

CPSC 303, Homework 10 Solutions

2(a) We have $c_0 = c_n = 0$ and

$$2c_1 + \frac{h_1}{h_0+h_1}c_2 = 3\Phi_1$$

$$\frac{h_1}{h_1+h_2}c_1 + 2c_2 + \frac{h_2}{h_1+h_2}c_3 = 3\Phi_2$$

$$\frac{h_2}{h_2+h_3}c_2 + 2c_3 + \frac{h_3}{h_2+h_3}c_4 = 3\Phi_3$$

⋮

So that

$$(2I + M)\vec{c} = 3\Phi$$

where

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{h_1}{h_0+h_1} & & & \\ \frac{h_1}{h_1+h_2} & 0 & \frac{h_2}{h_1+h_2} & & \\ & \frac{h_2}{h_2+h_3} & 0 & \frac{h_3}{h_2+h_3} & \\ & & & \ddots & \\ & & & & \ddots & \end{bmatrix}$$

2(b) So the i^{th} row of M contains $\frac{h_{i-1}}{h_{i-1}+h_i}$,

$\frac{h_i}{h_{i-1}+h_i}$ and the rest 0 's

(unless $i=1$ where $\frac{h_0}{h_0+h_1}$ is not there, or

$i=n-1$, where $\frac{h_{n-1}}{h_{n-2}+h_{n-1}}$ is not there).

Hence the i^{th} row has sum of absolute

values at most $\frac{h_{i-1}}{h_{i-1}+h_i} + \frac{h_i}{h_{i-1}+h_i} = 1$.

Hence $\|M\|_{\infty} \leq 1$ (really $=1$ unless $n-1 \neq 1, 2$)

So

$$(2I + M)\vec{c} = 3\vec{\Phi}$$

$$\text{and } \|M\|_{\infty} \leq 1 \Rightarrow$$

$$(2I + M)^{-1} = \frac{1}{2} (I + M/2)^{-1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (I - M/2 + (M/2)^2 - (M/2)^3 + \dots)$$

Since $(\mathbb{I}+A)^{-1} = \mathbb{I} - A + A^2 - A^3 + \dots$ whenever $\|A\|_\infty < 1$,
and $\|M/2\|_\infty \leq 1/2$.

Hence

$$\vec{c} = \frac{3}{2} \left(\mathbb{I} - M/2 + (M/2)^2 - (M/2)^3 + \dots \right) \Phi.$$

(3) (b,c) of Adjacency Matrices, ...

(1b)

The idea is to run the software

simc_initilly (m, ρ, T)

in the appendix for $m=10$, $\rho=2/3$,

and T where the software is

likely to be unstable.

Since $\|1-2\rho\| + 2\rho = 1/3 + 4/3 = 5/3$,

we have $(\|1-2\rho\| + 2\rho)^k \approx 2^{53}$ for

$k = 53 \left(\log 2 / \log(5/3) \right) = 71.916 \dots \approx 72$

Since $h = \frac{1}{m} = \frac{1}{10}$, we have $\rho = \frac{H}{h^2}$,

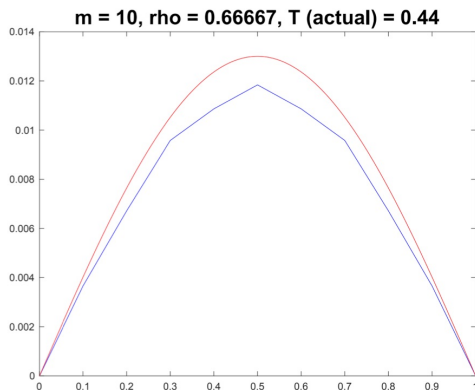
$$\text{so } H = \rho h^2 = \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) \left(\frac{1}{10}\right)^2 = \frac{2}{300} = \frac{1}{150}$$

So to get 72 iterations we have

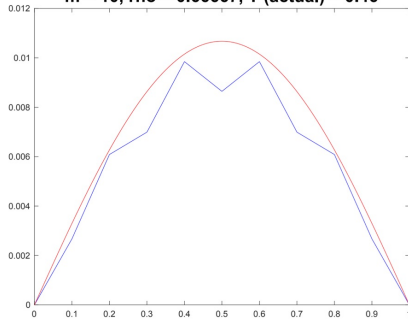
$$T \approx \frac{72}{150} = \frac{12}{25} = 0.48$$

So we plot for $T = 0.44, 0.46, 0.48, 0.50$

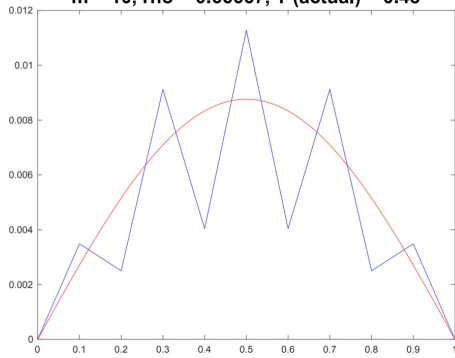
the numerical solution up to these times, and we have:



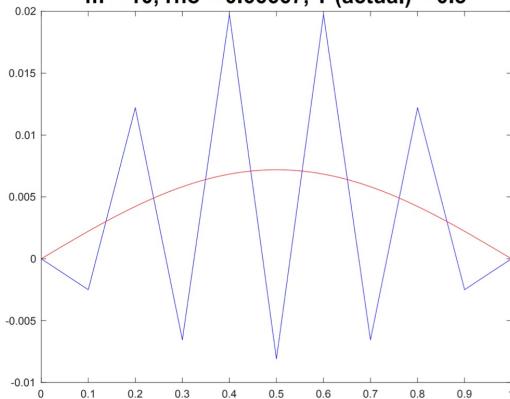
m = 10, rho = 0.66667, T (actual) = 0.46



m = 10, rho = 0.66667, T (actual) = 0.48



m = 10, rho = 0.66667, T (actual) = 0.5



(1c) Running the software where

$m=10$, ρ various, and $T=1$ we

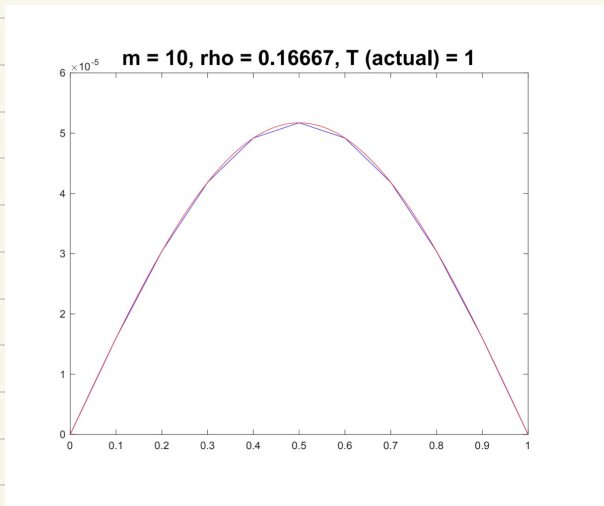
see that the numerical solution is

less than the actual if $\rho = 1/3, 1/4$,

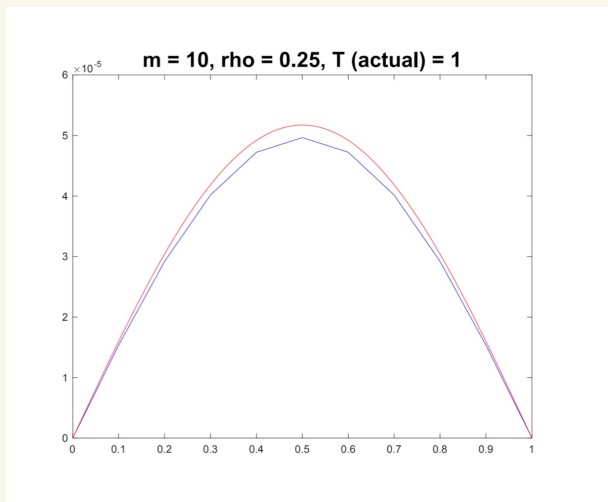
and larger if $\rho = 1/8, 1/10$, and very

close to the actual if $\rho = 1/6$.

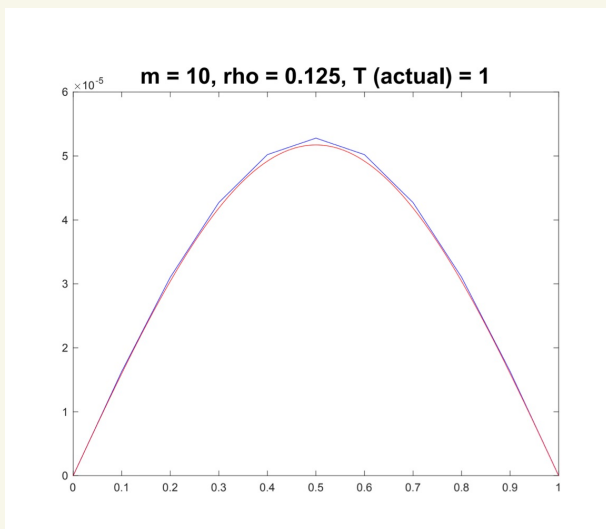
$$\rho = 1/6$$



$$\rho = 1/4$$



$$\rho = 1/8$$



2(a) We have

$$U(i, 1) =$$

$$\begin{aligned} & (1 - 2\rho) U(i, 0) + \rho (U(i+1, 0) + U(i-1, 0)) \\ &= \sin(ih) \left[(1 - 2\rho) + \rho (2 \cos(\pi h)) \right] \\ &= U(i, 0) \left(1 + 2\rho (\cos(\pi h) - 1) \right) \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, whenever $U(i, j) = c_j \sin(ih)$

we have $U(i, j+1) =$

$$c_j \sin(ih) \left(1 + 2\rho (\cos(\pi h) - 1) \right).$$

Hence, by induction on j :

$$U(i, j) = U(i, 0) \left(1 + 2\rho (\cos(\pi h) - 1) \right)^j.$$

(b, c) since $\cos \alpha = 1 - \frac{\alpha^2}{2} + \frac{\alpha^4}{4!} + O(\alpha^6)$,
 $1 + 2\rho (\cos(\pi h) - 1)$ for α small,

$$= 1 + 2\rho \left(-\frac{(\pi h)^2}{2} + \frac{(\pi h)^4}{4!} + O(h^6) \right)$$

Since $\log(1 + \varepsilon) = \varepsilon - \frac{\varepsilon^2}{2} + O(\varepsilon^3)$ for ε small,

$$\log \left(\left(1 + 2\rho (\cos(\pi h) - 1) \right)^{1/\rho h^2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\rho h^2} \left(\underbrace{2\rho \left(-\frac{\pi^2 h^2}{2} + \frac{\pi^4 h^4}{24} + O(h^6) \right)}_{-\frac{1}{2} \left(\right)^2} + O(h^6) \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\rho h^2} \left(-\rho \pi^2 h^2 + \rho \frac{\pi^4 h^4}{12} + O(h^6) \right) - \frac{1}{2} \rho^2 \pi^4 h^4 + O(h^6)$$

$$= -\pi^2 + h^2 \frac{\pi^4}{12} - \frac{1}{2} \rho \pi^4 h^2 + O(h^4)$$

$$= -\pi^2 + h^2 \pi^4 \left(\frac{1}{12} - \frac{1}{2} \rho \right) + O(h^4)$$

Hence

$$\left(1 + 2\rho(\cos(\pi h) - 1) \right)^{\frac{1}{\rho h^2}} = e^{-\pi^2 + h^2 g(\rho) + o(h^4)}$$

$$\text{where } g(\rho) = \pi^4 \left(\frac{1}{12} - \frac{1}{2} \rho \right)$$

So $g(\rho) < 0$ for $\rho > 1/6$

$g(\rho) = 0$ " " = $1/6$

" > 0 " " $< 1/6$

Hence the numerical method agrees

with $e^{-\pi^2} + O(h^4)$ iff $\rho = 1/6$.

[This also agrees with the numerical

experiments in the previous question.]

(d) This is exactly the value of p making the method a higher order method in Section 4.6.