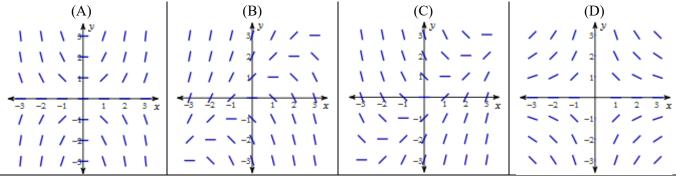
7.4 Reasoning Using Slope Fields

Calculus Name:

Match the slope field with the differential equation.

$$1. \ \frac{dy}{dx} = x - y$$



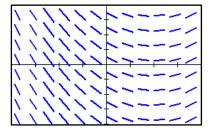
(A)
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = (x - 2)^2$$
 (D) $\frac{dy}{dx} = x + y$
(B) $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0.5x - 1$ (E) $\frac{dy}{dx} = 0.5y$

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$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x + y$$

$$(B) \frac{dy}{dx} = 0.5x - 1$$

(E)
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 0.5y$$

(C)
$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x - y$$

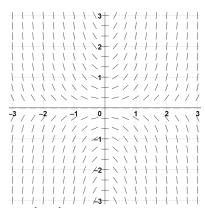


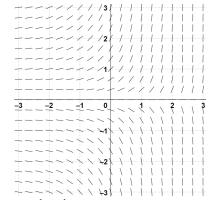
For each slope field, plot and label the points A and B and sketch the particular solution that passes through each of those points. (Two separate solutions for each slope field.)

3. $\frac{dy}{dx} = 2xy$ 4. $\frac{dy}{dx} = e^x y$

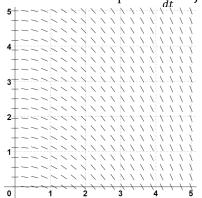
$$3. \ \frac{dy}{dx} = 2xy$$



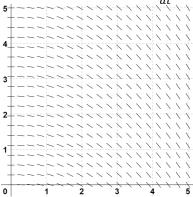




Point A: (0, 1) Point B: (2, -1) Point A: (2, 1) Point B: (0, -1) 5. Let f(t) be an increasing, differentiable function. Explain why the following slope field cannot represent the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dt} = f'(t)$

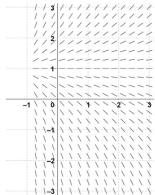


6. Explain why the following slope field cannot represent the differential equation $\frac{dy}{dt} = -0.3$

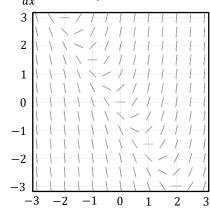


Consider the differential equation and its slope field. Describe all points in the xy-plane that match the given condition.

$$7. \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y-1}{\sqrt{x+1}}$$



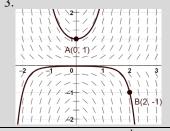
When is $\frac{dy}{dx}$ positive?



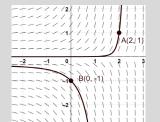
When does $\frac{dy}{dx} = -2$?

Answers to 7.4 CA #1

2. B



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5. $\frac{dy}{dt} > 0$ when y > 0, but the slope field shows line segments with nonpositive slope.

- 6. Possible answer: When y = 0, $\frac{dy}{dt} = 0$. However, in the slope field, the slopes of the line segments for y = 0 are nonzero.
- 7. All points where y > 1.
- 8. All points that fall on the line $y = -\frac{3}{2}x 1$