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Show all work clearly and in order. Please box your answers. 10 minutes.

## PICK ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:

Please indicate which one you do NOT want me to grade by putting an X through it, otherwise I will grade the first one worked on:

1. Find an implicit AND explicit solution of the following initial-value problem:

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = 2(x^2 + 1), \quad x\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = 0$$

This D.E. is separable, so:

$$\frac{dx}{x^2+1} = 2 dt \Rightarrow \int \frac{dx}{x^2+1} = \int 2 dt$$

$$\tan^{-1}(x) + C_1 = 2t + C_2$$

$$\tan^{-1}(x) = 2t + C$$

substitute  $t = \frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $x = 0$ :  $\tan^{-1}(0) = 2\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + C$

$$0 = \pi + C$$

$$C = -\pi$$

Implicit Solution:  $\tan^{-1}(x) = 2t - \pi$

Explicit Solution:  $x = \tan(2t - \pi)$

2. (a) Find the general explicit solution of

$$(x+1)\frac{dy}{dx} + (x+2)y = 2xe^{-x}$$

- (b) ♠ Give the largest interval over which the general solution is defined.  
 (c) ♠ Determine whether there are any transient terms in the general solution.

This is a 1<sup>st</sup> order linear O.D.E. Put into standard form:  $\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{x+2}{x+1}y = \frac{2xe^{-x}}{x+1}$

Integrating Factor (I.F.):  $e^{\int P(x)dx} = e^{\int \left(\frac{x+2}{x+1}\right)dx} = e^{\int \left(\frac{x+1+1}{x+1}\right)dx} = e^{\int \left(\frac{x+1}{x+1} + \frac{1}{x+1}\right)dx} = e^{\int \left(1 + \frac{1}{x+1}\right)dx}$   
 $\Rightarrow e^{x + \ln|x+1|} = e^x e^{\ln|x+1|} = e^x |x+1| = e^x(x+1)$  if  $x > -1$

Multiply ODE by I.F.:  $e^x(x+1) \left[ \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{x+2}{x+1}y \right] = e^x(x+1) \cdot \frac{2xe^{-x}}{x+1} \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} [e^x(x+1)y] = 2x$

Explicit Solution:  $y = \frac{x^2}{e^x(x+1)} + \frac{C}{e^x(x+1)}$

Integrate Both Sides:  $e^x(x+1)y = \frac{2x^2}{2} + C$

(b):  $x > -1$

(c): The entire solution is transient. (All of the terms!)

← solve for y: