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# Ulam Stability of a LCR Electric Circuit with Electromotive Force

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**Abstract:** We enumerate the approximate solution of the second order differential equation of the LCR electric circuit. That is, we study the Hyers-Ulam stability and Hyers-Ulam-Rassias of the dirrential equations  $l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) = 0$  and the non-homogeneous differential equation  $l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) = p(t)$ , with initial conditions H(a) = H'(a) = 0, where R, L, C are constants and  $l \in C^2(I), p(t) \in C(I), I = [a, b] \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ .

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#### 1. Introduction

The Hyers-Ulam stability property issue for different functional equation was presented by Ulam [15] in 1940. Then in the next year, D.H. Hyers [7] was handled the issue of Ulam for Cauchy additive functional equation in Banach spaces. From that point forward, Aoki [16], Bourgin [2] and Rassias [11] are generalized the Hyers result. Starting there onwards, colossal number of authors are shown the Hyers-Ulam problem for various functional equation on different spaces [3, 4, 17]. As of late, the Hyers-Ulam stability issue was proposed by supplanting functional equation by differential equation. In 1998, Alsina [1] seems to be the primary authors who contemplated the Ulam-Hyers stability of x'(t) = x(t). Then Takashi [14] are generalized the result reported in [1] for Banach space valued function. These outcomes were stretched out to the Ulam-Hyers stability and Ulam-Hyers-Rassias stability of the linear and non-linear differential equation of first order, second order and higher order in [5, 6, 8–10, 12, 13, 18–20]. Encouraged by the above discussions, our foremost goal is towards enumerate the stability of the differential equations in the sense of Hyers-Ulam and Hyers-Ulam-Rassias for simple electric circuit of the shape

$$l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) = 0$$
(1)

and the non-homogeneous differential equation

$$l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) = p(t),$$
(2)

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with initial condition

$$l(a) = l'(a) = 0, (3)$$

here R, L, C are constants and  $l \in C^2(I), p(t) \in C(I), I = [a, b] \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ .

## 2. Preliminaries

Firstly, we give the definition of Hyers-Ulam stability and Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability of the linear differential equation (1) and (2).

**Definition 2.1.** The homogeneous differential equation (1) is said to have Hyers-Ulam stability, if for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there is a constant K > 0,  $l \in C^2[a, b]$ , such that

$$\left| l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) \right| \le \epsilon,$$

with (3) then there is some  $j \in C^2[a, b]$ , satisfies the differential equation  $j''(t) + \frac{R}{L}j'(t) + \frac{1}{LC}j(t) = 0$  with j(a) = j'(a) = 0 such that  $|l(t) - j(t)| \leq K \epsilon$ . Where K is called as the Hyers-Ulam stability constant for (1).

**Definition 2.2.** The non-homogeneous linear differential equation (2) is said to have the Hyers-Ulam stability, if for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there is a constant K > 0,  $l \in C^2[a, b]$ , such that

$$\left| l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) - p(t) \right| \le \epsilon,$$

with (3) then there is a  $j \in C^2[a, b]$ , satisfying  $j''(t) + \frac{R}{L} j'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} j(t) = p(t)$  with j(a) = j'(a) = 0 such that  $|l(t) - j(t)| \leq K \epsilon$ . Where K is called as a Hyers-Ulam stability constant for (2).

**Definition 2.3.** The homogeneous linear differential equation (1) is said to have the Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability, if there is a constant K > 0, for every  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $l \in C^2[a, b]$ , if there exists a function  $\phi : [0, \infty) \to [0, \infty)$  such that

$$\left|l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t)\right| \le \phi(t) \epsilon$$

with (3) then there is  $j \in C^2[a, b]$ , satisfying  $j''(t) + \frac{R}{L} j'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} j(t) = 0$  with j(a) = j'(a) = 0 such that  $|l(t) - j(t)| \leq K \phi(t) \epsilon$ . Where K is called as a Hyers-Ulam-Rassian stability constant for (1).

**Definition 2.4.** The non-homogeneous linear differential equation (2) has the Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability, if there is a constant K > 0, for every  $\epsilon > 0$  and  $l \in C^2[a, b]$ , if there exists  $\phi : [0, \infty) \to [0, \infty)$  such that

$$\left|l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) - p(t)\right| \le \phi(t) \epsilon_{t}$$

with (3) then there exists some  $j \in C^2[a, b]$ , satisfying  $j''(t) + \frac{R}{L} j'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} j(t) = p(t)$  with j(a) = j'(a) = 0 such that  $|l(t) - j(t)| \leq K \phi(t) \epsilon$ . Where K is called as a Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability constant (2).

## 3. Hyers-Ulam Stability

Now, we enumerate the Hyers-Ulam stability of (1) with (3).

**Theorem 3.1.** Suppose that R, L, C are constants and  $l \in C^2[a, b]$  such that  $|l'(t)| \leq |l(t)|$  and satisfies the inequality

$$\left|l^{\prime\prime}(t) + \frac{R}{L} l^{\prime}(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t)\right| \le \epsilon$$

with initial condition (3), then (1) has Hyers-Ulam stability.

*Proof.* For every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there is a twice continuously differentiable function  $l : [a, b] \to C$  such that  $|l'(t)| \le |l(t)|$  and satisfies the inequality

$$\left|l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t)\right| \le \epsilon,$$
(4)

with initial condition (3) and  $M = \max_{t \in I} |l(t)|$ . From the inequality (4), we have

$$-\epsilon \le l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) \le \epsilon.$$
(5)

Multiplying the above inequality (5) by l'(t) and then integrating, we get

$$-\epsilon \int_{a}^{t} l'(t) \ dt \le \int_{a}^{t} l''(t) \ l'(t) \ dt + \int_{a}^{t} \frac{R}{L} \ l'(t)^{2} \ dt + \int_{a}^{t} \frac{1}{LC} \ l(t) \ l'(t) \ dt \le \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} l'(t) \ dt.$$

From which we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} -2\epsilon \int_{a}^{t} l'(t) \ dt &\leq l'(t)^{2} + \frac{l(t)^{2}}{LC} + \frac{2R}{L} \int_{a}^{t} l'(t)^{2} \ dt &\leq 2 \ \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} l'(t) \ dt \\ \frac{l(t)^{2}}{LC} &\leq 2 \ \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} l'(t) \ dt + \frac{2R}{L} \int_{a}^{t} l'(t)^{2} \ dt \\ M^{2} &\leq 2LC\epsilon M(b-a) + 2RC(b-a)M^{2} \\ M &\leq \frac{2LC\epsilon(b-a)}{1-\nu}, \quad \text{where} \ \nu &= 2RC(b-a). \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $|l(t)| \leq K \epsilon$ , for all  $t \in [a, b]$ , where  $K = \frac{2LC(b-a)}{1-\nu}$ . Obviously, j(t) = 0 is a solution of (1) with initial condition (3) such that  $|l(t) - j(t)| \leq K \epsilon$ . Then by the virtue of Definition 2.1, the Theorem holds good.

In the next theorem, we study the Hyers-Ulam stability of the non-homogeneous differential equation (2) with (3).

**Theorem 3.2.** Suppose that R, L, C are constants and  $l \in C^2[a, b]$  such that  $|l'(t)| \leq |l(t)|$  and satisfies the inequality

$$\left|l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) - p(t)\right| \le \epsilon$$

with (3), then (2) has the Hyers-Ulam stability.

*Proof.* For every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there is a twice continuously differentiable function  $l : [a, b] \to C$  such that  $|l'(t)| \le |l(t)|$  and satisfies the inequality

$$\left|l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) - p(t)\right| \le \epsilon,$$
(6)

with initial condition (3) and  $M = \max_{t \in I} |l(t)|$ . From the inequality (6), we have

$$-\epsilon \le l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) - p(t) \le \epsilon.$$

$$\tag{7}$$

Multiplying the above inequality (7) by l'(t) and then integrating, we get

$$-\epsilon \int_{a}^{t} l'(t) \ dt \leq \int_{a}^{t} l''(t) \ l'(t) \ dt + \int_{a}^{t} \frac{R}{L} \ l'(t)^{2} \ dt + \int_{a}^{t} \frac{1}{LC} \ l(t) \ l'(t) \ dt - \int_{a}^{t} p(t) \ l'(t) \ dt \leq \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} l'(t) \ dt$$

From which we get that

$$\begin{aligned} -2 \ \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} l'(t) \ dt &\leq l'(t)^{2} + \frac{l(t)^{2}}{LC} + \frac{2R}{L} \int_{a}^{t} l'(t)^{2} \ dt - \int_{a}^{t} p(t) \ l'(t) \ dt &\leq 2 \ \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} l'(t) \ dt \\ \frac{l(t)^{2}}{LC} &\leq 2 \ \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} l'(t) \ dt + \frac{2R}{L} \int_{a}^{t} l'(t)^{2} \ dt + 2 \int_{a}^{t} p(t) \ l'(t) \ dt \\ M^{2} &\leq 2LC \epsilon M(b-a) + 2RC(b-a)M^{2} + 2LCMN(b-a) \\ M &\leq \frac{2LC(N+\epsilon)(b-a)}{1-\nu}, \qquad \text{where} \ \nu = 2RC(b-a). \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $|l(t)| \leq K(\epsilon)$ , for all  $t \in [a, b]$ . Obviously, j(t) = 0 is a solution of (2) with initial condition (3) such that  $|l(t) - j(t)| \leq K(\epsilon)$ . Then by the virtue of Definition 2.2, equation (2) has the Ulam-Hyers stability.

# 4. Hyers-Ulam-Rassias Stability

Now, we study the Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability of (1) with (3).

**Theorem 4.1.** Suppose that R, L, C are constants and  $l \in C^2[a, b]$  such that  $|l'(t)| \leq |l(t)|$  and if there is a function  $\phi : [0, \infty) \to [0, \infty)$  satisfies the inequality

$$\left| l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) \right| \le \phi(t) \epsilon,$$

with initial condition (3), then (1) has the Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability with  $\phi(a) = 0$ .

*Proof.* For every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there is a twice continuously differentiable function  $l : [a, b] \to C$  such that  $|l'(t)| \le |l(t)|$  and satisfies the inequality

$$\left| l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) \right| \le \phi(t) \epsilon,$$
(8)

with initial condition (3) and  $M = \max_{t \in I} |l(t)|$ . From the inequality (8), we have

$$-\phi(t) \ \epsilon \le l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} \ l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} \ l(t) \le \phi(t) \ \epsilon.$$

$$\tag{9}$$

Multiplying the above inequality (9) by l'(t) and then integrating, we get

$$-\epsilon \int_{a}^{t} \phi(t) \ l'(t) \ dt \leq \int_{a}^{t} l''(t) \ l'(t) \ dt + \int_{a}^{t} \frac{R}{L} \ l'(t)^{2} \ dt + \int_{a}^{t} \frac{1}{LC} \ l(t) \ l'(t) \ dt \leq \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} \phi(t) \ l'(t) \ dt.$$

From which we obtain

$$-2 \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} \phi(t) \ l'(t) \ dt \le l'(t)^{2} + \frac{l(t)^{2}}{LC} + \frac{2R}{L} \int_{a}^{t} l'(t)^{2} \ dt \le 2 \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} \phi(t) \ l'(t) \ dt$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{l(t)^2}{LC} &\leq 2 \epsilon \int_a^t \phi(t) \ l'(t) \ dt + \frac{2R}{L} \int_a^t l'(t)^2 \ dt \\ M^2 &\leq 2LC\phi(t) \ \epsilon M + 2RC(b-a)M^2 \\ M &\leq \frac{2LC\phi(t) \ \epsilon}{1-\nu}, \quad \text{where} \ \nu = 2RC(b-a). \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $|l(t)| \leq K \phi(t) \epsilon$ , for all  $t \in [a, b]$ , where  $K = \frac{2LC}{1-\nu}$ . Obviously, j(t) = 0 is a solution of (1) with initial condition (3) such that  $|l(t) - j(t)| \leq K \phi(t) \epsilon$ . Then by the virtue of Definition 2.3, the differential equation (1) has the Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability.

Finally, we study the Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability of the non-homogeneous differential equation (2) with (3).

**Theorem 4.2.** Suppose that R, L, C are constants and  $l \in C^2[a, b]$  such that  $|l'(t)| \leq |l(t)|$  and if there exists  $\phi : [0, \infty) \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  satisfies the inequality

$$\left| l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} \ l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} \ l(t) - p(t) \right| \le \phi(t) \ \epsilon$$

with initial condition (3), then the differential equation (2) has the Hyers-Ulam-Rassian stability with  $\phi(a) = 0$ .

*Proof.* For every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exists a  $l : [a, b] \to C$  be twice continously differentiable function such that  $|l'(t)| \le |l(t)|$ and if there exists  $\phi : [0, \infty) \to [0, \infty)$  satisfies the inequality

$$\left| l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} l(t) - p(t) \right| \le \phi(t) \epsilon,$$
(10)

with initial condition (3) and  $M = \max_{t \in [a,b]} |l(t)|$ . From the inequality (10), we have

$$-\phi(t) \ \epsilon \le l''(t) + \frac{R}{L} \ l'(t) + \frac{1}{LC} \ l(t) - p(t) \le \phi(t) \ \epsilon.$$
(11)

Multiplying the above inequality (11) by l'(t) and then integrating, we get

$$-\epsilon \int_{a}^{t} \phi(t) \ l'(t) \ dt \le \int_{a}^{t} l''(t) \ l'(t) \ dt + \int_{a}^{t} \frac{R}{L} \ l'(t)^{2} \ dt + \int_{a}^{t} \frac{1}{LC} \ l(t) \ l'(t) \ dt - \int_{a}^{t} p(t) \ l'(t) \ dt \le \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} \phi(t) \ l'(t) \ dt$$

From which we get that

$$\begin{aligned} -2 \ \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} \phi(t) \ l'(t) \ dt &\leq l'(t)^{2} + \frac{l(t)^{2}}{LC} + \frac{2R}{L} \int_{a}^{t} l'(t)^{2} \ dt - \int_{a}^{t} p(t) \ l'(t) \ dt &\leq 2 \ \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} \phi(t) \ l'(t) \ dt \\ &\frac{l(t)^{2}}{LC} \leq 2 \ \epsilon \int_{a}^{t} \phi(t) \ l'(t) \ dt + \frac{2R}{L} \int_{a}^{t} l'(t)^{2} \ dt + 2 \int_{a}^{t} p(t) \ l'(t) \ dt \\ &M^{2} \leq 2LC\phi(t) \ \epsilon M + 2RC(b-a)M^{2} + 2LCMN(b-a) \\ &M \leq \frac{2LC(N(b-a) + \phi(t) \ \epsilon)}{1-\nu}, \quad \text{where} \ \nu = 2RC(b-a). \end{aligned}$$

Hence  $|l(t)| \leq K$  ( $\epsilon$ ) $\phi(t)$ , for all  $t \in [a, b]$ . Obviously, j(t) = 0 is a solution of (2) with initial condition (3) such that  $|l(t) - j(t)| \leq K$  ( $\epsilon$ ) $\phi(t)$ . Then by the virtue of Definition 2.4, the differential equation (2) has the Hyers-Ulam-Rassias stability.

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