

For the primitive integral equation $ydx + y^2dy = x dy$;
 $x \in R, y > 0, y = y(x), y(1) = 1$, then $y(-3)$ is **(2005S)**

- (a) 3
- (b) 2
- (c) 1
- (d) 5

(a) The given eqⁿ is

$$ydx + y^2dy = xdy ; x \in R, y > 0, y(1) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{ydx - xdy}{y^2} + dy = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx}\left(\frac{x}{y}\right) + dy = 0$$

On integration, we get $\frac{x}{y} + y = C$

$$y(1) = 1 \Rightarrow 1 + 1 = C \Rightarrow C = 2$$

$$\therefore \frac{x}{y} + y = 2$$

Now to find $y(-3)$, putting $x = -3$ in above eqⁿ, we get

$$-\frac{3}{y} + y = 2 \Rightarrow y^2 - 2y - 3 = 0 \Rightarrow y = 3, -1$$

But given that $y > 0$, $\therefore y = 3$