

## ANSWER on QUESTION #59041 – Math – Differential Equations

### QUESTION #1

Solve the variable separable  $x^3 dx + (y + 1)^2 dy = 0$

- a)  $3x^4 + 4(y + 2)^3 = C$
- b)  $5x^4 + 4(y + 1)^3 = C$
- c)  $3x^4 + 4(y + 1)^3 = C$
- d)  $4x^4 + 4(y + 2)^3 = C$

### SOLUTION

$$x^3 dx + (y + 1)^2 dy = 0 \Leftrightarrow d\left(\frac{x^4}{4}\right) + d\left(\frac{(y + 1)^3}{3}\right) = 0 \Leftrightarrow$$

$$d\left(\frac{x^4}{4} + \frac{(y + 1)^3}{3}\right) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \frac{x^4}{4} + \frac{(y + 1)^3}{3} = Const \Leftrightarrow$$

$$12 * \left(\frac{x^4}{4} + \frac{(y + 1)^3}{3}\right) = \underbrace{12 * Const}_C \Leftrightarrow 3x^4 + 4(y + 1)^3 = C$$

**ANSWER:** c)  $3x^4 + 4(y + 1)^3 = C$

### QUESTION #2

Solve  $(x^3 + y^3)dx - 3xy^2 dy = 0$

- a)  $x^5 - 2y^3 = Cx$
- b)  $x^3 - 2y^3 = Cx$
- c)  $x^3 - 3y^3 = Cx$
- d)  $x^5 - 2y^2 = Cx$

### SOLUTION

$$(x^3 + y^3)dx - 3xy^2 dy = 0$$

$$(x^3 + y^3) - 3xy^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

Divide both sides by  $x^3$ :

$$1 + \frac{y^3}{x^3} - 3 \frac{xy^2}{x^3} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

Let

$$\frac{y^3}{x^3} = z(x) \Leftrightarrow \frac{3y^2}{x^3} \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{3y^3}{x^4} = \frac{dz}{dx} \Leftrightarrow \frac{3y^2}{x^3} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3y^3}{x^4} + \frac{dz}{dx} = \frac{3z}{x} + \frac{dz}{dx}$$

$$1 + \frac{y^3}{x^3} - x \frac{3y^2}{x^3} \frac{dy}{dx} = 0 \Leftrightarrow 1 + z - x \left( \frac{3z}{x} + \frac{dz}{dx} \right) = 0 \Leftrightarrow 1 + z - 3z - x \frac{dz}{dx} = 0$$

$$1 - 2z = x \frac{dz}{dx} \Leftrightarrow \frac{dx}{x} = \frac{dz}{1 - 2z} \Leftrightarrow \ln|x| + \ln C = \frac{-1}{2} \ln|1 - 2z| \Leftrightarrow$$

$$-2 \ln|Cx| = \ln \left| 1 - 2 \frac{y^3}{x^3} \right| \Leftrightarrow \ln|Cx|^{-2} = \ln \left| 1 - 2 \frac{y^3}{x^3} \right| \Leftrightarrow \ln \frac{1}{|Cx|^2} = \ln \left| 1 - 2 \frac{y^3}{x^3} \right|$$

$$\frac{1}{|Cx|^2} = 1 - 2 \frac{y^3}{x^3} \quad \text{multiplying by } x^3 \Leftrightarrow \frac{x^3}{|Cx|^2} = x^3 - 2y^3 \Leftrightarrow \underbrace{\frac{1}{C}}_{C_1} x = x^3 - 2y^3 \Leftrightarrow$$

$$x^3 - 2y^3 = C_1 x$$

**ANSWER:** b)  $x^3 - 2y^3 = Cx$

### QUESTION #3

Solve  $\left(1 + 2e^{\frac{x}{y}}\right) dx + 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} \left(1 - \frac{x}{y}\right) dy = 0$

a)  $5x + 2ye^{\frac{x}{y}} = C$

b)  $x + 2ye^{\frac{2x}{y}} = C$

c)  $x + 2ye^{\frac{x}{y}} = C$

d)  $5x + 3ye^{\frac{x}{y}} = C$

### SOLUTION

We write this differential equation in the form  $P(x, y)dx + Q(x, y)dy = 0$ , where

$P(x, y) = \left(1 + 2e^{\frac{x}{y}}\right)$  and  $Q(x, y) = 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} \left(1 - \frac{x}{y}\right)$ . We show that this equation is an exact ordinary differential equation, To do this, check the equality

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x}$$

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( 1 + 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} \right) = 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} * \frac{-x}{y^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial Q}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} \left( 1 - \frac{x}{y} \right) \right) = 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} * \frac{1}{y} \left( 1 - \frac{x}{y} \right) + 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} \left( -\frac{1}{y} \right) = 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} * \frac{1}{y} \left( 1 - \frac{x}{y} - 1 \right) = 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} * \frac{-x}{y^2}$$

As we can see

$$\frac{\partial P}{\partial y} = 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} * \frac{-x}{y^2} = \frac{\partial Q}{\partial x}$$

This equality confirms our guess that this ordinary differential equation is exact.

Therefore,

$$P(x, y) = F'_x(x, y) \quad \text{and} \quad Q(x, y) = F'_y(x, y)$$

$$F'_x(x, y) = 1 + 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} \Leftrightarrow F(x, y) = \int \left( 1 + 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} \right) dx = x + 2ye^{\frac{x}{y}} + \varphi(y)$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q(x, y) = F'_y(x, y) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( x + 2ye^{\frac{x}{y}} + \varphi(y) \right) = \varphi'(y) + 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} + 2ye^{\frac{x}{y}} * \frac{-x}{y^2} = \\ &= \varphi'(y) + 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} \left( 1 - \frac{x}{y} \right) \Leftrightarrow \underbrace{2e^{\frac{x}{y}} \left( 1 - \frac{x}{y} \right)}_{Q(x, y)} = \varphi'(y) + 2e^{\frac{x}{y}} \left( 1 - \frac{x}{y} \right) \Leftrightarrow \varphi'(y) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\varphi(y) = C_1$$

$$P(x, y)dx + Q(x, y)dy = 0 \Leftrightarrow dF(x, y) = 0 \Leftrightarrow F(x, y) = C$$

$$x + 2ye^{\frac{x}{y}} + C_1 = C \Leftrightarrow x + 2ye^{\frac{x}{y}} = \underbrace{(C - C_1)}_{C_2} \Leftrightarrow x + 2ye^{\frac{x}{y}} = C_2$$

**ANSWER:** c)  $x + 2ye^{\frac{x}{y}} = C$ .