

1. Let $u'(t) = 2t(1 + u)$, $u(0) = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 u_1(t) &= \int_0^t f(s, u(0)) ds \\
 &= \int_0^t f(s, 0) ds \\
 &= \int_0^t 2s ds \\
 &= t^2
 \end{aligned}$$

We can then derive u_2 and u_3 :

$$\begin{aligned}
 u_2(t) &= \int_0^t f(s, u_1(s)) ds \\
 &= \int_0^t f(s, s^2) ds \\
 &= \int_0^t 2s(1 + s^2) ds \\
 &= \int_0^t 2s + \int_0^t 2s^3 ds \\
 &= t^2 + \frac{t^4}{2} \\
 u_3(t) &= \int_0^t f(s, u_2(s)) ds \\
 &= \int_0^t f(s, s^2 + \frac{s^4}{2}) ds \\
 &= \int_0^t 2s(1 + s^2 + \frac{s^4}{2}) ds \\
 &= \int_0^t 2s + \int_0^t 2s^3 ds + \int_0^t s^5 ds \\
 &= t^2 + \frac{t^4}{2} + \frac{t^6}{6}
 \end{aligned}$$

It seems that the Picard iteration for this function takes the following pattern:

$$u_k(t) = \sum_{i=1}^k \frac{t^{2i}}{i!}$$

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4. See the source code at <https://github.com/codeandkey/math481-iastate-sp2020>.
- 5.
6. See the graph: