

Drawing approximated solution curve of differential equation

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Abstract

We develop a method for drawing approximated solution curves of differential equations. This method is based on the juxtaposition of local approximating curves on successive intervals $[t_i, t_{i+1}]_{0 \leq i \leq n-1}$.

The differential equation, considered as a dynamical system, is described by its state equations and its initial value at $t = t_0$.

A generic expression of its generating series G_t truncated at any order k , of the output and its derivatives $y^{(j)}(t)$ expanded at any order k , can be calculated. These expressions are obtained from the vector fields, from the observation of the state at time t , in the state equations [2, 3].

More precisely, the coefficients of G_t are expressed in terms of the vector fields and the observation. The output and its derivatives $y^{(j)}(t)$ are expressed in terms of the coefficients of the series G_t and of the Chen series [1].

At every initial point of the present interval, we specify the previous expressions of G_t and $y^{(j)}(t)$ for $t = t_i$. Then we obtain an approximated output $y(t)$ at order k in every interval $[t_i, t_{i+1}]_{0 \leq i \leq n-1}$.

By using Maple system, we have developed a package corresponding to the creation of the generic expression of G_t and $y^{(j)}(t)$ at order k and to the drawing of the local curves on every interval $[t_i, t_{i+1}]_{0 \leq i \leq n-1}$, by iterations on the initial points $t = (t_i)_{0 \leq i \leq n-1}$.

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