

Continuous 2

Solution in full differentials

$$\underbrace{2xy dx}_{F'_x} + \underbrace{(x^2 - y^2) dy}_{F'_y} = 0$$

$$\frac{d}{dy} 2xy = 2x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (x^2 - y^2) = 2x$$

$$F(x, y) = \int 2xy dx = yx^2 + \varphi(y)$$

$$F'_y = x^2 - y^2 = \frac{d}{dy} (yx^2 + \varphi(y))$$

$$x^2 + \varphi'_y = x^2 - y^2$$

$$\varphi'_y = -y^2$$

$$\varphi = - \int y^2 dy = -\frac{1}{3}y^3$$

$$F(x, y) = yx^2 - \frac{1}{3}y^3$$

Answer:

$$yx^2 - \frac{1}{3}y^3 = C$$

First-order linear ODEs

Reminder:

$$y' + a(x)y = \underbrace{b(x)}_{\text{assume } 0}$$

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$$xy' - 2y = 2x^4$$

Assume:

$$xy' - 2y = 0$$

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} = 2y$$

$$\frac{dy}{y} = \frac{2dx}{x}$$

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

$$\ln y = 2 \ln x + C_0$$

$$y = x^2 e^{C_0} = Cx^2$$

Go back:

$$\underbrace{C'(x)x^3 + 2C(x)x^2}_{xy'} - \underbrace{2C(x)x^2}_{2y} = 2x^4$$

$$C'(x)x^3 = 2x^4$$

$$C'(x) = 2x$$

$$C(x) = x^2 + M$$

Answer:

$$y = (x^2 + M)x^2 = x^4 + Mx^2$$

Modeling task

A population of field mice inhabits a certain rural area. In the absence of predators, the mice population increases so that each month (30 days), the population increases by 50%.

However, several owls live in the same area and they kill 15 mice per day. Find an equation describing the population size and use it to predict the long-term behavior of the population.

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 0.5y - \underbrace{30 \cdot 15}_{450}$$

$$\dot{y} - 0.5y = -450$$

Assume:

$$\dot{y} - 0.5y = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{y} = \frac{dx}{2}$$

$$\int \frac{dy}{y} = \int \frac{dx}{2}$$

$$\ln y = 0.5x + C_0$$

$$e^{\ln y} = e^{0.5x + C_0}$$

$$y = e^{0.5x} \cdot \underbrace{e^{C_0}}_C$$

$$y = Ce^{x/2}$$

Go back:

$$y = \varphi(x)e^{x/2}$$

$$\dot{y} - 0.5y = -450$$

$$\left(\varphi(x) \cdot e^{x/2}\right)' - 0.5\varphi(x) \cdot e^{x/2} = -450$$

$$\underbrace{\varphi'(x) \cdot e^{x/2} + \varphi(x) \cdot e^{x/2} \frac{1}{2}}_{\left(\varphi(x) \cdot e^{x/2}\right)'} - \varphi(x) \cdot e^{x/2} \frac{1}{2} = -450$$

$$\varphi'(x) \cdot e^{x/2} = -450$$

$$\varphi'(x) = -450 \cdot e^{-x/2}$$

$$\varphi(x) = -450 \int e^{-x/2} dx$$

Exchange variables:

$$u = -x/2 \quad \frac{du}{dx} = -0.5$$

$$du = -0.5dx$$

$$dx = -2du$$

$$\varphi(x) = -450 \int e^{-x/2} \underbrace{dx}_{-2du}$$

$$\varphi(u) = 900 \int e^u du$$

$$\varphi(u) = 900e^u + C$$

$$\varphi(x) = 900e^{-x/2} + C$$

Go back:

$$y = \varphi(x)e^{x/2}$$

$$y = e^{x/2} \left(900e^{-x/2} + C \right) = 900 + Ce^{x/2}$$

Answer:

$$y = 900 + Ce^{x/2},$$

where x is time measured in months.