

ASSIGNMENT - III

Q1) $x^2 y'' + 6xy' + (6+x^2)y = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$

$x=0$ is a regular singular point.
 \therefore assumption for the solution:

$$y = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (x-x_0)^{n+r} \quad , \quad a_0 \neq 0$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r} = x^r [a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + \dots + a_n x^{n+r}]$$

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

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

on substituting y'', y' and y in (1)

$$\Rightarrow x^2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+r)(n+r-1) a_n x^{n+r-2} + 6x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+r) a_n x^{n+r-1}$$

$$+ (x^2 + 6) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+r)(n+r-1) a_n x^{n+r} + 6 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+r) a_n x^{n+r} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r+2}$$

$$= -6 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r}$$

now comparing coefficients of various powers of x

i) $x^r: a_0 r(r-1) + 6a_0(r) + 6a_0 = 0$

$$a_0 (r^2 + 5r + 6) = 0 \Rightarrow r^2 + 5r + 6 = 0$$

$$r = -3, -2$$

ii) $x^{r+1}: a_1 r(r+1) + 6a_1(r+1) + 6a_1 = 0$

$$a_1 (r^2 + 7r + 12) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 = 0 \quad (\because r^2 + 7r + 12 \neq 0)$$

$$\text{iii) } x^{n+3} : a_{n+2} (n+3)(n+4) + 6a_{n+2} (n+3) + 6a_{n+2} + a_n$$

$$\Rightarrow a_{n+2} = \frac{-a_n}{(n+3)(n+4) + 6}$$

for $n = -2$

$$a_{n+2} = \frac{-a_n}{n(n+5)+6}$$

$$a_2 = \frac{-a_0}{6}, \quad a_3 = \frac{-a_1}{12} = 0$$

$$a_4 = \frac{-a_2}{20} = \frac{a_0}{120}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y_1(x) &= a_0 x^{-2} + a_1 x^{-1} + a_2 x^0 \\ &\quad + a_3 x^1 + a_4 x^2 + \dots \\ &= \frac{a_0}{x^2} - \frac{a_0}{6} + \frac{a_0}{120} x^2 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

for $n = -3$

$$a_{n+2} = \frac{-a_n}{(n-1)(n+4)+6}$$

$$a_2 = -a_0/2; \quad a_3 = 0$$

$$a_4 = \frac{-a_2}{30} = \frac{a_0}{60}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y_2(x) &= x^{-3}(a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + \dots) \\ &= x^{-3}\left(a_0 - \frac{a_0}{2} x^2 + \frac{a_0}{60} x^4 + \dots\right) \end{aligned}$$

02) Given differential equation : $y'' - y' = 0$

and $y(0) = 2$ and $y'(0) = 0$

$$\text{let } y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n$$

$$\therefore y'(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n x^{n-1} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1) a_{n+1} x^n$$

$$y''(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+2)(n+1) a_{n+2} x^n$$

substituting in given differential eq, we get.

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1)(n+2) a_{n+2} x^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1) a_{n+1} x^n$$

Comparing the coefficients.

$$(n+1)(n+2) a_{n+2} = (n+1) a_{n+1}$$

$$\therefore 2a_2 = a_1 \quad , \quad 6a_3 = 2a_2 \quad , \quad 12a_4 = 3a_3$$

$$a_2 = \frac{a_1}{2} \quad a_3 = \frac{a_1}{6} ; \quad a_4 = \frac{a_1}{24}$$

\therefore solution upto 4th degree is.

$$\begin{aligned} y(x) &= a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + a_3 x^3 + a_4 x^4 \\ &= a_0 + a_1 x + \frac{a_1}{2} x^2 + \frac{a_1}{3!} x^3 + \frac{a_1}{4!} x^4 \end{aligned}$$

$$y(0) = 2 \quad , \quad \therefore a_0 = 2$$

$$y'(0) = 0 \quad ; \quad a_1 = 0$$

$$\therefore y(x) = 2$$

$$Q3) \quad x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 4x \frac{dy}{dx} - 3y = 0$$

$$x^2 y'' + 4xy' - 3y = 0$$

$$\text{let } y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+\alpha}$$

$$y'(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (n+\alpha) x^{n+\alpha-1}$$

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

substituting in original DE

$$\Rightarrow x^2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+\alpha)(n+\alpha-1) a_n x^{n+\alpha-2} + 4x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+\alpha) a_n x^{n+\alpha-1} - 3 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+\alpha} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+\alpha)(n+\alpha-1) a_n x^{n+\alpha} + 4 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+\alpha) a_n x^{n+\alpha} - 3 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+\alpha} = 0$$

Comparing coefficients on both sides:

$$\text{i) } x^{\alpha} : \alpha(\alpha-1)a_0 + 4\alpha a_0 - 3a_0 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow \alpha(\alpha-1) + 4\alpha - 3 = 0$$

$$\alpha = \frac{-3 \pm \sqrt{21}}{2} ; \quad \alpha_1 = \frac{-3 + \sqrt{21}}{2} ; \quad \alpha_2 = \frac{-3 - \sqrt{21}}{2}$$

$$\text{ii) } x^{\alpha+1} : (\alpha+1)\alpha a_1 + 4(\alpha+1)a_1 - 3a_1 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow (\alpha^2 + 5\alpha + 4)a_1 = 0 \Rightarrow a_1 = 0$$

$$\text{iii) } x^{n+\alpha} : (n+\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)a_n + 4(n+\alpha)a_n - 3a_n = 0 \\ (n+\alpha)a_n (n+\alpha-1+4) - 3a_n = 0 \\ a_n [(n+\alpha)(n+\alpha+3) - 3] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow a_n [n^2 + 2\alpha n + 3n + n\alpha + \alpha^2 + 3\alpha - 3] = 0 \\ \Rightarrow a_n (n^2 + 2n\alpha + 3n) = 0$$

$$\text{as, } n^2 + 2\alpha n + 3n \neq 0$$

$$\therefore a_n = 0 \\ \Rightarrow a_1 = a_2 = a_3 = \dots = a_n = 0.$$

$\therefore y = a_0$ solution.

$$04) \quad 2(1-x)y'' - xy' + y = 0 \quad \text{---} \textcircled{1}$$

as $x=1$ is regular singular point.

\therefore By Frobenius method:

$$y = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (x-1)^{n+r} = (x-1)^r [a_0 + a_1(x-1) + a_2(x-1)^2 + \dots]$$

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

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

on substituting in eq. ①

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

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

Comparing coefficients.

$$i) \quad (x-1)^{n-2}: \quad 2r(r-1) a_0 = 0 \quad \text{---} \textcircled{2}$$

$$r=0, 1$$

$$ii) \quad (x-1)^{r-1} \Rightarrow 2r(r+1) a_1 - 2r(r-1) a_0 = 0$$

$$\text{from } \textcircled{2} \quad 2r(r+1) a_1 = 0 \Rightarrow a_1 = 0$$

$$iii) \quad x^{n+r}: \quad 2(n+r+2)(n+r+1) a_{n+2} - 2(n+r+1)(n+r) a_{n+1} - (n+r-1) a_n = 0 \\ \rightarrow n=0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2(r+2)(r+1) a_2 - 2(r+1)r a_1 - (r-1) a_0 = 0$$

$$a_2 = \frac{(x-1)}{2(x+1)(x+2)} a_0$$

$$n=1 \Rightarrow 2(x+3)(x+2)a_3 - 2(x+2)(x+1)a_2 - x a_1 = 0$$

$$a_3 = \frac{(x+1)(x+2)}{(x+2)(x+3)} a_2 = \frac{(x-1)}{2(x+2)(x+3)} a_0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = (x-1)^x \left[a_0 + 0 + \frac{(x-1)}{2(x+1)(x+2)} a_0 (x-1)^2 + \frac{(x-1)a_0}{2(x+2)(x+3)} (x-1)^3 + \dots \right]$$

for $x=0$,

$$y_1 = \left[a_0 + \frac{(-1)a_0(x-1)^2}{2} - \frac{a_0(x-1)^3}{2 \times 3!} + \dots \right]$$

for $x=1$;

$$y_2 = [a_0 + 0 + 0 \dots]$$

$$\boxed{y_2 = a_0}$$

$$(Q5) \quad x(x-2)y'' + xy' + 3y = 0$$

$x=2$ is a regular singular point assumption of

101: by frobenius method

$$y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (x-2)^{n+\alpha}$$

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

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

$$\Rightarrow x(x-2) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+\alpha)(n+\alpha-1)a_n(x-2)^{n+\alpha-2} + 4x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+\alpha)a_n(x-2)^{n+\alpha-1} + 3 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n(x-2)^{n+\alpha}$$

\Rightarrow comparing coefficients of powers of x :

i) $x^{x-1}: -2\alpha(\alpha-1)a_0 = 0 \Rightarrow \alpha=0, 1; a_0 \neq 0$

ii) $x^x : R(x-1)a_0 - 2R(x+1)a_1 + 4Rx a_0 + 3a_0 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow a_1 = \frac{(4R+3)}{2(R+1)R} a_0$

iii) $x^{n+R} :$
 $(n+R)(n+R-1)a_n - 2(n+R)(n+R+1)a_{n+1} + 4(n+R)a_n + 3a_n = 0$
 $a_{n+1} = \frac{(n+R)(n+R-1) + 4(n+R)+3}{2(n+R)(n+R+1)} a_n$
 $\Rightarrow a_2 = \frac{R(R+1) + 4(R+1) + 3}{2(R+1)(R+2)} a_1 = \frac{(4R+3)(R+4)}{4R(R+1)(R+2)} a_0$

for $R=0$:

$$a_2 = \frac{3}{4} a_1$$

for $R=1$

$$a_1 = \frac{7}{4} a_0$$

$$a_2 = \frac{35}{24} a_0$$

$$y_1 = (x-2)^0 [a_0 + a_1(x-2) + \frac{3}{4} a_1 (x-2)^2 + \dots]$$

$$y_2 = (x-2) \left[a_0 + \frac{7}{4} a_0 (x-2) + \frac{35}{24} a_0 (x-2)^2 + \dots \right]$$

Q6) $x^2 y'' + xy' + (x^2 - 1)y = 0$

using for be mius.

$$y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+R}$$

$$y'(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+R) a_n x^{n+R-1}$$

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

substituting these in given DE.

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

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+2+4} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+2)^2 a_n x^{n+3} - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+4} = 0$$

Comparing coefficients of power of x on both sides:

i) $x^4: n^2 - a_0 = 0 \Rightarrow n = \pm 1$

ii) $x^{n+1}: (n+1)^2 a_1 - a_1 = 0 \Rightarrow a_1 = 0$

iii) $x^{n+3+2}: a_n + (n+3+2)^2 a_{n+2} - a_{n+2} = 0$

$$a_{n+2} = \frac{a_n}{1 - (n+3+2)^2} \Rightarrow a_2 = \frac{a_0}{1 - (3+2)^2}$$

for $n=1$

$$a_3 = \frac{a_0}{8} \quad a_4 = \frac{a_2}{1 - (3+4)^2} = \frac{a_2}{-24}$$

$$y_1 = x \left[a_0 - \frac{a_0}{8} x^2 + \frac{a_0 x^4}{4 \times 8} + \dots \right]$$

for $n=-1$

$$a_n = a_{n+2}$$

$$\therefore a_0 = a_2 = a_4 = \dots$$

$$a_1 = a_3 = \dots = 0$$

$$\therefore y_2 = a_0 + a_2 x^2 + a_4 x^4 + \dots$$

$$y_2 = a_0 + 0 x^2 + 0 x^4 + \dots$$

Q8) If n and m are non-negative integers, then

$$\int_{-1}^1 P_m(x) P_n(x) dx = \begin{cases} 0, & m \neq n \\ \frac{2}{2n+1}, & m = n. \end{cases}$$

This integral relationship is called orthogonality of Legendre's polynomial on $[-1, 1]$

proof: let $P_m(x)$ and $P_n(x)$ be solution of following differential equations respectively:

$$(1-x^2) u'' - 2x u' + m(m+1) u = 0 \quad \text{---(1)}$$

$$(1-x^2) v'' - 2x v' + n(n+1) v = 0 \quad \text{---(2)}$$

multiply (1) by v and (2) by u and then subtract (1) from (2) we get.

$$\rightarrow (1-x^2) [u''v - uv''] - 2x(u'v - uv') + [m(m+1) - n(n+1)]uv = 0$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [(1-x^2)(u'v - uv')] = [n(n+1) - m(m+1)]uv$$

$$\text{as } u = P_m(x) \text{ and } v = P_n(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-1}^1 P_n(x) P_m(x) dx = \frac{1}{n(n+1) - m(m+1)} [(1-x^2)(P_m'(x)P_n(x) - P_m(x)P_n'(x))]$$

$$\text{If } m \neq n \text{ then } \int_{-1}^1 P_m(x) P_n(x) dx = 0$$

$$\text{for } m = n,$$

$$\int_{-1}^1 P_n^2(x) dx = \frac{1}{(2^n n!)^2} \int_{-1}^1 D^n (x^2 - 1)^n \cdot D^n (x^2 - 1)^n dx$$

(from Rodrigue formulae)

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{(2^n n!)^2} \left[\left| D^{n+1}(x^2-1)^n D^n(x^2-1)^n \right|_{-1}^1 - \int_{-1}^1 D^{n+1}(x^2-1)^n D^{n+1}(x^2-1)^n dx \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{(2^n n!)^2} (-1)^n \int_{-1}^1 D^n(x^2-1)^n D^{2n}(x^2-1)^n dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{(2^n n!)^2} (-1)^n (2n)! \int_{-1}^1 (x^2-1)^n dx \\
 &= \frac{2}{(2n+1)}
 \end{aligned}$$

Q9) $\int_0^1 x J_n(\alpha x) J_n(\beta x) dx = \begin{cases} 0 & ; \text{ if } \alpha \neq \beta \\ \frac{1}{2} [J_{n+1}(\alpha)]^2 & ; \text{ if } \alpha = \beta \end{cases}$

let $J_n(\alpha x)$ and $J_n(\beta x)$ be solutions of below diff:
equation respectively:

$$J_n(\alpha x) : x^2 u'' + x u' + (\alpha^2 x^2 - n^2) u = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$J_n(\beta x) : x^2 v'' + x v' + (\beta^2 x^2 - n^2) v = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$(1) \times v - (2) \times u$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 (u''v - v''u) + (\alpha'v - \beta'u) + (\alpha^2 - \beta^2)x^2uv = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} [x(u'v - uv')] = (\beta^2 - \alpha^2)xuv \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$u \rightarrow J_n(\alpha x)$$

$$v \rightarrow J_n(\beta x)$$

$$u' \rightarrow \alpha J_n'(x)$$

$$v' \rightarrow \beta J_n'(\beta x)$$

\therefore eq (3) becomes

$$x J_n(\alpha x) J_n(\beta x) = \frac{1}{\beta^2 - \alpha^2} \frac{d}{dx} [x(\alpha J_n'(x) J_n(\beta x) - J_n(x) \beta J_n'(\beta x))]$$

integrating both sides:

$$\int_0^1 x J_n(\alpha x) J_n(\beta x) dx = \frac{1}{(\beta^2 - \alpha^2)} \left[x (\alpha' J_n(\alpha x) J_n(\beta x) - J_n(\alpha x) \beta' J_n(\beta x)) \right]_0^1 \\ = \frac{1}{(\beta^2 - \alpha^2)} \left[\alpha' J_n(\alpha) J_n(\beta) - J_n(\alpha) \beta' J_n(\beta) \right]$$

if $\alpha \neq \beta$

$$\int_0^1 x J_n(\alpha x) J_n(\beta x) dx = \frac{1}{(\beta^2 - \alpha^2)} \left[\alpha' J_n(\alpha) J_n(\beta) - J_n(\alpha) \beta' J_n(\beta) \right] = 0$$

if $\alpha = \beta$

$$\int_0^1 x J_n(\alpha x) J_n(\beta x) dx = \frac{1}{(\beta^2 - \alpha^2)} \left(\alpha' J_n(\alpha) J_n(\beta) - J_n(\alpha) \beta' J_n(\beta) \right) \\ = 0$$

if $\alpha = \beta$

$$\int_0^1 x J_n(\alpha x) J_n(\beta x) dx = \frac{1}{(\beta^2 - \alpha^2)} \left(\alpha' J_n(\alpha) J_n(\beta) - J_n(\alpha) \beta' J_n(\beta) \right) \\ = \frac{1}{2} \left[J_{n+1}(\alpha) \right]^2 \\ (\because \frac{d}{dx} J_n(\alpha) = J_{n+1}(\alpha))$$

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$$(11) \quad \text{let } v = (x^2 - 1)^n$$

$$\Rightarrow v_1 = n (x^2 - 1)^{n-1} 2x \\ = 2nx (x^2 - 1)^{n-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (x^2 - 1) v_1 = 2nx (x^2 - 1)^n = 2nxv \\ (1-x^2)v_1 + 2nxv = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Differentiate (1) (n+1) times w.r.t. x.

$$(1-x^2) V_{n+2} - 2x V_{n+1} + n(n+1) V_n = 0$$

let $V_n = y$

$$(1-x^2)y'' - 2xy' + n(n+1)y = 0$$

$$\therefore y = c P_n(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow P_n(x) = \frac{1}{c} y = \frac{1}{c} D^n (x^2 - 1)^n$$

$$P_n(x) = \frac{1}{c} [D^n (x-1)^n (x+1)^n]$$

$$\text{also. } P_n(1) = 1$$

$$1 = \frac{1}{c} D^n (x-1)^n (x+1)^n$$

$$c = [D^n (x-1)^n (x+1)^n]_{x=1}$$

$$= [(D^n (x-1)^n) (x+1)^n]_{x=1}$$

$$= n! 2^n$$

$$\Rightarrow P_n(x) = \frac{1}{n! 2^n} D^n (x^2 - 1)^n$$

$$P_{10}(x) = \frac{1}{10! 2^{10}} D^{10} (x^2 - 1)^{10}$$

$$= \frac{1}{10! 2^{10}} \left[{}^{10}C_0 (x^2)^{10} (-1)^0 + {}^{10}C_1 (x^2)^9 (-1)^1 - \dots \right]$$

$$\dots {}^{10}C_9 (x^2)^1 (-1)^9 + {}^{10}C_{10} (-1)^{10} \right]$$

Classroom Question:

Prove: $\frac{(-1)^n (2n)!}{2^{2n} (n!)^2} \int_{-1}^1 (x^2 - 1)^n dx = \frac{2}{(2n+1)}$

• put $x = \sin \theta$
 $dx = \cos \theta d\theta$

$$\rightarrow \frac{(-1)^n (2n)!}{2^{2n} (n!)^2} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \cos^{2n+1} \theta d\theta$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{(-1)^n (2n)!}{2^{2n} (n!)^2} 2 \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos^{2n+1} \theta d\theta$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{(2n)!}{2^{2n} (n!)^2} 2 \left[\frac{(2n)(2n-2)(2n-4)\dots 2}{(2n+1)(2n-1)(2n-3)\dots 1} \right]$$

using reduction formulae.

$$\rightarrow \frac{(2n-1)(2n-3)\dots 1}{2^n n!} \times 2 \left[\frac{(2n)(2n-2)(2n-4)\dots 2}{(2n+1)(2n-1)(2n-3)\dots 1} \right]$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{2 \times 2^n n!}{(2n+1) 2^n n!} = \left(\frac{2}{2n+1} \right)$$

Hence proved.