

## TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY OF DENMARK

3-hour written exam, May 13, 2024

Course: Advanced Engineering Mathematics 2

01034 / 01035

Allowed aids: All aids allowed by DTU.

Weighting: Multiple-choice(administrated electronically): 55%, Problem 1: 15%, Problem 2: 10%, Problem 3: 20%

The weighting is only a guide. The exam is evaluated as a whole. In order to receive full points in Part B, all answers must be substantiated, if necessary with reference to the text book, and a reasonable number of intermediate steps must be included.

The exam consists of 2 parts: an electronic multiple choice section (**Part A**) and this (**Part B**).

- **Part A is administered and answered electronically..**
- **Part B follows below**, and can be handed in either electronically or on paper.

## Part B

## Problem 1

1. Show that the series  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{100+n}{2+n^3}$  is absolutely convergent.
2. For  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ , consider the series

$$S = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{100+n}{2+n^k}$$

- (a) Find the smallest value for  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ , such that the series  $S$  is absolutely convergent.
- (b) Find the smallest value for  $k \in \mathbb{N}$ , such that the series  $S$  is convergent.

The problem set continues!

## Problem 2

Consider the differential equation

$$y^{(4)}(t) + y^{(3)}(t) - 2y^{(2)}(t) = u(t), \quad (1)$$

where  $u : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  is a continuous function.

1. Write down the characteristic polynomial of the equation (1) AND find the general real solution to the associated homogeneous system.
2. The function  $y(t) = t^3$  is a solution of (1). Write down the general real solution to the inhomogeneous differential equation (1).
3. Use the information that  $y(t) = t^3$  is a solution to the inhomogeneous differential equation to determine the function  $u(t)$ .

## Problem 3

A function  $f : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  has the following properties:  $f$  is an even function,  $f$  is  $2\pi$ -periodic, and on the interval  $[0, \pi]$  the function is given by

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } x \in [0, \pi/2], \\ 2 & \text{for } x \in ]\pi/2, \pi]. \end{cases}$$

1. Sketch the function  $f$  on the interval  $[-\pi, \pi]$ .
2. Determine all the real Fourier coefficients  $a_n$  and  $b_n$  of the Fourier series

$$f \sim \frac{1}{2}a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos(nx) + b_n \sin(nx)),$$

3. What is the sum of the Fourier series at the points  $x = -\pi, -\frac{\pi}{2}, 0, \frac{\pi}{2}$  and  $\pi$ ?
4. Does the Fourier series for  $f$  converge uniformly? Explain your answer.

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