

Part A. Ordinary Differential Equations (ODE)

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Partial " " (PDE)

ODE: $f(x) \quad \frac{df}{dx} = c$

PDE: $f(x, y, z, t) \quad \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = 0.$

Chap. 1. First-order ^{Ordinary} Differential Equations.

1.1. Basic Concepts.

① $y' = \cos x$ (1st)

② $y' + y = 0$ (1st)

③ $xy' + y^2 = 0$ (1st)

④ $y'' + y = 0$ (2nd)

General form of 1st-order DE.

$$F(x, y, y') = 0$$

OR $y' = f(x, y)$

Example of problem solving

Problem:
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radioactive substance ${}_{88}\text{Ra}^{226}$
 $m_0 = \frac{1}{2} \text{g}$
 0.5yr

Find: m at $t (= 10 \text{yr.})$

(1) Modeling :

* based on understanding of physics

(decomposing "rate") \propto (present amount)

← fluid
heat
particle physics
EM. ...
biophysics.

↑ theoretician
(experimentalist)

mass = y

$\frac{dy}{dt} = ky$ ($k < 0$)

$y(0) = 0.5$

↓ "experimentalist"
 $k = -1.4 \times 10^{-11} \text{ sec}^{-1}$

(2) Solving :

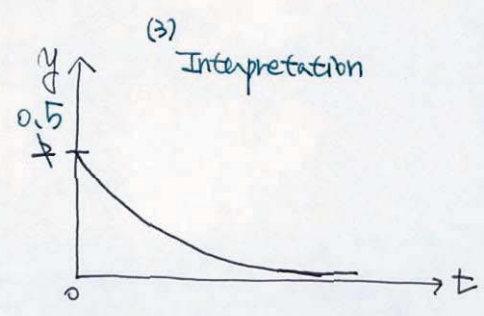
$y(t) = ce^{kt}$: General solution

(3) ~~Determination~~ of a particular solution

* condition given in the problem: $y(t=0) = 0.5$
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Initial condition

$y(0) = c = 0.5$

$y(t) = 0.5 e^{kt}$
Particular solution to the DE.



(4) checking

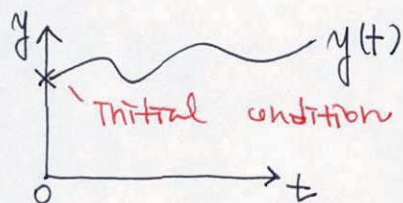
- (i) DE $\approx \frac{d}{dt}(\frac{1}{2}e^{kt}) = \frac{1}{2}ke^{kt} = k(\frac{1}{2}e^{kt})$
- (ii) IC $\approx y(0) = \frac{1}{2}e^{k(0)} = \frac{1}{2}$

In 10 years \approx

$y(t = \frac{365 \times 24 \times 3600}{\times 1000}) = 2e^{(-1.4 \times 10^{-11})(3.2 \times 10^8)} = 1.3 \text{ g}$

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Foregoing example



$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dt} = f(t, y) \quad y(t_0) = y_0}$$

⇒ INITIAL VALUE PROBLEM (IVP)

↓ More problems

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1. $y' = x^2$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2$$

$$dy = x^2 dx$$

$$\int dy = \int x^2 dx$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{1}{3}x^3 + C$$

: G.S.

2. $y' = y \tan x$ $y(0) = \frac{\pi}{2}$ ∴ IVP

$$\frac{dy}{y} = y \tan x \quad \int \frac{dy}{y} = \int \tan x dx$$

$$\ln y = -\ln \cos x = \ln \sec x + C^*$$

$$y = e^{\ln \sec x} e^{C^*} = C \sec x \quad \therefore \text{G.S.}$$

$$y(0) = C = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{\pi}{2} \sec x \quad \therefore \text{P.S. } \checkmark$$

3. Practise : problem 24 in p9

X Problem 24. (optional)

air pressure: y

height: x

physical info. (governing eq.): $\frac{dy}{dx} = ky$

condition: ① $y(x=18,000 \text{ ft}) = \frac{1}{2} y(x=0)$. ② $y(x=0) = 1 \text{ atm}$

sol.) $y = ce^{kx}$

$$\textcircled{1}: y(x=18000) = ce^{18000k} = \frac{1}{2}c \quad \textcircled{2}: c=1$$

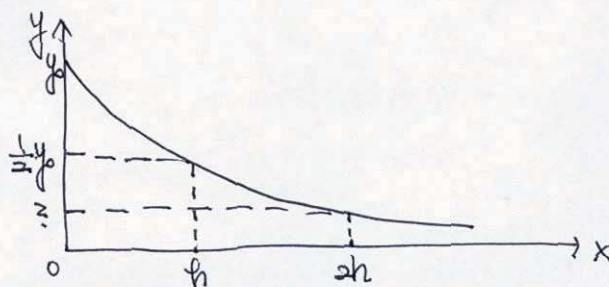
$$\exp(18,000k) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$k = \frac{1}{18000} \ln \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y(x=35000 \text{ ft}) &= c \exp\left(\frac{35000}{18000} \ln \frac{1}{2}\right) = c \exp(-1.35) \\ &= 0.259c \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore y = 0.259 \text{ atm}$$

graphically

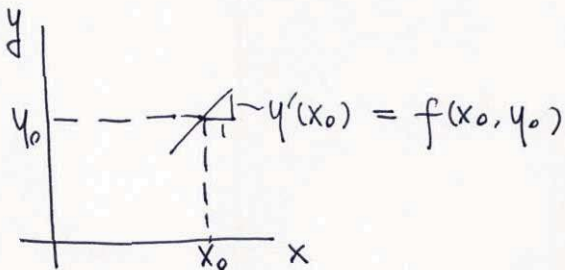


$$y = ce^{k(2h)} = ce^{k(h+h)} = c e^{kh} \cdot e^{kh}$$

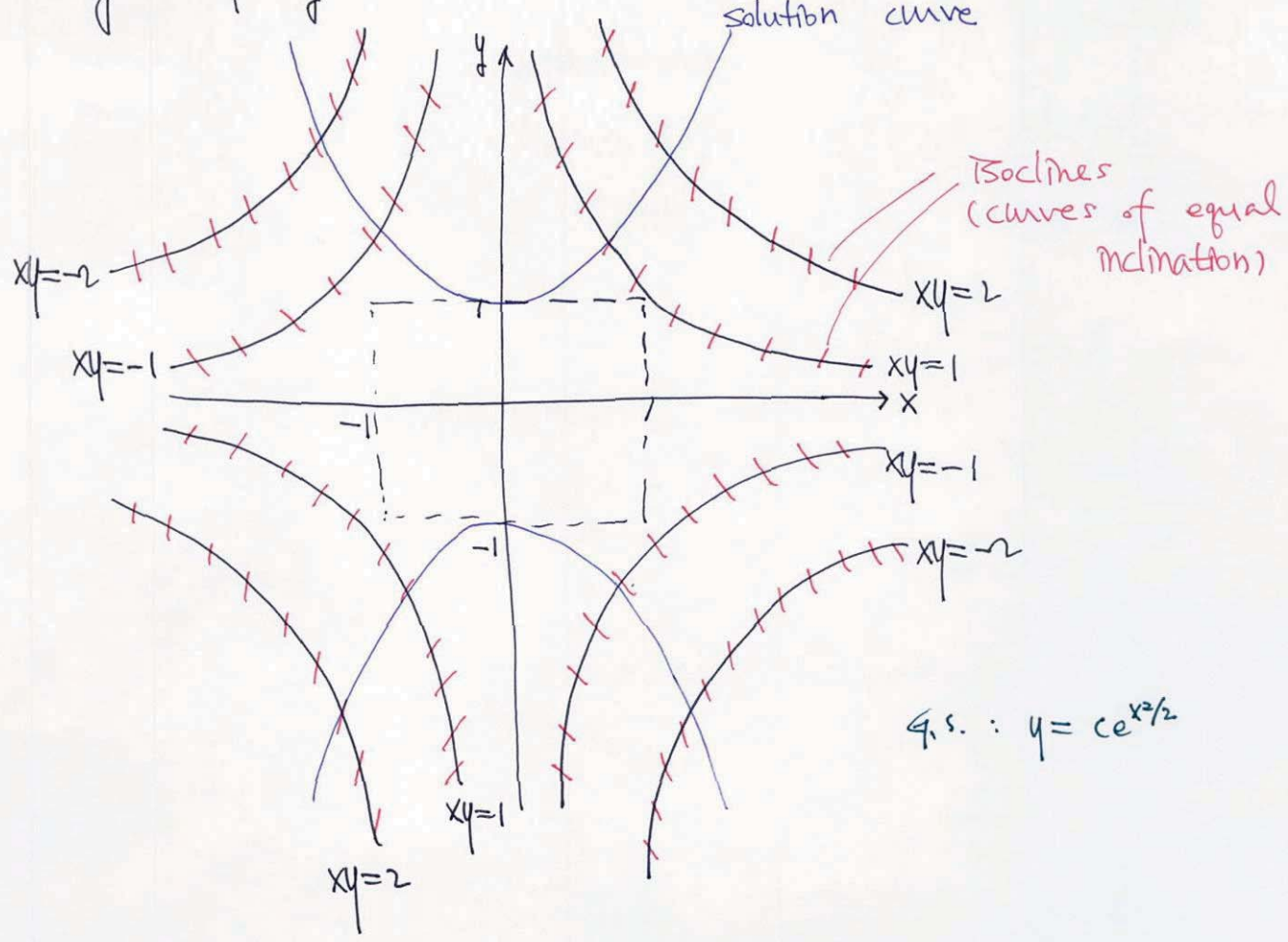
$$= y_0 \cdot \underbrace{e^{kh}}_{\frac{1}{2}} \cdot \underbrace{e^{kh}}_{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1}{4} y_0 \quad ; \text{ exponential decay.}$$

1.2. Geometric meaning of $y' = f(x, y)$

$y' = f(x, y)$: slope of $y(x)$



eg $y' = xy$



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* useful for complicated solutions