MthSc 208: Differential Equations (Summer I, 2013) In-class Worksheet 2b: Integrating factor

1. Find the general solution of the differential equation $y' = y + e^t$, by the integrating factor method.

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2. Carry out the first few steps (i.e., until you have to integrate) of the integrating factor method with the following ODEs:

$$y' + 4y = t^2$$

$$\bullet \ y' + (\sin t)y = 1$$

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$$y' - 12t^5y = t^3$$

$$\bullet \ y' + \frac{1}{t}y = 1.$$