

# A Continuous Hybrid Scheme for Initial Value Problem of Third Order Ordinary Differential Equations.

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## Abstract

In this work, we focus on development of solution for initial value problems of third order ordinary differential equations using a new class of constructed orthogonal polynomial of weight function  $w(x) = x$  valid in the interval  $[0,1]$ , as basis function for the development of continuous hybrid scheme in a collocation and interpolation technique. The method was analyzed to investigate the basic properties, from the findings it shows that the method is accurate and convergent. Three examples were solved, the results obtained when compared with existing method are favourable.

**Keyword:** Orthogonal polynomial, Hybrid, Interpolation, Collocation, Block Method

## 1 Introduction

Initial Value Problems (IVPs) of third order ordinary differential equations (ODEs) of the form

$$y''' = f(x, y, y', y''); y(a) = \alpha, y'(a) = \beta, y''(a) = \gamma \quad (1)$$

where  $f$  is continuous in  $[a, b]$  arises in many area of physical problems.

Some of these problems have no analytical solution, thereby numerical schemes are developed to solve the problems. Milne (1953), proposed Block method for ODEs. Many researchers used different orthogonal polynomials as the basis function to solve the problems numerically. Chebyshev orthogonal polynomial was used by Lancsos(1983)also Tanner (1979) and Dahlquist (1979). Adeniyi, Alabi and Folaranmi (2008), Adeyefa, Akinola, Folaranmi and Owolabi (2016), Joseph, Adeniyi and Adeyefa(2018), all of these researchers constructed orthogonal polynomials in certain interval for different weight functions. In this work, an orthogonal polynomial constructed for the interval  $[0,1]$  with respect to the weight function  $w(x) = x$  is adopted to solve third order ODEs for the Initial Value Problem (1).

## 2 Construction of Orthogonal Polynomials

Let  $\{\phi_n(x)\}$  be a class of orthogonal polynomials defined by

$$\phi_n(x) = \sum_{r=0}^n C_r^{(n)} x^r \quad (2)$$

The required conditions are as follows:

$$\phi_n(1) = 1 \quad (3)$$

$$\langle \phi_m(x), \phi_n(x) \rangle = 0, m \neq n \quad (4)$$

This class of orthogonal polynomials valid in the interval  $[0,1]$  and weight function

$$w(x) = x.$$

Let  $w(x) = x$  and  $[a, b] = [0,1]$  in (2) - (4).

when  $n = 0$ , we have

$\phi_0(x) = C_0^{(0)}$  and  
 $\phi_0(1) = 1 = C_0^{(0)}$  giving  $\phi_0(x) = 1$   
For  $n = 1$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}\phi_1(x) &= C_0^{(1)} + C_1^{(1)}x \\ \therefore \phi_1(1) &= C_0^{(1)} + C_1^{(1)} = 1 \\ \langle \phi_0(x), \phi_1(x) \rangle &= \int_0^1 x(C_0^{(1)} + C_1^{(1)}x)dx = 0\end{aligned}\tag{5}$$

That is,

$$\frac{1}{2}C_0^{(1)} + \frac{1}{3}C_1^{(1)} = 0\tag{6}$$

The solution of (5)-(6) yields

$$C_0^{(1)} = -2, C_1^{(1)} = 3$$

Hence,

$$\phi_1(x) = -2 + 3x \text{ or } \phi_1(x) = 3x - 2$$

For  $n = 2$ , we have

$$\begin{aligned}\phi_2(x) &= C_0^{(2)} + C_1^{(2)}x + C_2^{(2)}x^2 \\ \therefore \phi_2(1) &= C_0^{(2)} + C_1^{(2)} + C_2^{(2)} = 1\end{aligned}\tag{7}$$

$$\langle \phi_0(x), \phi_2(x) \rangle = \frac{1}{2}C_0^{(2)} + \frac{1}{3}C_1^{(2)} + \frac{1}{4}C_2^{(2)} = 0\tag{8}$$

$$\langle \phi_1(x), \phi_2(x) \rangle = \frac{1}{12}C_1^{(2)} + \frac{1}{10}C_2^{(2)} = 0\tag{9}$$

From these equations, we get

$$C_0^{(2)} = 3, C_1^{(2)} = -12, C_2^{(2)} = 10$$

Hence,

$$\phi_2(x) = 3 - 12x + 10x^2$$

Similarly, we obtain more polynomials to give the following collection:

$$\begin{aligned}\phi_0(x) &= 1 \\ \phi_1(x) &= 3x - 2 \\ \phi_2(x) &= 10x^2 - 12x + 3 \\ \phi_3(x) &= 35x^3 - 60x^2 + 30x - 4 \\ \phi_4(x) &= 126x^4 - 280x^3 + 210x^2 - 60x + 5 \\ \phi_5(x) &= 462x^5 - 1260x^4 + 1260x^3 - 560x^2 + 105x - 6 \\ \phi_6(x) &= 1716x^6 - 5544x^5 + 6930x^4 - 4200x^3 + 1260x^2 - 168x + 7 \\ \phi_7(x) &= 6435x^7 - 24024x^6 + 36036x^5 + 27720x^4 + 11550x^3 - 2520x^2 + 252\end{aligned}\tag{10}$$

## 2.1 Two-step Method with $x_{n+\frac{2}{3}}$ as the Off-step Point

The analytical solution of (1) is approximated via experimental solution of the form:

$$Y(x) = \sum_{j=0}^{r+s-1} a_j \phi_j(x)\tag{11}$$

where  $x \in [a, b]$ ,  $r$  and  $s$  are the number of collocation and interpolation points respectively.

The function  $\phi_j(x)$  is the  $j^{\text{th}}$  degree orthogonal polynomial valid in the range of integration of  $[a, b]$ . The third derivative of (11) is given by

$$y'''(x) = \sum_{j=0}^{r+s-1} a_j \phi_j'''(x) = f(x, y, y', y'') \quad (12)$$

To estimate the solution of problem (1), we interpolation at least three times. Equation (11) is interpolated at  $(xn + s)$  points, and equation (12) is collocated at  $(xn + r)$  points, yielding a system of equations to be solved using the Gaussian elimination method.

We will use hybrid approach to apply this concept.

Here, let  $x_{n+\frac{2}{3}}$  be the off-step point. Equation (11) is interpolated at  $x = x_{n+s}, s = 0, \frac{2}{3}$  and 1; (12) is collocated at  $x = x_{n+r}, r = 0, \frac{2}{3}$  and 2. This leads to the system of equations:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & -5 & 25 & -129 & 681 & -3653 & 19825 \\ 1 & -3 & 73 & -593 & 1627 & -13555 & 11732 \\ 1 & -2 & 9 & 27 & 27 & 81 & 25 \\ 1 & -2 & 3 & -4 & 5 & -6 & 7 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 210 & -4704 & 65520 & -730080 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 210 & -2688 & 20720 & -375680 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 210 & -1680 & 7560 & -25200 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 210 & 1344 & 5040 & 14400 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \\ a_4 \\ a_5 \\ a_6 \\ a_7 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} y_n \\ y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} \\ y_{n+1} \\ h^3 f_n \\ h^3 f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} \\ h^3 f_{n+1} \\ h^3 f_{n+2} \end{bmatrix} \quad (13)$$

Solving system (12) to obtain the values of the unknown parameters  $a_j, j = 0(1)6$  yielded:

$$\begin{aligned} a_0 &= \frac{13}{12}y_n - \frac{21}{4}y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{31}{6}y_{n+1} + \frac{56h^3}{6051}f_n + \frac{173h^3}{2366}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{593h^3}{4656}f_{n+1} + \frac{35h^3}{6892}f_{n+2} \\ a_1 &= \frac{23}{30}y_n - \frac{33}{10}y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{38}{15}y_{n+1} + \frac{27h^3}{3238}f_n + \frac{173h^3}{4746}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{227h^3}{1843}f_{n+1} + \frac{53h^3}{8667}f_{n+2} \\ a_2 &= \frac{3}{20}y_n - \frac{9}{20}y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{3}{10}y_{n+1} + \frac{110h^3}{33159}f_n - \frac{34h^3}{4863}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{31h^3}{613}f_{n+1} + \frac{13h^3}{3336}f_{n+2} \\ a_3 &= h^3 \left( \frac{29}{41580}f_n - \frac{17}{3080}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{4}{495}f_{n+1} + \frac{25}{16632}f_{n+2} \right) \\ a_4 &= h^3 \left( \frac{1}{38016}f_n - \frac{1}{19712}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - \frac{1}{3168}f_{n+1} + \frac{13}{38226}f_{n+2} \right) \\ a_5 &= -h^3 \left( \frac{6}{23374}f_n - \frac{9}{45760}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{19}{90090}f_{n+1} - \frac{1}{250685}f_{n+2} \right) \\ a_6 &= -h^3 \left( \frac{1}{274560}f_n - \frac{3}{183040}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{1}{68640}f_{n+1} - \frac{1}{549120}f_{n+2} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (14)$$

Substituting (14) in (11) gives a continuous implicit two-step method in the form

$$\bar{y}(x) = \sum_{j=0}^1 \alpha_j(x)y_{n+j} + \alpha_{\frac{2}{3}}(x)y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + h^3 \left( \sum_{j=0}^2 \beta_j(x)f_{n+j} + \beta_{\frac{2}{3}}(x)f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} \right) \quad (15)$$

where  $\alpha_j(x)$  and  $\beta_j(x)$  are continuous coefficients. From (15) the parameters  $\alpha_j(x)$  and  $\beta_j(x)$  are given by:

$$\begin{aligned}
\alpha_0(t) &= \frac{3}{2}t^2 + \frac{t}{2} \\
\alpha_{\frac{2}{3}}(t) &= -\frac{9t^2}{2} - \frac{9t}{2} \\
\alpha_1(t) &= 3t^2 + 4t + 1 \\
\beta_0(t) &= -h^3 \left( \frac{t^6}{160} - \frac{t^5}{120} - \frac{t^4}{96} + \frac{t^3}{235058424339189180} \right. \\
&\quad \left. - \frac{43t^2}{6480} - \frac{2260t}{915301} + \frac{1}{300349807825007740} \right) \\
\beta_{\frac{2}{3}}(t) &= h^3 \left( \frac{9t^6}{320} + \frac{t^5}{12688236664456307} - \frac{9t^4}{64} + \frac{16748472397082323}{163} + \frac{29t^2}{180} \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \frac{11866908084007885}{14} \right) \\
\beta_1(t) &= -h^3 \left( \frac{t^6}{40} - \frac{t^5}{60} - \frac{t^4}{8} + \frac{t^3}{6} - \frac{22t^2}{405} - \frac{247t}{57163} + \frac{t^3}{30264189495929732} \right) \\
\beta_2(t) &= h^3 \left( \frac{t^6}{320} + \frac{t^5}{120} + \frac{t^4}{192} - \frac{1}{3695570313586332200} \right. \\
&\quad \left. + \frac{18t^2}{116639} + \frac{18t}{116639} - \frac{1}{373665233501228290} \right)
\end{aligned} \tag{16}$$

By evaluating (15) at  $x_{n+2}$ , the main method is obtained as

$$\begin{aligned}
y_{n+2} &= 2y_n - 9y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + 8y_{n+1} \\
&\quad + h^3 \left( \frac{7}{324}f_n + \frac{7}{72}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{25}{81}f_{n+1} + \frac{11}{648}f_{n+2} \right)
\end{aligned} \tag{17}$$

Differentiate (15), to get the continuous coefficients:

$$\left. \begin{aligned}
\alpha'_0(t) &= \frac{3t + \frac{1}{2}}{h} \\
\alpha'_{\frac{2}{3}}(t) &= \frac{-(9t + \frac{9}{2})}{h} \\
\alpha'_1(t) &= \frac{(6t + 4)}{h} \\
\beta'_0(t) &= -h^2 \left( \frac{3t^5}{80} - \frac{t^4}{24} - \frac{t^3}{24} + \frac{t^2}{78352808113063056} - \frac{43t}{3240} - \frac{2260}{9153301} \right) \\
\beta'_{\frac{2}{3}}(t) &= h^2 \left( \frac{27t^5}{760} + \frac{t^4}{24} - \frac{9t^3}{16} + \frac{29t}{558282412360774700} + \frac{7}{90} + \frac{7}{144} \right) \\
\beta'_1(t) &= h^2 \left( \frac{-(3t^5)}{20} - \frac{t^4}{12} + \frac{t^3}{2} + \frac{t^2}{2} + \frac{2201759380413025t}{20266198323167232} + \frac{9121851463349}{9153301} \right) \\
\beta'_2(t) &= h^2 \left( \frac{3t^5}{160} + \frac{t^4}{24} + \frac{t^3}{48} - \frac{t^2}{1231856771195444} + \frac{35t}{113399} + \frac{18}{116639} \right)
\end{aligned} \right\} \tag{18}$$

The second derivatives of continuous functions (15) yield the following coefficient

$$\begin{aligned}
\alpha_0''(t) &= \frac{3}{h^2} \\
\alpha_{\frac{2}{3}}''(t) &= \frac{-9}{h^2} \\
\alpha_1''(t) &= \frac{6}{h^2} \\
\beta_0''(t) &= -h \left( \frac{3t^4}{16} - \frac{t^3}{6} - \frac{t^2}{8} + \frac{t}{39176404056531528} - \frac{43}{3240} \right) \\
\beta_{\frac{2}{3}}''(t) &= h \left( \frac{27t^4}{32} + \frac{t^3}{634411833222815230} - \frac{27t^2}{16} + \frac{t}{2791412066180387300} + \frac{1}{6} \right) \\
\beta_1''(t) &= -h \left( \frac{3t^4}{4} - \frac{t^3}{3} + \frac{3t^2}{2} + t + \frac{44}{405} \right) \\
\beta_2''(t) &= h \left( \frac{3t^4}{32} + \frac{t^3}{6} + \frac{t^2}{16} - \frac{t}{615928385597721980} + \frac{35}{113399} \right)
\end{aligned} \tag{19}$$

The additional methods to be coupled with the main method (17) are obtained by evaluating the first and second derivatives of (15) at  $x_n, x_{n+\frac{2}{3}}, x_{n+1}$  and  $x_{n+2}$  respectively to obtain:

$$\begin{aligned}
hy'_n + \frac{5}{2}y_n - \frac{9}{2}y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + 2y_{n+1} \\
= h^3 \left( \frac{173f_n}{6480} + \frac{173f_{n+\frac{2}{3}}}{1440} - \frac{61f_{n+1}}{1620} + \frac{5f_{n+2}}{2592} \right)
\end{aligned} \tag{20}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
hy'_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{y_n}{2} + \frac{3}{2}y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - 2y_{n+1} \\
= h^3 \left( \frac{-11f_n}{3888} - \frac{167f_{n+\frac{2}{3}}}{4320} - \frac{23f_{n+1}}{4860} - \frac{29f_{n+2}}{102502} \right)
\end{aligned} \tag{21}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
hy'_{n+1} - \frac{y_n}{2} + \frac{9}{2}y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - 4y_{n+1} \\
= h^3 \left( \frac{2260f_n}{915301} + \frac{7f_{n+\frac{2}{3}}}{144} + \frac{247f_{n+1}}{57163} + \frac{18f_{n+2}}{116639} \right)
\end{aligned} \tag{22}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
hy'_{n+2} - \frac{7}{2}y_n + \frac{27}{2}y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - 10y_{n+1} \\
= h^3 \left( \frac{133f_n}{2160} - \frac{1312f_{n+\frac{2}{3}}}{57251} + \frac{95f_{n+1}}{108} + \frac{353f_{n+2}}{4320} \right)
\end{aligned} \tag{23}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
h^2y_n'' - 3y_n + 9y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - 6y_{n+1} \\
= h^3 \left( -\frac{527f_n}{2441} - \frac{751f_{n+\frac{2}{3}}}{1440} + \frac{311f_{n+1}}{1620} - \frac{131f_{n+2}}{12960} \right)
\end{aligned} \tag{24}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& h^2 y''_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - 3y_n + 9y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - 6y_{n+1} \\
& = h^3 \left( \frac{121f_n}{6480} + \frac{209f_{n+\frac{2}{3}}}{1440} - \frac{89f_{n+1}}{1620} + \frac{77f_{n+2}}{34411} \right) \quad (25)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& h^2 y''_{n+1} - 3y_n + 9y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - 6y_{n+1} \\
& = h^3 \left( \frac{43f_n}{3240} + \frac{29f_{n+\frac{2}{3}}}{90} + \frac{44f_{n+1}}{405} + \frac{35f_{n+2}}{113399} \right) \quad (26)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& h^2 y''_{n+2} - 3y_n + 9y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - 6y_{n+1} \\
& = h^3 \left( \frac{761f_n}{6480} - \frac{751f_{n+\frac{2}{3}}}{1440} - \frac{1115f_{n+1}}{731} + \frac{469f_{n+2}}{1451} \right) \quad (27)
\end{aligned}$$

Equations (17) and (20) - (27) are solved using Shampine and Watts (1969) block formula defined as

$$Ay_m = hBF(y_m) + E_{y_n} + hDf_n \quad (28)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
A &= \begin{pmatrix} 9 & -8 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{9}{2} & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{3}{2} & -2 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{9}{2} & -4 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{27}{2} & -10 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 9 & -6 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 9 & -6 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 9 & -6 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 9 & -6 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} B \\
&= \begin{pmatrix} \frac{7}{72} & \frac{25}{81} & \frac{11}{648} \\ \frac{173}{1440} & -\frac{61}{1620} & \frac{5}{2592} \\ -\frac{167}{4320} & \frac{23}{4860} & -\frac{29}{102502} \\ \frac{7}{144} & \frac{247}{57163} & \frac{18}{116639} \\ -\frac{1312}{57251} & \frac{95}{108} & \frac{353}{4320} \\ -\frac{751}{1440} & \frac{311}{1620} & -\frac{131}{12960} \\ \frac{209}{1440} & -\frac{89}{1620} & \frac{77}{34411} \\ \frac{29}{90} & \frac{44}{405} & \frac{35}{113399} \\ -\frac{751}{1440} & \frac{1115}{731} & \frac{469}{1451} \end{pmatrix}
\end{aligned}$$

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} 7/324 \\ 173/6480 \\ -11/3888 \\ 2260/915301 \\ 133/2160 \\ -527/2441 \\ 121/6480 \\ 43/3240 \\ 761/6480 \end{pmatrix} \quad E = \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ -5/2 & -1 & 0 \\ -1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 7/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & -1 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 3 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Substituting A, B, D and E into equation (28) the following equations are obtained:

$$y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} = y_n + \frac{2}{3}y'_n + \frac{2}{9}y''_n + \frac{22}{729}f_n + \frac{29}{810}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - \frac{64}{3645}f_{n+1} + \frac{7}{7290}f_{n+2} \quad (29)$$

$$y_{n+1} = y_n + y'_n + \frac{1}{2}y''_n + \frac{13}{160}f_n + \frac{9}{64}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - \frac{7}{120}f_{n+1} + \frac{1}{320}f_{n+2} \quad (30)$$

$$y_{n+2} = y_n + 2y'_n + 2y''_n + \frac{2}{5}f_n + \frac{9}{10}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{1}{30}f_{n+2} \quad (31)$$

$$y'_{n+\frac{2}{3}} = y'_n + \frac{2}{3}y''_n + \frac{139}{1215}f_n + \frac{17}{90}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - \frac{104}{1215}f_{n+1} + \frac{11}{2430}f_{n+2} \quad (32)$$

$$y'_{n+1} = y'_n + y''_n + \frac{23}{120}f_n + \frac{9}{20}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - \frac{3}{20}f_{n+1} + \frac{1}{120}f_{n+2} \quad (33)$$

$$y'_{n+2} = y'_n + 2y''_n + \frac{7}{15}f_n + \frac{9}{10}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + \frac{8}{15}f_{n+1} + \frac{1}{10}f_{n+2} \quad (34)$$

$$y''_{n+\frac{2}{3}} = y''_n + \frac{19}{81}f_n + \frac{2}{3}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - \frac{20}{81}f_{n+1} + \frac{1}{81}f_{n+2} \quad (35)$$

$$y''_{n+1} = y''_n + \frac{11}{48}f_n + \frac{27}{32}f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - \frac{1}{12}f_{n+1} + \frac{1}{96}f_{n+2} \quad (36)$$

$$y''_{n+2} = y''_n + \frac{1}{3}f_n + \frac{4}{3}f_{n+1} + \frac{1}{3}f_{n+2} \quad (37)$$

## 2.2 Analysis of the Methods

The basic properties are order, error constant, zero stability and consistency.

The main methods derived are discrete schemes belonging to the class of LMMs of the form:

$$\sum_{j=0}^k \alpha_j y_{n+j} = h^3 \sum_{j=0}^k \beta_j f_{n+j} \quad (38)$$

Following Futunla (1988) and Lambert (1973), we define the Local Truncation Error (LTE) associated with (38) by difference operator;

$$L[y(x): h] = \sum_{j=0}^k [\alpha_j y(x_n + jh) - h^3 \beta_j f(x_n + jh)] \quad (39)$$

where  $y(x)$  is an arbitrary function, continuously differentiable on  $[a, b]$ . Expanding (3) in Taylor's Series about the point  $x$ , we obtain the expression

$$L[y(x): h] = c_0 y(x) + c_1 h y'(x) + \dots c_{p+3} h^{p+3} y^{p+3}(x) \quad (40)$$

where the  $c_0, c_1, c_2 \dots c_p \dots c_{p+3}$  are obtained

$$c_0 = \sum_{j=0}^k \alpha_j \quad (41)$$

$$c_1 = \sum_{j=1}^k j\alpha_j \quad (42)$$

$$c_3 = \frac{1}{3!} \sum_{j=1}^k j^3 \alpha_j \quad (43)$$

$$c_q = \frac{1}{q!} \left[ \sum_{j=1}^k j^q \alpha_j - q(q-1)(q-2)(q-3) \sum_{j=1}^k \beta_j j^{q-3} \right] \quad (44)$$

In the sense of Lambert (1973), equation (38) is of order  $p$  if  $c_0 = c_1 = c_2 = c_2 = \dots c_p = c_{p+1} = c_{p+2} = 0$  and  $c_{p+3} \neq 0$ . The  $c_{p+3} \neq 0$  is called the error constant and  $c_{p+3}h^{p+3}y^{p+3}(x_n)$  is the Principal Local truncation error at the point  $x_n$ . The equation (17) is of order  $p = 4$  and error constants  $C_{p+3} = -\frac{31}{29160}$

### 2.2.1 Zero stability

The LMM (1) is said to be Zero-stable if no root of the first characteristic polynomial  $\rho(R)$  has modulus greater than one and if and only if every root of modulus one has multiplicity not greater than the order of the differential equation.

### 2.2.2 Consistency

The LMM is said to be consistent if it has order  $p \geq 1$  and the first and second characteristic polynomials which are defined respectively, as

$$\rho(z) = \sum_{j=0}^k \alpha_j z^j \quad (45)$$

and

$$\sigma(z) = \sum_{j=0}^k \beta_j z^j \quad (46)$$

where  $z$  is the principal root, satisfy the following conditions:

$$\sum_{j=0}^k \alpha_j = 0 \quad (47)$$

$$\rho(1) = \rho'(1) = 0 \quad (48)$$

And

$$\rho'''(1) = 3 \cdot \sigma(1) \quad (49)$$

(Henrichi, 1962)

The scheme (18) is of order  $\rho = 4 > 1$  and they have been investigated to satisfy conditions (I)-(III) of Definition (47) -(49). Hence, the scheme is consistent.



### 2.2.3 Convergence

According to the theorem of Dahlquist, the necessary and sufficient condition for an LMM to be convergent, is that, it is consistent and zero-stable.

The methods satisfy the two conditions stated in Definition (47) –(49) and hence the method is convergent.

### 2.2.4 Zero stability of the Method.

To analyze the Zero-stability of the method, equations (29)-(37) is represented in block form below:

$$A^0 y_m = hBF(y_m) + A' y_n hD f_n$$

where h is a fixed mesh size within a block.

The zero stability of equations (29)-(37) gives

$$A^0 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^r = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 29/810 & -64/3645 & 7/7290 \\ 9/64 & -7/120 & 1/320 \\ 9/10 & 0 & 1/30 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$D = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 22/729 \\ 0 & 0 & 13/160 \\ 0 & 0 & 2/5 \end{bmatrix}$$

The first characteristic polynomial of the block hybrid method is given by

$$\rho(R) = \det(RA^0 - A') \quad (50)$$

Substituting  $A^0$  and  $A'$  in equation (50) and solving for R, the values of R are obtained as 0 and 1.

According to Fatunla (1988,1991), the block method equations (29)-(37) are zero-stable, since from (50),  $\rho(R) = 0$ , satisfy  $|R_j| \leq 1, j = 1$  and for those roots with  $|R_j| = 1$ , the multiplicity does not exceed three.

### 2.3 Region of Absolute Stability (RAS)

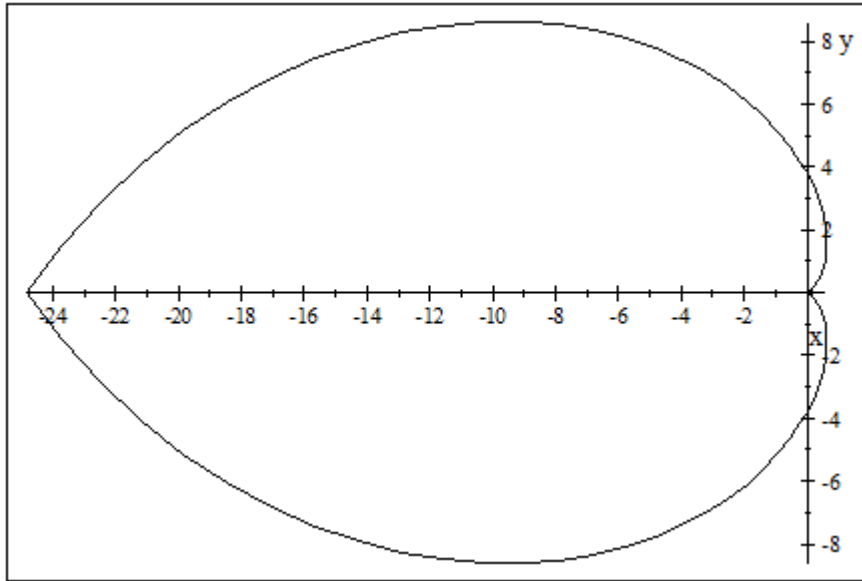
For the Two-step with Off-step Point  $\frac{2}{3}$ , we have

$$y_{n+2} + 9y_{n+\frac{2}{3}} - 8y_{n+1} - 2y_n = \frac{h^3}{648} \left( 14f_n + 63f_{n+\frac{2}{3}} + 200f_{n+1} + 11f_{n+2} \right)$$

$$\bar{h}(z) = \frac{648 \left( z^2 + 9z^{\frac{2}{3}} - 8z - 2 \right)}{63z^{\frac{2}{3}} + 200z + 11z^2 + 14}$$

$$\bar{h}(\theta) = \frac{648e^{i2\theta} + 9e^{i\frac{2}{3}\theta} - 8e^{i\theta} - 2}{11e^{i2\theta} + 63e^{i\frac{2}{3}\theta} + 200e^{i\theta} + 14}$$

The RAS is shown in the figure below



**Figure 1:** Region of Absolute Stability for Two-step with Off-step Point  $\frac{2}{3}$

### 3 Application of the Method

Three problems characterized by different features will be considered in this section.

#### Problem 1

The highly nonlinear problem

$$y''' + e^{-y} - 3e^{-2y} + 2e^{-3y} = 0$$

$$y(0) = \ln 2, y'(0) = \frac{1}{2}, y''(0) = \frac{1}{4}$$

sourced from Muhammed (2016) whose analytic solution is

$$y(x) = \ln(e^x + 1)$$

was considered with  $h = 0.1$ ,

#### Problem 2

The nonlinear application problem called Blasius Equation

$$2y''' + yy'' = 0$$

$$y(0) = 0, y'(0) = 0, y''(0) = 1$$

and sourced from Adesanya et al (2014) was solved here with  $h = 0.1$ .

#### Problem 3

An Application Problem (Nonlinear Genesio Equation)

Considered, the nonlinear chaotic system from Genesio and Tesi (1992)

$$x''''(t) + Ax''(t) + Bx'(t) = x^2(t) - Cx(t)$$

$$x(0) = 0.2, x'(0) = -0.3, x''(0) = 0.1, t \in [0,1]$$

where  $A = 1.2, B = 2.29$  and  $C = 6$  are positive constants that satisfied  $AB < C$  for the existence of the solution.

### 3 Tables of Results

**Table 1:** Results for Problem 1

x	Exact solution	Two-steps with $v = \frac{2}{3}$
0.1	0.744396660073572	0.744396660068558
0.2	0.798138869381592	0.798138869344556
0.3	0.854355244468526	0.854355244286741
0.4	0.913015252399952	0.913015251874836
0.5	0.974076984180107	0.974076982907236
0.6	1.037487950485890	1.037487947917230
0.7	1.103186048885460	1.103186044201130
0.8	1.171100665947780	1.171100658162400
0.9	1.241153874732090	1.241153862586050
1.0	1.313261686336555	1.313261669600100

**Table 2:** Results for Problem 2

x	Analytical solution	two-step method with $v = \frac{2}{3}$
0.1	0.0049999551874560	0.004999958347116
0.2	0.0199986590802381	0.019998666938153
0.3	0.04498987410259470	0.044989879952218
0.4	0.0799573773516761	0.079957379380653
0.5	0.1248700476465370	0.124870060961250
0.6	0.179677126361217	0.179677148374987
0.7	0.2443036129003850	0.244303630177998
0.8	0.3186459794646740	0.318646031552947
0.9	0.4025686062131340	0.402568655792802
10	0.4959003376293370	0.495900435482723

**Table 3:** Results for Problem 3

X	Analytical solution	two-step method with $\nu = \frac{2}{3}$ as the Off-step point
0.1	0.170440346269364	0.170440346869070
0.2	0.141582173138664	0.141582171130925
0.3	0.113282963581607	0.113282958227538
0.4	0.085554524922736	0.085554520377859
0.5	0.058543682864593	0.058543674213629
0.6	0.032510877478247	0.032510862344549
0.7	0.007806854082744	0.007806836744866
0.8	-0.015152336804258	-0.015152348568936
0.9	-0.035911645118586	-0.035911639463907
10	-0.054004107797261	-0.054004072464382

4 Tables of Errors

**Table 4:** Error for Problem 1

x	Error in Anake (2013)	Two-steps $\nu = \frac{2}{3}$
0.1	$1.608800 \times 10^{-9}$	$5.014000 \times 10^{-12}$
0.2	$1.038700 \times 10^{-8}$	$3.703600 \times 10^{-11}$
0.3	$2.957200 \times 10^{-8}$	$1.817850 \times 10^{-10}$
0.4	$2.314700 \times 10^{-7}$	$5.251160 \times 10^{-10}$
0.5	$4.542000 \times 10^{-7}$	$1.272871 \times 10^{-9}$
0.6	$1.474600 \times 10^{-6}$	$2.568660 \times 10^{-9}$
0.7	$2.873400 \times 10^{-6}$	$4.684330 \times 10^{-9}$
0.8	$4.682600 \times 10^{-6}$	$7.785380 \times 10^{-9}$
0.9	$6.921700 \times 10^{-6}$	$1.214604 \times 10^{-8}$
1.0	$9.597400 \times 10^{-6}$	$1.673646 \times 10^{-8}$

Tables of Errors

**Table 5:** Error for Problem 2

X	Two-steps with $\nu = \frac{2}{3}$	Error in Anake Block Algorithm
0.1	$3.159660000 \times 10^{-9}$	$4.2730000 \times 10^{-8}$
0.2	$7.8579149000 \times 10^{-9}$	$1.2075900 \times 10^{-6}$
0.3	$5.849623300 \times 10^{-9}$	$8.6071900 \times 10^{-6}$
0.4	$2.028976900 \times 10^{-9}$	$3.40900400 \times 10^{-5}$
0.5	$1.331471300 \times 10^{-8}$	$9.7406800 \times 10^{-5}$
0.6	$2.201377000 \times 10^{-8}$	$2.2571100 \times 10^{-4}$
0.7	$1.727761300 \times 10^{-8}$	$4.5145470 \times 10^{-4}$
0.8	$5.208827300 \times 10^{-8}$	$8.084729 \times 10^{-4}$
0.9	$4.9579668000 \times 10^{-8}$	$1.3262207 \times 10^{-3}$
1.0	$9.785338600 \times 10^{-8}$	$2.0220546 \times 10^{-3}$

**Table 6:** Error for Problem 3

x	Two-steps with $\nu = \frac{2}{3}$
0.1	$5.99706000 \times 10^{-10}$
0.2	$2.007739000 \times 10^{-9}$
0.3	$5.35406900 \times 10^{-9}$
0.4	$4.544877000 \times 10^{-9}$
0.5	$8.650964000 \times 10^{-9}$
0.6	$1.513369800 \times 10^{-8}$
0.7	$1.7337878000 \times 10^{-8}$
0.8	$1.176467800 \times 10^{-8}$
0.9	$5.654679000 \times 10^{-9}$
1.0	$3.533287900 \times 10^{-8}$

## 4 Conclusion

Continuous hybrid scheme with off point was used with constructed orthogonal polynomials as basis function, developed through a collocation and interpolation technique. These method by analysis, were shown to be consistent and zero stable and hence convergent. Three selected problems have been considered to test the effectiveness and accuracy of the method. It is obvious from our table of results that the method is accurate and effective since the approximation closely estimate the analytic solution.

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