

Spring 2004 AMS501: Homework #3
Due on Feb 27, 2004

1. 3.1.10 *Solution:* $x = Ce^{4t} - 1/4, y = De^t$.
2. 3.1.15 *Solution:* $x = \pm\sqrt{t^2 + C}, y = De^{\pm\frac{1}{3}(t^2+C)^{3/2}}$
3. 3.2.2 *Solution:*
4. 3.2.13 (a) *Solution:*
5. 3.4.2 Drawing orbits is optional. *Solution:* x -nullclines: $x = 0, y = -x$. y -nullclines: $y = 0, y = 2x$.
 $(0,0)$ is a stationary point.
6. 3.4.13 *Solution:* $x^2y + 1/3y^3 = C$
7. 3.4.16 *Solution:* A nonautonomous system of two ODEs

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dx}{dt} &= f(t, x, y) \\ \frac{dy}{dt} &= g(t, x, y)\end{aligned}$$

can be treated as an autonomous system of three ODEs

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{ds}{dt} &= 1 \\ \frac{dx}{dt} &= f(s, x, y) \\ \frac{dy}{dt} &= g(s, x, y).\end{aligned}$$