Chapter 1: First Order ODE

Separable Equations

$$\int N(y) \, dy = \int M(x) \, dx$$

Consider change of variables

$$y' = f\left(\frac{y}{x}\right)$$

$$y = \frac{v}{x}$$

$$y' = xv' + v$$

$$y' = f(ax + by + c)$$

$$u = ax + by + c$$

$$u' = a + by$$

First Order Linear Equation

$$y' + P(x)y = Q(x)$$
$$ye^{\int P(x) dx} = \int Q(x)e^{\int P(x)dx}$$

Bernoulli Equation

$$y' + P(x)y = Q(x) y^{n}$$

$$z = y^{1-n} \to z' = (1-n)y^{-n}y'$$

$$z' + (1-n)P(x) z = Q(x)$$

*solve z' with first order linear equation after that

Model Of Cooling

$$\frac{dT}{dt} = -k(T - T_{env})$$

$$T = T_{env} + Ae^{-kt}$$

Radioactive Decay

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -kx$$

$$x = Ae^{-kt}, k = \frac{\ln 2}{t_{1/2}}$$

Chapter 2: Second Order ODE With Constant Coefficients

Homogenous Equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + A\frac{dy}{dx} + By = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{c} \lambda_1,\lambda_2\to y=C_1e^{\lambda_1x}+C_2e^{\lambda_2x}\\ \lambda\to y=C_1e^{\lambda x}+C_2xe^{\lambda x}\\ \lambda=a\pm bi\to y=e^{ax}\left(C_1\cos(bx)+C_2\sin(bx)\right) \end{array}$$

Non - Homogeneous Equation

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + A\frac{dy}{dx} + By = R(x)$$

- 1) Find Homogeneous Equation $\rightarrow y_h$
 - 2) Find Particular Solution $\rightarrow y_g$
 - 3) General Solution = $y_h + y_g$

Method of Undetermined Coefficients

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + A\frac{dy}{dx} + By = R(x)$$

Ensure that no term in a particular solution is a solution of the corresponding ODE.

$$e^{kix} = \cos(kx) + i\sin(kx)$$

Consider use of this to find real and imaginary part of solution to work with exponential

<u>Case A</u> : $r(x)$ is a polynomial	$\underline{\text{Case B}}: r(x) = P(x)e^{kx}$	$\frac{\text{Case C: } r(x) \equiv P(x)e^{\alpha x} \sin \beta x}{\text{or } r(x) \equiv P(x)e^{\alpha x} \cos \beta x}$
 Guess y_p = Q(x). If 0 is neither λ₁ nor λ₂, then guess Q(x) = u(x). If 0 is the same as either simple root λ₁ or λ₂, then guess Q(x) = xu(x). If 0 is the same as the repeated root λ, then guess Q(x) = x²u(x). where u(x) is a polynomial with undetermined coefficients and with deg (u(x)) = deg(r(x)). 	 If the value of k is neither λ₁ r If the value of k is the same a guess Q(x) = xu(x). If the value of k is the same a guess Q(x) = xu(x). If the value of k is the same Q(x) = x²u(x). where u(x) is a polynomial with undeg (u(x)) = deg(P(x)).	s either simple root λ_1 or λ_2 , then guess as the repeated root λ , then guess

Method of Variation Of Parameters

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + A \frac{dy}{dx} + By &= r(x) \to y_h = \\ C_1 y_1(x) + C_2 y_2(x) \\ \text{Let } C_1 &= U(x), C_2 = V(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$U = -\int \frac{y_2 r}{y_1 y_2' - y_1' y_2} dx$$

$$V = -\int \frac{y_1 \, r}{y_1 y_2' - y_1' y_2} \, dx$$

Working with Complex Numbers

- 1. Let y'' + Ay' + B = $f(x)e^{ikx}$, then find y where y = (Ax + $B)e^{ikx}$ then find y', y"
- Convert y to the real or imaginary form depending on R(x)

Chapter 3 - Oscillations

Type 1 Simple Harmonic Oscillator

 $m\ddot{x} + kx = 0$, where m, k > 0

m is the mass and k is the spring constant.

General Solution:

$$x(t) = C\cos\omega t + D\sin\omega t$$

= $A\cos(\omega t - \delta)$

Angular frequency: ω ; Amplitude: A;

Phase Angle: δ

Period =
$$\frac{2\pi}{\omega} = 2\pi \sqrt{\frac{m}{k}}$$
; Frequency, $f = \frac{1}{T}$;

$$w^2 = \frac{k}{m}$$
$$f = \frac{w}{2\pi} = \frac{1}{T}$$

Type 2 Forced Harmonic Oscillator

$$m\ddot{x} + kx = F(t) = F_0 \cos \alpha t$$

(1) When $\alpha \neq \omega$, the general Solution is:

$$x(t) = A\cos(\omega t - \delta) + \frac{F_0/m}{\omega^2 - \alpha^2}\cos(\alpha t)$$

(2) **Resonance**: $\alpha = \omega$, the general Solution is:

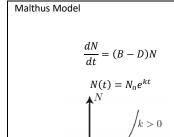
$$x(t) = A\cos(\omega t - \delta) + \frac{F_0/m}{2\omega} \cdot t \cdot \sin(\omega t)$$

Assume initial conditions x(0) = 0 and $\dot{x}(0) = 0$, we get the particular solution:

$$x(t) = \frac{F_0 t}{2m\omega} \sin(\omega t)$$

$$x'' = \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{(x')^2}{2}\right)$$

Chapter 3: Population



 $N_{\!\scriptscriptstyle{o}}$



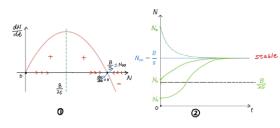
$$\frac{dN}{dt} = (B - SN)N = BN - SN^2$$

• Solution:

$$N = \frac{N_{\infty}}{1 + \left(\frac{N_{\infty}}{2} - 1\right)e^{-Bt}}$$

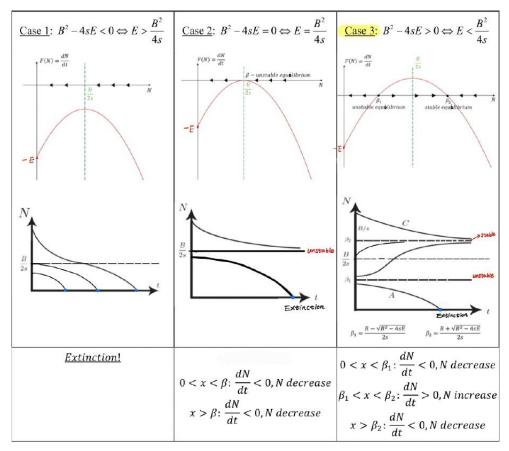
where $N_{co} = \frac{B}{C}$ (carrying capacity/logistic population) and $N(0) = N_c$

• The graph of N against t is shown below, with different initial starting values of $N_0 = N(c)$.



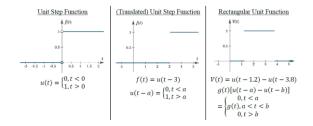
Harvesting Model with constant harvest E

$$\frac{dN}{dt} = BN - SN^2 - E \rightarrow \beta_{1,2} = \frac{B \pm \sqrt{B^2 - 4SE}}{2S}$$



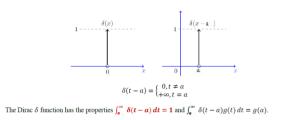
*Note that death rate = s, death rate per capita = sN

Laplace Transform Concepts



Unit Step Function u(t-a) where a represents the start of the step

Dirac Delta



Dirac Delta - Sudden Spike to infinity

• Laplace transform L(f) is a mapping L which maps a function f(t) to a function F(s), where F(s) is given by

$$L(f(t)) = F(s) = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} f(t) dt$$

- The inverse Laplace transform is given by $L^{-1}(F(s)) = f(t)$.
- The Laplace transform and inverse Laplace's transform has the **linearity** property (α and β are constants):

$$L(\alpha f + \beta g) = \alpha L(f) + \beta L(g) \quad L^{-1}(\alpha f + \beta g) = \alpha L^{-1}(f) + \beta L^{-1}(g)$$

Laplace Transform Table

Laplace Transforms	Inverse Laplace Transforms
$L(k) = \frac{k}{s}, k \in \mathbb{R}$	$L^{-1}\left(\frac{k}{s}\right) = k, k \in \mathbb{R}$
$L(t^n) = \frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}$	$L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s^n}\right) = \frac{t^{n-1}}{(n-1)!}$
$L(e^{at}) = \frac{1}{s-a}, s > a$	$L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s-a}\right) = e^{at}$
$L(\cos at) = \frac{s}{s^2 + a^2}, s > 0$	$L^{-1}\left(\frac{s}{s^2+a^2}\right) = \cos at$
$L(\sin at) = \frac{a}{s^2 + a^2}, s > 0$	$L^{-1}\left(\frac{a}{s^2 + a^2}\right) = \sin at$
$L(\cosh at) = \frac{s}{s^2 - a^2}, s > a $	$L^{-1}\left(\frac{s}{s^2 - a^2}\right) = \cosh at$
$L(\sinh at) = \frac{a}{s^2 - a^2}, s > a $	$L^{-1}\left(\frac{a}{s^2 - a^2}\right) = \sinh at$
$L(f(t-a)\cdot u(t-a)) = e^{-as}\cdot F(s)$	$L^{-1}(e^{-as}F(s)) = f(t-a) \cdot u(t-a)$
$L(u(t-a)) = \frac{e^{-as}}{s}$	
$L(\delta(t-a)) = e^{-as}$	$L^{-1}(e^{-as}) = \delta(t-a)$

$$L(y') = s \cdot L(y) - y(0)$$

$$L(y'') = s^2 \cdot L(y) - s \cdot y(0) - y'(0)$$

$$L\left(\int_0^t f(\tau)\,d\tau\right) = \frac{1}{s}L(f),\ s>0$$

Frequency-Shifting (s-shifting):	Time-shifting (t-shifting):
$L(e^{ct}f(t)) = F(s-c)$	$L^{-1}(e^{-as}F(s)) = f(t-a) \cdot u(t-a)$
$L(e^{ct}t^n) = \frac{n!}{(s-c)^{n+1}}$	$L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{(s-c)^n}\right) = \frac{e^{ct}t^{n-1}}{(n-1)!}$
$L(e^{ct}\cos\omega t) = \frac{s-c}{(s-c)^2 + \omega^2}$	$L^{-1}\left(\frac{s-c}{(s-c)^2+\omega^2}\right) = e^{ct}\cos\omega t$
$L(e^{ct}\sin\omega t) = \frac{\omega}{(s-c)^2 + \omega^2}$	$L^{-1}\left(\frac{\omega}{(s-c)^2+\omega^2}\right) = e^{ct}\sin\omega t$

Other Interesting Laplace Transforms

$$L(\delta(t-a) \times u(t-a)) = e^{-as}$$

Chapter 5 - Partial Differential Equations

Assume:

$$U(x,y) = X(x)Y(y)$$

Perform separation of variables, each side is equal to the same constant and integrate.

(a)
$$yu_x - xu_y = 0$$

Let $u(x, y) = X(x) \cdot Y(y)$.

Then,

$$yX'(x)Y(y) - xX(x)Y'(y) = 0$$
$$\frac{X'}{xX} = \frac{Y'}{yY} = \lambda$$

Thus, the first ODE we obtain is $\frac{x'}{x} = \lambda x$.

Integrating both sides with respect to x:

$$\ln|X| = \frac{\lambda}{2}x^2 + C_1$$
$$X = Ae^{\frac{\lambda}{2}x^2}.$$

The second ODE obtained is $\frac{y'}{y} = \lambda y$.

Similarly, we should get $Y = Be^{\frac{\lambda}{2}y^2}$.

Combining the two together, the solution is given by:

$$u(x,y) = XY = Ae^{\frac{\lambda}{2}x^2} \cdot Be^{\frac{\lambda}{2}y^2}$$
$$= Ce^{\frac{\lambda}{2}(x^2 + y^2)} = Ce^{d(x^2 + y^2)}.$$

Wave equation

$$u_{tt} = c^2 u_{xx},$$
 $0 \le x \le \pi, \ t > 0$
 $u(0,t) = 0, \ u(\pi,t) = 0,$
 $u(x,0) = f(x), \ u_t(x,0) = 0.$

Then,
$$u(x,t) = \frac{1}{2} [f(x+ct) + f(x-ct)]$$
 is a

solution, where f is an odd extension with period 2π .

Heat equation

$$u_{t} = c^{2}u_{xx},$$

$$u(0,t) = 0 - (1), \ u(L,t) = 0, -(2)$$

$$u(x,0) = f(x). - (3)$$

Then the method of separation of variables gives the following solutions to the heat equation with the boundary conditions (1) and (2) is

$$u(x,t) = B \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right) e^{-c^2 \left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2 t}$$

where B is a constant and n is an integer.

One can then fit such solutions to Initial Condition (3), using the Superposition Principle if needed.

Superposition Principle

If u_1 , u_2 are solutions to a linear homogeneous DE, then so is

$$u = c_1 u_1 + c_2 u_2,$$

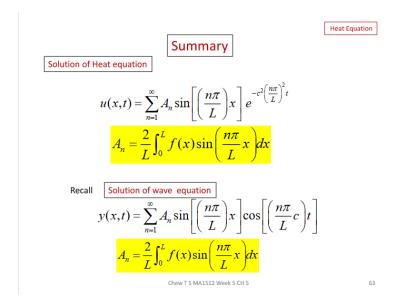
for any constants c_1 , c_2 .

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Solution. The method of separation of variables gives the following solutions to the Heat Equation with Boundary Conditions 5.12(1):

$$u(x,t) = B \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right) \exp\left(-\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2 c^2 t\right),$$

where B is a constant and n is an integer. One can then fit such solutions to Initial Condition 5.12(2), using Theorem 5.5 if needed.



Function Integrand ln|x| $x \ln ax - x$ $\ln ax$ $\sin x$ $-\cos x$ $\sin x$ $\cos x$ $\ln |\sec x|$ $\ln |\sin x|$ $\cot x$ $sec^2 x$ $\tan x$ $\csc^2 x$ $-\cot x$ $\ln |\sec x + \tan x|$ $\sec x$ $-\ln|\csc x + \cot x|$ $\csc x$ $\sec x$ $\sec x \tan x$ $\csc x \cot x$ $-\csc x$ $\sinh x = \cosh x$ $\cosh x \quad \sinh x$ $\ln \left| \cosh x \right|$ $\begin{array}{ll} \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 + x^2}} & \sinh^{-1} \frac{x}{a} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2 - x^2}} & \sin^{-1} \frac{x}{a} \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} & \cosh^{-1} \frac{x}{a} \\ \frac{1}{a^2 - x^2} & \tanh^{-1} \frac{x}{a} \\ \frac{1}{x\sqrt{x^2 - a^2}} & \frac{1}{a} \sec^{-1} |\frac{x}{a}| \\ \frac{1}{a^2 + x^2} & \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} \frac{x}{a} \end{array}$

Assorted Trig Identities

$$\cos^{2} x = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2x)$$

$$\sin^{2} x = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos 2x)$$

$$\tan^{2} x = \frac{1 - \cos 2x}{1 + \cos 2x}$$

$$\sin x \cos x = \frac{1}{2}\sin 2x$$

$$\sin x \sin y = \frac{1}{2}(\cos(x - y) - \cos(x + y))$$

$$\cos x \cos y = \frac{1}{2}(\cos(x - y) + \cos(x + y))$$

$$\sin x \cos y = \frac{1}{2}(\sin(x + y) + \sin(x - y))$$

$$\cos x \sin y = \frac{1}{2}(\sin(x + y) - \sin(x - y))$$

$$\sin(a \pm b) = \sin(a)\cos(b) \pm \cos(a)\sin(b)$$

$$\cos(a \pm b) = \cos(a)\cos(b) \mp \sin(a)\sin(b)$$

$$\tan(a \pm b) = \frac{\tan(a) \pm \tan(b)}{1 \mp \tan(a)\tan(b)}$$

$$\frac{N(x)}{(ax+b)(cx+d)} = \frac{A}{ax+b} + \frac{B}{cx+d}$$

$$\frac{N(x)}{(ax+b)^2} = \frac{A}{ax+b} + \frac{B}{(ax+b)^2}$$

$$\frac{N(x)}{(ax+b)(x^2+c)} = \frac{A}{(ax+b)} + \frac{Bx+c}{x^2+c}$$

$$\sinh(x) = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2}$$

$$\cosh(x) = \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2}$$

$$tanh(x) = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}}$$