

**Test 1**  
**MAC2302, Ordinary Differential Equations**

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50 minutes. Closed book. NO calculator. Work without justification gets no credit. All problems are equally weighted. Start each problem on a new sheet, place them in order, put this cover page on top, and staple it.

1. Consider the Bernoulli equation  $2y'(t) - 2y \cos(t) = -\cos(t)y^3$ .

a) Make an appropriate substitution ( $v$  in terms of  $y$ ) and reduce the nonlinear equation for  $y$  to a linear equation for  $v$ .

b) Find an integrating factor for the linear equation in  $v$ .

c) Solve the linear equation for  $v$ . Here you may want to use the method of substitution for solving an integral.

d) Find the general solution  $y > 0$  for the original equation.

2. An hourglass (clepsydra) is a leaking tank filled with fine sand (which leaks into a bottom tank, which plays no role here). The tank is obtained by rotating a specific curve about the vertical axis, in such a way that the height  $h$  is decreasing at a constant rate.

The (upper) tank is 1 ft tall and it empties in exactly one hour (3600 sec).

Let  $V(t)$  denote the volume of sand in the tank and by  $h(t)$  the height at time  $t$ .

Toricelli's law for fine sand leaking through a circular hole of radius  $r$  tells that the rate of change of the volume

$$\frac{dV(t)}{dt} = -\frac{1}{8}\pi r^2 \sqrt{2gh(t)},$$

where  $g = 32 \text{ ft/sec}^2$ .

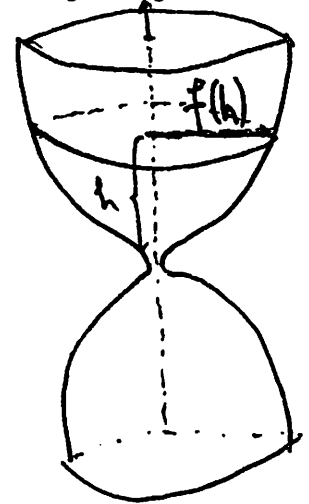
a) Given that it is constant, what should the rate  $dh/dt$  be (in  $\text{ft/sec}$ )?

b) Let  $f(h)$  denote the radius of the tank for each height  $h$ . Given

that the volume of sand at time  $t$  is  $V(t) = \int_0^{h(t)} \pi f^2(s) ds$  find the differential equation governing the rate of change in height.

c) Given that the hole has a radius of  $1/60 \text{ ft}$ , find the formula for the radius  $f(h)$  at each height  $h$ .

d) If at time  $t = 0$  the upper tank is full, what is the volume of sand needed for your clepsydra?



3. Find all the solutions (including singular solutions, if any) of the differential equation

$$y'(x) = -\frac{4x + 3y}{2x + y}, \quad \text{for } x > 0,$$

by noting that the right hand side is a function of  $y/x$ .

4. Consider the differential equation

$$(-e^{-x} \sin y + 2e^{2y} \sin x) dy - (e^{-x} \cos y - e^{2y} \cos x) dx = 0.$$

a) Check that it is exact.

b) Find the general solution of the equation in the implicit form (a constant  $C$  should show).

c) Find the particular solution which also satisfies  $y(0) = \frac{\pi}{2}$ .

$$1. \quad 2y' - 2y \cos t = -(\cos t)y^3$$

a)  $v = y^{1-n} = y^{-2}$ ,  $v' = -2y^{-3}y'$ , so  
multiply by  $-y^{-3}$

$$-2y^{-3}y' + 2y^{-2}\cos t = \cos t \Rightarrow$$

and substitute

$$\boxed{v' + (2\cos t)v = \cos t}$$

b)  $p = 2\cos t$ , so  $\mu = e^{\int p dt} = e^{\int 2\cos t dt}$   
 $= e^{2\sin t}$

$$\boxed{\mu(t) = e^{2\sin t}}$$

c) Quick check:  $\mu'(t) = 2(\cos t)e^{2\sin t} \stackrel{?}{=} p(t)\mu(t)$

So,  $\frac{d}{dt}(e^{2\sin t} v) = (\cos t)e^{2\sin t} \Rightarrow$

$$e^{2\sin t} v = \frac{1}{2} \int 2\cos t e^{2\sin t} dt = \frac{1}{2} e^{2\sin t} + C \Rightarrow$$

$$\boxed{v = \frac{1}{2} + C e^{-2\sin t}}$$

d) Plug in  $v = y^{-2}$

$$y^{-2} = \frac{1 + C e^{-2\sin t}}{2} \Rightarrow$$

new constant

$$\boxed{y = \pm \sqrt{\frac{2}{1 + C e^{-2\sin t}}}}$$

$$\boxed{\text{Also, } y \equiv 0}$$

$$2. \quad \frac{dV}{dt} = -\frac{1}{8} \pi r^2 \sqrt{2gh(t)} = -\frac{1}{8} \pi r^2 \sqrt{64h} = -\pi r^2 \sqrt{h}$$

a) Since 1 foot drains in 3600 seconds at a constant rate,  
 $\boxed{\frac{dh}{dt} = -\frac{1}{3600}}$  (ft./sec.) [It's negative b/c decreasing].

b)  $\frac{dV}{dt}$  is given one way by Toricelli's law. We can find another expression for  $\frac{dV}{dt}$  by differentiating  $V = \int_0^h \pi f^2(s) ds$ .  
 By the Fundamental Theorem of Calculus and the chain rule,  $\frac{dV}{dt} = \pi f^2(h) \frac{dh}{dt}$ . Setting this equal to Toricelli's law gives

$$\pi f^2(h) \frac{dh}{dt} = -\pi r^2 \sqrt{h} \Rightarrow$$

$$\boxed{f^2(h) \frac{dh}{dt} = -r^2 \sqrt{h}}$$

c) We know  $\frac{dh}{dt} = -\frac{1}{3600}$  and  $r = \frac{1}{60}$ , so, plugging in, we have  
 $f^2(h) \left(-\frac{1}{3600}\right) = -\left(\frac{1}{3600}\right) \sqrt{h} \Rightarrow$   
 $f^2(h) = \sqrt{h} \Rightarrow \boxed{f(h) = \sqrt[4]{h}}$  plug in

d) If it's full, then  $h(0) = 1$ , so that

$$\begin{aligned} V(t) &= \int_0^1 \pi (\sqrt[4]{s})^2 ds = \int_0^1 \pi \sqrt{s} ds \\ &= \pi \left[ \frac{2}{3} s^{3/2} \right]_0^1 \\ &= \boxed{\frac{2\pi}{3}} \end{aligned}$$

$$3. \quad v = \frac{y}{x}, \quad y' = v + xv' \Rightarrow$$

$$v + xv' = -\frac{4+3v}{2+v} \Rightarrow xv' = -\frac{4+3v}{2+v} - \frac{2v+v^2}{2+v} \\ = \frac{-4-5v-v^2}{2+v} \Rightarrow$$

$$-\frac{2+v}{4+5v+v^2} dv = \frac{1}{x} dx \Rightarrow$$

$$-\int \frac{2+v}{(v+4)(v+1)} dv = \ln|x| + C$$

$$\frac{2+v}{(v+4)(v+1)} = \frac{A}{v+4} + \frac{B}{v+1} \Rightarrow \begin{aligned} 2+v &= A(v+1) + B(v+4) \\ v=-1 &\Rightarrow B = 1/3 \\ v=-4 &\Rightarrow A = 2/3 \end{aligned}$$

So,

$$\ln|x| + C = -\int \frac{\frac{2}{3}}{v+4} + \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{v+1} dv$$

$$= -\frac{2}{3} \ln|v+4| - \frac{1}{3} \ln|v+1| \Rightarrow$$

$$\ln|x|^{-3} + \overset{\text{new constant}}{\downarrow} C = \ln|v+4|^2 + \ln|v+1| \Rightarrow$$

$$\overset{\text{new constant}}{\downarrow} C \cdot \frac{1}{|x|^3} = (v+4)^2 \cdot |v+1| \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{C}{|x|^3} = \left(\frac{y}{x} + 4\right)^2 \cdot \left|\frac{y}{x} + 1\right| = \frac{(y+4x)^2 |y+x|}{|x|^3} \Rightarrow$$

$$\boxed{(y+4x)^2 \cdot |y+x| = C}$$

Singular Solutions:  
(From  $v+4=0$ ,  $v+1=0$ )

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} y &= -4x \\ y &= -x \end{aligned}}$$

$$-\frac{4x+3(-4x)}{2x+(-4x)} = -\frac{-8x}{-2x} = -4 \quad \checkmark \quad -\frac{4x+3(-x)}{2x+(-x)} = -\frac{x}{x} = -1$$

$$4. \underbrace{(-e^{-x} \sin y + 2e^{2y} \sin x)}_N dy - \underbrace{(e^{-x} \cos y - e^{2y} \cos x)}_M dx = 0$$

$$a) \quad M_y \stackrel{?}{=} N_x \quad M_y = 2e^{2y} \cos x + e^{-x} \sin y$$

$$M_y \stackrel{\checkmark}{=} N_x \quad N_x = e^{-x} \sin y + 2e^{2y} \cos x$$

arbitrary  
fnct. of  
x

$$b) \quad \int 2e^{2y} \sin x - e^{-x} \sin y \, dy = e^{2y} \sin x + e^{-x} \cos y + g(x)$$

take derivative

$$\cancel{e^{2y} \cos x} - \cancel{e^{-x} \cos y} + g'(x) = \cancel{e^{2y} \cos x} - \cancel{e^{-x} \cos y} \Rightarrow$$

$$g'(x) = 0 \Rightarrow g(x) = C, \text{ so}$$

$$\boxed{e^{2y} \sin x + e^{-x} \cos y = C} \quad \leftarrow \text{new constant}$$

$$c) \quad \text{Plug in } y = \frac{\pi}{2}, x = 0$$

$$e^{2(\frac{\pi}{2})} \sin(0) + e^{-0} \cos(\frac{\pi}{2}) = C \Rightarrow C = 0$$

$$\boxed{e^{2y} \sin x + e^{-x} \cos y = 0}$$