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Systems of Differential Equations

Initial Value Problems in MATLAB

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Programming Assignment: The Two-Body Problem

# Ralston's Method

Construct Ralston's method, which is a second-order Runge-Kutta method corresponding to  $\alpha = \beta = 3/4$ ,  $a = 1/3$  and  $b = 2/3$ .

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