

MATB44 - Tutorial b (IC 320 Fridays 10-11am)

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Week 1 - Sept. 6th

No tutorials

Week 2 - Sept. 13th

ODE: $F(t, x, x^{(1)}, \dots, x^{(k)}) = 0$

t - independent variable (time)

x - dependent variable (space)

x is a function of t i.e. $x(t)$

The order is the highest derivative that appears in F .

The system is linear if we can rewrite it to separate out the $x_i^{(j)}$'s as follows:

$$x_i^{(k)} = g_{ii}(t) + \sum_{l=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{k-1} f_{i,j,l}(t) x_l^{(j)}$$

Ex: $\underbrace{(4+t^2)x' + 2tx}_{} = 4t$

By product rule: $\frac{d}{dt} [(4+t^2)x] = 2tx + (4+t^2)x'$

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

$$\Rightarrow (4+t^2)x = 2t^2 + C$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t) = \frac{2t^2 + C}{4+t^2}$$

The system is homogeneous if $g_{ii}(t) = 0$

If there is no direct dependence on t , the system is autonomous. Form $x' = f(x)$

Ex: Classify the following equations:

$$* x' + \frac{1}{2}x = \frac{1}{2}e^{t/3} \quad \text{1st order, linear}$$

$$* 3+xx' = t-x \quad \text{1st order, non linear}$$

* $x'' + 5x' + 6x = 0$ 2nd order, linear, homogeneous, autonomous

* $x' = t \sin x$ 1st order, non linear

* $x'' - x = 0$ 2nd order, linear, homogeneous, autonomous

* $tx' + 2x = 4t^2$ 1st order, linear

* $x' - 2x + t = 0$ 1st order, linear.

Ex: Solve $x' = x^2$ with $x_0 = x(0) > 0$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{dx}{dt} = x^2 \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{x^2} = dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{dx}{x^2} = \int dt$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{x} = t + C_1$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{1}{-C_1 - t}$$

$$\text{When } x(0) = -\frac{1}{C_1} = x_0 \text{ so } x = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{x_0} - t}$$

\textcircled{2} $f(x) = x^2$, a maximal nonzero interval is $(x_0, \infty) = (0, \infty)$

$$F(x) = \int_{x_0}^x \frac{dy}{y^2} = -\frac{1}{y} \Big|_{y=x_0}^{y=x} = -\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x_0} \quad \phi(t) = F^{-1}(t)$$

$$T_+ = \lim_{x \rightarrow x_2} F(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} -\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x_0} = \frac{1}{x_0}, \text{ so } \phi \text{ is defined for all } t > 0$$

$$t = F(F^{-1}(t)) = -\frac{1}{F^{-1}(t)} + \frac{1}{x_0}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{F^{-1}(t)} = \frac{1}{x_0} - t$$

$$\Rightarrow F^{-1}(t) = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{x_0} - t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi(t) = \frac{1}{\frac{1}{x_0} - t} \quad \blacksquare$$

Week 3 - Sept. 20th

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A particular solution is a solution that has no arbitrary constant. A general solution is a k-parameter family of solutions that contain every particular solution.

A separable first-order ODE is an ODE that can be rewritten as:

$$\dot{x}(t, x) = g(t)f(x) \quad (\text{or } g(t)dt + f(x)dx = 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dt} = g(t)f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{f(x)} = g(t)dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{dx}{f(x)} = \int g(t)dt, \quad f(x) \neq 0$$

Ex: Show that the equation $\dot{x}(t, x) = \frac{t^2}{1-x^2}$ is separable and solve.

$$\text{Let } f(x) = \frac{1}{1-x^2} \text{ and } g(t) = t^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \int 1-x^2 dx = \int t^2 dt$$

$$x - \frac{x^3}{3} = \frac{t^3}{3} + C_1$$

$$3x - x^3 - t^3 = C, \quad C \in \mathbb{R}$$

Ex: Solve the equation $\frac{dx}{dt} = \frac{4t-t^3}{4+x^3}$ and find the solution passing through the point $(0, 1)$

$$\Rightarrow (4+x^3)dx = (4t-t^3)dt$$

$$\int (4+x^3)dx = \int (4t-t^3)dt$$

$$4x + \frac{x^4}{4} = 4t^2 - \frac{t^4}{4} + C_1$$

$$\Rightarrow 16x + x^4 - 8t^2 + t^4 = C, \quad C \in \mathbb{R},$$

$$\text{When } (0, 1) \rightarrow 16+1=17$$

$$\therefore 16x + x^4 - 8t^2 + t^4 = 17$$

Let $z = f(x, y)$ be a function of x and y , $f(x, y)$ is homogeneous of order n if it can be written as $f(x, y) = x^n g(u)$, where $u = \frac{y}{x}$ or $f(x, y) = y^n g(u)$, where $u = \frac{x}{y}$.

$P(x, y)dx + Q(x, y)dy = 0$ where $P(x, y)$ and $Q(x, y)$ are the homogeneous coefficients and can be solved by substituting $y = ux$, $dy = udx + xdu$

Ex: Find the general solution of $txx' = t^2 + 2x^2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{t^2} \left[tx x' - t^2 - 2x^2 \right]$$

$$\frac{x x'}{t} = 1 + 2 \frac{x^2}{t^2} \quad \text{Let } u = \frac{x}{t} \quad \text{so } x = ut \quad x' = u + tu'$$

$$\Rightarrow u(u + tu') = 1 + 2u^2$$

$$u^2 + tu' u = 1 + 2u^2$$

$$tu' u = 1 + u^2$$

$$\frac{u' u}{1 + u^2} = \frac{1}{t}$$

→ OMG! This is separable!

$$\int \frac{u' u}{1 + u^2} dt = \int \frac{1}{t} dt$$

$$\text{Let } v = 1 + u^2 \quad dv = 2u du$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{dv}{v} = \ln|t| + C_1$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \ln|1 + u^2| = \ln|t| + C_1$$

$$\therefore \frac{1}{2} \ln \left| 1 + \frac{x^2}{t^2} \right| - \ln|t| = C$$

A differential expression $P(x, y)dx + Q(x, y)dy$ is called an exact differential if it is the total differential of some function $f(x, y)$.

i.e. if $P(x, y) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x, y)$ and $Q(x, y) = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} f(x, y)$.

If we can find $f(x, y)$, $f(x, y) = C$ is the 1-parameter family of solutions.

$P(x, y)dx + Q(x, y)dy = 0$ is exact iff $\frac{\partial P(x, y)}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial Q(x, y)}{\partial x}$.

Ex: Find the general solution of $y' = -\frac{1+2xy^2}{1+2x^2y}$

$$\Rightarrow (1+2x^2y)y' = -(1+2xy^2)$$

$$(1+2xy^2) + (1+2x^2y)y' = 0$$

Is it exact? $P(x, y) = 1+2xy^2$ $Q(x, y) = 1+2x^2y$

$$\frac{\partial P(x, y)}{\partial y} = 4xy \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad \frac{\partial Q(x, y)}{\partial x} = 4xy \quad \checkmark$$

let's take $P(x,y)$, we know $P(x,y) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x,y)$

$$\Rightarrow \int P(x,y) dx = f(x,y)$$

$$\int 1+2xy^2 dx = x + x^2y^2 + g(y) = f(x,y)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial f(x,y)}{\partial y} = 2x^2y + g'(y) = Q(x,y) = 1 + 2x^2y$$

$$\text{So } g'(y) = 1 \rightarrow g(y) = y$$

$$\therefore x + x^2y^2 + y = C$$

Week 4 - Sept. 27th

An integrating factor (IF) will convert an inexact ODE $P(x,y)dx + Q(x,y)dy = 0$ into an exact ODE $\text{IF } P(x,y)dx + \text{IF } Q(x,y)dy = 0$

Given $\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = Q(x)$ a known IF is $e^{\int P(x)dx}$

Ex: Find the general solution of $\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{3y}{x} = \frac{e^x}{x^3}$

$$P(x) = \frac{3}{x}, \quad \text{IF} = e^{\int \frac{3}{x} dx} = e^{3\ln x} = e^{\ln x^3} = x^3$$

$$\Rightarrow x^3 \frac{dy}{dx} + x^3 \frac{3y}{x} = x^3 \frac{e^x}{x^3}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^3 y' + 3x^2 y = e^x$$

$$\Rightarrow \int (x^3 y' + 3x^2 y) dx = \int e^x dx$$

$$\Rightarrow x^3 y = e^x + C$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{e^x + C}{x^3}$$

Ex: Solve $6y' - 2y = xy^4, y(0) = -2$.

$$\Rightarrow 6y^{-4}y' - 2y^{-3} = x \quad \text{let } u = y^{-3} \\ du = -3y^{-4}y' \quad \text{d}u = -3y^{-4}y'$$

$$\Rightarrow -2u' - 2u = x \quad \text{or} \quad u' + u = -\frac{x}{2}$$

$$P(x) = 1 \quad , \quad \text{IF} = e^{\int P dx} = e^x$$

$$\Rightarrow u'e^x + ue^x = -\frac{e^x}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int(u'e^x + ue^x)dx = -\frac{1}{2} \int xe^x dx$$

$$\Rightarrow ue^x = -\frac{1}{2}(xe^x - e^x) + C$$

$$\Rightarrow u = -\frac{1}{2}(x-1) + Ce^{-x}$$

$$\Rightarrow y^{-3} = -\frac{1}{2}(x-1) + Ce^{-x}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y^{-3} = (1-x) + 2Ce^{-x}$$

$$\Rightarrow y^3 = \frac{2}{(1-x) + 2Ce^{-x}}$$

Side note:

$$\begin{aligned} u &= x & dv &= e^x dx \\ du &= dx & v &= e^x \\ & \int xe^x dx & & = xe^x - \int e^x dx = xe^x - e^x + C. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\stackrel{\text{IVP}}{\Rightarrow} (-2)^3 = \frac{2}{1+2C} \\ &\Rightarrow -8 - 16C = 2 \\ &\Rightarrow C = -\frac{5}{8} \\ \Rightarrow y &= \left[\frac{2}{(1-x) - \frac{5}{4}e^{-x}} \right]^{1/3} \end{aligned}$$

Bernoulli Equation: given $\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = Q(x)y^n$.

$$\text{multiply by } (1-n)y^{-n} \Rightarrow (1-n)y^{-1}\frac{dy}{dx} + (1-n)y^{1-n}P(x) = (1-n)Q(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Substitute } u &= y^{1-n} \\ du &= (1-n)y^{-n}dy \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} + (1-n)P(x)u = (1-n)Q(x) \\ &\text{IF } e^{\int (1-n)P(x)dx} \end{aligned}$$

Let X be a real vector space. A norm on X is a map $\|\cdot\|: X \rightarrow [0, \infty)$ s.t.

- (i) $\|0\| = 0$, $\|x\| > 0$ for $x \neq 0$
- (ii) $\|\alpha x\| = |\alpha| \|x\|$ for $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}$ and $x \in X$
- (iii) $\|x+y\| \leq \|x\| + \|y\|$ for $x, y \in X$

Together $(X, \|\cdot\|)$ is a normed vector space. A sequence of vectors x_n converges to x if $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|x_n - x\| = 0$.

A **contraction** is a mapping $K: C \subseteq X \rightarrow C$ where there exists a contraction constant $\theta \in [0, 1)$ s.t. $\|K(x) - K(y)\| \leq \theta \|x - y\|$, $x, y \in C$.

Note: $K^n(x) = K(K^{n-1}(x))$ $K^0(x) = x$

Ex: Let $K(x) = 40 + \frac{x}{3}$. What is the contraction constant? Is $K(x)$ a contraction on $C = [0, 90]$? on $C = [0, 30]$?

$$\|K(x) - K(y)\| = \left\| 40 + \frac{x}{3} - 40 - \frac{y}{3} \right\| = \left\| \frac{x}{3} - \frac{y}{3} \right\| = \frac{1}{3} \|x - y\|$$

$$\therefore \theta = \frac{1}{3}$$

$$C[0, 90] \quad K(0) = 40 \in [0, 90]$$

$$C[0, 30] \quad K(0) = 40 \notin [0, 30]$$

Consider an initial value problem (IVP) $\dot{x} = f(t, x)$, $x(t_0) = x_0$, where $x, t \in \mathbb{R}$ and $f \in C(U, \mathbb{R})$ where $U \subseteq \mathbb{R}^2$ is an open subset of \mathbb{R}^2 and $(t_0, x_0) \in U$.

Let's define **Picard Iteration** by a map $K: C(U, \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow C(U, \mathbb{R})$

$$K(x)(t) = x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t f(s, x(s)) ds.$$

and the **Picard iterates**.

$$x_0(t) = x_0 \quad (\text{the constant function through the scalar } x_0)$$

$$x_1(t) = K(x_0)(t) = x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t f(s, x_0(s)) ds$$

$$x_2(t) = K^2(x_0)(t) = K(x_1)(t) = x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t f(s, x_1(s)) ds.$$

\vdots

$$x_m(t) = K^m(x_0)(t) = K(x_{m-1})(t) = x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t f(s, x_{m-1}(s)) ds$$

Ex: Calculate the Picard iterates x_0, x_1, x_2 . for $f(t, x) = 3 - 2x$, $x(t_0) = x_0$

$$K(x)(t) = x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t f(s, x(s)) ds$$

$$K^{m+1}(x)(t) = x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t f(s, x_m(s)) ds = x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t (3 - 2x_m(s)) ds.$$

$$\Rightarrow x_0(t) = x_0$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow x_1(t) &= k(x_0)(t) = x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t 3 - 2x_0(s) ds \\ &= x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t 3 - 2x_0 ds \\ &= x_0 + (3 - 2x_0)(t - t_0) \\ &= x_0 + t(3 - 2x_0) - t_0(3 - 2x_0)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Rightarrow x_2(t) &= k^2(x_0(t)) = x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t 3 - 2x_1(s) ds \\ &= x_0 + \int_{t_0}^t 3 - 2(x_0 + s(3 - 2x_0) - t_0(3 - 2x_0)) ds \\ &= x_0 + [3 - 2x_0 + 2t_0(3 - 2x_0)](t - t_0) - 2(3 - 2x_0) \int_{t_0}^t s ds \\ &= x_0 + (3 - 2x_0)(1 + 2t_0)(t - t_0) - (3 - 2x_0) s^2 \Big|_{t_0}^t \\ &= x_0 + (3 - 2x_0)(1 + 2t_0)(t - t_0) - (3 - 2x_0)(t^2 - t_0^2).\end{aligned}$$