

⇒ EXAM I!

Let's try 2.7.a. as a mini review

$$y' = xe^{-x^2}, \quad y(0) = 3$$

$$x_0 = 0, y_0 = 3$$

Set up the definite integral for the solution.

$$\int_0^x \frac{dy}{ds} ds = \int_0^x se^{-s^2} ds$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) - y(0) = \int_0^{-x^2} (-1) e^u du$$

$$\begin{cases} u = -s^2, & du = -2s ds \\ \Rightarrow s ds = -\frac{1}{2} du \\ s=0 \Rightarrow u=0 \\ s=x \Rightarrow u=-x^2 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) - 3 = -\frac{1}{2} \cdot (e^u) \Big|_0^{-x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) - 3 = -\frac{1}{2} (e^{-x^2} - e^0)$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = 3 + \frac{1}{2} (1 - e^{-x^2}) = \frac{7}{2} - \frac{1}{2} e^{-x^2}$$

Separable 1<sup>st</sup> Order Equation

We know that we are working with

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = F(x, y)$$

If  $F(x, y) = f(x) \cdot g(y)$ , we say that the ODE is separable,

$$\underline{\text{Ex:}} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} - x^2 y^2 = x^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 y^2 + x^2 = F(x, y)$$

$$\begin{aligned} F(x, y) &= x^2 y^2 + x^2 = x^2 (y^2 + 1) \\ &= f(x) \cdot g(y) \end{aligned}$$

$$f(x) = x^2 \quad g(y) = y^2 + 1 \quad \checkmark$$

Ex:  $\frac{dy}{dx} - x^2 y^2 = 4$

$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 4 + x^2 y^2$

Does not work, so this is not what we are looking for.

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Ex:  $\frac{dy}{dx} = xy + \sin(xy)$

is not separable

$\frac{dy}{dx} = xy + (xy) - \frac{(xy)^3}{3!} + \frac{(xy)^5}{5!} - \dots$

$\approx xy + xy = 2xy$

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## Integration of Separable Equations

Directly Integrable ODEs

$\frac{dy}{dx} = F(x, y) = f(x) \cdot g(y)$

So these are separable!

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Ex:  $\frac{dy}{dx} - x^2 y^2 = x^2$

$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 (1 + y^2)$

$\Rightarrow f(x) = x^2, g(y) = (1 + y^2)$

So,  $\frac{1}{1+y^2} \frac{dy}{dx} = x^2$

Use differentials

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$$\frac{1}{1+y^2} \frac{dy}{dx} \cdot dx = x^2 dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{1+y^2} dy = x^2 dx$$

So, we can integrate both sides.

$$\int \frac{1}{1+y^2} dy = \int x^2 dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \arctan(y) = \frac{1}{3} x^3 + C$$

$$y(x) = \tan\left(\frac{1}{3} x^3 + C\right)$$

Autonomous equations:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = F(x, y) = (1) \cdot g(y) = g(y)$$

Ex:  $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 - 2y$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{1-2y} dy = dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{1}{1-2y} dy = \int dx$$

$$u = 1 - 2y$$

$$du = -2 dy \Rightarrow dy = -\frac{1}{2} du$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{1}{u} \left(-\frac{1}{2} du\right) = x + C$$

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

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} \ln|1-2y| = x + C$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln|1-2y| = -2x - 2C$$

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

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

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

$$= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} A e^{-2x}$$

$$A = e^{-2C}$$

We need to be a little more careful with these solutions. In particular let's look at constant solutions.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = F(x, y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow F(x, y) = f(x) \cdot g(y) = 0 \Rightarrow g(y) = 0$$

in terms of where we are headed we would write

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

If  $g(y) = 0 \Rightarrow$  oops

So, it pays to isolate constant solutions

$$\text{Ex. } \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x(y-5)$$

$$\Rightarrow F(x, y) = 2x(y-5) \Rightarrow f(x) = 2x \text{ and } g(y) = y-5$$

Using the work from before we have one solution

$$\boxed{y=5}$$

Now, let's integrate. This gives

$$\frac{1}{y-5} \frac{dy}{dx} = 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{y-5} \frac{dy}{dx} dx = 2x dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{y-5} dy = 2x dx$$

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$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{1}{y-5} dy = \int 2x dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln|y-5| = x^2 + C_1$$

$$\Rightarrow y-5 = e^{x^2+C_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 5 + e^{(x^2+C_1)} = 5 + A e^{x^2} \quad A = e^{C_1}$$

↑ This is the constant solution

If  $y(0)=5$  (on the constant solution) then

$$5 = 5 + A e^{0^2} \Rightarrow A = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = 5 \quad \checkmark$$

Ex:  $\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{x}{y-3} \quad y(0)=1$

$$\Rightarrow \int (y-3) dy = \int (-x) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(y-3)^2 = -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + C_1 \Rightarrow \text{get } C_1 \text{ right now!}$$

$$\Rightarrow (y-3)^2 = -x^2 + C_1 \Rightarrow (1-3)^2 = -0^2 + C_1 = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{(y-3)^2 = -x^2 + 4} \quad \text{implicit form.}$$

Explicit form: Do not fear it — quadratic formula