

Problem Set 11 – Due Dec 4 at Midnight.

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11_1 – Question 22.2 – for each, write your own iterative algorithm (do not use Chapra or Matlab functions)

22.2 Solve the following problem over the interval from $x = 0$ to 1 using a step size of 0.25 where $y(0) = 1$. Display all your results on the same graph.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = (1 + 4x)\sqrt{y}$$

- (a) Analytically.
- (b) Using Euler's method.
- (c) Using Heun's method without iteration.
- (d) Using Ralston's method.
- (e) Using the fourth-order RK method.

Solution:

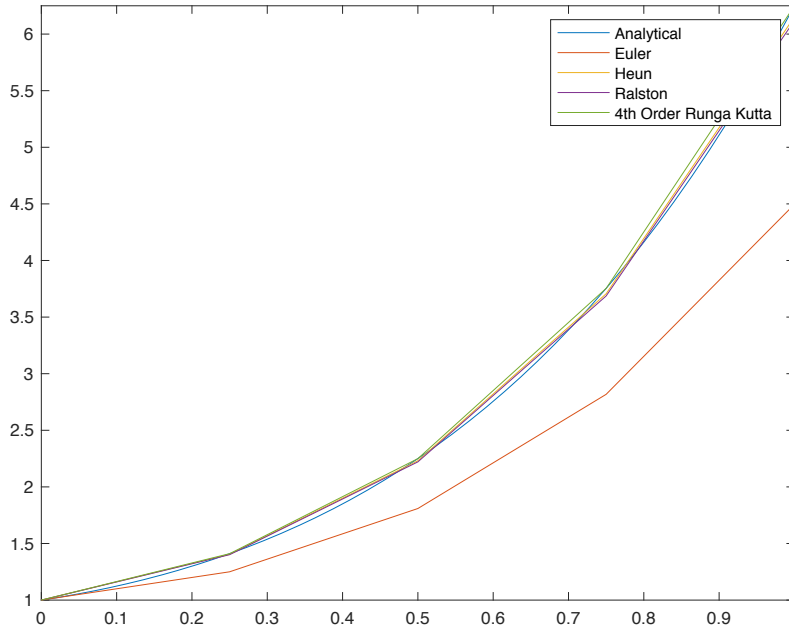
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% PSET11_1
% Coded by Nigel F. Reuel on 11.18.2016
% This code solves problem 22.2
%
% Part A)
% Separation of variables yields (y)^(-1/2)dy = (1+4x)dx. Integrating both
% sides will give you 2*y^(1/2) = x+2*x^2+C. We know that y(0) = 1, so C
% must = 2. Let's make the answer an anonymous function
Y1 = @(x) ((x+2*x^2+2)/2)^2;
fplot(Y1,[0 1])
hold on
%
% I am going to do parts B, C, and D all in the same loop
h = 0.25;
t = (0:h:1)'; n = length(t);
y0 = 1;
dydt = @(x,y) (1+4.*x).*(y).^(1/2);
% Preallocate memory
yb = y0*ones(n,1); %y for part b euler method
yc = y0*ones(n,1); %y for part c Heun method
yd = y0*ones(n,1); %y for part d ralston method
for i = 1:n-1 %implement Euler's method
    yb(i+1) = yb(i) + dydt(t(i),yb(i))*(t(i+1)-t(i)); % <-- Euler
    % -----
    ycnnext = yc(i) + dydt(t(i),yc(i))*(t(i+1)-t(i)); % <-- Next step for Heun
    SlopeAvg = (dydt(t(i),yc(i))+dydt(t(i+1),ycnnext))/2; % Avg slope for Heun
    yc(i+1) = yc(i) + SlopeAvg*(t(i+1)-t(i)); % Calculate next step for Heun
    %-----
    k1 = dydt(t(i),yd(i));
    k2 = dydt(t(i)+3/4*h,yd(i)+3/4*k1*h);
    yd(i+1) = yd(i)+ (1/3*k1+2/3*k2)*h;
end
plot(t,yb,t,yc,t,yd)
% Part (e) 4th order Runge Kutta Model
[tp,yp] = rk4sys(dydt,[0 1],y0,h);
plot(tp,yp)
legend('Analytical','Euler','Heun','Ralston','4th Order Runge Kutta')
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function [tp,yp] = rk4sys(dydt,tspan,y0,h,varargin)
% rk4sys: fourth-order Runge-Kutta for a system of ODEs
% [t,y] = rk4sys(dydt,tspan,y0,h,p1,p2,...): integrates
% a system of ODEs with fourth-order RK method
% input:
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% y0 = initial values of dependent variables
% h = step size
% p1,p2,... = additional parameters used by dydt
% output:
% tp = vector of independent variable
% yp = vector of solution for dependent variables
if nargin<4,error('at least 4 input arguments required'), end
if any(diff(tspan)<=0),error('tspan not ascending order'), end
n = length(tspan);
ti = tspan(1);tf = tspan(n);
if n == 2
t = (ti:h:tf)'; n = length(t);
if t(n)<tf
t(n+1) = tf;
n = n+1;
end
else
t = tspan;
end
tt = ti; y(1,:) = y0;
np = 1; tp(np) = tt; yp(np,:) = y(1,:);
i=1;
while(1)
tend = t(np+1);
hh = t(np+1) - t(np);
if hh>h, hh = h;end
while(1)
if tt+hh>tend, hh = tend-tt;end
k1 = dydt(tt,y(i,:),varargin{:})';
ymid = y(i,:) + k1.*hh./2;
k2 = dydt(tt+hh/2,ymid,varargin{:})';
ymid = y(i,:) + k2*hh/2;
k3 = dydt(tt+hh/2,ymid,varargin{:})';
yend = y(i,:) + k3*hh;
k4 = dydt(tt+hh,yend,varargin{:})';
phi = (k1+2*(k2+k3)+k4)/6;
y(i+1,:) = y(i,:) + phi*hh;
tt = tt+hh;
i=i+1;
if tt>=tend,break,end
end
np = np+1; tp(np) = tt; yp(np,:) = y(i,:);
if tt>=tf,break,end
end
end

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Output:



11_2 – Question 22.18. Plot all four dependent variables versus time. At what time does $CB_2 = 5$?

22.18 The reaction $A \rightarrow B$ takes place in two reactors in series. The reactors are well mixed but are not at steady state. The unsteady-state mass balance for each stirred tank reactor is shown below:

$$\frac{dCA_1}{dt} = \frac{1}{\tau} (CA_0 - CA_1) - kCA_1$$

$$\frac{dCB_1}{dt} = -\frac{1}{\tau} CB_1 + kCA_1$$

$$\frac{dCA_2}{dt} = \frac{1}{\tau} (CA_1 - CA_2) - kCA_2$$

$$\frac{dCB_2}{dt} = \frac{1}{\tau} (CB_1 - CB_2) + kCA_2$$

where CA_0 = concentration of A at the inlet of the first reactor, CA_1 = concentration of A at the outlet of the first reactor (and inlet of the second), CA_2 = concentration of A at the outlet of the second reactor, CB_1 = concentration of B at the outlet of the first reactor (and inlet of the second), CB_2 = concentration of B in the second reactor, τ = residence time for each reactor, and k = the rate constant for reaction of A to produce B. If CA_0 is equal to 20, find the concentrations of A and B in both reactors during their first 10 minutes of operation. Use $k = 0.12/\text{min}$ and $\tau = 5 \text{ min}$ and assume that the initial conditions of all the dependent variables are zero.

Solution:

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% PSET11_2
% Coded by NFR on 11.18.2016
% This code solves problem 22.18 from the textbook
%
% Setup all of the rate equations as a sub function. Then use the rk4sys
[tp,yp] = rk4sys(@sys,[0 10],[0 0 0 0],0.1);
plot(tp,yp)
xlabel('Time (min)')
ylabel('Concentration')
legend('CA_1','CB_1','CA_2','CB_2')
```

```
function dy = sys(t,y)
% y(1) = A1
% y(2) = B1
% y(3) = A2
% y(4) = B2
%
k = 0.12;
tao = 5;
Cao = 20;
dy = [1/tao*(Cao-y(1))-k*y(1);
      -1/tao*y(2)+k*y(1);
      1/tao*(y(1)-y(3))-k*y(3);
      1/tao*(y(2)-y(4))+k*y(4)];
end
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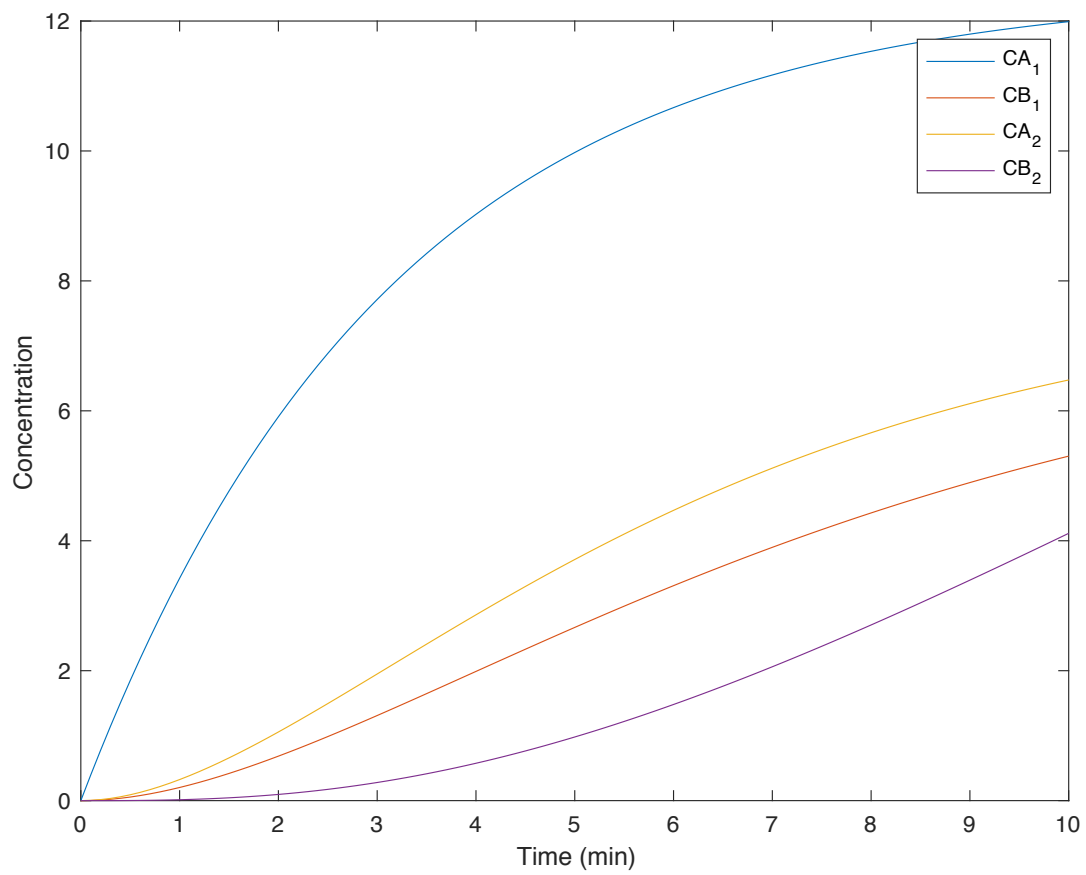
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if any(diff(tspan)<=0),error('tspan not ascending order'), end
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n = length(tspan);
ti = tspan(1);tf = tspan(n);
if n == 2
t = (ti:h:tf)'; n = length(t);
if t(n)<tf
t(n+1) = tf;
n = n+1;
end
else
t = tspan;
end
tt = ti; y(1,:) = y0;
np = 1; tp(np) = tt; yp(np,:) = y(1,:);
i=1;
while(1)
tend = t(np+1);
hh = t(np+1) - t(np);
if hh>h,hh = h;end
while(1)
if tt+hh>tend,hh = tend-tt;end
k1 = dydt(tt,y(i,:),varargin{:})';
ymid = y(i,:) + k1.*hh./2;
k2 = dydt(tt+hh/2,ymid,varargin{:})';
ymid = y(i,:) + k2*hh/2;
k3 = dydt(tt+hh/2,ymid,varargin{:})';
yend = y(i,:) + k3*hh;
k4 = dydt(tt+hh,yend,varargin{:})';
phi = (k1+2*(k2+k3)+k4)/6;
y(i+1,:) = y(i,:) + phi*hh;
tt = tt+hh;
i=i+1;
if tt>=tend,break,end
end
np = np+1; tp(np) = tt; yp(np,:) = y(i,:);
if tt>=tf,break,end
end
end

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Output:



11_3 – Question 22.19. Let's assume the time unit is hours. Please plot temp and concentration from 0 to 5 hours. Use subplots. What is the max reactor temperature? When is 95% conversion achieved?

22.19 A nonisothermal batch reactor can be described by the following equations:

$$\frac{dC}{dt} = -e^{(-10/(T+273))} C$$

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = 1000e^{(-10/(T+273))} C - 10(T - 20)$$

where C is the concentration of the reactant and T is the temperature of the reactor. Initially, the reactor is at 16 °C and has a concentration of reactant C of 1.0 gmol/L. Find the concentration and temperature of the reactor as a function of time.

Solution:

```
% PSET11_3
% Coded by Nigel F. Reuel on 11.18.2016
% This code solves problem 22.19 from the book
%
[tp,yp] = rk4sys(@sys,[0 5],[1 16],0.1);
subplot(1,2,1)
plot(tp,yp(:,1))
xlabel('Time')
ylabel('Conc (gmol/L)')
subplot(1,2,2)
plot(tp,yp(:,2))
xlabel('Time')
ylabel('Temp (\circ C)')
% Add more here? It would be interesting to figure out what TIME it hits
% 99% depletion of the reactant.
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function dy = sys(t,y)
% y(1) = C
% y(2) = T
%
dy = [-exp(-10/(y(2)+273))*y(1);
      1000*exp(-10/(y(2)+273))*y(1)-10*(y(2)-20)];
end
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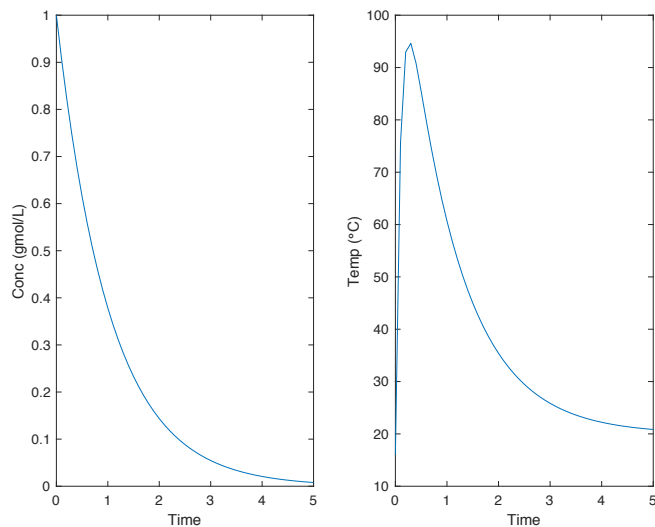
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n = length(tspan);
ti = tspan(1);tf = tspan(n);
if n == 2
t = (ti:h:tf)'; n = length(t);
if t(n)<tf
t(n+1) = tf;
n = n+1;
end
else
t = tspan;
end
tt = ti; y(1,:) = y0;
np = 1; tp(np) = tt; yp(np,:) = y(1,:);
i=1;
while(1)
tend = t(np+1);
hh = t(np+1) - t(np);
if hh>h, hh = h;end
while(1)
if tt+hh>tend, hh = tend-tt;end
k1 = dydt(tt,y(i,:),varargin{:})';
ymid = y(i,:) + k1.*hh./2;
k2 = dydt(tt+hh/2,ymid,varargin{:})';
ymid = y(i,:) + k2*hh/2;
k3 = dydt(tt+hh/2,ymid,varargin{:})';
yend = y(i,:) + k3*hh;
k4 = dydt(tt+hh,yend,varargin{:})';
phi = (k1+2*(k2+k3)+k4)/6;
y(i+1,:) = y(i,:) + phi*hh;
tt = tt+hh;
i=i+1;
if tt>=tend,break,end
end
np = np+1; tp(np) = tt; yp(np,:) = y(i,:);
if tt>=tf,break,end
end
end

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Output:



11_4. Solve Chapra problem 24.11. Plot the concentration of A as a function of distance.

24.11 Compound A diffuses through a 4-cm-long tube and reacts as it diffuses. The equation governing diffusion with reaction is

$$D \frac{d^2 A}{dx^2} - kA = 0$$

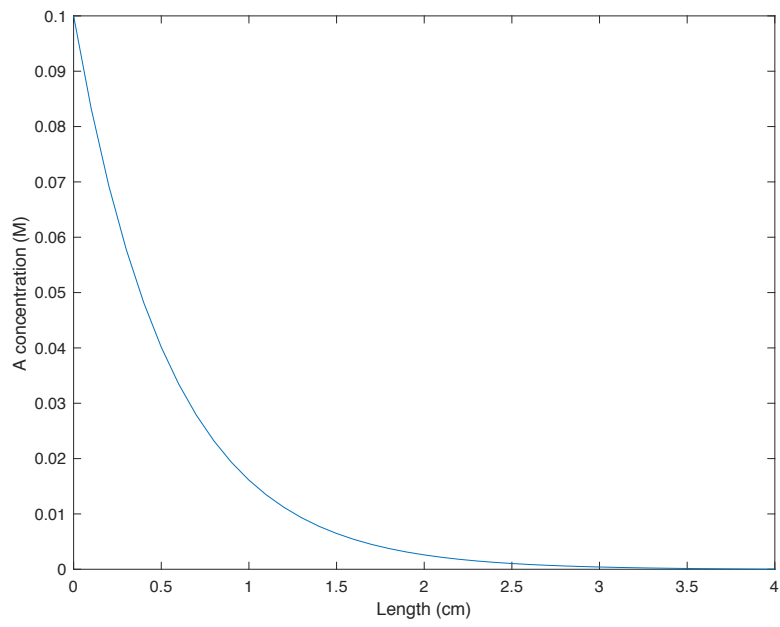
At one end of the tube ($x = 0$), there is a large source of A that results in a fixed concentration of 0.1 M. At the other end of the tube there is a material that quickly absorbs any A , making the concentration 0 M. If $D = 1.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$ and $k = 5 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s}^{-1}$, what is the concentration of A as a function of distance in the tube?

Solution:

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% Coded by NFR on 12.5.2016
% This code solves problem 24.11 from the textbook
%
% Use shooting method, two shots because the problem is linear.
% 2017 comment - or you can use fzero or fminsearch to find the unknown
% transformed variable.
A0 = 0.1/1000; %mol/cm^3
zg1 = -.001; %First guess for z(0)
y0 = [A0 zg1];
span = [0 4];
[tp,yp] = ode45(@dydt,span,y0);
hend1 = yp(end,1);
zg2 = .001; %Second guess for z(0)
y0 = [A0 zg2];
span = [0 4];
[tp,yp] = ode45(@dydt,span,y0);
hend2 = yp(end,1);
% Interpolate between the two to find the correct z(0) that gives us the
% desired end concentration of 0 mol/cm^3
EndDesired = 0;
Slope = (zg2-zg1)/(hend2-hend1);
zcorrect = Slope*(EndDesired-hend1)+zg1;
% Use the correct z value to solve and plot h vs. x:
y0 = [A0 zcorrect];
[tp,yp] = ode45(@dydt,span,y0);
plot(tp,yp(:,1)*1000) %NOTE: converted units back to Molar
xlabel('Length (cm)')
ylabel('A concentration (M)')

function dy = dydt(t,y)
% t = x, y(1) = A, y(2) = z;
k = 5*10^-6; %-s
D = 1.5*10^-6; %cm^2/s
dy = [y(2);
      k*y(1)/D];
end
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Output:



11_5. Solve Chapra problem 24.18 (problem statement on next page

24.18 Under a number of simplifying assumptions, the steady-state height of the water table in a one-dimensional, unconfined groundwater aquifer (Fig. P24.18) can be modeled with the following second-order ODE:

$$Kh \frac{d^2h}{dz^2} - N = 0$$

where z — distance (m), K — hydraulic conductivity (m/d), h — height of the water table (m), h — the average height of the water table (m), and N infiltration rate (m/d).

Solve for the height of the water table for x — 0 to 1000 m where $h(0) = 10$ m and $h(1000) = 5$ m. Use the following parameters for the calculation: $K = 1$ m/d and $N = 0.0001$ m/d. Set the average height of the water table as the average of the boundary conditions. Obtain your solution with (a) the shooting method and (b) the finite-difference method ($\Delta z = 100$ m).

Solution:

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% Coded by Nigel F. Reuel on 12.2.2016
% This solves problem 24.18 in the book
%
% Part (A)
% This equation is linear, so we can do two shots and then interpolate.
zg1 = -1; %First guess for z(0)
y0 = [10 zg1];
span = [0 1000];
[tp,yp] = ode45(@dydt,span,y0);
hend1 = yp(end,1);
zg2 = 1; %Second guess for z(0)
y0 = [10 zg2];
span = [0 1000];
[tp,yp] = ode45(@dydt,span,y0);
hend2 = yp(end,1);
% Interpolate between the two to find the correct z(0) that gives us the
% desired end height of h(1000) = 5m; This is one way to do interpolation:
EndDesired = 5;
Slope = (zg2-zg1)/(hend2-hend1);
zcorrect = Slope*(EndDesired-hend1)+zg1
% Another way to do interpolation (with interp1)
zcorrect = interp1([hend1 hend2],[zg1 zg2],EndDesired)
% Use the correct z value to solve and plot h vs. x:
y0 = [10 zcorrect];
[tp,yp] = ode45(@dydt,span,y0);
plot(tp,yp(:,1))
% Part B - see paper work for derivation of tridiagonal matrix
% 2019: NOTE this uses Chapra's tridiag function that requires the leading
% and trailing zeros.
e = ones(1,9);
e(1) = 0;
g = ones(1,9);
g(9) = 0;
f = ones(1,9)*-2;
r = ones(1,9)*-0.1333;
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r(1) = -10.1333;
r(9) = -5.13333;
hvec = Tridiag(e,f,g,r);
% Add the end values of your internal points:
hvec = [10 hvec 5];
xvec = 0:100:1000;
hold on
plot(xvec,hvec,'o')
xlabel('X distance (m)')
ylabel('Water table height (m)')

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function x = Tridiag(e,f,g,r)
% Tridiag: Tridiagonal equation solver banded system
% x = Tridiag(e,f,g,r): Tridiagonal system solver.
% input:
% e = subdiagonal vector
% f = diagonal vector
% g = superdiagonal vector
% r = right hand side vector
% output:
% x = solution vector
n=length(f);
% forward elimination
for k = 2:n
factor = e(k)/f(k-1);
f(k) = f(k) - factor*g(k-1);
r(k) = r(k) - factor*r(k-1);
end
% back substitution
x(n) = r(n)/f(n);
for k = n-1:-1:1
x(k) = (r(k)-g(k)*x(k+1))/f(k);
end
end

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function dy = dydt(t,y)
% t = x, y(1) = h, y(2) = z
K = 1;
N = 0.0001;
hbar = 7.5; % Average of the boundary conditions; Is this right? Seems like
this should be calculated after the fact.
dy = [y(2);
      -N/(K*hbar)];
end

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Output:

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zcorrect =
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0.0017
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zcorrect =
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0.0017

