

Example (2) solve

$$x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} = 4x^2 + 7xy + 2y^2$$

Solution: Given differential equation can be written as

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x^2 + 7xy + 2y^2}{x^2} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

putting $y = vx$, we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = v + x \frac{dv}{dx} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

From eqns (1) and (2), we have

$$v + x \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{4x^2 + 7x(vx) + 2(vx)^2}{x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow v + x \frac{dv}{dx} = 4 + 7v + 2v^2$$

$$\Rightarrow x \frac{dv}{dx} = 4 + 7v + 2v^2 - v$$

$$\Rightarrow x \frac{dv}{dx} = 4 + 6v + 2v^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dv}{4 + 6v + 2v^2} = \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dv}{2[2 + 3v + v^2]} = \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dv}{2[v^2 + v + 2u + 2]} = \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{du}{2[u(u+1)+2(u+1)]} = \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{du}{2(u+1)(u+2)} = \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{[(u+2) - (u+1)] du}{2(u+1)(u+2)} = \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\frac{1}{u+1} - \frac{1}{u+2} \right] du = 2 \frac{dx}{x}$$

On integration, this gives

$$\ln(u+1) - \ln(u+2) = \ln x^2 + \ln c$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln \left(\frac{u+1}{u+2} \right) = \ln(cx^2) \quad \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{where } c \text{ is an} \\ \text{integration} \\ \text{constant} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow cx^2 = \frac{u+1}{u+2} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

put $u = \frac{y}{x}$ in eqn (3), we get

$$\boxed{cx^2 = \frac{y+x}{y+2x}} \quad \underline{\underline{\text{Ans}}}$$

Home work

Solve the following differential equation:

$$\textcircled{1} (x \operatorname{cosec} \left(\frac{y}{x} \right) - y) dx + x dy = 0$$

$$\textcircled{2} x dy - y dx = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} dx$$

$$\textcircled{3} \left(x \cos \left(\frac{y}{x} \right) + y \sin \frac{y}{x} \right) y - \left(y \sin \frac{y}{x} - x \cos \frac{y}{x} \right) x \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

$$\textcircled{4} y^2 dy = x(x dy - y dx) e^{x/y}$$

$$(5) (x \cos^2 \frac{y}{x} - y) dx + x dy = 0, \text{ when } x=1, y = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$(6) y \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{y} \right) dx + \left[y - x \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{x}{y} \right) \right] dy = 0$$

$$(7) \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y}{x} - \frac{x}{y} e^{-y/x}$$

$$(8) \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y \sin \left(\frac{x}{y} \right)}{y + x \sin \left(\frac{x}{y} \right)}$$

▣ Equations reducible to homogeneous form:

Let the given differential equation be of the form

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = g \left(\frac{a_1 x + a_2 y + a_3}{b_1 x + b_2 y + b_3} \right), \text{ where}$$

a_1, a_2, a_3, b_1, b_2 and b_3 are constants.

We put $x = \xi + h, y = \eta + k$, where h and k are constants to be chosen in such a way that

$$\frac{a_1 x + a_2 y + a_3}{b_1 x + b_2 y + b_3} = \frac{a_1 \xi + a_2 \eta}{b_1 \xi + b_2 \eta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{a_1 (\xi + h) + a_2 (\eta + k) + a_3}{b_1 (\xi + h) + b_2 (\eta + k) + b_3} = \frac{a_1 \xi + a_2 \eta}{b_1 \xi + b_2 \eta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{(a_1 \xi + a_2 \eta) + (a_1 h + a_2 k + a_3)}{b_1 (\xi + h) + b_2 (\eta + k) + b_3} = \frac{a_1 \xi + a_2 \eta}{b_1 \xi + b_2 \eta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} a_1 h + a_2 k + a_3 = 0 \\ b_1 h + b_2 k + b_3 = 0 \end{cases} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Simultaneous equations in} \\ \text{h and k, hence we can} \\ \text{solve it for h and k.} \end{array} \right.$$

Above equations can be solved uniquely for h and k

$$\text{if } \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 \\ b_1 & b_2 \end{vmatrix} \neq 0 \text{ i.e.; } a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1 \neq 0$$