

Question Paper and Worked Solutions

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1 It is given that $y(x)$ satisfies the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y)$$

where $f(x, y) = \frac{\ln(x+y)}{\ln y}$

and $y(6) = 3$

Use the improved Euler formula

$$y_{r+1} = y_r + \frac{1}{2}(k_1 + k_2)$$

where $k_1 = hf(x_r, y_r)$ and $k_2 = hf(x_r + h, y_r + k_1)$ and $h = 0.4$, to obtain an approximation to $y(6.4)$, giving your answer to three decimal places.

[5 marks]

1.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y) = \frac{\ln(x+y)}{\ln y} \quad x_0 = 6, y_0 = 3 \quad h = 0.4 \Rightarrow x_1 = 6.4, y_1 = y(6.4)$$

Substituting into formulae:

$$k_1 = 0.4f(6,3) = \frac{0.4 \ln 9}{\ln 3} = \frac{0.8 \ln 3}{\ln 3} = 0.8$$

$$k_2 = 0.4f(x_0 + 0.4, y_0 + 0.8) = \frac{0.4 \ln(6.4 + 3 + 0.8)}{\ln 3.8} = \frac{0.4 \ln 10.2}{\ln 3.8}$$

$$y_1 = y_0 + \frac{1}{2}(k_1 + k_2) = 3 + \frac{1}{2}\left(0.8 + \frac{0.4 \ln 10.2}{\ln 3.8}\right) = \mathbf{3.748 \text{ to 3 d.p.}}$$

- 2 (a) Find the values of the constants a , b and c for which $a + b \sin 2x + c \cos 2x$ is a particular integral of the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = 20 - 20 \cos 2x$$

[4 marks]

- (b) Hence find the solution of this differential equation, given that $y = 4$ when $x = 0$.

[4 marks]

2.

a)

$$y = a + b \sin 2x + c \cos 2x \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 2b \cos 2x - 2c \sin 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = 2b \cos 2x - 2c \sin 2x + 4(a + b \sin 2x + c \cos 2x) = 20 - 20 \cos 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a + (4b - 2c) \sin 2x + (4c + 2b) \cos 2x = 20 - 20 \cos 2x$$

$$\Rightarrow 4a = 20 \Rightarrow a = 5$$

$$4b - 2c = 0 \Rightarrow c = 2b$$

$$4c + 2b = -20 \Rightarrow 2c + b = -10 \Rightarrow 2(2b) + b = -10 \Rightarrow b = -2 \Rightarrow c = -4$$

b)

Finding the complementary function:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = -4y \Rightarrow \int \frac{1}{y} dy = \int -4 dx \Rightarrow \ln y = -4x + C \Rightarrow y = e^{-4x+C} = Ke^{-4x}$$

General solution:

$$y = Ke^{-4x} + 5 - 2 \sin 2x - 4 \cos 2x$$

$$y = 4, x = 0 \Rightarrow 4 = Ke^{-4(0)} + 5 - 2 \sin 2(0) - 4 \cos 2(0)$$

$$4 = K + 5 - 4 \Rightarrow K = 3$$

$$y = 3e^{-4x} + 5 - 2 \sin 2x - 4 \cos 2x$$

- 3 A curve has polar equation $r(4 - 3 \cos \theta) = 4$. Find its Cartesian equation in the form $y^2 = f(x)$.

[4 marks]

3.

$$r(4 - 3 \cos \theta) = 4 \Rightarrow 4r - 3r \cos \theta = 4 \Rightarrow 4r = 4 + 3r \cos \theta \Rightarrow 16r^2 = (4 + 3r \cos \theta)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 16(x^2 + y^2) = (4 + 3x)^2 \Rightarrow 16x^2 + 16y^2 = (4 + 3x)^2 \Rightarrow y^2 = \frac{(4 + 3x)^2}{16} - x^2$$

4 Solve the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 2\frac{dy}{dx} - 3y = 2e^{-x}$$

given that $y \rightarrow 0$ as $x \rightarrow \infty$ and that $\frac{dy}{dx} = -3$ when $x = 0$.

[10 marks]

4.

Characteristic equation to find complementary function:

$$k^2 - 2k - 3 = 0$$

$$(k - 3)(k + 1) = 0 \Rightarrow k = 3 \text{ or } k = -1$$

$$\Rightarrow CF: y_c = Ae^{3x} + Be^{-x}$$

Trial function:

$$y = axe^{\lambda x} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = a(\lambda xe^{\lambda x} + e^{\lambda x}) \Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = a\lambda(\lambda xe^{\lambda x} + e^{\lambda x}) + a\lambda e^{\lambda x} = a\lambda e^{\lambda x}(\lambda x + 2)$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 2\frac{dy}{dx} - 3y = a\lambda e^{\lambda x}(\lambda x + 2) - 2a(\lambda xe^{\lambda x} + e^{\lambda x}) - 3axe^{\lambda x}$$

$$= e^{\lambda x}(a\lambda^2 x + 2a\lambda - 2a\lambda x - 2a - 3ax) = ae^{\lambda x}((\lambda^2 - 2\lambda - 3)x + 2(\lambda - 1)) = 2e^{-x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = -1 \Rightarrow -4a = 2 \Rightarrow a = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow PI: y_p = -\frac{1}{2}xe^{-x}$$

General solution:

$$GS = PI + CF: y = Ae^{3x} + Be^{-x} - \frac{1}{2}xe^{-x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -3 \text{ when } x = 0 \Rightarrow 3Ae^{3(0)} - Be^{-(0)} - \frac{1}{2}(-0)e^{-(0)} + e^{-(0)} = -3$$

$$3A - B - \frac{1}{2}(1) = -3$$

Also note that since $y \rightarrow 0$ as $x \rightarrow \infty$, $A = 0$ (otherwise the e^{3x} term would $\rightarrow \infty$).

$$\Rightarrow B + \frac{1}{2} = 3 \Rightarrow B = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$y = \frac{5}{2}e^{-x} - \frac{1}{2}xe^{-x}$$

5 (a) Find $\int x \cos 8x \, dx$. [3 marks]

(b) Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{1}{x} \sin 2x \right]$. [2 marks]

(c) Explain why $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \left(2 \cot 2x - \frac{1}{x} + x \cos 8x \right) dx$ is an improper integral. [1 mark]

(d) Evaluate $\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \left(2 \cot 2x - \frac{1}{x} + x \cos 8x \right) dx$, showing the limiting process used. Give your answer as a single term. [4 marks]

5.
a)

$$\int x \cos 8x \, dx$$

Using integration by parts:

$$u = x \quad \frac{dv}{dx} = \cos 8x$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 1 \quad v = \frac{\sin 8x}{8}$$

$$\int x \cos 8x \, dx = \frac{x \sin 8x}{8} - \int \frac{\sin 8x}{8} \, dx = \frac{x \sin 8x}{8} + \frac{\cos 8x}{64} + C$$

b)

Using Maclaurin Series:

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{1}{x} \sin 2x \right] = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{1}{x} \left((2x) - \frac{(2x)^3}{3!} + O(x^5) \right) \right] = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left[2 - \frac{8x^2}{3!} + O(x^4) \right] = 2$$

c)

$\int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} 2 \cot 2x - \frac{1}{x} + x \cos 8x \, dx$ is an improper integral because neither $\cot 2x$ nor $\frac{1}{x}$ is defined at the lower limit, 0.

d)

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} 2 \cot 2x - \frac{1}{x} + x \cos 8x \, dx &= \lim_{a \rightarrow 0} \left[\int_a^{\frac{\pi}{4}} 2 \cot 2x - \frac{1}{x} + x \cos 8x \, dx \right] \\ &= \lim_{a \rightarrow 0} \left[\left[\ln(\sin 2x) - \ln x + \frac{x \sin 8x}{8} + \frac{\cos 8x}{64} \right]_a^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \right] = \lim_{a \rightarrow 0} \left[\left[\ln \left(\frac{\sin 2x}{x} \right) + \frac{1}{64} (8x \sin 8x + \cos 8x) \right]_a^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \right] \\ &= \lim_{a \rightarrow 0} \left[\left(\ln \left(\frac{\sin \frac{\pi}{2}}{\frac{\pi}{4}} \right) + \frac{1}{64} (2\pi \sin 2\pi + \cos 2\pi) \right) - \left(\ln \left(\frac{\sin 2a}{a} \right) + \frac{1}{64} (8a \sin 8a + \cos 8a) \right) \right] \\ &= \lim_{a \rightarrow 0} \left[\left(\ln \left(\frac{4}{\pi} \right) + \frac{1}{64} \right) - \left(\ln \left(\frac{\sin 2a}{a} \right) + \frac{1}{64} (8a \sin 8a + \cos 8a) \right) \right] \\ &= \ln \left(\frac{4}{\pi} \right) + \frac{1}{64} - \lim_{a \rightarrow 0} \left[\ln \left(\frac{\sin 2a}{a} \right) \right] - \lim_{a \rightarrow 0} \left[\frac{(8a \sin 8a + \cos 8a)}{64} \right] = \ln \left(\frac{4}{\pi} \right) + \frac{1}{64} - \ln 2 - \frac{1}{64} = \ln \frac{2}{\pi} \end{aligned}$$

6 (a) By using an integrating factor, find the general solution of the differential equation

$$\frac{du}{dx} - \frac{2x}{x^2 + 4}u = 3(x^2 + 4)$$

giving your answer in the form $u = f(x)$.

[6 marks]

(b) Show that the substitution $u = x^2 \frac{dy}{dx}$ transforms the differential equation

$$x^2(x^2 + 4) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 8x \frac{dy}{dx} = 3(x^2 + 4)^2$$

into

$$\frac{du}{dx} - \frac{2x}{x^2 + 4}u = 3(x^2 + 4)$$

[4 marks]

(c) Hence, given that $x > 0$, find the general solution of the differential equation

$$x^2(x^2 + 4) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 8x \frac{dy}{dx} = 3(x^2 + 4)^2$$

[2 marks]

6.
a)

$$IF = e^{\int \frac{-2x}{x^2+4} dx} = e^{-\ln(x^2+4)} = \frac{1}{x^2 + 4}$$

$$\frac{1}{x^2 + 4} \frac{du}{dx} - \frac{2x}{(x^2 + 4)^2}u = 3$$

$$\frac{1}{x^2 + 4} u = \int 3 dx \Rightarrow \frac{1}{x^2 + 4} u = 3x + C \Rightarrow u = (x^2 + 4)(3x + C)$$

b)

$$u = x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = ux^{-2} \Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -2x^{-3}u + x^{-2} \frac{du}{dx}$$

$$x^2(x^2 + 4) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 8x \frac{dy}{dx} = 3(x^2 + 4)^2 \Rightarrow x^2(x^2 + 4) \left(-2x^{-3}u + x^{-2} \frac{du}{dx} \right) + 8x(ux^{-2}) = 3(x^2 + 4)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 + 4) \left(-2x^{-1}u + \frac{du}{dx} \right) + \frac{8u}{x} = 3(x^2 + 4)^2 \Rightarrow -\frac{2u(x^2 + 4)}{x} + (x^2 + 4) \frac{du}{dx} + \frac{8u}{x} = 3(x^2 + 4)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{2u}{x} + \frac{du}{dx} + \frac{8u}{x(x^2 + 4)} = 3(x^2 + 4) \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} + \frac{(8u - 2u(x^2 + 4))}{x(x^2 + 4)} = 3(x^2 + 4)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} + \frac{8u - 2ux^2 - 8u}{x(x^2 + 4)} = 3(x^2 + 4) \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} - \frac{2x}{x^2 + 4}u = 3(x^2 + 4)$$

c)

$$u = (x^2 + 4)(3x + C) \Rightarrow x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = (x^2 + 4)(3x + C) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(x^2 + 4)(3x + C)}{x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = 3x + 12x^{-1} + C + 4Cx^{-2} \Rightarrow y = \frac{3x^2}{2} + 12 \ln x + Cx - 4Cx^{-1} + D$$

7 (a) It is given that $y = \ln(\cos x + \sin x)$.

(i) Show that $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = -\frac{2}{1 + \sin 2x}$.

[4 marks]

(ii) Find $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3}$.

[1 mark]

(b) (i) Hence use Maclaurin's theorem to show that the first three non-zero terms in the expansion, in ascending powers of x , of $\ln(\cos x + \sin x)$ are $x - x^2 + \frac{2}{3}x^3$.

[3 marks]

(ii) Write down the first three non-zero terms in the expansion, in ascending powers of x , of $\ln(\cos x - \sin x)$.

[1 mark]

(c) Hence find the first three non-zero terms in the expansion, in ascending powers of x , of $\ln\left(\frac{\cos 2x}{e^{3x-1}}\right)$.

[4 marks]

7.
a)
i.

$$y = \ln(\cos x + \sin x) \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-\sin x + \cos x}{\cos x + \sin x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \frac{(\cos x + \sin x)(-\cos x - \sin x) - (-\sin x + \cos x)(-\sin x + \cos x)}{(\cos x + \sin x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{-\cos^2 x - 2 \sin x \cos x - \sin^2 x - (\sin^2 x - 2 \sin x \cos x + \cos^2 x)}{(\cos x + \sin x)^2} = \frac{-2}{(\cos x + \sin x)^2}$$

ii.

$$\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} = \frac{((1 + \sin 2x)(0) - (-2)(2 \cos 2x))}{(1 + \sin 2x)^2} = \frac{4 \cos 2x}{(1 + \sin 2x)^2}$$

b)
i.

$$f(0) = \ln(1 + 0) = 0 \quad f'(0) = \frac{-0 + 1}{1 + 0} = 1 \quad f''(0) = \frac{-2}{(1 + 0)^2} = -2 \quad f'''(0) = \frac{4(1)}{(1 + 0)^2} = 4$$

ii.

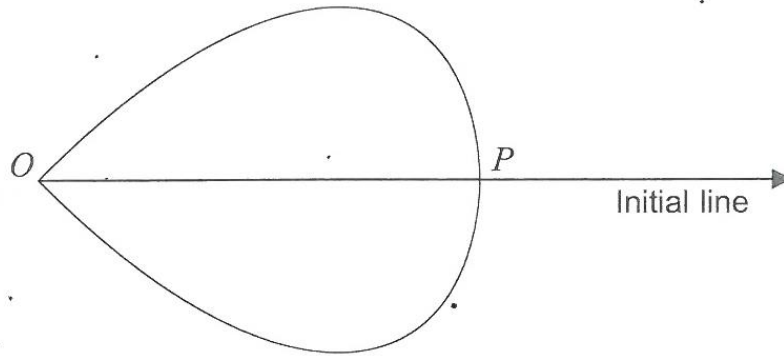
$$\ln(\cos x + \sin x) \approx 0 + 1x + \frac{(-2)x^2}{2!} + \frac{4x^3}{3!} = x - x^2 + \frac{2x^3}{3}$$

c)

$$\ln\left(\frac{\cos 2x}{e^{3x-1}}\right) = \ln(\cos^2 x - \sin^2 x) - (3x - 1) = \ln(\cos x + \sin x)(\cos x - \sin x) - 3x + 1$$

$$= \ln(\cos x + \sin x) + \ln(\cos x - \sin x) - 3x + 1 \approx x - x^2 + \frac{2x^3}{3} + \left(-x - x^2 - \frac{2x^3}{3}\right) - 3x + 1 = 1 - 3x - 2x^2$$

- 8 The diagram shows a sketch of a curve C , the pole O and the initial line. The curve C intersects the initial line at the point P .



The polar equation of C is $r = (1 - \tan^2 \theta) \sec \theta$, $-\frac{\pi}{4} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$.

- (a) Show that the area of the region bounded by the curve C is $\frac{8}{15}$. [5 marks]

- (b) The curve whose polar equation is

$$r = \frac{1}{2} \sec^3 \theta, \quad -\frac{\pi}{4} \leq \theta \leq \frac{\pi}{4}$$

intersects C at the points A and B .

- (i) Find the polar coordinates of A and B . [3 marks]

- (ii) Given that angle $OAP = \text{angle } OBP = \alpha$, show that $\tan \alpha = k\sqrt{3}$, where k is an integer. [4 marks]

- (iii) Using your value of k from part (b)(ii), state whether the point A lies inside or lies outside the circle whose diameter is OP . Give a reason for your answer. [1 mark]

8.

a)

$$A = 2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \frac{1}{2} r^2 d\theta = \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} (1 - \tan^2 \theta)^2 \sec^2 \theta d\theta$$

Using substitution:

$$u = \tan \theta \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{du}{d\theta} = \sec^2 \theta$$

$$A = \int_{\tan 0}^{\tan \frac{\pi}{4}} (1 - u^2)^2 du = \int_0^1 (1 - 2u^2 + u^4) du = \left[u - \frac{2u^3}{3} + \frac{u^5}{5} \right]_0^1 = \left(1 - \frac{2}{3} + \frac{1}{5} \right) - (0) = \frac{8}{15}$$

b)

i.

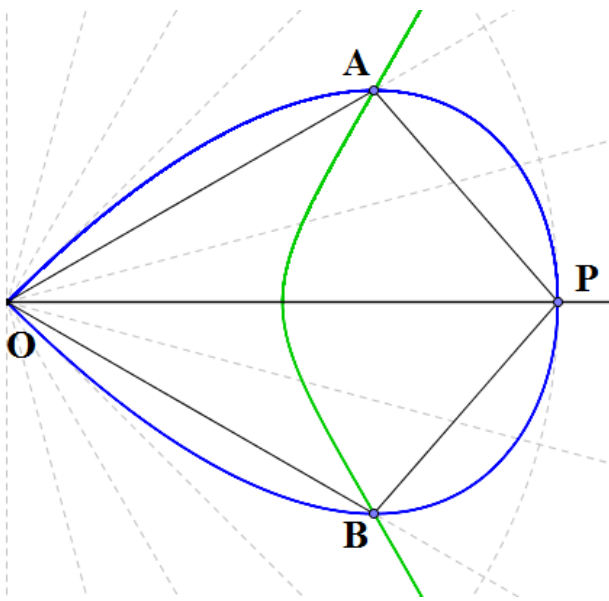
$$\frac{1}{2} \sec^3 \theta = (1 - \tan^2 \theta) \sec \theta \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{1}{2} \sec^3 \theta - \sec \theta + \sec \theta \tan^2 \theta = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \sec \theta \left(\frac{1}{2} \sec^2 \theta - 1 + \tan^2 \theta \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec \theta = 0 \quad (\text{no solutions}) \quad \text{or} \quad \frac{1}{2} \sec^2 \theta - 1 + \tan^2 \theta = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \sec^2 \theta - 2 + 2 \tan^2 \theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sec^2 \theta - 2 + 2(\sec^2 \theta - 1) = 0 \Rightarrow 3 \sec^2 \theta = 4 \Rightarrow \sec \theta = \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \Rightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \Rightarrow \theta = \pm \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$r = \frac{1}{2} \sec^3 \left(\pm \frac{\pi}{6} \right) = \frac{4}{3\sqrt{3}} = \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{9} \Rightarrow \text{Crossing points: } \left(\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{9}, \frac{\pi}{6} \right) \text{ and } \left(\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{9}, -\frac{\pi}{6} \right)$$

ii.



$$P\hat{O}A = \frac{\pi}{6} \quad OA = \frac{4\sqrt{3}}{9} \quad OP = (1 - \tan^2 0) \sec 0 = 1$$

Using cosine rule:

$$AP^2 = \left(\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{9} \right)^2 + 1^2 - 2 \left(\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{9} \right) (1) \cos \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$AP = \sqrt{\frac{16}{27} + 1 - \frac{8\sqrt{3}}{9} \left(\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right)} = \sqrt{\frac{7}{27}} = \frac{\sqrt{7}}{3\sqrt{3}} = \frac{\sqrt{21}}{9}$$

Using sine rule:

$$\frac{1}{\sin \alpha} = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{21}}{9}}{\sin \frac{\pi}{6}} \Rightarrow \sin \alpha = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{\frac{\sqrt{21}}{9}} = \frac{9}{2\sqrt{21}} = \frac{9\sqrt{21}}{42}$$

Using cosine rule:

$$1^2 = \left(\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{9} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\sqrt{21}}{9} \right)^2 - 2 \left(\frac{4\sqrt{3}}{9} \right) \left(\frac{\sqrt{21}}{9} \right) \cos \alpha \Rightarrow 1 = \frac{16}{27} + \frac{7}{27} - \frac{24\sqrt{7}}{81} \cos \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow 81 = 69 - 24\sqrt{7} \cos \alpha \Rightarrow \frac{69 - 81}{24\sqrt{7}} = \cos \alpha = -\frac{1}{2\sqrt{7}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \alpha = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\cos \alpha} = \frac{\frac{9\sqrt{21}}{42}}{-\frac{1}{2\sqrt{7}}} = -3\sqrt{3}$$

iii.

Since $k < 0$, the angle must be obtuse ($\tan \theta > 0$ for $0 < \theta < \frac{\pi}{2}$), and since the angle formed in a semicircle by end points of the diameter and the circumference is a right angle, the point A must lie inside the circle. The closer such a point is to the centre, the greater the angle becomes, and the further away, the smaller it becomes.

