

# NCERT-9.4.14

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**Question:** Find the solution of the following differential equation, Given that  $y = 0$  when  $x = 1$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{y}{x} + \csc\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) = 0 \quad (1)$$

**Theoretical Solution:**

Let  $t = \frac{y}{x}$ , then:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = t + x \frac{dt}{dx} \quad (2)$$

Substituting into the given equation:

$$t + x \frac{dt}{dx} - t + \csc t = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$\frac{dt}{dx} + \csc t = 0 \quad (4)$$

$$\sin t dt = -dx \quad (5)$$

Integrating both sides:

$$\int \sin t dt = - \int dx \quad (6)$$

$$-\cos t = -(x + c) \quad (7)$$

$$\cos \frac{y}{x} = x + c \quad (8)$$

Using  $y = 0$  when  $x = 1$  to find  $c$ :

$$\cos 0 = 1 + c \quad (9)$$

$$c = 0 \quad (10)$$

Thus, the theoretical solution is:

$$\cos\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) = x \quad (11)$$

### Computational Solution using RK4:

The RK4 method is a numerical technique that improves accuracy over Euler's method. The update formulas are:

$$k_1 = hf(x_n, y_n) \quad (12)$$

$$k_2 = hf\left(x_n + \frac{h}{2}, y_n + \frac{k_1}{2}\right) \quad (13)$$

$$k_3 = hf\left(x_n + \frac{h}{2}, y_n + \frac{k_2}{2}\right) \quad (14)$$

$$k_4 = hf(x_n + h, y_n + k_3) \quad (15)$$

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + \frac{1}{6}(k_1 + 2k_2 + 2k_3 + k_4) \quad (16)$$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n + h \quad (17)$$

For our equation:

$$f(x, y) = \frac{y}{x} - \csc\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) \quad (18)$$

We iterate with a small step size  $h$  to compute  $y$  for increasing values of  $x$ .

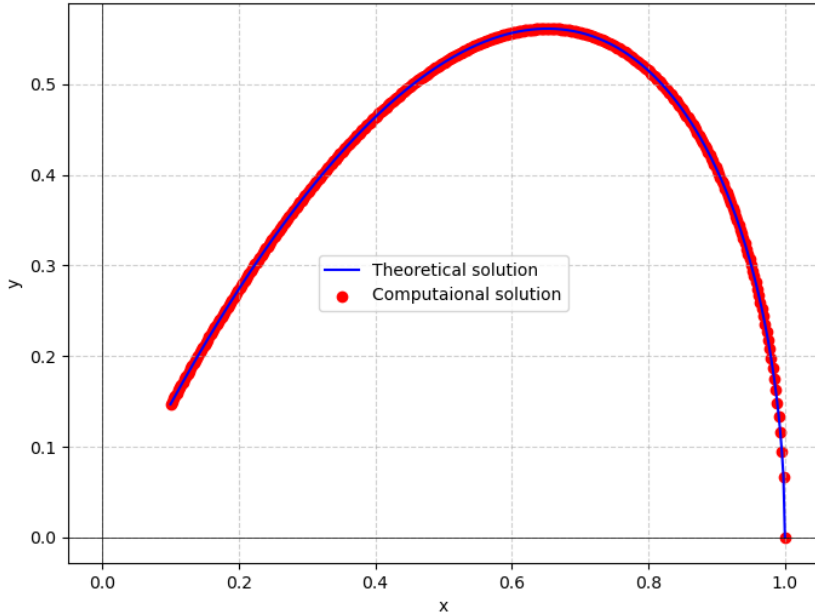


Fig. 1. Solution of the given DE using RK4