

## Exercises #3

Let  $f : [0, 1] \times \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  be a smooth function of class  $\mathcal{C}^1$ . We aim at approximating the solution of the ODE

$$\hat{y}'(t) = f(t, \hat{y}(t)). \quad (1)$$

Let  $T$  be some positive number and  $N \in \mathbb{Z}_+$ ,  $N \neq 0$ . Then we set  $\Delta t = \frac{T}{N}$  and  $t^n = n\Delta t$ ,  $0 \leq n \leq N$ .

**Exercise 14** We assume in this exercise that  $f(t, y) = -y$ .

1. Solve (1) in this case supplemented with the initial condition  $\hat{y}(0) = 1$ .
2. Apply the explicit Euler scheme to construct the sequence  $(y_n)$ .
3. Yield the explicit expression of  $y_n$  with respect to  $n$  and  $\Delta t$ . Is the scheme relevant for any  $\Delta t$ ?
4. Compare  $y_N$  and  $\hat{y}(T)$ . Conclude.
5. Follow the same directions about the Heun scheme.
6. Which scheme seems to be the most efficient?

**Exercise 15** We take in this exercise  $f(t, y) = 1 - 2y$ .

1. Solve (1) in this case supplemented with the initial condition  $\hat{y}(0) = 1$ .
2. Apply the implicit Euler scheme to construct the sequence  $(y_n)$ .
3. Yield the explicit expression of  $y_n$  with respect to  $n$  and  $\Delta t$ .
4. We now introduce the  $\theta$ -scheme (for  $\theta \in [0, 1]$ )

$$\frac{y_{n+1} - y_n}{\Delta t} = \theta f(t^n, y_n) + (1 - \theta) f(t^{n+1}, y_{n+1}).$$

- (a) Apply this scheme to the present case and solve the inductive relation.
- (b) What happens for  $\theta = 0$ ?
- (c) Let  $f_\theta$  be the function

$$f_\theta(\Delta t) = e^{-\Delta t} - \frac{1 - \theta \Delta t}{1 + (1 - \theta) \Delta t}.$$

Determine the value of  $\theta$  for which this function is the closest to 0 as  $\Delta t$  becomes small. What is the corresponding scheme?

**Exercise 16** To provide an approximate solution to (1), we propose the scheme

$$\frac{3y_{n+2} - 4y_{n+1} + y_n}{2} = \Delta t f(t^{n+2}, y_{n+2}).$$

1. How can this scheme be initialized?
2. Show that the scheme is convergent. Determine its order.
3. Is this scheme explicit?
4. In the case  $f(t, y) = -y$ , solve the linear inductive relation for  $y_n$ .
5. Propose a modification of the right hand side in the previous scheme to improve the order.

**Exercise 17** The enhanced Euler scheme reads

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + \Delta t f(t^{n+1}, y_n + \Delta t f(t^n, y_n)).$$

1. Compute  $\hat{y}''(t)$  for  $\hat{y}$  solution of (1).
2. Show this scheme is convergent and determine its order.

**Exercise 18** We assume that (1) is autonomous, i.e. that  $f$  does not depend on  $t$ . We consider the lintrap scheme

$$\frac{y_{n+1} - y_n}{\Delta t} = f(y_n) + f'(y_n) \frac{y_{n+1} - y_n}{2} \quad (2)$$

1. Show that (2) is a constant scheme up to order 2.
2. We suppose in this question that  $f(y) = (y + 1)^2$ .
  - (a) Solve the ODE.
  - (b) Apply Scheme (2) to (1).
  - (c) Prove that the scheme is exact.

**Exercise 19** Let us consider the system

$$\begin{cases} x'(t) = y(t), & x(0) = 1, \\ y'(t) = -x(t), & y(0) = 0. \end{cases} \quad (3)$$

1. Prove that the trajectories  $t \mapsto (x(t), y(t))$  are included in the unit circle  $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ .
2. Write out the explicit Euler scheme, the implicit Euler scheme and the Crank-Nicholson scheme for the resolution of (3).
3. Do these schemes preserve the trajectories?

**Exercise 20** Let us consider the ODE

$$\begin{cases} \hat{y}'(t) + 3\hat{y}(t)^2 = 0, \\ \hat{y}(0) = 1. \end{cases} \quad (4)$$

1. Solve (4). What is the limit of  $\hat{y}(t)$  as  $t \rightarrow +\infty$ ?
2. Apply the explicit Euler scheme to this ODE and study the limit as  $n \rightarrow +\infty$ .
3. We propose the following scheme

$$\frac{y_{n+1} - y_n}{\Delta t} + 3 \left( \frac{y_{n+1} + y_n}{2} \right)^2 = 0. \quad (5)$$

- (a) Derive an expression of  $y_{n+1}$  with respect to  $y_n$  and deduce a condition upon  $\Delta t$  for the limit to be correct as  $n \rightarrow +\infty$ .
- (b) Show this scheme is constant at order 2.