

Numerische Mathematik II/ Numerical Analysis II

6. Assignment

Homework: HW6 (31.05 - 01.06.2011)

1. Find and sketch the regions of absolute stability of the given methods (4 pts.)

(a) $u_{j+3} = u_{j+2} + \frac{h}{24}(9f_{j+3} + 19f_{j+2} - 5f_{j+1} + f_j)$

(b) $u_{j+2} = u_{j+1} + \frac{h}{12}(5f_{j+2} + 8f_{j+1} - f_j)$

(c) $u_{j+2} = u_j + 2hf_{j+1}$

(d) $u_{j+1} = u_j + \frac{h}{2}(f_j + f_{j+1})$

2. Investigate the consistency, stability and convergence of the following methods (4 pts.)

(a) $u_{j+2} = 4u_{j+1} - 3u_j - 2hf_j$

(b) $u_{j+1} = u_j + hf_{j+1}$

(c) $u_{j+2} = \frac{3}{2}u_{j+1} - \frac{1}{2}u_j + hf_{j+1}$

(d) $u_{j+2} = 3u_{j+1} - 2u_j + h(f_{j+2} - 2f_{j+1})$

3. Consider the family of methods (4 pts.)

$$u_{j+1} = u_j + h(\theta f(t_j, u_j) + (1 - \theta)f(t_{j+1}, u_{j+1})), \quad \theta \in [0, 1].$$

Determine the set of all θ , so that the associated method is A-stable.

4. Analogously to the BDF method from the lecture construct the two-step method which satisfies

$$P'(t_{j+1}) = f(t_{j+1}, u_{j+1}),$$

where P is a polynomial such that

$$P(t_j) = u_j, \quad P(t_{j+1}) = u_{j+1}, \quad P'(t_j) = f(t_j, u_j). \quad (3 \text{ pts.})$$

Programming Assignment: PA5 (7-8.06.2011) (10 pts.)

Write a program `diffsolve.m` which solves the boundary value problem

$$u''(t) + \sin(t)u'(t) + \cos(t)u(t) = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad u(-\frac{\pi}{2}) = u(\frac{3\pi}{2}) = 1,$$

by using difference scheme on the interval $\mathbb{I} = [-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{3\pi}{2}]$. Use the forward type 1st order difference quotient and the 2nd order central difference quotient.

Program structure:

The routine `diffsolve.m` should be of the following form

$$[\mathbf{t}, \mathbf{u}] = \text{diffsolve}(N).$$

For a given number of steps N the interval \mathbb{I} will be approximated with the equidistant mesh $\mathbb{I}_h = [-\frac{\pi}{2} = t_0, t_1, \dots, t_{N-1}, t_N = \frac{3\pi}{2}]$. The solution of the boundary-value problem in those mesh points will be approximated by the mesh function $u_j = u(t_j)$, $j = 0, 1, \dots, N$. The resulting linear system may be solved with help of Matlab `\`. Plot the solution for $N = 2^j$, $j = 3, \dots, 10$ and the error in logarithmic scale. The exact solution of the problem is given by $u(t) = e^{\cos(t)}$. Interpret your results.