

SDSU COMP521

Fall 2023

Homework 06 - Due Date: Nov. 12 2023

Problem 1

Find the solution to the following initial value problem.

$$\frac{d^2u}{dt^2} + 2u = 0 \quad \text{for } t \in [0, 10] \quad \text{with } u(0) = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{du}{dt}(0) = 0 \quad (1)$$

, using:

1. **Forward Euler.** Write your own code.
2. **Backward Euler.** Write your own code.
3. **The Trapezoidal method.** Write your own code.

For every method used you must:

- (A) Plot $\frac{du}{dt}$ versus u . Compare to the plot obtained for the analytical solution. Explain.
- (B) Solve the problem using different step sizes. Present the log-log plots of the GTE versus step size at the last solution point. What do you conclude from the plots? (Order of accuracy).

Deliverable

You have to present a **REPORT** and submit it as a file in .PDF format. This report must describe the solution of each problem. It must explain and discuss the results. Do not forget to identify the plots and tables. The report must contain the script used to call the functions.

Important:

- You are encouraged to write your report using L^AT_EX.