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**MATH-II**  
Assignment 5

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1. Classify each of the following differential equations as ordinary, partial, linear, nonlinear and specify the order

$$\begin{array}{lll} (i) \ y'' + y \sin x = 0 & (ii) \ y'' + x \sin y = 0 & (iii) \ u_x u_{xy} + x^2 u = y^2 \\ (iv) \ y'' + (y')^2 + y = x & (v) \ y'' + xy' = \cos y' & (vi) \ (xy')' = xy \end{array}$$

2. Find the differential equation of each of the following families of plane curves:

$$\begin{array}{lll} (i) \ xy^2 - 1 = cy & (ii) \ cy = c^2x + 5 & (iii) \ y = ax^2 + be^{2x} \\ (iv) \ \text{Circles of unit radius with centers on } y\text{-axis} & & (v) \ y = a \sin x + b \cos x + b, \end{array}$$

where  $a, b$  and  $c$  are arbitrary constants.

3. (a) Verify that  $x^3 + y^3 = 3cxy$  is solution of the first order differential equation:  $x(2y^3 - x^3)y' = y(y^3 - 2x^3)$ .

**Note:** Such a solution (implicitly defined) is called an *implicit* solution.

- (b) Verify that  $y = ce^{-x} + x^2 - 2x + 4$  is general solution of  $y' + y = x^2 + 2$ .

**Note:** If the one-parameter family of curves  $G(x, y, c) = 0$  satisfies a first order ordinary differential equation, then  $G(x, y, c)$  is a *general* solution of the given differential equation.

- (c) Verify that  $y = cx - c^2$  is a general solution of  $y'^2 - xy' + y = 0$ . Also show that  $y_1 = \frac{x^2}{4}$  is also a solution.

**Note:** We can not obtain solution  $y_1$  from the general solution by choosing a suitable  $c$ . Such a solution  $y_1$  is called *singular* solution.

4. Verify that  $y = -1/(x + c)$  is general solution of  $y' = y^2$ . Find particular solutions such that (i)  $y(0) = 1$ , and (ii)  $y(0) = -1$ . In both the cases, find the largest interval  $I$  on which  $y$  is defined.

5. Verify that  $y = x^2 + a$  and  $y = -x^2 + b$  are solutions of  $y'^2 = 4x^2$ .

**Note:** Interestingly, this differential equation has 2 sets of general solutions.

6. Consider the differential equations  $y' = \alpha y$ ,  $x > 0$ , where  $\alpha$  is a constant. Show that (i) if  $\phi(x)$  is any solution and  $\psi(x) = \phi(x)e^{-\alpha x}$ , then  $\psi(x)$  is a constant; (ii) if  $\alpha < 0$ , then every solution tends to zero as  $x \rightarrow \infty$ .

7. For each of the following differential equations, draw several *isoclines* with appropriate lineal elements and hence sketch some solution curves:

$$(i) \ y' = x \qquad (ii) \ y' = x^2 + y^2$$

8. Find general solution of the following differential equations:

$$(i) \ (x + 2y + 1) - (2x + y - 1)y' = 0 \qquad (ii) \ y' = (8x - 2y + 1)/(4x - y - 1).$$

**Supplementary problems** from “Advanced Engg. Maths. by E. Kreyszig (8<sup>th</sup> Edn.)

$$\begin{array}{ll} (i) \ \text{Page 8} - 9 : Q. 9, 11, 12 & (ii) \ \text{Page 13} : Q. 7, 16, 18 \\ (iii) \ \text{Page 18} : Q. 7 - 11, 17, 22, 25 & (iv) \ \text{Page 23} - 24 : Q. 1, 2, 6, 9, 11, 12, 16 \end{array}$$