Math 216 homework, Prof. Sachs Due, Friday Feb. 10

## Short writing conceptual question:

Consider the general solution of the linear inhomogeneous equation:

$$
y^{\prime}=2 y+\mathrm{e}^{k t}
$$

for any constant $k$. Why is $k=2$ different from the other $k$ values? Try to relate this to some linear algebra and calculus. Explain as well as you can the form of the solution for both cases. Problems from text:

Section 1.5: Problems 5, 12 (draw the qualitative picture too, showing equilibria and their stability)

Section 1.8: Problems 9, 12, 16

