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Math 3C Midterm

Lecture 2, W'03, Feb 10, 2003

All your answers must be carefully justified. It is not enough to have a correct answer, you must explain how you got it. Neat work, clear and to-the-point explanations will receive more credit than messy, chaotic answers. You may not use books, notes, and calculators on this exam. You may have a $3'' \times 5''$ handwritten cheat sheet.

Simplify your answers as much as you can. It's ok to leave $\sqrt{3}$, π and such, but not 7/14. Put your answers on this sheet. You may use the back of the sheets if you need more space. This exam has 2 pages.

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$\sum$	

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1. (2 pts for each correct answer, -1 pt for each wrong answer, 0 for blank) Decide if the following statements are true (i.e. always true) or false (i.e. false in at least one case). You need not justify your answer.
   (a) ☐ The DE $\cos(x)y'' + \ln(xe^y) = 0$ is a linear and homogeneous.
   (b) ☐ The isoclines of the DE $y' = f(x, y)$ are the level curves of the function $f(x, y)$.
   (c) ☐ If L is an operator and $L(y_1 + y_2) = L(y_1) + L(y_2)$ for any differentiable functions y_1 and y_2, then L is a linear operator.
   (d) ☐ The DE $x^2y' + (xy)^2 = 0$ is separable.
   (e) ☐ Every autonomous first-order DE is separable.
   (f) ☐ The DE $e^{x^2}y' + \frac{x^2}{y} = 0$ is linear.
   (g) ☐ If y is an equilibrium solution of a first-order DE, then $y'(x) = 0$ for all x.
   (h) ☐ The DE $y' - (x^2 - 1)(y^2 + 1) = 0$ has no equilibrium solutions.
   (i) ☐ Let L be a linear differential operator and y a solution of the DE $L(y) = e^{\sqrt{x}}$. Then cy is also a solution of the same DE for any constant c.
   (j) ☐ If L is a linear operator and y_1 and y_2 are differentiable functions, then $L(y_1)+L(y_2) = L(y_1 + y_2)$.
2. (10 pts) Find the equation of the tangent plane to the function $f(x, y) = x^y - e^{y^2}$ at the point $(4, 1)$.

3. (10 pts) In this problem, you will use Euler's method with a stepsize of $\Delta x = 0.5$ to approximate the solution of the IVP

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 2y - x, \qquad y(3) = 1.$$

Fill out the table below:

x	y	$2y - x$	Δy
3			
3.5			
4			

4. (15 pts) In this problem, you will find solutions of the DE

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3x^2 - 1}{(x^3 - x)2y \ln y} \qquad (y > 0).$$

(a) Find the equilibrium solutions if there are any.

(b) Use separation of variables to find all the nonequilibrium solutions. You may not be able to solve for y explicitly.

(c) Check your solution by differentiating it. (Hint: you may have to use implicit differentiation.)

(d) Find the particular solution that fits the initial condition $y(2) = 1$.