

**MAT 252**

**Fall 2021**

**MIDTERM II**

**NAME:**

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THERE ARE FOUR (4) PROBLEMS. THEY HAVE THE INDICATED VALUE.

SHOW YOUR WORK

NO CALCULATORS      NO CELLS ETC.

ON YOUR DESK: ONLY test, pen, pencil, eraser.

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| 1     |  | 10pts |
| 2     |  | 11pts |
| 3     |  | 15pts |
| 4     |  | 14pts |
| Total |  | 50pts |

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1(10pts) Solve the initial value problem:

$$y'' + y' - 2y = 3e^t, \quad y(0) = y'(0) = 1.$$

- associated homogeneous equation:  $y'' + y' - 2y = 0$

characteristic polynomial:  $\lambda^2 + \lambda - 2 = 0 = (\lambda + 2)(\lambda - 1)$

$\Rightarrow \lambda = -2 \Rightarrow y_1(t) = e^{-2t} \Rightarrow$  general solution to the homogeneous eq.:

and  $\lambda = 1 \Rightarrow y_2(t) = e^t \quad y_h(t) = C_1 \cdot e^{-2t} + C_2 \cdot e^t \quad (3)$

- Find a particular solution: because 1 is a root to the char. polynomial

we need to use  $y_p(t) = a \cdot t \cdot e^t$

$$\Rightarrow y_p' = a \cdot e^t + a \cdot t \cdot e^t, \quad y_p'' = 2a \cdot e^t + a \cdot t \cdot e^t$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow y_p'' + y_p' - 2y_p &= 2a \cdot e^t + a \cdot t \cdot e^t + a \cdot e^t + a \cdot t \cdot e^t - 2a \cdot t \cdot e^t \\ &= 3a \cdot e^t = 3 \cdot e^t \Rightarrow 3a = 3 \Rightarrow a = 1 \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

$$\Rightarrow y_p(t) = t \cdot e^t$$

- general solution  $y(t) = y_h(t) + y_p(t) = C_1 \cdot e^{-2t} + C_2 \cdot e^t + t \cdot e^t \quad (1)$

$$y(0) = C_1 + C_2 = 1, \quad y'(0) = -2 \cdot C_1 + C_2 + 1 = 1 \Rightarrow C_2 = +2C_1$$

$$\Rightarrow C_1 + 2C_1 = 1 = 3C_1 \Rightarrow C_1 = \frac{1}{3} \quad \text{and} \quad C_2 = 2C_1 = \frac{2}{3} \quad (2)$$

so  $y(t) = \frac{1}{3} e^{-2t} + \frac{2}{3} e^t + t \cdot e^t$  is the unique solution to the initial value problem.

2(11pts) Consider a forced oscillation modeled on the equation:

$$y'' + 2y' + y = 4 \sin(t).$$

- (1) Find the general solution this equation.
- (2) Find the steady state solution and its amplitude.

$$(1) \cdot y'' + 2y' + y = 0, \quad \lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 1 = (\lambda + 1)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_1 = \lambda_2 = -1 = \lambda$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1(t) = e^{-t}, \quad y_2(t) = t \cdot e^{-t}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_h(t) = c_1 \cdot e^{-t} + c_2 \cdot t \cdot e^{-t} \quad (4)$$

$$\cdot \text{complexify: } y'' + 2y' + y = 4 \cdot e^{it} = 4(\cos t + i \sin t)$$

$$\text{Use } y_c(t) = a \cdot e^{it} \Rightarrow y'_c = a \cdot i \cdot e^{it}, y''_c = -a \cdot e^{it} \quad (3)$$

$$\Rightarrow -a e^{it} + 2a i e^{it} + a e^{it} = 4 e^{it} \Rightarrow 2a i = 4 \Rightarrow a = \frac{4}{2i} = -2i$$

$$\quad \quad \quad \parallel$$

$$\quad \quad \quad 2a i \cdot e^{it}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_c(t) = -2i e^{it} = -2i (\cos t + i \sin t) = +2 \sin t - 2i \cos t. \quad (2)$$

$$\Rightarrow y_p(t) = -2 \cos t$$

$$\cdot y(t) = y_h(t) + y_p(t) = c_1 e^{-t} + c_2 t \cdot e^{-t} - 2 \cos t \quad \text{is the general solution}$$

$$(2) \text{ The steady state solution is } y_s = y_p(t) = -2 \cos t. \quad (2)$$

Its amplitude is 2.

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$$2 \cos(t - \pi)$$

**3(15pts)** Consider a Prey-Predator model

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = -x + xy \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = y - xy \end{cases}$$

- (1) Does  $x$  represent the prey (rabbit) or predator (fox)?
- (2) Calculate the equilibrium solution.
- (3) There is a conservation relation which can be expressed as an identity  $F(x, y) = \text{constant}$ . Find the function  $F$ . (hint: divide the two equations and solve obtained differential equation  $\frac{dy}{dx} = f(x, y)$ ).

(1)  $x$  represents the predator because the term  $+xy$  shows that the encounter of  $x$  and  $y$  benefits  $x$ . (5)

$$(2) \quad \begin{cases} -x + xy = 0 = x \cdot (-1 + y) \Rightarrow x = 0 \text{ or } y = 1 \\ y - xy = 0 = y \cdot (1 - x) \Rightarrow y = 0 \text{ or } x = 1 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} x = 0 \text{ and } y = 0 \\ \text{or} \\ x = 1 \text{ and } y = 1 \end{cases} \quad \text{⑤}$$

$\Rightarrow$  the equilibrium solutions are  $(x(t), y(t)) = (0, 0)$  and  $(x(t), y(t)) = (1, 1)$ .

$$(3) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{y - xy}{-x + xy} = \frac{y(1-x)}{x(-1+y)} \Rightarrow \underbrace{\frac{-1+y}{y}}_{(-\frac{1}{y} + 1)} dy = \underbrace{\frac{1-x}{x}}_{(\frac{1}{x} - 1)} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow -\ln|y| + y = \ln|x| - x + C$$

$$\Rightarrow \ln|x| + \ln|y| - x - y = \text{Constant} \quad \text{⑤}$$

$$\Rightarrow F(x, y) = \ln|x| + \ln|y| - x - y$$

Continuation of solution for problem **3**



Continuation of solution for problem 4

