

Spring 2024 – Math 3331 – Homework 5 - Q1 solns

1. Solve the following ODEs

(i) $y'' = 1 + y'^2$

(ii) $xy'' + y'^2 = y'$, $y(1) = 2$, $y'(1) = 1$

(iii) $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{1}{y^3} = 0$

(iv) $yy'' + y' = y'^2$

Solns:

(i) $y = -\ln |\cos(x + c_1)| + c_2$

(ii) $y = x + 1$

(iii) $c_1y^2 + 1 = (c_1x + c_2)^2$

(iv) $y = (c_2e^{c_1x} - 1)/c_1$