

5. (7 pts) Consider the differential equation

$$(t+2)y' = y^{2/3}.$$

(a) For what points (t_0, y_0) does the Existence Theorem guarantee that a solution exists satisfying $y(t_0) = y_0$?

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$$y' = \frac{y^{2/3}}{t+2} \Rightarrow f(t, y) = \frac{y^{2/3}}{t+2}$$

f is continuous on $y: [0, \infty)$
 $t: t \neq -2$

but since we need a rectangle around (t, y) , $y=0$ is not guaranteed!

So $0 < y < \infty$ why
 $-\infty < t < \infty$ for all $t \neq -2$

(b) For what points (t_0, y_0) does the Uniqueness Theorem guarantee that there is only one solution satisfying $y(t_0) = y_0$?

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{2}{3y^{1/3}(t+2)}$$

$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}$ is continuous for $y > 0$ and $t \neq -2$

$0 < y < \infty$
 $-\infty < t < \infty$ $t \neq -2$

$y \neq 0$