

**College of Engineering Pune**  
**Ordinary Differential Equations and Multivariate Calculus**  
**Tutorial-2 (2021-2022)**

**Questions on CO1 and CO2**

1. Define Linear independence and dependence of functions.
2. Apply the given operator to the given function (show all the steps in detail).
  - a)  $8D^2 + 2D - I$ ,  $\cosh \frac{x}{2}$ ,  $\sinh \frac{x}{2}$ ,  $e^{\frac{x}{2}}$
  - b)  $(D + 5I)(D - I)$ ,  $e^{-3x} \sin x$ ,  $e^{3x}$ ,  $x^2$
  - c)  $(D - 4I)(D + 3I)$ ,  $x^3 - x^2$ ,  $\sin 4x$ ,  $e^{-3x}$
3. Check whether the following functions are linearly independent or dependent on the given interval ?
  - a)  $\sin^2 x$ ,  $\sin(x^2)$ ,  $(0 < x < \sqrt{\pi})$
  - b)  $x^2$ ,  $x|x|$ ,  $[-1, 1]$
  - c)  $0$ ,  $\tan x$ ,  $(|x| < \frac{\pi}{4})$
  - d)  $e^x \cos x$ ,  $e^x \sin x$ ,  $e^x$ ,  $(x > 0)$
4. Find Linear ODE for which the following functions are linearly independent solutions:
  - a)  $1$ ,  $e^{-2x}$
  - b)  $e^{-(s+it)x}$ ,  $e^{-(s-it)x}$
  - c)  $1$ ,  $x$ ,  $\cos 2x$ ,  $\sin 2x$
  - d)  $e^x$ ,  $xe^x$ ,  $\cos x$ ,  $\sin x$ ,  $x \cos x$ ,  $x \sin x$
  - e)  $x^2$ ,  $x^3$
  - f)  $x$ ,  $x \ln x$
5. State and prove the Fundamental theorem for the homogeneous linear ODE,  
 $y'' + P(x)y' + Q(x)y = 0$
6. Obtain the general solution of following homogeneous linear ODEs.
  - a)  $100y'' + 20y' - 99y = 0$
  - b)  $y'' - y' + 2.5y = 0$
  - c)  $9y'' + 18y' - 16y = 0$
  - d)  $y^{iv} + 5y''' + 5y'' - 5y' - 6y = 0$
  - e)  $y''' + y = 0$
  - f)  $y^{iv} - 18y'' + 18y = 0$
  - g)  $y''' - y'' - y' - y = 0$
  - h)  $y^{iv} + 3y'' - 4y = 0$
  - i)  $x^2y'' + 3xy' + y = 0$
  - j)  $x^2y'' - xy' + 2y = 0$

7. Solve the following homogeneous linear ODEs:

a)  $(D + 2I)^2 y = 0$

b)  $(D^4 + k^4)y = 0$

c)  $(D^3 - 3D^2 + 9D - 27I)y = 0$

d)  $(D - I)^2(D^2 + I)y = 0$

e)  $(D^4 + 8D^2 + 16I)y = 0$

f)  $\left(\frac{d}{dx} + \frac{1}{x}\right)^2 y = 0$

g)  $(10x^2D^2 - 20xD + 22.4 I)y = 0$

h)  $x^2D^2 + 5xD + 3I)y = 0$

8. Solve the following IVP:

a)  $y'' + \pi y' = 0, \quad y(0) = 3, \quad y'(0) = -\pi$

b)  $y'' + 18y' + 5.6y = 0, \quad y(0) = 4, \quad y'(0) = -3.8$

c)  $y'' - 2y' - 24y = 0, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = -24$

d)  $y''' + 3.2y'' + 4.81y' = 0, \quad y(0) = 3.4, \quad y'(0) = -4.6, \quad y''(0) = 9.91$

e)  $y^{iv} - 9y'' - 400y = 0, \quad y(0) = 3.4, \quad y'(0) = 0, \quad y''(0) = 2.5, \quad y'''(0) = 3.5$

9. If the roots of the auxiliary equation of  $2^{nd}$  order homogeneous linear ODE  $y'' + by' + cy = 0$  are real and equal then find the first solution, and the second solution using the method of reduction of order, and hence write the basis.

### Questions on CO3 and CO4

10. Using the method of undetermined coefficients, obtain a real general solution of following non-homogeneous differential equations:

a)  $y'' - y' - 2y = 3e^x$

b)  $3y'' + 10y' + 3y = 9x + 5 \cos x$

c)  $y'' + 6y' + 9y = 50e^{-x} \cos x$

d)  $y'' + 2y' + 10y = 25x^2 + 3$

e)  $y'' + 4y' + 4y = 18 \cosh x$

f)  $y'' + y' = 2 + 2x + x^2$

g)  $y'' + y' - 6y = 6x^3 - 3x^2 + 12x$

h)  $y'' + 10y' + 25y = 100 \sinh x$

i)  $y'' - 2y' = 12e^{2x} - 8e^{-2x}$

j)  $y'' - 9y' = x^3 + e^{2x} - \sin 3x$

k)  $y''' + y' = 3x^2 + 4 \sin x - 2 \cos x$

11. Using the method of variation of parameters, obtain a real general solution of following non-homogeneous differential equations:

a)  $y'' - 4y' + 4y = \frac{e^{2x}}{x}$

b)  $y'' + 9y = \sec 3x$

c)  $y'' - 4y' + 5y = e^{2x} \operatorname{cosec} x$

d)  $(D^2 + 6D + 9)y = \frac{16e^{-3x}}{x^2 + 1}$

e)  $y'' + 4y' + 4y = \frac{e^{-2x}}{x^2}$

f)  $(x^2 D^2 - 2xD + 2)y = x^3 \cos x$

g)  $y'' - y' = (3 + x)x^2 e^x$

h)  $x^2 y'' - xy' + y = x \ln x$

i)  $(D^2 + I)y = \cot x$

j)  $(D^3 + D)y = \operatorname{cosec} x$

12. For the following non-homogeneous equation, a solution  $y_1$  of the corresponding homogeneous equation is given. Find a second solution  $y_2$  of the corresponding homogeneous equation and the general solution of the non-homogeneous equation using the method of variation of parameters.

$$(1 + x^2)y'' - 2xy' + 2y = x^3 + x, \quad y_1(x) = x$$

13. Solve the differential equations / IVP:

a)  $(D^4 + 4D^3 + 8D^2 + 8D + 4)y = 0$

b)  $(D^4 + 10D^2 + 9)y = 0, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 0, \quad y''(0) = 32, \quad y'''(0) = 0$

c)  $(D^5 - 3D^4 + 3D^3 - D^2)y = 0$

d)  $y''' - y' = 2x^2 e^x$

e)  $4x^3 y''' + 3xy' - 3y = 4x^{11/2}$

f)  $(D^3 + 3D^2 + 3D + 1)y = e^{-x} \sin x, \quad y(0) = 2, \quad y'(0) = 0, \quad y''(0) = -1$

g)  $(x^3 D^3 - 3x^2 D^2 + 6xD - 6)y = 12/x, \quad y(1) = 5, \quad y'(1) = 13, \quad y''(1) = 10$

### Questions on CO4 and CO5

14. A capacitor  $C = 0.2 \text{ farad}$  in series with a resistor  $R = 20 \text{ ohms}$  is charged from a source  $E_0 = 24 \text{ volts}$ . Find the voltage  $v(t)$  on the capacitor, assuming that at  $t = 0$  the capacitor is completely uncharged.
15. Consider the  $RC$  circuit equation  $R \frac{dQ}{dt} + \frac{Q}{C} = E(t)$ . Determine the charge and current at time  $t > 0$  if  $R = 10 \text{ ohms}$ ,  $C = 2 \times 10^{-4} \text{ farads}$ , and  $E(t) = 100 \text{ volts}$ . Given that  $Q(t = 0) = 0$ .
16. The charge  $Q$  on the plate of a condenser of capacity  $C$  charged through a resistance  $R$  by a steady voltage  $V$  satisfies the differential equation  $R \frac{dQ}{dt} + \frac{Q}{C} = V$ . If  $Q = 0$  at  $t = 0$ , show that  $Q = CV \left( 1 - e^{-\frac{t}{RC}} \right)$ . Find the current flowing into the plate at any time  $t$ .  
(Ans:  $i(t) = \frac{V}{R} e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}$ )
17. A decaying e.m.f.  $E = 200 e^{-5t}$  is connected in series with a  $20 \text{ ohm}$  resistor and  $0.01 \text{ farad}$  capacitor. Find the charge and current at any time assuming  $Q = 0$  at  $t = 0$ . Show that the charge reaches a maximum, calculate it and find the time when it is reached.  
(Ans:  $t = \frac{1}{5}$ , Max. of  $Q = 0.74$ )
18. In a circuit containing inductance  $L$ , resistance  $R$  and voltage  $E$ , the current  $I$  is given by  $E = RI + L \frac{dI}{dt}$ . Given  $L = 640 \text{ H}$ ,  $R = 250 \text{ ohm}$  and  $E = 500 \text{ volts}$ .  $I$  being zero when  $t = 0$ . Find the time that elapses, before it reaches 90 % of its maximum value.  
(Ans:  $\frac{64}{25} \ln 10$ )
19. Show that the current in  $RL$  circuit when a constant e.m.f.  $E_0$  is applied reaches 63 % of its final value in  $\frac{L}{R}$  seconds. Further if  $L = 10 \text{ henries}$ , determine the value of  $R$  so that the current will reach 99 % of its final value at  $t = 1 \text{ seconds}$ ? (Ans:  $R = 46.06$ )
20. Find the current  $I(t)$  in the  $RC$  circuit with  $E = 100 \text{ volts}$ ,  $C = 0.25 \text{ farads}$ ,  $R$  is variable according to

$$\begin{aligned} R &= (200 - t) \text{ ohms}, & 0 \leq t \leq 200 \text{ sec} \\ &= 0 & t > 200 \text{ sec} \end{aligned}$$

and  $I(0) = 1 \text{ amp}$ .

(Ans:  $I = (200)^{-3}(200 - t)^3$  and 0)

21. Find the time when the capacitor in an  $RC$  circuit with no external e.m.f. has lost 99 % of its initial charge of  $Q_0 \text{ Coulomb}$ .  
(Ans:  $t = 4.605 RC$ )
22. Find the steady state solution for  $Q(t)$  in an  $RC$  circuit when  $R = 50 \text{ ohm}$ ,  $C = 0.04 \text{ farad}$ , and  $E(t) = 100 \cos 2t + 25 \sin 2t + 200 \cos 4t + 25 \sin 4t$ .
23. Find the frequency of vibration of a ball of mass  $m = 3 \text{ kgs}$  on a spring of modules  
(i)  $k_1 = 27 \text{ nt/m}$ , (ii)  $k_2 = 75 \text{ nt/m}$ , (iii) on those springs in parallel, (iv) in series, i.e the ball hangs on one spring, which in turn hangs on another spring.

24. What is the frequency of a harmonic oscillation if the static equilibrium position of the ball is 10 *cm* lower than the lower end of the spring before the ball attached?
25. Consider the under-damped motion of a body of mass  $m = 2 \text{ kg}$ . If the time between two consecutive maxima is 2 *sec* and the maximum amplitude decreases to  $1/4$  of its initial value after 15 *cycles*, what is the damping constant of the system?
26. Find the overdamped motion that starts from  $y_0$  with initial velocity  $v_0$ .

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