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Math 335

Practice Exam 2

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You have 75 minutes to complete this exam. No notes or calculators are allowed. Show all work. Unsupported or illegible answers will receive no credit. There are a total of 50 points on this exam.



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1.) [6 points] Classify each differential equation below as PDE or ODE, linear or nonlinear, and specify the order.

a.) $x^3 y'' - y' \cos 2x = 4y$

b.) $f_{xx} = x^2 + y^2$

c.) $f_x f_y = x^3 + 2y + 3$

2.) [4 points] Find all singular points of the ODE below and classify the points as regular or irregular.

$$(x^2 - 9)y'' - (x + 3)y' + 4y = 0$$

3.) [10 points] Find the first 5 terms (through x^4) of the series solution about $x=0$ of the ODE

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

4.) [10 points] Use your answer to #3 to find the solution of the Initial Value Problem

$$3y'' - 4y' + x^2y = 0, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 4$$

5.) [20 points] Note $x=0$ is a regular singular point of the ODE

$$2xy'' + 5y' + xy = 0.$$

Find the indicial roots of the ODE and the general recurrence relation in terms of n and r .