

## Lecture 3

### Linear equations

HW 1, 2, 3 due tonight in MyLab

$$A(x) \frac{dy}{dx} + B(x)y = Q(x)$$

Step 1: Divide by  $A(x)$  to put in **Standard Form**.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = g(x) \quad p(x) = \frac{B(x)}{A(x)}$$

Step 2: Calculate int. factor

$$u = e^{\int P(x) dx}$$

Step 3: Multiply Stand. Form eqn by  $u$ :

$$u \frac{dy}{dx} + upy = ug$$

$$\underbrace{\frac{d}{dx}[uy]}$$

Step 4: Integrate:

$$uy = \int ug dx + C$$

Step 5: Solve for  $y$

$$y = \frac{1}{u} \int ug dx + \frac{C}{u}$$

Very cool thing: Can calculate integrals via the Fund Thm Calc:

$$u(x) = e^{\int_{x_0}^x P(t) dt}$$

I.V.P. (Initial Value Problem)

$$y(x_0) = y_0$$

$$u(x_0) = e^{\int_{x_0}^{x_0} \dots} = e^0 = 1$$

$$y(x) = \frac{1}{u(x)} \int_{x_0}^x u(t) g(t) dt + \frac{C}{u(x)}$$

$$y(x_0) = \frac{1}{u(x_0)} \int_0^{x_0} u(t) g(t) dt + \frac{C}{u(x_0)}$$

$$= C = y_0$$

want

Wow! If  $p(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are by data,

can use Simpson's Rule to compute areas!

Philosophical fact: If  $p(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are continuous funcs, then  $y(x)$  is continuously diff'ble.

The solution exists and is unique!

Ex:

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

1:  $\frac{dy}{dx} + \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)y = \frac{1}{2}e^{3x}$  Standard Form!

$\downarrow$

$p(x) = \frac{1}{2}$

2:  $u = e^{\int p(x) dx} = e^{\int \frac{1}{2} dx} = e^{x/2}$  ← No  $+C$  here.  
Just need one  $u$ .

3:  $e^{x/2} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{1}{2}y \right) = e^{x/2} \left( \frac{1}{2}e^{3x} \right)$

$\underbrace{\phantom{e^{x/2}}}_{\text{---}}$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left[ e^{x/2} y \right]$$

$\uparrow$   
 $u$

4:  $e^{x/2} y = \frac{1}{2} \int e^{(7/2)x} dx = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{(\frac{7}{2})} e^{(7/2)x} + C$

$$5: \boxed{y = \frac{1}{7} e^{3x} + C e^{-x/2}}$$

EX:  $\frac{dy}{dx} - (\tan x)y = 8 \sin^3 x$

$$a \ln b = \ln b^a$$

↑ Standard Form. ✓

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

$$= |\sec x|^{-1} = |\cos x|$$

$\uparrow$   
 $\sec = \frac{1}{\cos}$

$$= \pm \cos x \quad \leftarrow \text{pick + one.}$$

Take

$$\boxed{u(x) = \cos x}$$

$$\cos x \left( \frac{dy}{dx} + (-\tan x) y \right) = \cos x 8 \sin^3 x$$

$\frac{\sin}{\cos}$

$$\frac{d}{dx} \begin{bmatrix} \cos x & y \\ u & \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\cos x y = 8 \int \sin^3 x \underbrace{\cos x dx}_{v = \sin x} \quad dv = \cos x dx$$

$$= 8 \cdot \frac{1}{4} v^4 + C$$

$$\cos x \quad y = 2 \sin^4 x + C$$

$$y = 2 \frac{\sin^4 x}{\cos x} + \frac{C}{\cos x}$$

$$= 2 \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} \sin^3 x + C \sec x$$

$$y = 2 \tan x \sin^3 x + C \sec x$$

Hmm.  $\sec x$  is nasty at  $\frac{\pi}{2}$ !

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \underbrace{(-\tan x)}_p y = 8 \sin^3 x$$

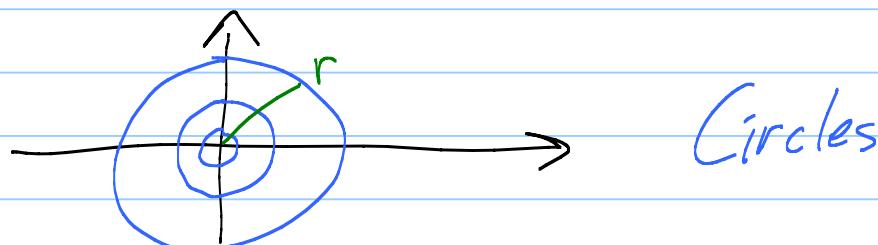
Aha!  $p(x)$  is nasty at  $\frac{\pi}{2}$

Fact:  $A(x) \frac{dy}{dx} + B(x)y = Q(x)$

Step 1: Divide by  $A$  to get  $P$  and  $q$ .

Zeroes of  $A(x)$  are dangerous!

Problem: Find an O.D.E. that has solutions :



$$x^2 + y^2 = r^2 = C, \text{ a constant}$$

Implicit differentiation!

$$\underbrace{\frac{d}{dx}(x^2)}_{2x} + \frac{d}{dx}(y^2) = \frac{d}{dx}(C) = 0$$

$$(2y) \frac{dy}{dx}$$

Cancel 2's.

$$x + y \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{x}{y}}$$

Separable first order ODEs:

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

Method:

$$g(y) dy = f(x) dx \quad \begin{matrix} \leftarrow \\ \text{Separate } x's, y's \end{matrix}$$

Integrate  $\int g(y) dy = \int f(x) dx + C$

Defines solutions  $y(x)$  to ODE implicitly.

Solve for  $y$  if you can.

Does this really work?

$$\underbrace{\int g(y) dy}_{G(y)} = \underbrace{\int f(x) dx}_{F(x)} + C$$

$$G(y) - F(x) = C \leftarrow \text{defines } y(x)$$

Implicit diff'ntion:

$$\underbrace{\frac{d}{dx} G(y)}_{\begin{array}{l} \text{G'(y)} \\ \text{---} \\ \text{g(y)} \end{array}} - \underbrace{\frac{d}{dx} F(x)}_{f(x)} = \frac{d}{dx} C = 0$$

$$g(y) \frac{dy}{dx} - f(x) = 0$$

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