{5}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(f(t)) = F(s) \implies \mathcal{L}(e^{at}f(t)) = F(s-a)$$
 (6)

Applying Laplace transform on the given differential equation, we get,

$$y'' + y = 0 \tag{7}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(y'') + \mathcal{L}(y) = 0 \tag{8}$$

$$s^{2}\mathcal{L}(y) - sa - b + \mathcal{L}(y) = 0 \tag{9}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(y) = \frac{sa+b}{s^2+1} = a\frac{s}{s^2+1} + b\frac{1}{s^2+1}$$
 (10)

(11)

Taking laplace inverse on both sides, we get,

$$y = a\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left(\frac{s}{s^2+1}\right) + b\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s^2+1}\right)$$
 (12)

$$y = a\cos x + b\sin x \tag{13}$$

(14)

Computational Solution: Trapezoid Method

The given differential equation can be represented as

$$y'' + y = 0 \tag{15}$$

Let $y = y_1$ and $y' = y_2$, then,

$$\frac{dy_2}{dx} = -y_1 \text{ and } \frac{dy_1}{dx} = y_2 \tag{16}$$

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$$\int_{y_{2,n}}^{y_{2,n+1}} dy_2 = \int_{x_n}^{x_{n+1}} -y_1 dx$$
(16)

$$\int_{y_{1,n}}^{y_{1,n+1}} dy_1 = \int_{x_n}^{x_{n+1}} y_2 dx \tag{18}$$

(19)

Discretizing the steps (Trapezoid rule),

$$y_{2,n+1} - y_{2,n} = -\frac{h}{2} \left(y_{1,n} + y_{1,n+1} \right) \tag{20}$$

$$y_{1,n+1} - y_{1,n} = \frac{h}{2} (y_{2,n} + y_{2,n+1})$$
 (21)

Solving for $y_{1,n+1}$ and $y_{2,n+1}$, we get,

$$y_{1,n+1} = y_{1,n} + \frac{h}{2} \left(2y_{2,n} - \frac{h}{2} \left(y_{1,n} + y_{1,n+1} \right) \right)$$
 (22)

(23)

The difference equations can be written as,

$$y_{1,n+1} = \frac{\left(4 - h^2\right)y_{1,n} + 4hy_{2,n}}{\left(4 + h^2\right)} \tag{24}$$

$$y_{2,n+1} = \frac{\left(4 - h^2\right) y_{2,n} - 4h y_{1,n}}{\left(4 + h^2\right)} \tag{25}$$

(26)

Iteratively plotting the above system taking intial conditions as

$$x_0 = 0$$
, $y_{1,0} = 0$, $y_{2,0} = 1$ (27)

we get the plot of the given differential equation.

Alternative Computational Solution: Bilinear transform

We have to apply laplace transformation on the given differential equation. From (10), we get,

$$Y(s) = \frac{sa+b}{s^2+1} \tag{28}$$

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Applying Bilinear transform, with T = h, we get,

$$s = \frac{2}{T} \frac{1 - z^{-1}}{1 + z^{-1}} = \frac{2}{h} \frac{1 - z^{-1}}{1 + z^{-1}}$$
(30)

$$\implies Y(z) = \frac{2ha(z^2 - 1) + bh^2(z + 1)^2}{(h^2 + 4)z^2 + 2(h^2 - 4)z + (h^2 + 4)}$$
(31)

$$\implies \left(z^2 + 2\frac{h^2 - 4}{h^2 + 4}z + 1\right)Y(z) = \frac{2ha\left(z^2 - 1\right) + bh^2\left(z^2 + 2z + 1\right)}{h^2 + 4} \tag{32}$$

$$\implies z^2 Y(z) + 2 \frac{h^2 - 4}{h^2 + 4} z Y(z) + Y(z) = \frac{\left(2ha + bh^2\right)z^2 + \left(2h^2b\right)z + \left(h^2b - 2ha\right)}{h^2 + 4} \tag{33}$$

Some properties of one sided z transform,

$$Z(y[n+2]) = z^{2}Y(z) - y[1]z - y[0]$$
(34)

$$\mathcal{Z}(y[n+1]) = zY(z) - zy[0] \tag{35}$$

$$\mathcal{Z}(\delta[n]) = 1, \ z \neq 0 \tag{36}$$

$$\mathcal{Z}(y[n]) = Y(z) \implies \mathcal{Z}(y[n-n_0]) = z^{-n_0}Y(z)$$
(37)

By the time shift property (37),

$$\mathcal{Z}(\delta[n+2]) = z^2, z \neq 0 \tag{38}$$

$$\mathcal{Z}(\delta[n+1]) = z, z \neq 0 \tag{39}$$

Rewriting equation (33), we get,

$$z^{2}Y(z) + 2\frac{h^{2} - 4}{h^{2} + 4}zY(z) + Y(z) + (-y[1]z - y[0]) + 2\left(\frac{h^{2} - 4}{h^{2} + 4}\right)(-zy[0])$$

$$= \frac{\left(2ha + bh^{2}\right)z^{2} + \left(2h^{2}b - y[1] - 2\left(\frac{h^{2} - 4}{h^{2} + 4}\right)y[0]\right)z + \left(h^{2}b - 2ha - y[0]\right)}{h^{2} + 4}$$
(40)

where
$$z \neq 0$$
 (41)

Region of convergence (**ROC**) is given by $z \neq 0$.

Taking z inverse transform on both sides of equation (40), we get the **difference equation** which is given by,

$$y[n+2] + 2\left(\frac{h^{2}-4}{h^{2}+4}\right)y[n+1] + y[n]$$

$$= \frac{\left(2ha+bh^{2}\right)\delta[n+2] + \left(2h^{2}b-y[1]-2\left(\frac{h^{2}-4}{h^{2}+4}\right)y[0]\right)\delta[n+1] + \left(h^{2}b-2ha-y[0]\right)\delta[n]}{h^{2}+4}$$
(42)

Here, δ is given by,

$$\delta[n - n_0] = \begin{cases} 1 & n = n_0 \\ 0 & n \neq n_0 \end{cases}$$
 (43)

As n > 0,

$$\delta[n+2] = \delta[n+1] = 0 \tag{44}$$

The equation (42) is now given by,

$$y[n+2] + 2\left(\frac{h^2 - 4}{h^2 + 4}\right)y[n+1] + y[n] = \frac{\left(h^2b - 2ha - y[0]\right)\delta[n]}{h^2 + 4}$$
(45)

At this point we drop the notation y[n] and replace it with y_n , and we replace a = y(0) and b = y'(0),

$$y_{n+2} + 2\left(\frac{h^2 - 4}{h^2 + 4}\right)y_{n+1} + y_n = \frac{\left(h^2y'(0) - 2hy(0) - y_0\right)\delta[n]}{h^2 + 4}$$
(46)

Note that for computationally plotting the above difference equation, we need $y_0 = y(0)$ as well as y_1 . To find $y_1 = y(0 + h) = y(h)$ we employ first principle of derivative,

$$y'(x) = \lim_{h \to 0} \frac{y(x+h) - y(x)}{h}$$
(47)

$$y(x+h) = y(x) + hy'(x), h \to 0$$
 (48)

$$y_1 = y(h) = y(0) + hy'(0)$$
 (49)

Iteratively plotting the above system taking intial conditions as

$$x_0 = 0$$
, $y_0 = y(0) = 0$, $y'(0) = 1$ (50)

we get the plot of the given differential equation.

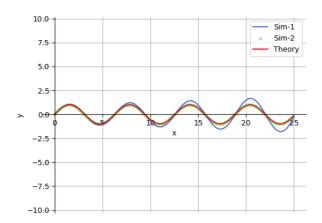


Fig. 0: Here Sim-1 plot represents the plot given by Trapezoid Method, and Sim-2 which is given by Bilinear transform using the same value of h. This plot clearly shows the accuracy of the Bilinear transform method.