

## Math 2C03 - Assignment #3 [Written part]

[4pts] 1. Solutions of autonomous DEs behave asymptotically (approach a value arbitrarily close) & have the translation property (if  $y(x)$  is a solution of an autonomous DE  $y' = F(y)$ , then  $y_1(x) = y(x-K)$  is also a solution  $\forall K \in \mathbb{R}$ ). We briefly discussed why both of these things were true in class, but didn't formally write down the details.

Please give a detailed explanation why both of these facts are true. In your argument, be sure to include why graphs of nonconstant solutions can't cross the graph of a constant solution, can't oscillate or have rel. max./min., & why they must always be increasing or decreasing. (Recall: given  $y' = F(y)$ , we assume  $F$  &  $F'$  are cont. on some interval  $I$ ).

Translation Property: We can see this by looking at the direction field of  $y' = F(y)$ .

The slope at any point  $(x_0, y_0)$  does not depend on  $x$ . Therefore, in the direction field, slopes along a horizontal line are all the same. i.e.  $\frac{dy}{dx}(x_0, y_0) = F(y_0) = \frac{dy}{dx}(x_0 - K, y_0)$  for any  $K \in \mathbb{R}$ . Therefore, given a solution curve  $y(x)$ , we can translate to the right & left by  $K$ , & we'll still have a solution.

More concretely: Suppose  $y(x)$  is a solution of  $y' = F(y)$ .

Then  $\frac{dy}{dx} y(x-K) = y'(x-K) = F(y(x-K)) \Rightarrow y(x-K)$  is a solution too. ( $F(y)$  not depend on  $x$ ).

Behave asymptotically:

Non-constant

Solutions  $\tilde{y}$  won't cross the graph of constant

solutions  $y=c$  for the following reason:

To  $y' = F(y)$  &  $F$  &  $F'$  are cont. on  $I \Rightarrow \exists$

an interval  $I_0$  around every point in  $I$  s.t.

a solution exists & is unique on  $I_0$  (Theorem 1.2.1).

Suppose  $\tilde{y}$  intersects  $y=c$  at a point  $(x_0, c)$ .

Then the IVP with  $y(x_0) = c$  would have 2

distinct solutions, which is a contradiction.  $\therefore y \neq \tilde{y}$

can't intersect.

Non-constant solutions must be increasing or decreasing for

the following reason: we know  $\tilde{y}' = F(\tilde{y})$  is continuous.

Therefore, the solution is smooth, & if it changes from

increasing to decreasing (or vice-versa) there must

exist a point where  $\tilde{y}' = 0$ .  $\therefore \tilde{y}' = 0$  must intersect

a constant solution  $y=c$ . But by the previous

paragraph we know this can't happen.

Similarly, if the graph of  $\tilde{y}$  oscillated or had

a rel. max/min, then it must have a horizontal

tangent line at some point, which is contradiction.

Therefore, for each non-constant solution = curve  $\tilde{y}$ ,

if it has a constant  $y=c$  solution above/below it,

it must approach  $c$  asymptotically.

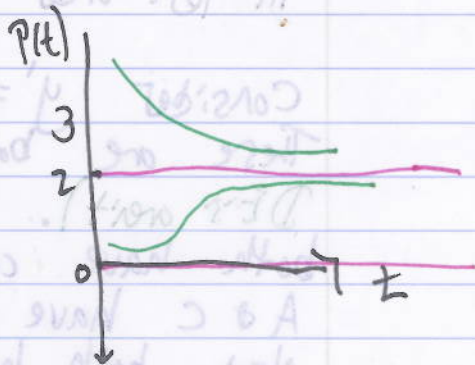
[30pts] 2. Suppose that the population  $p$  (in thousands) of squirrels in Hamilton can be modelled by the DE  $\frac{dp}{dt} = p(2-p)$ .

(a) If the initial population of squirrels is 3000, what can you say about the long-term behaviour of the squirrel population?

$$p(2-p) = 0 \Leftrightarrow p = 0 \text{ or } p = 2.$$



Can't have  
neg. squirrels



Squirrel population  
will tend to 2000 in  
the long-term.

(b) Can a population of 1000 ever decline to 500? Explain.

No, b/c solution curves strictly increasing b/w  $0 < p < 2$ , so if we begin w/ 1000 it'll never decrease to 500.

(c) Can a population of 1000 ever increase to 3000? Explain.

No, b/c a solution curve starting at  $p=1$  can't cross the constant solution  $p=2$ , so it will tend to 2000, but can never reach 3000.

[3pts] B.

Consider the 1<sup>st</sup>-order DE's  $y' = (2-y)(3-y)$ ,  $y' = (y-2)(3-y)$ ,  $y' = (2-x)(3+x)$ ,  $y' = (2-y)(3+x)$ .

Assign the direction fields below to the appropriate DE, & write a short paragraph to justify your choices.

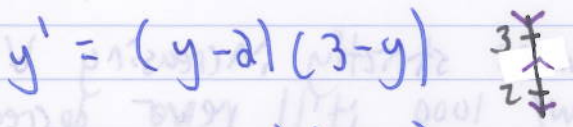
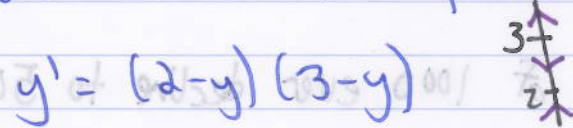
\* I'm not going to draw the 3 direction fields here, so let me notate them as **A**, **B**, **C** in the order they appear on the assignment, from left to right.\*

Consider  $y' = (2-y)(3-y)$  &  $y' = (y-2)(3-y)$ . These are both autonomous DE's (& the other two DE's aren't).

Therefore, their direction fields will both have constant slope along horizontal strips.

A & C have this property (& B does not). Now, both have constant solutions  $y=2$  &  $y=3$ .

Let's look at their phase portrait:



$\therefore y' = (2-y)(3-y)$  corresponds to **C**, since in C slope is pos. above  $y=3$ , neg. below  $y=3$  & above  $y=2$ , & pos. below  $y=2$ .

$\therefore y' = (y-2)(3-y)$  corr. to **A**, since in A slope is neg. in  $(3, \infty)$ , pos. in  $(2, 3)$ , & neg. in  $(-\infty, 2)$ .

Now, **B** is s.t. slopes are constant along vertical strips  $\Rightarrow y'$  should only depend on  $x \Rightarrow$  B corr. to  $y' = (2-x)(3+x)$ . [Could also see this since horizontal slope at  $x=-3$  &  $x=2$ ].

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1. Consider the slope field shown.

(a) For the solution that satisfies  $y(0) = 0$ , sketch the solution curve & estimate the following:

$y(1) \approx -0.75$  &  $y(-1) \approx 0.75$

(b) For  $y(0) = 1$ ,  $y(1) \approx 1.75$  &  $y(-1) \approx 1$ .

(c) For  $y(0) = -1$ ,  $y(1) \approx -1$  &  $y(-1) \approx -1$ .

2. Consider the slope field shown.

(a) For  $y(0) = 0$ ,  $y(1) \approx 0.75$  &  $y(-1) \approx 0.5$ .

(b) For  $y(0) = 1$ ,  $y(0.5) \approx 1.75$  &  $y(-1) \approx 0.75$ .

(c) For  $y(0) = -1$ ,  $y(1) \approx -2$  &  $y(-1) \approx 0$ .

3. Match the eq<sup>n</sup> w/ the direction field. \* the order of these will vary b/w users \*

$y' = -\frac{(2x+y)}{2y}$   $\leftrightarrow$  A. [when  $x=0$ , slope is  $-\frac{1}{2}$ . only one picture has this property]

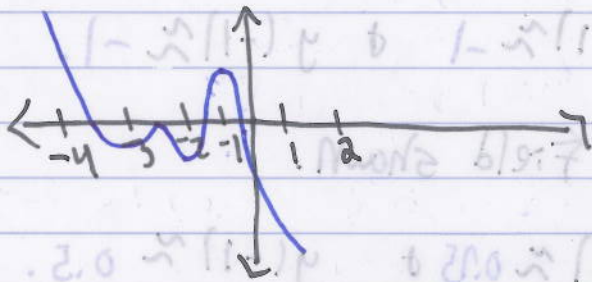
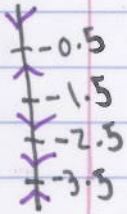
$y' = y + x e^{-x} + 1$   $\leftrightarrow$  C. [when  $y=0$ , slope will be positive

But in B we have a slope of 0 when  $x=0$ , which isn't the case here.  $\therefore$  C.]

$y' = 2xy + 2xe^{-x^2}$   $\leftarrow$  B. [when  $x=0$  slope is 0. only B has this property].

$y' = 2 \sin(3x) + 1 + y$   $\leftarrow$  D. [when  $x=0, x=-\pi, x=\pi$  we'll have a slope of  $y+1$ . This is the only direction field with that property].

4. Given the DE  $x'(t) = F(x(t))$ , list the constant solutions in increasing order and indicate if they're stable, semi-stable, or unstable.



-3.5 stable  
-2.5 semi-stable  
-1.5 unstable  
-0.5 stable

5. Match the DE with the direction field.

$y' = \sin x \sin y$   $\leftarrow$  B. [when  $x=0$  the slope will be zero. B & D have this property, but in D we also have slope zero at  $y=-1$ , which isn't the case here.  $\therefore$  B]. \* answers will vary b/w users \*

$y' = x(1-y)$   $\leftarrow$  D. [slope of zero when  $x=0$  & when  $y=1$ ].

$y' = x + y - 1$   $\leftarrow$  A. [when  $y=1$ , positive slope when  $x > 0$  & neg. slope when  $x < 0$ . A only direction field with this property].

$y' = -1 - y$   $\leftarrow$  C. [autonomous DE, so for each fixed  $y$  the slope is the same  $\forall x$ . C only direction field w/ this property].

6. Solve  $y' - \frac{2}{x}y = \frac{y^5}{x^7}$ ,  $y(1) = 1$ .

Bernoulli's eq<sup>n</sup> w/  $n = 5$ .

$$\left. \begin{aligned} u &= y^{1-5} = y^{-4} \\ \frac{du}{dx} &= -4y^{-5}y' \\ \Leftrightarrow -\frac{1}{4}\frac{du}{dx} &= y^{-5}y' \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} y^{-5}y' - \frac{2}{x}y^{-4} &= \frac{1}{x^7} \\ -\frac{1}{4}\frac{du}{dx} - \frac{2}{x}u &= x^{-7} \\ u' + \frac{8x^{-1}}{4}u &= \frac{-4x^{-7}}{4} \quad \text{linear} \end{aligned}$$

$$\int P(x)dx = \int 8x^{-1}dx = 8\ln x$$

$$u = e^{-8\ln x} \left[ \int e^{8\ln x} (4x^{-7}) dx \right]$$

$$= x^{-8} [4 \int x^8 x^{-7} dx] = 4x^{-8} [\int x dx] = -4x^{-8} [\frac{1}{2}x^2 + c]$$

$$= -2x^{-6} - 4x^{-8}c$$

$$\therefore y^{-4} = -2x^{-6} - 4x^{-8}c$$

$$y(1) = 1 \Rightarrow 1 = -2 - 4c \Rightarrow 3 = -4c \Rightarrow c = -\frac{3}{4}$$

$$\therefore y^{-4} = -2x^{-6} + 3x^{-8} \Leftrightarrow y^{-4} = x^{-8}(-2 + 3x^{-2})$$

$$\Leftrightarrow y^4 = \frac{x^8}{\frac{3}{x^2} - 2}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow y^4 = \frac{x^8}{3 - 2x^2}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow y = \frac{x^2}{(3 - 2x^2)^{\frac{1}{4}}}$$

choose pos. b/c need  $y(1) = 1$ .

7. Solve the IVP =  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3x \cdot \sec\left(\frac{3y}{x}\right) + 9y}{9x}$ ,  $y(1) = \frac{\pi}{6}$ .

$$\underbrace{(3x \sec\left(\frac{3y}{x}\right) + 9y)}_M dx + \underbrace{(-9x)}_N dy = 0.$$

Here  $M$  &  $N$  are homogeneous of degree 1. Indeed,

$$M(tx, ty) = 3tx \sec\left(\frac{3ty}{tx}\right) + 9ty = tM(x, y).$$

$$N(tx, ty) = -9tx = tN(x, y). \checkmark \therefore \text{homog. DE.}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} y = ux \\ dy = x du + u dx \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} (3x \sec(3u) + 9ux) dx - 9x(x du + u dx) = 0 \\ \Leftrightarrow 3x \sec(3u) dx - 9x^2 du = 0 \end{array} \leftarrow \text{separable}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 3x \sec(3u) dx = 9x^2 du \Leftrightarrow \int \frac{1}{3x} dx = \int \frac{1}{\sec(3u)} du$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{3} \ln x = \int \cos(3u) du \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{3} \ln x = \frac{1}{3} \sin(3u) + C$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \ln x = \sin\left(\frac{3y}{x}\right) \Leftrightarrow \sin^{-1}(\ln x) = \frac{3y}{x}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow y = \frac{1}{3} x \sin^{-1}(\ln x).$$

$$y(1) = \frac{\pi}{6} \Rightarrow 1 \times \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{1}{3} \sin^{-1}(-c) \Leftrightarrow \frac{\pi}{2} = \sin^{-1}(-c) \therefore$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = -c \Leftrightarrow c = -1.$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{1}{3} x \sin^{-1}(\ln x + 1).$$



8. Solve the IVP  $bx \frac{dy}{dx} = by + b\sqrt{25x^2 - y^2}$ ;  $y(1) = 5\sin(1)$ .

$$\underbrace{(by + b\sqrt{25x^2 - y^2})}_{M} dx - \underbrace{bx}_{N} dy = 0. \text{ This is homog. of deg. 1, since}$$

$$M(tx, ty) = bty + b\sqrt{25t^2x^2 - t^2y^2} = t(by + b\sqrt{25x^2 - y^2}) = tM(x, y)$$

$$\& N(tx, ty) = -bxt = tN(x, y).$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{let } y = ux \\ dy = xdu + udx \end{array} \right\} (6ux + b\sqrt{25x^2 - u^2x^2}) dx - bx(xdu + udx)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 6x\sqrt{25 - u^2} dx = 6x^2 du \quad \leftarrow \text{separable}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \int \frac{1}{x} dx = \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{25 - u^2}} du$$

$$\text{let } u = 5\sin w \\ du = 5\cos w dw.$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \ln x = \int \frac{5\cos w}{5\sqrt{1 - \sin^2 w}} dw$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \ln x = \int \frac{\cos w}{\cos w} dw \quad \Leftrightarrow \ln x = w + c \quad \Leftrightarrow \ln x = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{5}u\right) + c.$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \ln x = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{5x}\right) + c.$$

$$y(1) = 5\sin(1) \Rightarrow 0 = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{5\sin(1)}{5}\right) + c$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = 1 + c \Rightarrow c = -1.$$

$$\therefore \ln x = \sin^{-1}\left(\frac{y}{5x}\right) - 1 \quad \Leftrightarrow \boxed{y = 5x \sin(\ln x + 1)}.$$

9. Solve the IVP  $\frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = e^{-2x} y^5$ ,  $y(1) = \left(\frac{18}{5e^{-2}}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$ .

Bernoulli's eq<sup>n</sup> w/  $n=5$ .

let  $u = y^{1-5} = y^{-4}$   
 $\frac{du}{dx} = -4y^{-5} \frac{dy}{dx}$

$y^{-5} \frac{dy}{dx} + 4y^{-4} = e$   
 $-1/4 \frac{du}{dx} + 4u = e$

$-1/4 \frac{du}{dx} = y^{-5} \frac{dy}{dx}$

$u' - 16u = -4e$  ← linear  
 P(x) = -16, Q(x) = -4e

$\int P(x)dx = \int -16dx = -16x$

$u = e^{16x} \left[ \int e^{-16x} (-4e^{-2x}) dx \right] = -4e^{16x} \left[ \int e^{-18x} dx \right]$

$= -4e^{16x} \left[ -\frac{1}{18} e^{-18x} + c \right]$

$\Rightarrow y^{-4} = \frac{2}{9} e^{-2x} - 4c e^{16x}$

$y(1) = \left(\frac{18}{5e^{-2}}\right)^{\frac{1}{4}}$

$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{18}{5e^{-2}}\right)^{-4} = \frac{2}{9} e^{-2} - 4e^{16} c$

$\Rightarrow \frac{5e^{-2}}{18} - \frac{4}{18} e^{-2} = -4e^{16} c \Rightarrow \frac{e^{-2}}{18} \cdot \frac{-1}{4} e^{-18} = c \Rightarrow c = -\frac{1}{72} e^{-18}$

$\therefore y^{-4} = \frac{2}{9} e^{-2x} + \frac{1}{18} e^{16x-18}$

$\Rightarrow y = \left( \frac{2}{9} e^{-2x} + \frac{1}{18} e^{16x-18} \right)^{-\frac{1}{4}}$

10. Solve the IVP  $y' = (x+y-3)^2$ ,  $y(0) = 0$ .

Ⓐ To solve this, we should make the substitution

$$u = x + y - 3.$$

$$u' = 1 + y'.$$

Ⓑ After the substitution in the previous part, we obtain the following DE in  $x, u, u'$ :

$$u' - 1 = u^2.$$

Ⓒ The solution to the IVP is:

separable

$$u' - 1 = u^2$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{du}{dx} = u^2 + 1 \Leftrightarrow \int \frac{1}{u^2 + 1} du = \int dx$$

$$1 + \tan^2 u = \sec^2 u$$

$$u = \tan w$$

$$du = \sec^2 w dw$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \int \frac{\sec^2 w}{\sec^2 w} dw = x + c \Leftrightarrow \tan^{-1} u = x + c \Leftrightarrow u = \tan(x + c)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow x + y - 3 = \tan(x + c) \Leftrightarrow y = -x + 3 + \tan(x + c).$$

$$y(0) = 0 \Rightarrow 0 = 3 + \tan(c) \Leftrightarrow c = \tan^{-1}(-3).$$

$$\therefore \boxed{y = -x + 3 + \tan(x + \tan^{-1}(-3))}.$$