

Thm 2.8.1 is translated to origin version of Thm 2.4.2:

**Thm 2.8.1:** Suppose the functions

$$z = f(t, y) \text{ and } z = \frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(t, y)$$

are continuous for all  $t$  in  $(-a, a) \times (-c, c)$ ,

then there exists an interval  $(-h, h) \subset (-a, a)$  such that there exists a unique function  $y = \phi(t)$  defined on  $(-h, h)$  that satisfies the following initial value problem:

$$y' = f(t, y), \quad y(0) = 0.$$

Proof outline: *Constructive proof*

Construct  $\phi$  using method of successive approximation – also called Picard's iteration method.

Let  $\phi_0(t) = 0$  (or the function of your choice)

$$\text{Let } \phi_1(t) = \int_0^t f(s, \phi_0(s)) ds$$

$$\text{Let } \phi_2(t) = \int_0^t f(s, \phi_1(s)) ds$$

⋮

$$\text{Let } \phi_{n+1}(t) = \int_0^t f(s, \phi_n(s)) ds$$

$$\text{Let } \phi(t) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \phi_n(t)$$

claim  $\phi$  is soln to IVP

Example:  $y' = t + 2y$ . That is  $f(t, y) = t + 2y$

Suppose  $\phi_0(t) = 0$  and  $\phi_{n+1}(t) = \int_0^t f(s, \phi_n(s)) ds,$

then  $\phi_n(t) = \sum_{k=2}^{n+1} \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} t^k$

Inductive defn = recursive defn

$\phi_0 \Rightarrow \phi_1 \Rightarrow \phi_2 \Rightarrow \dots$

found pattern for  $\phi_n$

Proof by induction

What is an induction proof?

Suppose you wish to prove the statement  $S(n)$  is true for all positive integers,  $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

$n = 1$  Prove  $S(1)$  is true.

Induction hypothesis: Suppose for  $n = m$ ,  $S(m)$  is true.

Prove  $S(m + 1)$  is true.

$S(1) \text{ true} \Rightarrow S(1+1) \text{ is true}$   
 $S(2) \text{ is true}$

If  $S(m) \text{ true} \Rightarrow S(m+1) \text{ true}$

then  $S(1) \Rightarrow S(2) \Rightarrow S(3) \Rightarrow \dots \Rightarrow S(n)$   
 true            true            true            true

then  $S(1) \Rightarrow S(2) \Rightarrow S(3) \Rightarrow \dots$  true true true true for arbitrary  $y$

$n = a$ : Prove  $S(a)$  is true.

Induction hypothesis: Suppose for  $n = m - 1$ ,  $S(m - 1)$  is true.

Prove  $S(m)$  is true.

If  $S(m-1) \Rightarrow S(m)$

$S(a) \Rightarrow S(a+1) \Rightarrow S(a+2) \Rightarrow \dots$   
 $\uparrow$   
 $a = m-1 \Rightarrow a+1 = m \Rightarrow S(m)$   
 $\Rightarrow S(n) \Rightarrow$   
 true for arbitrary  $n$

Example:  $y' = t + 2y$ . That is  $f(t, y) = t + 2y$

Suppose  $\phi_0(t) = 0$  and  $\phi_{n+1}(t) = \int_0^t f(s, \phi_n(s)) ds$

then  $\phi_n(t) = \sum_{k=2}^{n+1} \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} t^k$

← conclusion

hypothesis

Proof by induction

We are given

- ✓ (1)  $f(t, y) = t + 2y$
- ✓ (2)  $\phi_0(t) = 0$
- ✓ (3)  $\phi_{n+1}(t) = \int_0^t f(s, \phi_n(s)) ds$

We want need (4)  $u' = t + 2y$

This since we have ①

$\Rightarrow 1, 1, 1$

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**Claim:**  $\phi_n(t) = \sum_{k=2}^{n+1} \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} t^k$

do not assume what you are trying to prove (unless it is your induction hypothesis)

So can't use formula to prove  $n=1$ , but want to prove this formula holds for  $n=1$

**Claim:** for  $n=1$   $\phi_1(t) = \sum_{k=2}^2 \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} t^k$

prove this

RHS:  $\sum_{k=2}^2 \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} t^k = \frac{2^0}{2!} t^2 = \frac{t^2}{2!}$

LHS:  $\phi_1(t) = \int_0^t f(s, \phi_0(s)) ds$   
 $= \int_0^t f(s, 0) ds = \int_0^t (s + 2(0)) ds = \left. \frac{s^2}{2} \right|_0^t = \frac{t^2}{2}$

by hypothesis ①  $f(t, y) = t + 2y$   
 ②  $\phi_0(t) = 0$  ③  $\phi_{n+1}(t) = \int_0^t f(s, \phi_n(s)) ds$

$$\text{Thus } \phi_1(t) = \frac{t^2}{2} = \frac{t^2}{2!} = \sum_{k=2}^2 \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} t^k$$


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Induction hypothesis

Suppose for  $n = m$

$$\phi_m(t) = \sum_{k=2}^{m+1} \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} t^k$$


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Claim true for  $n = m+1$

Claim:  $\phi_{m+1}(t) = \sum_{k=2}^{m+2} \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} t^k$

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Know: ①  $f(t, y) = t + 2y$  ②  $\phi_0(t) = 0$

③  $\phi_{n+1}(t) = \int_0^t f(s, \phi_n(s)) ds$

④ Induction hyp:  $\phi_m(t) = \sum_{k=2}^{m+1} \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} t^k$

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LHS

$$\dots = \int_0^t (s + 2\phi_m(s)) ds$$

LHS

$$\underline{\phi_{m+1}}(t) \stackrel{(3)}{=} \int_0^t f(s, \underline{\phi_m}(s)) ds$$

$$\stackrel{(1)}{=} \int_0^t (s + 2\underline{\phi_m}(s)) ds$$

$$\stackrel{(4)}{=} \int_0^t \left( s + 2 \sum_{k=2}^{m+1} \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} s^k \right) ds$$

$$= \int_0^t s ds + 2 \sum_{k=2}^{m+1} \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} \int_0^t s^k ds$$

$$= \left. \frac{s^2}{2} \right|_0^t + 2 \sum_{k=2}^{m+1} \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} \left. \frac{s^{k+1}}{k+1} \right|_0^t$$

$$= \frac{t^2}{2} + 2 \sum_{k=2}^{m+1} \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} \frac{t^{k+1}}{k+1} - 0$$

algebraic simplification

$$= \frac{t^2}{2} + \sum_{k=2}^{m+1} \frac{2 \cdot 2^{k-2}}{k!} \frac{t^{k+1}}{k+1}$$

Goal:  
 $\sum_{k=2}^{m+1} \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} t^k$

alge:

$$= \frac{t^2}{2} + \sum_{k=2}^{m+1} \frac{2^{k-1}}{(k+1)!} t^{k+1}$$

$k=2 \dots k+1$   $k!$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{m+1} \frac{2^{k-1}}{(k+1)!} t^{k+1}$$

$$= \sum_{k=2}^{m+2} \frac{2^{k-2}}{k!} t^k$$

Note  
 $\frac{t^2}{2}$   
 $= \frac{2^{k-1} t^{k+1}}{(k+1)!}$   
 i.e.  $k=1$  term

$m+1$  terms

$k$  is increased by 2

$k$  needs to be decrease by 1