



UNIT 5 NUMERICAL SOLUTION OF ORDINARY DIFFERENTIAL EQUATION
EULER'S METHOD

Euler's Method:

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + h F(x_n, y_n), n=0,1,2,\dots$$

Modified Euler's Method:-

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + h \left[F\left(x_n + \frac{h}{2}, y_n + \frac{h}{2} F(x_n, y_n)\right) \right]$$

1) Using Euler's method, find the soln of the initial value problem $\frac{dy}{dx} = \log(x+y)$, $y(0)=2$ at $x=0.2$ by assuming $h=0.2$

Given: $F(x,y) = \log(x+y)$

$$x_0 = 0, y_0 = 2, x_1 = 0.2 \quad h = x_1 - x_0 = 0.2$$

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + h F(x_n, y_n)$$

$$y_1 = y_0 + h F[x_0, y_0]$$

$$= 2 + (0.2) \log(x_0 + y_0)$$

$$= 2 + (0.2) \log(0 + 2)$$

$$= 2 + (0.2) \log 2$$

$$= 2 + (0.2)(0.3010)$$

$$= 2.0602.$$



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Using Euler's method, find $y(0.2)$ and $y(0.4)$

from $\frac{dy}{dx} = x+y$, $y(0)=1$ with $h=0.2$

Given: $F(x, y) = x+y$

$$x_0 = 0, y_0 = 1, h = 0.2$$

$$x_1 = 0.2, y_1 = ?$$

$$x_2 = 0.4, y_2 = ?$$

By Euler's formula,

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + h F(x_n, y_n)$$

$$y_1 = y_0 + h F(x_0, y_0)$$

$$= 1 + (0.2) F(0, 1)$$

$$= 1 + (0.2)(0+1)$$

$$= 1 + 0.2$$

$$= 1.2$$

$$y(0.2) = 1.2$$

$$y_2 = y_1 + h F(x_1, y_1)$$

$$= 1.2 + (0.2) F(0.2, 1.2)$$

$$= 1.2 + (0.2)(0.2+1.2)$$

$$= 1.2 + (0.2)(1.4)$$

$$= 1.2 + 0.28$$

$$y(0.4) = 1.48$$



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3) Using Euler's method solve $y' = x + y + xy$, $y(0) = 1$,
Compute y at $x = 0.1$ by taking $h = 0.05$

Given: $F(x, y) = x + y + xy$

Here $x_0 = 0$, $y_0 = 1$, and $h = 0.05$

$$y_1 = y_0 + h F(x_0, y_0)$$

$$= 1 + (0.05)(x_0 + y_0 + x_0 y_0)$$

$$= 1 + (0.05)(0 + 1 + 0)$$

$$= 1 + 0.05 = 1.05$$

$$y(0.05) = 1.05$$

$$y_2 = y_1 + h f(x_1, y_1)$$

$$= 1.05 + (0.05)[x_1 + y_1 + x_1 y_1]$$

$$= 1.05 + (0.05)[0.05 + 1.05 + (0.05)(1.05)]$$

$$= 1.05 + (0.05)(1.1525)$$

$$= 1.05 + 0.0576$$

$$y_2 = 1.1076$$