

**King Fahd University of Petroleum and Minerals**  
**Department of Mathematics**  
**Math 565 Midterm Exam**  
**The First Semester of 2022-2023 (221)**  
**Time Allowed: 120mn**

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Problem #	Marks	Maximum Marks
1		20
2		20
3		20
4		20
5		20
Total		100

**Problem 1:**

1.) (10pts) Find the explicit solution and its largest interval of definition of the IVP

$$\begin{cases} (x^2 + 1) \frac{dy}{dx} = x(y^2 - 1), \\ y(0) = 3. \end{cases}$$

2.) (10pts) Does the IVP

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x^3 - 4}{x^2 - y^2}, \\ y(0) = 1, \end{cases}$$

have a unique solution?

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} i.) \quad \frac{dy}{y^2 - 1} = \frac{x}{x^2 + 1} dx \Rightarrow \int \left( \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{y-1} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{y+1} \right) dx = \int \frac{x}{x^2 + 1} dx \\ \frac{1}{2} \ln \left| \frac{y-1}{y+1} \right| = \frac{1}{2} \ln |x^2 + 1| + C \Rightarrow \frac{y-1}{y+1} = C(x^2 + 1) \\ y(0) = 3 \Rightarrow \frac{3-1}{3+1} = C \Rightarrow \frac{y-1}{y+1} = \frac{1}{2}(x^2 + 1), \\ \text{thus, } \boxed{y = \frac{x^2 + 3}{1-x^2}, \quad x \in (-1, 1)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2.) \quad f(x, y) = \frac{x^3 - 4}{x^2 - y^2} \\ D = \left\{ (x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \mid \begin{array}{l} |x| \leq \frac{1}{4} \\ |y| \leq \frac{1}{4} \end{array} \right\} \\ -\frac{1}{4} \leq x \leq \frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow -\frac{1}{4^3} \leq x^3 \leq \frac{1}{4^3} \Rightarrow -\frac{257}{64} \leq x^3 - 4 \leq \frac{255}{64} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{255}{64} \leq |x^3 - 4| \leq \frac{257}{64} \\ 0 \leq x^2 \leq \frac{1}{16} \\ -\frac{3}{4} \leq y \leq \frac{3}{4} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{9}{16} \leq y^2 \leq \frac{25}{16}, \\ -\frac{25}{16} \leq -y^2 \leq -\frac{9}{16}, \\ -\frac{25}{16} \leq x^2 - y^2 \leq \frac{35}{16} \end{array} \right\} \\ \left| f(x, y) \right| = \frac{|x^3 - 4|}{|x^2 - y^2|} \leq \frac{257}{140} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = \frac{-2y(x^3 - 4)}{(x^2 - y^2)^2}; \quad \left| \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \right| \leq 2 \cdot \frac{257}{245} \text{ on } D \\ f \text{ is continuous on } D, \text{ and } \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} \text{ is bounded} \\ \Rightarrow \text{The IVP has a unique solution } y = y(x), \quad x \in \left[ -\frac{35}{257}, \frac{35}{257} \right] \end{aligned}$$

Problem 2: 1.) (10pts) Show that the solution of the initial value problem

$$\begin{cases} -\frac{dy^2}{dx} \leq \frac{1}{x}y^2 + \frac{e^{-x}}{x}, \\ y(0) = 20000, \end{cases}$$

satisfies

$$y^2(x) \leq \frac{e^{-x}-1}{x}, \quad \forall x < 0.$$

2.) (10pts) If  $f(y)$  is lipschitz, show that the solution of the IVP

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dy}{dx} = -y + f(y), \\ y(0) = -3, \end{cases}$$

is unique on  $[0, \infty)$ .

Solution:

$$\text{1.) } -\frac{dy^2}{dx} \leq \frac{1}{x}y^2 + \frac{e^{-x}}{x} \Rightarrow \frac{dy^2}{dx} + \frac{1}{x}y^2 \geq -\frac{e^{-x}}{x}$$

An integrating factor is  $e^{\int \frac{1}{x} dx} = e^{\ln|x|} = |x| = -x, x < 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(-xy^2) \geq -e^{-x} \Rightarrow \underbrace{\int_x^0 \frac{d}{dr}(-ry^2) dr}_{0+xy^2(x)} \geq \underbrace{\int_x^0 e^{-r} dr}_{e^{-x}-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow -xy^2(x) \geq e^{-x}-1 \Rightarrow y^2(x) \leq \frac{e^{-x}-1}{x}, \quad \forall x < 0$$

2.) Let  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  be two solutions of the IVP

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dy_1}{dx} = -y_1 + f(y_1), \\ y_1(0) = -3 \end{cases}; \begin{cases} \frac{dy_2}{dx} = -y_2 + f(y_2), \\ y_2(0) = -3 \end{cases} \quad \text{If } y = y_1 - y_2, \text{ then}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{dy}{dx} = -y + f(y_1) - f(y_2), \\ y(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}(e^x y) = e^x(f(y_1) - f(y_2)); \quad e^x y(x) = y(0) + \int_0^x e^r (f(y_1) - f(y_2)) dr$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = y(0)e^{-x} + e^x \int_0^x e^r (f(y_1) - f(y_2)) dr$$

$$\Rightarrow |y(x)| \leq |y(0)|e^{-x} + e^x \int_0^x e^r |f(y_1) - f(y_2)| dr; \quad |f(y_1) - f(y_2)| \leq L|y|$$

$$\leq |y(0)| + \int_0^x L|y(r)| dr, \quad \forall x \geq 0$$

We apply the Gronwall inequality  $\Rightarrow |y(x)| \leq |y(0)|e^{\int_0^x Lr dr}, x \geq 0$

$$\Rightarrow |y(x)| = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{y(x) = 0, \forall x \geq 0} \quad \textcircled{3}$$

**Problem 3:** Consider the nonhomogeneous linear system

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dx}{dt} &= 4x - y - 3 \\ \frac{dy}{dt} &= x + 6y - 7.\end{aligned}$$

- 1.)(4pts) Convert the system into a homogeneous linear system  $X' = AX$ .
- 2.)(8pts) Find a matrix  $P$  such that  $X = PZ$  and  $Z' = JZ$ , where  $J$  is the Jordan matrix.
- 3.)(8pts) Draw the phase portrait of the system in the  $xy$ - plane.

**Solution:**

1) Critical points:  $\begin{cases} ux - y = 3 \\ x + 6y = 7 \end{cases} \Rightarrow x = 1; y = 1; A(1)$

$$\begin{matrix} u = x - 1 \\ v = y - 1 \end{matrix} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{du}{dt} = h(u+1) - (v+1) - 3 = 4u - v \\ \frac{dv}{dt} = u+1 + 6(v+1) - 7 = u + 6v \end{cases}$$

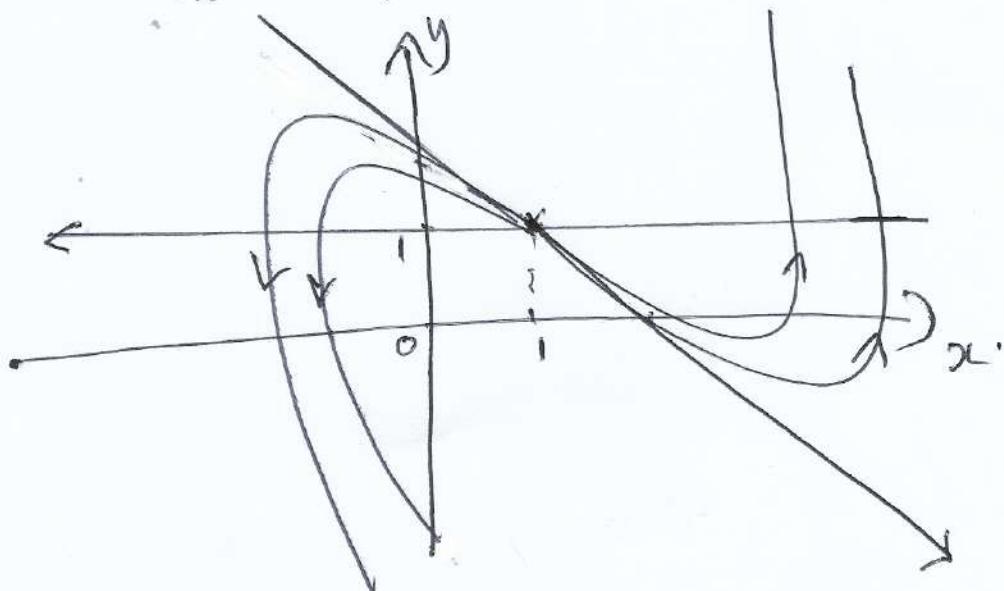
2)  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 \\ 1 & 6 \end{pmatrix}$   $\begin{vmatrix} u-\lambda & -1 \\ 1 & 6-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = 0; \lambda^2 - 10\lambda + 25 = 0, \lambda = \underline{s_1, s_2}$

$$(A - s_1 I)K = 0; \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 5 \end{pmatrix}, x+y=0, K \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow P = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(A - s_2 I)P = K, \begin{pmatrix} -1 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, x+y=-1, P \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow Z = \begin{pmatrix} 5 & 1 \\ 0 & 5 \end{pmatrix} Z$$

3)  $Z_1(t) = (s_1 + s_2 t) e^{st}$   
 $Z_2(t) = s_2 e^{st}$ , if  $Z(0) = \begin{pmatrix} s_1 \\ s_2 \end{pmatrix}$



Problem 4: Consider the system

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dx}{dt} &= 2y^2 + 3x \\ \frac{dy}{dt} &= y \\ \frac{dz}{dt} &= y^2 - 2z.\end{aligned}$$

- 1.) (4 pts) What does the origin represent to the system? Indicate its nature.  
 2.) (16 pts) Find the stable manifold of the system at the origin.

Solution:

1.) The origin is a critical point.

$$\text{The Jacobian at } (x_0, y_0, z_0) \text{ is } J = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 4y_0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\text{At the origin } J = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -2 \end{pmatrix}; \lambda = 3, 1, -2$$

The origin is a saddle

$$\begin{aligned}2.) \quad \frac{dy}{dt} &= y, \quad \frac{d(ye^{-t})}{dt} = 0, \quad ye^{-t} = y_0 \Rightarrow y(t) = y_0 e^t \\ \frac{dx}{dt} - 3x &= 2y_0^2 e^{2t}, \quad \frac{d(xe^{-3t})}{dt} = 2y_0^2 e^{-t}; xe^{-3t} = x_0 + 2y_0^2 \int e^{2r} dr \\ &\Rightarrow x(t) = x_0 e^{3t} + 2y_0^2 e^{3t} \frac{e^{-t}}{1-e^{-t}} \\ \frac{dz}{dt} + 2z &= y_0^2 e^{2t}; \quad \frac{d(ze^{4t})}{dt} = y_0^2 e^{4t}; \quad ze^{4t} = z_0 + y_0^2 \int e^{4r} dr \\ &\Rightarrow z(t) = z_0 e^{-4t} + y_0^2 e^{-4t} \frac{e^{4t}-1}{4}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus, } W^s(0, 0) = \left\{ (x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3; \quad \begin{cases} x = 0, y = 0 \\ z = z_0 e^{-4t} - \frac{y_0^2 - 2t}{4} e^{-4t} + \frac{y_0^2}{4} e^{-4t} \end{cases} \right\}; \text{ the } \mathbb{Z} \text{-axis}$$

**Problem 5:**

Consider the nonlinear autonomous system

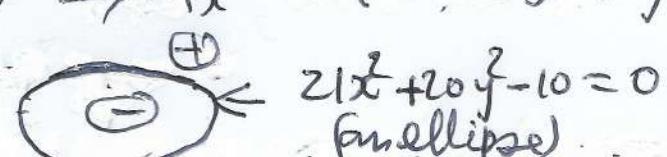
$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dx}{dt} &= -x^5(3x^2 + 4y^2 - 2) - my \\ \frac{dy}{dt} &= mx\end{aligned}$$

for a nonzero real number  $m$ .

- 1) (4 pts) Confirm that there is non negligible chance for the system to have a closed orbit.  
 2) (16 pts) Show that the system has at least one periodic solution.

Solution:

1)  $f(x,y) = -x^5(3x^2 + 4y^2 - 2) - my \Rightarrow f_x = -x^4(21x^2 + 20y^2 - 10)$   
 $g(x,y) = mx \Rightarrow g_y = 0$   
 $\nabla \cdot F = f_x + g_y = f_x$



From the Poincaré criteria, there might be a closed curve

2.)  $\frac{1}{2} \frac{dx^2}{dt} = -x^6(3x^2 + 4y^2 - 2) - mxy$   
 $+ \frac{1}{2} \frac{dy^2}{dt} = mxy$

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 $\frac{1}{2} \frac{d(x^2 + y^2)}{dt} = -x^6(2x^2 + 4y^2 - 2)$

Now, we notice that  $2(x^2 + y^2) \leq 2x^2 + 4y^2 \leq 4(x^2 + y^2)$   
 that is,  $2(x^2 + y^2 - 1) \leq 2x^2 + 4y^2 - 2 \leq 4(x^2 + y^2 - \frac{1}{2})$

Let  $b_a = \{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 / x^2 + y^2 = a^2\}$   
 $b_b = \{(x,y) \in \mathbb{R}^2 / x^2 + y^2 = b^2\}$ ;  $V(x,y) = \frac{1}{2}(x^2 + y^2)$

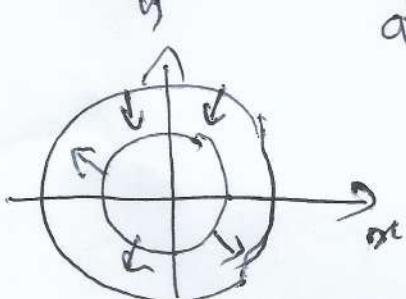
$$\Rightarrow -4x^6(x^2 + y^2 - \frac{1}{2}) \leq \frac{dV}{dt} \leq -2x^6(x^2 + y^2 - 1)$$

We want this  $\ominus$

$$a^2 - \frac{1}{2} < 0, a < \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$$

We want this  $\oplus$

$$b^2 - 1 > 0, b > 1$$



Let  $D = \{(x,y) / \frac{1}{2} \leq x^2 + y^2 \leq 1\}$

This is a trapping region.  
 (bounded and positively invariant)

Poincaré-Bendixson  
Theorem

There is at least one  
 (6) periodic solution