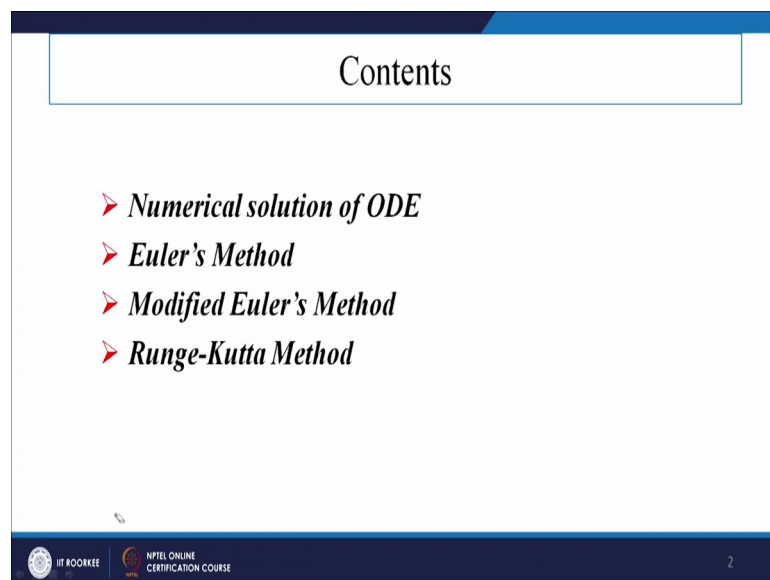


**Numerical Methods: Finite Difference Approach**  
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**Lecture – 02**  
**Numerical solution of ODE**

Welcome to the lecture series on numerical methods, finite difference approach. In the last lecture, I have discussed about like finite difference approximations, so based on Taylor series approximation and Picard's method.

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So, in this lecture, I will just go for like numerical methods based on this Euler's method, and Modified Euler's method. And then we will just go for a Runge-Kutta method.

So, in the last lecture, I have just discussed that whenever we will have like a higher order differential equations, with the initial conditions, then we can just reduce all the higher order differential equations into the set of or linear differential equations. So, if it is like order 1 equations are existing, then we can just use either this a Picard's method or the Taylor series expansion. Then we are just proceeding in a form that once we are just really have like Picard's method, then we will just try to improve that method; that is, in the form of like Euler's method.

And once it is a Euler's method we have then we will just go for some higher order methods, that is in the order of like, order 2 that is as Euler's method here. Then like a to improve this Euler's method again we will just go for this modified Euler's method. Then the improved form of this modified Euler's method is nothing but they Runge-Kutta method here.

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### Euler's Method

Consider the given differential equation is  $\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y)$ ,  $x > x_0$

Initial condition is  $y(x_0) = y_0 = PM$ ,

Let the true solution be  $y = F(x)$  and the exact value of  $y$  at  $x = x_1$  is  $QN$

By Euler's method we approximate the value of  $y$  at  $x_1 = x_0 + h$  as follows:

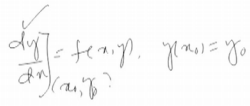
$\left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)_{P(x_0, y_0)} = f(x_0, y_0)$ , which is the slope of tangent  $PR$  at  $P$ , i.e.,  $f(x_0, y_0) = \tan \theta$ .

Then,  $RS = h \tan \theta$

Hence,  $RN = SN + h \tan \theta = PM + h \tan \theta$

So, if will just go for this Euler's method here, so the same problem, we can just consider that is like, if you will just see here  $dy$  by  $dx$ ,  $dy$  by  $dx$  that is nothing but  $f$  of  $x$   $y$ . And your initial condition that is given as  $y$  of  $x_0$  equals to  $y_0$  here. So, if the initial condition is a written in this form here, then first we will just go for a graphical approach that, if a curve is given so at certain points we will have this differential representation; this means that, this is just a satisfied or this differential equation is given at the point  $x_0$  and  $y_0$ .

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$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y), \quad y(x_0) = y_0$$

So, if this differential equation is provided at certain point, then at that point it can just form a slope with the tangent line, and if the tangent line is forming at that point, then based on that we can just derive this Euler's formula. So, in order to achieve this formula if you will just go for a true solution here true solution means we can just distinguish these solutions in 2 forms. One it is called a true solution which is based on these numerical methods, another one it is called analytical solution or the exact solution; which can be obtained by using any of this like real analysis methods. This is where specifically called numerical analysis, that is called a real analysis methods.

So, to often this true solution at  $y$  equals to  $f$  of  $x$  since  $dy$  by  $dx$  is provided at the point  $x_0$  and  $y_0$  there, if you will just set up these coordinates here that is in the form of like  $x_0$ ;  $x_0$  means at this point we can just put this point as  $x_0$  here. And corresponding to this we will have a  $y_0$  point here. And at that point only we have this  $dy$  by  $dx$  slope can be found with a tangent. So, especially if we will just consider  $y$  equals to  $f$  of  $x$  is the true solution. And the exact value of  $y$  at  $x$  equals  $2 \times 1$ , suppose on that car if you will just consider as  $Q$  here, that is nothing but  $y_1$  value here.

So, corresponding to  $y_1$ , we will have an improvement in a  $x_1$  also. That is nothing but we can just consider as  $x_0$  plus  $h$  here that is nothing but  $x_1$ . So,  $h$  means that, is nothing but the space length from here to here there. So,  $x_0$  to  $x_1$  the space length is  $h$  we have consider, and if you will just consider this Euler's method to approximate this

value at  $y$  at  $x$  equals  $2 \times 1$  here, we can just assume  $dy$  by  $dx$  is provided as  $f$  of  $x_0$  and  $y_0$ ; which is the slope of the tangent  $PR$ , if you will just see, this is the tangent forming at the point  $x_0$  and  $y_0$ , which is just intercepting this line  $QN$ ; that is nothing but the next functional value with the corresponding  $x_1$  value there over.

So, if you will just take this  $f$  of  $x_0$  and  $y_0$  that is nothing but  $10\theta$ , since it deforms the slope here. So,  $10\theta$  is nothing but we can just say that this is  $p$  this is  $a$   $b$  here. So,  $10\theta$  is nothing but  $p$  by  $b$  here, and if you will just define this  $RS$  here that is nothing but, we can just write  $h \cdot 10\theta$  here,  $10\theta$  especially we are just considering slope means  $10\theta$  there over.

So, that is why we are just writing  $f$  of  $x_0$  and  $y_0$  this equals to  $10\theta$  here. So, then  $RS$  equals to  $h \cdot 10\theta$ , then we can just so define the total distance from here to here  $RN$ , that is nothing but  $SN$  plus  $h \cdot 10\theta$ . So,  $SN$  means we can just consider  $SN$  is nothing but  $y_0$  distance from here.

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*Euler's Method (continue...):*

Hence,  $RN = SN + h \tan \theta = PM + h \tan \theta$   
 or,  $y_1 = y_0 + hf(x_0, y_0)$       $y_2 = y_1 + hf(x_1, y_1)$

The error is given by  $QR$  which is given as  $R = \frac{h^2}{2!} f'(\xi)$ ,  $x_0 \leq \xi \leq x_1$ .

The general form of the Euler's formula is given as

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + hf(x_n, y_n) \tag{2.1}$$

With error term      $R = \frac{h^2}{2!} f'(\xi_n, y_n)$ ,  $x_n \leq \xi_n \leq x_{n+1}$       $\tag{2.2}$

Error in Euler's formula is of order  $O(h^2)$ , the method is of order one.

So, we can just write this one as like the next immediate value that is a  $RN$ , if you will just see here  $RN$  can be added with like a  $QR$  here. So, then we can just find the total distance that is nothing but  $QN$  here.

So, if you will just write  $RN$  here,  $RN$  can be written as like  $SN$  plus  $h \cdot 10\theta$  here. So,  $h \cdot 10\theta$  means, we can just say that  $y_1$  can be written in the form of  $y_0$  plus  $h$  of  $f$  of  $x_0$

and  $y_0$  here and the error associated with this value that is given by  $R$ , which is given by  $R$  equals to  $h^2$  by  $2$  factorial  $f$  dash of  $\zeta$  here.

Since, if you look at this picture here, the error means we can just say that the improvement that is just taken from  $y_0$  to  $y_1$  there over. So, for that if you will just consider this difference see here, that is nothing but  $h^2$  by  $2$  factorial  $f$  does  $\zeta$  here.

So, the Euler's formula is can be written as like  $y_{n+1}$  this equals  $2 y_n$  plus  $h f$  of  $x_n$  and  $y_n$  here, since the beginning if we are just approximating this formula is in the form of like  $y_1$  equals to  $y_0$  plus  $h f$  of  $x_0 y_0$ , that is nothing but the  $y_1$  improvement if you will just consider from this line here that is nothing, but this error term it is just in a large sense we can just consider, and afterwards if you will just consider this error term again one more slope we have to consider, which can reduce the error term there over that is why, if we are just considering this a higher order term see here that is as one in the fast sense it is written in the form of  $y_0$  plus  $h f$  of  $x_0$  and  $y_0$  here, and the second one we can just write this one as  $y_2$  this is nothing but  $y_1$  plus  $h f$  of  $x_1 y_1$  here.

Similarly, if you will just proceed, then in the inert form we can just write this one as  $y_{n+1}$  this is nothing but  $y_n$  plus  $h f$  of  $x_n y_n$  here, with the error term  $R$  equals to  $h^2$  by  $2$  factorial  $f$  dash of  $\zeta_{n+1}$ , since this error term always represented in the first order differential equation from here, where  $\zeta_m$  should be lies between  $x_n$  to  $x_{n+1}$  since whenever the slope is increasing from point to point this error is getting reduced and this error lies between this immediate below point to the next approximated value. So, that is why in the beginning I have just told that this a error for this Euler's formula is of order of  $h^2$  or the second order approximation we are just getting for the error terms.

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**Euler's Method (continue...):**

**Example:** Using Euler's method, compute  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  taking  $h=0.1$  from the following differential equation,

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 + xy^2, \quad y(0) = 1, \quad \text{Also compute the error.}$$

**Solution:** Here  $y'(x) = f(x, y) = 1 + xy^2$   
So,  $y''(x) = f'(x, y) = y^2 + 2xy(1 + xy^2)$   
For  $x = 0.1$  using  $y_1 = y_0 + hf(x_0, y_0)$ , we get  
 $y_1 = 1 + (0.1)(1) = 1.1$

Max. truncation error  $\epsilon_1 = \frac{1}{2}h^2y''(\xi) = \frac{1}{2}h^2f'(\xi, y), \quad 0 \leq \xi \leq 0.1$   
 $= 0.5 \times 0.01 \times 1.45662$   
 $\quad \quad \quad [\because f'(\xi, y) = 1.45662 \text{ at } x = 0]$   
 $= 0.00728$

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And if you will just go for a practical example here, that is based on Euler's method here suppose the question is given like using Euler's method, compute  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  taking  $h$  equals to 0.1 from the following differential equation, that is as  $dy$  by  $dx$  equals to 1 plus  $xy$  square  $y_0$  equals to 1 here also compute the error term there. So, if you will just go for this equation here, especially we can just write this equation as  $dy$  by  $dx$  that is nothing but your  $f$  of  $xy$  here, which is represented in the form of 1 plus  $xy$  square and  $y_0$  is a provided as 1 here. So, that is why we can just write  $y'$  as  $f$  of  $xy$  that is nothing but 1 plus  $xy$  square, and  $y''$  we can just express this is nothing but  $f'$  of  $xy$  this is nothing, but we can just write  $y^2$  plus  $2xy$  1 plus  $xy$  square here.

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$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y) = 1 + xy^2, \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y_0 = 1, \quad x_0 = 0$$

$$f^1 = f(x, y) = 1 + xy^2 \quad f^2 = f^1(x, y) = y^2 + 2xy(1 + xy^2)$$

$$\text{for } x = 0.1 \quad y_1 = y_0 + h f(x_0, y_0) = f_0 + hf_0$$

$$y_1 = 1 + 0.1 [1 + 0 \cdot 1^2]$$

$$= 1 + 0.1 [1] = 1.1$$

$$\epsilon_1 = \frac{1}{2} h^2 y''(\xi) = \frac{1}{2} h^2 f''(\xi, \eta), \quad 0 \leq \xi \leq 0.1$$

$$= 0.5 \times 0.01 \times 1.45662$$

$$= 0.00728$$

$f''(\xi, \eta) = 1.45662$  at  $x=0$

Since, say already we have explained that one f dash of x y is nothing but, we can just write it as fx plus fy into f here. So, that is why I have just written in this form here. So, then especially for x equals to 0.1 here, we can just write y 1 equals to y 0 plus h f of x 0 y 0 here. So, if you will just write in this form since, every value it is known to us y 0 equals to 1 here x 0 equals to 0 here.

So, if I will just use this values, then I can just write this one as y 1 this can be written as like 1 plus h is nothing but it is just as specified as a like 0.1. So, that is why 0.1 into your f of x I value that is nothing but I can just write as like 1 plus x 0 y 0 square here.

So, if I will just do this one like the final form of this one 1 plus 0.1 into 1 here, that is nothing but 1.1. So, in the error term if you will just go for this computation. So, epsilon one this can be written as like half h square like y double dash of zeta here, since f dash zeta it is just written in the formulation so that is why it is written as half h square y double dash of zeta this can be written as half of like h square f dash of zeta y where, zeta should be lies between like 0 to 0.1 here, and especially I can just write 0.5 into 0.01 into 1.45662 here.

Since, f dash of zeta y if you will just see this is nothing but 1.45662 here, at x equals to 0. So, that is why this final value it will just achieve as a 0.0078. So, that is why this final solution we are just obtaining that is the order of h square if you will just see 0.0078, it is just a represents that value corresponding to h equals to 0.1 here.

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**Euler's Method (continue...):**

For  $x = 0.2$  using  $y_2 = y_1 + hf(x_1, y_1)$ , we get  $y_2 = y_1 + hf(x_1, y_1)$

$$y_2 = 1.1 + (0.1)(1 + (0.1)(1.1)(1.1))$$

$$= 1.2121$$

Max. truncation error = error propagated from first step + local truncation error  
i.e.,

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon_2 &= \epsilon_1 \{1 + hf_y(x_1, y_1)\} + \frac{1}{2} h^2 f''(\xi, y), \quad 0.1 \leq \xi \leq 0.2 \\ &= \epsilon_1 \{1 + 2hx_1 y_1\} + \frac{1}{2} h^2 \{y^2 + 2xy(1 + xy^2)\}, \\ &= 0.00728 \times 1.022 + 0.005\{1.4692 + 0.6272\} \\ &= 0.0179 \end{aligned}$$

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So, then for  $x$  equals to 0.2 if you will just use this formula recursively, then again, we can just write this formula as  $y_2$  equals to  $y_1$  plus  $h f$  of  $x_1 y_1$  here. So, if you will just put the value here that is  $y_2$  equals to  $y_1$  plus  $h f$  of  $x_1 y_1$  here. So, that is why  $y_1$  is just if you will just see the value here that is just a given as 1.1 here over.

So, that is why 1.1 plus  $h$  that is nothing but 0.1 here into your value so that is as a functional value, that as like a 1 plus  $xy$  square here, 1 plus  $xy$  square means so we can just write as  $x$  plus  $y$  square means 1.1 it is just giving. So, final value we can just write that as 1.2121 here.

So, maximum truncation error or error propagated from  $f$  plus the local truncation error that, is we can just write as  $\epsilon_2$  equals to  $\epsilon_1$  into  $1 + hf_y$  of  $x_1 y_1$  here since this error this is associated with the second approximation here. So, that is why we can just consider plus half of  $h^2$   $f''$  of  $\xi y$  plus the local error that it has been associated or already it is associated there over this is the error term here.

So, in the complete form if you will just write this total error here, this error can be written as  $\epsilon_1$  into  $1 + hf_y$  of  $x_1 y_1$  that is nothing but  $2hx_1 y_1$  plus half  $h^2$  into  $y^2 + 2xy(1 + xy^2)$  here. So, if you will just put all these values  $h$  equals to 0.1 and  $x_1$  is it can be written as in the form of a 0.1 also there and  $y_1$  it is just at the computed value, that is as a 1.1 if you will just see this  $y_1$  value is coming as 1.1 here. So, that is why it can be written as like 0.00728 into 1.022



plus 0.005 into 1.4692 plus 0.6272 here, and the final answer just it is just giving you 0.0179.

If you will just see this previous staff error. So, this error is just a given as a 0.00728 and in the next step this error is reduced to like 0.0179 here. So, whenever we will just go for like higher steps then the error will be minimized afterwards.

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### Modified Euler's Method

The Euler's method is given by  $y_{n+1} = y_n + hf(x_n, y_n)$  having error of order  $O(h^2)$ . The modified Euler's method is an improvement over the earlier method, having an error of order  $O(h^3)$ . In this method, a crude estimate for  $y_1$  is obtained by using Euler's method as:

$$y_1^* = y_0 + hf(x_0, y_0) \tag{2.3}$$

Then the value of gradient  $\frac{dy}{dx}$  is computed at the point  $(x_1, y_1^*)$  as  $f(x_1, y_1^*)$ . The value of  $y_1$  is improved by taking average value of the gradients  $f(x_0, y_0)$  and  $f(x_1, y_1^*)$ , i.e.,

$$y_1 = y_0 + \frac{h}{2} [f(x_0, y_0) + f(x_1, y_1^*)]$$

Let  $k_1 = hf(x_0, y_0)$ , then above equation can be written as:

$$y_1 = y_0 + \frac{h}{2} [f(x_0, y_0) + f(x_0 + h, y_0 + k_1)] \tag{2.4}$$

So, then we will just go for like modified or improved Euler's method. So, in the Euler's method especially we are just using only this a positive values that as like  $y_1$  equals to  $y_0$  plus  $h$   $f$  of  $x_0$   $y_0$  there, and in the modified Euler's form we can just take the average of like previous step calculation into the plus the next step calculation, and it can be since we are just taking the average values of these two we can just a modified form we can just write this formula is  $y_1$  equals to  $y_0$  plus  $h$  by 2 into  $f$  of  $x_0$   $y_0$  plus  $f$  of  $x_1$  and  $y_1$  there.

Since, two unknowns are associated in this formula here, if you will just see 2 formulas are associated here. So, that is why we can just consider this  $y_1$  star it can be computed from the earlier step by using only Euler's method, there so Euler's method especially it is written as  $y_1$  equals to  $y_0$  plus  $h$   $f$  of  $x_0$   $y_0$ . So, that is why from this we can just calculate this  $y_1$  star at the beginning of the problem, then successively we can just pour these values in this formulation here, and if you will just see in a fundamental way also this can improve the nature of this approximation compared to the earlier one.

So, that is why I have just written this statement the Euler's method is given by like  $y_{n+1}$  equals  $y_n$  plus  $h f$  of  $x_n, y_n$  here, having the error of order of  $h$  square here second order and the modified Euler's method is an improvement over the earlier method giving the error in the order of  $h^3$  here, and in this method especially  $y_1$  can be obtained by using the earlier Euler's method and it can be improved by taking the average value of the gradients of  $f$  of  $x_0, y_0$  and  $f$  of  $x_1, y_1^*$  since,  $y_1$  is unknown to us that is why we are just using this earlier Euler's method to get the value of  $y_1$  in a improved form or in a modified form.

So, then if you will just take  $k$  is  $h$  of  $f$  of  $x_0, y_0$ , then we can just write this one or in the modified form  $y_1$  can be written as  $y_1$  equals to  $y_0$  plus  $h$  by  $2 f$  of  $x_0, y_0$  plus  $f$  of  $x_0$  plus  $h$  that is nothing but  $x_1$  here and then  $y_1^*$  which can be written as like  $y_0$  plus  $h f$  of  $x_0, y_0$  since already we have defined here that is as a  $k_1$  here,  $k_1$  is nothing but  $h f$  of  $x_0, y_0$  which can be written as  $y_0$  plus  $k_1$  here.

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**Modified Euler's Method (continue...):**

The error in modified Euler's method is of order  $O(h^3)$ . To show this first expand the right side of eq. (2.4) by using Taylor's series as:

$$y_1 = y_0 + \frac{h}{2} f(x_0, y_0) + \frac{h}{2} \left[ f(x_0, y_0) + \left( h \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + k \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left( h^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2hk \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + k^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \right) + \dots \right]$$

Using  $k = hf(x_0, y_0)$ , we get

$$y_1 = y_0 + \frac{hf}{2} + \frac{h}{2} \left[ f + h \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + f \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) + \frac{h}{2} \left( h \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2hf \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + hf^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \right) + \dots \right]$$

or

$$y_1 = y_0 + hf + \frac{h^2}{2} \left[ \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + f \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) \right] + \frac{h^3}{4} \left[ \left( \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2f \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + f^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} \right) + \dots \right] \quad (2.5)$$

So, for the further improvement if you will just go for the error in the modified Euler's method to for this error, if you will just expand this Taylor series as  $y_1$  equals to  $y_0$  plus  $h$  by  $2 f$  of  $x_0, y_0$  plus  $h$  by  $2$  if you will just take the next term that is as  $f$  of  $x_0, y_0$  plus  $h$  del  $f$  by del  $x$  plus  $k$  del  $f$  by del  $y$  plus half  $h$  square del square  $f$  by del  $x$  square plus  $2$   $hk$  del square  $f$  by del  $x$  del  $y$  plus  $k$  square del square  $f$  by del  $y$  square plus all other

terms especially, we are just taking this one as in the form  $y_1$  equals to  $y_0$  plus  $h$  by  $2$   $f$  of  $x_0$   $y_0$  plus  $h$  by  $2$   $f$  of  $x_1$   $y_1$  there itself.

So, that is why we are just considering since  $x_1$  can be written in the form of like  $x_0$  plus  $h$ , and  $y_1$  can be written in the form of  $y_0$  plus  $hf$  there. So, that is why it can be expanded in Taylor series form and in the if you will just expand all the terms then this is the combined form of this all the terms here, if you will just use like  $k$  equals to suppose  $h$   $f$  of  $x_0$   $y_0$  here, then we can just get the series as  $y_1$  equals to  $y_0$  plus  $h$   $f$   $y_2$  plus  $h$  by  $2$  if you will just see then  $f$  plus  $h$  into  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$  since,  $k$  is replaced by here  $h$   $f$  of  $x_0$   $y_0$  so  $h$  can be taken common. So,  $f$  can be multiplied with this term. So, it can be written in a compact form here.

So, similarly if we in this term also if you will just replace  $k$  by  $h$   $f$  of  $x$   $y$   $naught$   $y$   $naught$ . So, it can be represented as a  $2$   $h$   $f$   $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2}$   $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}$  plus  $h$  is  $f$   $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y}$  plus  $h$   $f$   $\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2}$  here, and in the final form if you will just see. So, this can be written as  $y_0$  plus  $hf$  plus, if we will just take common from all other terms that is if you will just see here  $h$   $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$  here plus  $hf$   $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$  here.

So, if you will just write in a compact form that is if you will just take like  $h$   $f$  by  $2$  and add it off then we can just write this one as or if you will just subtract this  $h$   $f$   $y_2$  from both these terms this can be represented as  $hf$  plus  $h$  square by  $2$   $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$  plus  $f$   $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$  so remaining terms have there. So, only we are just adding  $h$  by  $h$   $f$  by  $2$  term here subtracting from this one, or you can just consider this addition of these 2 terms can be represented in this form here.

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### Modified Euler's Method (continue...):

Now, the exact solution  $y(x_0 + h) = y(x_1)$  can be expressed by Taylor's series expression about  $x = x_0$  as :

$$y(x_1) = y(x_0 + h) = y_0 + hy'_0 + \frac{h^2}{2}y''_0 + \frac{h^3}{3!}y'''_0 + \dots$$

or

$$y(x_1) = y_0 + hf + \frac{h^2}{2} \left( \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + f \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right) + \frac{h^3}{6} \left( \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2f \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + f^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cdot y'' \right) + \dots \quad (2.6)$$

Subtracting eq.(2.6) from eq. (2.5), we get

$$y(x_1) - y_1 = - \frac{h^3}{12} \left( \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2f \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + f^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} + 2 \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cdot y'' \right) = O(h^3)$$

So now if you want to find the exact solution that has  $y$  of  $x_0$  plus  $h$  that is nothing but  $y$  of  $x_1$ . So, if you will just take the Taylor series expansion. So, directly we can just obtain this Taylor series expansion as  $y$  of  $x_0$  plus  $h$ . So, which can be written as  $y_0$  plus  $h y'_0$  plus  $\frac{h^2}{2} y''_0$  plus  $\frac{h^3}{3!} y'''_0$  and if you will just subtract like from the earlier formulation here  $y_1$  is there and this is  $y$  of  $x_1$  is here if you will just take the difference, then we can just find that this term is 0 this term is 0 this term is 0 here and we can just obtain a subtracted term that is in the form of minus  $\frac{h^3}{12} \left( \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x^2} + 2f \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial x \partial y} + f^2 \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial y^2} + 2 \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \cdot y'' \right)$  here, that is nothing but order of  $h^3$ .

So, we are just finding this improved form of this like Euler's method, if you are just going for like higher approximations. So, in the earlier method we have just obtained this error is of order of  $h^2$  here we are just obtaining this error is of order of  $h^3$  here.

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**Modified Euler's Method (continue...):**

**Example:** Compute  $y$ , from the following differential equation,

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x - y, \quad y(0) = 1,$$

For  $x = 0.2(0.2)0.4$ , using modified Euler's method.

**Solution:** For  $x = 0.2$

$$h = 0.2, \quad x_0 = 0, \quad y_0 = 1$$
$$y_1^* = y_0 + hf(x_0, y_0)$$
$$= 1 + 0.2(0 - 1) = 0.8$$
$$y_1 = y_0 + \frac{h}{2} [f(x_0, y_0) + f(x_1, y_1^*)]$$
$$= 1 + \frac{0.2}{2} [-1 + 0.2 - 0.8]$$
$$= 0.84$$

*Handwritten notes:*  
 $y(0) = 1$   
 $x_0 = 0, y_0 = 1$   
 $x_1 = 0.2, y_1 = 0.8$   
 $x_2 = 0.4, y_2 = ?$

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If you will just go for a practical example that is specifically if it is written in the form of like  $dy$  by  $dx$  equals to  $x$  minus  $y$  and  $y_0$  equals to  $1$  here for  $x$  equals to starting point is like  $x$  naught equals to  $0.2$  and it is incremented by  $0.2$  and last point is  $0.4$  here. So, that is why it is just written as like  $x$  naught equals to  $0.2$  incremented by  $0.2$  here.

So, that is why we can just consider like  $x_1$  this can be written as  $0.2$  plus  $0.2$  that is nothing but  $0.4$  here. So, initial value of  $x_0$  is  $0.2$  and  $x_1$  is like  $0.4$ .

So, two step calculation we have to move here. So, for  $x$  equals to  $0.2$  here, if we I will just write the increment here increment means, I am just writing  $h$  equals to  $0$  point here. So, if you will just consider here that is as  $y$  of  $0$  is  $1$  here, especially we can just write  $x_0$  equals to  $0$  and  $y_0$  equals to  $1$ , then the first improvements if you will just consider here that has like  $y_0$  as  $1$  then we have to find  $y_1$  here and  $x_0$  is a given  $0$  here then  $x_1$  is given as  $x_0$  plus  $h$  that is nothing but  $0.2$  here.

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**Modified Euler's Method (continue...):**

**Example:** Compute  $y$ , from the following differential equation,

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x - y, \quad y(0) = 1,$$

For  $x = 0.2(0.2)0.4$ , using modified Euler's method.

**Solution:** For  $x = 0.2$

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

*Euler's method*

$$y_1^* = y_0 + hf(x_0, y_0)$$

$$= 1 + 0.2(0 - 1) = 0.8$$

$y_0 = 1, \quad y_1 = ?$   
 $x_0 = 0, \quad x_1 = x_0 + h = 0 + 0.2 = 0.2$

$$y_1 = y_0 + \frac{h}{2} [f(x_0, y_0) + f(x_1, y_1^*)]$$

$$= 1 + \frac{0.2}{2} [1 + 0.2 - 0.8]$$

$$= 0.84$$

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So, based on this we will just find first  $y_1$  star here. So, for  $y_1$  star if you will just consider like  $y_0 + hf(x_0, y_0)$  here, then  $y_0$  is given as a one especially, I am just putting here then  $h$  is given as a 0.2 here then the formula that is as  $x_0 - y_0$  here. So,  $x_0$  is a 0 here minus  $y_0$  is 1 here. So, if you I will just take the total sum of the term here so that is just giving you a 0.8 here.

So, the immediate improvement if we want to find since  $y_1$  star, we can just write this is the calculation from Euler's method only original Euler's method and then if we want to find a modified form or a improve form of this Euler's method then  $y_1$  can be written as  $y_0 + \frac{h}{2} [f(x_0, y_0) + f(x_1, y_1^*)]$  here. So,  $y_0$  is given as a 1 here then  $h$  is 0.2 by 2 then  $f(x_0, y_0)$  it is just obtained as like, if you will just see here that is  $x_0 - y_0$  here that is a minus 1 then plus we can just write  $h$  by 2 0.2 by 2 here. So, like  $f(x_1, y_1^*)$  here. So,  $y_1$  star it is just computed as 0.8 here, see if you if I will just put  $x_1$  as 0.2 minus 0.8 here.

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**Modified Euler's Method (continue...):**

For  $x = 0.4$

$h = 0.2, \quad x_1 = 0.2, \quad y_1 = 0.84$

$y_2^* = y_1 + hf(x_1, y_1)$   
 $= 0.84 + 0.2(0.2 - 0.84)$   
 $= 0.712$

$y_2 = y_1 + \frac{h}{2} [f(x_1, y_1) + f(x_2, y_2^*)]$   
 $= 0.84 + \frac{0.2}{2} [-0.64 + 0.4 - 0.712]$   
 $= 0.7448$

Analytic solution is  $y = x - 1 + 2e^{-x}$   
 $y(0.2) = 0.8375, \quad y(0.4) = 0.7406$

*Handwritten notes:*  
 $h = 0.2$   
 $x = 0.2 + 0.2$   
 $= 0.4$   
 $y(0.4)$

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So, final answer it is just coming as a 0.84 here, for  $x$  equals to 0.4 that is a we can just consider  $x_1$  as a 0.2 here then  $x_2$  equals to 0.2 plus 0.2 that is nothing but 0.4 here. So, at  $y$  at 0.4 especially, we can just say this one this can be obtained if you will just first compute  $y_2^*$   $y_2^*$  can be written as  $y_1$  plus  $h$  of  $f$  of  $x_1, y_1$  here, that is  $y_1$  can be written as 0.84 plus 0.2 into 0.2 minus 0.84, and the value is coming as 0.712 and specifically based on this  $y_2^*$  value we can just compute  $y_2$  here.

So,  $y_2$  can be written as  $y_1$  plus  $h$  by 2  $f$  of  $x_1, y_1$  plus  $f$  of  $x_2, y_2^*$  here. So, if you will put  $y_1$  value that is nothing but 0.84 here. So,  $h$  is 0.2 by 2 here then  $f$  of  $x_1, y_1$  that is nothing but minus 0.64 plus 0.4 minus 0.712 here, and the final value it is just obtaining as 0.7448 here.

So, analytic solution it can be often if you will just take the direct integration of this differential equation and the value can be obtained as like  $x$  minus 1 plus 2  $e$  to the power minus  $x$  here, and if we want to compute the value at the 0.2 so as specifically if you will just put here like  $x$  equals to 0.2, then the value is given as 0.8375 here and for 0.4 the value is given as 0.7406 and if you will take this difference between these 2 values, then we can just find the error in that method then we will just go for like a Runge-Kutta method here.

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**Runge-Kutta (R-K) Method**

The modified Euler's method is considered as R-K method of order two i.e.,  $O(h^2)$ . The fourth order Runge-Kutta method is computed in four steps expressed as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} k_1 &= h f(x_0, y_0) \\ k_2 &= h f\left(x_0 + \frac{h}{2}, y_0 + \frac{k_1}{2}\right) \\ k_3 &= h f\left(x_0 + \frac{h}{2}, y_0 + \frac{k_2}{2}\right) \\ k_4 &= h f(x_0 + h, y_0 + k_3) \\ k &= \frac{1}{6}(k_1 + 2k_2 + 2k_3 + k_4) \\ y_1 &= y_0 + k \end{aligned} \quad (2.7)$$

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Runge-Kutta method is nothing but the improvement of like modified alerts method if you will just see here we are just considering different terms as in the form of like  $k_1$  as a function of like  $h f$  of  $x_0 y_0$   $k_2$  as  $f$  of  $x_0$  plus  $h$  by  $2$   $y_0$  plus  $k_1$  by  $2$  this is nothing but the improvement of like  $k_1$  term in this term here then again we will just take an improvement of  $k_2$  term in the next term here, then again we will just consider a next improvement of the previous term in the next term there itself.

If you will just take the combination of all the terms here, then we can just obtain the final improvement of this term here. So, improvement can be added with this initial condition to get this final solution of this problem here. So, if you will just go for a practical example.



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**Runge-Kutta (R-K) Method (Continue...):**

**Example:** Compute  $y$  at  $x = 0.2(0.2)0.4$ , by fourth order Runge-Kutta method from the following differential equation,

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = y - x, \quad y(0) = 1.5, \quad x_0 = 0, \quad y_0 = 1.5$$

**Solution:** Here  $h = 0.2, x_0 = 0, y_0 = 1.5$

$k_1 = h f(x_0, y_0) = 0.2(1.5 - 0) = 0.3$  ✓  
 $k_2 = h f\left(x_0 + \frac{h}{2}, y_0 + \frac{k_1}{2}\right) = 0.2(1.65 - 0.1) = 0.31$   $(x_1, y_1)$   
 $k_3 = h f\left(x_0 + \frac{h}{2}, y_0 + \frac{k_2}{2}\right) = 0.2(1.655 - 0.1) = 0.311$   
 $k_4 = h f(x_0 + h, y_0 + k_3) = 0.2(1.811 - 0.2) = 0.3222$   
 $k = \frac{1}{6}(k_1 + 2k_2 + 2k_3 + k_4) = \frac{1}{6}(0.3 + 0.62 + 0.622 + 0.3222) = 0.3107$   
 $y_1 = y_0 + k = 1.5 + 0.3107 = 1.8107$

Handwritten notes on the slide:  
 $x_1 = 0 + 0.2 = 0.2$   
 $x_2 = 0.2 + 0.2 = 0.4$   
 $x_3 = 0.4 + 0.2 = 0.6$   
 $(x_0, y_0, y_1)$

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Based on this a Runge-Kutta method we can just write here  $dy/dx$  equals to  $y$  minus  $x$  and  $y$  of  $0$  is  $1.5$  here. So, especially we can just write this initial condition  $x$  naught equals to  $0$  and  $y$   $0$  equals to  $1.5$  here and we have to compute this value. So, that is has like  $x$   $1$  equals to  $0$  plus  $0.2$  improvement that is  $0.2$  here, and  $x$   $2$  equals to  $0.2$  plus  $0.2$  that is nothing but  $0.4$  here  $x$   $3$  is nothing but  $0.4$  plus  $0.2$  that is nothing but  $0.6$  here.

So, since the value is you ask you to compute up to  $0.4$  here. So, we have to compute these values at like  $x$   $0$   $x$   $1$  and  $x$   $2$  here. So, first  $x$   $0$  value it has been given to us. So,  $x$   $0$  is written as like  $0$  here for  $h$  equals to  $0.2$ ,  $x$   $0$  equals to  $0$  and  $y$   $0$  equals to  $1.5$ . We can just use  $k$   $1$  equals  $h$   $f$  of  $x$   $0$   $y$   $0$  here so  $0.2$  into  $1.5$  minus  $0$  that is nothing but  $0.3$  here,  $k$   $2$  equals to  $h$   $f$  of  $x$   $0$  plus  $h$  by  $2$   $y$   $0$  plus  $k$   $1$  by  $2$  here.

So, that is why this value is even just given as  $0.31$  here, then again for computation of  $k$   $3$  if you will just to consider these values as like  $h$   $f$  of  $x$   $0$  plus  $h$  by  $2$   $y$   $0$  plus  $k$   $2$  by  $2$ , then we can just write this value as a  $0.31$  then further improvement if you will just to implement this  $k$   $3$  value in  $k$   $4$  then we can just find the value as a  $0.3222$  here.



So, final after combining all the  $4$  terms here the final improvement is obtained as  $1$  by  $6$   $k$   $1$  plus  $2$   $k$   $2$  plus  $2$   $k$   $3$  plus  $k$   $4$  here and the value is obtained as  $0.3107$  here. So,  $y$   $1$  can be written as  $y$   $0$  plus  $k$  there is nothing but we can just write  $1.8107$  here then for the further improvement of this Runge-Kutta method systematically, we will just use all other values like  $x$   $2$  equals to  $0.4$  if we want to find.

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**Runge-Kutta (R-K) Method (Continue...):**

Now for  $x_2 = 0.4$ ,

$$h = 0.2, x_1 = 0.2, y_1 = 1.8107$$
$$k_1 = h f(x_1, y_1) = 0.2(1.8107 - 0.2) = 0.32214$$
$$k_2 = h f\left(x_1 + \frac{h}{2}, y_1 + \frac{k_1}{2}\right) = 0.2(1.65 - 0.1) = 0.33425$$
$$k_3 = h f\left(x_1 + \frac{h}{2}, y_1 + \frac{k_2}{2}\right) = 0.2(1.655 - 0.1) = 0.33556$$
$$k_4 = h f(x_1 + h, y_1 + k_3) = 0.2(1.811 - 0.2) = 0.34926$$
$$k = \frac{1}{6}(k_1 + 2k_2 + 2k_3 + k_4)$$
$$= \frac{1}{6}(0.33425 + 0.66950 + 0.67112 + 0.34926) = 0.33517$$
$$y_2 = y_1 + k = 1.8107 + 0.33517 = 2.14587$$

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Then we can just implement here  $x_1$  value and  $y_1$  value for the further improvement of  $k_1, k_2, k_3$  and  $k_4$  finally, we can just obtain  $y_2$  as a 2.14587 here.

Thank you for listen this lecture.