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Instructions

- (1) Only the standard McMaster calculator is allowed.
- (2) Additional scratch paper is available for rough work; ask the invigilator.
- (3) All answers must be written in the space following the question. If you write an answer on scratch paper, indicate **clearly** where to find your answer.

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2 [5]	
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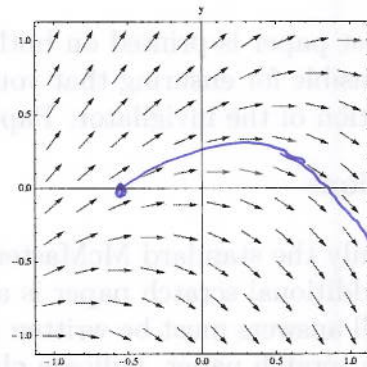
1) [15 points]

a) Given the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = xy - x^2 + y$ , with initial data  $y(0) = 2$ , use Euler's method with step size  $h = 1$  to approximate  $y(1)$ .

$$x_1 = 0, y_1 = 2$$

$$\begin{aligned} x_2 = 1, y_2 &= F(x_1, y_1)h + y_1 \\ &= (0 \cdot 2 - 0^2 + 2) \cdot 1 + 2 \\ &= 2 + 2 \\ &= 4 \end{aligned}$$

b) On the slope field given, sketch the solution which satisfies  $y(-1/2) = 0$ .



c) Describe the path of a particle (both shape of curve and how the curve is traversed) which moves so that its position in the plane at any time  $t$  is given by the parametric equations  $x = \sin(t)$ ,  $y = \cos(t)$ .

$$x^2 + y^2 = \sin^2(t) + \cos^2(t) = 1 \quad \text{so curve is a circle, center } (0,0) \text{ radius } 1.$$

$$x(0) = \sin(0) = 0, \quad y(0) = \cos(0) = 1.$$

$$x\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 1, \quad y\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 0$$

circle traversed clockwise, starting at  $(0,1)$ .

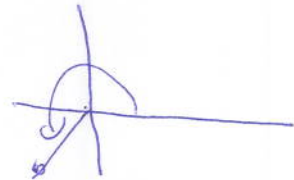


d) Find the cartesian coordinates of the point whose polar coordinates are  $(3, 5\pi/4)$ .

$$r = 3, \quad \theta = \frac{5\pi}{4}$$

$$x = r \cos \theta = 3 \cos\left(\frac{5\pi}{4}\right) = 3 \left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$$

$$y = r \sin \theta = 3 \sin\left(\frac{5\pi}{4}\right) = 3 \left(\frac{-1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$$



- e) A population of bacteria grows exponentially, satisfying the differential equation  $\frac{dP}{dt} = 10P$ .  
If the initial population is 200, find the function  $P(t)$ .

$$P(t) = 200e^{10t}$$

- f) Let  $A(t)$  be the surface area of a growing tumour, and let  $M$  be the final area of the tumour. Experiments show that the rate of change of  $A$  is proportional to the product of  $\sqrt{A}$  and the difference between  $M$  and  $A(t)$ . Write a differential equation for  $A(t)$ .

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = k\sqrt{A}(M-A)$$

- 2) [5 points] Solve the initial value problem  $\frac{dy}{dx} = \sqrt{xy}$ ,  $y(0) = 1$ .

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \sqrt{xy}$$

$$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{y}} dy = \int \sqrt{x} dx$$

$$2y^{1/2} = \frac{2}{3}x^{3/2} + C$$

$$y(0) = 1 : 2 = \frac{2}{3} \cdot 0 + C \quad \underline{C = 2}$$

$$y^{1/2} = \frac{1}{3}x^{3/2} + 1$$

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

3) [6 points] Find the general solution of the linear differential equation  $x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = 3xy + 4x^5 e^x$ .

$$x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = 3xy + 4x^5 e^x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{x} y + 4x^3 e^x$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{3}{x} y = 4x^3 e^x$$

$$I(x) = e^{\int -\frac{3}{x} dx} = e^{-3 \ln(x)} = e^{\ln x^{-3}} = x^{-3}$$

$$\frac{1}{x^3} \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{3}{x^4} y + 4e^x$$

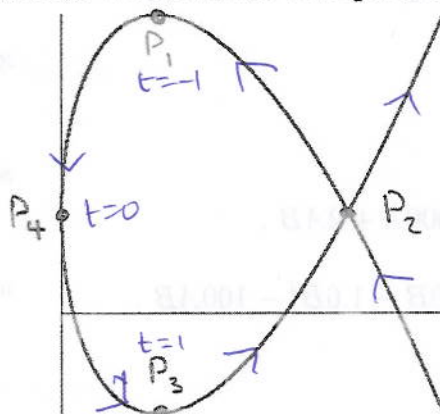
$$\int \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{1}{x^3} y \right) dx = \int 4e^x dx$$

$$\frac{1}{x^3} y = 4e^x + C$$

$$\underline{S \Rightarrow} y = x^3 (4e^x + C)$$

4) [8 points] The curve shown is the path of a particle which moves with parametric equations

$$\begin{aligned} x &= t^2, \\ y &= t^3 - 3t + 1. \end{aligned}$$



a) For each point  $P_1, P_2, P_3, P_4$  marked on the curve, find both the cartesian coordinates of the point and the value(s)  $t$  at which the point is reached.

$P_1, P_3$       $\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$       $\frac{dy}{dt} = 3t^2 - 3 = 3(t-1)(t+1) = 0$  when  $t=1, t=-1$ .

$t=1$       $y = 1 - 3 + 1 = -1$ .

$x = 1$       $P_3$

$t=-1$       $y = -1 + 3 + 1 = 3$

$y = 1$       $P_1$

$P_4$       $\frac{dx}{dt} = 0$       $\frac{dx}{dt} = 2t = 0$  when  $t=0$ , so  $x=0$   
 $y = 1$ .

$P_2$  - Find values of  $t$  so that  $y = 1$ .

$$t^3 - 3t + 1 = 1$$

$$t^3 - 3t = 0$$

$$t(t^2 - 3) = 0$$

$$t = 0 \text{ or } t = \pm\sqrt{3}$$

$$x = 3$$

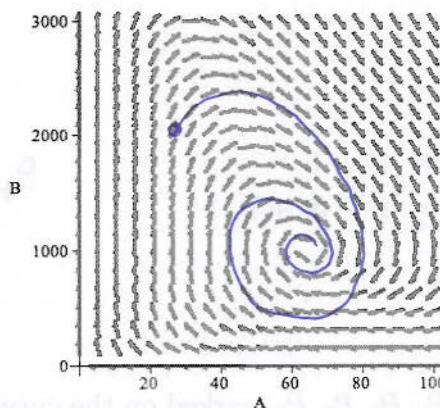
$$P_2(3, 1) \text{ at } t = \sqrt{3}$$

$$\text{and } t = -\sqrt{3}$$

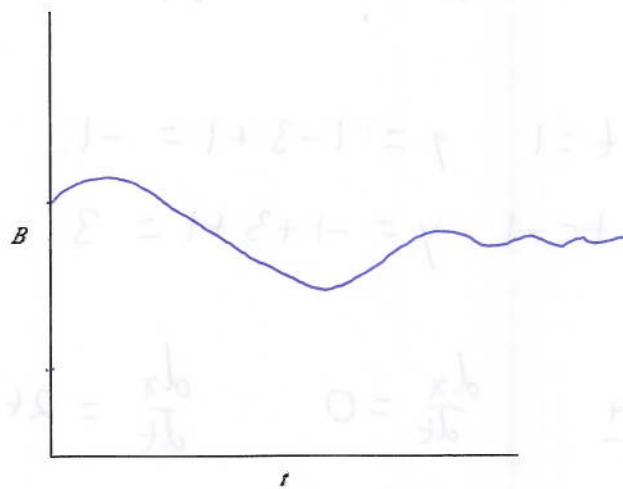
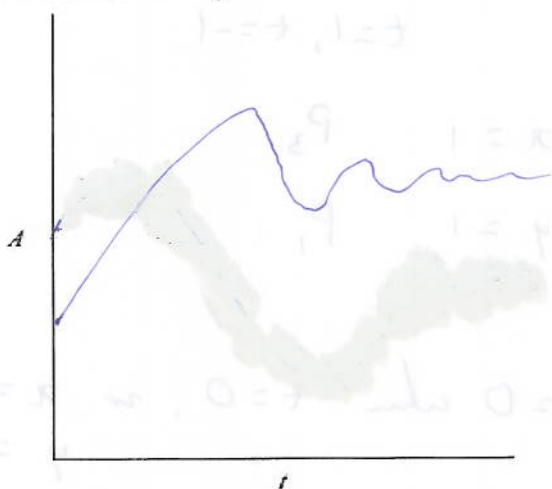
b) Put several arrows on the curve to mark the direction in which it is traversed as  $t$  increases.

5) [6 points] The populations  $A(t)$ ,  $B(t)$  of two interacting species are modelled by the differential equations

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dA}{dt} &= -2000A + 2AB, \\ \frac{dB}{dt} &= 8000B - 1.6B^2 - 100AB.\end{aligned}$$



- On the slope field given, sketch the solution curve which starts at  $A = 30$ ,  $B = 2000$  (hint: the solution approaches an equilibrium solution).
- For the solution curve that you just drew, sketch the graphs of  $A$  against  $t$  and  $B$  against  $t$  (on the axes below).



- Your graphs in part b) should show that  $A(t)$  and  $B(t)$  both approach some values. Find those values.

Eq. when  $\frac{dA}{dt} = \frac{dB}{dt} = 0$ .

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = A(-2000 + 2B) = 0$$

$$A = 0 \text{ or } \underline{B = 1000}$$

$$\frac{dB}{dt} = B(8000 - 1.6B - 100A) = 0 \text{ or } B = 0 \text{ or}$$

$$8000 - 1.6B - 100A = 0$$

$$8000 - 1600 - 100A = 0$$

$$-100A = 6400$$

$$\underline{A = 64}$$