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Homework #3 Solution

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1. Problem Set 5.1 – 3

Determine the radius of convergence. Show the details of your work.

3.
$$\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m}{k^m} x^{2m}$$

Sol:

$$a_m = \frac{(-1)^m}{k^m}$$
$$\left|\frac{a_{m+1}}{a_m}\right| = \left|\frac{k^m}{k^{m+1}}\right| = \frac{1}{|k|}$$

So, the radius of convergence

$$R = \left(\frac{1}{\lim_{m \to \infty} \left| \frac{a_{m+1}}{a_m} \right|} \right)^{1/2} = \sqrt{|k|}$$

2. Problem Set 5.1 - 7

Apply the power series method. Do this by hand, not by a CAS, to get a feel for the method, e.g., why a series may terminate, or has even powers only, etc. Show the details.

7.
$$y' = -4xy$$

Sol:

Let

$$y = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m,$$

then

$$y' = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} m a_m x^{m-1}.$$

Insert y and y' into y' = -4xy, and we have

$$\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} m a_m x^{m-1} = -4x \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m,$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 + 2a_2x + 3a_3x^2 + 4a_4x^3 + 5a_5x^4 + \dots = -4(a_0x + a_1x^2 + a_2x^3 + a_3x^4 + \dots)$$

$$x^0$$
: $a_1 = 0$

$$x^{1}$$
: $2a_{2} = -4a_{0} \Rightarrow a_{2} = \frac{-4}{2}a_{0} = -2a_{0}$

$$x^2: 3a_3 = -4a_1 \Rightarrow a_3 = 0$$

$$x^3$$
: $4a_4 = -4a_2 \Rightarrow a_4 = \frac{-4}{4}a_2 = \frac{-2}{2} \cdot -2a_0 = \frac{(-2)^2}{2!}a_0$

$$x^4: 5a_5 = -4a_3 \Rightarrow a_5 = 0$$

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$$x^5$$
: $6a_6 = -4a_4 \Rightarrow a_6 = \frac{-4}{6}a_4 = \frac{-2}{3} \cdot \frac{-2}{2} \cdot -2a_0 = \frac{(-2)^3}{3!}a_0$:

So, we have

$$y = a_0 + -2a_0x^2 + \frac{(-2)^2}{2!}a_0x^4 + \frac{(-2)^3}{3!}a_0x^6 + \cdots$$
$$= a_0 \left[1 + (-2x^2) + \frac{(-2x^2)^2}{2!} + \frac{(-2x^2)^3}{3!} + \cdots \right]$$
$$= a_0e^{-2x^2}$$

3. Problem Set 5.1 - 9

Apply the power series method. Do this by hand, not by a CAS, to get a feel for the method, e.g., why a series may terminate, or has even powers only, etc. Show the details.

9.
$$y'' + y = 0$$

Sol:

Let

$$y = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m,$$

ther

$$y' = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} m a_m x^{m-1},$$

$$y'' = \sum_{m=2}^{\infty} m(m-1) a_m x^{m-2},$$

Insert y and y" into y'' + y = 0, and we have

$$\sum_{m=2}^{\infty} m(m-1)a_m x^{m-2} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m = 0,$$

$$\Rightarrow (2 \cdot 1a_2 + 3 \cdot 2a_3x + 4 \cdot 3a_4x^2 + 5 \cdot 4a_5x^3 + 6 \cdot 5a_6x^4 + \dots) + (a_0 + a_1x + a_2x^2 + a_2x^2 + a_3x^2 + a_3x$$

$$+a_3x^3+a_4x^4+\cdots)=0$$

$$x^0$$
: $2 \cdot 1a_2 + a_0 = 0 \Rightarrow a_2 = \frac{-1}{2!}a_0$

$$x^1$$
: $3 \cdot 2a_3 + a_1 = 0 \Rightarrow a_3 = \frac{-1}{3!}a_1$

$$x^2$$
: $4 \cdot 3a_4 + a_2 = 0 \Rightarrow a_4 = \frac{-1}{4 \cdot 3}a_2 = \frac{1}{4!}a_0$

$$x^3$$
: $5 \cdot 4a_5 + a_3 = 0 \Rightarrow a_5 = \frac{-1}{5 \cdot 4}a_3 = \frac{1}{5!}a_1$

So, we have

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$$y = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + a_3 x^3 + a_4 x^4 + a_5 x^5 + \cdots$$

$$= a_0 \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^4}{4!} - \cdots \right) + a_1 \left(x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \cdots \right)$$

$$= a_0 \cos x + a_1 \sin x$$

4. Problem Set 5.1 - 13

Find a power series solution in powers of x. Show the details.

13.
$$y'' + (1 + x^2)y = 0$$

Sol:

Let

$$y = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m,$$

then

$$y' = \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} m a_m x^{m-1},$$

$$y'' = \sum_{m=2}^{\infty} m(m-1)a_m x^{m-2}$$

Insert y and y" into $y'' + (1 + x^2)y = 0$, and we have

$$\sum_{m=2}^{\infty} m(m-1)a_m x^{m-2} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m+2} = 0$$

$$x^0$$
: $2 \cdot 1a_2 + a_0 = 0 \Rightarrow a_2 = \frac{-1}{2}a_0$

$$x^{1}$$
: $3 \cdot 2a_{3} + a_{1} = 0 \Rightarrow a_{3} = \frac{-1}{6}a_{1}$

$$x^2$$
: $4 \cdot 3a_4 + a_2 + a_0 = 0 \Rightarrow a_4 = \frac{-1}{12}(a_2 + a_0) = \frac{-1}{24}a_0$

$$x^3$$
: $5 \cdot 4a_5 + a_3 + a_1 = 0 \Rightarrow a_5 = \frac{-1}{20}(a_3 + a_1) = \frac{-1}{24}a_1$

$$x^4$$
: $6 \cdot 5a_6 + a_4 + a_2 = 0 \Rightarrow a_6 = \frac{-1}{30}(a_4 + a_2) = \frac{13}{720}a_0$

$$x^5: 7 \cdot 6a_7 + a_5 + a_3 = 0 \Rightarrow a_7 = \frac{-1}{42}(a_5 + a_3) = \frac{5}{1008}a_1$$

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So, we have

$$y = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + a_3 x^3 + a_4 x^4 + a_5 x^5 + \cdots$$

$$= a_0 \left(1 - \frac{1}{2} x^2 - \frac{1}{24} x^4 + \frac{13}{720} x^6 + \cdots \right) + a_1 \left(x - \frac{1}{6} x^3 - \frac{1}{24} x^5 + \frac{5}{1008} x^7 + \cdots \right)$$

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For following problems, find a basis of solutions by the Frobenius method. Try to identify the series as expansions of known functions. Show the details of your work.

5. Problem Set 5.3 - 3

3.
$$xy'' + 2y' + xy = 0$$

Sol:

Let

$$y = x^r \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m+r}$$

then

$$y' = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+r) a_m x^{m+r-1}$$

$$y'' = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+r)(m+r-1)a_m x^{m+r-2}$$

Insert y, y' and y'' into xy'' + 2y' + xy = 0, and we obtain

$$\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+r)(m+r-1)a_m x^{m+r-1} + 2\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+r)a_m x^{m+r-1} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m+r+1} = 0$$

The smallest power is x^{r-1} ; by equating the sum of its coefficients to zero we have

$$x^{r-1}$$
: $r(r-1)a_0 + 2ra_0 = 0 \implies r(r+1) = 0 \implies r = 0, -1$

$$x^r$$
: $(r+1)ra_1 + 2(r+1)a_1 = 0 \Rightarrow a_1 = 0$

$$x^{s+r-1}$$
: $(s+r)(s+r-1)a_s + 2(s+r)a_s + a_{s-2} = 0 \Rightarrow a_s = \frac{-a_{s-2}}{(s+r)(s+r+1)}$

Since
$$a_1 = 0$$
, $\Rightarrow a_3 = a_5 = a_7 = \dots = 0$

1) For
$$r = r_1 = 0$$
, $a_s = \frac{-a_{s-2}}{s(s+1)}$

$$a_2 = \frac{-a_0}{2 \cdot 3} = \frac{-a_0}{3!}, a_4 = \frac{-a_2}{4 \cdot 5} = \frac{a_0}{5!}, a_6 = \frac{-a_4}{6 \cdot 7} = \frac{-a_0}{7!}, \dots, a_{2m} = \frac{(-1)^m a_0}{(2m+1)!}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_1 = x^0 a_0 \left(1 - \frac{1}{3!} x^2 + \frac{1}{5!} x^4 - \frac{1}{7!} x^6 + \dots \right) = a_0 \frac{\sinh x}{x}$$

2) For
$$r = r_2 = -1$$
, $a_s = \frac{-a_{s-2}}{(s-1)s}$

$$a_2 = \frac{-a_0}{1 \cdot 2} = \frac{-a_0}{2!}, a_4 = \frac{-a_2}{3 \cdot 4} = \frac{a_0}{4!}, a_6 = \frac{-a_4}{5 \cdot 6} = \frac{-a_0}{6!}, \dots, a_{2m} = \frac{(-1)^m a_0}{(2m)!}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_2 = x^{-1} a_0 \left(1 - \frac{1}{2!} x^2 + \frac{1}{4!} x^4 - \frac{1}{6!} x^6 + \dots \right) = a_0 \frac{\cosh x}{x}$$

Taking $a_0 = 1$,

$$\Rightarrow$$
 $y_1 = \frac{\sinh x}{x}$, $y_2 = \frac{\cosh x}{x}$

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6. Problem Set 5.3 – 5

5.
$$x^2y'' + x(2x-1)y' + (x+1)y = 0$$

Sol:

Let

$$y = x^r \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^m = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m+r}$$

then

$$y' = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+r)a_m x^{m+r-1}$$

$$y'' = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+r)(m+r-1)a_m x^{m+r-2}$$

Insert y, y' and y'' into $x^2y'' + x(2x-1)y' + (x+1)y = 0$, and we obtain

$$\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+r)(m+r-1)a_m x^{m+r} + 2\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+r)a_m x^{m+r+1} - \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+r)a_m x^{m+r}$$

$$+\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m+r+1} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} a_m x^{m+r} = 0$$

The smallest power is x^r ; by equating the sum of its coefficients to zero we have the indicial equation:

$$x^r$$
: $r(r-1)a_0 - ra_0 + a_0 = 0 \Rightarrow r^2 - 2r + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow r = 1,1$

For the coefficients of x^{s+r} , we find the below relation

$$(s+r)(s+r-1)a_s + 2(s+r-1)a_{s-1} - (s+r)a_s + a_{s-1} + a_s = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_s = \frac{-2(s+r)+1}{(s+r-1)^2}a_{s-1}$$

For
$$r = r_1 = 1$$
, $a_s = \frac{-2s-1}{s^2} a_{s-1}$

$$a_1 = \frac{-2 \cdot 1 - 1}{1^2} a_0 = \frac{(-3)}{1^2} a_0$$

$$a_2 = \frac{-2 \cdot 2 - 1}{2^2} a_1 = \frac{(-3)(-5)}{1^2 \cdot 2^2} a_0$$

$$a_3 = \frac{-2 \cdot 3 - 1}{3^2} a_2 = \frac{(-3)(-5)(-7)}{1^2 \cdot 2^2 \cdot 3^2} a_0$$

:

$$a_m = \frac{(-1)^m 3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7 \cdot \dots \cdot (2m+1)}{1^2 \cdot 2^2 \cdot 3^2 \cdot \dots \cdot m^2} a_0$$

So, we have (taking $a_0 = 1$)

$$y_1 = x(1 - 3x + \frac{3 \cdot 5}{1^2 \cdot 2^2}x^2 - \frac{3 \cdot 5 \cdot 7}{1^2 \cdot 2^2 \cdot 3^2}x^3 + \cdots)$$

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Let
$$y_2 = y_1 \ln x + x(A_1x + A_2x^2 + A_3x^3 + \cdots) = y_1 \ln x + (A_1x^2 + A_2x^3 + A_3x^4 + \cdots)$$

$$\Rightarrow y_2' = y_1' \ln x + \frac{y_1}{x} + 2A_1x + 3A_2x^2 + 4A_3x^3 + \cdots$$

$$\Rightarrow y_2'' = y_1'' \ln x + \frac{2y_1'}{x} - \frac{y_1}{x^2} + 2A_1 + 3 \cdot 2A_2x + 4 \cdot 3A_3x^2 + \cdots$$

Insert them into the ODE: $x^2y_2'' + x(2x - 1)y_2' + (x + 1)y_2 = 0$

$$x^2$$
: $-12 + 3 + 2A_1 + 2 + 3 - 2A_1 + A_1 = 0 \Rightarrow A_1 = 4$

$$x^3$$
: $\Rightarrow A_2 = \frac{-29}{4}$

$$x^4 : \Rightarrow \quad A_3 = \frac{27}{4}$$

:

$$y_2 = y_1 \ln x + x \left(4x - \frac{29}{4}x^2 + \frac{27}{4}x^3 + \cdots \right)$$

7. Problem Set 5.3 - 7

7.
$$y'' + \left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)y = 0$$

Sol:

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Due: December 4, 2020 y"+(x-=)/=0 Let y = \sum anxm y'= 50 man x m-1 J"= Em (m-1) am X m-2 En(m-1) am xm-2 + E an xm+1 - E = an xm = 0 = (S+2)(S+1) Qs+2 XS+ = 0 x'(5=0): 2.1 a2 - 1/2 a. = 0 ⇒ a1 = 1/4 a0

$$\chi^{S}(S=1,2,-): \qquad (S+2)(S+1)Q_{S+2} + Q_{S+1} - \frac{1}{2}Q_{S} = 0$$

$$Q_{S+2} = \frac{\frac{1}{2}Q_{S} - Q_{S+1}}{(S+2)(S+1)} \qquad (S=1,2,...)$$

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$$y = \sum_{m=3}^{\infty} Q_m \chi^m = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 \chi + \alpha_2 \chi^2 + \alpha_3 \chi^2 + \alpha_4 \chi^2 + \alpha_5 \chi^2 + \alpha_5$$

8. Problem Set 5.3 - 9

9.
$$2x(x-1)y'' - (x+1)y' + y = 0$$

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Sol:

$$2\chi(\chi-1)y'' - (\chi+1)y' + j = 0$$
Let $y = \chi^r \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} (m+r) \alpha_m \chi^{m+r} = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (\alpha_m \chi^{m+r})$

$$y' = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+r) (m+r-1) \alpha_m \chi^{m+r-1}$$

$$y'' = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+r) (m+r-1) \alpha_m \chi^{m+r} - \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} 2(m+r) (m+r-1) \alpha_m \chi^{m+r-1}$$

$$- \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (m+r) (m+r-1) \alpha_m \chi^{m+r-1} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \alpha_m \chi^{m+r-1} = 0$$

$$- \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} (y+r) \alpha_m \chi^{m+r-1} + \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \alpha_m \chi^{m+r-1} = 0$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} 2(j+r-1) (j+r-2) \alpha_r \chi^{j+r-1} - \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} 2(j+r) (j+r-1) \alpha_r \chi^{j+r-1} - \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} (j+r-1) \alpha_r \chi$$

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② Y=0; $Q_s = \left[\frac{(s-1)(2s-3)+1}{s(2s-1)}\right] Q_{s-1}$ $(s=1, 2, 3, \cdots)$ $Q_1 = Q_0$, $Q_2 = D$. $Q_1 = Q_4 = \cdots = 0$ Let $Q_1 = Q_1 = Q_2 = Q_3 = Q_4 = \cdots$ $Q_1 = Q_1 = Q_2 = Q_3 = Q_4 = \cdots = 0$ $Q_1 = Q_1 = Q_2 = Q_3 = Q_4 = \cdots = 0$ $Q_1 = Q_2 = Q_3 = Q_4 = \cdots = 0$ $Q_2 = Q_3 = Q_4 = \cdots = 0$ $Q_3 = Q_4 = Q_4 = \cdots = 0$ $Q_4 = Q_4 = Q_4 = \cdots = 0$ $Q_5 = Q_4 = Q_4 = Q_4 = \cdots = 0$ $Q_5 = Q_5 =$

9. Problem Set 5.3 – 11

11.
$$xy'' + (2 - 2x)y' + (x - 2)y = 0$$

Sol:

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$$\begin{aligned} &\chi_{j}^{p+}(z^{-2x})y'+(x-z)y'=0.\\ \text{Let }&y=\sum_{m=2}^{\infty}(\Omega_{m}\chi^{m+1})\Omega_{m}\chi^{m+1}\\ &y'=\sum_{p=2}^{\infty}(m+r)\Omega_{m}\chi^{m+1}-1\Omega_{m}\chi^{m+1}-1\Omega_{m}\chi^{m+1}-1\Omega_{m}\chi^{m+1}-1\Omega_{m}\chi^{m+1}+\sum_{m=2}^{\infty}(m+r)(m+r-1)\Omega_{m}\chi^{m+1}+\sum_{m=2}^{\infty}(2m+r)\Omega_{m}\chi^{m+1}+\sum_{m=2}^{\infty}\Omega_{m}\chi^{m+1}-1$$

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10. Problem Set 5.3 - 1313. xy'' + (2x + 1)y' + (x + 1)y = 0Sol:

$$2et \quad y = \sum_{n=0}^{20} (2n+1)y' + (x+1)y = 0$$

$$2et \quad y = \sum_{n=0}^{20} (2n+1) a_n x^{n+r}$$

$$y' = \sum_{n=0}^{20} (2n+1) a_n x^{n+r-2}$$

$$y'' = \sum_{n=0}^{20} (2n+1) (2n+r-1) a_n x^{n+r-2}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{20} (2n+1) (2n+r-1) a_n x^{n+r-2} + \sum_{n=0}^{20} (2n+1) a_n x^{n+r-2}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{20} (2n+1) (2n+r-1) a_n x^{n+r-2} + \sum_{n=0}^{20} (2n+1) a_n x^{n+r-2} + \sum_{n=0}^{20} (2n+1) a_n x^{n+r-2} + \sum_{n=0}^{20} a_n x^{n+r-2} + \sum_{n=0}^{20} a_n x^{n+r-2}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{20} (2n+1) (2n+1) a_n x^{n+r-2} + \sum_{n=0}^{20} (2n+1) a_n x^{n+r-2} + \sum_{n=0}^{20} a_n x$$

$$0. \ \gamma = 0; \qquad Q_{s} = \frac{(-2S+1)Q_{S1} - Q_{s-2}}{S^{2}} \qquad (S=2, 3...)$$

$$2e \neq Q_{o} = 1, \quad Q_{1} = -1; \quad Q_{2} = \frac{+2}{2^{2}} = \frac{1}{2!} \qquad Q_{3} = \frac{-5Q_{s} - Q_{1}}{3^{2}} = -\frac{1}{3!}$$

$$Q_{m} = \frac{(-1)^{m}}{m!}$$

$$Y_{1} = \chi^{o} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{k}}{|m|} \chi^{m} = e^{-\chi}$$

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