

MAT 2384 C Assignment #1 Solutions

1. $2(1+x^2)yy' = 2x+3, y(0)=1$

the DE is separable: $2yy' = \frac{2x+3}{1+x^2}$

so $\int 2y dy = \int \left(\frac{2x}{1+x^2} + \frac{3}{1+x^2} \right) dx + C$

giving $y^2 = \ln(1+x^2) + 3 \arctan x + C$ (general solution)

$y(0)=1$ (and $y > 0$) means that

$$(1)^2 = \ln(1) + 3 \arctan(0) + C \Rightarrow C = 1$$

\therefore the unique solution is

$$y = \sqrt{\ln(1+x^2) + 3 \arctan x + 1}$$

2. $\cot x \sin y y' = 1, y(0) = 0$

the DE is also separable: $\sin y y' = \tan x$

and so $\int \sin y dy = \int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} dx + C$

which gives $-\cos y = -\ln|\cos x| + C$

or $\cos y = \ln|\cos x| + C$

and so the general solution is $y = \arccos(\ln|\cos x| + C)$

$y(0) = 0 \Rightarrow 0 = \arccos(\ln(\cos(0)) + C)$

$0 = \arccos(\ln(1) + C) = \arccos(C)$

thus $C = 1$. and the unique solution is

$$y = \arccos(\ln|\cos x| + 1)$$

3. $(x \tan(y/x) - y) dx + x dy = 0, y(1) = \pi/2$

$M(x,y) = x \tan(y/x) - y$
 $N(x,y) = x$ } both homogeneous of degree 1

we let $u = y/x$, ie $y = ux, dy = u dx + x du$
and the DE becomes

$$(x \tan u - ux) dx + x(u dx + x du) = 0$$

$$\text{or } x \tan u \, dx - ux/dx + ux/dx + x^2 du = 0$$

$$\text{or } x \tan u \, dx + x^2 du = 0$$

separates as $\cot u \, du = -\frac{1}{x} \, dx$

integrate $\int \frac{\cos u}{\sin u} \, du = \int -\frac{1}{x} \, dx + C$

we get $\ln |\sin u| = -\ln |x| + C$

or $\sin u = e^{-\ln|x|+C} = e^C e^{-\ln|x|} = K/x$

thus $u = \arcsin(K/x) \Rightarrow y = x \arcsin(K/x)$ (gen. sol'n)

$y(1) = \pi/2 \Rightarrow \pi/2 = (1) \arcsin(K/1) = \arcsin(K)$

then $K=1$ and the unique solution

$$y = x \arcsin(1/x)$$

4. $(4xy^4 + 3y^2) \, dx + (8x^2y^3 + 6xy + 3y^2) \, dy = 0, \quad y(1) = -1$

$$\begin{aligned} M(x,y) &= 4xy^4 + 3y^2 \Rightarrow M_y = 16xy^3 + 6y \\ N(x,y) &= 8x^2y^3 + 6xy + 3y^2 \Rightarrow N_x = 16xy^3 + 6y \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} M(x,y) \\ N(x,y) \end{aligned}} \right\} \begin{array}{l} M_y = N_x \\ \text{DE is exact} \end{array}$$

then $F(x,y) = \int M(x,y) \, dx + g(y) \quad (\text{or } \int N(x,y) \, dy + g(x))$
 $= \int (4xy^4 + 3y^2) \, dx + g(y)$
 $= 2x^2y^4 + 3xy^2 + g(y)$

so $\frac{dF}{dy} = 8x^2y^3 + 6xy + g'(y) = N(x,y) = 8x^2y^3 + 6xy + 3y^2$
 then $g'(y) = 3y^2 \Rightarrow g(y) = y^3$

then $F(x,y) = 2x^2y^4 + 3xy^2 + y^3$

and the general solution is $2x^2y^4 + 3xy^2 + y^3 = C$

$y(1) = -1 \Rightarrow 2(1)^2(-1)^4 + 3(1)(-1)^2 + (-1)^3 = C \Rightarrow C = 4$

\therefore the unique solution is

$$2x^2y^4 + 3xy^2 + y^3 = 4$$

5. $(e^y + \frac{3}{x})dx + (xe^y - 4\sin y)dy = 0, \quad y(1) = 0$
 $M(x,y) = e^y + \frac{3}{x} \Rightarrow M_y = e^y$
 $N(x,y) = xe^y - 4\sin y \Rightarrow N_x = e^y$ } $M_y = N_x$
 $\therefore DE$ is exact

$$F(x,y) = \int N(x,y) dy + g(x) \quad (\text{or } \int M(x,y) dx + g(y))$$

$$= \int (xe^y - 4\sin y) dy + g(x)$$

$$= xe^y + 4\cos y + g(x)$$

so $\frac{dF}{dx} = e^y + g'(x) = M(x,y) = e^y + \frac{3}{x}$
 and so $g'(x) = \frac{3}{x} \Rightarrow g(x) = 3\ln|x|$

thus $F(x,y) = xe^y + 4\cos y + 3\ln|x|$

and the general solution is $xe^y + 4\cos y + 3\ln|x| = C$

$y(1) = 0 \Rightarrow (1)e^0 + 4\cos(0) + 3\ln(1) = C \Rightarrow C = 5$

\therefore the unique solution is

$xe^y + 4\cos y + 3\ln|x| = 5$

6. $f(x) = x^3 - 6x + 4 \quad f(0) = 4 \quad \therefore$ sign change on $[0,1]$
 $f(1) = -1 \quad$ so root in $[0,1]$

$f(x) = x^3 - 6x + 4 = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{x^3 + 4}{6}$

take $g(x) = \frac{x^3 + 4}{6}$, which will satisfy the fixed-pt condition

also $|g'(x)| = \left| \frac{3x^2}{6} \right| = \frac{1}{2}x^2 \leq \frac{1}{2} < 1$ on $[0,1]$

thus $x_{n+1} = g(x_n)$ will generate a convergent sequence

$x_0 = 0.5, \quad x_1 = g(0.5) = \frac{(0.5)^3 + 4}{6} = 0.6875$

$x_2 = g(0.6875) = 0.720825$

$x_3 = g(0.720825) = 0.729089$

$x_4 = g(0.729089) = 0.731260$

$$\begin{aligned} x_5 &= g(0.731260) = 0.731839 & x_9 &= g(0.732047) = 0.732050 \\ x_6 &= g(0.731839) = 0.731994 & x_{10} &= g(0.732050) = 0.732051 \\ x_7 &= g(0.731994) = 0.732036 & x_{11} &= g(0.732051) = 0.732051 \\ x_8 &= g(0.732036) = 0.732047 & & \therefore \text{stop} \end{aligned}$$

(check: $f(0.732051) \approx -8.45 \times 10^{-7} \therefore \text{okay!}$)

\therefore the root is $\boxed{0.732051}$

7. $f(x) = x^3 - 6x + 4$, $f'(x) = 3x^2 - 6$, $x_0 = 0.5$

$$x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} = x_n - \frac{x_n^3 - 6x_n + 4}{3x_n^2 - 6} = \frac{2x_n^3 - 4}{3x_n^2 - 6}$$

$$x_0 = 0.5, \quad x_1 = \frac{2(0.5)^3 - 4}{3(0.5)^2 - 6} = 0.714286$$

$$x_2 = 0.731898$$

$$x_3 = 0.732051$$

$$x_4 = 0.732051 \therefore \text{stop} \quad \text{root is } \boxed{0.732051}$$

8. if $\ln x = 9 - x^2$, then $f(x) = \ln x - 9 + x^2 = 0$

$$\therefore f'(x) = \frac{1}{x} + 2x$$

$$\therefore x_{n+1} = x_n - \frac{f(x_n)}{f'(x_n)} = x_n - \frac{\ln(x_n) - 9 + x_n^2}{\frac{1}{x_n} + 2x_n} = \frac{10 - \ln x_n + x_n^2}{\frac{1}{x_n} + 2x_n}$$

$$x_0 = 2, \quad x_1 = \frac{10 - \ln(2) + (2)^2}{\frac{1}{2} + 2(2)} = 2.9571$$

$$x_2 = 2.8246$$

$$x_3 = 2.8218$$

$$x_4 = 2.8218 \therefore \text{stop}$$

\therefore the solution is $\boxed{x = 2.8218}$

$$\left(\begin{aligned} \text{check: } \ln(2.8218) &= 1.037375 \\ 9 - (2.8218)^2 &= 1.037448 \\ &\therefore \text{okay!} \end{aligned} \right)$$