

WARM-UP

EQUATION

PASSES THROUGH

1) SOLVE: $\frac{dy}{dx} = x e^{x^2 - \log(y^2)}$, (0, 1)

2) SOLVE: $x \frac{dy}{dx} = 2(y-4)$

SOL:

1) $\frac{dy}{dx} = x \frac{e^{x^2}}{y^2} \sim y^2 y' = x e^{x^2}$

so $\int y^2 dy = \int x e^{x^2} dx \sim \frac{y^3}{3} = \frac{e^{x^2}}{2} + C$

$y = \sqrt[3]{\frac{3}{2} e^{x^2} + C}$. Now $y(0) = 1 = \sqrt[3]{\frac{3}{2} + C}$

so $C = -\frac{1}{2}$

2) $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2(y-4)}{x} \sim \frac{y'}{y-4} = \frac{2}{x}$

$\sim \dots \sim \log|y-4| = 2 \log|x| + C$

$\sim |y-4| = |x|^2 \cdot e^C \sim y = Cx^2 + 4$

NOTE: C IS ANY REAL NUMBER. $y=4$
IS A SOLUTION.

EXAMPLE: $\frac{dy}{dx} - y \log(x) = \log\left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right)$

FIRST WE GET IT BACK TO STANDARD
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$$y' - y \log(x) = \log\left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right) \sim$$

$$y' = + y \log(x) + \log\left(\frac{1}{x^2}\right) \sim$$

$$y' = + y \log(x) - 2 \log(x) \sim y' = \log(x)(y - 2)$$

$\sim \dots \sim$
* $y \neq 2$ $\int \frac{1}{y-2} dy = \int \log(x) dx$

$$\log|y-2| = x \log x - x + C \sim$$

$$|y-2| = e^{x \log x - x + C} \sim y-2 = \overset{\pm e^C}{C} e^{x \log x - x}$$

LET'S FIND THE SOLUTION BASED ON
 $y(1)$ (IT HAS SOME PROBLEMS AT $x=0$)

$$y(1) = C e^{-1} + 2 \sim C = e(y(1) - 2)$$

SEQUENCES

A SEQUENCE IS AN ORDERED INFINITE LIST OF NUMBERS. IT IS DENOTED

$$\{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m, \dots\} \text{ OR } \{a_m\} \text{ OR } \{a_m\}_{m=1}^{\infty}$$

(NOTE: IT MAY ALSO START FROM A DIFFERENT NUMBER)

WHEN THERE IS AN EXPLICIT FUNCTION DESCRIBING THE SEQUENCE, WE'LL WRITE

$$\{a_m = f(m)\}_{m=1}^{\infty} \text{ OR SIMPLY } \{f(m)\}_{m=1}^{\infty}$$

EXAMPLE:

$$\cdot \left\{1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{3}, \dots, \frac{1}{m}, \dots\right\} \text{ OR } \left\{a_m = \frac{1}{m}\right\}_{m=1}^{\infty} \text{ OR } \left\{\frac{1}{m}\right\}_{m=1}^{\infty}$$

$$\cdot \left\{1, -1, 1, \dots, (-1)^{m-1}, \dots\right\} \text{ OR } \left\{a_m = (-1)^{m-1}\right\}_{m=1}^{\infty} \text{ OR } \left\{(-1)^{m-1}\right\}_{m=1}^{\infty}$$

NOTE THAT IN GENERAL THERE MAY BE NO REASONABLE FUNCTION TO DESCRIBE A SEQUENCE;

EXAMPLE:

$$\{a_m\} = \{3, 1, 4, 1, 5, 9, 2, 6, 5, \dots\}$$

$$\{a_m = m\text{-th DECIMAL DIGIT OF } \pi\}$$

A SEQUENCE $\{a_m\}$ CONVERGES TO A NUMBER A IF $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} a_m = A$

IT IS SAID TO DIVERGE IF $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} a_m$ DOES NOT EXIST OR IS $\pm \infty$.

EXAMPLE:

• $\{a_m = \frac{1}{m}\}$ CONVERGES TO $A=0$ AS

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{m} = 0$$

• $\{a_m = (-1)^{m-1}\}$ DIVERGES AS

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} (-1)^{m-1} \text{ DOES NOT EXIST}$$

• $\{a_m = m\}$ DIVERGES TO ∞ AS

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} m = \infty$$

• HOW ABOUT $\left\{ \frac{m+3}{2m+5} \right\}_{m=1}^{\infty}$? WELL,

$$\frac{m+3}{2m+5} = \frac{m(1 + \frac{3}{m})}{m(2 + \frac{5}{m})} = \frac{1 + \frac{3}{m}}{2 + \frac{5}{m}} \quad \text{SO}$$

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{m+3}{2m+5} = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1 + \frac{3}{m}}{2 + \frac{5}{m}} = \frac{1}{2}$$

THIS LOOKS LIKE WHAT WE WOULD DO FOR A REGULAR LIMIT... AND IN FACT:

THM: IF $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} f(x) = A$, THEN $\{a_m = f(m)\}$ CONVERGES TO A.

EXAMPLE: $\{a_m = e^{-m}\}$ THEN $\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} a_m = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{-x} = 0$

NOTE THAT THIS DOES NOT GO TWO WAYS!

EXAMPLE:

$f(x) = \sin(\pi x)$ $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \sin(\pi x)$ DNE AS

$f(x)$ KEEPS OSCILLATING BETWEEN 1 AND -1.

BUT! $\{a_m = f(m)\}_{m=1}^{\infty} = \{a_m = \sin(\pi m)\}_{m=1}^{\infty}$

DOES CONVERGE AS $\sin(\pi m) = 0$ FOR ALL m !

LIMITS OF SEQUENCES BEHAVE AS WE GENERALLY EXPECT IN TERMS OF THE USUAL OPERATIONS:

THEOREM: IF $\{a_m\}$ CONVERGES TO A AND $\{b_m\}$ CONVERGES TO B THEN:

SEQUENCE	CONVERGES TO
$\{a_m + b_m\}$	$A + B$
$\{a_m - b_m\}$	$A - B$
$\{c a_m\}$	cA
$\{a_m \cdot b_m\}$	$A \cdot B$
* $\left\{ \frac{a_m}{b_m} \right\}$	$\frac{A}{B}$

*: PROVIDED $b_m \neq 0, B \neq 0$

EXAMPLE: $\left\{ -\frac{m+3}{2m+5} + 3e^{-m} \right\}$

$$\lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} -\frac{m+3}{2m+5} + 3e^{-m} = \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} 3(e^{-m}) - \left(\frac{m+3}{2m+5} \right) = 3 \cdot 0 - \frac{1}{2}$$

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 CONV TO 0 CONV TO $\frac{1}{2}$

$$= \frac{1}{2}$$

EXAMPLE : $\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^p}$

AS $\int_1^{\infty} \frac{1}{x^p} dx$ CONVERGES IF AND ONLY IF $p > 1$,

AND $\frac{1}{x^p}$ IS POSITIVE AND DECREASING,

BY THE INTEGRAL TEST $\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^p}$ CONVERGES

IF AND ONLY IF $p > 1$

EXAMPLE : $\sum_{m=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m (\log m)^p}$

WE WANT TO COMPARE WITH $\int_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{x (\log x)^p} dx$

• $x \log(x) > 0$ FOR $x > 2$ SO $\frac{1}{x (\log x)^p} > 0$

• $\left(\frac{1}{x (\log x)^p} \right)' = \frac{-(\log(x) + 1)}{(x (\log x)^p)^2} < 0$ SO $\frac{1}{x \log(x)}$

IS DECREASING FOR

• $\int_2^{\infty} \frac{1}{x (\log x)^p} dx = \int_{\log(2)}^{\infty} \frac{1}{u^p} du$ CONVERGES IF AND ONLY

IF $p > 1$ SO $\sum_{m=2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m \log m}$ CONVERGES IF AND ONLY IF

$p > 1$ BY THE INTEGRAL TEST.