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MA423 Numerical Analysis  
Quiz 7

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(20 Points Total)

Use the initial value problem (IVP) given below to answer the following questions. You may use your textbook for any formulas you may need.

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 1 + y, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 2$$
$$y(0) = 2$$

1. Explain why the IVP is well-posed and find the exact unique solution of the IVP. Note: Your answer should be  $y(t) = 3e^t - 1$ . (8 points)

2. Let  $N = 10$  and use Euler's method to find  $w_0$ ,  $w_1$ , and  $w_2$ . (6 points)

3. Find the actual absolute error from using Euler's method at  $t = 0.20$ . (2 points)

4. Find an error bound for the maximum absolute error from using Euler's method at  $t = 0.20$ . (4 points)