

Prelude

Programs: Requirements

- In this course we will use an adaptive step 4(5) order Runge-Kutta method with a shooting strategy.
- You will need a C compiler and a 11+ Mathematica.



- The required files for the hands on lecture can be downloaded in

[CODES](#)

Programs: C Integrator

- If you have a linux machine it is already installed (*a priori*) and can be run in the terminal.
- If you use a Windows/Mac operating system, you need to install a proper compiler:

[How To Install GCC](#)

- Please follow the tutorial.

Programs: Running

- In the CODES file you have an isolated SOLUTION generator and a DOMAIN space generator.
- Open the terminal in the desired folder and run the executable. There is already an executable file

To run the executable:

```
$ sh Exec.sh
```

If you want to run by hand:

```
$ gcc -ofast BS.c -o S -lm
```

```
$ ./S
```

- After generating the solutions you can go back to the initial file and run the MATH notebooks.

Programs: Final thoughts

- Please run the files to test if everything is working.
- Have a nice weekend.
- See you monday.



How we numerically solve ODEs: Boson Star

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Boson Star Equations

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Which are written in the form:

$$\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} = f(x, y, y', \dots, y^{(n)})$$

Asymptotic approximations: Origin

At the origin,

$$m(0) = 0 , \sigma(0) = \sigma_0 , \varphi(0) = \varphi_0 ,$$

The field equations can be approximated by a power series expansion

$$m(r) \simeq \frac{4\pi(\mu^2\sigma_0^2 + \omega^2)}{3\sigma_0} \varphi_0^2 r^3 + \mathcal{O}(r^5) ,$$

$$\sigma(r) \simeq \sigma_0 + \frac{4\pi\omega\varphi^2}{\sigma_0} r^2 + \mathcal{O}(r^4) ,$$

$$\varphi(r) \simeq \varphi_0 + \frac{1}{6} \left(\mu^2 - \frac{\omega^2}{\sigma_0^2} \right) \varphi_0 r^2 + \mathcal{O}(r^4) .$$

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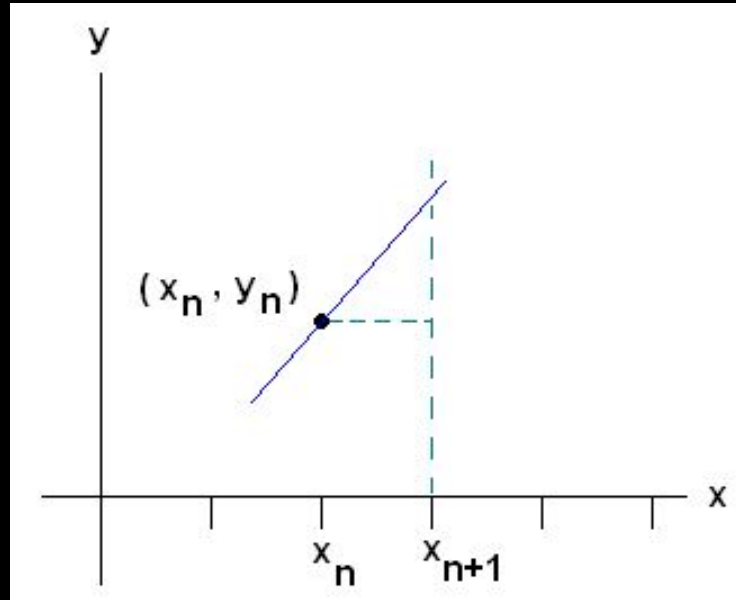
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Adaptive step Runge-Kutta

Numerical Procedure: Integrator

- The integrator is based on an adaptive Runge-Kutta strategy: RK(5)6



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Dormand-Prince method

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$\frac{1}{5}$	$\frac{1}{5}$						
$\frac{3}{10}$	$\frac{3}{40}$	$\frac{9}{40}$					
$\frac{4}{5}$	$\frac{44}{45}$	$-\frac{56}{15}$	$\frac{32}{9}$				
$\frac{8}{9}$	$\frac{19372}{6561}$	$-\frac{25360}{2187}$	$\frac{64448}{6561}$	$-\frac{212}{729}$			
1	$\frac{9017}{3168}$	$-\frac{355}{33}$	$\frac{46732}{5247}$	$\frac{49}{176}$	$-\frac{5103}{18656}$		
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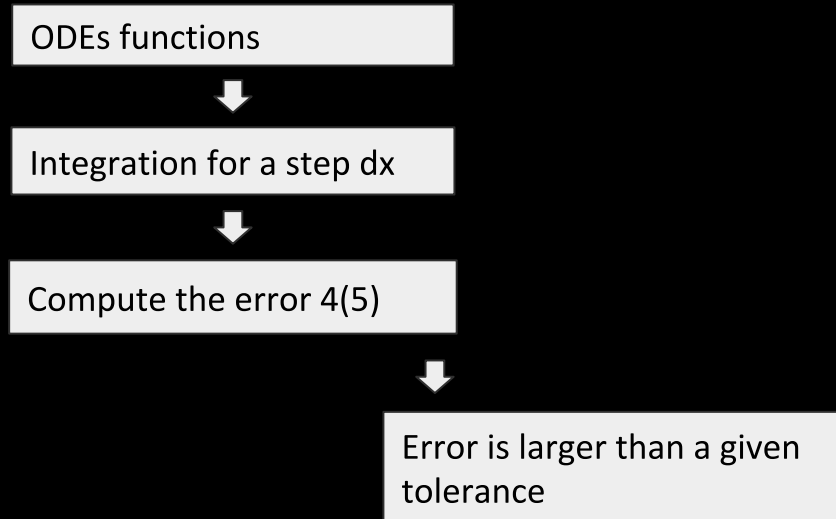


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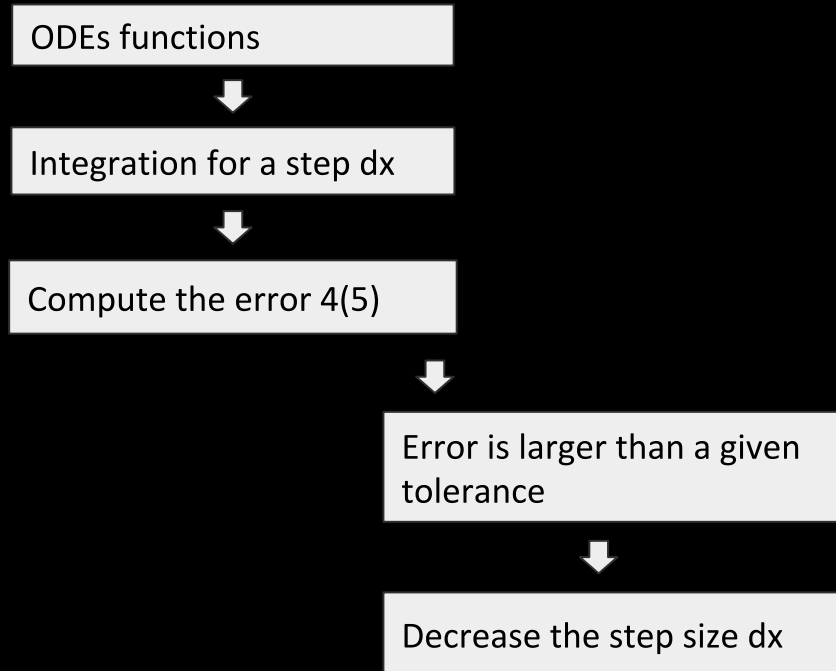


Compute the error $4(5)$

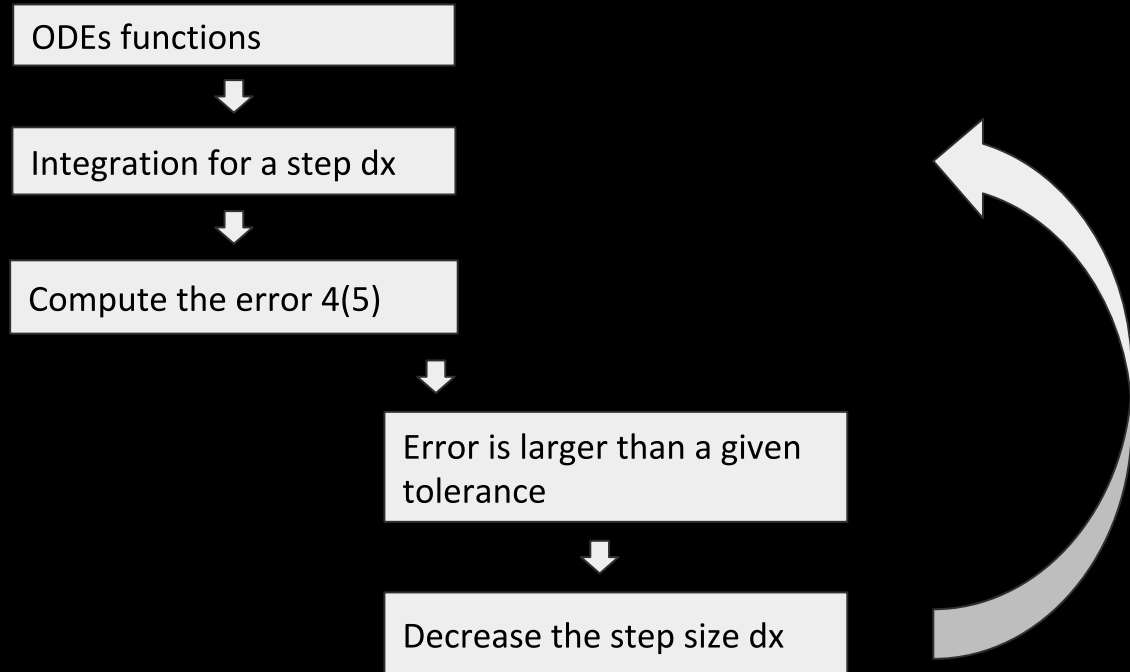
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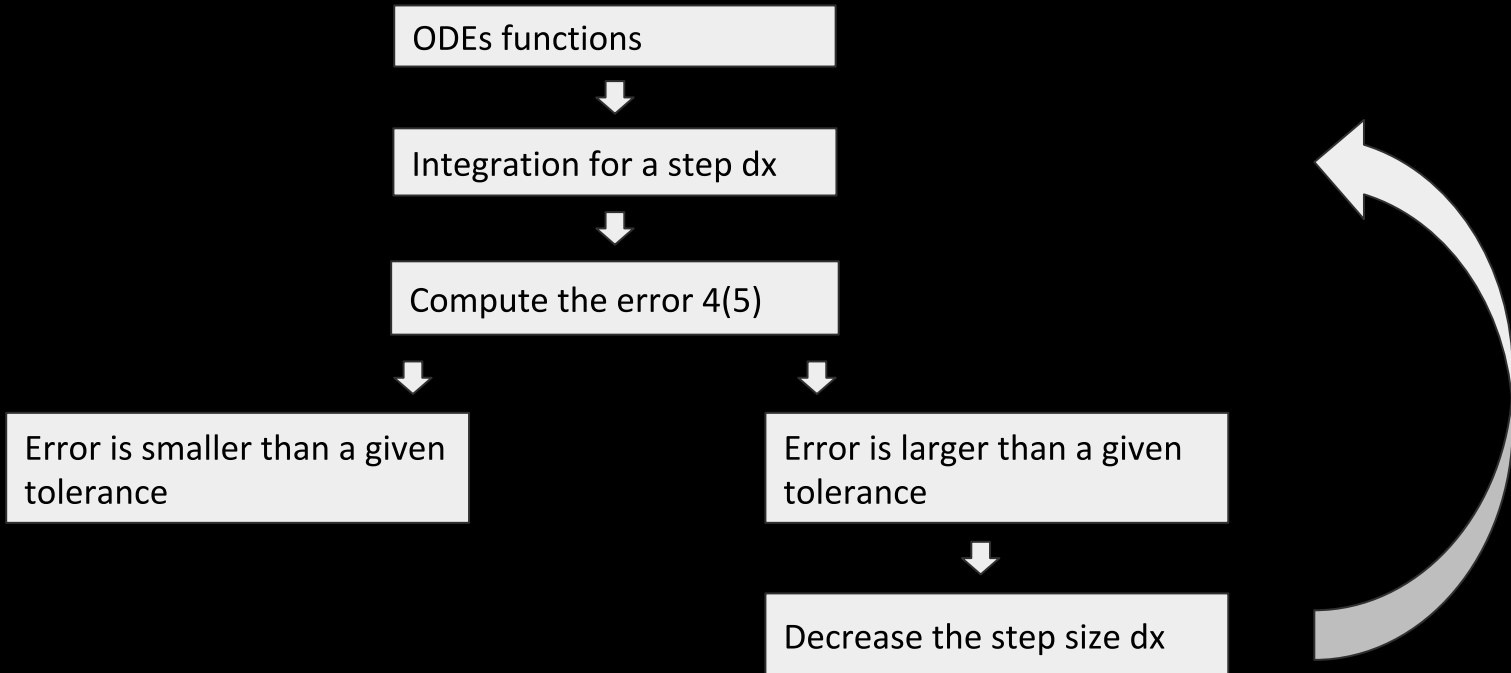
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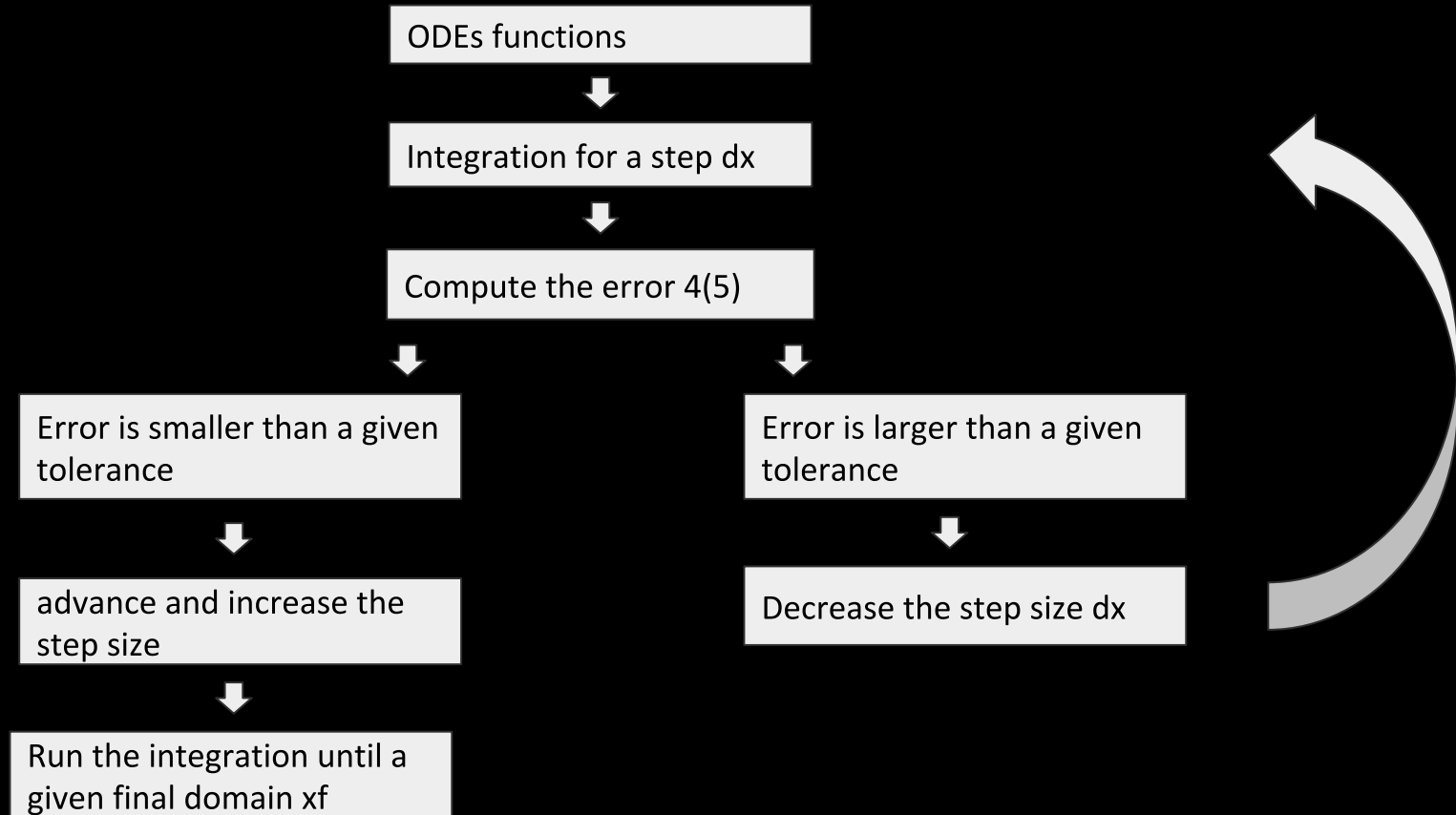
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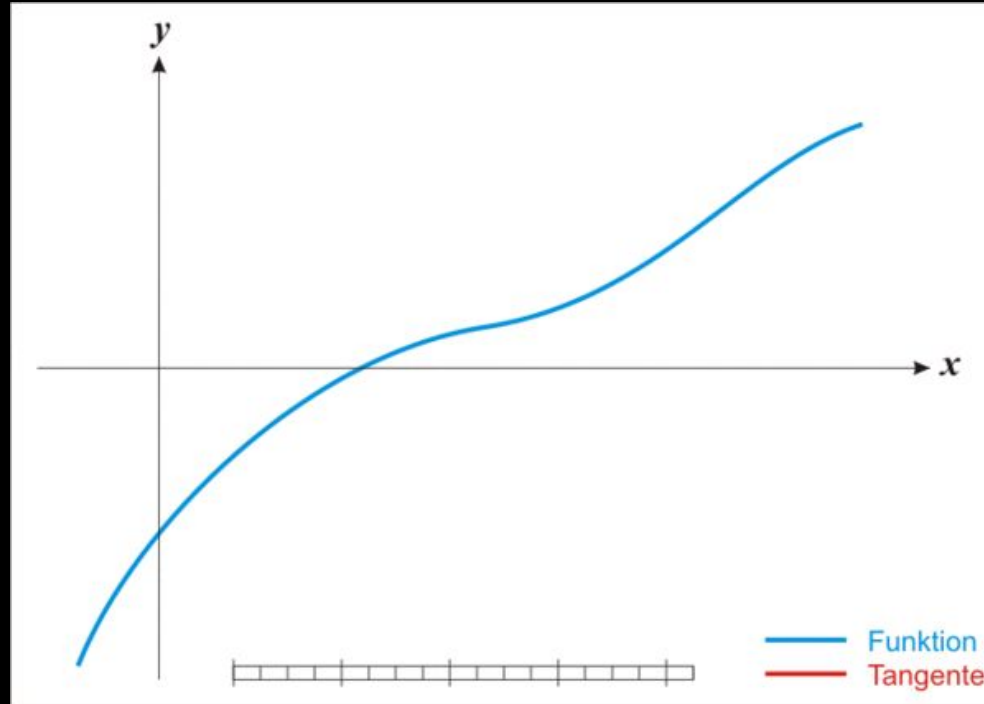
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Shooting Strategy: Secant method



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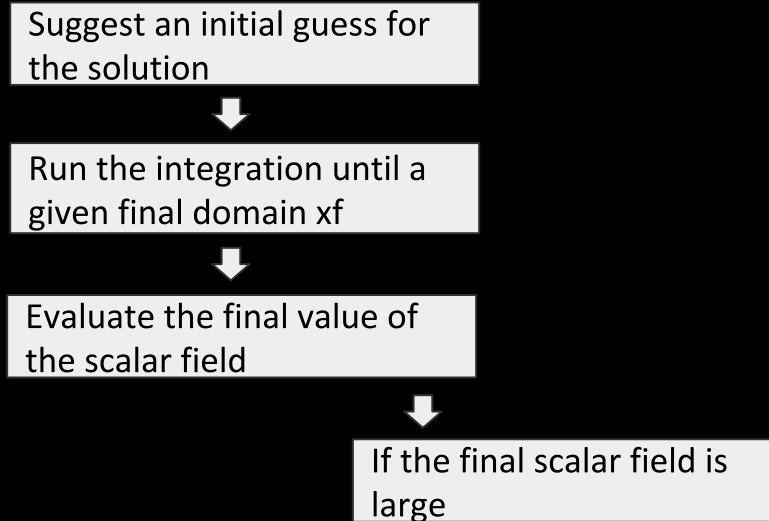


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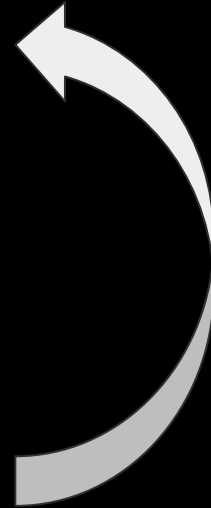
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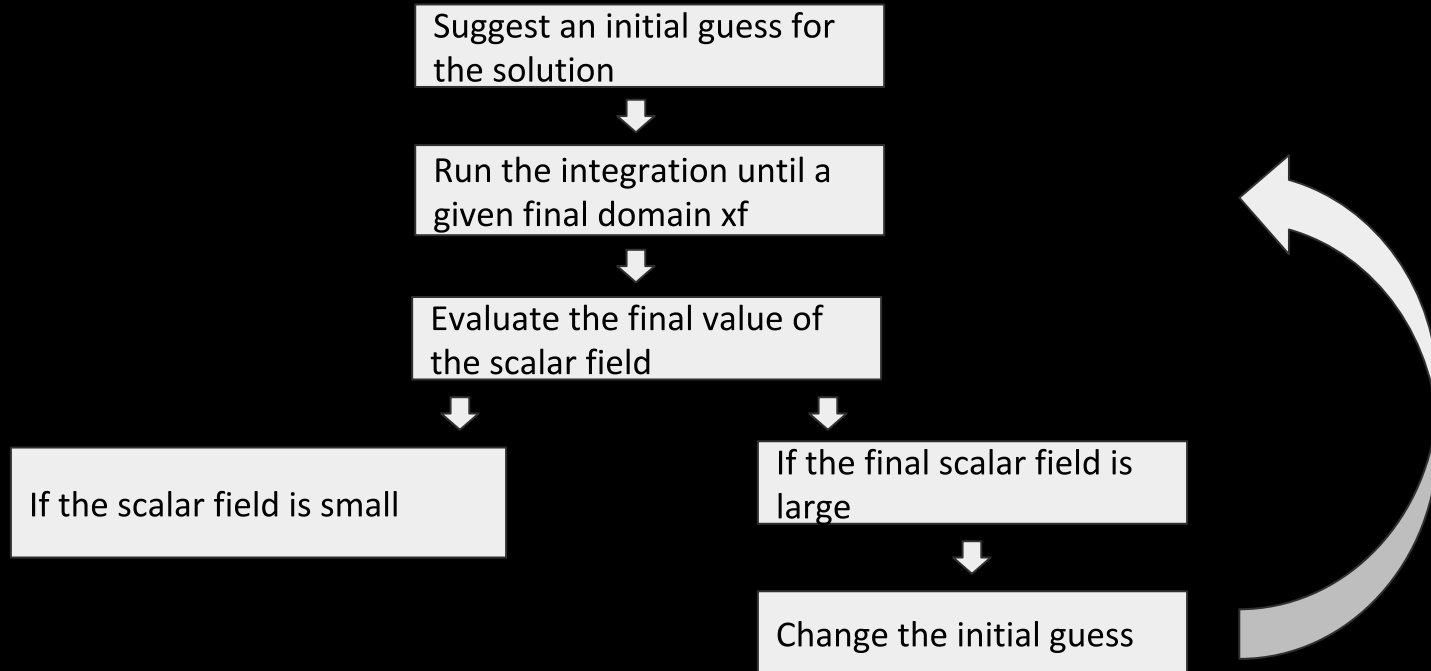
If the final scalar field is large



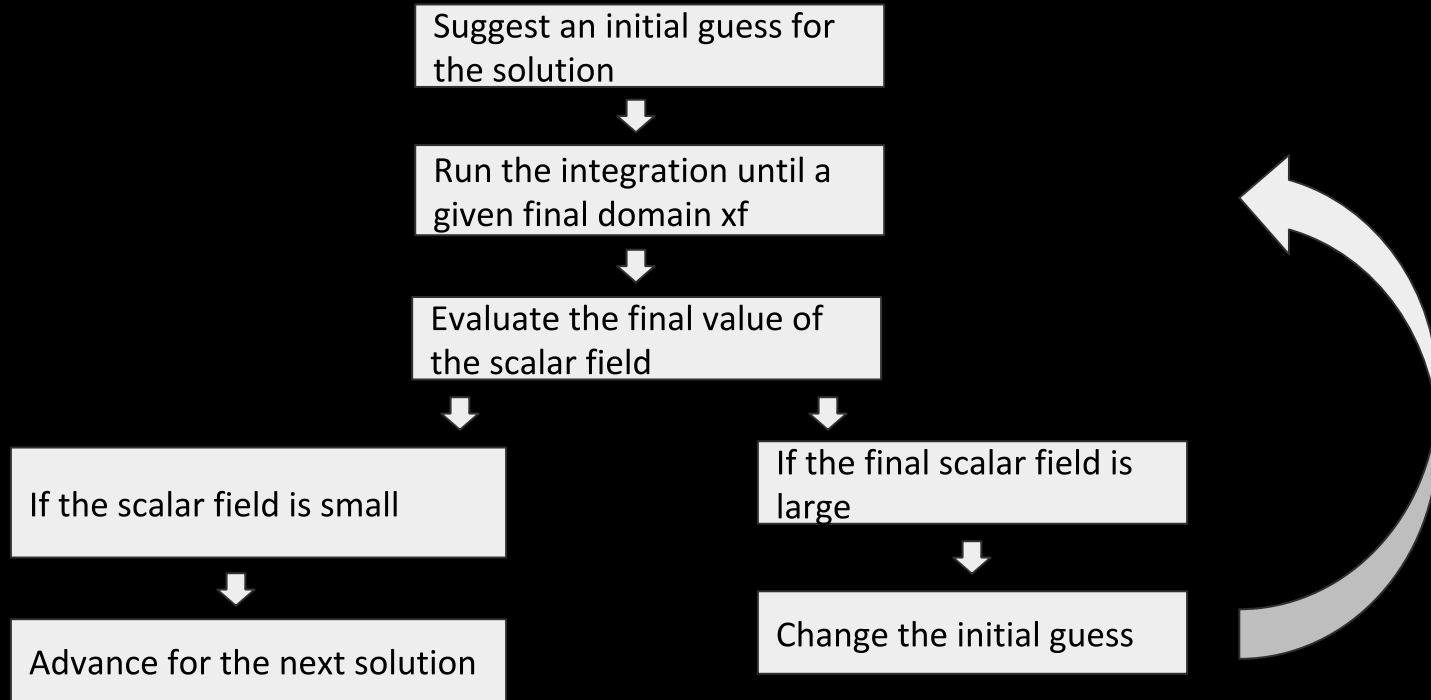
Change the initial guess



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Numerical Procedure: Structure

function.h

Contains the ODE equations in the function format

Integrator.h

Contains the Dormand Prince method

Evaluates the Step error

Noether charge

Implements the initial conditions

BS.c

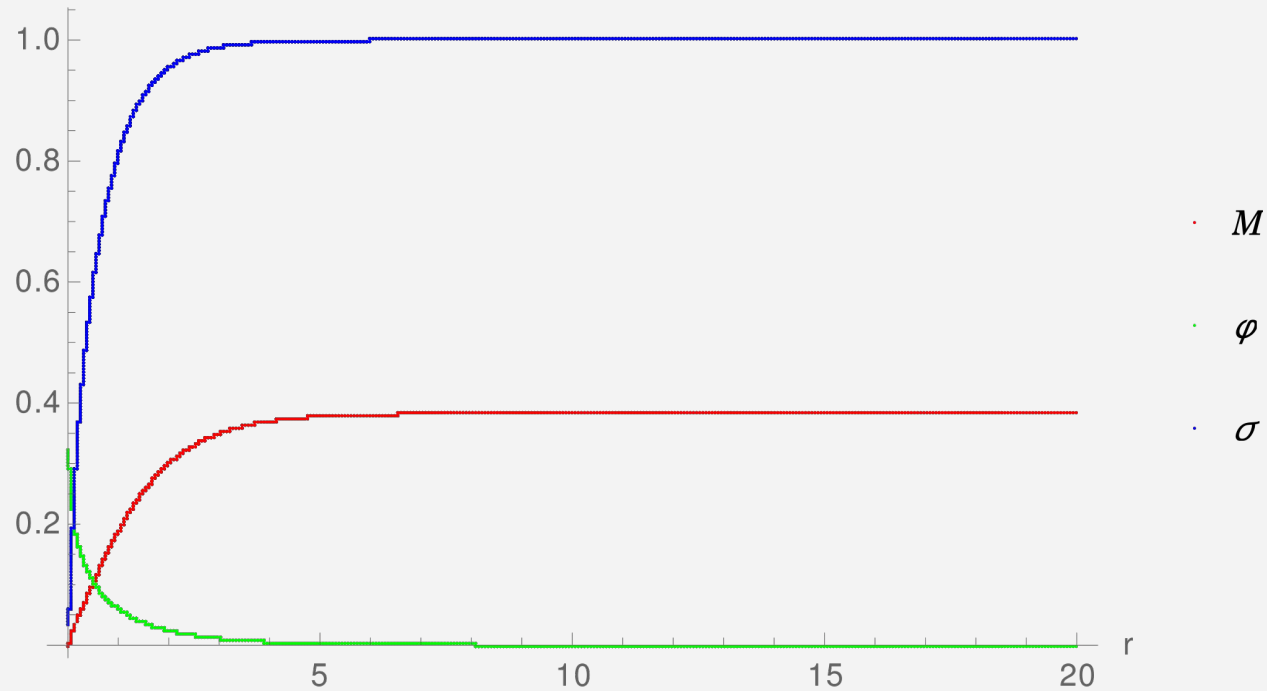
Compiles all the functions

Generates the solution or phase space.

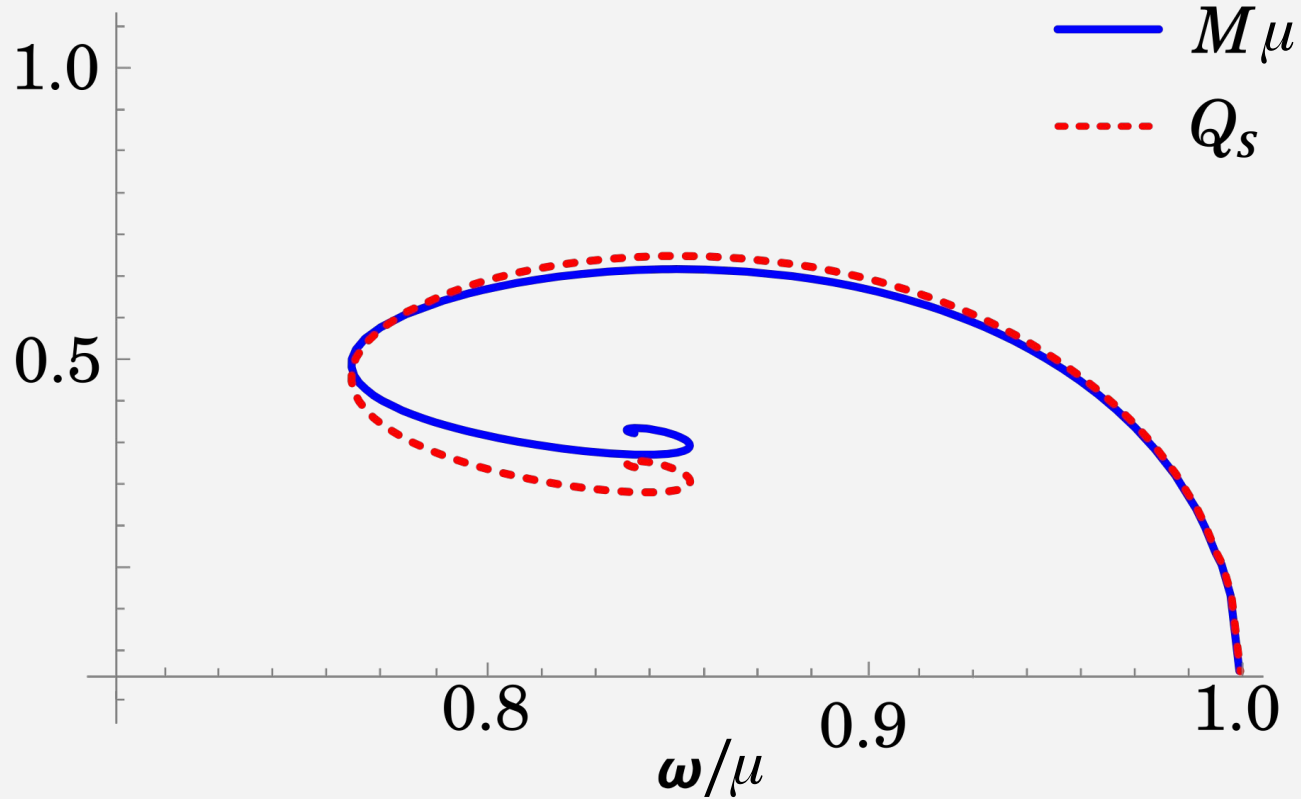
Contains a Secant strategy able to implement proper boundary conditions

Data Analysis

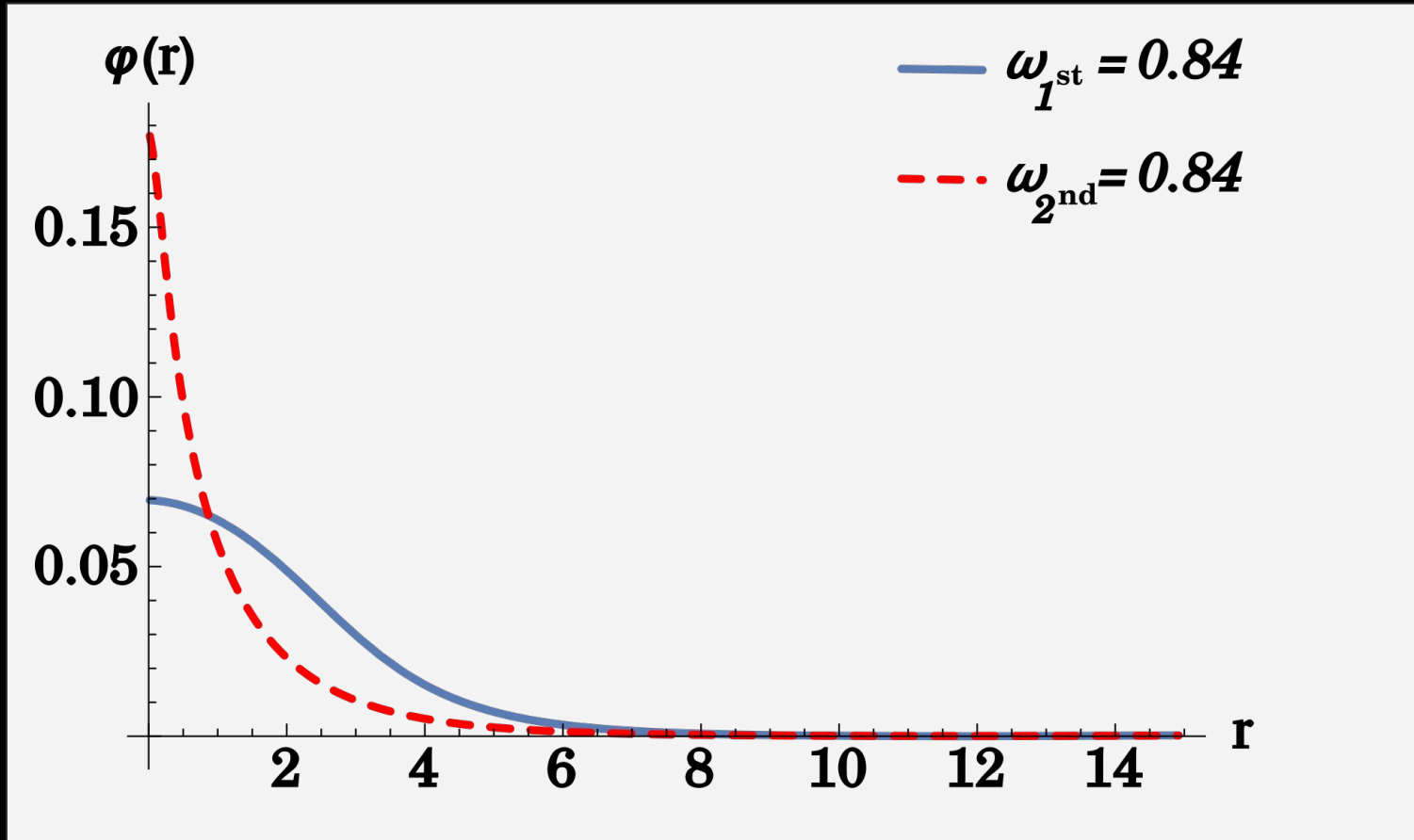
Numerical Procedure: Solution profile



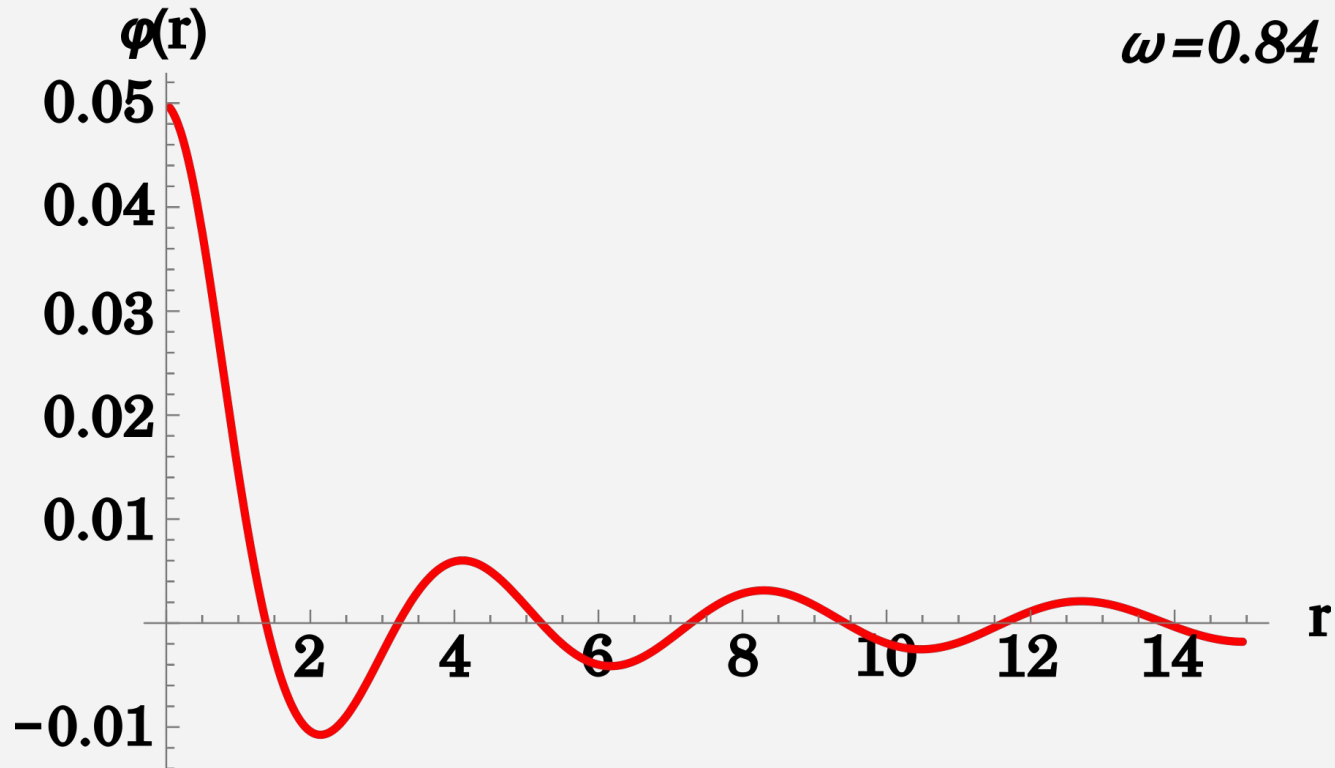
Numerical Procedure: Domain of existence



Numerical Procedure: Solution profile



Numerical Procedure: Excited States





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Thank you!
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