

## 2-4 Exact Equations

### 2-4-1 方法的條件

任何 first order DE 皆可改寫成

$$N(x,y) \frac{dy}{dx} + M(x,y) = 0$$

$$M(x,y)dx + N(x,y)dy = 0 \quad \text{的型態}$$

(1) 當  $\frac{\partial}{\partial y} M(x,y) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} N(x,y)$  ★ 1-1 成立時， 限制條件

可以用本節的 **Exact Equation** 的方法來解

(2) 當  $\frac{\frac{\partial}{\partial y} M(x,y) - \frac{\partial}{\partial x} N(x,y)}{M(x,y)}$  is independent of  $x$

或  $\frac{\frac{\partial}{\partial y} M(x,y) - \frac{\partial}{\partial x} N(x,y)}{N(x,y)}$  is independent of  $y$

可以用 **Modified Exact Equation Method** 來解 (見講義 2-4-5)

## 2-4-2 方法的來源

- Review the concept of partial differentiation

$$\underline{df(x, y)} = \underline{\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} dy} \quad \star_2$$

- Specially, when  $f(x, y) = c$  where  $c$  is some constant,

等高線

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} dy = 0$$

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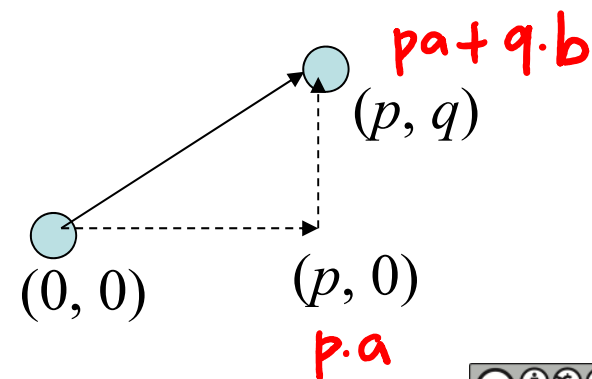
$$df(x, y, z) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial f}{\partial y} dy + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} dz$$

$$df(x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_k) = \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1} dx_1 + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2} dx_2 + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_3} dx_3 + \dots + \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_k} dx_k$$

**思考：** 假設一個人在山坡的某處。若往東走，每走 1 公尺，高度會增加  $a$  公尺。若往北走，每走 1 公尺，高度會增加  $b$  公尺。假設這人現在所在的位置是  $(0, 0)$ 。那麼這人的東北方，座標為  $(p, q)$  的地方，高度會比  $(0, 0)$  高多少？

$$a \times p + b \times q$$

$$df(x, y) = \underbrace{\frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial x}}_a \underbrace{dx}_p + \underbrace{\frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial y}}_b \underbrace{dy}_q$$



**[Definition 2.4.1]** We can express any 1<sup>st</sup> order DE as

$$M(x, y)dx + N(x, y)dy = 0$$

- If there exists some function  $f(x, y)$  that satisfies

$$\frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial x} = M(x, y) \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial y} = N(x, y) \quad \star_3,$$

then we call the 1<sup>st</sup> order DE the exact equation.

- The method for checking whether the DE is an exact equation:

$$\frac{\partial M(x, y)}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N(x, y)}{\partial x} \quad \star_{1-1}$$

(Proof): If  $\frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial x} = M(x, y)$  and  $\frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial y} = N(x, y)$  ,

then  $\frac{\partial M(x, y)}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x, y) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} f(x, y) = \frac{\partial N(x, y)}{\partial x}$

For the exact equation,

$$M(x, y)dx + N(x, y)dy = 0$$

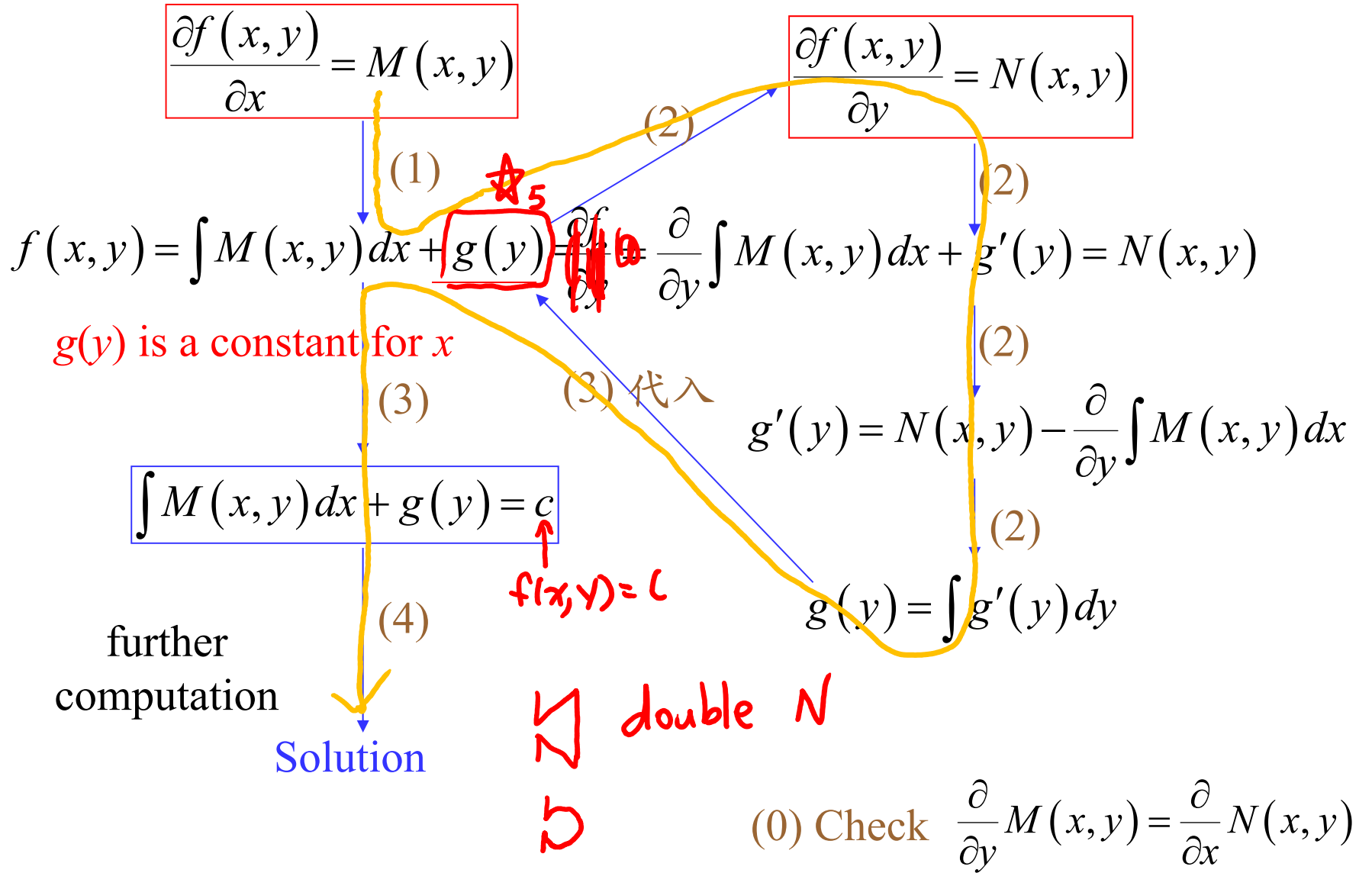
$$\frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial y} dy = 0$$

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可改寫成  $df(x, y) = 0,$

$$\underline{f(x, y) = c} \quad \star 4$$

The Method for Solving the Exact Equation (A):



**Previous Step:** Check whether  $\frac{\partial M(x, y)}{\partial y} = \frac{\partial N(x, y)}{\partial x}$  is satisfied.

**Step 1:** Solve  $\frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial x} = M(x, y) \longrightarrow f(x, y) = \int M(x, y) dx + g(y)$

**Step 2:** 將  $f(x, y)$  代入  $\frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial y} = N(x, y)$  ，以解出  $g(y)$

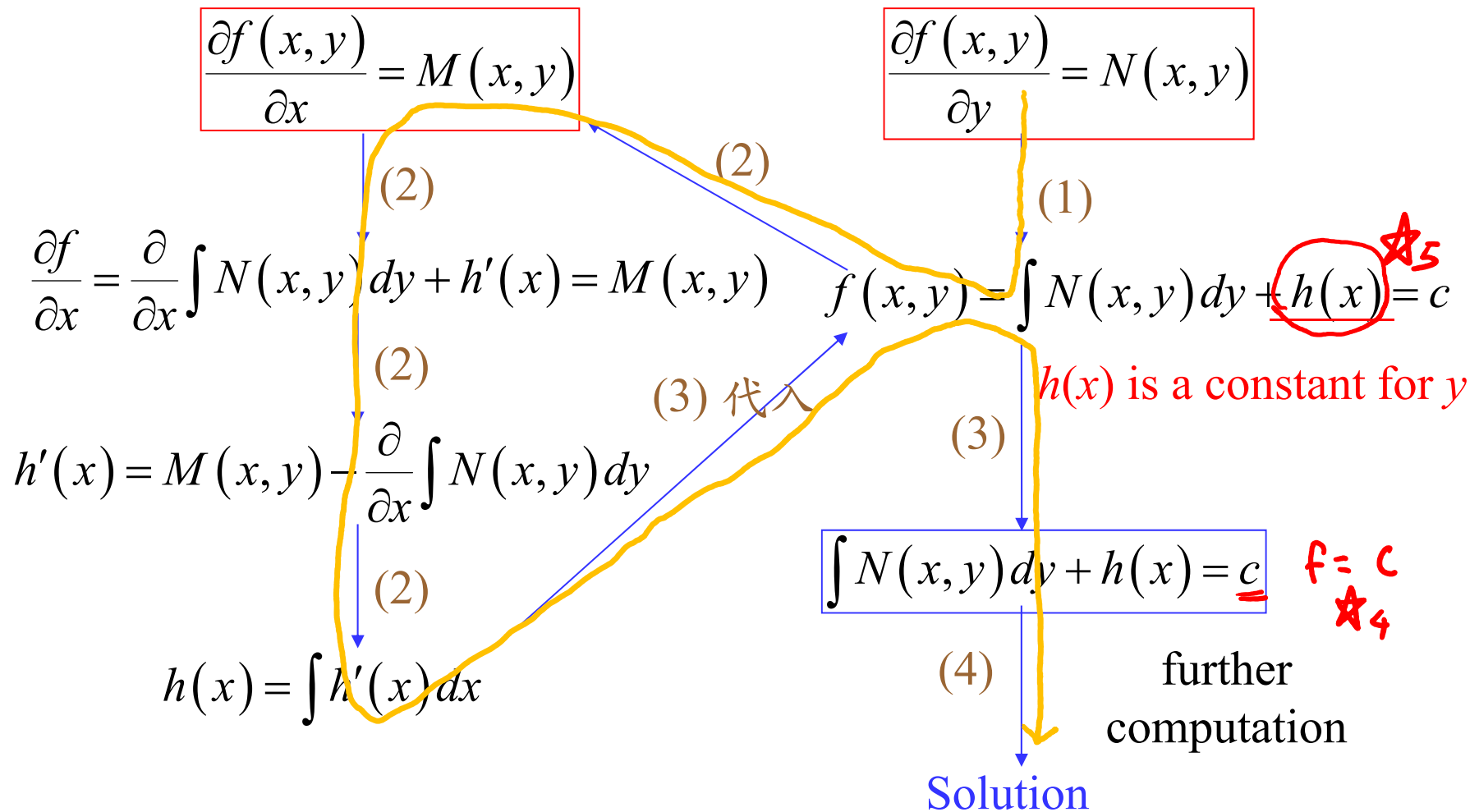
**Step 3:** Substitute  $g(y)$  into

$$f(x, y) = \int M(x, y) dx + g(y) = c$$

**Step 4:** Further computation and obtain the solution

**Extra Steps:** (a) Consider the initial value problem

## The Method for Solving the Exact Equation (B):



(0) Check  $\frac{\partial}{\partial y} M(x, y) = \frac{\partial}{\partial x} N(x, y)$



## 2-4-4 例子

[Example 1] (text page 67)

It can be solved by Sections 2-2, 2-3

$$2xydx + (x^2 - 1)dy = 0$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{2xy}{x^2-1} = 0$$

$$M(x, y) = 2xy$$

$$N(x, y) = x^2 - 1$$

Step 0: check whether it is exact

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = 2xy$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = x^2 - 1$$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = 2x = \frac{\partial N}{\partial x}$$

Step 1

Step 2

Step 2

$$f(x, y) = x^2y + \underline{g(y)}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = x^2 + g'(y) = x^2 - 1$$

singular points:  $\pm 1$

Step 3

Step 3

$$g'(y) = -1$$

$$x^2y - y = c$$

Step 4

$$g(y) = -y$$

$$y = c / (x^2 - 1)$$

$-y + c$

思考: 是否有其他的方法可以解 Example 1?

$(-1, 1), (1, \infty), \text{ or } (-\infty, -1)$

[Example 2] (text page 67)

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y} = 2e^{2y} - \cos xy + xy \sin xy$$

$$\frac{\partial N}{\partial x} = 2e^{2y} - \cos xy + xy \sin xy$$

Exact!

$$(e^{2y} - y \cos xy)dx + (2xe^{2y} - x \cos xy + 2y)dy = 0$$

$$M(x, y) = e^{2y} - y \cos xy$$

$$N(x, y) = 2xe^{2y} - x \cos xy + 2y$$

Step 0:

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = e^{2y} - y \cos xy$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} = 2xe^{2y} - x \cos xy + 2y$$

check for exact

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial y}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial y}$$

$$= 2e^{2y} - \cos xy$$

$$+ xy \sin xy$$

$$= \frac{\partial N}{\partial x}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x}$$

Step 2

Step 1

$$f(x, y) = xe^{2y} - \sin xy + y^2 + \underline{h(x)}$$

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Step 3

$$e^{2y} - y \cos xy + h'(x)$$

$$= e^{2y} - y \cos xy$$

Step 3

$$h'(x) = 0$$

Step 2

$$h(x) = \cancel{c_1} 0$$

$$f(x, y) = xe^{2y} - \sin xy + y^2$$

Step 4

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$$c = xe^{2y} - \sin xy + y^2$$

$$xe^{2y} - \sin xy + y^2 + c = 0$$

implicit solution

要注意

(a) 自行由另一個方向  $f(x, y) = \int M(x, y) dx + g(y)$  來練習，

看是否得出同樣的結果。

(b) 得出的解  $xe^{2y} - \sin xy + y^2 + c = 0$  為 implicit solution

(c) **思考**：何時用  $f(x, y) = \int M(x, y) dx + g(y)$

何時用  $f(x, y) = \int N(x, y) dy + h(x)$