

AA 218 – Not a Mid-Term Exam

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20 points

Problem 1 - 8 points

Consider the transformation

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{x} &= x + s / 2 \\ \tilde{y} &= y(1 + s / (2x))^2\end{aligned}$$

- 1) (2 points) Show by composition that the transformation is a Lie group.
- 2) (2 points) Determine the infinitesimals of the group.
- 3) (2 points) Determine the invariant of the group
- 4) (2 points) Determine an invariant family.

Problem 2 - 8 points

Consider the first order ODE

$$x^2 y_x - 2xy - y^2 = 0$$

- 1) (4 points) Show that the equation is invariant under the group in Problem 1.
- 2) (4 points) Use this group to construct an integrating factor for the equation.

Problem 3 - 4 points

Consider the second order ODE

$$x^2 y_{xx} - 4xy_x + 6y - y^2 = 0$$

- 1) (3 points) Show that the equation is invariant under the group in Problem 1.
- 2) (1 point) Based on inspection would you say the equation is solvable? If so, why?