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- ▶ How to determine order of convergence?

Hammer and Hollingsworth in 1955: Use normal quadratures on the differential equation

Definition

Let c_1, \dots, c_s be distinct real numbers usually ($0 \leq c_i \leq 1$, $\forall i$). The collocation polynomial $u(t)$ is a polynomial of degree s satisfying

$$u(t_0) = y_0 \quad (1)$$

$$u'(t_0 + c_i h) = f(t_0 + c_i h, u(t_0 + c_i h)), \quad i = 1, \dots, s \quad (2)$$

and the numerical solution of the collocation method is defined by $y_1 = u(t_0 + h)$

Collocation Methods

Examples:

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- ▶ $s = 2$
 - ▶ $c_1 = 0, c_2 = 1$ - Trapezoidal rule
 - ▶ $c_{1,2} = 0.5 \pm \sqrt{3}/6$ - Gauss quadrature (two notes)

Theorem (Superconvergence (1969))

The Collocation method has the same order as the underlying quadrature formula.

The above can be extended to a discontinuous version, without breaking the theorem.

Definition

Let b_i , c_i and a_{ij} for $(i, j = 1, \dots, s)$ be real numbers. Then an s -stage Runge-Kutta method is given by:

$$k_i = f(t_0 + c_i h, y_0 + h \sum_{j=1}^s a_{ij} k_j), \quad i = 1, \dots, s \quad (3)$$

$$y_1 = y_0 + h \sum_{i=1}^s b_i k_i \quad (4)$$

Typically $c_i = \sum_{j=1}^s a_{ij}$

Theorem (1970)

All Collocation methods can be rewritten into a Runge-Kutta method

Runge-Kutta Methods

After Butchers work, one typically displays the Runge-Kutta method as below

$$\begin{array}{c|ccc} c_1 & a_{11} & \cdots & a_{1s} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ c_s & a_{s1} & \cdots & a_{ss} \\ \hline & b_1 & \cdots & b_s \end{array} \iff \begin{array}{c|c} c & A \\ \hline & b \end{array} \quad (5)$$

Examples:

$$\begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ \hline & 1 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 1 \\ \hline & 1 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c|c} 1/2 & 1/2 \\ \hline & 1 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c|cc} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1/2 & 1/2 \\ \hline & 1/2 & 1/2 \end{array} \quad (6)$$

Partitioned Runge-Kutta Methods

Now consider the differential equations in the partitioned form:

$$\dot{y} = f(y, z) \quad \dot{z} = g(y, z) \quad (7)$$

where y and z may be vectors of different length.

Definition

Let b_i , c_i , a_{ij} and \hat{b}_i , \hat{c}_i , \hat{a}_{ij} be the coefficients of two Runge-Kutta methods. A partitioned Runge-Kutta method for the solution of 7 is given by:

$$k_i = f\left(y_0 + h \sum_{j=1}^s a_{ij} k_j, z_0 + h \sum_{j=1}^s \hat{a}_{ij} l_j\right), \quad (8)$$

$$l_i = g\left(y_0 + h \sum_{j=1}^s a_{ij} k_j, z_0 + h \sum_{j=1}^s \hat{a}_{ij} l_j\right), \quad (9)$$

$$y_1 = y_0 + h \sum_{i=1}^s b_i k_i \quad z_1 = z_0 + h \sum_{i=1}^s \hat{b}_i l_i \quad (10)$$

Partitioned Runge-Kutta Methods

Examples:

- ▶ Symplectic Euler

$$\begin{array}{c|c} 0 & 0 \\ \hline & 1 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c|c} 1 & 1 \\ \hline & 1 \end{array} \quad (11)$$

- ▶ Störmer Verlet

$$\begin{array}{c|cc} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1/2 & 1/2 \\ \hline & 1/2 & 1/2 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{c|cc} 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 \\ 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 \\ \hline & 1/2 & 1/2 \end{array} \quad (12)$$

Definition

A one step method to recursively obtain approximation values y_i to the solution of the IVP at x_i is given by:

$$y_i = \Phi(t, y; h), \quad (13)$$

we will use the shorthand notation $\Phi_h = \Phi(t, y; h)$

Definition (Composition Method)

Let Φ_h be as above and $\gamma_1, \dots, \gamma_s$ real numbers. Then we call its composition with step-sizes $\gamma_1 h, \dots, \gamma_s h$:

$$\Psi_h = \Phi_{\gamma_s h} \circ \dots \circ \Phi_{\gamma_1 h} \quad (14)$$

the corresponding composition method.

Theorem

Let Φ_h be as above and of order p . Then if

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma_1 + \dots + \gamma_s &= 1 \\ \gamma_1^{p+1} + \dots + \gamma_s^{p+1} &= 0,\end{aligned}\tag{15}$$

then the composition method is at least of order $p + 1$ (if Ψ_h is symmetric then p have to be even)

Note: The above equations do only have solutions for even p

Definition (Adjoint method)

The adjoint method Φ_h^* of a method Φ_h is the inverse map of the original method with reversed time-step:

$$\Phi_h^* := \Phi_{-h}^{-1} \quad (16)$$

Note: A symmetric method fulfils that $\Phi_h^* = \Phi_h$

Definition (Composition with the Adjoint Method)

Let Φ_h and Φ_h^* be as before, further let $\alpha_1, \dots, \alpha_s$ and β_1, \dots, β_s be real numbers. Then we call its composition with step-sizes $\alpha_1 h, \dots, \alpha_s h$ and $\beta_1 h, \dots, \beta_s h$:

$$\Psi_h = \Phi_{\alpha_s h} \circ \Phi_{\beta_s h}^* \circ \dots \circ \Phi_{\alpha_1 h} \circ \Phi_{\beta_1 h}^* \quad (17)$$

the corresponding composition method.

Theorem

Let Φ_h be as above and of order p . Then if

$$\begin{aligned}\beta_1 + \alpha_1 + \dots + \beta_s + \alpha_s &= 1 \\ (-1)^p \beta_1^{p+1} + \alpha_1^{p+1} + \dots + (-1)^p \beta_s^{p+1} + \alpha_s^{p+1} &= 0,\end{aligned}$$

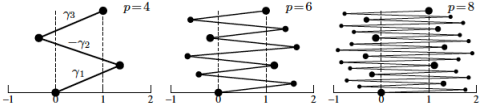
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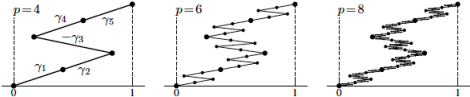
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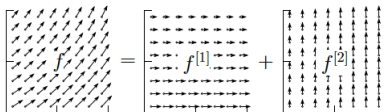
- ▶ Implicit Euler \rightarrow Trapezoidal
- ▶ Triple jump



- ▶ Suzuki's Fractals



Decomposition of vectorfield:



$$\dot{y} = f^{[1]}(y) + f^{[2]}(y)$$

Eksamples:

- ▶ Lie-Trotter splitting (first order)
 - ▶ $\Phi_h^* = \phi_h^{[2]} \circ \phi_h^{[1]}$
 - ▶ $\Phi_h = \phi_h^{[1]} \circ \phi_h^{[2]}$
- ▶ Strang splitting 1968 (symmetric, second order)
 - ▶ $\Phi_h^{[S]} = \phi_{h/2}^{[1]} \circ \phi_h^{[2]} \circ \phi_{h/2}^{[1]}$

Consider the autonomous IVP:

$$\dot{y} = f(y), \quad y(t_0) = y_0 \quad (18)$$

assume here that f is sufficiently differentiable and that it fulfils the necessary Lipschitz conditions.

Step 1: We compute the higher order derivatives

Let $f'(y)$ denote the derivative as a linear map, $f''(y)$ the second derivative as a bilinear map etc..

$$\dot{y} = f(y)$$

$$\ddot{y} = f'(y)\dot{y}$$

$$y^{(3)} = f''(y)(\dot{y}, \dot{y}) + f'(y)\ddot{y} \tag{19}$$

$$y^{(4)} = f'''(y)(\dot{y}, \dot{y}, \dot{y}) + 3f''(y)(\ddot{y}, \dot{y}) + f'(y)y^{(3)}$$

\vdots

Step 2: Recursively substitute

$$\dot{y} = f$$

$$\ddot{y} = f'f$$

$$y^{(3)} = f''(f, f) + f'f'f \quad (20)$$

$$y^{(4)} = f'''(f, f, f) + 3f''(f'f, f) \\ + f'f''(f, f) + f'f'f'f$$

⋮

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Step 2: Recursively substitute

Definition (Trees)

The set of rooted trees T is recursively defined as follows:

1. the graph \bullet belongs to T
2. if $\tau_1, \dots, \tau_m \in T$ then the graph obtained by grafting the roots of τ_1, \dots, τ_m to a new root belongs to T . it is denoted by $\tau = [\tau_1, \dots, \tau_m]$

further let $|\tau|$ be the order (number of vertices) and $\alpha(\tau)$ be the coefficients.

Definition (Elementary Differentials)

For a tree $\tau \in T$. The elementary differential is a mapping $F(\tau) : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$, defined recursively by $F(\bullet)(y) = f(y)$ and:

$$F(\tau)(y) = f^{(m)}(y) (F(\tau_1)(y), \dots, F(\tau_m)(y)) \quad (21)$$

where $\tau = [\tau_1, \dots, \tau_m]$

Step 2: Recursively substitute

Theorem

The q th derivative of the exact solution is given by:

$$y^{(q)}(t_0) = \sum_{|\tau|=q} \alpha(\tau) F(\tau)(y_0)$$

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Step 3: Consider the numerical solution of the Runge-Kutta method

By setting $hk_j = g_j$ we obtain:

$$g_i = hf(u_i)$$

and

$$u_i = y_0 + \sum_j a_{ij}g_j, \quad y_1 = y_0 + \sum_i b_i g_i$$

Using Leibniz' rule, we obtain:

$$g_i^{(q)} = h(f(u_i))^{(q)} + q(f(u_i))^{(q-1)}$$

for $h = 0$ we get:

$$g_i^{(q)} = q(f(u_i))^{(q-1)}$$

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Consequently we obtain for $h = 0$:

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{g}_i &= 1 \cdot f \\ \ddot{g}_i &= 2 \cdot f' \dot{u}_i \\ g_i^{(3)} &= 3 \cdot (f''(\dot{u}_i, \dot{u}_i) + f' \ddot{u}_i) \\ g_i^{(4)} &= 4 \cdot (f'''(\dot{u}_i, \dot{u}_i, \dot{u}_i) + 3f''(\ddot{u}_i, \dot{u}_i) + f' u_i^{(3)}) \\ &\vdots \end{aligned} \tag{22}$$

Runge-Kutta Method

Step 4: Substitute back

Recall that:

$$u_i^{(q)} = \sum_j a_{ij} g_j^{(q)} \quad (23)$$

we now start the process:

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{g}_i &= 1 \cdot f & \dot{u}_i &= 1 \cdot (\sum_j a_{ij}) f \\ \ddot{g}_i &= (1 \cdot 2)(\sum_j a_{ij}) f' f & \ddot{u}_i &= (1 \cdot 2)(\sum_j a_{ij} a_{jk}) f' f \end{aligned} \quad (24)$$

By induction we obtain:

$$g_i^{(q)}|_{h=0} = \sum_{|\tau|=q} \gamma(\tau) \cdot \mathbf{g}_i(\tau) \cdot \alpha(\tau) F(\tau)(y_0) \quad (25)$$

$$u_i^{(q)}|_{h=0} = \sum_{|\tau|=q} \gamma(\tau) \cdot \mathbf{u}_i(\tau) \cdot \alpha(\tau) F(\tau)(y_0) \quad (26)$$

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Step 4: Substitute back

We see that this for a general tree $\tau = [\tau_1, \dots, \tau_m]$, implies that:

$$\mathbf{g}_i(\tau) = \mathbf{u}_i(\tau_1) \cdot \dots \cdot \mathbf{u}_i(\tau_m)$$

$$\gamma(\tau) = |\tau| \gamma(\tau_1) \cdot \dots \cdot \gamma(\tau_m)$$

then by the previous:

$$\mathbf{u}_i(\tau) = \sum_j a_{ij} \mathbf{g}_j(\tau)$$

we set

$$\phi(\tau) = \sum_i b_i \mathbf{g}_i(\tau)$$

Now summarizing we get:

$$y_1^{(q)}|_{h=0} = \sum_{|\tau|=q} \gamma(\tau) \phi(\tau) \alpha(\tau) F(\tau)(y_0) \quad (27)$$

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Step 5: Compare

Now comparing the derivatives of the exact solution:

$$y^{(q)}(t_0) = \sum_{|\tau|=q} \alpha(\tau) F(\tau)(y_0)$$

and the derivatives of the approximation:

$$y_1^{(q)}|_{h=0} = \sum_{|\tau|=q} \gamma(\tau) \phi(\tau) \alpha(\tau) F(\tau)(y_0).$$

Then from Taylor expansion we get:

Theorem

(Order Condition) The Runge-Kutta Method has order p if and only if:

$$\phi(\tau) = \frac{1}{\gamma(\tau)}, \quad \forall |\tau| \leq p \quad (28)$$

Examples:

Now with B-series

B-Series

Definition (Symmetry coefficient)

The symmetry coefficient $\sigma(\tau)$ are defined by $\sigma(\bullet) = 1$ and for $\tau = [\tau_1, \dots, \tau_m]$.

$$\sigma(\tau) = \sigma(\tau_1) \cdot \dots \cdot \sigma(\tau_m) \cdot \mu_1! \mu_2! \cdot \dots,$$

where the integers u_1, u_2, \dots count equal trees among τ_1, \dots, τ_m .

Definition (B-series)

For a mapping $a : T \cup \{\emptyset\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ a formal series of the form.

$$B(a, y) = a(\emptyset)y + \sum_{\tau \in T} \frac{h^{|\tau|}}{\sigma(\tau)} a(\tau) F(\tau)(y)$$

is called a B-series.

Lemma

Let $a : T \cup \{\emptyset\} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a mapping satisfying $a(\emptyset) = 1$ then the corresponding B-series inserted into $hf(\cdot)$ is again a B-series. That is:

$$hf(B(a, y)) = B(a', y) \quad (29)$$

where $a'(\emptyset) = 0$, $a'(\bullet) = 1$, and

$$a'(\tau) = a(\tau_1) \cdot \dots \cdot a(\tau_m), \quad \tau = [\tau_1, \dots, \tau_m] \quad (30)$$

Assuming the exact solution to be a B-series $B(e, y_0)$ we obtain:

$$e(\tau) = \frac{1}{|\tau|} e(\tau_1) \cdot \dots \cdot e(\tau_m) = \frac{1}{\gamma(\tau)}, \quad (31)$$

now assuming the numerical solution to be a B-series $B(\phi, y_0)$ we reprove the order conditions

Partitioned Runge-Kutta Methods

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Recall that this problem is being approximated by two
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Bicolored trees

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Theorem

A partitioned Runge-Kutta Method has order p if and only if:

$$\phi(\tau) = \frac{1}{\gamma(\tau)}, \quad \forall |\tau| < p \quad (32)$$

$ \tau $	τ	graph	$\alpha(\tau)$	$F(\tau)$	$\gamma(\tau)$	$\phi(\tau)$	$\sigma(\tau)$
1	\bullet	\bullet	1	f	1	$\sum_i b_i$	1
2	$[\bullet]_y$		1	$f_y f$	2	$\sum_{ij} b_i a_{ij}$	1
2	$[\circ]_y$		1	$f_z g$	2	$\sum_{ij} b_i \hat{a}_{ij}$	1
3	$[\bullet, \bullet]_y$		1	$f_{yy}(f, f)$	3	$\sum_{ijk} b_i a_{ij} a_{ik}$	2
3	$[\bullet, \circ]_y$		2	$f_{yz}(f, g)$	3	$\sum_{ijk} b_i a_{ij} \hat{a}_{ik}$	1
3	$[\circ, \circ]_y$		1	$f_{zz}(g, g)$	3	$\sum_{ijk} b_i \hat{a}_{ij} \hat{a}_{ik}$	2
3	$[[\bullet]_y]_y$		1	$f_y f_y f$	6	$\sum_{ijk} b_i a_{ij} a_{jk}$	1
3	$[[\circ]_y]_y$		1	$f_y f_z g$	6	$\sum_{ijk} b_i a_{ij} \hat{a}_{jk}$	1
3	$[[\bullet]_z]_y$		1	$f_z g_y f$	6	$\sum_{ijk} b_i \hat{a}_{ij} a_{jk}$	1
3	$[[\circ]_z]_y$		1	$f_z g_z g$	6	$\sum_{ijk} b_i \hat{a}_{ij} \hat{a}_{jk}$	1
1	\circ	\circ	1	g	1	$\sum_i \hat{b}_i$	1
2	$[\bullet]_z$ etc	 etc	1	$g_y f$ etc	2	$\sum_{ij} \hat{b}_i a_{ij}$ etc	1

Apply the previous theory to:

$$\dot{y} = z, \quad \dot{z} = g(y, z)$$

Black vertices have at most one son and this son must be white

Without drag:

$$\ddot{y} = g(y)$$

White vertices have only black sons

Let the Taylor series expansion of the method be:

$$\Phi_h(y) = y + hd_1(y) + h^2d_2(y) + h^3d_3(y) + \dots \quad (33)$$

The only thing we require here is first order consistency i.e.

$$d_1(y) = f(y) \quad (34)$$

all other functions are arbitrary

Composition Methods

Recall that:

$$\Psi_h = \Phi_{\alpha_s h} \circ \Phi_{\beta_s h}^* \circ \dots \circ \Phi_{\alpha_s 1} \circ \Phi_{\beta_1 h}^* \quad (35)$$

Definition (∞ -trees and B_∞ -series)

We extend the previous definitions to T_∞ , the set of all rooted trees where each vertex bears a positive integer without any further restriction, and use the notation:

$\textcircled{1}, \textcircled{2}, \textcircled{3}, \dots$ = the trees with one vertex

$[\tau_1, \dots, \tau_m]_i$ = \textcircled{i} connected to τ_1, \dots, τ_m

$F(\textcircled{i})(y) = d_i(y)$

$F(\tau)(y) = d_i^{(m)}(y)(F(\tau_1)(y), \dots, F(\tau_m)(y))$

$|\tau|$ = number of vertices

$\|\tau\|$ = sum of the labels

$\sigma(\tau)$ = symmetry coefficient respecting the labels

$i(\tau)$ = label of the root

Example

Composition Method

Lemma (Recurrence Relation)

The following compositions are B_∞ -series:

$$\begin{aligned}(\Phi_{\beta_k h}^* \circ \dots \circ \Phi_{\alpha_1 h} \circ \Phi_{\beta_1 h}^*)(y) &= B_\infty(b_k, y) \\ (\Phi_{\alpha_k h} \circ \Phi_{\beta_k h}^* \circ \dots \circ \Phi_{\alpha_1 h} \circ \Phi_{\beta_1 h}^*)(y) &= B_\infty(a_k, y)\end{aligned}\tag{36}$$

Their coefficients are recursively given by $a_k(\emptyset) = 1$, $b_k(\emptyset) = 1$, $b'_k(\textcircled{i}) = 1$, $a_0(\tau) = 0$ for all $\tau \in T_\infty$, and:

$$\begin{aligned}b_k(\tau) &= a_{k-1}(\tau) - (-\beta_k)^{i(\tau)} b'_k(\tau) \\ a_k(\tau) &= b_k(\tau) + a_k^{i(\tau)} b'_k(\tau) \\ b'_k(\tau) &= b_k(\tau_1) \cdot \dots \cdot b_k(\tau_m)\end{aligned}\tag{37}$$

Adding them we obtain:

$$a_k(\tau) = a_{k-1}(\tau) + \left(\alpha_k^{i(\tau)} - (-\beta_k)^{i(\tau)} \right) b'_k(\tau)\tag{38}$$

Composition Method

We now obtain:

$$\begin{aligned}a_k(\mathbf{i}) &= \sum_{l=1}^k (\alpha_l^i - (-\beta_l)^i) \\b_k(\mathbf{i}) &= \sum_{l=1}^{k-1} \alpha_l^i - \sum_{l=1}^k (-\beta_l)^i = \sum'_{l=1}^k (\alpha_l^i - (-\beta_l)^i)\end{aligned}$$

Example (continued)

Theorem (Order condition)

Let $e(\tau)$ be as follows for $\tau = [\tau_1, \dots, \tau_m]$:

$$e(\tau) = \frac{1}{|\tau|} e(\tau_1) \cdot \dots \cdot e(\tau_m) \quad \text{if } \tau = [\tau_1, \dots, \tau_m]_1. \quad (39)$$

The composition method has order p if and only if:

$$a_s(\tau) = e(\tau), \quad \forall \|\tau\| \leq p \quad (40)$$

Beautiful, but e.g. for $P = 6$ we have 166 trees, a lot of them are luckily **not** independent \implies reduce to 22 independent trees.

Definition

The Hall set corresponding to an order relation is a subset $\mathcal{H} \subset T_\infty$ defined by:

$$\begin{array}{l} \textcircled{i} \in \mathcal{H} \quad \text{for} \quad i = 1, 2, \dots \\ \tau \in \mathcal{H} \quad \iff \quad \exists u, v \in \mathcal{H}, u > v : \tau = u \circ v \end{array} \quad (41)$$

Theorem

For the composition method we do only have to consider the trees in the Hall set

Splitting Methods

Recall that:

$$\dot{y} = f_1(y) + f_2(y) \quad (42)$$

Assuming we know the respective flows exactly, we have a first order method:

$$\Phi_h = \phi_h^{[1]} \circ \phi_h^{[2]} \quad (43)$$

together with its adjoint $\Phi_h^* = \phi_h^{[2]} \circ \phi_h^{[1]}$ we can make a composition method:

Theorem

The splitting method in Equation (42) is of order p if and only if the corresponding composition method is of order p