

Exam 2 Math 2306 sec. 58

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INSTRUCTIONS: There are 6 problems worth 16 points each. You may use one sheet (8.5" × 11") of your own prepared notes/formulas.

No use of a calculator, text book, smart device, or other resource is permitted. Illicit use of any additional resource will result in a grade of zero on this exam as well as a formal allegation of academic misconduct. Show all of your work on the paper provided to receive full credit.

(1) Determine whether each set of functions is linearly dependent or linearly independent on the indicated interval. Be sure that your conclusion is clearly stated and justified.

(a) $f_1(x) = x$, $f_2(x) = 1$, $f_3(x) = 2x - 4$ $I = (-\infty, \infty)$

Note that

$$2f_1(x) - 4f_2(x) - f_3(x) = 2x - 4 - (2x - 4) = 0$$

for all x in I

We have a linear dependence relation
w/ $c_1 = 2$, $c_2 = -4$, $c_3 = -1$ (not all zero).

Hence they are linearly dependent.

The wronskian would lead to the same
conclusion (of course!).

(b) $y_1(x) = \sqrt{x}$, $y_2(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}}$, $I = (1, \infty)$

Take the Wronskian

$$W(y_1, y_2)(x) = \begin{vmatrix} \sqrt{x} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} \\ \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}} & \frac{-1}{2x^{3/2}} \end{vmatrix} = \frac{-\sqrt{x}}{2x^{3/2}} - \frac{1}{2\sqrt{x}\sqrt{x}}$$
$$= \frac{1}{2x} - \frac{1}{2x} = \frac{-1}{x} \neq 0$$

Hence they are linearly independent,

(2) An RC series circuit has a 180 volt battery applied, a resistance of 3 ohms and a capacitance of $\frac{1}{60}$ farads. If the initial charge on the capacitor $q(0) = 0$, determine the charge on the capacitor $q(t)$ for $t > 0$.

$$R \frac{dq}{dt} + \frac{1}{C} q = E \quad \text{Here } R = 3 \Omega$$

$$C = \frac{1}{60} \text{ f}$$

$$E = 180 \text{ V}$$

$$3 \frac{dq}{dt} + 60 q = 180 \quad q(0) = 0$$

In standard form $\frac{dq}{dt} + 20q = 60$

$$P(t) = 20 \quad \text{so} \quad \mu = e^{\int P(t) dt} = e^{20t}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} [e^{20t} q] = 60 e^{20t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \frac{d}{dt} [e^{20t} q] dt = \int 60 e^{20t} dt$$

$$e^{20t} q = 3 e^{20t} + k$$

$$q = 3 + k e^{-20t}$$

Since $q(0) = 0$, $q(0) = 3 + k = 0 \Rightarrow k = -3$

The charge is $q(t) = 3 - 3e^{-20t}$.

(3) Determine the general solution of the second order equation for which one solution is given.

$$x^2 y'' + 2xy' - 12y = 0, \quad y_1(x) = x^3$$

Standard form

$$y'' + \frac{2}{x} y' - \frac{12}{x^2} y = 0$$

$$P(x) = \frac{2}{x} \Rightarrow -\int P(x) dx = -\int \frac{2}{x} dx = -2 \ln x = \ln x^{-2}$$

$$y_2 = u y_1, \quad \text{where} \quad u = \int \frac{e^{-\int P(x) dx}}{y_1^2} dx = \int \frac{x^{-2}}{(x^3)^2} dx = \int x^{-8} dx$$

$$u = \frac{x^{-7}}{-7} \quad . \quad \text{We can take } y_2 = x^{-7} \cdot x^3 = x^{-4}$$

The general solution is
$$\underline{\underline{y = C_1 x^3 + C_2 x^{-4}}}$$

(4) Find the general solution of the first order linear equation.

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + 2xy = 4x$$

$$P(x) = 2x, \quad \mu = e^{\int P(x) dx} = e^{\int 2x dx} = e^{x^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [e^{x^2} y] = 4x e^{x^2}$$

$$\text{If } u = x^2, \text{ then } du = 2x dx$$

$$\text{So } \int 4x e^{x^2} dx = 2 \int e^u du = 2e^u + C$$

$$\int \frac{d}{dx} [e^{x^2} y] dx = \int 4x e^{x^2} dx$$

$$e^{x^2} y = 2e^{x^2} + C \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$\underline{\underline{y = 2 + C e^{-x^2}}}$$

(5) (a) Show that $y_1 = e^x$, $y_2 = e^{2x}$ is a fundamental solution set for the ODE $y'' - 3y' + 2y = 0$.

$$\begin{array}{l}
 y_1 = e^x \\
 y_1' = e^x \\
 y_1'' = e^x
 \end{array}
 \quad
 \begin{array}{l}
 y_1'' - 3y_1' + 2y_1 = e^x - 3e^x + 2e^x = 0 \\
 \\
 y_2'' - 3y_2' + 2y_2 = 4e^{2x} - 6e^{2x} + 2e^{2x} = 0
 \end{array}
 \quad
 \left. \vphantom{\begin{array}{l} y_1 = e^x \\ y_1' = e^x \\ y_1'' = e^x \end{array}} \right\} \text{both are solutions.}$$

$$\begin{array}{l}
 y_2 = e^{2x} \\
 y_2' = 2e^{2x} \\
 y_2'' = 4e^{2x}
 \end{array}
 \quad
 W(y_1, y_2)(x) = \begin{vmatrix} e^x & e^{2x} \\ e^x & 2e^{2x} \end{vmatrix} = 2e^{3x} - e^{3x} = e^{3x} \neq 0$$

We have 2 linearly independent solutions, hence they are a fund. soln. set.

(b) Verify that $y_p = 2x + 3$ solves the nonhomogeneous equation $y'' - 3y' + 2y = 4x$.

$$\begin{array}{l}
 y_p' = 2 \\
 y_p'' = 0
 \end{array}
 \quad
 \begin{array}{l}
 y_p'' - 3y_p' + 2y_p = 0 - 3(2) + 2(2x+3) \\
 = -6 + 4x + 6 \\
 = 4x \quad \text{as required}
 \end{array}$$

Hence $y_p = 2x + 3$ solves the non homogeneous ODE.

(c) Find the solution of the IVP $y'' - 3y' + 2y = 4x$, with $y(0) = 4$, $y'(0) = 2$.

$$y = c_1 e^x + c_2 e^{2x} + 2x + 3 \quad (\text{General solution}).$$

$$y' = c_1 e^x + 2c_2 e^{2x} + 2$$

$$y(0) = c_1 + c_2 + 3 = 4 \Rightarrow c_1 + c_2 = 1$$

$$y'(0) = c_1 + 2c_2 + 2 = 2 \Rightarrow c_1 + 2c_2 = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 c_1 + c_2 = 1 \\
 c_1 + 2c_2 = 0 \\
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 -c_2 = 1
 \end{array}
 \quad \text{subtract}$$

$$c_1 - 1 = 1 \Rightarrow c_1 = 2$$

The solution to the IVP is

$$\underline{\underline{y = 2e^x - e^{2x} + 2x + 3.}}$$

(6) A tank initially contains 200 gallons of water into which 5 pounds of salt is dissolved. Brine containing 1 lb/gal of salt is pumped in at a rate of 3 gal/min. The solution is well mixed and is pumped out at the same rate. Determine the amount of salt $A(t)$ in lbs at time t in minutes for all $t > 0$.

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = r_i c_i - r_o c_o \quad \text{where} \quad c_o = \frac{A}{V(t) + (r_i - r_o)t}$$

$$\text{Here } r_i = 3 \frac{\text{gal}}{\text{min}}, \quad c_i = 1 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{gal}}, \quad r_o = r_i = 3 \frac{\text{gal}}{\text{min}}$$

$$\text{So } c_o = \frac{A}{200 + 0} = \frac{A}{200}$$

$$\frac{dA}{dt} = 3 \cdot 1 - 3 \cdot \frac{A}{200}, \quad A(0) = 5$$

$$A' + \frac{3}{200} A = 3 \quad P(t) = \frac{3}{200} \quad \mu = e^{\int \frac{3}{200} dt} = e^{\frac{3}{200}t}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left[e^{\frac{3}{200}t} A \right] = 3 e^{\frac{3}{200}t}$$

$$e^{\frac{3}{200}t} A = \int 3 e^{\frac{3}{200}t} dt = 200 e^{\frac{3}{200}t} + C$$

$$A = 200 + C e^{-\frac{3}{200}t}$$

$$\text{From } A(0) = 5, \quad A(0) = 200 + C = 5 \Rightarrow C = -195$$

$$\text{Finally, } A(t) = 200 - 195 e^{-\frac{3}{200}t}$$