

- 6. $y_{xxxx}^{''''} + ax^n y_{xx}^{''} + b(ax^n b)y = 0$.
- 1°. Particular solutions with b > 0: $y_1 = \cos(x\sqrt{b})$, $y_2 = \sin(x\sqrt{b})$.
- $2^{\circ}. \ \ \text{Particular solutions with} \ \ b<0 \colon \ \ y_{1}=\exp\left(-x\sqrt{-b}\,\right), \ \ y_{2}=\exp\left(x\sqrt{-b}\,\right).$
- 3°. The substitution $w = y''_{xx} + by$ leads to a second-order linear equation: $w''_{xx} + (ax^n b)w = 0$.

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