

# Runge-Kutta assignment 1

Consider the RK method

$$\begin{array}{c|cccc} c_2 & a_{21} & & & \\ \frac{4c_2}{3} & a_{31} & a_{32} & & \\ 1 & a_{41} & a_{42} & a_{43} & \\ \hline & b_1 & b_2 & b_3 & b_4 \end{array}$$

Using the value of  $c_2$  as given in the table below, determine the values of the various coefficients such that the method is of order four. What happens when  $c_2 = \frac{1}{2}$ ?

$$c_2 = \frac{p}{q}$$

	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>E</b>	<b>F</b>	<b>G</b>	<b>H</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>J</b>	<b>K</b>	<b>L</b>	<b>M</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>O</b>	<b>P</b>
<i>p</i>	2	3	1	8	2	2	3	3	5	4	5	4	7	7	5	4
<i>q</i>	7	7	5	9	8	5	5	9	7	5	8	6	9	8	9	7