

Final Review CAS708, April 2014

1. Numerical integration

- Rectangle, trapezoidal, and Simpson's rules
- Richardson's extrapolation, one-panel and two-panel error estimation
- Adaptive quadratures, QUADR

2. Solving ordinary differential equations

- Accuracy, order of a method
- Forward Euler's method (explicit, single step, first order),
- Backward Euler's method (implicit, single step, first order)
- Transforming a higher (second) order ODE into a system of first order ODEs, solving a system of first order ODEs using the forward (explicit) Euler's method or the backward (implicit) Euler's method.
- Hybrid methods (PECE methods)

3. Solving nonlinear equations

- Issues in an iterative method:
 - Initialization
 - convergence and rate of convergence (proving convergence)
 - termination
 - The example of computing square root
- Bisection method
- Newton's method
- System of nonlinear equations, Newton's method, Jacobian matrix
- The Newton's method for continuous optimization, gradient and Hessian matrix.