separable

$$g(y) dy = f(t) dt$$

$$g(y)y' = f(t)$$

$$\int g(y) dy = \int f(t) dt$$

first order linear

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} + p(t)y = q(t) \qquad \qquad \mu(t) = e^{\int p(t) \, \mathrm{d}t}$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}}{\mathrm{d}t} (\mu(t)y) = \mu(t) \frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} + p(t)\mu(t)y \qquad \qquad \mu(t)y = \int \mu(t)q(t) \, \mathrm{d}t$$

exact

$$M(t,y) dt + N(t,y) dy = 0 \qquad \qquad \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial y}$$

$$\int M(t,y) dt + \phi(y) = f(t,y) \qquad \qquad \phi'(y) = N(x,y) - \frac{d}{dy} \left(\int M(t,y) dt \right)$$

$$\int M(t,y) dt + \int \phi'(y) dy = f(t,y)$$

Solution is f(t, y) = C

bernoulli

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}t} + p(t)y = q(t)y^n \qquad w = y^{1-n}$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}w}{\mathrm{d}t} + (1-n)p(t)w = (1-n)q(t)$$

Solve as first order linear, then back substitute

homogeneous

$$M(t,y) dt + N(t,y) dy = 0$$
 $M(xt,xy) + N(xt,xy) = x^n (M(t,y) + N(t,y))$

substitute with y = wt if N(t, y) is simpler and t = wy if M(t, y) is simpler

$$dy = w dt + t dw dt = w dy + y dw$$

Solve as a separable equation