

# Math 3430-03 Spring 2020

## Practice Exam I

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### Instructions:

- You may use a formula sheet, A4 size, front and back, prepared on your own. Otherwise, notes, books, calculators or computers are not allowed in this exam.
- Make sure you show the work that leads to your answer to receive full credit. If you are using a theorem or a fact to draw some conclusions, quote the result.
- This test contains **5 questions**. You have **50 minutes** to answer all the questions.

*Good Luck!*

Question	Score
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5	/ 20
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## 1. FIRST-ORDER ODES

1. Solve the following 1st-order initial value problem:

$$\underbrace{(y \cos x + e^{2y})}_P + \underbrace{(\sin x + 2xe^{2y} + 2y)}_Q \frac{dy}{dx} = 0, \quad y(0) = 1.$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} P_y &= \cos x + 2e^{2y} \\ Q_x &= \cos x + 2e^{2y} \end{aligned} \right\} \text{equal} \quad \therefore \text{ODE is exact.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} F(x,y) &= \int P dx = y \sin x + x e^{2y} + g(y) \\ F(x,y) &= \int Q dy = y \sin x + x e^{2y} + y^2 + h(x). \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{can take } F(x,y) = y \sin x + x e^{2y} + y^2$$

$$\text{General sol}^n: \boxed{y \sin x + x e^{2y} + y^2 = C} \parallel \text{I.C.} \Rightarrow \boxed{C = 1}$$

2. Find the general solutions of the following 1st-order ODE:

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} - 3y = x^4.$$

linear 1st order ODE  $\rightarrow$  standard form:

$$y' - \frac{3}{x} y = \frac{x^3}{x}$$

$$\therefore \mu = e^{\int P(x) dx} = e^{\int -\frac{3}{x}} = e^{-3 \ln|x| + c}$$

$$\text{(choose)} \quad \frac{1}{x^3}$$

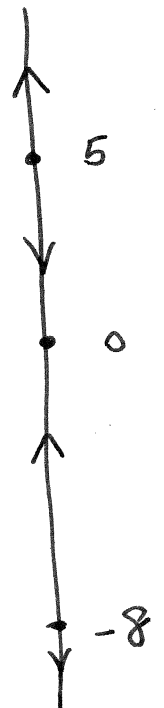
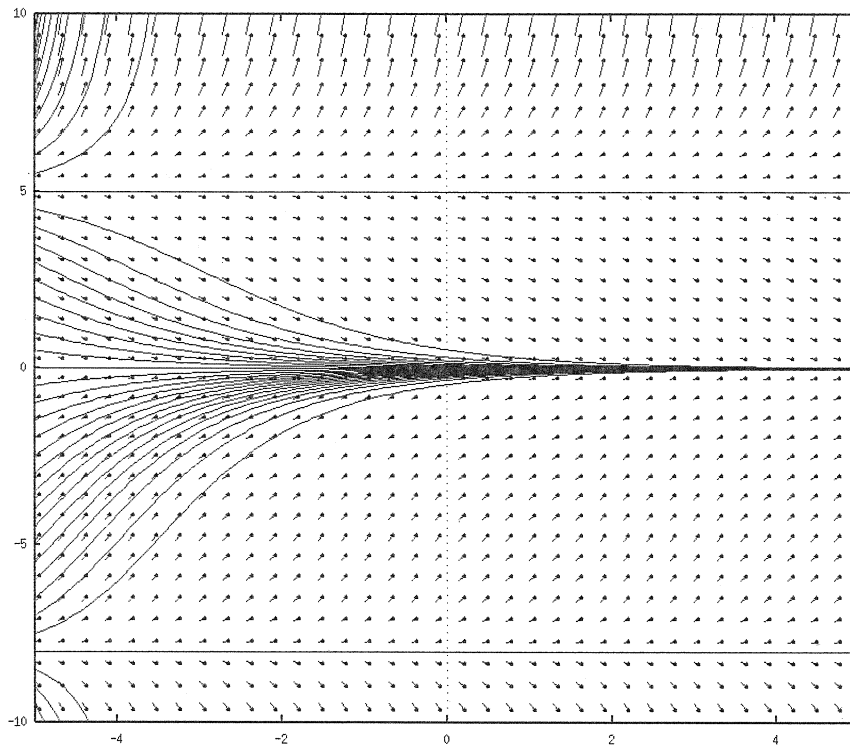
$$\begin{aligned} \therefore y &= \frac{1}{\mu} \int \mu Q dx = x^3 \left( \int \frac{1}{x^3} \cdot x^3 \right) \\ &= x^3 (x + C). \end{aligned}$$

3. This question is concerned with "direction fields".

(1) What's special about the direction field of an autonomous first-order ODE?

It's invariant along the x-direction.

(2) Write down a 1st-order ODE  $y' = f(y)$  that has the following direction field (with various integral curves). (Note: The three horizontal integral curves are at  $y = -8, 0, 5$ , respectively.)



$$y' = y(y+8)(y-5).$$

(coeff. is  $> 0$  since  $y' > 0$  when  $y > 5$ .)

## 2. HIGHER-ORDER CONSTANT COEFFICIENT ODES

4. Find a basis for the solution space of the following 6th-order ODE:

$$y^{(6)} + 7y^{(5)} - 6y^{(4)} - 70y''' - 235y'' - 309y' - 252y = 0$$

You may find this formula useful:

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda^6 + 7\lambda^5 - 6\lambda^4 - 70\lambda^3 - 235\lambda^2 - 309\lambda - 252 \\ = (\lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 3)^2(\lambda + 7)(\lambda - 4). \end{aligned}$$

root $r$	multiplicity $m$
$-1 + \sqrt{2}i$	2
$-1 - \sqrt{2}i$	2
$-7$	1
$4$	1

Basis of solutions:

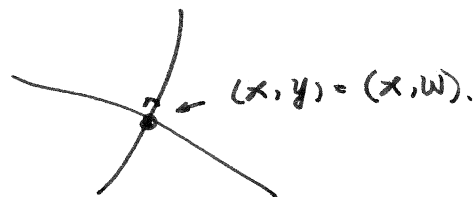
$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} e^{-x} \cos \sqrt{2}x, e^{-x} \sin \sqrt{2}x, x e^{-x} \cos \sqrt{2}x, \\ x e^{-x} \sin \sqrt{2}x, e^{-7x}, e^{4x} \end{array} \right\}.$$

### 3. APPLICATIONS

5. Let  $C_1$  be a 1-parameter family of curves that satisfy the equation

$$y^3 = cx^5,$$

where  $c$  is the parameter. Now establish a differential equation for its orthogonal trajectories  $C_2$  and then solve the equation.



$$3y^2 y' = 5cx^4$$

$$\Rightarrow y' = \frac{5c}{3y^2} x^4$$

$$\Rightarrow x' = -\frac{3y^2}{5cx^4} = -\frac{3x}{5y} = -\frac{3x}{5w}$$

orthogonal  
traj.

using  $c = y^3/x^5$

using: @ intersection,  
 $y = w$ .

$$\therefore 5ww' = -3x$$

↓ separable eq<sup>n</sup>.

$$\frac{5}{2}w^2 = -\frac{3}{2}x^2 + C$$

or

$$\boxed{5w^2 + 3x^2 = C'}$$

↑ arbitrary constant (positive.)