

Oefententamen

1. (a) Show that

$$\int_0^1 p(x)dx = \frac{1}{2}(p(0) + p(1)) + \frac{1}{12}(p'(0) - p'(1))$$

for any $q \in \mathcal{P}_3$.

- (b) Show that for a constant $q \in \mathbb{R}$, for any sufficiently smooth f ,

$$\int_0^1 f(x)dx - \left\{ \frac{1}{2}[f(0) + f(1)] + \frac{1}{12}[f'(0) - f'(1)] \right\} = qf^{(4)}(\xi)$$

for some $\xi \in [0, 1]$, and determine q .

- (c) Show that for $c < d$ and sufficiently smooth g ,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_c^d g(x)dx - \left\{ \frac{1}{2}(d-c)[g(c) + g(d)] + \frac{1}{12}(d-c)^2[g'(c) - g'(d)] \right\} \\ = q(d-c)^5 g^{(4)}(\eta) \text{ voor e.o.a. } \eta \in [c, d], \end{aligned}$$

(Hint: use $r : [0, 1] \rightarrow [c, d] : y \mapsto (d-c)y + c$)

- (d) Let $a < b$, $m \in \mathbb{N}$, and define $x_i := a + ih$ with $h := \frac{b-a}{m}$. Show that

$$\begin{aligned} \int_a^b f(x)dx - \left\{ h \left[\frac{1}{2}f(a) + f(x_1) + \cdots + f(x_{m-1}) + \frac{1}{2}f(b) \right] + \frac{1}{12}h^2[f'(b) - f'(a)] \right\} \\ = qh^4(b-a)f^{(4)}(\gamma) \text{ for some } \gamma \in [a, b]. \end{aligned}$$

2. We consider $C[a, b]$ with scalar product $\langle f, g \rangle := \int_a^b w(x)f(x)g(x)dx$, where w is a positive, continuous, and integrable weight function on (a, b) .

(a) Show that $0 \neq p_{n+1} \in \mathcal{P}_{n+1}$ with $p_{n+1} \perp \mathcal{P}_n$ has $n+1$ different zeros x_0, \dots, x_n on (a, b) .

(b) Let w_0, \dots, w_n be weights such that $\int_a^b w(x)f(x)dx = \sum_{i=0}^n w_i f(x_i)$ for all $f \in \mathcal{P}_n$. Show that $Q(f) := \sum_{i=0}^n w_i f(x_i)$ is even exact for all $f \in \mathcal{P}_{2n+1}$ (Hint: Write f as $qp_{n+1} + r$ for certain polynomials q and r).

(c) By using a suitable interpolation polynomial, show that for $f \in C^{2n+2}[a, b]$,

$$\int_a^b w(x)f(x)dx - \sum_{i=0}^n w_i f(x_i) = \frac{f^{2n+2}(\xi)}{(2n+2)!} \int_a^b w(x) \prod_{i=0}^n (x-x_i)^2 dx,$$

for some $\xi \in (a, b)$.

3. We consider $\begin{cases} y'(x) = f(x, y(x)), \\ y(x_0) = y_0, \end{cases}$ where f is continuous and Lipschitz continuous with respect to the second variable.

Given $X_M > x_0$ and $N \in \mathbb{N}$, let $h := \frac{X_M - x_0}{N}$, and $x_i := x_0 + ih$ ($i = 0, \dots, N$). We consider two numerical approximation methods:

$$y_{n+1}^F := y_n^F + hf(x_n, y_n^F) \quad (\text{Forward Euler})$$

$$y_{n+1}^B := y_n^B + hf(x_{n+1}, y_{n+1}^B) \quad (\text{Backward Euler})$$

where $y_0^F = y_0^B := y_0$. We define

$$e_n^F := y(x_n) - y_n^F, \quad T_n^F := \frac{y(x_{n+1}) - y(x_n)}{h} - f(x_n, y(x_n))$$

$$e_n^B := y(x_n) - y_n^B, \quad T_n^B := \frac{y(x_{n+1}) - y(x_n)}{h} - f(x_{n+1}, y(x_{n+1}))$$

(a) It is known that $|T_n^F| \leq \frac{1}{2}h \max_{x \in [x_0, X_M]} |y''(x)|$ for $n \in \{0, \dots, N-1\}$. Prove the same estimate for T_n^B .

From here on, we consider f to be of the form $f(x, y) = -\lambda y + g(x)$ for some continuous function g and constant $\lambda \geq 0$.

(b) Determine σ^F, σ^B such that

$$e_{n+1}^F = \sigma^F e_n^F + hT_n^F, \quad e_{n+1}^B = \sigma^B (e_n^B + hT_n^B).$$

(c) Show that $|e_n^B| \leq (X_M - x_0) \max_{0 \leq i \leq N-1} |T_i^B|$. Also show that $|e_n^F| \leq (X_M - x_0) \max_{0 \leq i \leq N-1} |T_i^F|$ when $h\lambda$ is sufficiently small. What can you expect from Forward Euler when the last condition is violated?