

**Answer on Question #39003 - <Math> - <Algebra>.**

Solve the following ordinary differential equations;  $xdx + ydy + 4y^3(x^2 + y^2)dy$

**Solution:**

We can rewrite our equation:

$$x dx + (4(x^2 + y(x)^2)y(x)^3 + y(x))dy(x) = 0$$

Make the replacement, let  $R(x, y) = x$  and  $S(x, y) = 4y^3(x^2 + y^2) + y$ . This is not exact equation, because  $\frac{\partial R(x,y)}{\partial y} = 0 \neq 8xy^3 = \frac{\partial S(x,y)}{\partial x}$ .

Next step we have to find an integrating factor  $\mu(y)$  such that

$$\mu(y)R(x, y)dx + \mu(y)S(x, y)dy(x) = 0 \text{ is exact.}$$

This means that  $\frac{\partial}{\partial y}(\mu(y)R(x, y)) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(\mu(y)S(x, y))$ :

$$\frac{\partial \mu(y)}{\partial y} x = 8y^3 \mu(y) x$$

Isolate  $\mu(y)$  to the left-hand side:

$$\frac{\frac{\partial \mu(y)}{\partial y}}{\mu(y)} = 8y^3$$

Integrate both sides with respect to  $y$ :

$$\log(\mu(y)) = 2y^4$$

Then we take exponentials of the both sides:

$$\mu(y) = e^{2y^4}$$

Go back to our expression and multiply it:

$$(4(x^2 + y(x)^2)y(x)^3 + y(x)) \frac{dy(x)}{dx} + x = 0 \text{ by } \mu(y(x)):$$

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

Let  $P(x, y) = xe^{2y^4}$  and  $Q(x, y) = e^{2y^4}(4y^3(x^2 + y^2) + y)$  this is an exact equation, because  $\frac{\partial P(x,y)}{\partial y} = 8xe^{2y^4}y^3 = \frac{\partial Q(x,y)}{\partial x}$

Define  $f(x, y)$  such that  $\frac{\partial f(x,y)}{\partial x} = P(x, y)$  and  $\frac{\partial f(x,y)}{\partial y} = Q(x, y)$ :

Then the solution will be given by  $f(x, y) = C_1$ , where  $C_1$  is an arbitrary constant. Integrate  $\frac{\partial f(x,y)}{\partial x}$  with respect to  $x$  in order to find  $f(x, y)$ :

$$f(x, y) = \int e^{2y^4} x dx = \frac{1}{2} e^{2y^4} x^2 + g(y)$$

Where  $g(y)$  is an arbitrary function of  $y$ .

Differentiate  $f(x, y)$  with respect to  $y$  in order to find the  $g(y)$ :

$$\frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{1}{2} e^{2y^4} x^2 + g(y) \right) = 4e^{2y^4} y^3 x^2 + \frac{\partial g(y)}{\partial y}$$

Substitute into  $\frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial y} = Q(x, y)$ :

$$4e^{2y^4} y^3 x^2 + \frac{\partial g(y)}{\partial y} = e^{2y^4} (y + 4y^3(x^2 + y^2))$$

Then we solve for  $\frac{\partial g(y)}{\partial y}$ :

$$\frac{\partial g(y)}{\partial y} = e^{2y^4} (4y^5 + y)$$

Integrate  $\frac{\partial g(y)}{\partial y}$  with respect to  $y$ :

$$g(y) = \int e^{2y^4} (4y^5 + y) dy = \frac{1}{2} e^{2y^4} y^2$$

Substitute  $g(y)$  into  $f(x, y)$ :

$$f(x, y) = \frac{1}{2} e^{2y^4} x^2 + \frac{1}{2} e^{2y^4} y^2$$

Eventually we get the solution  $f(x, y) = C_1$  (as we note earlier).

The solution is  $C_1 = \frac{1}{2} e^{2y^4} x^2 + \frac{1}{2} e^{2y^4} y^2$

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$$\text{Answer: } C_1 = \frac{1}{2} x^2 e^{2y(x)^4} + \frac{1}{2} e^{2(x)^4} y(x)^2$$