



TOPIC: 3 - SOLUTION OF STANDARD TYPES OF FIRST ORDER PARTIAL DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

Define : Singular Integral

Let  $f(x, y, z, p, q) = 0$ .  $\rightarrow$  ①

Let the complete integral be  
 $\varphi(x, y, z, a, b) = 0$   $\rightarrow$  ②

Diff ② p.w.r to  $a$  &  $b$  in turn we get

$$\frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial a} = 0 \rightarrow$$
 ③ and  
$$\frac{\partial \varphi}{\partial b} = 0 \rightarrow$$
 ④

The elimination of  $a$  &  $b$  from the three equations ①, ③ & ④ if it exists, is called the singular integral.

Type: 1  $f(p, q) = 0$ .

[The equations contain  $p$  and  $q$  only]

Suppose that  $z = ax + by + c$  is a trial solution of  $f(p, q) = 0$ .

where  $p = a$ ,  $q = b$  we get  $f(a, b) = 0$

Here  $a$  &  $b$  are the constant.

Eliminate any one constant we get the complete solution.



1. Find the complete solution of  $\sqrt{p} + \sqrt{q} = 1$

Sol:

Given  $\sqrt{p} + \sqrt{q} = 1$ .  $\rightarrow$  ①

This equation of the form  $f(p, q) = 0$ .

Hence the trial solution is  $z = ax + by + c$   $\rightarrow$  ②

where  $p = a$  &  $q = b$ .

Substitute in eqn ① we get

$$\sqrt{a} + \sqrt{b} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{b} = 1 - \sqrt{a} \Rightarrow \sqrt{b} = (1 - \sqrt{a})^2$$

$$\therefore z = ax + (1 - \sqrt{a})^2 y + c.$$

2.  $p + q = pq$ .

Sol:

Given  $p + q = pq$   $\rightarrow$  ①

This equation of the form  $f(p, q) = 0$

Hence the trial solution is  $z = ax + by + c$   $\rightarrow$  ②

where  $p = a$  &  $q = b$

Substitute in eqn ①, we get

$$a + b = ab$$

$$\Rightarrow b \neq ab \neq a$$

$$b - ab = a$$

$$\Rightarrow b(1 - a) = a$$

$$b = \frac{a}{1 - a}$$

The complete solution is  $z = ax + \left(\frac{a}{1 - a}\right)y + c$ .



$$(8) p^2 + q^2 = npq$$

Sol:

Given  $p^2 + q^2 = npq$ .

This eqn is of the form  $z = ax + f(p, q) = 0$

Hence the trial solution is  $z = ax + by + c$

where  $p = a$  &  $q = b$

$$a^2 + b^2 = nab$$

$$b^2 - nab + a^2 = 0$$

$$b = \frac{na \pm \sqrt{a^2 n^2 - 4a^2}}{2}$$

$$z = ax + \frac{a}{2} [n \pm \sqrt{n^2 - 4}] y + c$$

The complete solution is

$$z = ax + \frac{a}{2} [n \pm \sqrt{n^2 - 4}] y + c$$



(4)  $p - 3q = 6$

Sol: Given  $p - 3q = 6$

This eqn of the form  $f(p, q) = 0$

Hence the trial solution is  $z = ax + by + c$

where  $p = a$  &  $q = b$

$$a - 3b = 6$$

$$\Rightarrow -3b = 6 - a$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{6 - a}{-3} = -2 + \frac{a}{3}$$

The complete solution is

$$z = ax + \left(-2 + \frac{a}{3}\right)y + c$$

(5)  $p - q = 0$

Sol: Given  $p - q = 0$

This eqn of the form  $f(p, q) = 0$

Hence the trial solution is  $z = ax + by + c \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$

Sub.  $\textcircled{1}$  in  $\textcircled{1}$ . Here  $p = a$  &  $q = b$

$$a - b = 0$$

$$b = a$$

The complete solution is

$$z = ax + ay + c = a(x + y) + c$$



Type : 2 Clairaut's form

$$z = px + qy + f(p, q).$$

This eqn of the form  $z = px + qy + f(p, q)$ .

$\therefore$  The complete integral is

$$z = ax + by + f(a, b).$$

To find the singular integral

Diff p.w.r. to  $a$  &  $b$ .

We get the solution in terms of  $x, y, z$ .

To find the general solution

$$\text{put } b = f'(a)$$

Eliminate 'a' we get the general solution.

1. solve:  $z = px + qy + pq$ .

Sol: Given  $z = px + qy + pq \rightarrow \text{---} \text{---} \text{---}$

This eqn is of the form  $z = px + qy + f(p, q) \rightarrow \text{---} \text{---} \text{---}$

$\therefore$  The complete integral is

$$z = ax + by + f(a, b)$$

$$z = ax + by + ab.$$

To find singular integral

Diff p.w.r. to  $a$  &  $b$ .

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial a} = 0 \Rightarrow x + b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow b = -x$$



$\frac{\partial z}{\partial b} = 0 \Rightarrow y + a = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow a = -y$

$\therefore z = (-y)x + (-x)y + (-y)(-x)$   
 $= -xy - xy + xy$   
 $z = -xy$   
 $z + xy = 0$

which is a singular solution.

To get the general integral  
put  $b = f(a)$  in eqn (1),  
 $z = ax + f(a)y + af(a) \rightarrow (4)$

Diff. w.r. to  $a$ ,  $\frac{\partial z}{\partial a} = 0$ .

$\Rightarrow x + f'(a)y + a f'(a) + f(a) = 0 \rightarrow (5)$

Eliminate 'a' between (4) & (5) we get the general solution.

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(2)  $z = px + qy + p^2 - q^2$

sol: Given  $z = px + qy + p^2 - q^2 \rightarrow (1)$

This eqn of the form  $z = px + qy + f(p, q) \rightarrow (2)$

The complete integral is  
 $z = ax + by + f(a, b)$



To find singular integral

Diff p.w.r to  $a$  &  $b$ .

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial a} = 0 \Rightarrow x + 2a = 0$$

$$2a = -x$$

$$a = -\frac{x}{2}$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial b} = 0 \Rightarrow y - 2b = 0,$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 2b$$

$$\Rightarrow b = \frac{y}{2}$$

Sub  $a, b$  in (2),

$$z = -\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{x^2}{4} - \frac{y^2}{4}$$

$$= \frac{-2x^2 + 2y^2 + x^2 - y^2}{4}$$

$$z = -\frac{x^2 + y^2}{4}$$

$4z = y^2 - x^2$  is the singular integral

To find the general integral

Put  $b = f(a)$  in (2)

$$z = ax + f(a)y + a^2 - (f(a))^2 \quad (4)$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial a} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x + f'(a)y + 2a - 2f(a) \cdot f'(a) = 0 \quad (5)$$

Eliminate 'a' between (4) & (5) we get



(8) Solve:  $z = px + qy + \sqrt{p^2 + q^2 + 1}$  (b)

Sol:

Given  $z = px + qy + \sqrt{p^2 + q^2 + 1}$

This eqn is of the form  $z = px + qy + f(p, q)$

$\therefore$  The complete integral is

$$z = ax + by + f(a, b)$$

(ii)  $z = ax + by + \sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 1}$   $\rightarrow$  (1)

To find singular integral  
Diff p.w.r to a & b,

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial a} = a \Rightarrow x + \frac{1}{2} (a^2 + b^2 + 1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 2a = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow x + \frac{a}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 1}} = 0$$

i.  $x = \frac{-a}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 1}}$   $\rightarrow$  (2)

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial b} = 0 \Rightarrow y + \frac{1}{2} (a^2 + b^2 + 1)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot 2b = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow y + \frac{b}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 1}} = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{-b}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 1}} \quad \rightarrow$$
 (3)
$$x^2 + y^2 = \frac{a^2}{a^2 + b^2 + 1} + \frac{b^2}{a^2 + b^2 + 1}$$
$$= \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2 + b^2 + 1}$$



$$1 - (x^2 + y^2) = 1 - \frac{a^2 + b^2}{a^2 + b^2 + 1}$$

$$1 - x^2 - y^2 = \frac{a^2 + b^2 + 1 - a^2 - b^2}{a^2 + b^2 + 1}$$

$$1 - x^2 - y^2 = \frac{1}{a^2 + b^2 + 1}$$

$$\sqrt{1 - x^2 - y^2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 1}} \quad (i)$$

$$\sqrt{a^2 + b^2 + 1} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - x^2 - y^2}}$$

$$(2) \Rightarrow x = -a\sqrt{1 - x^2 - y^2} \Rightarrow a = \frac{-x}{\sqrt{1 - x^2 - y^2}}$$

$$(3) \Rightarrow y = -b\sqrt{1 - x^2 - y^2} \Rightarrow b = \frac{-y}{\sqrt{1 - x^2 - y^2}}$$

Sub in (i)

$$z = \frac{-x^2}{\sqrt{1 - x^2 - y^2}} - \frac{y^2}{\sqrt{1 - x^2 - y^2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 - x^2 - y^2}}$$

$$z = \frac{1 - x^2 - y^2}{\sqrt{1 - x^2 - y^2}}$$

$$z = \sqrt{1 - x^2 - y^2}$$

$$z^2 = 1 - x^2 - y^2$$

$$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1 \text{ is the singular}$$

Solution:  
To get the general integral



put  $b = f(a)$  in (1).

$$z = ax + f(a)y + \sqrt{1+a^2+(f'(a))^2} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

diff (4) p.w.r to  $a$ ,

$$0 = x + f'(a)y + \frac{1}{2}(1+a^2+(f'(a))^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot (2a + 2f'(a) \cdot f''(a))$$

$$0 = x + f'(a)y + \frac{a + f'(a)f''(a)}{\sqrt{1+a^2+(f'(a))^2}} \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

Eliminate 'a' between (4) & (5) we get the general solution.

(A)  $z = px + qy + 2\sqrt{pq}$

Sol:

This eqn is of the form

$$z = px + qy + f(p, q)$$

The complete integral is

$$z = ax + by + f(a, b)$$

$$z = ax + by - 2\sqrt{ab} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

To find singular integral

Diff p.w.r to  $a$  &  $b$  in (1)

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial a} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x + 0 - 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} (ab)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot b = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow x = (ab)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot b$$



$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial z}{\partial b} &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow y - 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} (ab)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot a &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow y &= (ab)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot a \\ \Rightarrow xy &= (ab)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot (ab)^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot a \cdot b \\ &= a^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot b^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot a^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot b^{-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot a \cdot b \\ &= a^{-\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot b^{-\frac{1}{2}-\frac{1}{2}} \cdot a \cdot b \\ &= a^{-1} \cdot b^{-1} \cdot a \cdot b = 1\end{aligned}$$