

# ME 564 - HW 1 - SOLUTION

1.1-13

- \* verify that  $y$  is a solution of the ODE
- \* determine <sup>from  $y$</sup>  the particular solution satisfying the initial condition
- \* sketch this solution

$$y' + 2xy = 0, \quad y = ce^{-x^2}, \quad y(1) = \frac{1}{e}$$

SOLUTION:

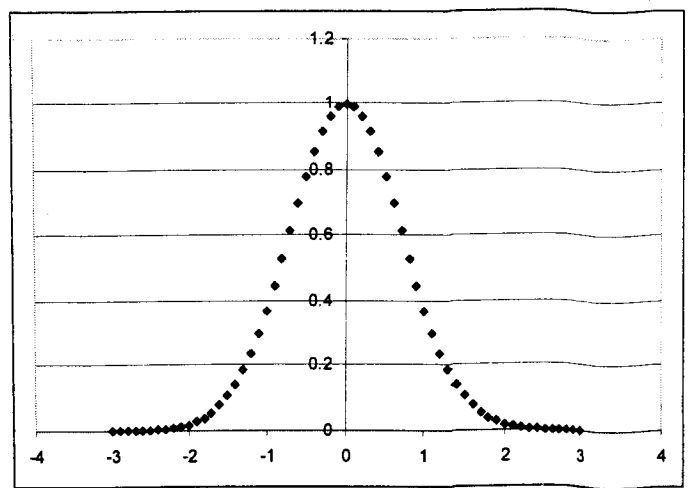
$$* \quad y = ce^{-x^2}$$

$$y' = -2xce^{-x^2}$$

$$-2xce^{-x^2} + 2x(ce^{-x^2}) = 0 \quad \text{verified}$$

$$* \quad y(1) = ce^{-1} = \frac{1}{e} \Rightarrow c = 1$$

$$\text{particular solution: } y = e^{-x^2}$$



1.1-16

Show that the ODE  $y'^2 - xy' + y = 0$  has the general solution  $y = cx - c^2$  and the singular solution  $y = x^2/4$ . Explain fig. 6

1) Substitute  $y = cx - c^2$  and  $y' = c$  in the ODE:  
 $c^2 - xc + (cx - c^2) = 0 \Rightarrow y = cx - c^2$  is the general solution of the <sup>above</sup> ODE

2) Substitute  $y = x^2/4$  and  $y' = x/2$  in the ODE:

$$\frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x^2}{4} = 0 \Rightarrow y = \frac{x^2}{4} \text{ is the singular solution of the above ODE}$$

3) Fig. 6 shows particular solutions of the ODE  $y'^2 - xy' + y = 0$ .

All particular solutions are in forms of straight lines but the solution  $y = x^2/4$  is in parabolic form. Thus  $y = x^2/4$  is a solution of the given ODE but it doesn't belong to the family of the general solution and it's called **Singular solution**.

1.3-18

$L, R, b$  const

Find the particular solution (from the general sol.)

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} = b \left[ \frac{dr}{d\theta} \cos\theta + r \sin\theta \right], \quad r\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \pi, \quad 0 < b < 1$$

$$\frac{dr}{d\theta} [1 - b \cos\theta] = r b \sin\theta$$

$$\frac{dr}{r} = \frac{b \sin\theta d\theta}{1 - b \cos\theta} \Rightarrow \ln(r) = \ln(1 - b \cos\theta) + e^*$$

$$r = e(1 - b \cos\theta)$$

$$r\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = e(1 - b \cdot 0) = \pi \Rightarrow e = \pi$$

$$r = \pi(1 - b \cos\theta)$$

1.3-32

From experiment,  $\Delta S$  is proportional to  $S$  and small angle  $\Delta$  with a proportionality constant of 0.15.

Find how many a rope must be wound around a bollard, so that a man can resist a force a thousand times he can exert.

$$\Delta S = 0.15 S \cdot \Delta\phi$$

$$\text{let } \Delta\phi \rightarrow 0 : dS = 0.15 S \cdot d\phi \rightarrow \int \frac{dS}{S} = \int 0.15 d\phi$$

$$\ln S = 0.15 \phi + \tilde{C} \Rightarrow e^{\ln S} = e^{0.15 \phi + \tilde{C}} \Rightarrow S = S_0 e^{0.15 \phi}, \quad S_0 = e^{\tilde{C}}$$

The angle should be so large that  $S$  equals 1000 times  $S_0$ .

$$\text{Hence } \frac{S}{S_0} = 1000 = e^{0.15 \phi} \Rightarrow \ln e^{0.15 \phi} = \ln 1000 \rightarrow$$

$$\phi = \frac{\ln 1000}{0.15} = 46 \text{ rad}$$

A bollard has a circular cross section  $\rightarrow 2\pi \text{ rad/round}$

The rope must be wound  $\frac{46}{2\pi} = 7.3 \approx \underline{\underline{8}}$  times

1.4-1

$$x^3 dx + y^3 dy = 0$$

test for exactness :  $M = x^3, N = y^3$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = 0 \quad \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} \rightarrow \text{ODE is exact} \quad \checkmark$$

since ODE is exact, its solution is in a form  $u(x,y) = c$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = M = x^3 \rightarrow u = \int x^3 dx + f(y) = \frac{x^4}{4} + f(y) \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = N = y^3 \rightarrow u = \int y^3 dy + g(x) = \frac{y^4}{4} + g(x) \quad (2)$$

from (1) and (2) we get  $u(x,y) = \boxed{\frac{x^4}{4} + \frac{y^4}{4} = c}$  general solution

1.4-11

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$$-y dx + x dy = 0$$

test for exactness :  $\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial(-y)}{\partial y} = -1 \neq \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial x}{\partial x} = 1$  ODE is not exact

let's find the integrating factor  $F$ , e.g.  $F(x)$ ,

such that  $\frac{\partial(FP)}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial(QF)}{\partial x}$

since  $F = F(x)$ :  $F \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial(QF)}{\partial x} \Rightarrow F \cdot (-1) = \frac{d(xF)}{dx} \Rightarrow$

$$-F = F + x \frac{dF}{dx} \Rightarrow x \frac{dF}{dx} = -2F \Rightarrow \frac{dF}{F} = -2 \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln F = -2 \ln x + c^* \Rightarrow F = \frac{1}{x^2} \quad (\text{the integrating constant doesn't matter here since we multiply } F \text{ on both sides of ODE})$$

then  $-\frac{y}{x^2} dx + \frac{1}{x} dy = 0$  is an exact ODE

$$u = \int M dx + k(y) = \int -\frac{y}{x^2} dx + k(y) = \frac{y}{x} + k(y)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = \frac{1}{x} + \frac{dk}{dy} = N = \frac{1}{x} \Rightarrow \frac{dk}{dy} = 0 \Rightarrow k = c^*$$

$u = \boxed{\frac{y}{x} = c}$   $\Rightarrow$  general solution

1.4-4

$$\underbrace{(e^y - ye^x)}_M dx + \underbrace{(xe^y - e^x)}_N dy = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = e^y - e^x = \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = e^y - e^x \Rightarrow \text{ODE is exact}$$

$$u = \int M dx + k(y) = \int (e^y - ye^x) dx + k(y) = xe^y - ye^x + k(y)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = xe^y - e^x + \frac{dk}{dy} = N = xe^y - e^x \Rightarrow \frac{dk}{dy} = 0 \Rightarrow k = c^*$$

$$u(x,y) = \boxed{xe^y - ye^x = c} \quad \text{general solution}$$

1.4-14

$$\underbrace{(x^4 + y^2)}_P dx - \underbrace{xy}_Q dy = 0 \quad y(2) = 1$$

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = 2y \neq \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} = -y \Rightarrow \text{not exact}$$

Find integrating factor:

$$R = \frac{1}{Q} \left( \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} \right) = -\frac{1}{xy} (2y + y) = -\frac{3}{x} \Rightarrow R \text{ is a function of } x \text{ only}$$

$$\Rightarrow F(x) = \exp \int R dx = \exp(-3 \ln x) = e^{\ln x^{-3}} = \frac{1}{x^3}$$

Multiply ODE by  $F(x) = \frac{1}{x^3}$ :

$$\underbrace{\frac{x^4 + y^2}{x^3}}_M dx - \underbrace{\frac{y}{x^2}}_N dy = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \frac{2y}{x^3}, \quad \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = \frac{2y}{x^3} \Rightarrow \text{ODE is exact}$$

$$u = \int N dy + k(x) = -\int \frac{y}{x^2} dy + k(x) = -\frac{y^2}{2x^2} + k(x)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{y^2}{x^3} + \frac{dk}{dx} = M = \frac{x^4 + y^2}{x^3} \Rightarrow \frac{dk}{dx} = x \Rightarrow k(x) = \frac{x^2}{2} + c^*$$

$$u(x,y) = \boxed{-\frac{y^2}{2x^2} + \frac{x^2}{2} = c} \quad \text{general solution}$$

$$y(2) = 1 : u(2,1) = -\frac{1}{8} + \frac{4}{2} = c = \frac{15}{8} \Rightarrow$$

$$\text{particular solution} \quad \boxed{-\frac{y^2}{x^2} + x^2 = \frac{15}{4}} \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{x^4 - y^2 - \frac{15}{4}x^2 = 0}$$

1.4-18

$$\underbrace{\left(\cos xy + \frac{x}{y}\right)}_P dx + \underbrace{\left(1 + \frac{x}{y} \cos xy\right)}_Q dy = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = -x \sin xy - \frac{x}{y^2}$$

} ODE is not exact

$$\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} = \frac{\cos xy}{y} + \frac{x}{y} \sin xy$$

let's use theorem 1:

$$R = \frac{1}{Q} \left( \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} \right) = \frac{-x \sin xy - \frac{x}{y^2} - \frac{\cos xy}{y} + \frac{x \sin xy}{y}}{1 + \frac{x}{y} \cos xy} = -\frac{1}{x} \frac{\frac{x}{y} + \cos xy}{\frac{y}{x} + \cos xy}$$

R fails because it's a function of both x and y

let's use theorem 2:

$$R^* = \frac{1}{P} \left( \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial P}{\partial y} \right) = \frac{\frac{\cos xy}{y} - x \sin xy + x \sin xy + \frac{x}{y^2}}{\cos xy + \frac{x}{y}} = \frac{1}{y} \frac{\cos xy + \frac{x}{y}}{\cos xy + \frac{x}{y}} = \frac{1}{y}$$

$$F^*(y) = \exp \int R^* dy = \exp \int \frac{1}{y} dy = \exp(\ln y) = y$$

this gives the exact ODE:  $F^*P dx + F^*Q dy = 0$

$$\underbrace{(y \cos xy + x)}_M dx + \underbrace{(y + x \cos xy)}_N dy = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = \cos xy + xy \sin xy, \quad \frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = \cos xy - xy \sin xy \Rightarrow \text{exact ODE}$$

let's integrate M with respect to x:

$$u = \int M dx + k(y) = \int (y \cos xy + x) dx + k(y) = \sin xy + \frac{x^2}{2} + k(y)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = x \cos xy + \frac{dk}{dy} = N = y + x \cos xy \Rightarrow \frac{dk}{dy} = y \Rightarrow k = \frac{1}{2}y^2 + c^+$$

$$u(x,y) = \boxed{\sin xy + \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{y^2}{2} = c} \quad \text{general solution}$$

1.5-1

show that  $e^{-\ln x} = \frac{1}{x}$

and  $e^{-\ln(\sec x)} = \cos x$

1)  $e^{-\ln x} = e^{\ln x^{-1}} = x^{-1} = \frac{1}{x}$

2)  $e^{-\ln(\sec x)} = e^{\ln(\sec x)^{-1}} = \frac{1}{\sec x} = \cos x$