

Newmark Beta Methods

- 1) Estimate \ddot{u}_{n+1}^* , Given $u_n, \dot{u}_n, \ddot{u}_n$
- 2) $u_{n+1} = u_n + h\dot{u}_n + (1/2 - \beta)h^2\ddot{u}_n + h^2\beta\ddot{u}_{n+1}^*$
- 3) $\dot{u}_{n+1} = \dot{u}_n + (h/2)\ddot{u}_n + (h/2)\ddot{u}_{n+1}^*$
- 4) $\ddot{u}_{n+1} = f(u_{n+1}, \dot{u}_{n+1}, t_{n+1})$
- 5) If $\ddot{u}_{n+1} \neq \ddot{u}_{n+1}^*$, then $\ddot{u}_{n+1}^* \rightarrow \ddot{u}_{n+1}$ (Go to (1))
If $\ddot{u}_{n+1} \sim \ddot{u}_{n+1}^*$, then go to next step
 $n \rightarrow n+1$

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Method

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lumped acceleration

1/8

stepped acceleration

1/6

linear acceleration

1/4

constant average acceleration (Unconditionally stable for linear systems)

For Stability $\frac{h}{T} < \frac{1}{\pi \sqrt{1-4\beta}}$

For Convergence $\frac{h}{T} < \frac{1}{2\pi\sqrt{\beta}}$