

1- Homework #1 Solutions (Regular section part) (with sub)

Problem 1 $Q' = -rQ \Rightarrow Q(t) = Q(0)e^{-rt}$ (as shown in class)

\Rightarrow if t_1 is the half-life then $\frac{Q(t_1)}{Q(0)} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow$
 $\frac{Q(0)e^{-rt_1}}{Q(0)} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow e^{-rt_1} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow -rt_1 = \ln \frac{1}{2} = -\ln 2 \Rightarrow$

\Rightarrow $t_1 = \frac{\ln 2}{r}$

Problem 2 (a) Assume that $v(t) = v_e$ is a solution. Plugging in
 into equation (1): $v'(t) = 0 = g \cdot s - \frac{v_e}{a} \Rightarrow$ $v_e = g \cdot s \cdot a$

(b) $v' = g \cdot s - \frac{v}{a} \Rightarrow$ separating $\frac{dv}{g \cdot s - \frac{v}{a}} = dt \Rightarrow$ integrate $\int \frac{dv}{g \cdot s - \frac{v}{a}} = t + C_1$

$\int \frac{dv}{g \cdot s - \frac{v}{a}} = -a \int \frac{du}{u} = -a \ln |u| = -a \ln |g \cdot s - \frac{v}{a}| \Rightarrow$

$u = g \cdot s - \frac{v}{a} \Rightarrow du = -\frac{1}{a} dv \Rightarrow dv = -a du$

$= a \ln |g \cdot s - \frac{v}{a}| = t + C_1 \Rightarrow \ln |g \cdot s - \frac{v}{a}| = -\frac{t}{a} + \left(\frac{C_1}{a}\right)$
 call it C_2

Exponentiate $\Rightarrow |g \cdot s - \frac{v}{a}| = e^{C_2} e^{-t/a} \Rightarrow g \cdot s - \frac{v}{a} = (\pm e^{C_2}) e^{-t/a} \Rightarrow$
 call it C_3

$g \cdot s - \frac{v}{a} = C_3 e^{-t/a} \Rightarrow \frac{v}{a} = g \cdot s - C_3 e^{-t/a} \Rightarrow$
 $v(t) = g \cdot s a - (a C_3) e^{-t/a} = g \cdot s a + C e^{-t/a}$ (1)

Here you also could use class notes:
 call it C

$y' = \alpha y + \beta$ has a general solution $y(t) = -\frac{\beta}{\alpha} + C e^{\alpha t}$ (2)

In an... $\frac{1}{a}$ and $\frac{1}{a}$

In our case $\alpha = -\frac{1}{2}$ and $\beta = 9.8 \Rightarrow -\frac{\beta}{\alpha} = 9.8a$ and we get (1) from 2

(1) 2 initial conditions $v(0) = 4.9a \Rightarrow$

$$4.9a = 9.8a + C \Rightarrow C = -4.9a \Rightarrow$$

$$v(t) = 9.8a - 4.9a e^{-t/2} = 4.9a(2 - e^{-t/2})$$

(c) If $\frac{1}{5}$ is required time then

$$v(t) = \frac{9}{10} \cdot 9.8a = 4.9a(2 - e^{-t/2}) \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{9}{5} = 2 - e^{-t/2} \Rightarrow e^{-t/2} = 2 - \frac{9}{5} = \frac{1}{5} \Rightarrow$$

$$-t/2 = \ln \frac{1}{5} = -\ln 5 \Rightarrow t_1 = (\ln 5)a$$

(d) the distance = $\int_0^{\ln 5 a} 4.9a(2 - e^{-t/2}) dt = 4.9a(2t + 2e^{-t/2}) \Big|_0^{\ln 5 a}$

$$= 4.9a \left(2 \ln 5 a + 2 \frac{e^{-\frac{\ln 5}{2}} - 2}{e^{-\ln 5} - 1} \right) = 4.9a e^2 \left(2 \ln 5 - \frac{4}{5} \right)$$

Problem 3

(a) $2t + ty^2 + e^{t^2} y y' = 0$

Express y' : $e^{t^2} y y' = -2t - ty^2 = -t(y^2 + 2) \Rightarrow$

$$y' = \frac{-t}{e^{t^2}} \frac{y^2 + 2}{y}$$

separable

Separate \Rightarrow

$$\frac{y dy}{y^2 + 2} =$$

$$-t e^{-t^2} dt$$

\Rightarrow Integred $\int \frac{y dy}{y^2 + 2} = \int -t e^{-t^2} dt$

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$$\int \frac{y}{y^2+2} dy = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{du}{u} = \frac{1}{2} \ln|u| = \frac{1}{2} \ln(y^2+2)$$

u-substitution

$$u = y^2 + 2 \Rightarrow du = 2dy \Rightarrow dy = \frac{1}{2} du$$

$$\int -te^{-t^2} dt = \frac{1}{2} \int e^u du = \frac{1}{2} e^u = \frac{1}{2} e^{-t^2}$$

u-substitution $u = -t^2 \Rightarrow du = -2t dt \Rightarrow -t dt = \frac{1}{2} du$

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~~$$\frac{1}{2} \ln(y^2+2) = \frac{1}{2} e^{-t^2} + C_1$$~~

Exponentiate: $y^2+2 = e^{e^{-t^2}} \Rightarrow y^2+2 = C e^{e^{-t^2}} \Rightarrow$

$$y^2 = C e^{e^{-t^2}} - 2 \Rightarrow \boxed{y = \pm \sqrt{C e^{e^{-t^2}} - 2}} \quad C > 0$$

b) $(xy^2+x) \frac{dy}{dx} + x^2y - y = 0$

Explicit $\frac{dy}{dx}$: $\frac{(xy^2+x) \frac{dy}{dx} + x^2y - y = 0}{x(y^2+1)} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y - x^2y}{y^2+1} = \frac{1-x^2}{x} \cdot \frac{1}{y^2+1}$

separable

separable $\Rightarrow \frac{y^2+1}{y} dy = \frac{1-x^2}{x} dx$ or $(y + \frac{1}{y}) dy = (\frac{1}{x} - x) dx$

Integrate: $\int (y + \frac{1}{y}) dy = \int (\frac{1}{x} - x) dx + C \Rightarrow$

$$\boxed{\frac{y^2}{2} + \ln|y| = \ln|x| - \frac{x^2}{2} + C \rightarrow \text{general solution}}$$

-1- It was a misprint in the original text of the assignment regarding the initial conditions: $y(0) = e$ is impossible. I meant $y(1) = e$. This part will not be graded, but I still want to give a solution:

Plugging $y(1) = e$ into $\frac{y^2}{2} + \ln|y| = \ln|x| - \frac{x^2}{2} + C$:

$$\frac{e^2}{2} + \frac{\ln e}{1} = \frac{\ln 1}{0} - \frac{1}{2} + C \Rightarrow C = \frac{e^2}{2} + \frac{3}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{y^2}{2} + \ln|y| = \ln|x| - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{e^2}{2} + \frac{3}{2}}$$

Problem 4 (a) $y' = \frac{y-2x}{2x+y} = \frac{\frac{y}{x} - 2}{2 + \frac{y}{x}}$

Let $u(x) = \frac{y(x)}{x} \Rightarrow y(x) = xu(x) \Rightarrow$

$y' = xu' + u \Rightarrow$ substituting u instead of y

into the original equation we get

$$xu' + u = \frac{u-2}{2+u} \Rightarrow xu' = \frac{u-2}{u+2} - u = \frac{u-2-u^2-2u}{u+2}$$

$$= -\frac{u^2+u+2}{u+2} \Rightarrow xu' = -\frac{u^2+u+2}{u+2} \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{(u+2) du}{u^2+u+2} = -\frac{dx}{x}$$

Integrate: $\int \frac{(u+2) du}{u^2+u+2} = \int \frac{dx}{x} + C$

$$\int \frac{u+2}{u^2+u+2} du = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{2u+1}{u^2+u+2} du + \frac{5}{2} \int \frac{du}{(u+\frac{1}{2})^2 + \frac{7}{4}} =$$

$$\frac{u+2}{u^2+u+2} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{2u+1}{u^2+u+2} + \frac{3}{2} \frac{1}{(u-\frac{1}{2})^2 + \frac{7}{4}}$$

logarithmic
denominator

$$= \frac{1}{2} \ln |u^2+u+2| + \frac{3}{2} \frac{2}{\sqrt{7}} \arctan \frac{u+\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{\sqrt{7}}{2}} =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \ln |u^2+u+2| + \frac{3}{\sqrt{7}} \arctan \frac{2u+1}{\sqrt{7}} \quad (\text{then I use a table})$$

integral $\int \frac{1}{x^2+a^2} = \frac{1}{a} \arctan \frac{x}{a}$

$$\int \frac{dx}{x} = \ln |x| + C$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \ln |u^2+u+2| + \frac{3}{\sqrt{7}} \arctan \frac{2u+1}{\sqrt{7}} = -\ln |x| + C$$

Returning to the original unknown function y:

Since $u = \frac{y}{x}$:

$$\frac{1}{2} \ln \left| \frac{y^2}{x^2} + \frac{y}{x} + 2 \right| + \frac{3}{\sqrt{7}} \arctan \frac{2\frac{y}{x} + 1}{\frac{\sqrt{7}}{2}} =$$

$$= -\ln |x| + C$$

$\frac{2y+x}{\sqrt{7}x}$

$$4(e) \quad y' = (3x - 2y - 1)^2$$

$$\text{Let } u(x) = 3x - 2y - 1 \Rightarrow y'(x) = \frac{1}{2} (3x - 1 - u(x)) \Rightarrow$$

$$y' = \frac{1}{2} (3 - u') \Rightarrow \text{substitute } u \text{ into the}$$

equation u instead of y :

$$\frac{1}{2} (3 - u') = u^2 \Rightarrow u' = 3 - 2u^2 \Rightarrow \text{separate}$$

$$\frac{du}{3 - 2u^2} = dx \Rightarrow \text{Integrate } \int \frac{du}{3 - 2u^2} = x + C_1(x)$$

$$\frac{1}{3 - 2u^2} = \frac{1}{(\sqrt{3+2u})(\sqrt{3-2u})} \Rightarrow \frac{A}{\sqrt{3+2u}} + \frac{B}{\sqrt{3-2u}} =$$

partial
fraction
decomposition

$$1 = A(\sqrt{3-2u}) + B(\sqrt{3+2u})$$

$$\text{If } u = -\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow 1 = B(\sqrt{3} - \sqrt{2} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}}) = 2\sqrt{3}B \Rightarrow$$

$$B = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\text{If } u = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow 1 = 2\sqrt{3}A \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \Rightarrow$$

$$\frac{1}{3 - 2u^2} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{3+2u}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3-2u}} \right) \Rightarrow$$

$$\int \frac{dy}{3-2y^2} = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \left(\int \frac{dy}{\sqrt{3-2y}} + \int \frac{dy}{\sqrt{3+2y}} \right) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} (-\ln|\sqrt{3-2y}| + \ln|\sqrt{3+2y}|) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \ln \left| \frac{\sqrt{3+2y}}{\sqrt{3-2y}} \right|$$

Returning to the equation (*) on page 6

$$\frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}} \ln \left| \frac{\sqrt{3+2y}}{\sqrt{3-2y}} \right| = 2x + C_1 =$$

$$\ln \left| \frac{\sqrt{3+2y}}{\sqrt{3-2y}} \right| = 2\sqrt{3}x + \frac{2\sqrt{3}C_1}{C_2}$$

Exponentiate: $\left| \frac{\sqrt{3+2y}}{\sqrt{3-2y}} \right| = e^{2\sqrt{3}x} e^{C_2}$

$$\frac{\sqrt{3+2y}}{\sqrt{3-2y}} = \pm e^{C_2} e^{2\sqrt{3}x} = C e^{2\sqrt{3}x}$$

Express y in terms of x (this is possible in this case)

$$\sqrt{3+2y} = (\sqrt{3-2y}) C e^{2\sqrt{3}x} \Rightarrow$$

$$(\sqrt{2} + \sqrt{2} C e^{2\sqrt{3}x}) y = \sqrt{3} C e^{2\sqrt{3}x} - \sqrt{3} \Rightarrow$$

$$y = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{C e^{2\sqrt{3}x} - 1}{C e^{2\sqrt{3}x} + 1}$$

Returning to the original unknown function:

$$y(x) = \frac{1}{2} (3x - 1 - y) = \left| \frac{1}{2} \left(3x - 1 - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{C e^{2\sqrt{3}x} - 1}{C e^{2\sqrt{3}x} + 1} \right) \right|$$