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**20.** 
$$y'_x = f(x)y^2 + \lambda y + ae^{2\lambda x}f(x)$$
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Solution:

$$y = \begin{cases} \sqrt{a} \, e^{\lambda x} \tan \left[ \sqrt{a} \, \int e^{\lambda x} f(x) \, dx + C \right] & \text{if } a > 0, \\ \sqrt{|a|} \, e^{\lambda x} \tanh \left[ -\sqrt{|a|} \, \int e^{\lambda x} f(x) \, dx + C \right] & \text{if } a < 0, \end{cases}$$

where C is an arbitrary constant.

## Reference

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