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Question 5

At the beginning of 2010, a landfill contained 1400 tons of solid waste. The increasing function W models the total amount of solid waste stored at the landfill. Planners estimate that W will satisfy the differential equation $\frac{dW}{dt} = \frac{1}{25}(W - 300)$ for the next 20 years. W is measured in tons, and t is measured in years from the start of 2010.

(a) Use the line tangent to the graph of W at $t = 0$ to approximate the amount of solid waste that the landfill contains at the end of the first 3 months of 2010 (time $t = \frac{1}{4}$).

(b) Find $\frac{d^2W}{dt^2}$ in terms of W. Use $\frac{d^2W}{dt^2}$ to determine whether your answer in part (a) is an underestimate or an overestimate of the amount of solid waste that the landfill contains at time $t = \frac{1}{4}$.

(c) Find the particular solution $W = W(t)$ to the differential equation $\frac{dW}{dt} = \frac{1}{25}(W - 300)$ with initial condition $W(0) = 1400$.

(a) $\left.\frac{dW}{dt}\right|_{t=0} = \frac{1}{25}(W(0) - 300) = \frac{1}{25}(1400 - 300) = 44$

The tangent line is $y = 1400 + 44t$.

$W\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) \approx 1400 + 44\left(\frac{1}{4}\right) = 1411$ tons

2 : { 1 : $\frac{dW}{dt}$ at $t = 0$; 1 : answer }

(b) $\frac{d^2W}{dt^2} = \frac{1}{25}\frac{dW}{dt} = \frac{1}{625}(W - 300)$ and $W \geq 1400$

Therefore $\frac{d^2W}{dt^2} > 0$ on the interval $0 \leq t \leq \frac{1}{4}$.

The answer in part (a) is an underestimate.

2 : { 1 : $\frac{d^2W}{dt^2}$; 1 : answer with reason }

(c) $\frac{dW}{dt} = \frac{1}{25}(W - 300)$

$\int \frac{1}{W - 300}\, dW = \int \frac{1}{25}\, dt$

$\ln|W - 300| = \frac{1}{25}t + C$

$\ln(1400 - 300) = \frac{1}{25}(0) + C \Rightarrow \ln(1100) = C$

$W - 300 = 1100e^{\frac{1}{25}t}$

$W(t) = 300 + 1100e^{\frac{1}{25}t}, \ 0 \leq t \leq 20$

5 : { 1 : separation of variables; 1 : antiderivatives; 1 : constant of integration; 1 : uses initial condition; 1 : solves for W }

Note: max 2/5 [1-1-0-0-0] if no constant of integration

Note: 0/5 if no separation of variables

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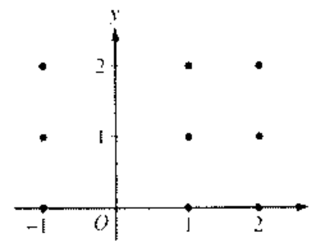
Question 5

Consider the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y-1}{x^2}$, where $x \neq 0$.

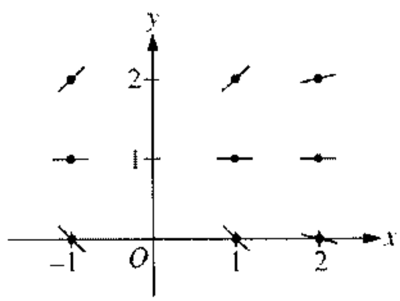


(a) On the axes provided, sketch a slope field for the given differential equation at the nine points indicated.
(Note: Use the axes provided in the exam booklet.)

(b) Find the particular solution $y = f(x)$ to the differential equation with the initial condition $f(2) = 0$.

(c) For the particular solution $y = f(x)$ described in part (b), find $\lim_{x\to\infty} f(x)$.

(a)



$2 : \begin{cases} 1 : \text{zero slopes} \\ 1 : \text{all other slopes} \end{cases}$

(b) $\frac{1}{y-1}\,dy = \frac{1}{x^2}\,dx$

$\ln|y-1| = -\frac{1}{x} + C$

$|y-1| = e^{-\frac{1}{x}+C}$

$|y-1| = e^C e^{-\frac{1}{x}}$

$y - 1 = ke^{-\frac{1}{x}}$, where $k = \pm e^C$

$-1 = ke^{-\frac{1}{2}}$

$k = -e^{\frac{1}{2}}$

$f(x) = 1 - e^{\left(\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{x}\right)}$, $x > 0$

$6 : \begin{cases} 1 : \text{separates variables} \\ 2 : \text{antidifferentiates} \\ 1 : \text{includes constant of integration} \\ 1 : \text{uses initial condition} \\ 1 : \text{solves for } y \end{cases}$

Note: max 3/6 [1-2-0-0-0] if no constant of integration

Note: 0/6 if no separation of variables

(c) $\lim_{x\to\infty} 1 - e^{\left(\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{x}\right)} = 1 - \sqrt{e}$

1 : limit

Question 5

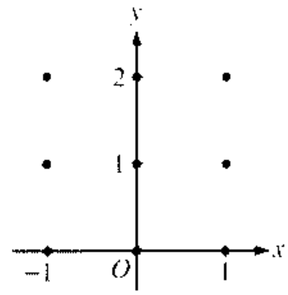
Consider the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2}x + y - 1$.

(a) On the axes provided, sketch a slope field for the given differential equation at the nine points indicated.
(Note: Use the axes provided in the exam booklet.)

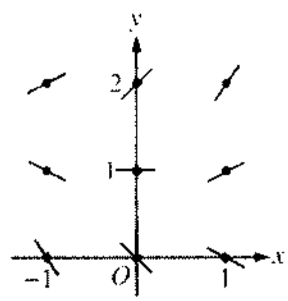
(b) Find $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ in terms of x and y. Describe the region in the xy-plane in which all solution curves to the differential equation are concave up.

(c) Let $y = f(x)$ be a particular solution to the differential equation with the initial condition $f(0) = 1$. Does f have a relative minimum, a relative maximum, or neither at $x = 0$? Justify your answer.

(d) Find the values of the constants m and b, for which $y = mx + b$ is a solution to the differential equation.



(a)



2 : Sign of slope at each point and relative steepness of slope lines in rows and columns.

(b) $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1}{2}x + y - \frac{1}{2}$

Solution curves will be concave up on the half-plane above the line $y = -\frac{1}{2}x + \frac{1}{2}$.

3 : $\begin{cases} 2 : \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} \\ 1 : \text{description} \end{cases}$

(c) $\left.\frac{dy}{dx}\right|_{(0,1)} = 0 + 1 - 1 = 0$ and $\left.\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}\right|_{(0,1)} = 0 + 1 - \frac{1}{2} > 0$

Thus, f has a relative minimum at $(0, 1)$.

2 : $\begin{cases} 1 : \text{answer} \\ 1 : \text{justification} \end{cases}$

(d) Substituting $y = mx + b$ into the differential equation:

$m = \frac{1}{2}x + (mx + b) - 1 = \left(m + \frac{1}{2}\right)x + (b - 1)$

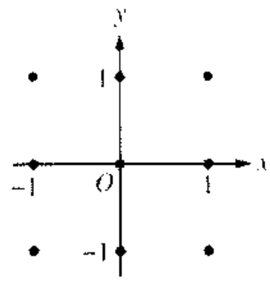
Then $0 = m + \frac{1}{2}$ and $m = b - 1$: $m = -\frac{1}{2}$ and $b = \frac{1}{2}$.

2 : $\begin{cases} 1 : \text{value for } m \\ 1 : \text{value for } b \end{cases}$

Question 5

Consider the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} = (y-1)^2 \cos(\pi x)$.

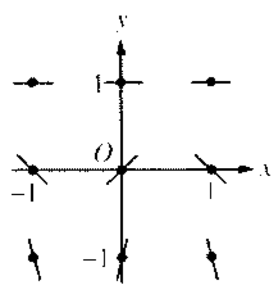
(a) On the axes provided, sketch a slope field for the given differential equation at the nine points indicated.
(Note: Use the axes provided in the exam booklet.)



(b) There is a horizontal line with equation $y = c$ that satisfies this differential equation. Find the value of c.

(c) Find the particular solution $y = f(x)$ to the differential equation with the initial condition $f(1) = 0$.

(a)



2 : { 1 : zero slopes; 1 : all other slopes }

(b) The line $y = 1$ satisfies the differential equation, so $c = 1$.

1 : $c = 1$

(c) $\frac{1}{(y-1)^2}\,dy = \cos(\pi x)\,dx$

$-(y-1)^{-1} = \frac{1}{\pi}\sin(\pi x) + C$

$\frac{1}{1-y} = \frac{1}{\pi}\sin(\pi x) + C$

$1 = \frac{1}{\pi}\sin(\pi) + C = C$

$\frac{1}{1-y} = \frac{1}{\pi}\sin(\pi x) + 1$

$\frac{\pi}{1-y} = \sin(\pi x) + \pi$

$y = 1 - \frac{\pi}{\sin(\pi x) + \pi}$ for $-\infty < x < \infty$

6 : { 1 : separates variables; 2 : antiderivatives; 1 : constant of integration; 1 : uses initial condition; 1 : answer }

Note: max 3/6 [1-2-0-0-0] if no constant of integration
Note: 0/6 if no separation of variables