

Math 217 - September 7, 2010

- Separable differential equations
- Logistic equation
- First order linear equations

1. $\frac{dx}{dt} = kx$ (where k is an arbitrary constant)

2. $\frac{dy}{dx} = 3e^y x^2$

3. $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\sin x}{y \cos y}$

4. $\frac{dy}{dx} = -9x^2 y^2$

5. $\frac{dy}{dx} = -2xe^y$

6. $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x}{y-1}$

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

Lecture Problems

8. For the first order linear equation:

- Find the integrating factor: $\rho = e^{\int P(x) dx}$
- Multiply the integrating factor through the differential equation.
- Make sure the left hand side is equal to $(\rho y)'$.
- Integrate the right hand side.
- Solve the differential equation.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} - 2y = 4 - x$$

9. Solve the first order linear equations

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