

$$\text{Ex: } \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x} + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2 = \frac{y}{x} + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^{-2}$$

Then let's use a homogeneous ODE substitution.

$$u = y/x \Rightarrow y = xu \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = u + x \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow u + x \frac{du}{dx} = u + u^{-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x \frac{du}{dx} = u^{-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow u^2 du = \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \int u^2 du = \int \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{3} u^3 = \ln|x| + C$$

$$\Rightarrow u^3 = 3 \ln|x| + 3C$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \sqrt[3]{3 \ln|x| + 3C}$$

$$\Rightarrow y/x = \sqrt[3]{\ln|x^3| + 3C}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = x (\ln|x^3| + 3C)^{1/3}$$

Ex: Get started:

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} - y = \sqrt{xy} + x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x \frac{dy}{dx} - y = \sqrt{x} \cdot \sqrt{xy} \quad ?$$

and

$$\frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{y}{x} = \frac{\sqrt{x}}{x} \cdot (y+x) = \sqrt{x} \left( \frac{y}{x} \right) + \sqrt{x}$$

hmm? Linear?, Homog. Try...

### Bernoulli Equations

Def. An ODE of the form

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + p(x)y = f(x)y^n$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} n=0 \Rightarrow \text{linear.} \\ n \neq 0 \Rightarrow \text{nonlinear.} \\ n=1 \Rightarrow \text{linear, separable.} \end{array} \right.$$

We can integrate Bernoulli equations after the substitution

$$u = y^r \quad r = 1-n$$

$$\Rightarrow u = y^{(1-n)}$$

One solution is  $y=0$ .  $\Rightarrow$  constant solution

Ex  $y' + 6y = 30e^{3x} y^{2/3}$

Sol  $u = y^{1-n} = y^{1-2/3} = y^{1/3} \Rightarrow y = u^3$ . So  $y' = 3u^2 u'$

$$\Rightarrow 3u^2 u' + 6u^3 = 30e^{3x} (u^3)^{2/3}$$

$$\Rightarrow 3u^2 u' + 6u^3 = 30e^{3x} \cdot u^2$$

$$\Rightarrow u' + 2u = 10e^{3x}$$

1st order linear!

$$\Rightarrow u = e^{\int 2 dx} = e^{2x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}[e^{2x} \cdot u] = 10e^{5x}$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{2x} u = 2e^{5x} + C$$

$$\Rightarrow u(x) = 2e^{3x} + Ce^{-2x}$$

$$\Rightarrow y^{1/3} = 2e^{3x} + Ce^{-2x}$$

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

and if we had  $y(1) = 2$

$$\Rightarrow 2 = (2e^3 + Ce^{-2})^3$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt[3]{2} = 2e^3 + Ce^{-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \frac{\sqrt[3]{2} - 2e^3}{e^{-2}} \right) = C$$

$$\text{Ex: } \frac{dy}{dx} + 3 \cot(x) y = 6 \csc(x) y$$

$$n = \frac{2}{3}, \quad r = 1 - \frac{2}{3}$$

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$$\text{Ex: } \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{x} y = \frac{1}{y} = y^{-1} \quad n = -1 = 1 \quad r = 1 - (-1) = 2$$

$$u = y^2 \Rightarrow y = u^{1/2} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} u^{-1/2} \cdot \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} u^{-1/2} \frac{du}{dx} - \frac{1}{x} u^{1/2} = \frac{1}{u^{1/2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} - \frac{2}{x} u' = 1$$

$$u = e^{-\int \frac{2}{x} dx} = e^{-2 \ln|x|} = x^{-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} [x^{-2} u] = x^{-2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{-2} u = -x^{-1} + C = C - \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow u(x) = Cx^2 - x$$

$$u = y^2 = Cx^2 - x \Rightarrow y = \pm \sqrt{Cx^2 - x}$$

Ok. What if,

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$$\frac{d\phi}{dt}(x,y) = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dt}$$

$$\phi(x,y) = y^2 + x^2 y$$

$$\frac{d\phi}{dx} = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \cdot \frac{dx}{dx} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \cdot \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dx} = ?$$

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= 1

$$M(x,y) + N(x,y) \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\text{Ex. } y^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + (6x+y)y = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1-(6x+y)y}{y^2}$$

$$M(x,y) = (6x+y)y^2$$

$$N(x,y) = y^2$$

So for

$$\frac{d\phi}{dx} = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = M(x,y) = 6xy + y^2 \\ \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} = N(x,y) = y^2 \end{cases}$$

Can we find  $\phi(x,y)$ ?  $\phi$  is referred to as a potential function for the ODE. Let's start with  $\phi$ .

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ \underbrace{x^2 y^2 + \sin(xy)}_{\phi(x,y)} \right] = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = 2xy^2 + \cos(xy) \cdot y \\ \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} = 2x^2 y + \cos(xy) \cdot x \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{(2xy^2 + \cos(xy) \cdot y)}_M + \underbrace{(2x^2 y + \cos(xy) \cdot x)}_N \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} [\phi(x,y)] = 0 \Rightarrow \phi(x,y) = C \text{ is solution.}$$