

3. | Separable Variables

1(a) $x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x \frac{dy}{dx} = 4y$

Order: 2

Degree: 1

(b) $\left(\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right)^2 = \left(1 + \frac{dy}{dx}\right)^3$

Order: 2

Degree: 2

2(a) $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2y$

$$\int \frac{1}{y} dy = \int 6x^2 dx$$

$$\int \frac{1}{y} dy = 6 \int x^2 dx$$

$$\ln|y| = 6\left(\frac{x^3}{3}\right) + C$$

$$\ln|y| = 2x^3 + C$$

$$y = e^{2x^3 + C}$$

$$y = e^{2x^3} \cdot e^C$$

$$y = Ae^{2x^3}$$

(b) $(x+1) \frac{dy}{dx} = 3(y+2)$

$$\frac{1}{y+2} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{(x+1)}$$

$$\int \frac{1}{y+2} dy = \int \frac{3}{(x+1)} dx$$

$$\ln|y+2| = 3 \ln|x+1|$$

$$y+2 = e^{3 \ln|x+1|}$$

$$y = e^{3 \ln|x+1| - 2}$$

(c) $\frac{dv}{dt} = 2 - v$

$$v \frac{dv}{dt} = 2$$

$$v dv = 2 dt$$

$$\int v dv = \int 2 dt$$

$$\frac{v^2}{2} = 2t$$

$$v^2 = 4t$$

$$v = (2t)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

3(a) $e^{2y} \frac{dy}{dx} = \sec^2 x, y\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 0$

$$\int e^{2y} dy = \int \sec^2 x dx$$

$$\frac{e^{2y}}{2} = \tan x + C$$

$$\frac{e^{2(0)}}{2} = \tan \frac{\pi}{4} + C$$

$$\frac{1}{2} = 1 + C$$

$$C = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\frac{e^{2y}}{2} = \tan x - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$e^{2y} = 2 \tan x - 1$$

$$\ln e^{2y} = \ln |2 \tan x - 1|$$

$$2y = \ln |2 \tan x - 1|$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2} \ln |2 \tan x - 1|$$

(b) $x \frac{dy}{dx} = xy + y, y(3) = 2$

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} = y(x+1)$$

$$\frac{1}{y} dy = \frac{x+1}{x} dx$$

$$\int \frac{1}{y} dy = \int \left(1 + \frac{1}{x}\right) dx$$

$$\ln|y| = x + \ln|x| + C$$

$$y = e^{x + \ln|x| + C}$$

$$y = e^x \cdot e^{\ln|x|} \cdot e^C$$

$$y = A x e^x$$

When $x = 3, y = 2$

$$2 = A(3)e^3$$

$$2 = A$$

$$A = \frac{2}{3e^3} \therefore y = \frac{2}{3} x e^{x-3}$$

3(c) $xy dx + (1+x^2) dy = 0, y(1) = 2$

$$xy dx = -(1+x^2) dy$$

$$\frac{x}{1+x^2} dx = -\frac{1}{y} dy$$

$$\int -\frac{1}{y} dy = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2x}{1+x^2} dx$$

$$-\ln y = \frac{1}{2} \ln(1+x^2) + C$$

$$\ln y^{-1} = \ln(1+x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} + C$$

$$\frac{1}{y} = (1+x^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot e^C$$

$$\frac{1}{y} = A\sqrt{1+x^2}$$

when $x=1, y=2$

$$\frac{1}{2} = A\sqrt{2}$$

$$A = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$\frac{1}{y} = \frac{1\sqrt{1+x^2}}{2\sqrt{2}}$$

$$y = \frac{2\sqrt{2}}{\sqrt{1+x^2}}$$

$$= 2\sqrt{\frac{2}{1+x^2}}$$

5. $e^y \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{1}{x} = \frac{e^y}{x}$

$$e^y \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{e^y}{x} - \frac{1}{x}$$

$$e^y \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{e^y - 1}{x}$$

$$e^y dy = \frac{e^y - 1}{x} dx$$

$$\int \frac{e^y}{e^y - 1} dy = \int \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$e^{\ln(e^y - 1)} = e^{\ln x + C}$$

$$e^y - 1 = x \cdot e^C$$

$$e^y - 1 = Ax$$

$$e^y = Ax + 1$$

$$y = \ln |Ax + 1|$$

$$\ln 2 = \ln |A + 1|$$

$$A = 1$$

$$\therefore y = \ln |x + 1|$$

4. $\ln x \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\tan y}{x}$

$$\ln x dy = \frac{\tan y}{x} dx$$

let $u = \ln x$

$$\frac{1}{\tan y} dy = \frac{1}{x \ln x} dx$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\int \frac{\cos y}{\sin y} dy = \int \frac{1}{x \ln x} dx$$

$$du = \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$\ln(\sin y) = \int \frac{1}{u} du$$

$$\ln(\sin y) = \ln(u) + C$$

$$\ln(\sin y) = \ln(\ln x) + C$$

$$\sin y = (\ln x) \cdot e^C$$

$$\sin y = A \ln x$$

$$y = \sin^{-1}(A \ln x)$$