

# Mathematics for Engineers 2.

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Seminar  
Numerics of ODE

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Approximate with Euler's method the solutions of the previous initial value problems over the interval  $[0, 1]$  with step size  $h = 0.25$ ! Compare these with the exact solution and the successive approximation solution! What is your experience?

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$$y' = 2y + x, \quad y(0) = 1$$

over the interval  $[0, 1]$  with step sizes  $h = 0.25$ ,  $h = 0.2$ ,  $h = 0.1$  and  $h = 0.01$ ! Plot the exact and the numerical solutions on the same figure.

## 3. Exercise

Using the previous code solve the initial value problem

$$y' = -100(y - \sin(x)) + \cos(x), \quad y(0) = 0$$

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## 4. Exercise

Solve the previous ODE with Matlab symbolically, and execute the previous task with initial data  $y(0) = 1$ !

# Taylor method

## Exercise

Write a code which use the approximation

$$y(x+h) \approx y(x) + hy'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2}y''(x) + \frac{h^3}{6}y'''(x) + \frac{h^4}{24}y^{(4)}(x)$$

for the numerical solution of the initial value problem

$$y' = 2x(x^2 + y), \quad y(0) = 0$$

over the interval  $[0, 1]$ .

Plot the exact solution

$$y = -1 - x^2 + e^{x^2}$$

and the numerical solutions belonging to the step sizes  $h = 0.1$  and  $h = 0.01$  on the same figure!



# Runge-Kutta method

## 1. Exercise

Write a Matlab code which solves numerically the initial value problem  $y'(x) = f(x, y)$ ,  $y(\xi) = \eta$  using the Runge-Kutta I scheme

$$x_0 = \xi, \quad y_0 = \eta$$

$$x_{i+1} = x_i + h$$

$$k_1 = f(x_i, y_i)$$

$$k_2 = f\left(x_i + \frac{h}{2}, y_i + \frac{h}{2}k_1\right)$$

$$y_{i+1} = y_i + h \cdot k_2$$

over the interval  $[\xi, b]$ , where  $h$  is a given step size.

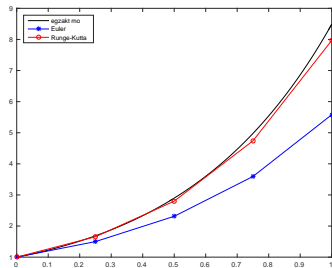
# Runge-Kutta method

## 2. Exercise

Using the previous code, approximate the solution of the initial value problem

$$y' = 2y + x, \quad y(0) = 1$$

over the interval  $[0, 1]$ . Try different step sizes for the numerical solution. Plot on the same figure the exact and the numerical solution belonging to the step size  $h = 0.25$ . Plot also on this figure the numerical solution of the problem with Euler's method (use the same step size  $h = 0.25$ ).



## 3. Exercise

Using the previous code, approximate the solution of the initial value problem

$$y'(x) = \frac{y}{x} + 10x \cos(10x), \quad y\left(\frac{\pi}{20}\right) = \frac{\pi}{20}$$

over the interval  $\left[\frac{\pi}{20}, 2\pi\right]$ . Try different step sizes.

Plot on the same figure the exact and the numerical solution.

## Numerical solution with Matlab, the ode45 function

### Példa

Approximate the solution of the initial value problem

$$y' = 2y + x, \quad y(0) = 1$$

over the interval  $[0, 1]$  with Matlab command `ode45`.

**Solution:** The general scheme is

$$[x, y] = \text{ode45}(f, [xmin, xmax], y0)$$

where the initial value problem is

$$y' = f(x, y), \quad y(xmin) = y0$$

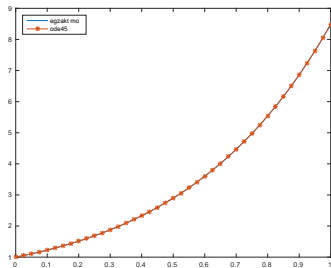
and one would like to approximate the solution over the interval  $[xmin, xmax]$ .

The approximation of the solution at  $x(i)$  is stored in  $y(i)$ .

```
>> f=@(x,y) 2*y+x;  
>> [xm,ym]=ode45(f,[0,1],1);
```

Plot on the same figure the exact solution  $y = \frac{5}{4}e^{2x} - \frac{x}{2} - \frac{1}{4}$ , and the numerical solution!

```
>> xx=linspace(0,1);  
>> yy=5*exp(2*xx)/4 - xx/2 - 1/4;  
>> figure; plot(xx,yy,xm,ym,'-*')  
>> legend('egzakt mo', 'ode45', 'Location','NorthWest')
```



## Solution of higher order equations with command ode45

### Example

Approximate the solution of the initial value problem

$$y'' - 2y' - 3y = 3x^2 + 4x - 5, \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = 2$$

over the interval  $[0, 2]$  using the Matlab function ode45!

**Solution:** Rewrite the higher order equation into a system of first order equations.

$$y_1' = y_2, \quad y_1(0) = 1$$

$$y_2' = 2y_2 + 3y_1 + 3x^2 + 4x - 5, \quad y_2(0) = 2$$

Let's write a function comes back with the right hand sides of the two equations:

$$f=@(x,y) [y(2); 2*y(2)+3*y(1)+3*x^2+4*x-5];$$

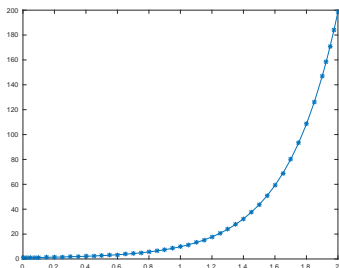
Call the function ode45:

```
>> [x,y] = ode45(f,[0 2],[1; 2]);
```

The values at  $x$  of  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  will be in the first and in the second column of  $y$  respectively.

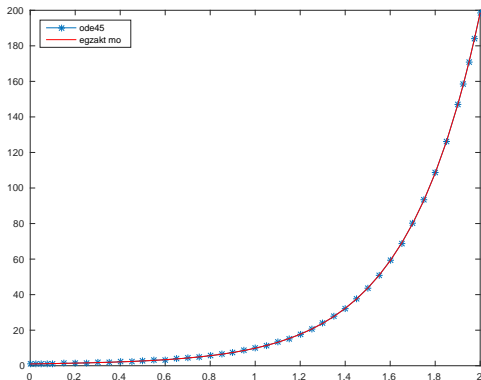
Plot  $y_1$  the approximate solution of the original equation:

```
>> figure; plot(x,y(:,1),'*-')
```



Plot the exact solution ( $y = -\frac{1}{2}e^{-x} + \frac{1}{2}e^{3x} - x^2 + 1$ ) on the same figure.

```
>> hold on; plot(x,-exp(-x)/2+exp(3*x)/2-x.^2+1,'r')  
>> legend( 'ode45','exact', 'Location','NorthWest')
```





# Numerical solution of higher order equation

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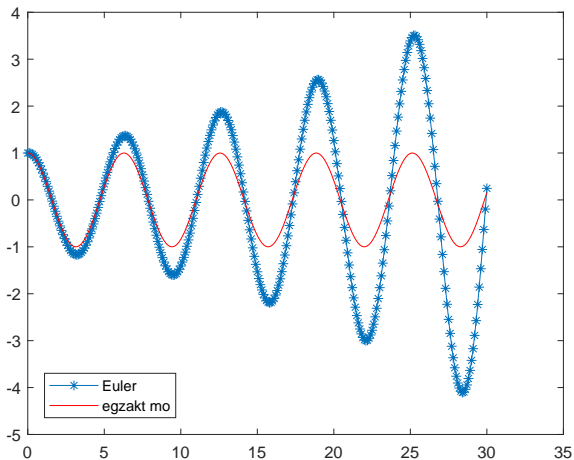
Write a Matlab code which solves the previous initial value problem with Euler method!

## 2. Exercise

Approximate the solution of the initial value problem

$$m \cdot x'' = -kx, \quad x(0) = x_0, \quad x'(0) = 0$$

using the previous code. Let  $x_0 = 1$ ,  $\frac{k}{m} = 1$ , and  $h = 0.1$ . Plot on the same figure the exact ( $x = x_0 \cos(t \cdot \frac{k}{m})$ ) and the approximate solution over the interval  $[0, 30]$ .



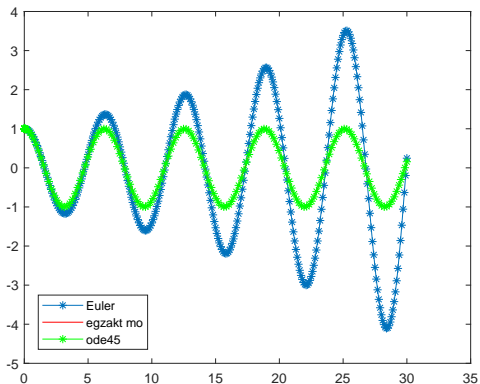
The figure above shows the approximate solution and the exact solution of the initial value problem

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if  $x_0 = 1$ ,  $\frac{k}{m} = 1$ , and  $h = 0.1$ .

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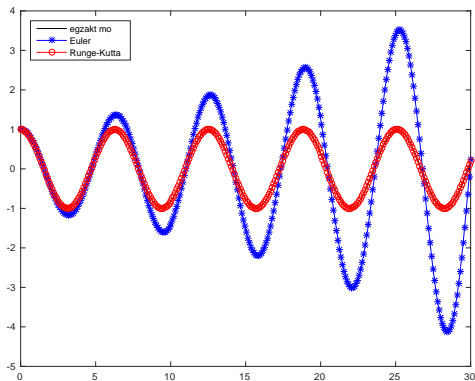
Approximate the solution of the previous initial value problem with ode45.



# Numerical solution of higher order equations

## 4. Exercise

Approximate the solution of the previous initial value problem with Runge-Kutta method.



# Numerical solution of higher order equations

## 5. Exercise

Approximate the solution of the initial value problem

$$y^{(4)} + 2y'' + y = 0, \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = 2, \quad y''(0) = 1, \quad y'''(0) = -4$$

with Runge-Kutta method II and with Euler's Method over the interval  $[0, 30]$ . Compare the results with the exact solution  $y = \cos(x) + \sin(x) + x \cos(x) + x \sin(x)$ !

