

1. (2.2:20) Solve

$$y' = \frac{xy + 2y - x - 2}{xy - 3y + x - 3}$$

• **ans:** We try to separate x and y .

$$\begin{aligned} y' &= \frac{xy + 2y - x - 2}{xy - 3y + x - 3} \\ &= \frac{(x+2)y - (x+2)}{(x-3)y + (x-3)} \\ &= \frac{(x+2)(y-1)}{(x-3)(y+1)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{y+1}{y-1} dy = \frac{x+2}{x-3} dx$$

$$\frac{y-1+2}{y-1} dy = \frac{x-3+5}{x-3} dx$$

$$\int \left(1 + \frac{2}{y-1}\right) dy = \int \left(1 + \frac{5}{x-3}\right) dx$$

$$y + 2 \ln|y-1| = x + 5 \ln|x-3| + C$$

2. (2.2:a1) Solve the equation and determine the interval in which the solution is defined.

$$y' = (1 - 2x)y^2, \quad y(0) = -1/6$$

• **ans:** When $y \neq 0$,

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

$$-\frac{1}{y} = x - x^2 + C$$

By the initial condition

$$6 = C$$

$$-\frac{1}{y} = x - x^2 + 6$$

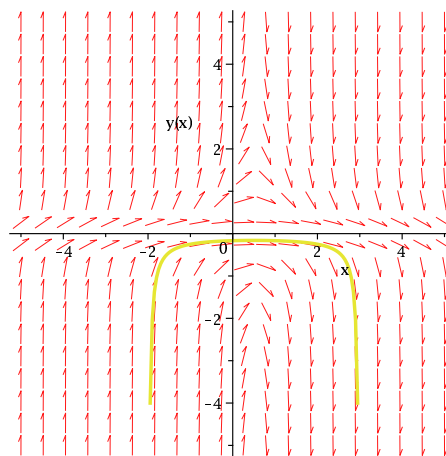
$$y = \frac{1}{-6 - x + x^2}$$

$$-6 - x + x^2 = 0$$

$$(x-3)(x+2) = 0, \quad x = -2, 3$$

Interval for the solution to exist

$$(-2, 3)$$



with(DEtools):

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eq:=diff(y(x),x)=(1-2*x)*y(x)^2;
DEplot(eq, y(x),
x=-5..5, [[y(0)=-1/6]], y=-5..5, stepsize=.05);
dsolve({eq,y(0)=-1/6}, y(x));
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3. (2.2:a2) Solve the IVP. Determine an interval for which the initial value problem is certain to have a unique solution.

$$y' = \frac{2t}{2 - 2y}, \quad y(3) = 2.$$

• **ans:** We solve the nonlinear equation first, then locate point t at which $y' = \pm\infty$.

$$(2 - 2y)dy = 2tdt$$

$$\int (2 - 2y)dy = \int (2t)dt$$

$$2y - y^2 = t^2 + C$$

$$y(3) = 2 \Rightarrow 4 - 4 = 9 + C, \quad C = -9$$

$$2y - y^2 = t^2 - 9$$

By the DE $y' = \pm\infty$ only when

$$2 - 2y = 0 \Rightarrow y = 1$$

When $y = 1$, by above solution

$$2 - 1 = t^2 - 9$$

$$t^2 = 10$$

$$t = \pm\sqrt{10}$$

So the solution exists for $(-\infty, -\sqrt{10})$, $(-\sqrt{10}, \sqrt{10})$, $(\sqrt{10}, \infty)$. Since $y(3) = 2$, the answer is $(-\sqrt{10}, \sqrt{10})$.

1. §2.3: 8-14, 25-26, 31-32

2.99

1. (2.3:25) Solve IVP. Find the largest interval over which the solution is defined.

2.53

$$xy' + y = e^x, \quad y(1) = 2$$

• **ans:**

$$\begin{aligned} xy' + y &= e^x, \\ y' + \frac{1}{x}y &= \frac{e^x}{x} \\ \mu &= e^{\int p} = e^{\int 1/x} = e^{\ln x} = x \\ y &= \frac{1}{\mu} \int \mu q = \frac{1}{x} \int e^x \\ &= \frac{1}{x}(e^x + C) \end{aligned}$$

By $y(1) = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} 2 &= e + C \\ y &= \frac{1}{x}(e^x + 2 - e) \end{aligned}$$

Only when $x = 0$, y would be discontinuous. So the largest interval (containing $y(1)$) is $(0, \infty)$.

2. (2.3:26) Solve IVP. Find the largest interval over which the solution is defined.

$$y \frac{dx}{dy} - x = 2y^2, \quad y(1) = 5$$

• **ans:** Note that we solve $x(y)$ as a function of y . This way, we get a first order linear equation.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dx}{dy} - \frac{1}{y}x &= 2y \\ \mu &= e^{\int p} = e^{-\int 1/y} = e^{-\ln y} = \frac{1}{y} \\ x &= \frac{1}{\mu} \int \mu q = y \int 2dy \\ &= y(2y + C) \end{aligned}$$

By $y(1) = 5$, we replace y by 5 and x by 1:

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= 5(10 + C), \quad C = -\frac{49}{5}, \\ x &= 2y^2 - \frac{49}{5}y \end{aligned}$$

Here when taking $x(y)$ as a function of y , the solution exists for all y , $(-\infty, \infty)$.

- End of solution. -

But if we take y as a function of x , then we can solve the equation to get

$$\begin{aligned} 2y^2 - \frac{49}{5}y - x &= 0 \\ y &= \frac{49/5 \pm \sqrt{(49/5)^2 + 8x}}{4} \end{aligned}$$

For the value inside a square root, we need

$$\begin{aligned} (49/5)^2 + 8x &\geq 0, \\ x &\geq -\frac{49^2}{5^2(8)} = -\frac{2401}{200} \\ &= -12.005 \end{aligned}$$

So the largest interval (containing $y(1)$) is $(-12.005, \infty)$.

There is another way. When the solution $y = y(x)$ breaks down, $y' = \infty$. So, by

$$x = 2y^2 - \frac{49}{5}y$$

we take derivatives

$$1 = (4y - \frac{49}{5})y'$$

As $y' = \infty$

$$0 = 4y - \frac{49}{5}, \quad y = \frac{49}{20}$$

Plug this y back into $x(y)$:

$$\begin{aligned} x &= 2y^2 - \frac{49}{5}y \\ &= 2\frac{49^2}{20^2} - \frac{49^2}{20(5)} \\ &= \frac{49^2}{20(5)}\left(\frac{1}{2} - 1\right) = -\frac{49^2}{200} \\ &= -12.005 \end{aligned}$$

So the largest interval (containing $y(1)$) is $(-12.005, \infty)$.

3. (2.3:32) Solve

$$y' + y = \begin{cases} 1 & x < 1 \\ -1 & x \geq 1 \end{cases} \quad y(0) = 1$$

• **ans:** The solution is done in two steps.

First, we solve

$$y' + y = 1, \quad y(0) = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mu &= e^{\int p} = e^{\int 1} = e^x \\ y &= \frac{1}{\mu} \int \mu q = e^{-x} \int e^x \\ &= e^{-x}(e^x + C) \end{aligned}$$

By $y(0) = 1$,

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= 1 + C, \quad C = 0 \\ y &= e^{-x}e^x = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Then we evaluate y at $x = 1$, to get $y = 1$ (usually we get e or e^2 or like that.)

In the second step, we solve the differential equation again, but with new right hand side function and new initial condition:

$$y' + y = -1, \quad y(1) = 1$$

$$\mu = e^{\int p} = e^{\int 1} = e^x$$

$$y = \frac{1}{\mu} \int \mu q = e^{-x} \int -e^x = e^{-x}(-e^x + C)$$

By $y(1) = 1$,

$$1 = -1 + e^{-1}C, C = 2e$$

$$y = -1 + 2ee^{-x}$$

Hence, combine them together, we get

$$y = \begin{cases} 1 & x < 1 \\ -1 + 2ee^{-x} & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

1. 2.4: 6-12, 26-29

8.99

1. (2.4:6) Determine if the differential equation is exact, and solve it if it is.

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$$(2y - \frac{1}{x} + \cos 3x) \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{y}{x^2} - 4x^3 + 3y \sin 3x = 0$$

• **ans:** Rewrite the equation in the form $Mdx + Ndy = 0$:

$$(\frac{y}{x^2} - 4x^3 + 3y \sin 3x)dx + (2y - \frac{1}{x} + \cos 3x)dy = 0$$

Check:

$$M_y = \frac{1}{x^2} + 3 \sin 3x$$

$$N_x = \frac{1}{x^2} - 3 \sin 3x$$

It is not an exact equation. We do not know how to solve it.

2. (2.4:26) Solve the IVP:

8.43

$$(\frac{1}{1+y^2} + \cos x - 2xy) \frac{dy}{dx} = y(y + \sin x), y(0) = 1$$

• **ans:** Rewrite the equation in the form $Mdx + Ndy = 0$:

$$(y^2 + y \sin x)dx + (-\frac{1}{1+y^2} - \cos x + 2xy)dy = 0$$

Check (no need to check if we do the next step and find a solution):

$$M_y = 2y + \sin x$$

$$N_x = \sin x + 2y$$

It is an exact equation.

$$F = \int Mdx = \int (y^2 + y \sin x)dx$$

$$= xy^2 - y \cos x + c(y)$$

$$F_y = N$$

$$2xy - \cos x + c'(y) = -\frac{1}{1+y^2} - \cos x + 2xy$$

$$c'(y) = -\frac{1}{1+y^2}$$

$$c(y) = \int -\frac{1}{1+y^2} dy = -\tan^{-1} y$$

$$F = xy^2 - y \cos x - \tan^{-1} y$$

The general solution is $F = c$:

$$xy^2 - y \cos x - \tan^{-1} y = c$$

By $y(0) = 1$,

$$0 - 1 - \tan^{-1} 1 = c$$

$$c = -1 - \frac{\pi}{4}$$

So

$$xy^2 - y \cos x - \tan^{-1} y = -\frac{\pi}{4} - 1$$

1. 2.5: 7-11, 24-26

9.99

1. (2.5:8) Solve the equation of $y' = f(y/x)$ form:

9.21

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x+3y}{3x+y}$$

• **ans:** Let $y = ux$

$$u + xu' = y' = \frac{x+3xu}{3x+yu}$$

$$u + xu' = \frac{1+3u}{3+u}$$

Separable

$$x \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{1+3u}{3+u} - u$$

$$\frac{du}{\frac{1+3u}{3+u} - u} = \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\int \frac{(3+u)du}{1-u^2} = \int \frac{dx}{x}$$

We use partial fractions:

$$\frac{3+u}{1-u^2} = \frac{A}{1-u} + \frac{B}{1+u}$$

$$3+u = A(1+u) + B(1-u)$$

$$(u=1) \Rightarrow A=2$$

$$(u=-1) \Rightarrow B=1$$

So the above equation is

$$\int \frac{2du}{1-u} + \frac{du}{1+u} = \ln x + C$$

$$-\ln|1-u|^2 + \ln|1+u| = \ln x + C_1$$

$$\frac{|1+u|}{(1-u)^2} = Cx$$

$u = y/x$:

$$\frac{|1+y/x|}{(1-y/x)^2} = Cx$$

$$\frac{|x^2 + xy|}{(x-y)^2} = Cx$$

$$C(x-y)^2 = (x+y)$$

2. (2.5:24) Solve the equation of $y' = f(Ax + By + C)$
9.22 form:

$$y' = \frac{1-x-y}{x+y}$$

- **ans:** We use the following substitution:

$$y' = f(Ax + By + C), \quad u = Ax + By + C$$

Here,

$$\begin{aligned} u &= x + y \\ u' &= 1 + y' \\ &= 1 + \frac{1-x-y}{x+y} = 1 + \frac{1-u}{u} \\ u' &= \frac{1}{u} \end{aligned}$$

It is separable:

$$udu = dx$$

$$\frac{1}{2}u^2 = x + c$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(x+y)^2 = x + c$$