

Question 1[4,4]. a) Determine the local region in the xy -plane for which the following differential equation

$$\sqrt{9 - y^2} \frac{dy}{dx} = \ln(4 - x^2),$$

would have a unique solution through the origin $(0, 0)$.

b) Find the solution of the differential equation:

$$(x^2 - x - 2) \frac{dy}{dx} = (x - 2)^2 + 3y, \quad x > 2.$$

Question 2[4,4]. a) Verify that the differential equation

$$(x^2 + y^2 - 2)dx + (x^2 - 2xy)dy = 0, \quad x(x - 2y) \neq 0.$$

is not exact. Find a suitable integrating factor to convert it to an exact equation, and then solve it.

b) Solve the initial value problem

$$\begin{cases} 5xy^2y' + y^3 = 32(1 + \ln x)y^{-2}, & x > 0, y \neq 0 \\ y(1) = 1 \end{cases}$$

Question 3[4]. Solve the differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{1 - x - y}{x + y}, \quad x + y \neq 0.$$

Question 4[5]. Initially 100 mg of a radioactive substance was present. After 8 hours the mass has decreased by 4%. If the rate of decay is proportional to the amount of the substance present at time t . Find the amount of the remaining after 50 hours.