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Course Title: Math Lab IV, Course No.: AMTH 450

Assignment 03

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Use Python to solve each of the following problems.

1. Solve the following initial value problems using `odeint` and `solve_ivp` commands and compare the actual error at each step. Also, plot the solutions with exact solutions on the same set of axes.

i) $y' = te^{3t} - 2y$; $0 \leq t \leq 1$, $y(0) = 0$, [exact solution: $y(t) = \frac{1}{5}te^{3t} - \frac{1}{25}e^{3t} + \frac{1}{25}e^{-2t}$]

ii) $y' = 1 + (t - y)^2$; $2 \leq t \leq 3$, $y(2) = 1$, [exact solution: $y(t) = t + \frac{1}{1-t}$]

2. Consider the Lotka-Volterra predator-prey model defined by

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dx}{dt} &= -0.1x + 0.02xy \\ \frac{dy}{dt} &= 0.2y - 0.025xy\end{aligned}$$

where the populations $x(t)$ (predators) and $y(t)$ (prey) are measured in thousands. Suppose $x(0) = 6$ and $y(0) = 6$. Solve the system to find $x(t)$ and $y(t)$, and use the graphs to approximate the time $t > 0$ when the two populations are first equal.

3. Consider the competition model defined by

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dx}{dt} &= x(2 - 0.4x - 0.3y) \\ \frac{dy}{dt} &= y(1 - 0.1y - 0.3x)\end{aligned}$$

where the populations $x(t)$ and $y(t)$ are measured in thousands and t in years. Analyze the populations over a long period of time for each of the following cases:

a) $x(0) = 1.5$, $y(0) = 3.5$

b) $x(0) = 1$, $y(0) = 1$

c) $x(0) = 2$, $y(0) = 7$

d) $x(0) = 4.5$, $y(0) = 0.5$

4. The motion of a swinging pendulum under certain simplifying assumptions is described by the second-order differential equation

$$\frac{d^2\theta}{dt^2} + \frac{g}{L}\sin\theta = 0$$

Suppose the pendulum is 2 feet long and $g = 32.17 \text{ ft/s}^2$. Find the values of θ for $0 \leq t \leq 2$ and initial conditions $\theta(0) = \frac{\pi}{6}$, $\theta'(0) = 0$, taking increment of 0.1 s .

5. Solve the following system of ODEs

$$\begin{aligned}x_2''' &= -x_1''' + x_2' + x_1 + \sin(t) \\ x_1''' &= -2x_2' + x_2\end{aligned}$$

(*hint: reduce it to a system of first order ODES*)

6. Use the **Linear Shooting Algorithm** to approximate the solution of $y = e^{-10x}$ to the boundary value problem

$$y'' = 100y, \quad 0 \leq x \leq 1, \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y(1) = e^{-10}$$

Use $h = 0.1$ and 0.05 . Also use `solve_bvp` to find the solution of the same problem.