Homework 4

Due Thursday, Feb. 18 at the beginning of class.

- 1. Find an integrating factor and then solve the equation.
 - (a) $(3x^2 + y)dx + (x^2y x)dy = 0$ (b) $(2y^2 + 2y + 4x^2)dx + (2xy + x)dy = 0$
- 2. Find an integrating factor of the form $x^n y^m$ and then solve the equation

$$(2y^2 - 6xy)dx + (3xy - 4x^2)dy = 0$$

- 3. Find a general solution to the given differential equation.
 - (a) y'' + 8y' + 16y = 0
 - (b) y'' y' 2y = 0
 - (c) y'' 5y' + 6y = 0
 - (d) 4y'' 4y' + y = 0
- 4. Solve the given initial value problem.
 - (a) y'' + 2y' 8y = 0, y(0) = 3, y'(0) = -12
 - (b) y'' + 2y' + y = 0, y(0) = 2, y'(0) = 1
- 5. Determine the longest interval in which the given initial value problem is certain to have a unique solution. Do not solve the problem.

(a)
$$(1+t^2)y'' + ty' - y = \tan t, \ y(1) = y_0, \ y'(1) = y_1.$$

(b) $t(t-3)y'' + 2ty' - y = t^2, \ y(1) = y_0, \ y'(1) = y_1.$
(c) $e^ty'' + \frac{y'}{t-3} + y = \ln t, \ y(1) = y_0, \ y'(1) = y_1.$

- 6. Find the Wronskian for the given pair of functions.
 - (a) $y_1(t) = e^{3t}, y_2(t) = e^{-4t}.$
 - (b) $y_1(t) = e^{-t}\cos(2t), y_2(t) = e^{-t}\sin(2t).$