#### Mini-project 2

- Mini-project 2 presentations: April 21 (last day of class).
- Start thinking about what you want to do.
- Please choose a topic relevant to what we saw in the second ½ of the class during this semester.
- Suggested projects on Canvas.
- E-mail me your ideas starting now (if you haven't already).

# Solving ODEs Ordinary Differential Equations

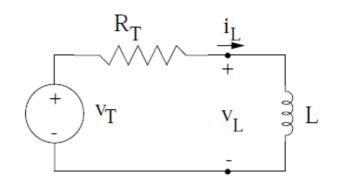
## Solving ODEs

- Problem to solve:  $\frac{dy}{dt} = f(t, y)$ Note equation is 1<sup>st</sup> order.
- f(t,y) is a given function of time, y, and some parameters.
- y can be scalar or vector (i.e. system of equations)
- Goal: find y(t).

#### Example

Example (electronics):

$$L\frac{di_L}{dt} + R_T i_L = V_T(t)$$



L and R are known values (parameters).





- V(t) is a known function of time (source).
- Your know i(t=0) = 0

Current flow through circuit

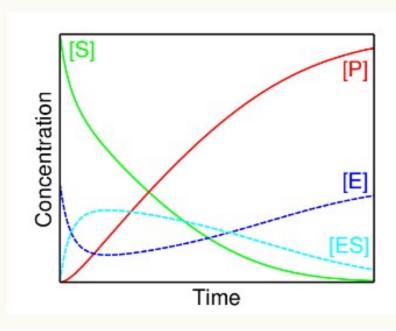
Goal: Determine *i*(*t*)

## Example – Chemical Engineering

Substituting this into Eq.(5.36) we obtain

$$\frac{d[P]}{dt} = k_{cat}[E]_{tot} \frac{[S]}{K_M + [S]}$$
 (5.39)

where  $K_M$  is the so-called Michaelis constant defined as  $K_M = \frac{k_r + k_{cat}}{k_f}$ .



The changes in species concentration over time are shown in the figure. We mentioned earlier that the model is used to describe the breaking down of sucrose into glucose and fructose, while here we only have one product [P]. It turns out that glucose is a **competitive inhibitor** that also binds to the substrate ensuring that the reaction slows down. This reaction is not the only example of competitive inhibition

## Difference between integrating a function and solving ODEs

 Integrate a function: y is on LHS only, f(t) can be evaluated everywhere.

$$y = \int_{a}^{t} dt_{1} f(t_{1}) \rightarrow \frac{dy}{dt} = f(t)$$

Integrate ODE: y is on both LHS and RHS.
 Only know function at current and past points.

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = f(t, y) \blacktriangleleft$$
 Note ODE involves  $y$  on RHS

 Nonetheless, one usually says loosely "integrating an ODE".

## First method: Forward Euler (1D)

- Original problem  $\frac{dy}{dt} = f(t, y)$
- Taylor expansion

$$y(t_n+h)=y(t_n)+h\frac{dy}{dt}\bigg|_{t_n}+O(h^2)$$

A couple of definitions:

$$t_n = n \Delta t = nh$$
  $y(t_n) = y_n$ 

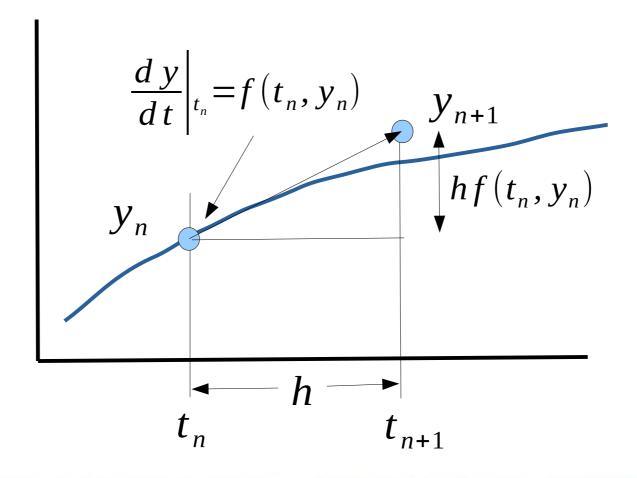
Euler forward integration:

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + hf(t_n, y_n)$$

Value at n+1 is found By evaluating f at time n

#### Forward Euler

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + hf(t_n, y_n)$$



### **Algorithm**

- 1. Start at point (t<sub>n</sub>, y(t<sub>n</sub>)), stepsize h.
- 2. Compute  $y_{n+1} = y_n + h^*f(t_n, y_n)$ . This is new y value at  $t_{n+1}$
- 3. Is  $t_{n+1} >= T_{end}$ ? If so, return answer to caller. Otherwise, go back to step 2 and compute next y.

```
function y = ForwardEuler(y0, N)
 % This function solves the differential equation
 % y' = f(y,t) using forward Euler integration.
 % It takes as inputs:
 % y0 = initial value of y
 % N = Number of points to compute
 global lambda;
 global alpha;
 global omega;
 global h;
                                 This implementation returns vector
 % create vector y
                                 y(n) representing development of y
 y = zeros(1, N);
                                 as function of, say, time.
 t = 0;
 y(1) = y0;
 for n = 1:(N-1)
    y(n+1) = y(n) + h*f(y(n), t);
    t = t+h;
 end
```

end

## Simple demo

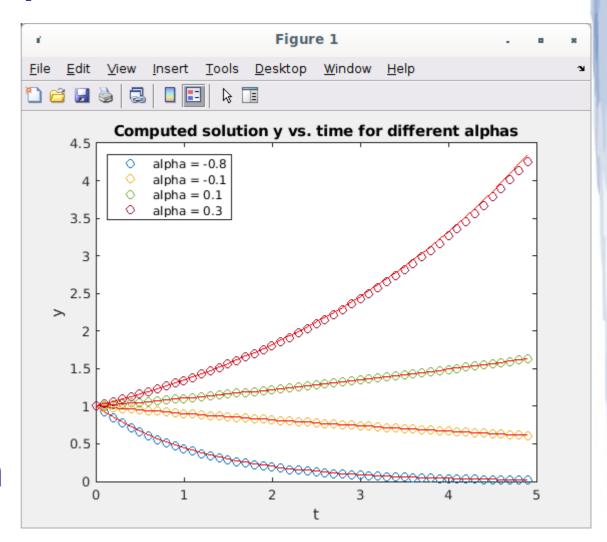
• IVP:

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \alpha y$$
  $y(0) = 1$ 

Analytic solution:

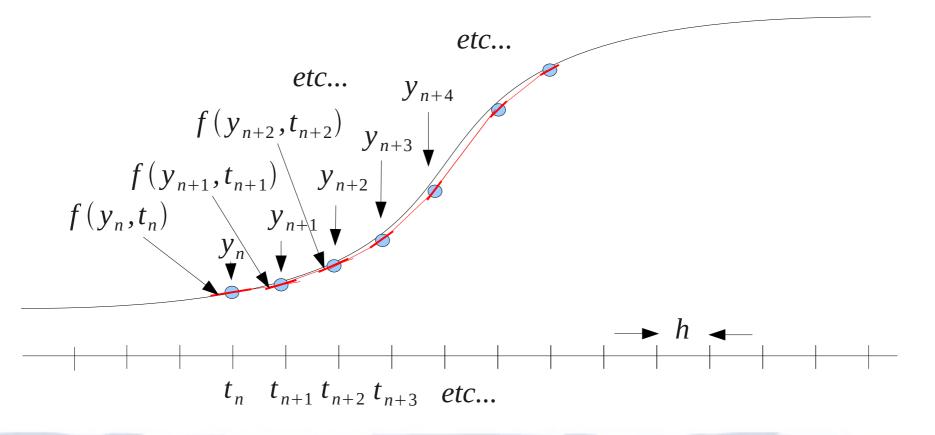
$$y(t)=e^{\alpha t}$$

 Note deviation of computed solution from analytic result.



#### **Forward Euler**

- Evaluate slope  $f(y_n, t_n)$  at each point  $t_n$ .
- Step forward based upon slope at  $t_n$ .
- Method is not that accurate....



## Concept: Truncation Errors -- local and global

Original problem (IVP)

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = f(t, y) \qquad y(0) = C$$

Mathematically true solution:

$$y_{true} = \int_0^t f(t, y_{true}) dt + C$$

Forward Euler solution:

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + h f(t_n, y_n)$$
  $y_0 = C$ 

Local truncation error

$$e_n = y_{true}(t_n) - y_n$$

Error observed at every step between true and computed solution

#### Recall derivation of forward Euler

Original ODE

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = f(t, y)$$

Taylor expansion of y(t+h)

$$h^2$$

$$y(t_n+h)=y(t_n)+h\frac{dy}{dt}\Big|_{t_n}+O(h^2)$$

Local truncation error

$$e_n = y_{true}(t_n) - y_n$$

$$e_n = y_{true}(t_n) - (y_{n-1} + hf(t_{n-1}, y_{n-1}) + O(h^2))$$

Forward Euler LTE = O(h²)

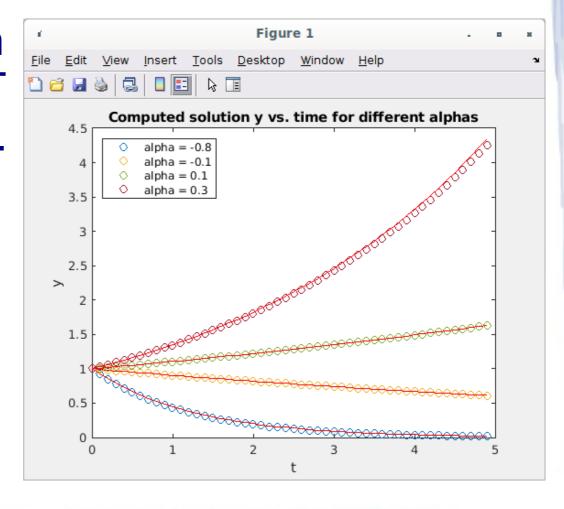
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Every step introduces

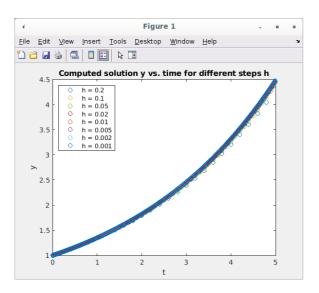
another error of O(h<sup>2</sup>)

#### Global truncation error

- We are interested in a solution over a fixed interval length T = N\*h
- We are interested in how the error over T scales as we vary h. For fixed interval T we have N= T/h.
  - Therefore, GTE
    - = N\*LTE
    - $= O(h^2)/h$
    - = O(h).

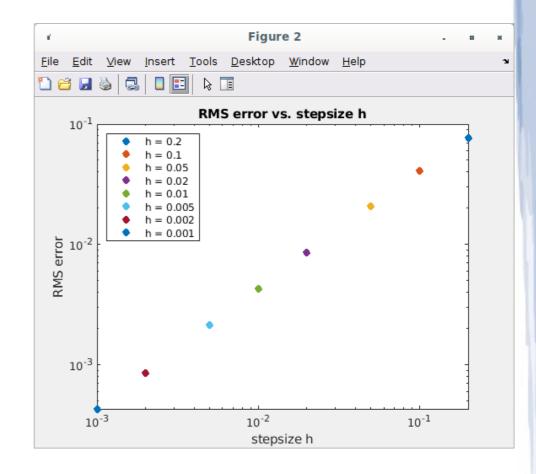


#### GTE for forward Euler IVP



 Compute RMS error of computed solution

$$RMS = \sqrt{\frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N} (y_{true}(t_n) - y_n)^2}$$

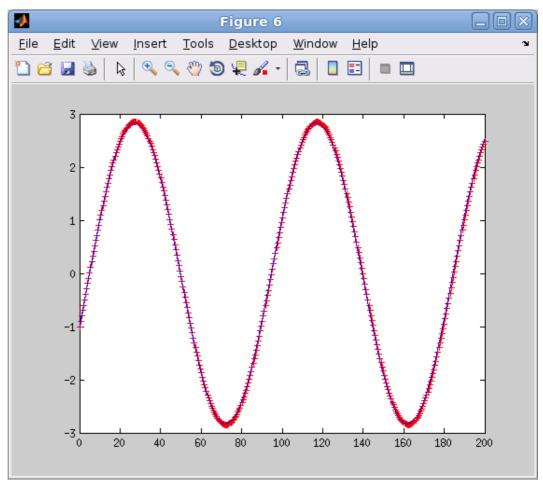


- Plot RMS error vs. stepsize h.
- Observe error scales as  $RMS \sim O(h)$

#### **Another Forward Euler solution**

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -\lambda y + \alpha \sin(\omega t)$$

- Red crosses are Forward Euler solution
- Blue line is exact solution.
- h = 0.5

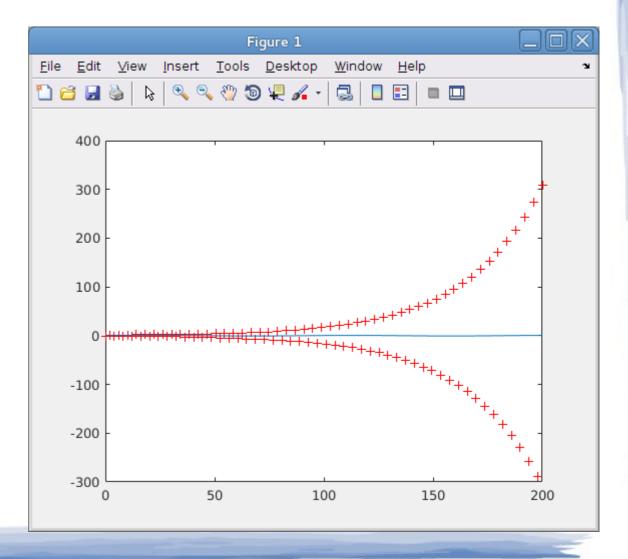


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### Try different step size...

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -\lambda y + \alpha \sin(\omega t)$$

- h = 2.0
- What happened?????



## Concept: Stability Region for 1<sup>st</sup> order, linear ODE

- Find behavior of forward Euler for simple linear ODE as function of input parameter.
- Consider first order system:  $\frac{dy}{dt} = \lambda y \quad \text{with decomposition} \quad y^{comp} = y^{true} + e^{-\frac{t}{2}}$
- Forward Euler discretized version

$$y_{n+1}^{comp} = y_n^{comp} + \lambda h y_n^{comp}$$
 and  $e_{n+1} = e_n + \lambda h e_n$ 

## Forward Euler – stability region

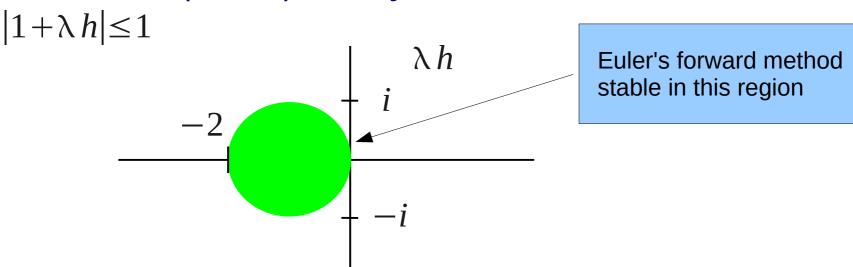
Stability means: Errors don't grow with n.

$$e_{n+1} = e_n + \lambda h e_n = (1 + \lambda h) e_n$$

Solution is

$$e_{n+1} = (1 + \lambda h)^{n+1} e_0$$

Solution (error)decays to zero when



For stability, h must decrease as λ increases.

### Concept: Stability

- Stability refers to tendency of error to grow and diverge on its own
  - Error decreases over time method is stable.
  - Error increases over time method is unstable.
- Stability is a property of the numerical method.
- Some methods are stable, some are not.
  - Forward Euler is stable over a limited parameter range for first order linear ODE in 1D.

#### Next: what about 2<sup>nd</sup> order equations?

Very important case due to e.g. Newton's 3<sup>rd</sup> law:

$$m\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = f(x, dx/dt, t)$$

- 2<sup>nd</sup> order ODE can be written as two 1<sup>st</sup> order ODEs:
  - Define:

$$\frac{d^{2}y}{dt^{2}} + p(t,y)\frac{dy}{dt} + q(t,y)y(t) = f(t)$$
$$y_{1}(t) = y(t) \qquad y_{2}(t) = y'(t)$$

Generalization to Nth order is obvioius

$$\frac{dy_2}{dt} = -p(t)y_2(t) - q(t)y_1(t) + f(t, y(t))$$

$$\frac{dy_1}{dt} = y_2(t)$$

#### What about Euler's method in ND?

- Good news: Solvers work as before, except variables are vectors
- Forward Euler:

$$\frac{d\vec{y}}{dt} = \vec{f}(t, \vec{y})$$

$$\vec{y}_{n+1} = \vec{y}_n + h\vec{f}(t_n, \vec{y}_n)$$

```
% create vector y
y = zeros(1, N);
t = 0;

y(1) = y0;
for n = 1:(N-1)
    y(n+1) = y(n) + h*f(y(n), t);
    t = t+h;
end
```

### Simple example: harmonic oscillator

As second order ODE:

$$\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} = -\omega^2 y$$

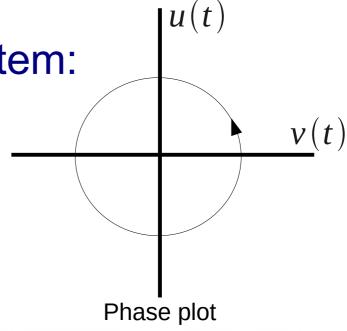
Solutions:

$$\sin(\omega t)$$
  $\cos(\omega t)$ 

Written as first order system:

$$\frac{du}{dt} = v$$

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = -\omega^2 u$$



#### Discretizing the Harmonic Oscillator

Start with continuous ODE system:

$$\frac{du}{dt} = v \qquad \frac{dv}{dt} = -\omega^2 u$$

Discretize (Forward Euler):

$$u_{n+1} = u_n + \Delta t v_n$$
  $v_{n+1} = v_n - \omega^2 \Delta t u_n$ 

• Since system is linear, write as matrix equation:

Propagator matrix

## Forward Euler Algorithm for H.O.

1. Start at point 
$$\begin{pmatrix} u_0 \\ v_0 \end{pmatrix}$$
  $t=t_0$ 

2. Take Euler step using propagator matrix

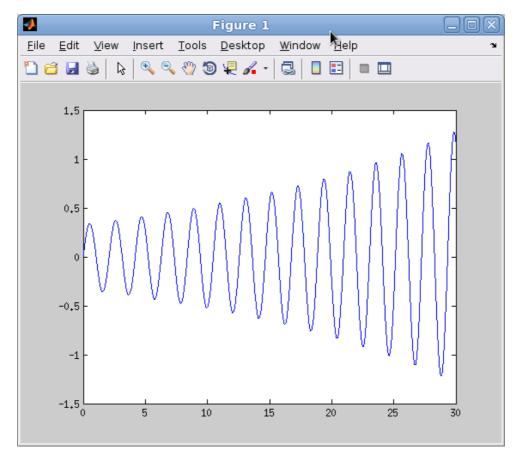
- 3. Check if t > Tmax
  - If yes, return.
  - If no, go back to 2 and take another step

```
function harmonic_oscillator()
 % This uses forward Euler to compute the solution
 % to the harmonic oscillator problem
 % Set up time axis of problem
  Tend = 30;
  deltat = .01;
 N = Tend/deltat;
  omega = 3;
  t = linspace(0, Tend, N);
 % Use u vector to store computed values of y(1, :)
  u = zeros(1, N);
 % Initial cond
  y = [0; 1];
 % Propagation matrix
 A = [1, deltat; -omega*omega*deltat, 1];
  for ctr = 1:N
   y = A*y;
   u(ctr) = y(1);
  end
 plot(t, u)
end
```

## Harmonic oscillator – numerical solution using Forward Euler

$$\frac{du}{dt} = v$$

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = -\omega^2 u$$



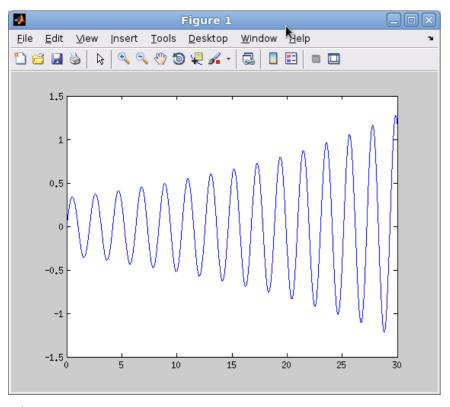
$$h = .01$$

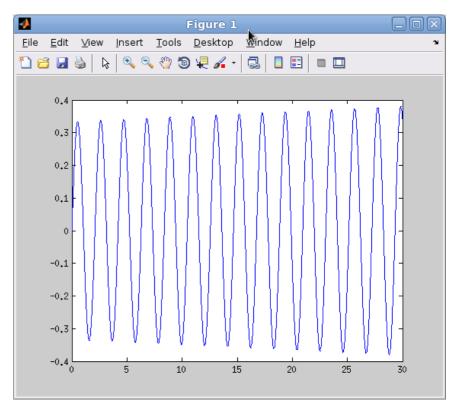
$$\omega = 3$$

- Known general solution:  $u(t) = A \sin(\omega t) + B \cos(\omega t)$
- Something is wrong.....

#### Solution from forward Euler

•  $\omega = 3$  for both runs





 $\Delta t = 0.01$ 

 $\Delta t = 0.001$ 

Stability improves for decreasing

Stability improves, but solution always runs away.

Simulation time increases with decreasing



## Stability analysis for harmonic oscillator using forward Euler

Forward Euler equations

Assume solution

Note: This is equivalent to 
$$e_n \begin{vmatrix} \sin(\omega t_n) \\ \cos(\omega t_n) \end{vmatrix}$$

Vector magnitude =1 for correct solution

Propagator matrix

## Stability analysis

Substituting assumed soln into fwd Euler equation:

$$e_{n+1}e^{-i\omega t_{n+1}}\begin{pmatrix} i\\1\end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \Delta t\\-\omega^2 \Delta t & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot e_n e^{-i\omega t_n}\begin{pmatrix} i\\1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Simplify

$$e_{n+1}e^{-i(\omega t_{n+1}-\omega t_{n+1})}\begin{pmatrix} i\\1\end{pmatrix}=\begin{pmatrix} 1&\Delta t\\-\omega^2\Delta t&1\end{pmatrix}\cdot e_n\begin{pmatrix} i\\1\end{pmatrix}$$

$$e_{n+1}e^{-i\Delta t}\begin{pmatrix} i\\1\end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \Delta t\\-\omega^2 \Delta t & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot e_n\begin{pmatrix} i\\1 \end{pmatrix}$$

From last page,

$$e_{n+1}e^{-i\Delta t}\begin{pmatrix} i\\1\end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \Delta t\\-\omega^2 \Delta t & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot e_n\begin{pmatrix} i\\1 \end{pmatrix}$$

**Define** 

$$g = \left(\frac{e_{n+1}}{e_n}\right) e^{-i\omega\Delta t}$$
 g is growth factor

to get:

$$g\begin{pmatrix} i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \Delta t \\ -\omega^2 \Delta t & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

This is an eigenvalue equation, g is eigenvalue.

## Find growth factor g

• Eigenvalues *g* found from roots of characteristic equation:

$$det \begin{pmatrix} 1-g & \Delta t \\ -\omega^2 \Delta t & 1-g \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$(1-g)^2 + \omega^2 \Delta t^2 = 0$$

Solve for g

$$g=1\pm i\omega \Delta t$$

• Recall definition of g:  $g = \left(\frac{e_{n+1}}{e_n}\right) e^{-i\omega\Delta t}$ 

• Therefore:

$$|e_{n+1}| = |ge_n|$$

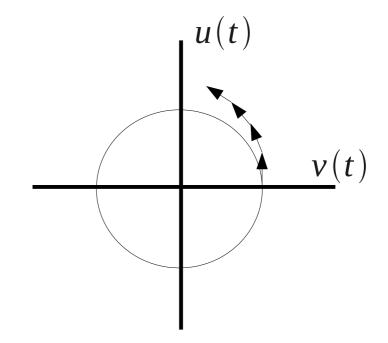
Implies exponentially growing error – This system is always unstable

## Conclusion of stability analysis

Growth at each step:

$$|e_{n+1}| = |ge_n|$$

Growth factor:



- Forward Euler computed solution spirals outward from true solution.
  - Rate of divergence depends upon step size.
  - Reason: Slope used is always wrong.

#### Remarks

Stable for small step-sizes.

- Forward Euler is usually unstable.
- Can be stable for some parameter values (1D case).
- In general, how do you know if your simulation is stable or not?
  - Unstable simulation usually blows up.
     Solutions tend to infinity.
  - You should play around with h to verify results don't depend on step size.
- Use better method than Forward Euler

#### Next: Backward Euler method

- Start with  $\frac{dy}{dt} = f(t, y)$
- Consider Taylor's expansion centered around  $t_{n+1}$ :

$$y(t_{n+1}-h)=y(t_{n+1})-h\frac{dy}{dt}\Big|_{t_{n+1}}+O(h^2)$$
  
 $y(t_n)$ 

Rearrange to get Euler's backward method:

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + h \frac{dy}{dt} \Big|_{t_{n+1}} + O(h^2)$$

$$= y_n + h f(t_{n+1}, y_{n+1})$$

Value at n+1 is found By evaluating f at time n+1

#### Backward Euler...

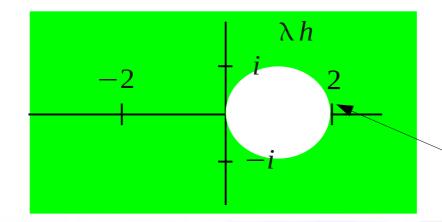
- Concept: forward Euler = explicit method, backward Euler = implicit method.
- You need f(y+h) to compute f(y+h). How to get f(y+h)??

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + hf(t_{n+1}, y_{n+1}) \rightarrow$$
 Find u such that  $g(u) = y_n + hf(t_{n+1}, u) - u = 0$ 

- Iteration sometimes works.
- Newton's method works, but you need analytic derivative.
- Secant method works.
- GTE = O(h)

# Consider stability of backward Euler

- Recall linear equation:  $\frac{dy}{dt} = \lambda y$
- Recall decomposition into into true + error terms. But now  $e_{n+1} = e_n + \lambda h e_{n+1}$
- This implies error grows as  $e_n = \left(\frac{1}{1-\lambda h}\right)^n e_0$  Stable for  $\left|\frac{1}{1-\lambda h}\right| \le 1$



Euler's backward method stable in this region

#### Forward vs. Backward Euler

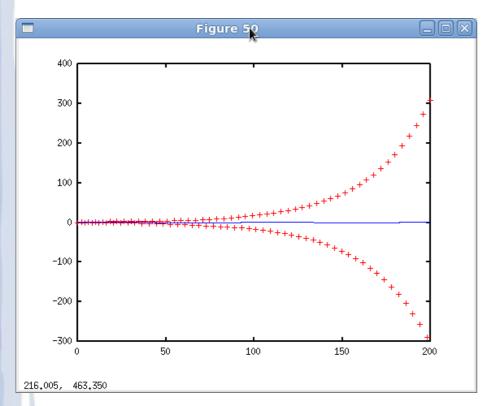
$$\frac{dy}{dt} = -\lambda y + \alpha \sin(\omega t)$$

$$\lambda = 1.03$$

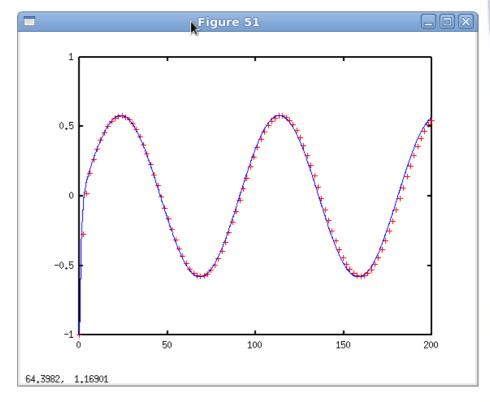
$$\alpha = 0.6$$

$$\lambda = 1.03$$
  $\alpha = 0.6$   $\omega = 0.07$   $h = 2$ 

$$h=2$$



Forward Euler => unstable for these parameters



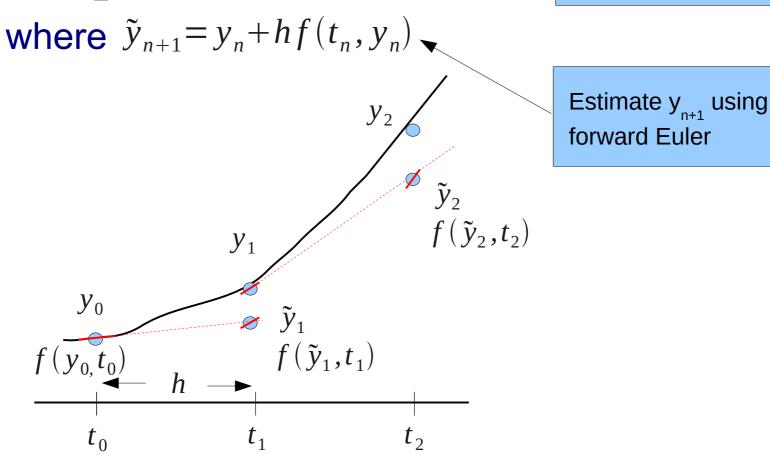
Backward Euler => stable for these parameters

#### Improved Euler method (Heun's method)

Compute solution using

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + \frac{h}{2} |f(t_n, y_n) + f(t_{n+1}, \tilde{y}_{n+1})|$$

Use average slope Between  $t_n$  and  $t_{n+1}$ 



- Explicit method ("forward" method)
- First step equivalent to trapezoidal method for integration.

## Heun's method algorithm

$$\frac{d\vec{y}}{dt} = \vec{f}(t, \vec{y})$$
 Equation to integrate

- 1. Start at  $y_0$
- 2. Loop on *n*:

$$f_n = f(t_n, y_n)$$

$$\tilde{y}_{n+1} = y_n + h f_n$$

$$f_{n+1}=f(t_n+h,\tilde{y}_{n+1})$$

 $y_{n+1} = y_n + \frac{h}{2} (f_n + f_{n+1})$ 

Value of RHS at time  $t_n$ 

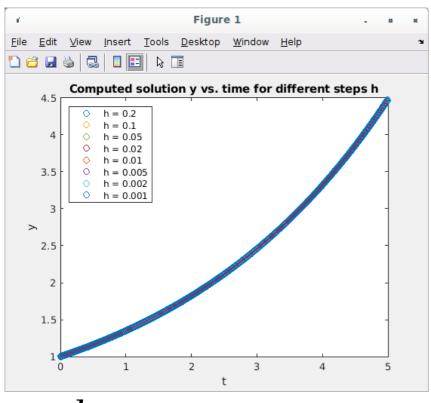
Get next  $y_{n+1}$  value using Forward Euler

Now evaluate  $f_{n+1}$  at next step using this new value for  $y_{n+1}$ 

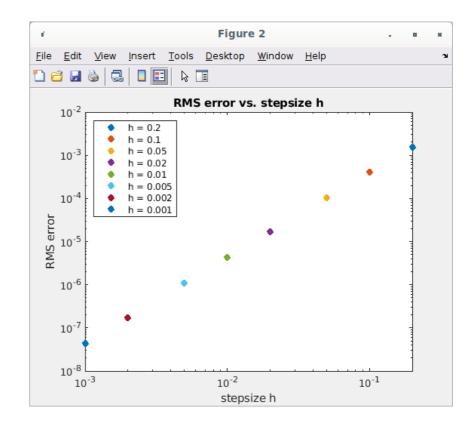
Get new  $y_{n+1}$  value using average slope between  $t_n$  and  $t_{n+1}$ 

- 3. End loop
- 4. Return vector y<sub>n</sub>

#### GTE of Heun's method



$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \alpha y \qquad y(0) = 1$$

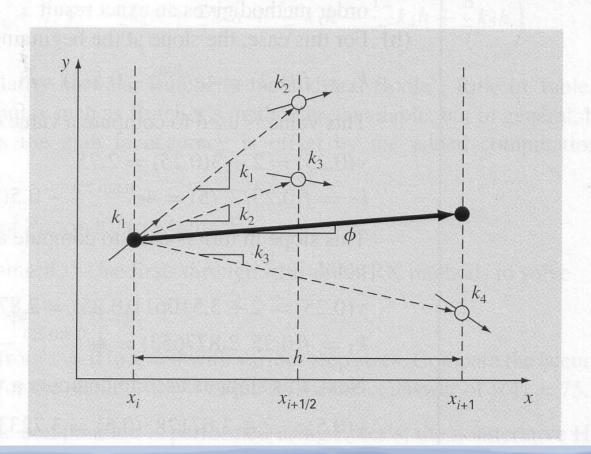


$$RMS \sim O(h^2)$$

### Runge-Kutta methods

• Main idea: Extend idea in Heun's method to compute more points between  $y_n$  and  $y_{n+1}$  for increased accuracy.

Graphical depiction of the slope estimates comprising the fourth-order RK method.



# 4<sup>th</sup> order Runge-Kutta

All-purpose workhorse

$$k_1 = hf(y_n, t)$$

$$k_2 = hf(y_n + k_1/2, t + h/2)$$

$$k_3 = hf(y_n + k_2/2, t + h/2)$$

$$k_4 = hf(y_n + k_3, t + h)$$

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + (k_1 + 2k_2 + 2k_2 + k_4)/6$$

- Example implementation on Blackboard.
- Matlab: ode45, ode23.

# 4<sup>th</sup> order Runge Kutta

```
function y = RK4(y0, N, h)
 % This function solves the system
 % y' = f(y,t) using 4nd order Runge-Kutta
 % It takes as inputs:
 % y0 = initial value of y
 % N = Number of points to compute
 % preallocate vector y
  rows = length(y0);
 y = zeros(rows, N);
  t = 0;
 y(:,1) = y0;
  for n = 1:(N-1)
    k1 = h*f(y(:,n), t);
    k2 = h*f(y(:,n) + k1/2, t+h/2);
    k3 = h*f(y(:,n) + k2/2, t+h/2);
    k4 = h*f(y(:,n) + k3, t+h);
    y(:,n+1) = y(:,n) + (k1 + 2*k2 + 2*k3 + k4)/6;
   t = t+h;
 end
```

#### RK4 – GTE

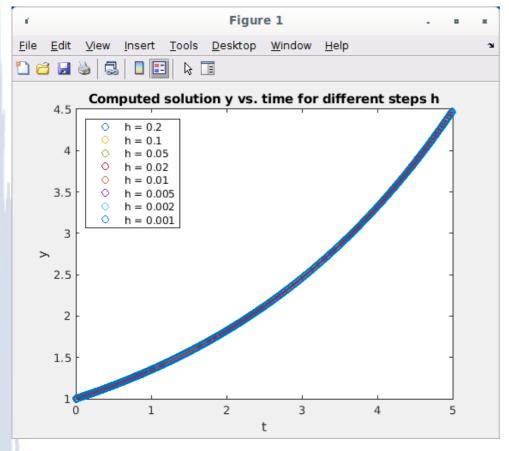


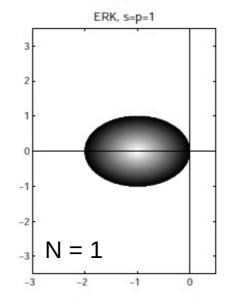
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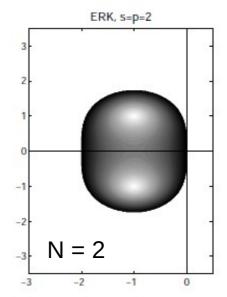
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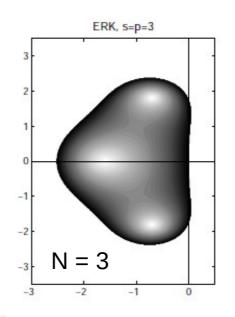
$$RMS \sim O(h^4)$$

## Explicit Runge Kutta stability regions

- Stability regions for order N
- This is for explicit RK.
- Implicit RK
   also exists for
   dealing with
   stiff systems.
- Matlab: ode15s, ode23s, etc.







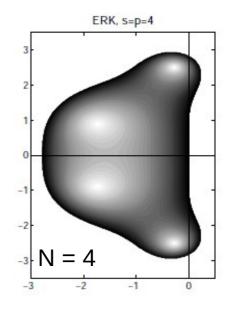


Figure 10.4: Explicit Runge-Kutta Stability Regions

### Example: the van der Pol equation

- Nonlinear ODE.
- Equation comes from analysis of self-oscillations in vacuum tubes.

$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} - \epsilon (1 - x^2) \frac{dx}{dt} + x = 0$$



Written as a system

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = y$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \epsilon (1 - x^2) y - x$$

```
function y = ForwardEuler(y0, N, h)
  global epsilon;

% create vector y
  rows = length(y0);
  y = zeros(rows, N);
  t = 0;

  y(:,1) = y0;
  for n = 1:(N-1)
    y(:,n+1) = y(:,n) + h*f(y(:,n), t);
    t = t+h;
  end
end
```

```
function dydt = f(y, t)
% This returns the van der Pol system.
% y is a col vector
global epsilon

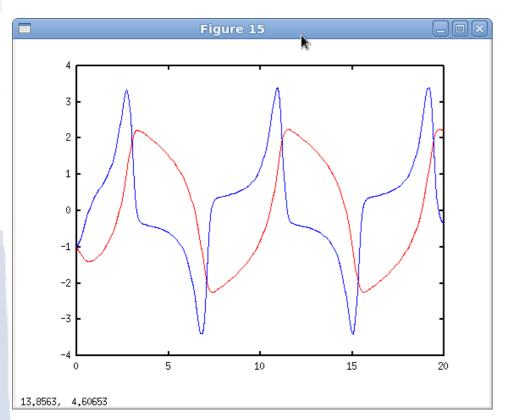
dydt = zeros(2,1);

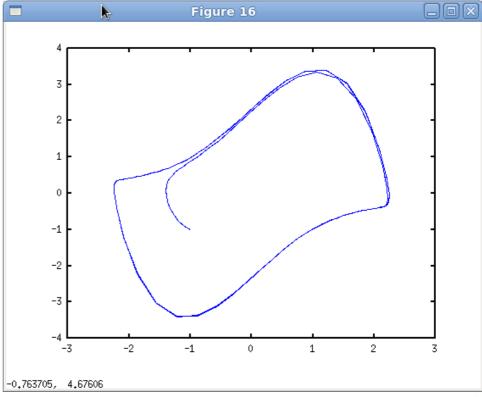
dydt(1) = y(2);
dydt(2) = epsilon*(1-y(1)*y(1))*y(2) - y(1);
end
```

```
function y = RK4(y0, N, h)
 % This function solves the system
 % y' = f(y,t) using 4nd order Runge-Kutta
 % It takes as inputs:
 % y0 = initial value of y
 % N = Number of points to compute
 global epsilon;
 % create vector y
  rows = length(y0);
 y = zeros(rows, N);
 t = 0:
 y(:,1) = y0;
  for n = 1:(N-1)
   k1 = h*f(y(:,n), t);
   k2 = h*f(y(:,n) + k1/2, t+h/2);
   k3 = h*f(y(:,n) + k2/2, t+h/2);
   k4 = h*f(y(:,n) + k3, t+h);
   y(:,n+1) = y(:,n) + (k1 + 2*k2 + 2*k3 + k4)/6;
   t = t+h;
 end
```

```
function TestRK4()
 % This function calls RK4 with the
 % variables needed to run it.
 global epsilon;
 % Set up parameters in equation
 epsilon = 1.5;
 % Step size to use
 h = .1;
 % Length of time to compute
 Tmax = 20;
 % Number of points to compute
 N = Tmax/h;
 % Initial condition
 y0 = [-1; -1];
 % Time vector -- used in plotting
 t = linspace(0, h*N, N);
 % Computed solution using 4th order Runge-Kutta
 y = RK4(y0, N, h);
 figure
 plot(y(1,:), y(2,:))
```

#### **Numerical solution**





Time solution

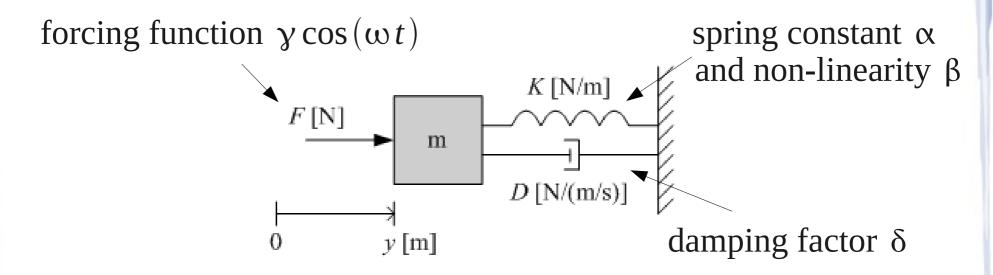
Phase space

- Behavior for Forward Euler and RK4 is similar.
- Both methods stable for this system & parameter values.

## Different example: Duffing's equation

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} + \delta \frac{dy}{dt} + \alpha y + \beta y^3 = \gamma \cos(\omega t)$$

 Model of driven mass-spring system with nonlinear spring



 Classic example of simple system evincing complicated behavior

# Write as 1<sup>st</sup> order system

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} + \delta \frac{dy}{dt} + \alpha y + \beta y^3 = \gamma \cos(\omega t)$$

- Set  $y_1 = y$
- Define  $y_2 = \frac{dy_1}{dt}$

• Then 
$$\frac{dy_2}{dt} = \frac{d^2y_1}{dt^2} = -\delta \frac{dy_1}{dt} - \alpha y_1 - \beta y_1^3 + \gamma \cos(\omega t)$$

So the system to solve is

$$\frac{dy_1}{dt} = y_2 \qquad \frac{dy_2}{dt} = -\delta \frac{dy_1}{dt} - \alpha y_1 - \beta y_1^3 + \gamma \cos(\omega t)$$

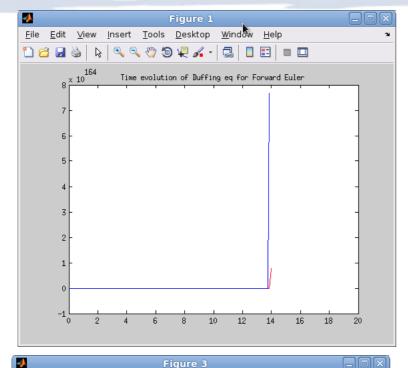
#### Solver architecture

```
Test runner
                                          Global
                                          variables
                                                              Solver
function dydt = f(y, t)
                                                       (Forward Euler or RK4)
  % This returns the Duffing equation
  % y is a col vector
  global alpha
                                                               dydt.m
  global beta
  global delta
  global gamma
  global omega
                                 \frac{dy_2}{dt} = -\delta \frac{dy_1}{dt} - \alpha y_1 - \beta y_1^3 + \gamma \cos(\omega t)
  dydt = zeros(2,1);
  dydt(1) = y(2);
  dydt(2) = -delta*y(2) - alpha*y(1) - beta*y(1)*y(1)*y(1) +
gamma*cos(omega*t);
```

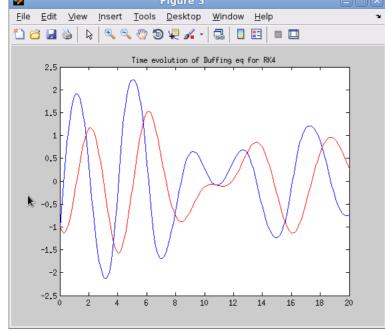
end

```
function TestRK4()
 % Set up parameters in equation
  delta = .2;
  alpha = 1.9;
 beta = .5;
 gamma = 1;
  omega = 1;
                                             Same parameters used for RK4
                                             and Forward Euler
 % Step size to use
 h = .1;
 % Length of time to compute
 Tmax = 20;
 % Number of points to compute
  N = Tmax/h;
 % Initial condition
 y0 = [-1; -1];
 % Time vector -- used in plotting
 t = linspace(0, h*N, N);
 % Computed solution using 4th order Runge-Kutta
 y = RK4(y0, N, h);
  figure(3)
  plot(t, y(1,:),'r')
  hold on
 plot(t, y(2,:),'b')
 title('Time evolution of Duffing eg for RK4')
 figure(4)
 plot(y(1,:), y(2,:))
 title('Phase plot of Duffing eg for RK4')
end
```

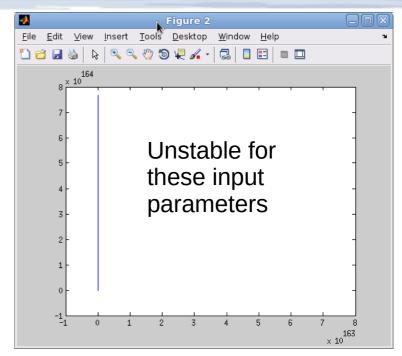


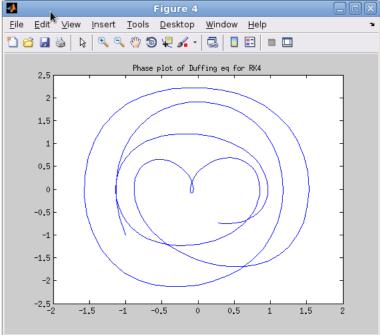


RK4



Time evolution

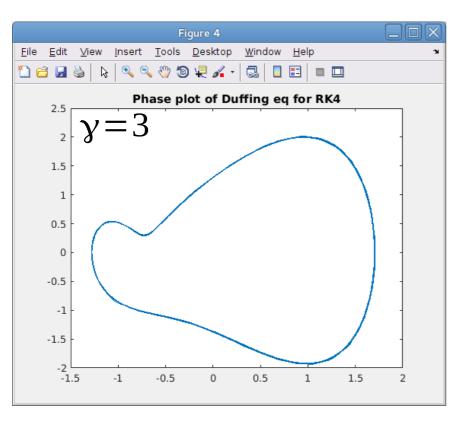


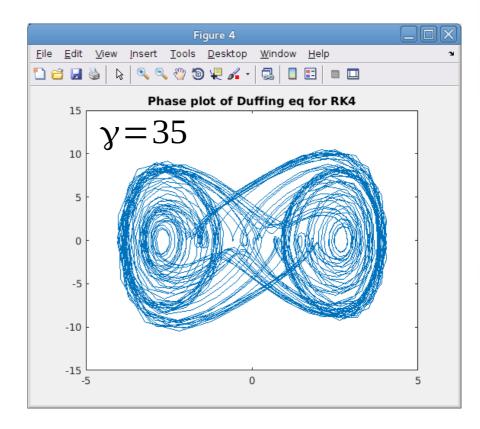


Phase plot

### **Duffing's Oscillator and Chaos**

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} + \delta \frac{dy}{dt} + \alpha y + \beta y^3 = \gamma \cos(\omega t)$$





 Duffing's oscillator evidences chaotic behavior for large drive γ

### First session summary

- Solving ODEs (initial value problems):
  - Euler's method(s): Explicit and implicit.
  - Concept: Local and global truncation error
  - 1D vs. ND systems of ODEs.
  - Concept: Stability
  - Runge Kutta (4<sup>th</sup> order)
- Higher-order ODEs
  - Harmonic oscillator
  - van der Pol oscillator
  - Duffing's equation