

### Computer Project 3

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

a) Picard's Theorem

$f(x, y) = x^2 + y$

$f(-2, -2) = (-2)^2 + (-2) = 4 - 2 = 2 \rightarrow$  No discontinuities/asymptotes

∴  $f(x, y)$  is continuous near  $(x_0, y_0)$  a solution exists. ✓

$\left| \frac{df}{dy} \right| = 1 = 1 \leq$  bound by a constant  $\{(x, y) : -2 \leq x \leq 2 \text{ and } -\infty < y < \infty\}$

∴  $\frac{df}{dy}$  is also continuous near  $(x_0, y_0)$ , solution is unique. ✓

$\left| \frac{df}{dy} \right|_{(-2, -2)} = 1 \rightarrow$  continuous near  $(x_0, y_0)$

∴ The IVP has a unique solution.

b)  $y(x) = -2 - 2x - x^2$  is a solution to the IVP.

$y'(x) = x^2 + y(x) \rightarrow -2 - 2x = x^2 + (-2 - 2x - x^2) = -2 - 2x$  ✓ RHS matches LHS.

$y(-2) = -2 - 2(-2) - (-2)^2 = -2 + 4 - 4 = -2$  ✓

Match Initial condition of  $y(-2) = -2$

∴  $y(x) = -2 - 2x - x^2$  is a solution to the IVP.