

**MthSc 208: Differential Equations (Spring 2011)**  
**In-class Worksheet 2b: Integrating factor**

**NAME:**

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

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

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

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

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

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