

$$\text{Ex } x^2 p + xyq = y^2.$$

Comparing with Lagrange's equation $Pp + Qq = R$
we have Lagrange's auxiliary equation as

$$\frac{dx}{x^2} = \frac{dy}{xy} = \frac{dz}{y^2} \quad (1)$$

Hence from (1)

$$\frac{dx}{x^2} = \frac{dy}{xy}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{x^2} = \frac{dy}{y}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{dx}{x^2} = \int \frac{dy}{y} + \ln c_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln x = \ln y + \ln c_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{y} = c_1$$

$c_1 = \text{constant of integration.}$

From (1) we can also write

$$\frac{dx}{x^2} = \frac{dy}{xy} = \frac{dz}{y^2} = \frac{dx + dy}{x^2 - xy}$$
$$\Rightarrow \frac{-\frac{y^2}{x^2} dx + \frac{2y}{x} dy}{(-\frac{y^2}{x^2})x^2 + \frac{2y}{x}xy}$$

$$\left[\because \frac{P}{Q} = \frac{x}{y} = \frac{\alpha P + \beta x}{\alpha Q + \beta y} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{x^2} = \frac{dy}{xy} = \frac{dz}{y^2} = \frac{-\frac{y^2}{x^2} dx + \frac{2y}{x} dy}{y^2}$$

$$\text{So } \frac{dz}{y^2} = \frac{-\frac{y^2}{x^2} dx + \frac{2y}{x} dy}{y^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow dz = -\frac{y^2}{x^2} dx + \frac{2y}{x} dy = d\left(\frac{y^2}{x}\right)$$

$$\int dz = \int d\left(\frac{y^2}{x}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{y^2}{x} + C_2 \quad (C_2 = \text{constant of integration})$$

$$\text{or } \Rightarrow z - \frac{y^2}{x} = C_2$$

Hence General solution is $\Phi\left(z - \frac{y^2}{x}, \frac{x}{y}\right) = 0$.

Here Φ is an arbitrary function.

$$\underline{\text{Ex}} \quad xp + yq = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$$

Comparing with Lagrange's Equation $Pp + Qq = R$
We have Lagrange's Auxiliary Equation as:

$$\frac{dx}{x} = \frac{dy}{y} = \frac{dz}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

So from (1)

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

$$\Rightarrow \ln x = \ln y + \ln c_1 \quad [\text{by integration}]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{y} = c_1 \quad [c_1 = \text{constant of integration}]$$

Now from (1)

$$\frac{dx}{x} = \frac{dy}{y} = \frac{dz}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = \frac{x dy + y dx}{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$[\because \frac{dx}{x} = \frac{dy}{y} = \frac{x dy + y dx}{x^2 + y^2}]$$

$$\text{So } \frac{dz}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = \frac{x dy + y dx}{x^2 + y^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow dz = \frac{x dy + y dx}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{d(x^2 + y^2)}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}}$$

$$[\because d(x^2 + y^2) = d(x^2) + d(y^2) \\ = 2x dx + 2y dy]$$

$$\Rightarrow \int dz = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{d(x^2 + y^2)}{\sqrt{x^2 + y^2}} + c_2 \quad [\text{Integrating}]$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{du}{\sqrt{u}} + C_2 \quad [C_2 = \text{constant of integration}]$$

$$[u = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} \quad u = x^2 + y^2]$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \frac{1}{2} \int \frac{du}{\sqrt{u}} \Rightarrow z = \sqrt{u} + C_2$$

$$\Rightarrow z = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} + C_2$$

$$\Rightarrow z - \sqrt{x^2 + y^2} = C_2$$

Hence the general solution is

$$\Phi \left(z - \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}, \frac{x}{y} \right) = 0$$

where Φ is an arbitrary ~~constant~~ function.