

1.a: IVP's

# 5, 7, 15, 19, 25, 27, 49

5.  $y = \frac{1}{x^2+c}$  is a 1-parameter family of solutions of  $y' + 2xy^2 = 0$ . Find a solution of IVP  $y(0)=1$  & give largest interval over which solution is defined.

$$y(0)=1 \Rightarrow 1 = \frac{1}{0^2+c} \Rightarrow 1 = \frac{1}{c} \Rightarrow c=1. \therefore y = \frac{1}{x^2+1}$$

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

Need largest interval  $y$  defined &  $y'$  cont.

$y$  defined everywhere, since  $x^2+1 > 0$ .  $y'$  defined everywhere too & quotient of polynomials  $\Rightarrow$  cont..

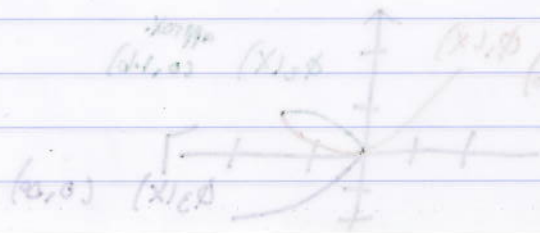
$\therefore y = \frac{1}{x^2+1}$  solution on  $(-\infty, \infty)$ .

7.  $x = c_1 \cos t + c_2 \sin t$  2-par. family of solutions of 2<sup>nd</sup>-order DE  $x'' + x = 0$ . Find a solution of IVP for  $x(0) = -1, x'(0) = 8$ .

$$x(0) = -1 \Rightarrow -1 = c_1 \cos(0) + c_2 \sin(0) \Rightarrow -1 = c_1$$

$$x' = -c_1 \sin t + c_2 \cos t \cdot x'(0) = 8 \Rightarrow 8 = c_2$$

$\therefore x = -\cos t + 8 \sin t$  solution (on  $(-\infty, \infty)$ ).





15. Determine by inspection 2 solutions of IVP:  $y' = 3y^{2/3}$ ,  $y(0) = 0$ .

The constant function  $y=0$  is sol.  $y(0)=0$  &  $y'=0$ , so  $y' = 3y^{2/3} \Leftrightarrow 0=0$ . ✓

Try:  $y = x^3$ .  $y(0)=0$ . ✓  $y' = 3x^2$ .  $3y^{2/3} = 3x^2$ .

∴  $y=0$  &  $y=x^3$  are 2 solutions of the IVP. Same ✓

19. Determine a region of the  $xy$ -plane for which the DE  $x \frac{dy}{dx} = y$  has a unique solution whose graph passes through a pt  $(x_0, y_0)$  in the region.

Recall: Theorem 1.2.1: Existence of a Unique Solution:



Let  $R$  be a rectangular region in the  $xy$ -plane defined by  $a \leq x \leq b$ ,  $c \leq y \leq d$  that contains the pt  $(x_0, y_0)$  in its interior. If  $f(x, y)$  &  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$  are cont.

on  $R$ , then  $\exists$  an interval  $I_0: (x_0-h, x_0+h)$ ,  $h > 0$ , contained in  $[a, b]$  & a unique function  $y(x)$  defined on  $I_0$  that is a solution to the IVP:  $\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y)$ ,  $y(x_0) = y_0$ .

$x \frac{dy}{dx} = y \Leftrightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x}$ . So, here

$f(x, y) = \frac{y}{x}$ .  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = x^{-1}$ .

$f$  is cont. on  $(0, \infty)$  &  $(-\infty, 0)$ . Same w/  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ .

∴ The regions  $(0, \infty)$  &  $(-\infty, 0)$  would both guarantee a unique solution. We could choose either as answer.

i.e. there is some  $I_0$  in those regions.



**25-27**: Determine whether Theorem 1.2.1 guarantees that the DE  $y' = \sqrt{y^2 - 9}$  possesses a unique solution through the given pt.

25. (1, 4):  $y' = \sqrt{y^2 - 9} \Rightarrow F(x, y) = \sqrt{y^2 - 9}$ .

$\frac{dF}{dy} = \frac{1}{2}(y^2 - 9)^{-1/2} \cdot 2y = \frac{y}{\sqrt{y^2 - 9}}$ .

F defined when  $y^2 - 9 \geq 0 \Leftrightarrow y^2 \geq 9 \Leftrightarrow |y| \geq 3$   
 $\Leftrightarrow y \geq 3$  or  $y \leq -3$ .  $\therefore F$  cont. on  $[3, \infty) \cup (-\infty, -3]$ .

For  $\frac{\partial F}{\partial y}$  we also need  $y^2 - 9 \neq 0 \Leftrightarrow y \neq 3$  or  $y \neq -3$ .

i.e.  $F$  &  $\frac{dF}{dy}$  are both cont. on  $(-\infty, -3)$  &  $(3, \infty)$ .

$\therefore$  The only intervals where the Theorem applies are  $(3, \infty)$  &  $(-\infty, -3)$ .

Since yes, we could choose an interval  $R$  in that contains (1, 4) for which Theorem 1.2.1 applies. ✓

27. (2, -3):

By our computation in #25,  $F$  &  $\frac{dF}{dy}$  are only cont. for  $\{y \mid y < -3 \text{ or } y \geq 3\}$ .

Since  $y = -3$  is not in this range  $\Rightarrow$  we can't use Theorem 1.2.1 to guarantee a unique solution.  $\therefore$  No! (i.e. no guarantee of a unique solution).