



# Numerical Solution of Bratu-Type Initial Value Problems by Aboodh Adomian Decomposition Method

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## Abstract

This study presents an efficient method for solving Bratu equations with an initial value problem. The procedure is based on the use of Aboodh transform and Adomian decomposition method. Adomian polynomials for the index  $n$  replace the nonlinear term. The dependent variable components are also replaced in the recurrence relation by their corresponding Aboodh transform components of the same index. Therefore, the nonlinear problem is solved directly without any linearization or discretization. Examples are presented to show the effectiveness and validity of this method. The derived results are compared with the existing exact solution.

## 1. Introduction

Bratu equation with initial value problem is of the form:

$$u'' + \lambda e^u = 0 \quad 0 < x < 1 \quad (1)$$

$$u(0) = u'(1) = 0 \quad (2)$$

The Bratu equation is one of the most examined mathematical problem [1,2]. It emerges in numerous physical and chemical problems such as chemical reactor theory, radiative heat transfer, nanotechnology, simplification of solid fuel ignition in thermal combustion theory, modeling the expansion of the universe, and the thermal reaction process [2-5]. The importance of the Bratu equation stems, in part, from its use in the combustion theory and, in part, from the fact that its exact solution is well-known. [1,2]. Therefore, it has been used to evaluate the effectiveness and precision of numerous approximate techniques of various levels of complexity like the perturbation techniques, Legendre wavelet method, Adomian decomposition method, the viral theorem, etc. [1,2]. Additionally, this solution has a bifurcation pattern that is unique to nonlinear differential equations. The reason to investigate the explicit and precise general solution to the Bratu equation is motivated by this significance. [1,2]. The common method for resolving a boundary or initial value problem is to compute the general solution to the differential equation and, secondly, by using the boundary or initial conditions to find the arbitrary parameters [1,2]. Diverse numerical techniques have been used to solve Bratu-type equations. These methods are Variational Iteration Technique (VIT) [6,7], Successive Differentiation Method (SDM) [1], Homotopy Perturbation Method (HPM) [5,8], Chebyshev Wavelet Method (CWM), and also through the coupling of several methods like Laplace Adomian Decomposition Method [4], Aboodh Homotopy Perturbation Method [9], Aboodh Differential Transform Method [10], Laplace Homotopy Perturbation Method [5], etc.

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Khalid Aboodh introduced the Aboodh Transform in 2013 to make it easier to solve Ordinary and Partial differential equations in the time domain [11]. Aboodh Transform is unable to solve nonlinear differential equations like Bratu equations due to the challenges posed by the nonlinear variables [11], so we use a coupling of the Aboodh transform and Adomian decomposition method to solve the Bratu equations with initial value problems in this study. The Adomian Decomposition Method (ADM) decomposes the nonlinear terms so that the solution can be obtained as a rapidly converging infinite series.

## 2. Aboodh Transform Method

### 2.1. Aboodh Transform

Aboodh transform is an application of integral transforms obtained from classical Fourier integral. The function of exponential order refers to the new transform known as the Aboodh Transform. We take into account the functions in the set A denoted by

$$A = \{f(t) : \exists M, k_1, k_2 > 0, |f(t)| < M e^{-vt} \} > 0, \quad (3)$$

The constant M for a certain function in the set must be a finite value while  $k_1$  and  $k_2$  may be finite or infinite. The Aboodh transform is defined for a function  $f(t)$  for all  $t \geq 0$  as

$$A[f(t)] = K(v) = \frac{1}{v} \int_0^{\infty} f(t) e^{-vt} dt, \quad k_1 \leq v \leq k_2 \quad (4)$$

where A is called the Aboodh transform operator.

**Table 1.** Aboodh Transform of some functions.

$f(t)$	$A[f(t)]$ $= K(v)$
<b>1</b>	$\frac{1}{v^2}$
<b>t</b>	$\frac{1}{v^3}$
<b>t<sup>n</sup></b>	$\frac{n!}{v^{n+2}}$
<b>e<sup>at</sup></b>	$\frac{1}{v^2 - av}$
<b>sin at</b>	$\frac{a}{v(v^2 + a^2)}$
<b>cos at</b>	$\frac{1}{(v^2 + a^2)}$
<b>sinh at</b>	$\frac{a}{v(v^2 - a^2)}$
<b>cosh at</b>	$\frac{1}{(v^2 - a^2)}$

### 2.2. Aboodh Transform of the Derivatives of the Function $f(t)$

If  $K(v)$  is the Aboodh transform of  $A(f(t))$ , then

$$a. \quad A[f'(t)] = vk(v) - \frac{f(0)}{v} \tag{5}$$

$$b. \quad A[f''(t)] = v^2k(v) - \frac{f'(0)}{v} - f(0) \tag{6}$$

$$c. \quad A[f^n(t)] = v^nK(v) - \frac{f(0)}{v^{2-n}} - \frac{f'(0)}{v^{3-n}} - \dots - \frac{f^{(n-1)}(0)}{v} \tag{7}$$

### 3. Adomian Polynomial Decomposition Method

The decomposition method decomposes the solution  $u(x)$  and the non-linearity  $N(u)$  into series

$$u(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n, \quad N(u) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n$$

where  $A_n$  are Adomian polynomials and can be computed as

$$A_n = \frac{1}{n!} \frac{d^n}{d\lambda^n} [N(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda^n u_n)]_{\lambda=0} \quad n \geq 0 \tag{8}$$

To compute  $A_n$ , take  $N_u = f(u)$  to be a nonlinear function in  $u$ , where  $u = u(x)$  and consider the Taylor series expansion of  $f(u)$  around  $u_0$

$$f(u) = f(u_0) + f'(u_0)(u - u_0) + \frac{1}{2!}f''(u_0)(u - u_0)^2 + \frac{1}{3!}f'''(u_0)(u - u_0)^3 + \dots$$

$$\text{but } u = u_0 + u_1 + u_2 + \dots \tag{9}$$

Then,

$$f(u) = f(u_0) + f'(u_0)(u_1 + u_2 + u_3) + \frac{1}{2!}f''(u_0)(u_1 + u_2 + u_3)^2 + \frac{1}{3!}f'''(u_0)(u_1 + u_2 + u_3)^3 + \dots \tag{10}$$

by expanding all terms, we get

$$f(u) = f(u_0) + f'(u_0)(u_1) + f'(u_0)(u_2) + f'(u_0)(u_3) + \dots + \frac{1}{2!}f''(u_0)(u_1)^2 + \frac{2}{2!}f''(u_0)(u_1u_2) + \frac{1}{2!}f''(u_0)(u_1u_3) + \dots + \frac{1}{3!}f'''(u_0)(u_1)^3 + \frac{3}{3!}f'''(u_0)(u_1^2u_2) + \frac{1}{3!}f'''(u_0)(u_1^2u_3) \dots \tag{11}$$

now, let  $l_i$  be the order of  $u_l^i$  and  $l(i) + m(j)$  be the order of  $u_l^i u_m^j$ . Then  $A_n$  consists of all terms of order  $n$ , so we have

$$A_0 = f(u_0),$$

$$A_1 = u_1 f'(u_0),$$

$$A_2 = u_2 f'(u_0) + \frac{1}{2!} (u_1)^2 f''(u_0),$$

$$A_3 = u_3 f'(u_0) + \frac{2}{2!} u_1 u_2 f''(u_0) + \frac{1}{3!} (u_1)^3 f'''(u_0),$$

$$A_4 = u_4 f'(u_0) + \left[ \frac{1}{2!} u_2^2 + u_1 u_3 \right] f''(u_0) + \frac{1}{2!} u_1^2 u_2 f'''(u_0) + \frac{1}{4!} u_1^4 f''''(u_0),$$

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Hence,

$$A_n = \frac{1}{n!} \frac{d^n}{d\lambda^n} [N(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda^n u_n)]_{\lambda=0} \quad n \geq 0 \tag{12}$$

To find  $A_n$ 's by Adomian general formula, these polynomials will be computed as follows :

$$A_0 = N(u_0),$$

$$A_1 = N'(u_0)u_1 = \left. \frac{d}{d\lambda} N(u_0 + \lambda u_1) \right|_{\lambda=0},$$

$$A_2 = N'(u_0)u_2 + \frac{1}{2!} N''(u_0)(u_1)^2 = \left. \frac{1}{2!} \frac{d^2}{d\lambda^2} N(u_0 + \lambda u_1 + \lambda^2 u_2) \right|_{\lambda=0}, \tag{13}$$

$$A_3 = N'(u_0)u_3 + \frac{2}{2!} N''(u_0)u_1u_2 + \frac{1}{3!} N'''(u_0)(u_1)^3 = \left. \frac{1}{3!} \frac{d^3}{d\lambda^3} N(u_0 + \lambda u_1 + \lambda^2 u_2 + \lambda^3 u_3) \right|_{\lambda=0}$$

#### 4. Aboodh Adomian Decomposition Method

The following is an example of Bratu equation:

$$u'' + \lambda e^u = 0 \tag{14}$$

Applying Aboodh transform to both sides,

$$A(u'') + A(\lambda e^u) = 0$$

using the properties of Aboodh transform,

$$v^2 K(v) - \frac{f'(0)}{v} - f(0) + \lambda A(e^u) = 0 \tag{15}$$

Let  $u'(0) = B$  and  $u(0) = 0$

Applying the conditions, eqn (15) becomes

$$v^2 K(v) = \frac{B}{v} - \lambda A(e^u)$$

$$K(v) = \frac{B}{v^3} - \frac{\lambda}{v^2} A(e^u) \tag{16}$$

The Aboodh transform defines the solution  $y(x)$  as

$$y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y_n(x) \tag{17}$$

Using the Adomian decomposition method,

$$e^{y(x)} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n \tag{18}$$

To obtain the values of  $A_n$ , we expand  $e^u$  about  $u(x)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} e^u &= A_0 + A_1 + A_2 + \dots \\ &= e^{u_0} + \frac{e^{u_0}(u-u_0)}{1!} + \frac{e^{u_0}(u-u_0)^2}{2!} + \dots \\ &= e^{u_0} + \frac{e^{u_0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n}{1!} + \frac{e^{u_0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n^2}{2!} + \dots \end{aligned} \tag{19}$$

Thus, Adomian polynomials are provided by

$$\begin{aligned} A_0 &= e^{u_0} \\ A_1 &= u_1 e^{u_0} \\ A_2 &= \frac{u_1^2}{2!} e^{u_0} + u_2 e^{u_0} \\ A_3 &= \frac{u_1^3}{2!} e^{u_0} + \frac{2u_1 u_2}{2!} e^{u_0} + u_3 e^{u_0} \\ &\dots \\ &\dots \end{aligned} \tag{20}$$

As a result of the prior discussion,  $A_n$  yields

$$A_n = \frac{1}{n!} \frac{d^n}{d\lambda^n} [N(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \lambda^n u_n)]_{\lambda=0} \quad n \geq 0 \tag{21}$$

Substituting eqn (17) and (18) into eqn (16),

$$A[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n(x)] = \frac{B}{v^3} - \frac{\lambda}{v^2} A(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n) \quad (22)$$

Using the Aboodh transform's linearity property, eqn (22) becomes

$$[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A(u_n(x))] = \frac{B}{v^3} - \frac{\lambda}{v^2} (\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A(A_n)) \quad (23)$$

Equating the terms,

$$A(u_0(x)) = \frac{B}{v^3}$$

$$A(u_1(x)) = \frac{-\lambda}{v^2} A(A_0)$$

$$A(u_2(x)) = \frac{-\lambda}{v^2} A(A_1)$$

$$A(u_3(x)) = \frac{-\lambda}{v^2} A(A_2)$$

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$$A(u_n(x)) = \frac{-\lambda}{v^2} A(A_{n-1}) \quad (24)$$

Taking the inverse of Aboodh transform to the system above, we get

$$u_0(x) = Bx \quad (25)$$

$$u_1(x) = \lambda \left( \frac{1}{B^2} + \frac{x}{B} - \frac{e^{Bx}}{B^2} \right) \quad (26)$$

$$u_2(x) = -\lambda^2 \left( \frac{5}{4B^4} + \frac{x}{2B^3} - \frac{e^{Bx}}{B^4} + \frac{xe^{Bx}}{B^3} + \frac{e^{2Bx}}{4B^4} \right) \quad (27)$$

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From (25-27),  $B$  and  $\lambda$  are the unknown in the sequence  $\{u_n\}_{n=0}^{\infty}$ , so the solution of the Bratu equation is given by

$$u(x) = u_0(x) + u_2(x) + u_3(x) + \dots$$

$$u(x) = Bx + \lambda \left( \frac{1}{B^2} + \frac{x}{B} - \frac{e^{Bx}}{B^2} \right) - \lambda^2 \left( \frac{5}{4B^4} + \frac{x}{2B^3} - \frac{e^{Bx}}{B^4} + \frac{xe^{Bx}}{B^3} + \frac{e^{2Bx}}{4B^4} \right) \quad (28)$$

## 5. Numerical Results

### EXAMPLE 1

Examine the equation

$$y''(x) - 2e^{y(x)} = 0 \quad (29)$$

$$\text{subject to } y(0) = 0, y'(0) = 0 \quad (30)$$

$$\text{Exact solution} = -2 \ln \cos(x)$$

### SOLUTION

$$y''(x) - 2e^{y(x)} = 0 \quad (31)$$

Take the Aboodh transform

$$A[y''(x)] - 2A[e^{y(x)}] = A[0]$$

$$v^2 K(v) - \frac{f'(0)}{v} - f(0) - 2A[e^{y(x)}] = 0 \quad (32)$$

$$y(0) = 0, y'(0) = 0 \quad v^2 K(v) = 2A[e^{y(x)}]$$

Take the inverse of the Aboodh transform to obtain:

$$y(x) = A^{-1} \left[ \frac{2}{v^2} A(e^{y(x)}) \right] \tag{33}$$

The Aboodh transform defines the solution  $y(x)$  as

$$y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y_n(x) \tag{34}$$

Using the Adomian decomposition method,

$$e^{y(x)} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n \tag{35}$$

To obtain the values of  $A_n$ , we expand  $e^{y(x)}$  about  $y(x)$

$$\begin{aligned} e^u &= A_0 + A_1 + A_2 + \dots \\ &= e^{y_0} + \frac{e^{y_0}(y-y_0)}{1!} + \frac{e^{y_0}(y-y_0)^2}{2!} + \dots \\ &= e^{y_0} + \frac{e^{y_0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} y_n}{1!} + \frac{e^{y_0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} y_n^2}{2!} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Substitute (35) into (33)

$$[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y_n(x)] = A^{-1} \left[ \frac{2}{v^2} A[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n] \right]$$

$$A[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y_n(x)] = \frac{2}{v^2} A[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n]$$

where  $n=0, y_0(x) = 0, A_0=1$

$$n=1, y_1(x) = x^2, A_1 = x^2$$

$$n=2, y_2(x) = \frac{x^4}{6}, A_2 = \frac{2x^4}{3}$$

$$n=3, y_3(x) = \frac{2x^6}{45}, A_3 = \frac{17x^6}{45}$$

$$n=4, y_4(x) = \frac{17x^8}{1260}, A_4 = \frac{62x^8}{315}$$

$$n=5, y_5(x) = \frac{62x^{10}}{14175}$$

$$y(x) = y_0(x) + y_1(x) + y_2(x) + \dots$$

$$= x^2 + \frac{x^4}{6} + \frac{2x^6}{45} + \frac{17x^6}{45} + \frac{62x^8}{315} + \frac{62x^{10}}{14175} + \dots \tag{36}$$

**Table 4.1.** Numerical results

x	Exact Error	Approximate Error (AADM)	Absolute Error (AADM)
0	0	0	0
0.1	0.01001671125	0.01001671111	1.4 E - 10
0.2	0.0402695461	0.04026951111	3.499 E - 8
0.3	0.09138331185	0.0913824	9.1185 E - 7
0.4	0.1644580382	0.1644487111	9.3271 E - 6
0.5	0.2611684809	0.2611111111	5.73698 E - 5
0.6	0.3839303388	0.3836736	2.567388 E - 4
0.7	0.5361715151	0.535245511	9.260041 E - 4
0.8	0.7227814936	0.7199175111	2.8639825 E - 3
0.9	0.9508848872	0.9429696	7.9152872 E - 3
1.0	1.231252941	1.211111111	0.02014183

**EXAMPLE 2**

$$\text{Solve } y''(x) - e^{2y(x)} = 0 \quad (37)$$

$$y(0) = 0, y'(0) = 0 \quad (38)$$

Exact solution is  $y(x) = \ln(\sec(x))$

**SOLUTION**

$$y''(x) - e^{2y(x)} = 0 \quad (39)$$

Take the Aboodh transform,

$$A[y''(x)] - A[e^{2y(x)}] = A[0]$$

$$v^2 K(v) - \frac{f'(0)}{v} - f(0) - A[e^{2y(x)}] = 0 \quad (40)$$

Inserting the initial conditions,

$$v^2 K(v) = A[e^{2y(x)}]$$

Take the inverse of the Aboodh transform to obtain:

$$y(x) = A^{-1} \left[ \frac{1}{v^2} A(e^{2y(x)}) \right] \quad (41)$$

The Aboodh transform defines the solution  $y(x)$  as

$$y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y_n(x) \quad (42)$$

Using the Adomian decomposition method,

$$e^{2y(x)} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n \quad (43)$$

To obtain the values of  $A_n$ , we expand  $e^{2y(x)}$  about  $y(x)$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} e^{2y(x)} &= A_0 + A_1 + A_2 + \dots \\ &= e^{2y_0} + \frac{e^{2y_0}(2y-2y_0)}{1!} + \frac{e^{2y_0}(2y-2y_0)^2}{2!} + \dots \\ &= e^{2y_0} + \frac{e^{2y_0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2y_n}{1!} + \frac{e^{2y_0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2y_n^2}{2!} + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Substitute eqn. (43) into (42)

$$[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y_n(x)] = A^{-1} \left[ \frac{1}{v^2} A[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n] \right]$$

where  $n=0, y_0(x) = 0, A_0=1$

$$n=1, y_1(x) = \frac{x^2}{2}, A_1 = x^2$$

$$n=2, y_2(x) = \frac{x^4}{12}, A_2 = \frac{2x^4}{3}$$

$$n=3, y_3(x) = \frac{x^6}{45}$$

$$y(x) = y_0(x) + y_1(x) + y_2(x) + \dots$$

$$= \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^4}{12} + \frac{x^6}{45} + \dots \quad (44)$$

**Table 4.2.** Numerical results

x	Exact Error	Approximate Error	Absolute Error
0	0	0	0
0.1	$5.008355623 E 10^{-3}$	$5.008355556 E 10^{-3}$	$6.74444445 E - 11$
0.2	0.02013477305	0.02013475556	$1.749240765 E - 8$
0.3	0.04569165593	0.0456912	$4.559260565 E - 7$
0.4	0.08222901908	0.08222435556	$4.663515054 E - 6$
0.5	0.1305842404	0.1305555556	$2.868484372 E - 5$
0.6	0.1919651694	0.1918368	$1.283694194 E - 4$
0.7	0.2680857576	0.2676227556	$4.630019679 E - 4$
0.8	0.3613907468	0.3599587556	$1.431991211 E - 3$
0.9	0.4754424436	0.4714848	$3.957643586 E - 3$
1.0	0.6156264704	0.6055555556	0.0100709148

**EXAMPLE 3**

$$y''(x) - \pi^2 e^{y(x)} = 0 \tag{45}$$

$$y(0) = 0 \quad y'(0) = \pi \tag{46}$$

Exact solution is  $y(x) = -\ln(1 - \sin(\pi x))$

**SOLUTION**

$$y''(x) - \pi^2 e^{y(x)} = 0 \tag{47}$$

Take the Aboodh transform

$$A[y''(x)] - A[\pi^2 e^{y(x)}] = A[0]$$

$$v^2 K(v) - \frac{f'(0)}{v} - f(0) - A[\pi^2 e^{y(x)}] = 0 \tag{48}$$

Applying the initial conditions,

$$v^2 K(v) - \frac{\pi}{v} - A[\pi^2 e^{y(x)}] = 0$$

$$v^2 K(v) = \frac{\pi}{v} + A[\pi^2 e^{y(x)}]$$

Take the inverse of the Aboodh transform to obtain:

$$y(x) = A^{-1} \left[ \frac{\pi}{v^3} + \frac{\pi^2}{v^2} A(e^{y(x)}) \right] \tag{49}$$

The Aboodh transform defines the solution  $y(x)$  as

$$y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} Y_n(x) \tag{34}$$

Using the Adomian decomposition method,

$$e^{y(x)} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n \tag{50}$$

To obtain the values of  $A_n$ , we expand  $e^{y(x)}$  about  $y_0$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} e^{y(x)} &= A_0 + A_1 + A_2 + \dots \\ &= e^{y_0} + \frac{e^{y_0}(y-y_0)}{1!} + \frac{e^{y_0}(y-y_0)^2}{2!} + \dots \end{aligned}$$



$$= e^{y_0} + \frac{e^{y_0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} y_n}{1!} + \frac{e^{y_0} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} y_n^2}{2!} + \dots$$

$$A[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y_n(x)] = \frac{\pi}{v^3} + \frac{\pi^2}{v^2} A[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n]$$

using the linearity property of the Aboodh transform,

$$A[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y_n(x)] = \frac{\pi}{v^3} + \frac{\pi^2}{v^2} [\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A(A_n)]$$

where  $n=0, y_0(x) = \pi x, A^0 = e^{\pi x}$

$$n=1, y_1(x) = -1 - \pi x + e^{\pi x}, A^1 = -e^{\pi x} - \pi x e^{\pi x} + e^{2\pi x}$$

$$n=2, y_2(x) = -\frac{5}{4} - \frac{\pi x}{2} + e^{\pi x} - \pi x e^{\pi x} + \frac{e^{2\pi x}}{4}$$

$$y(x) = y_1(x) + y_2(x) + y_3(x) + \dots$$

$$y(x) = (\pi x) + (-1 - \pi x + e^{\pi x}) + (-\frac{5}{4} - \frac{\pi x}{2} + e^{\pi x} - \pi x e^{\pi x} + \frac{e^{2\pi x}}{4})$$

$$y(x) = -\frac{9}{4} - \frac{\pi x}{2} + 2e^{\pi x} - \pi x e^{\pi x} + \frac{e^{2\pi x}}{4} \tag{51}$$

**Table 4.3.** Numerical results

<b>x</b>	<b>Exact Error</b>	<b>Approximate Error</b>	<b>Absolute Error</b>
-0.5	-0.6931471806	-0.7115027294	0.01835554879
-0.4	-0.6683710291	-0.6745608344	6.189805276 <i>E - 3</i>
-0.3	-0.5927836007	-0.5942329067	1.449306045 <i>E - 3</i>
-0.2	-0.4623401221	-0.4625117131	1.715909749 <i>E - 4</i>
-0.1	-0.2692764696	-0.2692801896	3.720014378 <i>E - 6</i>
0	0	0	0
0.1	0.3696400494	0.369632039	8.010350236 <i>E - 6</i>
0.2	0.8862108331	0.885393821	8.170120638 <i>E - 4</i>
0.3	1.655570831	1.639230083	0.01634074779
0.4	3.01708904	2.819871789	0.1972172514

**EXAMPLE 4**

Solve  $y''(x) + \pi^2 e^{-y(x)} = 0$  (52)

$y(0) = 0 \quad y'(0) = \pi$  (53)

Exact solution is  $y(x) = \ln(1 + \sin(\pi x))$

**SOLUTION**

$$y''(x) + \pi^2 e^{-y(x)} = 0 \quad (54)$$

Take the Aboodh transform

$$A[y''(x)] + A[\pi^2 e^{-y(x)}] = A[0]$$

$$v^2 K(v) - \frac{f'(0)}{v} - f(0) + A[\pi^2 e^{-y(x)}] = 0 \quad (55)$$

Applying the initial conditions,

$$v^2 K(v) - \frac{\pi}{v} + A[\pi^2 e^{-y(x)}] = 0$$

$$v^2 K(v) = \frac{\pi}{v} - A[\pi^2 e^{-y(x)}]$$

Take the inverse of the Aboodh transform to obtain:

$$y(x) = A^{-1} \left[ \frac{\pi}{v^3} - \frac{\pi^2}{v^2} A(e^{-y(x)}) \right] \quad (56)$$

$$y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y_n(x) \quad \text{and} \quad e^{-y(x)} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n \quad (57)$$

To obtain the values of  $A_n$ , we expand  $e^{-y(x)}$  about  $y_0$

$$e^{-y(x)} = A_0 + A_1 + A_2 + \dots$$

Substitute eqn. (57) into Eqn. (56)

$$A[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y_n(x)] = \frac{\pi}{v^3} - \frac{\pi^2}{v^2} A[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n] \quad (58)$$

using the linearity property of the Aboodh transform,

$$A[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} y_n(x)] = \frac{\pi}{v^3} - \frac{\pi^2}{v^2} [\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A(A_n)] \quad (59)$$

where  $n=0, y_0(x) = \pi x, A^0 = e^{-\pi x}$

$$n=1, y_1(x) = 1 - \pi x - e^{-\pi x}, A^1 = -e^{-\pi x} + \pi x e^{-\pi x} + e^{-2\pi x}$$

$$n=2, y_2(x) = \frac{9}{4} - \frac{\pi x}{2} - 2e^{-\pi x} - \pi x e^{-\pi x} - \frac{e^{-2\pi x}}{4}$$

$$y(x) = y_1(x) + y_2(x) + y_3(x) + \dots$$

$$y(x) = (\pi x) + (-1 - \pi x + e^{-\pi x}) + (-\frac{5}{4} - \frac{\pi x}{2} + e^{-\pi x} - \pi x e^{-\pi x} + \frac{e^{-2\pi x}}{4})$$

$$y(x) = -\frac{9}{4} - \frac{\pi x}{2} + 2e^{-\pi x} - \pi x e^{-\pi x} + \frac{e^{-2\pi x}}{4} \quad (60)$$

**Table 4.4.** Numerical results

x	Exact	Approximate	Absolute Error
-0.4	-3.01708904	-2.819871789	0.1972172514
-0.3	-1.655570831	-1.639230083	0.01634074779
-0.2	-0.8862108331	-0.885393821	8.170120638 $E - 4$
-0.1	-0.3696400494	-0.369632039	8.010350236 $E - 6$
0	0	0	0
0.1	0.2692764696	0.2692801896	3.720014378 $E - 6$
0.2	0.4623401221	0.4625117131	1.715909749 $E - 4$
0.3	0.5927836007	0.5942329067	1.449306045 $E - 3$
0.4	0.6683710291	0.6745608344	6.189805276 $E - 3$
0.5	0.6931471806	0.7115027294	0.01835554879

## 6. Conclusion

This study uses Aboodh Adomian Decomposition Method (AADM) to examine Bratu equations. The method is used directly without any linearization or discretization. Numerical results show that the procedure is accurate and effective in obtaining analytical and numerical solutions for a broad class of linear and nonlinear differential equations. Results gotten by the presented method compare favorably to those obtained by other known methods. However, the most vital point of this method is that it involves less rigorous computation, unlike other methods for the same class of equations. Therefore, the presented technique is an alternative to overcome the demerit of complex calculation.

In the future, we will apply Aboodh Adomian Decomposition Method to a wider range of differential equations to access its versatility further.

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