

CALCULUS BC
SECTION II, Part B

Time—45 minutes

Number of problems—3

No calculator is allowed for these problems.

4. Consider the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dx} = 6x^2 - x^2y$. Let $y = f(x)$ be a particular solution to this differential equation with the initial condition $f(-1) = 2$.
- (a) Use Euler's method with two steps of equal size, starting at $x = -1$, to approximate $f(0)$. Show the work that leads to your answer.
- (b) At the point $(-1, 2)$, the value of $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ is -12 . Find the second-degree Taylor polynomial for f about $x = -1$.
- (c) Find the particular solution $y = f(x)$ to the given differential equation with the initial condition $f(-1) = 2$.
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