

# Assignment #31

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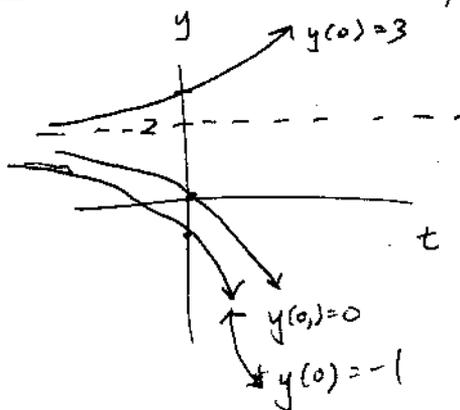
(#1)

a)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 4y - 8$

when  $y > 2$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} > 0$

when  $y < 2$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} < 0$

when  $y = 2$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$

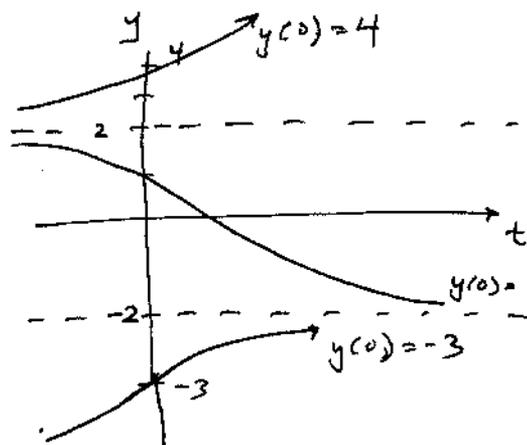


b)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = y^2 - 4$

$\frac{dy}{dt} = 0 @ y = \{2, -2\}$

$\frac{dy}{dt} < 0 @ -2 < y < 2$

$\frac{dy}{dt} > 0 @ y < -2$   
and  
 $y > 2$



c)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = (y-1)(y-2)(y+1)$

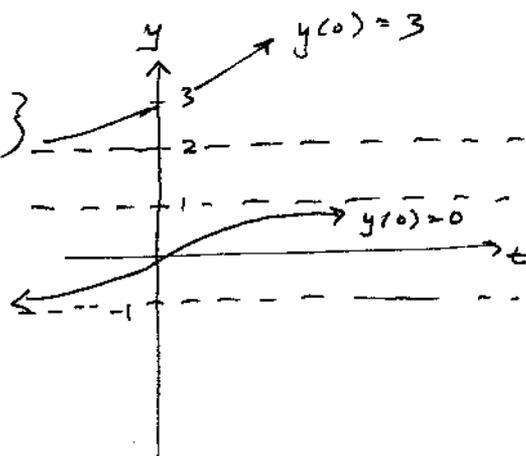
$\frac{dy}{dt} = 0 @ y = \{1, 2, -1\}$

when:  $y > 2$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} > 0$

$1 < y < 2$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} < 0$

$-1 < y < 1$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} > 0$

$y < -1$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} < 0$



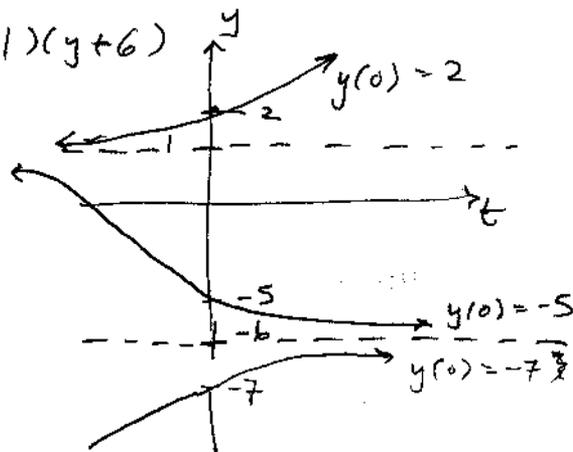
d)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = y^2 + 5y - 6 = (y-1)(y+6)$

$\frac{dy}{dt} = 0 @ y = \{1, -6\}$

when  $y > 1$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} > 0$

$-6 < y < 1$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} < 0$

$y < -6$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} > 0$



#2

a)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$  @  $y = 3$

when  $y > 3$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} < 0$

when  $y < 3$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} > 0$

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dt} = 3 - y}$$

b)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$  @  $y = 3$

when  $y > 3$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} > 0$

when  $y < 3$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} < 0$

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dt} = y - 3}$$

c)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$  @  $y = \{0, 2\}$

when  $y > 2$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} < 0$

$0 < y < 2$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} > 0$

$y < 0$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} < 0$

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dt} = -y(y-2)}$$

d)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$  @  $y = \{2, -2\}$

$y > 2$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} > 0$

$-2 < y < 2$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} < 0$

$y < -2$ ,  $\frac{dy}{dt} > 0$

$$\boxed{\frac{dy}{dt} = (y-2)(y+2)}$$

#3

a) equilibria @  $y = 3$  . Stable

b) equilibria @  $y = 3$  . Unstable

c) equilibria @  $y = 0, 2$  .

$y = 0$  Unstable

$y = 2$  stable

d) equilibria :  $y = 2$  Unstable

$y = -2$  Stable



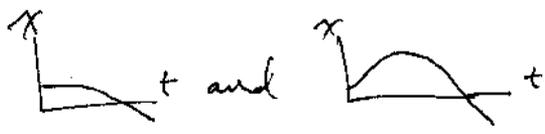
(#6) (d.)  $\frac{dy}{dt} = y^2 - 1$

so, we know  $\frac{dy}{dt} < 0$  in the region  $-1 < y < 1$ .

This is only true of graph (d.)

(#7)  $\frac{dx}{dt} = x^2(2-x)$

so,  $\frac{dx}{dt} = 0$  @  $x = 0, 2$

eliminate 

because  $\frac{dx}{dt} \neq 0$  @  $x = 0$ .

when  $0 < x < 2$ , ~~the~~  $\frac{dx}{dt} > 0$ .

