

1. (a) (5 points) Find the solution  $y_h$  to the differential equation:

$$y' = \frac{1}{x}y$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}y$$

$$\int \frac{1}{y} dy = \int \frac{1}{x} dx$$

$$\ln(y) = \ln(x) + C$$

$$e^{\ln(y)} = e^{\ln(x) + C}$$

$$y_h = y = Cx$$

where  $C$  is a constant

be careful  
abt absolute  
values  
- 1 pt.

$$y = Cx \quad y' = C = \frac{Cx}{x} = C \quad \checkmark$$

(b) (10 points) Solve the initial value problem:

$$y' = \frac{1}{x}y + \sqrt{x}, y(1) = 0$$

$$y' - \frac{1}{x}y = \sqrt{x}$$

$$u = e^{\int -\frac{1}{x} dx} = e^{-\ln(x)} = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\frac{1}{x}y' - \frac{1}{x^2}y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$$

$$\int \left(\frac{1}{x}y\right)' dx = \int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} dx$$

$$\frac{1}{x}y = 2\sqrt{x} + C$$

$$y = 2x^{3/2} + Cx$$

$$y(1) = 0$$

$$0 = 2(1)^{3/2} + C(1)$$

$$C = -2$$

$$y = 2x^{3/2} - 2x$$

$$3x - 2 = \frac{1}{x}(2x^{3/2} - 2x) + \sqrt{x}$$

$$3x - 2 = 2x^{1/2} - 2 + \sqrt{x}$$

$$3x - 2 = 3x - 2 \quad \checkmark$$

2. (a) (5 points) Find the general solution  $y_h = C_1 y_1 + C_2 y_2$  to the differential equation:

$$y'' + y = 0$$

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$$\lambda^2 + 1 = 0$$

$$\lambda = \pm i$$

so  $y_h$  is in the form

$$y_h = C_1 \cos(t) + C_2 \sin(t)$$

- (b) (10 points) Use undetermined coefficient or variation of parameters, find the general solution to the differential equations

$$y'' + y = t + e^t$$

using above

$$y = y_h + y_p$$

$$y_h = C_1 \cos(t) + C_2 \sin(t)$$

split up particular

$$y_p = at + b$$

$$y_p' = a$$

$$y_p'' = 0$$

$$y_p'' + y_p = t$$

$$0 + at + b = t$$

$$a = 1 \quad b = 0$$

$$y_p = t$$

$$y_p = ae^t$$

$$y_p' = ae^t$$

$$y_p'' = ae^t$$

$$y_p'' + y_p = e^t$$

$$ae^t + ae^t = e^t$$

$$2ae^t = e^t$$

$$a = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$y_p = \frac{1}{2} e^t$$

recombine  $y_p = t + \frac{1}{2} e^t$

General  
Solution:

$$y = y_h + y_p$$

$$y = C_1 \cos(t) + C_2 \sin(t) + t + \frac{1}{2} e^t$$

$$y'' + y = \frac{1}{2} e^t + \frac{1}{2} e^t + t = t + e^t \quad \checkmark$$

3. (10 points) Solve the homogeneous equation:

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

(Hint: Using  $y = vx$  change the differential equation to a separable equation)

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

$$P = y^2 + 2xy \quad P_y = 2y + 2x$$

$$Q = -x^2 \quad Q_x = -2x \quad \text{not exact!}$$

Let  $y = vx$

$$dy = v dx + x dv$$

$$(v^2 x^2 + 2vx^2) dx - x^2 v dx - x^3 dv = 0$$

$$= (v^2 x^2 + vx^2) dx - x^3 dv = 0$$

$$= \frac{(v^2 x^2 + vx^2) dx}{x^2} = \frac{x^3 dv}{x^2}$$

$$= (v^2 + v) dx = x dv$$

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

$$\ln(x) = \int \frac{1}{v} - \frac{1}{v+1}$$

$$e^{\ln(x)} = \frac{e^{\ln(v) - \ln(v+1)} + C}{e}$$

$$x = C^* \left( \frac{v}{v+1} \right)$$

where  $C^* = e^C$

$$x = C^* \left( \frac{\frac{y}{x}}{\frac{y}{x} + 1} \right)$$

AND?

-1

$$\frac{A}{v} + \frac{B}{v+1}$$

$$Av + A + Bv = 1$$

$$A = 1$$

$$B = -1$$

$$v = \frac{y}{x}$$

$$x = \frac{y}{x+y}$$

$$x = C^* \frac{y}{y+x}$$

$$\frac{x^2 + xy}{1} = C^*$$

4. Consider the autonomous equation:

$$y' = y(y-2)e^y$$

(a) (2 points) Find the equilibrium solutions of the above differential equations. Equilibrium solutions are  $y=0, 2$

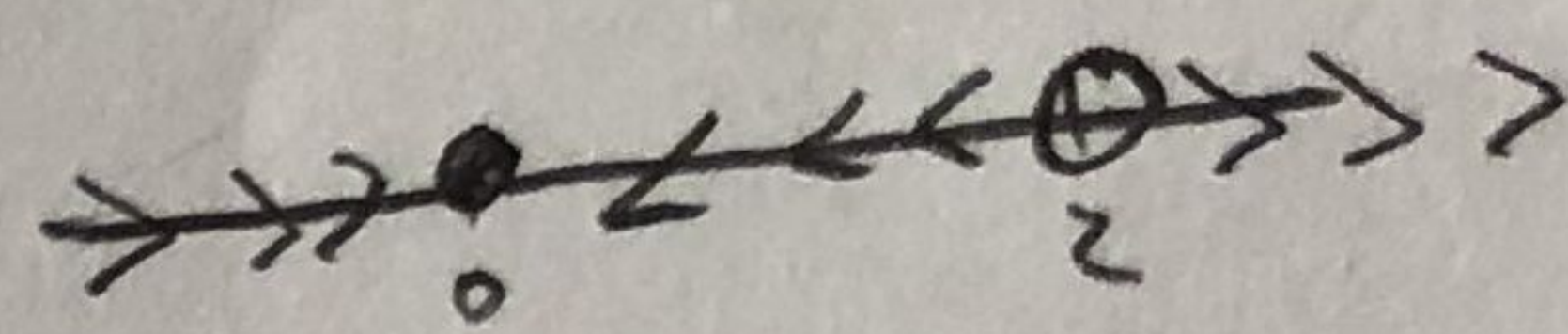
(b) (3 points) Determine the stability of the equilibrium solutions.

$$f = (y^2 - 2y)e^y$$

$$f' = (2y-2)e^y + (y^2-2y)e^y = (y^2-2)e^y$$

plugging into  $f'$

0 is stable    2 is unstable



phase line  
confirms  
0 stable  
2 unstable

(c) (5 points) Prove that if  $y(t)$  is a solution and  $y(0) = 1$ , then  $0 < y(t) < 2$  for all  $t \in (-\infty, \infty)$ .

1. Let  $q_1(t) = 0$  and  $q_2(t) = 2$  and both are valid solutions, for  $(-\infty, \infty)$  to the given ODE

2. as  $f = (y^2 - 2y)e^y$  and  $f' = (y^2 - 2)e^y$  are both continuous the differential follows uniqueness meaning no two solutions may ever cross

3. if  $y(t)$  were  $< 0$  or  $> 2$  for any  $t$ , to be 1 at  $t=0$  it would have to cross the solutions  $q_1(t) = 0$  or  $q_2(t) = 2$  at some point according to the IVT

4. therefore it must be that  $0 < y(t) < 2$  for  $t \in (-\infty, \infty)$