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The direction field for
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x}{9y}$$
 is shown to the right

(a) Verify that the straight lines y = ± 2/3 x are solution curves, provided x ≠ 0.
(b) Sketch the solution curve with initial condition y(0) = -1.
(c) Sketch the solution curve with initial condition y(2) = 1.
(d) What can be said about the behavior of the above solutions as x→ +∞? How about x→ -∞?



(a) The restriction $y \neq 0$ is needed because $\frac{4x}{9y}$ is not defined when y = 0. Consider the straight lines one at a time. First let $y = \frac{2}{3}x$. In this case, the standard rules of differentiation yield $\frac{dy}{dx} =$ ______. (Simplify your answer.) Substituting the expression for y into the differential equation yields $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x}{9($ _______. (Simplify your answer.) The result from the previous step simplifies to _______, verifying that the straight line $y = \frac{2}{3}x$ is a solution curve. (Simplify your answer.) Now let $y = -\frac{2}{3}x$. In this case, the standard rules of differentiation yield $\frac{dy}{dx} =$ ______. (Simplify your answer.) Substituting the expression for y into the differential equation yields $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x}{9($ ______. (Simplify your answer.)} Substituting the expression for y into the differential equation yields $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{4x}{9($ ______. (Simplify your answer.)} The result from the previous step simplifies to _______, verifying that the straight line $y = -\frac{2}{3}x$ is a solution curve. (Simplify your answer.) (b) Which of the following shows the solution curve with initial condition y(0) = -1? (c) A. (c) B. (c) C.



(c) Which of the following shows the solution curve with initial condition y(2) = 1?

○ A.
 ○ B.
 ○ C.

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(d) What can be said about the behavior of the solution in part (b) as $x \rightarrow +\infty$? Select the correct choice below and, if necessary, fill in the answer box to complete your choice.

- A. As $x \to +\infty$, the solution approaches _____ and has the line $y = \frac{2}{3}x$ as an asymptote.
- B. As $x \to +\infty$, the solution approaches _____ and has the line $y = -\frac{2}{3}x$ as an asymptote.
- \bigcirc **C.** The solution does not approach a single value or $\pm \infty$ as $x \rightarrow +\infty$.
- D. The solution does not exist for positive x.

What can be said about the behavior of the solution in part (b) as $x \rightarrow -\infty$? Select the correct choice below and, if necessary, fill in the answer box to complete your choice.

- A. As $x \to -\infty$, the solution approaches _____ and has the line $y = \frac{2}{3}x$ as an asymptote.
- B. As $x \rightarrow -\infty$, the solution approaches _____ and has the line $y = -\frac{2}{3}x$ as an asymptote.
- \bigcirc **C**. The solution does not approach a single value or $\pm \infty$ as $x \rightarrow -\infty$.
- \bigcirc **D**. The solution does not exist for negative x.

What can be said about the behavior of the solution in part (c) as $x \rightarrow +\infty$? Select the correct choice below and, if necessary, fill in the answer box to complete your choice.

○ A. As $x \to +\infty$, the solution approaches _____ and has the line $y = -\frac{2}{3}x$ as an asymptote.

○ B. As $x \to +\infty$, the solution approaches _____ and has the line $y = \frac{2}{3}x$ as an asymptote.

- \bigcirc **C**. The solution does not approach a single value or $\pm \infty$ as $x \rightarrow +\infty$.
- \bigcirc **D**. The solution does not exist for positive x.

What can be said about the behavior of the solution in part (c) as $x \rightarrow -\infty$? Select the correct choice below and, if necessary, fill in the answer box to complete your choice.

• A. As $x \to -\infty$, the solution approaches ______ and has the line $y = \frac{2}{3}x$ as an asymptote.

○ B. As $x \to -\infty$, the solution approaches _____ and has the line $y = -\frac{2}{3}x$ as an

asymptote.

- \bigcirc **C**. The solution does not approach a single value or $\pm \infty$ as $x \rightarrow -\infty$.
- O **D.** The solution does not exist for negative x.
- 2. Determine whether the equation is exact. If it is, then solve it.

 $(2xy+8)dx + (x^2 - 8)dy = 0$

Select the correct choice below and, if necessary, fill in the answer box to complete your choice.

- A. The equation is exact and an implicit solution in the form F(x,y) = C is _____ = C, where C is an arbitrary constant.
 (Type an expression using x and y as the variables.)
- **B.** The equation is not exact.
- 3. A differential equation is given. Classify it as an ordinary differential equation (ODE) or a partial differential equation (PDE), give the order, and indicate the independent and dependent variables. If the equation is an ordinary differential equation, indicate whether the equation is linear or nonlinear.

$$9\frac{d^4t}{dq^4} + 4\frac{dt}{dq} + 7t = 4\cos 5q$$

Classify the given differential equation. Choose the correct answer below.

O linear ordinary differential equation

- O nonlinear ordinary differential equation
- O partial differential equation

The order of the differential equation is . (Type a whole number.)

The independent (1) _____ and the dependent (2) _____

- (1) ovariable is q
 (2) variable is q.
 variable is t
 variable is t.
- 4. Solve the initial value problem.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + 4y - 7 e^{-x} = 0, \quad y(0) = -\frac{2}{3}$$

The solution is y(x) = _____.

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5. A differential equation is given along with the field or problem area in which it arises. Classify it as an ordinary differential equation (ODE) or a partial differential equation (PDE), give the order, and indicate the independent and dependent variables. If the equation is an ordinary differential equation, indicate whether the equation is linear or nonlinear.

$$\sqrt{1-y}\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2x\frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

(Kidder's equation, flow of gases through a porous medium)

Classify the given differential equation. Choose the correct answer below.

- O linear ordinary differential equation
- O partial differential equation
- O nonlinear ordinary differential equation

The order of the differential equation is _____. (Type a whole number.)

The independent (1) _____ and the dependent (2) _____

- (1) O variable is x
 (2) Variable is x.
 (2) variable is x.
 (2) variable is y.
- 6. Classify the equation as separable, linear, exact, or none of these. Note that it is possible for the equation to have more than one classification.
 - x^4 ydx + 9dy = 0

Select all that apply.

A. Separable

- **B.** Exact
- 🗌 C. Linear
- D. None of these
- 7. Obtain the general solution to the equation.

$$y\frac{dx}{dy} + 2x = 8y^5$$

The general solution is x(y) =, ignoring lost solutions, if any.

8. Solve the equation.

$$\frac{\mathrm{d}y}{\mathrm{d}x} = 3x^2 \left(8 + y^2\right)^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

An implicit solution in the form F(x,y) = C is _____ = C, where C is an arbitrary constant. (Type an expression using x and y as the variables.) 9. Determine whether the given function is a solution to the given differential equation.

$$\theta = 4 e^{3t} - 2 e^{4t}, \quad \frac{d^2 \theta}{dt^2} - \theta \frac{d\theta}{dt} + 5\theta = -13 e^{4t}$$
The function $\theta = 4 e^{3t} - 2 e^{4t}$ (1) _______ a solution to the differential equation $\frac{d^2 \theta}{dt^2} - \theta \frac{d\theta}{dt} + 5\theta = -13 e^{4t}$,
because when $4 e^{3t} - 2 e^{4t}$ is substituted for θ , _______ is substituted for $\frac{d\theta}{dt}$ and _______ is substituted
for $\frac{d^2 \theta}{dt^2}$, the two sides of the differential equation (2) _______ equivalent on any intervals of t.
(1) ______ is not ______ or are



2. A.

The equation is exact and an implicit solution in the form F(x,y) = C is $x^2y + 8x - 8y = C$, where C is an arbitrary constant.

(Type an expression using x and y as the variables.)

3. linear ordinary differential equation

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- (1) variable is q
- (2) variable is t.

 $\frac{4}{3} \frac{7}{8} e^{-x} - 3 e^{-4x}$

5. nonlinear ordinary differential equation

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- (1) variable is x
- (2) variable is y.

6. A. Separable, C. Linear

$$\frac{7}{7} \frac{8}{7}y^5 + Cy^{-2}$$

$$\frac{8}{8} \frac{y}{8\sqrt{8+y^2}} - x^3$$

9. (1) is not

12 e^{3t} - 8 e^{4t} 36 e^{3t} - 32 e^{4t} (2) are not