Math 250 Fall 2007 Exam 1

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- 1. <u>5 pts. each</u> Classify each as an ordinary or partial differential equation, linear or nonlinear differential equation (if applicable), give the equation's order, and identify the independent and dependent variables.
 - (a) $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} 2x\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + 2y^2 = 0.$ (b) $\frac{\partial N}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 N}{\partial r^2} + \frac{1}{r}\frac{\partial N}{\partial r} + kN, \ k \text{ constant.}$
- 2. 10 pts. Determine whether $y \ln y = x^2 + 1$ is an implicit solution to $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{2xy}{y-1}$.
- 3. 10 pts. Determine for which values of m the function $\varphi(x) = x^m$ is a solution to the equation $x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 7x \frac{dy}{dx} + 5y = 0.$
- 4. 10 pts. Solve $x \frac{dr}{dx} = \frac{1-5r^2}{7r}$.

5. 10 pts. Solve the initial value problem $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2\sqrt{y+1}\sin x$, $y(\pi/2) = 0$.

- 6. 10 pts. Solve $y' = \frac{y}{x} + 2x + 1$.
- 7. 10 pts. Solve the initial value problem $t^3 \frac{dx}{dt} + 3t^2x = t$, x(2) = 0.
- 8. A differential equation has the direction field below.
 - (a) 3 pts. Sketch the solution curve with initial condition y(-2) = -2.
 - (b) 3 pts. Sketch the solution curve with initial condition y(0) = 0.
 - (c) 4 pts. What can be said about the behavior of the above solutions as $x \to \infty$ and $x \to -\infty$?

