

**King Fahd University of Petroleum and Minerals****Department of Mathematics****Math 371 Exam 2, 1<sup>st</sup> Semester (231),****Net Time Allowed: 90 minutes****November 14, 2023****Name:****Key****(Capital Letters)****ID No.:****Section NO.:**Please:

1. Write clearly with a **pen or dark pencil** in the **designed area for each question**.
2. **Fill your info clearly**, and write your **ID NO** in the pages (3, 5, 7, 9) in the right corner **inside the box**.
3. **If you need more space**, you may use page 9 and 10 but you have to state that clearly in the question's area.
4. Show **all** your steps, no credit will be given to wrong steps.
5. Set your calculator to RADIAN and Use **4 decimal places for all calculations**.

**Q1)** Consider the following initial-value problem:

14 points

$$\frac{dy}{dt} - 1 = \frac{y}{t}, \quad 1 \leq t \leq 2, \quad y(1) = 2,$$

- a. Use the **Euler's method** with step size  $h = 0.25$  to approximate  $y(2)$ . (Use 4 decimal places for all calculations.)
- b. If the exact solution is  $y(t) = t \ln t + 2t$ , find an **error bound** for the approximation of  $y(2)$  in part a.

**Sol: (a)** Here  $f(t, y) = 1 + \frac{y}{t}$ ,  $h = 0.25$ ,  $t_0 = 1$ ,  $t_1 = 1.25$ ,  $t_2 = 1.5$ ,  $t_3 = 1.75$ ,  $t_4 = 2$ ,

$$w_0 = \alpha = 2$$

$$w_{i+1} = w_i + hf(t_i, w_i)$$

$$w_1 = w_0 + hf(t_0, w_0) = w_0 + h \left( 1 + \frac{w_0}{t_0} \right) = 2 + 0.25 \left( 1 + \frac{2}{1} \right) = 2.75$$

$$w_2 = w_1 + hf(t_1, w_1) = w_1 + h \left( 1 + \frac{w_1}{t_1} \right) = 2.75 + 0.25 \left( 1 + \frac{2.75}{1.25} \right) = 3.55$$

$$w_3 = w_2 + hf(t_2, w_2) = w_2 + h \left( 1 + \frac{w_2}{t_2} \right) = 3.55 + 0.25 \left( 1 + \frac{3.55}{1.5} \right) = 4.3917$$

$$w_4 = w_3 + hf(t_3, w_3) = w_3 + h \left( 1 + \frac{w_3}{t_3} \right) = 4.3917 + 0.25 \left( 1 + \frac{4.3917}{1.75} \right) = 5.2691$$

$$y(2) \approx 5.2691.$$

**(b)**  $y(t) = t \ln t + 2t \Rightarrow y'(t) = \ln t + 1 + 2, \quad y''(t) = \frac{1}{t}$

$$M = \max_{1 \leq t \leq 2} |y''(t)| = 1, \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{t} \Rightarrow L = 1$$

**Error Bound**  $|y(2) - w_4| \leq \frac{hM}{2L} (e^{L(t_4-1)} - 1) = \frac{0.25 * 1}{2 * 1} (e^{1*(2-1)} - 1) = 0.2148$

**Q2)** Use the **Composite Simpson's rule** to approximate the integral  $\int_{-0.5}^{0.5} x \ln(x+1) dx$  with  $n = 6$ .

10 points

$$\text{Sol: } h = \frac{0.5 - (-0.5)}{6} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$x_0 = -\frac{1}{2}, x_1 = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} = -\frac{1}{3}, x_2 = -\frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{6} = -\frac{1}{6}, x_3 = -\frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{6} = 0$$

$$x_4 = 0 + \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{6}, x_5 = \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{3}, x_6 = \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{6} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\int_{-0.5}^{0.5} x \ln(x+1) dx = \frac{1}{3} [f(x_0) + 4f(x_1) + 2f(x_2) + 4f(x_3) + 2f(x_4) + 4f(x_5) + f(x_6)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{18} [0.3466 + 4(0.1352) + 2(0.0304) + 4(0) + 2(0.0257) + 4(0.0959) + 0.2027]$$

$$= 0.0881$$

**Q3)** Show that the initial-value problem

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = \frac{2}{t}y + t^2e^t, \quad 1 \leq t \leq 2, \quad y(1) = 0,$$

10 points

has a **unique solution on**  $D = \{(t, y) | 1 \leq t \leq 2, -\infty < y < \infty\}$ . (Do not solve the IVP)

**Sol:** Here  $f(t, y) = \frac{2}{t}y + t^2e^t$  is **continuous** on  $D$ .

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{2}{t} \quad \text{and} \quad \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right| \leq 2 = L \quad \text{on } 1 \leq t \leq 2$$

$f(t, y)$  satisfy the **Lipschitz condition** on  $D$  in the variable  $y$ .

By Theorem 5.4, the IVP has a unique solution.

**Q4)** If the **least squares polynomial** of degree one for the following table

$x_i$	1.0	1.1	1.3	1.5	1.9	2.1
$y_i$	$\alpha$	1.96	2.21	2.45	2.94	$\beta$

12 points

is  $y = 0.6209 + 1.2196x$ , find the values of  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ .

**Sol:** Here  $a = 0.6209$ ,  $b = 1.2196$

$x_i$	$y_i$	$x_i^2$	$x_i y_i$
1.0	$\alpha$	1.0	$\alpha$
1.1	1.96	1.21	2.1560
1.3	2.21	1.69	2.8730
1.5	2.45	2.25	3.675
1.9	2.94	3.61	5.5860
2.1	$\beta$	4.41	$2.1\beta$
<b>8.9</b>	<b><math>9.56 + \alpha + \beta</math></b>	<b>14.17</b>	<b><math>\alpha + 2.1\beta + 14.29</math></b>

Put in the equations,

$$na + \left(\sum x\right) b = \sum y$$

$$\left(\sum x\right) a + \left(\sum x^2\right) b = \sum xy$$

$$6(0.6209) + 8.9(1.2196) = 9.56 + \alpha + \beta$$

$$8.9(0.6209) + 14.17(1.2196) = \alpha + 2.1\beta + 14.29$$

$$\alpha + \beta = 5.0198$$

$$\alpha + 2.1\beta = 8.5177$$

$$\beta = \frac{8.5177 - 5.0198}{1.1} = 3.1799, \quad \alpha = 5.0198 - 3.1799 = 1.8399$$

**Q5)** The **Trapezoidal rule** applied to  $\int_0^{1/2} f(x) dx$  gives the value 4 and **Simpson's rule** gives the value 1.

What is  $f\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)$ ?

8 points

**Sol:** By Trapezoidal rule

$$\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{2} \left[ f(0) + f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \right] = 4 \Rightarrow f(0) + f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = 16$$

By the Simpson's rule

$$\int_0^{\frac{1}{2}} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{3} \left[ f(0) + 4f\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \right] = 1 \Rightarrow f(0) + 4f\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) + f\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = 12$$

$$4f\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) = 12 - 16 = -4$$

$$f\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) = -1.$$

**Q6)** Consider the following table:

$x$	$f(x)$	$f'(x)$
-0.3	-0.27652	
-0.2	-0.25074	
-0.1	-0.16134	

14 points

a) Use the most accurate **three-point formula** to determine each missing entry in the table.

b) Given that  $f'(0) \approx 1.9731$ , approximate  $f''(-0.1)$ ?

**Sol:** (a) Here  $h = 0.1$

$$f'(-0.3) \approx \frac{-3f(-0.3) + 4f(-0.3 + 0.1) - f(-0.3 + 0.2)}{2(0.1)} = \frac{-3(-0.27652) + 4(-0.25074) - (-0.16134)}{0.2} = -0.06030$$

$$f'(-0.2) \approx \frac{f(-0.2 + 0.1) - f(-0.2 - 0.1)}{2(0.1)} = \frac{-0.16134 + 0.27652}{0.2} = 0.57590$$

$$f'(-0.1) \approx \frac{-3f(-0.1) + 4f(-0.2) - f(-0.3)}{2(-0.1)} = \frac{-3(-0.16134) + 4(-0.25074) - (-0.27652)}{-0.2} = 1.21210$$

(b)

$$f''(-0.1) = \frac{f(-0.1 - 0.1) - 2f(-0.1) + f(-0.1 + 0.1)}{(0.1)^2} = \frac{-0.25074 - 2(-0.16134) - f(0)}{0.01}$$

Now, using  $f'(0) \approx 1.9731$

$$f'(0) = \frac{-3f(0) + 4f(-0.1) - f(-0.2)}{2(-0.1)} = \frac{-3f(0) + 4(-0.16134) - (-0.25074)}{-0.2} = 1.9731$$

Implies  $f(0) \approx 0$ .

Therefore,

$$f''(-0.1) \approx \frac{-0.25074 - 2(-0.16134)}{0.01} = 7.1940.$$

$$\text{Or, } f'(0) = \frac{f(0-0.1)-f(0)}{-0.1} = \frac{-0.16134-f(0)}{-0.1} = 1.9731, \text{ implies } f(0) \approx -0.0360.$$

Therefore,  $f''(-0.1) \approx \frac{-0.25074-2(-0.16134)+0.0360}{0.01} = 10.7940$ . Or any similar idea.

**Q7)** Construct the **Natural cubic spline**  $S(x)$  that passes through the points  $(0,1)$ ,  $(\frac{\pi}{2}, 2)$ , and  $(\pi, 1)$ .

12 points

**Sol:**  $x_0 = 0, \quad x_1 = \frac{\pi}{2}, \quad x_2 = \pi$

$$a_0 = f(x_0) = 1, \quad a_1 = f(x_1) = 2, \quad a_2 = f(x_2) = 1$$

The two polynomials are:

$$S_0(x) = a_0 + b_0(x - x_0) + c_0(x - x_0)^2 + d_0(x - x_0)^3 \\ = a_0 + b_0x + c_0x^2 + d_0x^3$$

and

$$S_1(x) = a_1 + b_1(x - x_1) + c_1(x - x_1)^2 + d_1(x - x_1)^3 \\ = a_1 + b_1\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + c_1\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2 + d_1\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)^3$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\pi} & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{2}{\pi} & 2\pi & \frac{\pi}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad b = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -\frac{12}{\pi} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$c_0 = 0, \quad c_2 = 0, \quad c_1 = -\frac{6}{\pi^2}$$

$$b_0 = \frac{a_1 - a_0}{h_0} - \frac{h_0(c_1 + 2c_0)}{3} = \frac{1}{\frac{\pi}{2}} - \frac{\frac{\pi}{2}\left(-\frac{6}{\pi^2}\right)}{3} = \frac{2}{\pi} + \frac{1}{\pi} = \frac{3}{\pi}$$

$$b_1 = \frac{a_2 - a_1}{h_1} - \frac{h_1(c_2 + 2c_1)}{3} = -\frac{1}{\frac{\pi}{2}} - \frac{\frac{\pi}{2}\left(-\frac{12}{\pi^2}\right)}{3} = -\frac{2}{\pi} + \frac{2}{\pi} = 0$$

$$d_0 = \frac{(c_1 - c_0)}{3h_0} = \frac{-\frac{6}{\pi^2}}{3\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)} = -\frac{4}{\pi^3}$$

$$d_1 = \frac{(c_2 - c_1)}{3h_1} = \frac{\frac{6}{\pi^2}}{3\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right)} = \frac{4}{\pi^3}$$

$$S_0(x) = 1 + \frac{3}{\pi}x - \frac{4}{\pi^3}x^3$$

$$S_1(x) = 2 - \frac{6}{\pi^2}\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{4}{\pi^3}\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)^3$$

$$S(x) = \begin{cases} 1 + \frac{3}{\pi}x - \frac{4}{\pi^3}x^3, & x \in \left(0, \frac{\pi}{2}\right) \\ 2 - \frac{6}{\pi^2}\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)^2 + \frac{4}{\pi^3}\left(x - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)^3, & x \in \left(\frac{\pi}{2}, \pi\right) \end{cases}$$