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Quiz 3

No calculator, textbook or note allowed. Write your name and ID number on the front of the quiz. Show all your work for full credit.

1. (10 Points) Find the regions in the xy plane where the equation

$$u_{xx} + 2xu_{xy} + y^2 u_{yy} = 0$$

is elliptic, hyperbolic, or parabolic. Sketch them.

Sol:
$$D = \alpha_{12}^2 - \alpha_{11} \cdot \alpha_{22}$$

 $= \chi^2 - y^2$
Elliptic: $D = \chi^2 - y^2 < 0$
 $\Rightarrow |x| < |y|$
Hyperbolic: $D = x^2 - y^2 > 0$
 $\Rightarrow |x| > |y|$
Parabolic: $D = x^2 - y^2 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow y = \pm \chi$.
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