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Summary: By far, the standard implementation of finite difference schemes for forward-backward partial differential equations consists in employing an iterative method. This paper collects a series of numerical results which demonstrate that a direct implementation can reduce the computing time. An effective way of choosing the seed for the iterative method naturally arises.

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