

DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

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Find the solution of the differential equation that satisfies the given initial condition.

1. $y' = xe^y, y(0) = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned} \int e^{-y} dy &= \int x dx \\ \Rightarrow -e^{-y} &= \frac{1}{2}x^2 + C \\ \Rightarrow e^{-y} &= -\frac{1}{2}x^2 - C \\ \Rightarrow -y &= \ln(-\frac{1}{2}x^2 - C) \\ \Rightarrow y &= -\ln(-\frac{1}{2}x^2 - C) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= -\ln(-\frac{1}{2}0^2 - C) \\ &= -\ln(C) \\ \Rightarrow C &= 1 \\ y &= -\ln(-\frac{1}{2}x^2 + 1) \end{aligned}$$

2. $y' = \frac{x \sin(x)}{y}, y(0) = -1$.

$$\begin{aligned} u &= x & v &= -\cos(x) \\ du &= dx & dv &= \sin(x)dx \end{aligned}$$

$$\int y dy = \int x \sin(x) dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}y^2 &= -x \cos(x) + \int \cos(x) dx \\ &= -x \cos(x) + \sin(x) + C \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = -\sqrt{2x \cos(x) + 2 \sin(x) + C}$$

$$-1 = -\sqrt{2(0) \cos(0) + 2 \sin(0) + C}$$

$$= -\sqrt{C}$$

$$\Rightarrow C = 1$$

$$y = -\sqrt{2x \cos(x) + 2 \sin(x) + 1}$$

3. $P' = \sqrt{Pt}$, $P(1) = 2$.

$$\int \frac{dP}{\sqrt{P}} = \int \sqrt{t} dt \Rightarrow 2\sqrt{P} = \frac{2}{3}t^{\frac{3}{2}} + C$$

$$\Rightarrow P = \left(\frac{1}{3}t^{\frac{3}{2}} + C\right)^2$$

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

$$\Rightarrow C = -\frac{1}{3} + \sqrt{2}$$

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

4. $y' = -x/y$, $y(0) = 3$.

$$\int y dy = \int -x dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2}y^2 = -\frac{1}{2}x^2 + C$$

$$\Rightarrow y^2 + x^2 = C$$

$$C = 3^2 + 0^2 = 9$$

$$y = \sqrt{9 - x^2}$$