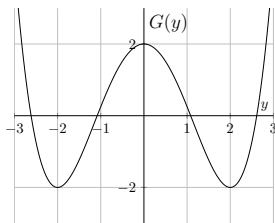


3. [11 points] The graph of  $G(y)$  is shown below. Suppose that  $G'(y) = g(y)$ . Consider the differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dt} = g(y)$ .



**Note** again that  $\frac{dy}{dt} = g(y)$  and the given graph depicts  $G(y)$  **not**  $g(y)$ .

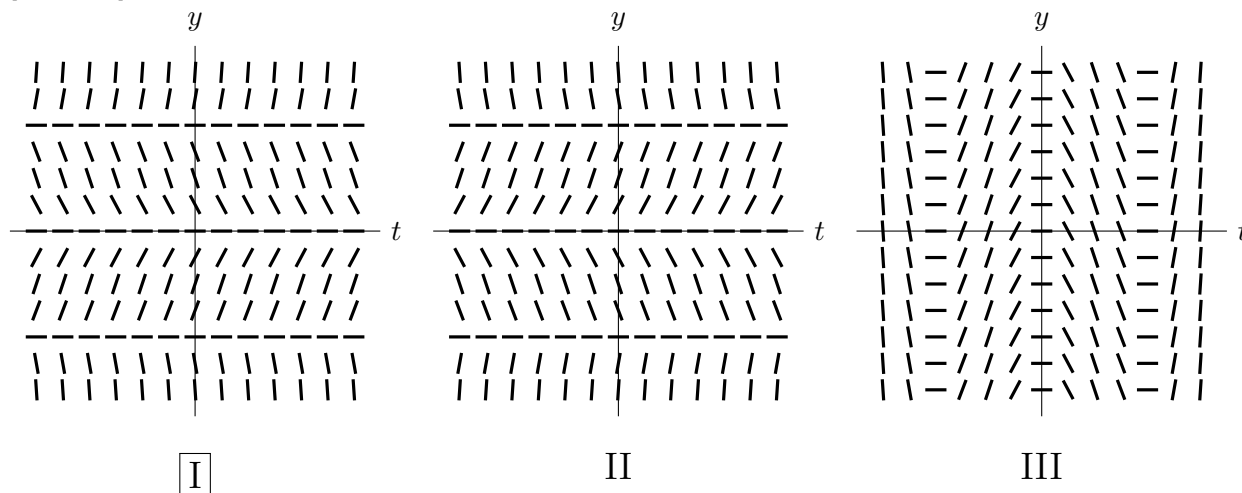
- a. [6 points] The differential equation has 3 equilibrium solutions. Find the 3 solutions and indicate whether they are stable or unstable by circling the correct answer.

Equilibrium solution 1:  $-2$       **Stable**      Unstable

Equilibrium solution 2:  $0$       Stable      **Unstable**

Equilibrium solution 3:  $2$       **Stable**      Unstable

- b. [2 points] Circle the graph that could be the slope field of the above differential equation.



- c. [3 points] Suppose  $y_1(t)$ ,  $y_2(t)$  and  $y_3(t)$  are all solutions of the differential equation with different initial conditions as indicated below:

- $y_1(t)$  solves the differential equation with initial condition  $y(0) = -2$ .
- $y_2(t)$  solves the differential equation with initial condition  $y(0) = 1.5$ .
- $y_3(t)$  solves the differential equation with initial condition  $y(0) = -2.1$ .

Compute the following limits:

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} y_1(t) = -2 \qquad \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} y_2(t) = 0 \qquad \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} y_3(t) = -\infty \text{ or DNE}$$