

Dedication

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Abstract

The finite element method is presented in this thesis, and we applied it for obtaining the approximate solution to the two points boundary value problem. This method uses the Galerkin method and the variational (weak) formulation to convert the strong form of the problem to linear algebraic system which we solved it by using Matlab program. We estimate the errors for the solution using linear and quadratic basis. We also show the equivalence relation between Galerkin method and the minimizing of the problems. We also showed the uniqueness of the solution using the finite element problem.

Abstract (Arabic)

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