

Newton's law of cooling

S - temp of obj

t - time

$$\frac{dS}{dt} = K(T-S) \text{ or } -K(S-T)$$

Proportionality
Constant

if ambient is 70°F
and rate constant is 0.005

T - temp of
surroundings

$$\frac{dS}{dt} = 0.005(70-S)$$

method of solving ODE's

- Integrating factors
- don't need constant coefficients

really convenient problem

$$(4+t^2)\frac{dy}{dt} + 2ty = 4t$$

LHS looks like it could
have come from the
product rule:

$$\frac{d}{dt} [(4+t^2)y] = 4t$$

so we can take integral
w.r.t. t right away.

a first order linear ODE
can always be written in the
form: $\frac{dy}{dt} + P(t)y = Q(t)$

$$\text{or } P(t)\frac{dy}{dt} + Q(t)y = G(t)$$

$$\int \frac{d}{dt} [(4+t^2)y] = \int 4t$$

$$(4+t^2)y = 2t^2 + C$$

$$y = \frac{2t + C}{4+t^2}$$

in method of integrating factors
goal is to make ode look like
it came from product rule.

$$\frac{dy}{dt} + \frac{1}{2}y = \frac{1}{2}e^{t/3}$$

can always multiply both
sides by something.

- don't know what that
something is use $u(t)$

$$u(t)\frac{dy}{dt} + \frac{1}{2}u(t)y = \frac{1}{2}u(t)e^{t/3}$$

$$\text{goal } \frac{d}{dt} [u(t)y(t)] = u(t)\frac{dy}{dt} + \frac{1}{2}u(t)y(t)$$

$$u(t)\frac{dy}{dt} + \frac{du(t)}{dt}y(t) = u(t)\frac{dy}{dt} + \frac{1}{2}u(t)y(t)$$

$$\text{need } \frac{du}{dt} = \frac{1}{2}u$$

$$\frac{1}{u}\frac{du}{dt} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\int \frac{1}{u}\frac{du}{dt} dt = \int \frac{1}{2} dt$$

$$u = u \quad du = \frac{du}{dt} dt$$

$$\int \frac{1}{u} du = \int \frac{1}{2} dt$$

$$\ln|u| = \frac{1}{2}t + C$$

$$|u| = e^{t/2 + C} = Ce^{t/2}$$

$$u = Ce^{t/2} \quad u(t) = Ce^{t/2}$$

Pick any value of C would give me
the product rule in ODE.

$C=1$ is convenient

$$e^{t/2} \frac{dy}{dt} + \frac{1}{2} e^{t/2} y = \frac{1}{2} e^{t/2} e^{t/3}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} [e^{t/2} y] = \frac{1}{2} e^{5t/6}$$

$$\int \frac{d}{dt} [e^{t/2} y] dt = \int \frac{1}{2} e^{5t/6} dt$$

$$e^{t/2} y = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{6}{5} e^{5t/6} + C$$

$$y = \frac{3}{5} e^{t/3} + C e^{t/2}$$

from: $\frac{dy}{dt} + P(t)y = Q(t)$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu(t)y &= \int \mu(t)Q(t)dt \\ \mu(t) &= e^{\int P(t)dt} \end{aligned}$$