

Method of Undetermined Coefficients

Part A: Homogeneous DE

```
clc, clear, close all
% Question 2
syms y(t)
Dy = diff(y,t); D2y = diff(y,t, t);

DE = 4*D2y +4*Dy + 17*y == 0;
sol = dsolve(DE, y(0)==4, Dy(0)==0)
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sol =


$$e^{-\frac{t}{2}} (4 \cos(2 t) + \sin(2 t))$$

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% Question 3

Y = matlabFunction(sol);
Dy = matlabFunction(diff(Y, t));

Y(1)
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ans = -0.4581
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Dy(1)
```

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ans = -4.6879
```

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% Questions 4-5
figure
time = 0: 0.01 : 10;

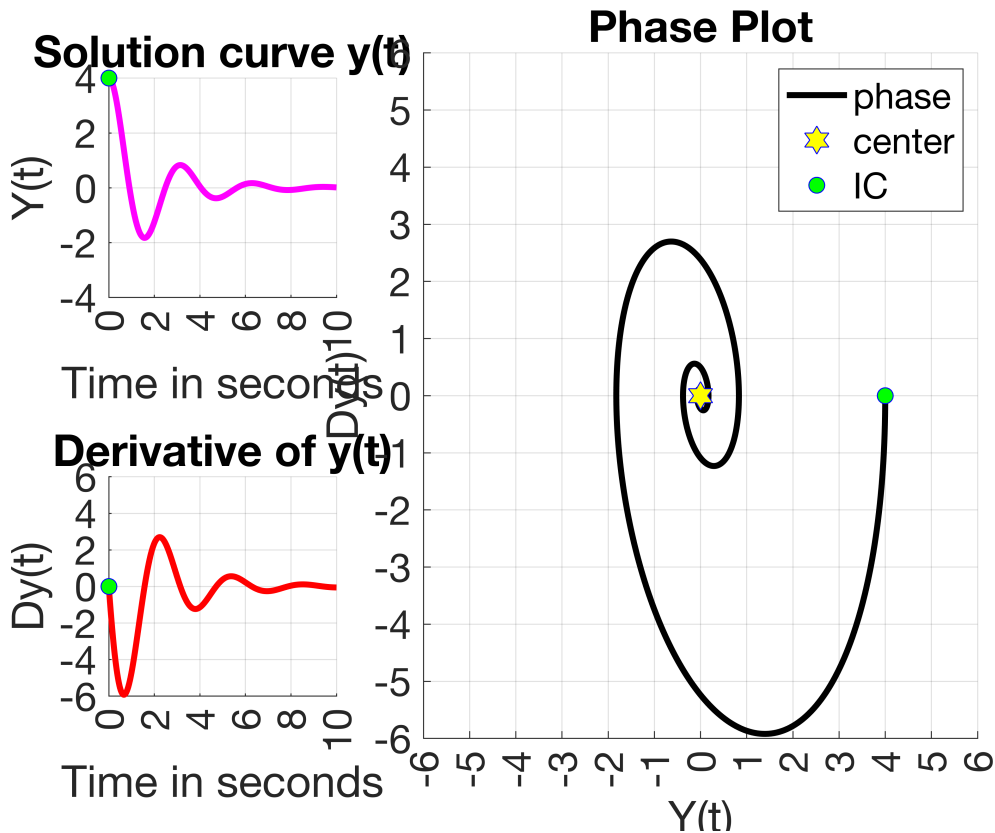
subplot(2,3,1) % tile 1
set(gca,"FontSize",20)
hold on
grid on
plot(time, Y(time), 'm', 'LineWidth',3)
plot(0,4, 'bo', 'MarkerSize',8, 'MarkerFaceColor','g')
title("Solution curve y(t)")
xlabel("Time in seconds")
ylabel("Y(t)")
axis([0, 10, -4, 4])
xticks(0:2:10)
yticks(-4:2:4)
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subplot(2, 3, 4) % tile 4
set(gca,"FontSize",20)
hold on
grid on
plot(time, Dy(time), 'r', 'LineWidth',3)
plot(0,0, 'bo', 'MarkerSize',8, 'MarkerFaceColor','g')
title("Derivative of y(t)")
xlabel("Time in seconds")
ylabel("Dy(t)")
axis([0, 10, -6, 6])
xticks(0:2:10)
yticks(-6:2:6)

subplot(2, 3, [2, 3, 5, 6]) % 2-3 and 5-6
set(gca,"FontSize",20)
hold on
grid on
phase = plot(Y(time), Dy(time), 'k', 'LineWidth',3);
center = plot(0, 0, 'bh', 'MarkerSize', 14, 'MarkerFaceColor', 'yellow'); % Center Point
ic = plot(4,0, 'bo', 'MarkerSize',8, 'MarkerFaceColor','g');
title("Phase Plot")
xlabel("Y(t)")
ylabel("Dy(t)")
axis([-6, 6, -6, 6])
xticks(-6:6)
yticks(-6:6)
legend([phase, center, ic], ["phase", "center", "IC"])

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Part B: Non-Homogeneous DE: Method of Undetermined Coefficients

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clc, clear, close all
% Questions 6-7
syms y(t)
Dy = diff(y,t); D2y = diff(y,t, t);

% a)
DE = 4*D2y + 4*Dy + 17*y == 17 + 289*t;
sol = dsolve(DE, y(0)==4, Dy(0)==0);
disp("a")
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a)

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sol = simplify(sol)
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sol =

$$17t + 7\cos(2t)e^{-\frac{t}{2}} - \frac{27\sin(2t)e^{-\frac{t}{2}}}{4} - 3$$

% b)

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DE = 4*D2y + 4*Dy + 17*y == 100*exp(-2*t);
sol = dsolve(DE, y(0)==4, Dy(0)==0);
disp("b")
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b)

```
sol = simplify(sol)
```

sol =

$$4 e^{-2t} + 4 \sin(2t) e^{-\frac{t}{2}}$$

% c)

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DE = 4*D2y + 4*Dy + 17*y == 260*cos(2*t);  
sol = dsolve(DE, y(0)==4, Dy(0)==0);  
disp("c")
```

c)

```
sol = simplify(sol)
```

sol =

$$4 \cos(2t) + 32 \sin(2t) - 32 \sin(2t) e^{-\frac{t}{2}}$$

% d)

```
DE = 4*D2y + 4*Dy + 17*y == 16*exp(-t/2)*cos(2*t) + 32*exp(-t/2)*sin(2*t);  
sol = dsolve(DE, y(0)==4, Dy(0)==0);  
disp("d")
```

d)

```
sol = simplify(sol)
```

sol =

$$e^{-\frac{t}{2}} (4 \cos(2t) + 2 \sin(2t) - 2t \cos(2t) + t \sin(2t))$$

Questions 8-10: The Method of Undetermined Coefficients from SCRATCH

```
clc, clear, close all  
% Question 8  
syms A B t C1 C2  
syms y(t) a b  
Dy = diff(y,t); D2y = diff(y,t, t);  
f = 260*cos(2*t)
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$$f = 260 \cos(2t)$$

```
DE = 4*D2y + 4*Dy + 17*y - f == 0 % non-homogeneous differential equation
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DE(t) =

$$4 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} y(t) + 4 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} y(t) - 260 \cos(2t) + 17 y(t) = 0$$

```
Y = A * cos(2*t) + B * sin(2*t) % our guess
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$$Y = A \cos(2t) + B \sin(2t)$$

```
plug_it_in = subs(DE, y, Y) % Plug our guess into the DE
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$$\text{plug_it_in}(t) = A \cos(2t) - 260 \cos(2t) + 8B \cos(2t) - 8A \sin(2t) + B \sin(2t) = 0$$

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eqn = collect(plug_it_in, [cos(2*t), sin(2*t)]) % arrange by similar terms
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$$\text{eqn}(t) = (A + 8B - 260) \cos(2t) + (B - 8A) \sin(2t) = 0$$

```
% MATLAB can find the undetermined coefficients for us
equations = coeffs( lhs(eqn), [cos(2*t), sin(2*t)] )
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$$\text{equations}(t) = (B - 8A \quad A + 8B - 260)$$

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variables = [A, B]
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$$\text{variables} = (A \quad B)$$

```
% find and display the undetermined coefficients
[A, B] = solve(equations, variables)
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$$A = 4$$
$$B = 32$$

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% Questions 9-10
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```
Yp = A * cos(2*t) + B * sin(2*t); % our guess;
```

```
% Solve for homogenous solution
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$$DE = 4 \frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} + 4 \frac{dy}{dt} + 17y == 0;$$

```
Yh = simplify(dsolve(DE));
```

```
% Get general form
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Y = simplify(Yh + Yp);
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```
Dy = diff(Y, t);
```

```
% Solve for C1 and C2 in general form
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```
Y = matlabFunction(Y);
```

```
Dy = matlabFunction(diff(Y,t));
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$$\text{eqns} = [Y(\text{sym}(C1), \text{sym}(C2), 0) == 4, Dy(\text{sym}(C1), \text{sym}(C2), 0) == 0];$$

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C = solve(eqns, C1, C2);
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```
% Sub in C1 and C2 values
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```
Y = simplify(Yh + Yp);
```

```
Y = subs(Y, C1, C.C1);
```

```
Y = subs(Y, C2, C.C2);
```

```
% Make new matlab functions for new solutions
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```
Y = matlabFunction(Y)
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```
Y = function_handle with value:
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```
@(t)cos(t.*2.0).*4.0+sin(t.*2.0).*3.2e+1-sin(t.*2.0).*exp(t.*(-1.0./2.0)).*3.2e+1
```

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Dy = matlabFunction(diff(Y,t))
```

```
Dy = function_handle with value:
```

```
@(t)cos(t.*2.0).*6.4e+1-sin(t.*2.0).*8.0-cos(t.*2.0).*exp(t.*(-1.0./2.0)).*6.4e+1+sin(t.*2.0).*exp(t.*(-1.0./2.0)).*3.2e+1
```

```
Yp = matlabFunction(Yp)
```

```
Yp = function_handle with value:
```

```
@(t)cos(t.*2.0).*4.0+sin(t.*2.0).*3.2e+1
```

```
Ypp = matlabFunction(diff(Yp, t))
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```
Ypp = function_handle with value:
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```
@(t)cos(t.*2.0).*6.4e+1-sin(t.*2.0).*8.0
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```
fig3 = figure(3);
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```
time = 0: 0.01 : 10;
```

```
subplot(2,3,1) % tile 1
```

```
set(gca,"FontSize",20)
```

```
hold on
```

```
grid on
```

```
plot(time, Y(time), 'm', 'LineWidth',3)
```

```
plot(0,4, 'bo', 'MarkerSize',8, 'MarkerFaceColor','g')
```

```
title("Solution curve y(t)")
```

```
xlabel("Time in seconds")
```

```
ylabel("y(t)")
```

```
axis([0, 10, -40, 40])
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xticks(0:2:10)
```

```
yticks(-40:20:40)
```

```
subplot(2, 3, 4) % tile 4
```

```
set(gca,"FontSize",20)
```

```
hold on
```

```
grid on
```

```
plot(time, Dy(time), 'r', 'LineWidth',3)
```

```
plot(0,0, 'bo', 'MarkerSize',8, 'MarkerFaceColor','g')
```

```
title("Derivative of y(t)")
```

```
xlabel("Time in seconds")
```

```
ylabel("Dy(t)")
```

```
axis([0, 10, -75, 75])
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```
xticks(0:2:10)
```

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yticks(-50:50:50)
```

```
subplot(2, 3, [2, 3, 5, 6]) % 2-3 and 5-6
```

```
set(gca,"FontSize",20)
```

```

hold on
grid on
phase = plot(Y(time), Dy(time), 'k', 'LineWidth',3);
ic = plot(4,0, 'bo', 'MarkerSize',8, 'MarkerFaceColor','g');
limit = plot(Yp(time), Ypp(time), 'r', 'LineWidth',3);
title("Phase Plot")
xlabel("y(t)")
ylabel("dy/dt")
axis([-40, 40, -80, 80])
xticks(-40:20:40)
yticks(-60:20:60)
legend([phase, limit, ic], ["phase", "limit cycle", "IC"])

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