

01: INTRODUCTION TO DIFFERENTIAL EQUATION.

⇒ Ordinary & partial diff. eq =

A D.eq involving a single independent variable & hence only ordinary deriv → Ordinary D.eq (ODE)

eg → ① $(y^2 + x) \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + 2y \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = 7$.
dependent → x → independent
 independent → y

② $y'' + (8x+3)y' + e^y \sin x = 0$

③ $y \left(\frac{dy}{dt} \right)^2 + 2t \frac{dy}{dt} - y = 0$

* A D.eq involving more than 1 independent variable, & hence partial deriv → partial diff. eq (PDE)

eg → ① $t^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} - x \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right)^2 - \sin t \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = 0$
u → dependent
 t, x → independent

② $U_{xx} + U_{yy} + U_{zz} = 0$ → $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = U_{xx}$
u → dependent
 x, y, z → independent

* Remark

1) Leibniz notation = $\frac{dy}{dx}, \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}, \frac{d^3 y}{dx^3}$

2) Prime notation = $y', y'', y''', y^{(4)}, \dots$
(4) → 4th deriv
 (5) → 5th deriv

★ ⇒ order & degree of D.eq =

* The order of a D.eq is the order of highest deriv. occurring in the eq.

* The degree of a D.eq is the degree of the highest deriv. which occurs in it.

eg for order $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + 2y \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = 1$ 1st deriv

here order = 2.
degree = 3 $\rightarrow \left(\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} \right)$ (3 times only)

③ $(y'')^3 + 5xy' - 5xy = 8$

$O = 2$
 $D = 3$

③ $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = 0$

$O = 2$
 $D = 1$

⑤ $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \left(\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} \right)^2 = 0$

$O = 2$
 $D = 2$

+ Remark

We can express n^{th} order ODE in independent variable by the general form,

$F(x, y, y', y'', \dots, y^{(n)}) = 0$

$F \rightarrow$ real valued $()$ with $n+2$ variables.
 $\underbrace{(x, y, y', y'', \dots, y^{(n)})}_{n+2} = n+2$

* True D.Eq $\frac{d^ny}{dx^n} = f(x, y, y', \dots, y^{(n-1)})$

$f \rightarrow$ real valued function $()$ of $n+1$ variables, $x, y, y', \dots, y^{(n-1)}$ is referred to as normal form of eq. ①

\Rightarrow Linear & Non-linear D.Eq =

$x^2 + 3 = 1 \rightarrow$ linear D.F.
 $y'' + 3y + x = 0 \rightarrow$ L.D.F.
 $(3y'')^3 + 3y' = 0 \rightarrow$ non-L.

* The ~~code~~ of order n $F(x, y, y', \dots, y^{(n)}) = 0$ is said to be linear if F is linear in variables $y, y', y'', \dots, y^{(n)}$.

* Any linear ODE of degree n can be written as,

$a_n(x)y^{(n)} + a_{n-1}(x)y^{(n-1)} + \dots + a_1(x)y' + a_0(x)y = \phi(x)$

$a_n(x), a_{n-1}(x), \dots, a_1(x), a_0(x) \in \phi(x)$ are (2) of independent variable x .

* 2 imp. special cases are linear 1st order {

1st $\leftarrow a_1(x) \frac{dy}{dx} + a_0(x)y = \phi(x)$ ②

2nd $\leftarrow a_2(x) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + a_1(x) \frac{dy}{dx} + a_0(x)y = \phi(x)$ ③

* eg of linear D.Eq \rightarrow

1) $\frac{dy}{dx} + 5 \frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = 0$, by ②

2) $\frac{d^4y}{dt^4} + t^2 \frac{d^3y}{dt^3} + 5t^3 \frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 68 \ln t y = e^x + t^t$

* eg for non-linear D.Eq \rightarrow

1) $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + 5 \frac{dy}{dx} + 6 \frac{y^2}{y - \sin x} = 0$

2) $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 5 \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 + 6y = 0$. [in general eq. no whole square]

3) $\frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + 5y \frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = 0$

⇒ Solution of a D.E. =

Any ϕ defined on an interval 'I' is decreasing at least on some subinterval of I, which when substituted into an n^{th} order ODE produces the eq. to an identity, it is said to be a soln of the eq.

Q.5.7 the ϕ is defined by $\phi(t) = 2 \sin t + 3 \cos t$ is a soln of the follow. D.E. for all real t. by, $y'' + y = 0$.

Ans) Given $\phi(t) = 2 \sin t + 3 \cos t$

$y = \phi(t) = 2 \sin t + 3 \cos t$
 $y' = \phi'(t) = 2 \cos t - 3 \sin t$
 $y'' = \phi''(t) = -2 \sin t - 3 \cos t$

$y'' + y = -2 \sin t - 3 \cos t + 2 \sin t + 3 \cos t = 0$

hence $\phi(t)$ is a soln of given D.E.

$$\begin{aligned} x-2 &= 0 \\ x &= 0-2 \\ x &= -2 \end{aligned}$$

Q. Verify that the $y = x e^x$ is a soln of the D.E. by $y'' - 2y' + y = 0$

A) $y = x e^x$

$y' = x \cdot e^x + e^x = x e^x + e^x$

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

$y'' - 2y' + y = x e^x + 2 e^x - 2(x e^x + e^x) + x e^x = x e^x + 2 e^x - 2 x e^x - 2 e^x + x e^x = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} &= x e^x - 2 x e^x + x e^x \\ &= 2 x e^x - 2 x e^x = 0 \end{aligned}$$

hence y is the soln of given D.E.

Remark

* A soln of a D.E. that is identically 0 on an interval 'I' is said to be a trivial soln

Q.3) Determine the value of x for which the D.E. $y''' - 3y'' + 2y' = 0$ has the soln of the form $y = e^{rx}$?

A) Since y satisfies the given D.E.

$y = e^{rx}$
 $y' = r e^{rx}$
 $y'' = r^2 e^{rx}$
 $y''' = r^3 e^{rx}$

$y''' - 3y'' + 2y' = r^3 e^{rx} - 3(r^2 e^{rx}) + 2(r e^{rx}) = 0$
 $= r^3 e^{rx} - 3 r^2 e^{rx} + 2 r e^{rx} = 0$
 $= r^2 [r^3 - 3r^2 + 2r] = 0$

① $r^2 = 0$ or $r = 0$ (trivial soln)
 ② $r^3 - 3r^2 + 2r = 0$
 $r(r^2 - 3r + 2) = 0$
 $r = 0$ or $r^2 - 3r + 2 = 0$
 $r^2 - 3r + 2 = 0$
 $r = 1, 2$

$\Rightarrow r^3 - 3r^2 + 2r = 0$
 $\Rightarrow r[r^2 - 3r + 2] = 0$
 $\Rightarrow r(r-2)(r-1) = 0$

$r = 0$ or $r = 2$ or $r = 1$
 \therefore values of r are 0, 1, 2