

① Example 1

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + \alpha^2 y = 0$$

B.C. $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{dy}{dx} + \beta \cdot y \Big|_{x=0} = 0 \\ y(x=1) = 0 \end{array} \right.$

Define $x^* = 1 - x$.

$$\therefore \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dx^*} \cdot \frac{dx^*}{dx} = - \frac{dy}{dx^*}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} = \frac{d}{dx} \left(- \frac{dy}{dx^*} \right)$$

$$= \frac{d}{dx^*} \left(- \frac{dy}{dx^*} \right) \cdot \frac{dx^*}{dx}$$

$$= - \frac{d^2 y}{dx^{*2}} \cdot (-1)$$

$$= \frac{d^2 y}{dx^{*2}}$$

④ Special ODEs for cylindrical co-ord system.

$$x^2 \cdot y'' + x \cdot y' + x^2 \cdot y = 0$$

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Bessel Equation of order 0.

Solution : $y(x) = c_1 \cdot J_0(x) + c_2 \cdot Y_0(x)$

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Bessel func. of 1st kind of order 0 Bessel func. of 2nd kind of order 0

$$x^2 \cdot y'' + x \cdot y' + (x^2 - \alpha^2) \cdot y = 0$$

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$\alpha \in \mathbb{Z}$.

Solution : $y(x) = c_1 \cdot J_\alpha(x) + c_2 \cdot Y_\alpha(x)$

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Bessel func. of 1st kind of order α Bessel func. of 2nd kind of order α

(see photos)

$$(8) \quad \langle Lu, v \rangle = J(u, v) + \langle L^*v, u \rangle$$

if $L = L^* \Rightarrow$ self adjoint.

(9) Example 2

$$\frac{d^2 u}{dx^2} + \lambda \cdot u = 0$$

$$\text{B.C.} \begin{cases} u(x=0) = 0 \\ u(x=1) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$Lu + \lambda u = 0$$