

Review for Final Exam Part 1

1st Order Differential Equations

• Separable Equations

► Definition. $\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y)$ is separable when we can write: $f(x, y) = g(x) h(y)$

► Method. 1st: Separate Variables
2nd: Integrate both Sides
3rd: Solve for y

$$\int \frac{1}{h(y)} dy = \int g(x) dx$$

► Example. Solve $y^{-1} dy + (ye^{\cos x} \sin x) dx = 0$

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

Separate:
Integrate

$$\int y^{-2} dy = - \int e^{\cos x} \sin x dx$$

$$-y^{-1} = e^{\cos x} + C$$

$$y = - \frac{1}{e^{\cos x} + C}$$

← General Solution.

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• Linear Equations

► Definition/Form: A 1st order DE is linear if it is of the form:

$$a_1(x) \frac{dy}{dx} + a_0(x) y = g(x) \text{ and the standard form is: } \frac{dy}{dx} + P(x) y = Q(x)$$

► Method. 1st: Find the integrating factor $\mu(x) = e^{\int P dx}$

2nd: Multiply both sides of the equation by $\mu(x)$ so the equation becomes:

$$(\mu(x) y(x))' = \mu(x) Q(x)$$

3rd: Integrate both sides and solve for y

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

► Example. Solve the IVP: $xy' + 3y = \frac{e^{3x}}{x}$; $y(1) = e^3$

In standard form is:

$$y' + \frac{3}{x} y = \frac{e^{3x}}{x^2}; \mu(x) = e^{\int \frac{3}{x} dx} = e^{3 \ln |x|} = e^{\ln |x|^3} = |x|^3 = x^3$$

New Equation:

$$(x^3 y)' = x e^{3x} \Rightarrow x^3 y = \int x e^{3x} dx = \frac{x}{3} e^{3x} - \frac{1}{9} e^{3x} + C$$

Solve for y:

$$y(x) = \frac{e^{3x}}{3x^2} - \frac{e^{3x}}{9x^3} + \frac{C}{x^3}$$

Solve IVP:
(plug initial cond.)

$$y(1) = \frac{e^3}{3} - \frac{e^3}{9} + C = e^3$$

(solve for C) $C = \frac{7}{9} e^3$

$$\text{sol: } y = \frac{e^{3x}}{3x^2} - \frac{e^{3x}}{9x^3} + \frac{7e^3}{9x^3}$$

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• Exact Equations

- Definition/Form. The DE: $M(x,y)dx + N(x,y)dy = 0$ is exact iff there exists a function $f(x,y)$ such that

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = M \text{ and } \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = N \quad \text{Test: } \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} \Rightarrow \text{Exact.}$$

- Method. 1st: find $f(x,y)$ 2nd: Solution is $f(x,y) = c$

Example. $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\cos(xy) - xy \sin(xy) - y^2 e^{-x}}{x^2 \sin(xy) - 2ye^{-x}}$

$$[x^2 \sin(xy) - 2ye^{-x}] dy = [\cos(xy) - xy \sin(xy) - y^2 e^{-x}] dx$$

$$\underbrace{[-\cos(xy) + xy \sin(xy) + y^2 e^{-x}]}_M dx + \underbrace{[x^2 \sin(xy) - 2ye^{-x}]}_N dy = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = x \sin(xy) + x \sin(xy) + x^2 y \cos(xy) + 2ye^{-x} > \text{Equal, thus exact.}$$

$$\frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = 2x \sin(xy) + x^2 y \cos(xy) + 2ye^{-x}$$

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Next find $f(x,y)$ such $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = M_{(1)}$ and $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = N_{(2)}$

From (2): $f(x,y) = \int N dy = \int x^2 \sin(xy) - 2ye^{-x} dy = -x \cos(xy) - y^2 e^{-x} + g(x)$

And (1) $\Rightarrow \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(-x \cos(xy) - y^2 e^{-x} + g(x)) = -\cos(xy) + xy \sin(xy) + y^2 e^{-x} + g'(x) = M$ ← must

$\Rightarrow g'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow g(x) = C_1 = 0$ (← we pick $C_1 = 0$)

Then update $f(x,y) = -x \cos(xy) - y^2 e^{-x}$

Finally set $f = c$

General Solution :

$$-x \cos xy - y^2 e^{-x} = c$$

• Solutions by Substitutions (3 kinds)

Kind	Form	Substitutions	New Equation
Homogeneous	$\frac{dy}{dx} = G\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) = f(x, y)$ $f(tx, ty) = t^\alpha f(x, y)$	$y = ux$ $\frac{dy}{dx} = u + x \frac{du}{dx}$	separable
Bernoulli	$\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = f(x)y^n$ $y^{-n} \frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y^{1-n} = f(x)$	$u = y^{1-n}$ $\frac{du}{dx} = (1-n)y^{-n} \frac{dy}{dx}$	linear
Of the form $\frac{dy}{dx} = f(Ax + By + C)$ $B \neq 0$		$u = Ax + By + C$ $\frac{du}{dx} = A + B \frac{dy}{dx}$	separable

► Example. $\sqrt{x} y' = \frac{y}{\sqrt{x}} + \sqrt{y-2x} \Leftrightarrow y' = \frac{y}{x} + \sqrt{\frac{y}{x} - 2}$

$\frac{\sqrt{a}}{\sqrt{b}} = \sqrt{\frac{a}{b}}$

Homogeneous, Then $u = \frac{y}{x}$ or $y = ux \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = u + x \frac{du}{dx} (=y')$

Substitute: $u + x \frac{du}{dx} = u + \sqrt{u-2} \Leftrightarrow x \frac{du}{dx} = \sqrt{u-2}$ (separable)

Separate: $\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{u-2}} du = \int \frac{1}{x} dx \Rightarrow 2\sqrt{u-2} = \ln|x| + C$

Solve for u : $u = \left(\frac{\ln|x| + C}{2}\right)^2 + 2$ & plug back in ($u = \frac{y}{x}$)

$\frac{y}{x} = \left(\frac{\ln|x| + C}{2}\right)^2 + 2 \Rightarrow$

$y(x) = x \left(\frac{\ln|x| + C}{2}\right)^2 + 2x$

General Solution.

- Applications

- ▶ Population Dynamics
 $K > 0$

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = K P(t) \Rightarrow P(t) = P_0 e^{Kt}$$

- ▶ Radioactive Decay
 $K < 0$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = -K A(t) \Rightarrow A(t) = A_0 e^{-Kt}$$

- ▶ Mixing Problems

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = (\text{input rate}) - (\text{output rate})$$

- ▶ Newton's Law of Cooling

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = -K (T - T_m)$$