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## Sec 5.4. Runge - Kutta Methods (explicit)

- Main idea (RK 2)

$$\begin{aligned}
 T^{(2)}(t, y) &= f(t, y) + \frac{h}{2} f'(t, y) \\
 &= f(t, y) + \frac{h}{2} \cdot \frac{\partial f}{\partial t}(t, y) \\
 &\quad + \frac{h}{2} \cdot \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(t, y) \cdot f(t, y)
 \end{aligned}$$

$f' = \frac{df}{dt}$

↑ not efficient

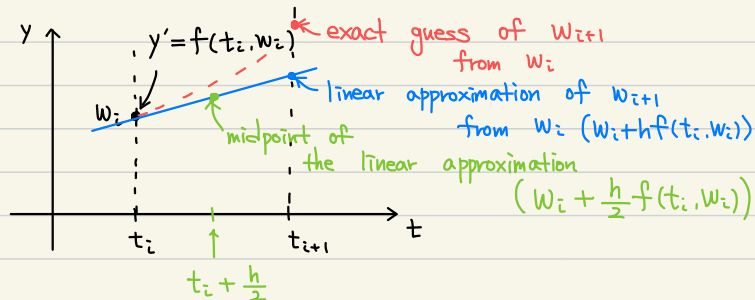
error  
 $O(h^2)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_1 f(t + \alpha_1, y + \beta_1) &= a_1 f(t, y) + a_1 \alpha_1 \frac{\partial f}{\partial t}(t, y) \\
 &\quad + a_1 \beta_1 \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(t, y)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 = 1, \quad \alpha_1 = \frac{h}{2}, \quad \beta_1 = \frac{h}{2} f(t, y)$$

- RK 2 method (midpoint method)

$$\begin{cases}
 W_0 = \alpha \\
 W_{i+1} = W_i + h f\left(t_i + \frac{h}{2}, W_i + \frac{h}{2} f(t_i, W_i)\right)
 \end{cases}$$



- Modified Euler method (explicit)

$$a_1 f(t, y) + a_2 f(t + \alpha_2, y + \delta_2)$$

$$w_0 = \alpha$$

$$w_{i+1} = w_i + \frac{h}{2} [f(t_i, w_i) + f(t_{i+1}, w_{i+1})]$$

$w_i + h f(t_i, w_i)$   
(Euler method  
linear approximation)

ex)  $y = 1 + (t-y)^2$ ,  $2 \leq t \leq 3$ ,  $y(2) = 1$ ,  $h = 0.5$ .

• RK2 ( $O(h^2)$ )

$$w_0 = 1$$

$$w_1 = w_0 + h f\left(t_0 + \frac{h}{2}, w_0 + \frac{h}{2} f(t_0, w_0)\right)$$

$$= 1 + \frac{1}{2} f\left(\frac{9}{4}, \frac{3}{2}\right)$$

• Modified Euler ( $O(h^2)$ )

$$w_0 = 1$$

$$w_1 = w_0 + \frac{h}{2} [f(t_0, w_0) + f(t_0 + h, w_0 + h f(t_0, w_0))]$$

$$= 1 + \frac{1}{4} [2 + f(2.5, 2)]$$

- Different expression for RK methods

• RK 2

$$\begin{cases} w_0 = \alpha \\ w_{i+1} = w_i + h f\left(t_i + \frac{h}{2}, w_i + \frac{h}{2} f(t_i, w_i)\right) \end{cases}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \begin{aligned} w_0 &= \alpha \\ k_1 &= h f(t_i, w_i) \end{aligned}$$

$$w_{i+1} = w_i + h f\left(t_i + \frac{h}{2}, w_i + \frac{k_1}{2}\right)$$

• RK 3 (Heun's method,  $o(h^3)$ )

$$w_0 = \alpha$$

$$k_1 = h f(t_i, w_i)$$

$$k_2 = h f\left(t_i + \frac{h}{3}, w_i + \frac{1}{3} k_1\right)$$

$$k_3 = h f\left(t_i + \frac{2h}{3}, w_i + \frac{2}{3} k_2\right)$$

$$w_{i+1} = w_i + \frac{1}{4} (k_1 + 3k_3)$$