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(Lec no
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Linear Differential Equation

Definition:-

A first order D.E is of form

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = Q(x)$$

is said to be linear, if

- i) Dependent ~~total~~ variable 'y' and its derivatives is of 1 degree.
- ii) The Co-efficient of dependent variables and its derivatives is at most of independent variables.

→ Linear D.E has two types:-

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Homogeneous L.D.E

$$\rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = 0$$

→ Separable D.E

Non-Homogeneous L.D.E

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = Q(x)$$

Non-Homogeneous L.D.E

Solution:-

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x)y = Q(x)$$

Step 1- If multiplies the whole equation with variable (V_x) ,
So that the left hand side will become
differential derivative of $(V_x \cdot Y)$

$$V_x \frac{dy}{dx} + P(x) V(x) Y = Q(x) V(x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (V_x \cdot Y) = Q(x) V(x)$$

$V(x)$ is called Integrating factor.

Step 2- Now integrate it,

$$\int \frac{d}{dx} (V(x) \cdot Y) dx = \int Q(x) V(x) dx$$

$$V(x) \cdot Y = \int Q(x) V(x) dx$$

$$Y = \frac{1}{V(x)} \int Q(x) V(x) dx$$

→ How to Calculate Integrating factor of Non-Homogeneous
LDE :-

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + P(x) Y = Q(x)$$

Solution:-

$$V(x) \frac{dy}{dx} + V(x) P(x) y = Q(x) V(x)$$

Solve L.H.S.:-

$$V(x) \frac{dy}{dx} + P(x) V(x) y = \frac{d}{dx} (V(x) y)$$

$$\cancel{V(x) \frac{dy}{dx}} + P(x) V(x) y = \cancel{V(x) \frac{dy}{dx}} + y \frac{dV(x)}{dx}$$

$$P(x) V(x) y = y \frac{d(V(x))}{dx}$$

$$\frac{dV}{V} = P(x) dx$$

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Integrate it,

$$\int \frac{dV}{V} = \int P(x) dx$$

$$\ln V = \int P(x) dx$$

$$\boxed{V = e^{\int P(x) dx}} = \text{Integrating Factor}$$

: Practice Questions :-

Question no 1:-

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 + 3y$$

Dividing by x

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x + \frac{3y}{x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \left(-\frac{3}{x}y\right) = x \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$P(x) = -\frac{3}{x}$$

So,

$$V(x) = e^{\int (-3/x) dx}$$
$$= e^{-3 \ln x} = e^{\ln x^{-3}}$$

$$I.F = \boxed{V(x) = x^{-3}}$$

Multiply I.F with eq (i)

$$x^{-3} \frac{dy}{dx} - \left(\frac{3}{x}\right)(x^{-3})(y) = x(x^{-3})$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (x^{-3} \cdot y) = x^{-2}$$

Integrate it,

$$\int \frac{d}{dx} (x^{-3}y) dx = \int x^{-2} dx$$

$$x^{-3}y = \left(\frac{x^{-2+1}}{-2+1} \right) + C$$

$$x^{-3}y = -x^{-1} + C$$

Dividing by x^{-3} ,

$$\boxed{y = \frac{-x^{-1}}{x^{-3}} + \frac{C}{x^{-3}}} \quad \text{General Solution}$$

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Question no 2:-

$$dy/dx + y \tan x = \sin x \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$P(x) = \tan x$$

$$V(x) = e^{\int \tan x dx}$$

$$V(x) = e^{-\int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} dx}$$

$$V(x) = e^{-\ln \cos x}$$

$$V(x) = \cos x^{-1} = \sec x$$

Multiply $V(x)$ with eq (i)

$$\sec x \frac{dy}{dx} + y(\sec x)(\tan x) = \sec x \sin 2x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\sec x \cdot y) = \frac{1}{\cos x} (2 \sin x \cos x)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} (\sec x \cdot y) = 2 \sin x$$

Integrate it,

$$\int \frac{d}{dx} (\sec x \cdot y) = 2 \int \sin x \, dx$$

$$y \cdot \sec x = -2 \cos x + C$$

$$y = \frac{-2 \cos x}{\sec x} + \frac{C}{\sec x}$$

$$\boxed{y = -2 \cos^2 x + C \cos x} \quad \text{General Solution}$$

More practice Questions:-

$$i) \quad x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 3xy = \frac{1}{x}, \quad y(1) = 1$$

$$ii) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = 4 \cos x, \quad y(\pi/4) = 2$$

$$iii) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} \cos^2 x + 3y = 1, \quad y(\pi/4) = 4/3$$

$$iv) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{y}{x^2} = 2x e^{1/x}, \quad y(0) = 1$$

$$v) \quad \tan x \frac{dy}{dx} = 2y - 8, \quad y(\pi/8) = 0$$