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# Symbolic Computation of Adomian Polynomials Based on Rach's Rule

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## Abstract

This paper presents a simple way of computing Adomian polynomials by applying the decomposition of positive integers as a subscript of the variable 'u' for nonlinear terms much similarly motivated by Abbaoui et al. through the use of MATLAB software. The proposed MATLAB program exploits symbolic programming for generating Adomian polynomials.

Keywords: Adomian decomposition method, MATLAB, nonlinear terms, Adomian polynomials.

## **1** Introduction

Adomian formally introduced formulas for generating Adomian polynomials for all forms of nonlinearity [1-3]. Several authors have been focused in this area to develop a practical method for the calculation of Adomian polynomials [4-8]. R.Rach have presented a convenient computational form to obtain Adomian polynomials [9]. Wenhai Chen et al. [10] have developed an algorithm which is easily programmable in MAPLE, to calculate Adomian polynomials for nonlinear terms in the differential equations. Duan have developed analytic recurrence algorithm for obtaining Adomian Polynomials and an efficient algorithm for getting multivariable Adomian polynomial and the MATHEMATICA subroutines for the algorithms [11-13]. J. Biazar and S. M. Shafiof [14] developed a simple algorithm for generating Adomian polynomials. The theoretical basis of the Adomian decomposition method was discussed in detail by L. Gabet [15].

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Hooman Fatoorhchi et al. [16] and H.W. Choi et al. [17] have developed MATLAB and MATHEMATICA subroutines for computing Adomian polynomials based on the technique proposed by A.M. Wazwaz respectively.

Abbaoui et al. [18] have presented a computational procedure for obtaining Adomian polynomials through all possible non negative integer solutions of the equations

$$\alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \dots + \alpha_n = n$$
, with  $\alpha_1 \ge \alpha_2 \ge \dots \ge \alpha_n$  .....(1)

In this paper we have obtained all possible non - negative integer solutions of the equation (1) by decomposition of positive integer 'n' as an array and used this array elements as subscripts of u's to obtain Adomian polynomial as given by G. Adomian [19].

Organization of this paper is as follows, Section 2 represents the basic procedure for generating Adomian polynomials. Decomposition of positive integers for generating Adomian polynomials was explained in detail in Section 3. Section 4 presents the MATLAB code for generating Adomian polynomials 'through symbolic computation and provides Adomian polynomials for few nonlinear terms. The computation time for generating Adomian polynomials have also been presented in Section 4.

#### 2 Adomian Polynomials

In the Adomian decomposition method, the solution of a differential equation is written as

 $u = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n$  and  $f(u) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n(u_0, u_{1,...,}u_n)$ , where  $u_0$  is a function involving initial or boundary

conditions, the forcing function and an integral operator.

This leads to the assumption that the solutions and functions of the solutions are expanded in the

 $A_n$  polynomials, because  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n$  reduces to  $\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} u_n$  for f(u) = u and  $f(u) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} A_n$ .

The expression  $A_n = \frac{1}{n!} \left[ \frac{d^n}{d\lambda^n} f(u(\lambda)) \right]_{\lambda=0}$  given by Adomian for any positive integer 'n' can be generated using integer partition of 'n'.

A convenient way to generate  $A_n$  presented by Adomian (Rach's rule) in his book on the decomposition method is given as

$$A_{n} = \sum_{\nu=1}^{n} c(\nu, n) f^{(\nu)}(u_{0})$$
(2)

Where c(v,n) are products (or sum of products) of v components of u whose subscripts sum up to n, with the result divided by the factorial of the number of repeated subscripts. Also, a reference list of the Adomian polynomials for f(u)presented by Adomian is shown below

$$\begin{aligned} A_{0} &= f(u_{0}) \\ A_{1} &= u_{1} f'^{(1)}(u_{0}) \\ A_{2} &= u_{2} f'^{(1)}(u_{0}) + \frac{1}{2!} u_{1}^{2} f^{(2)}(u_{0}) \\ A_{3} &= u_{3} f'^{(1)}(u_{0}) + u_{1} u_{2} f^{(2)}(u_{0}) + \frac{1}{3!} u_{1}^{3} f^{(3)}(u_{0}) \\ A_{4} &= u_{4} f'^{(1)}(u_{0}) + [\frac{1}{2!} u_{2}^{2} + u_{1} u_{3}] f^{(2)}(u_{0}) + \frac{1}{2!} u_{1}^{2} u_{2} f^{(3)}(u_{0}) + \frac{1}{4!} u_{1}^{4} f^{(4)}(u_{0}) \\ & \ddots \\ & \ddots \end{aligned}$$

The convergence of the Adomian decomposition method are discussed in detail by Cherruault, G. Adomian and K. Abbaoui [20-22]. Cherruault et al. [23] presented some new results for convergence of Adomian decomposition method applied to integral equations.

### **3 Decomposition of Integers for Generating Adomian Polynomials**

A computational procedure for obtaining Adomian polynomials through all possible non negative integer solutions of the equation (1) was presented by Abbaoui.

In this paper we have obtained all possible non - negative integer solutions of the equation (1) by decomposition of positive integer 'n' as an arrays\ and used this array elements as subscripts of u's to obtain c(v,n) of (2).

For example, let us consider the case c(v,3) where v = 1,2,3.

The decomposition of integers 3 provide an array [[3], [2, 1], [1, 1, 1]], make use of this array following manner to obtain C(v,n) = 1,2,3.

 $c(1,3) = \mathcal{U}_3$  (use [3] as a subscript of u)

 $c(2,3) = u_2 u_1$  (use [2, 1], as subscripts of u and multiply u's if more than one elements in the group exist)

 $c(3,3) = \frac{u_1^3}{3!}$  (use[1, 1, 1] as subscript of u and multiply u's if more than one element exist and divide it by the factorial of the number of repeated subscripts.)

divide it by the factorial of the number of repeated subscripts.)

The following is the procedure to obtain c(v, n)

#### **3.1 Procedure**

Step 1

Enter the positive integer n.

Step 2:

Decompose the positive integer n.

Step 3:

Make the integers in the decomposed array as subscripts of u and multiply u's if more than one integers present (in number) in a particular sub array.

Step 4:

Count the number of repeated integers in the sub array (say k) and multiply with 1/ factorial (k) [if more than one integers are repeated in a sub array then multiply each case separately]. Step 5:

Multiply the derivative and then add together.

Using the above procedure one can compute any number of Adomian polynomials elegantly.

#### 4MATLAB Program for computing Adomian Polynomials

MATLAB helps us to perform many mathematical tasks such as solving ODE, PDE etc. Here we have used MATLAB for symbolic computation of Adomian polynomials

```
clear all
clc
syms u u_0
n = input('enter the number: ');
y = input(`enter the non-linear term in terms of u_0`)
g1 = intpartgen(n);
y1(1) = diff(y,1);
result(1)=u_1*y1(1);
for n2 = 2:n
   n3=n2;
  g = g1\{n2+1\};
y1(n2) = diff(y,n2);
  b=g;
  a = zeros(size(b));
  [m1 n1] = size(b);
for k = 1:m1
  [i1, j1, s1] = find(b(k, :));
     [m2 n2] = size(j1);
j2(k) = n2;
end
  j3 = sort(j2);
j3(m1+1) = 0;
for k1 = 1:m1
for k^2 = 1:m^1
if j3(1,k1) = j2(1,k2)
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a(k1,:) = b(k2,:);
if k1<m1
             k1 = k1 + 1;
end
j2(1,k2) = 0;
          k^2 = m^{1+1};
end
end
end
  i1 = 1;
  i2 = 1;
  temp2 = ";
for i=1:size(a)
if t~=0
for j=1:n
       t = sum(a(i,:)==j);
a(i,:);
j;
t;
          t1 = strcat('u_',num2str(j));
if t>1
ft = factorial(t);
             t2 = strcat('(',t1,'^',num2str(t),'/',num2str(ft),')');
else
             t^2 = t_1;
end
if (strcmp(temp2,"))
             temp2 = t2;
elseif (strcmp(temp2(length(temp2)),'+'))
             temp2 = strcat(temp2,t2);
else
             temp2 = strcat(temp2,'*',t2);
end
end
end
if j3(i1) == j3(i1+1)
        temp2 = strcat(temp2,'+');
else
term(i2) = sym(temp2);
       temp2 = ";
       i2 = i2+1;
end
     i1 = i1+1;
end
11=length(term);
  t1=0;
for k3=1:11
 t1 = t1 + term(k3)*y1(k3);
```

end result(n3)= t1; end result

We have called three built-in functions in MATLAB intpartgen, intpartgen 2 and integerparttable to decompose the positive integer which are freely available to download.

#### **4.1 Examples**

The computation of c(v,n) for n = 2.4.5...8 and v=1 to n are given in Table 1.

<b>c(v,n)</b>	Decomposition
c(v,2)	[ u_2, u_1^2/2]
c(v,3)	[ u_3, u_1*u_2, u_1^3/6]
c(v,4)	[ u_4, u_2^2/2 + u_1*u_3, (u_1^2*u_2)/2, u_1^4/24]
c(v,5)	$[u_5, u_1*u_4 + u_2*u_3, (u_3*u_1^2)/2 + (u_1*u_2^2)/2,$
	(u_1^3*u_2)/6,u_1^5/120]
c(v,6)	[ u_6, u_3^2/2 + u_1*u_5 + u_2*u_4, (u_4*u_1^2)/2 +
	$u_3*u_1*u_2 + u_2^3/6$ , $(u_3*u_1^3)/6 + (u_1^2*u_2^2)/4$ ,
	(u_1^4*u_2)/24, u_1^6/720]
c(v,7)	[ u_7, u_1*u_6 + u_2*u_5 + u_3*u_4, (u_5*u_1^2)/2 +
	$u_4*u_1*u_2 + (u_1*u_3^2)/2 + (u_2^2*u_3)/2, (u_4*u_1^3)/6 +$
	(u_3*u_1^2*u_2)/2 + (u_1*u_2^3)/6, (u_3*u_1^4)/24 +
	(u_1^3*u_2^2)/12, (u_1^5*u_2)/120, u_1^7/5040]
c(v,8)	$[ u_8, u_4^2/2 + u_1^*u_7 + u_2^*u_6 + u_3^*u_5, (u_6^*u_1^2)/2$
	$+ u_5*u_1*u_2 + u_4*u_1*u_3 + (u_4*u_2^2)/2 +$
	$(u_2*u_3^2)/2, (u_5*u_1^3)/6 + (u_4*u_1^2*u_2)/2 +$
	$(u_1^2*u_3^2)/4 + (u_1*u_2^2*u_3)/2 + u_2^4/24,$
	$(u_4*u_1^4)/24 + (u_3*u_1^3*u_2)/6 + (u_1^2*u_2^3)/12,$
	$(u_3*u_1^5)/120 + (u_1^4*u_2^2)/48, (u_1^6*u_2)/720,$
	u_1^8/40320]

#### Table 1. Computing c(v,n) for $A_n$

Once we get c(v,n), then multiply it with  $f^{(v)}(u_0) v = 1,2,3...n$  provides us  $A_n$ 

Adomian polynomials  $A_5$  for few nonlinear terms are presented in Table 2.

Nonlinear terms	Adomian polynomials A <sub>5</sub>
<i>u</i> <sup>2</sup>	$2^{u_0^{u_5} + 2^{u_1^{u_4} + 2^{u_2^{u_3}}}$
$u^3$	3*u_1*u_2^2 + 3*u_1^2*u_3 + 3*u_0^2*u_5 + 6*u_0*(u_1*u_4 + u_2*u_3)
<i>u</i> <sup>4</sup>	$\begin{array}{l} 12*u\_0^{2}*(u\_1*u\_4+u\_2*u\_3)+24*u\_0*((u\_3*u\_1^2)/2+(u\_1*u\_2^2)/2)+4*u\_1^{3}*u\_2+4*u\_0^{3}*u\_5] \end{array}$
<i>u</i> <sup>5</sup>	$\begin{array}{l} 20^{*}u_{0}^{*}(u_{1}^{*}u_{4} + u_{2}^{*}u_{3}) + 5^{*}u_{0}^{*}u_{5} + u_{1}^{*}b_{5} + \\ 60^{*}u_{0}^{*}(u_{3}^{*}u_{1}^{*}h_{2}^{*})/2 + (u_{1}^{*}u_{2}^{*}h_{2}^{*})/2) + 20^{*}u_{0}^{*}u_{1}^{*}h_{3}^{*}u_{2}^{*}. \end{array}$
e <sup>u</sup>	$\begin{aligned} &(u_1^{5} \exp(u_0))/120 + \exp(u_0)^*(u_1^{1}u_4 + u_2^{2}u_3) + u_5^* \exp(u_0) \\ &+ \exp(u_0)^*((u_3^{*}u_1^{-1}2)/2 + (u_1^{1}u_2^{-2}2)/2) + (u_1^{-1}3^*u_2^{-2}\exp(u_0))/6 \end{aligned}$
$\log(u)$	$\begin{array}{l} u_1^{5/(5*u_0^{5})} - (u_1^{*}u_4 + u_2^{*}u_3)/u_0^{2} + u_5/u_0 + \\ (2^{*}((u_3^{*}u_1^{-1/2})/2 + (u_1^{*}u_2^{-2/2})/2))/u_0^{3} - (u_1^{-1/3}u_2^{-1/2})/u_0^{4} \end{array}$
$\sin(u)$	$\begin{array}{l} (u_1^5*\cos(u_0))/120 - \sin(u_0)^*(u_1^*u_4 + u_2^*u_3) + u_5^*\cos(u_0) - \\ \cos(u_0)^*((u_3^*u_1^2)/2 + (u_1^*u_2^2)/2) + (u_1^3^*u_2^*\sin(u_0))/6 \end{array}$

Table 2. Adomian Polynomial  $A_5$  for few nonlinear terms

The computation time for generating the Adomian polynomials is given in Table 3.

Table 3. Computation time (tic-toc) for Adomian Polynomials upto  $A_n$  for  $e^u$ 

$A_n$ 's	Computation Time (in seconds)
10	0.786148
15	1.478237
20	4.171372
25	15.231208
30	54.270038

## **5** Conclusion

The MATLAB code which we have presented here is a simple one and also easily understandable. The main advantage of our procedure is the generation of Adomian polynomials for nonlinear terms as presented by G. Adomian. Extension of the above procedure for the multivariable case is also possible.

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