

One Independent Variables

Definitions

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Theorem. If $y = \hat{x}$ then

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Two Independent Variables

Definition Let $z = f(x,y)$ define z as a function of two independent variables. Then the differential of z is defined by

$$(dz)(x, y, \Delta x, \Delta y) = \frac{\delta f(x, y)}{\delta x} \Delta x + \frac{\delta f(x, y)}{\delta y} \Delta y$$

Theorem. If $z = f(x,y) = \hat{x}$, then

$$(dz)(x, y, \Delta x, \Delta y) = (d\hat{x})(x, y, \Delta x, \Delta y) = \Delta x$$

With Separable Variables

Definition In a form of

$$\int f(x)dx + \int g(y)dy = C$$

such that C is an arbitrary constant $C \in \mathbb{R}$

Examples

1. Find the 1 parameter family of solutions of $2xdx - 9y^2dy = 0$

$$x^2 - 3y^3 = C \text{ s.t. } C \in \mathbb{R}$$

2. Find a particular solution for which $y(2) = 1$ for $xy^2dx + (1-x)dy = 0$.
If $y \neq 0$ and $x \neq 1$ we can get rewrite the equations as

$$\left(\frac{1}{1-x} - 1\right)dx + y^{-2}dy = 0 | x \neq 1, y \neq 0$$

Then as a result from integration we have that

$$\ln|1-x| + x + \frac{1}{y} = 3, x \neq 1, y \neq 0$$