

Answer all 6 questions. **No calculators, formula sheets, or cell phones are allowed.**
An unjustified answer will receive little or no credit. Show all working and simplify your answer as far as possible. **Begin each of the 6 questions on 6 separate pages.**

- (15) 1(a) Define what it means for the ODE $dy/dx = f(x,y)$ to be *homogeneous*.
(b) Find the general solution of the ODE $(3y^3 + x^2y).dx - 2xy^2 .dy = 0$.
- (15) 2(a) Let $F(x,y)$ be a function in a domain D of the plane. Define what is the *total differential* of F in D (when it exists).
(b) Find the general solution of the differential equation
 $\{y^3 \cdot \sec(x)\tan(x) + 4x\}.dx + \{3y^2 \cdot \sec(x) - 2 \cdot e^{-2y}\}.dy = 0$.
- (15) 3(a) Let $F(x,y,a) = 0$ be a one-parameter family of differentiable curves in the xy -plane. Define what is an *orthogonal trajectory* of this family.
(b) Find the solution of the ODE $dy/dx - 2 \cdot y = 6 \cdot e^x$ with $y(0) = 3$.
- (15) 4. Find the general solution to the differential equation $dy/dx - y/x = 3x \cdot y^{-1}$.
- (20) 5. The population of a colony of micro-organisms satisfy the logistic equation $dP/dt = 2P \cdot (1 - P/4000)$, where t is measured in hours.
(a) If $P(0) = 3000$, find the *population* after t hours.
(b) How *long* will it take for the population to reach 3600 ?
- (20) 6. A box of mass 4 kg is moving horizontally with velocity 20 ms^{-1} when it lands on a horizontal surface with coefficient of friction $\mu = 1/2$. If the acceleration due to gravity g is 10 ms^{-2} and the air resistance is λv where $\lambda = 2 \text{ kgs}^{-1}$,
(a) For how long will the box slide on the surface?
(b) How far will the box slide on the surface?

1(a) The ODE $dy/dx = f(x,y)$ is homogeneous if we can find a function g such that $f(x,y) = g(y/x)$.

(b) $(3y^3 + x^2y)dx - 2xy^2dy = 0$, so $2xy^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = 3y^3 + x^2y$

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3y^3 + x^2y}{2xy^2} = \frac{3}{2} \left(\frac{y}{x}\right) + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{x}{y}\right) = 3\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) + \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$$

Put $y = xv$. Then $\frac{dy}{dx} = v + x \frac{dv}{dx}$ and $v = y/x$. So

$$v + x \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{3v}{2} + \frac{1}{2v} \quad \therefore \quad x \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{v}{2} + \frac{1}{2v} = \frac{v^2 + 1}{2v}$$

$$\therefore \frac{2v dv}{v^2 + 1} = \frac{dx}{x} \quad \text{So } \ln(v^2 + 1) = \ln(x) + C$$

$$\therefore v^2 + 1 = e^{\ln x + C} = e^C \cdot e^{\ln x} = A \cdot x \quad \text{where } A = e^C$$

$$\therefore \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2 + 1 = Ax. \quad \text{So } y^2 = x^2(Ax - 1).$$

2(a) The total differential of F is defined by $dF = \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} dy$.

(b) $\frac{\partial}{\partial y} (y^3 \sec x \tan x + 4x) = 3y^2 \sec x \tan x$ and

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} (3y^2 \sec x - 2e^{-2y}) = 3y^2 \sec x \tan x; \quad \text{so the ODE is exact.}$$

We will find a function F such that $dF = Mdx + Ndy$.

So $\frac{\partial F}{\partial x} = y^3 \sec x \tan x + 4x$ and $\frac{\partial F}{\partial y} = 3y^2 \sec x - 2e^{-2y}$.

$$\therefore F = \int (y^3 \sec x \tan x + 4x) dx = y^3 \sec x + 2x^2 + \phi(y).$$

$$\therefore \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} = 3y^2 \sec x + 0 + \phi'(y). \quad \text{But } \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} = 3y^2 \sec x - 2e^{-2y}.$$

$$\therefore \phi'(y) = -2e^{-2y} \quad \therefore \quad \phi(y) = e^{-2y} + C_1. \quad \text{Thus}$$

$$F = y^3 \sec x + 2x^2 + e^{-2y} + C_1. \quad \text{But } dF = Mdx + Ndy = 0.$$

So $F = C_2$. Hence $y^3 \sec x + 2x^2 + e^{-2y} + C_1 = C_2$. Thus

The solution is $y^3 \sec x + 2x^2 + e^{-2y} = C$ where $C = C_2 - C_1$.

3(a) An orthogonal trajectory of the family is any curve in the plane which intersects each curve in the family at right angles.

3(6) $dy/dx - 2y = 6e^x$. This is a linear first order ODE with $p(x) = -2$. So integrating factor = $e^{\int -2dx} = e^{-2x}$.
 $\therefore e^{-2x} \frac{dy}{dx} - 2e^{-2x}y = 6e^x \cdot e^{-2x} = 6e^{-x}$.
 $\therefore \frac{d}{dx}(ye^{-2x}) = 6e^{-x}$. $\therefore ye^{-2x} = -6e^{-x} + C$.
 $\therefore y = -6e^x + Ce^{2x}$. But $y(0) = 3$, so $3 = -6 + C$.
 $\therefore C = 9$. Hence $y = 9e^{2x} - 6e^x$.

4. $dy/dx - y/x = 3x \cdot y^{-1}$. This is a Bernoulli ODE with index $\alpha = -1$. So multiply both sides of the ODE by $(1-\alpha)y^{-\alpha}$ and put $v = y^{1-\alpha}$. If we do this correctly the y will disappear from the RHS of the ODE.
 $1-\alpha = 2$, so $2y \frac{dy}{dx} - 2y \cdot \frac{y}{x} = 3x \cdot y^{-1} \cdot 2y$
 $\therefore 2y \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{2y^2}{x} = 6x$. Now put $v = y^2$.
Then $\frac{dv}{dx} = 2y \frac{dy}{dx}$. So $\frac{dv}{dx} - \frac{2v}{x} = 6x$. The integrating factor is $e^{\int (-2/x) dx} = e^{-2 \ln x} = e^{\ln(x^{-2})} = x^{-2}$.
 $\therefore x^{-2} \frac{dv}{dx} - 2x^{-2} \cdot x^{-1}v = 6x \cdot x^{-2} = x^{-2}$.
 $\therefore \frac{d}{dx} x^{-2}v - 2x^{-3}v = \frac{6}{x}$.
 $\therefore \frac{d}{dx} (x^{-2}v) = \frac{6}{x}$. $\therefore x^{-2}v = 6 \ln x + C$
Hence $v = x^2(6 \ln x + C)$. $\therefore y^2 = x^2(6 \ln x + C)$.

5. We have $dP/dt = 2P \cdot (1 - P/4000) = 2 \cdot P \cdot \frac{(4000-P)}{4000}$
 $\therefore \frac{4000 dP}{P(4000-P)} = 2 dt$.
 $\therefore \left(\frac{1}{P} + \frac{1}{4000-P} \right) dP = 2 dt$
 $\therefore \ln P - \ln(4000-P) = 2t + C$.
 $\therefore \ln \left(\frac{P}{4000-P} \right) = 2t + C$. But $P(0) = 3000$, so
 $\ln \left(\frac{3000}{4000-3000} \right) = 2(0) + C$. $\therefore C = \ln(3)$. Hence
 $\ln \left[\frac{P}{4000-P} \right] = 2t + \ln(3)$.

Let $\frac{4000}{P(4000-P)} = \frac{A}{P} + \frac{B}{4000-P}$
Then $4000 = A(4000-P) + BP$
Putting $P=0$, gives $A=1$
Putting $P=4000$, gives $B=1$

$$5(a) \quad \therefore P/(4000-P) = e^{2t+\ln 3} = e^{\ln 3} \cdot e^{2t} = 3e^{2t}$$

$$\therefore (4000-P)/P = e^{-2t}/3 \quad \therefore \frac{4000}{P} - 1 = \frac{e^{-2t}}{3}$$

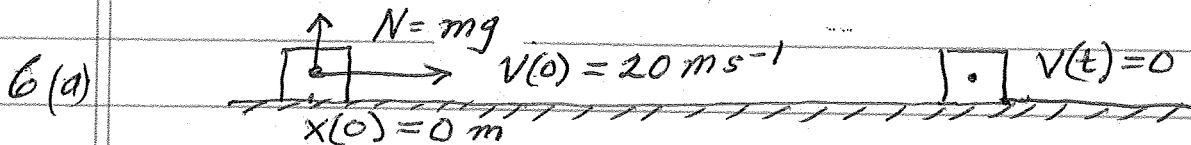
$$\therefore \frac{4000}{P} = 1 + \frac{e^{-2t}}{3} \quad \therefore \frac{4000}{P} = \frac{3+e^{-2t}}{3}$$

$$\therefore 12000 = P(3+e^{-2t}), \quad \therefore P(t) = 12000/(3+e^{-2t})$$

$$(b) \quad \text{If } P(t) = 3600, \text{ then } \frac{P}{4000-P} = 3e^{2t}, \text{ So}$$

$$\frac{3600}{4000-3600} = 3e^{2t} \quad \text{So } \frac{3600}{400} = 3e^{2t} \text{ and thus}$$

$$9 = 3e^{2t} \quad \text{So } e^{2t} = 3, \quad \therefore 2t = \ln 3, \text{ so } t = \frac{\ln 3}{2} \text{ hrs}$$



From Newton's 2nd law, we have $\frac{dv}{dt} = -\mu mg - \lambda v$.

$$\text{So } 4 \cdot \frac{dv}{dt} = -\frac{1}{2} \cdot 4 \cdot 10 - 2 \cdot v \quad \therefore \frac{dv}{dt} = -\frac{1}{2}(10+v)$$

$$\therefore \frac{dv}{v+10} = -\frac{1}{2} dt \quad \text{So } \ln(v+10) = -\frac{t}{2} + C_1$$

$$\therefore v+10 = e^{-t/2+C_1} = e^{C_1} \cdot e^{-t/2} = A \cdot e^{-t/2} \text{ where } A = e^{C_1}$$

$$\text{But } v(0) = 20, \text{ so } 20+10 = A \cdot e^{-0/2} \quad \therefore A = 30$$

$\therefore v+10 = 30e^{-t/2}$. The box will slide until $v(t) = 0$. So this will be until $0+10 = 30e^{-t/2}$

$$\therefore 10 = 30e^{-t/2} \quad \therefore e^{t/2} = 30/10 = 3$$

$$\therefore t/2 = \ln 3 \quad \text{Hence } t = 2 \ln 3 \text{ seconds}$$

$$(b) \quad v(t) = \frac{dx}{dt} = 30e^{-t/2} - 10 \quad \text{So}$$

$$x(t) = 30 \cdot (-2) \cdot e^{-t/2} - 10t + C_2 \quad \text{But } x(0) = 0$$

$$\text{So } 0 = -60 \cdot e^{-0/2} - 10(0) + C_2 \quad \therefore C_2 = 60$$

$\therefore x(t) = 60 - 60e^{-t/2} - 10t$. Hence the box will slide a total distance of

$$x(2 \ln 3) = 60 - 60e^{-(2 \ln 3)/2} - 10(2 \ln 3)$$

$$= 60 - 60 \cdot e^{\ln(3^{-1})} - 20 \ln 3 = 60 - (60/3) - 20 \ln 3$$

$$= 40 - 20 \ln 3 = 20(2 - \ln 3) \text{ meters.}$$