



2.  $F(x, y(x), y(a-x)) = 0.$

On substituting  $a-x$  for  $x$ , we obtain  $F(a-x, y(a-x), y(x)) = 0$ . On eliminating  $y(a-x)$  from this equation and the original one, we arrive at an ordinary algebraic (or transcendental) equation of the form  $\Psi(x, y(x)) = 0$ .

In other words, the solution of the original functional equation,  $y = y(x)$ , is determined parametrically by the system of two algebraic (transcendental) equations

$$F(x, y, t) = 0, \quad F(a-x, t, y) = 0,$$

where  $t$  is the parameter.

## Reference

**Polyanin, A. D. and Manzhirov, A. V.,** *Handbook of Integral Equations: Exact Solutions (Supplement. Some Functional Equations)* [in Russian], Faktorial, Moscow, 1998.