

Table of ansatzes for the method of undetermined coefficients

f	ansatz y_p
Polynomial $P_m(x) = a_0 + \dots + a_m x^m$	Polynomial $x^s(A_0 + \dots + A_m x^m)$
$a \cos kx + b \sin kx$ (one of a or b can be 0)	$x^s(A \cos kx + B \sin kx)$
$e^{rx}(a \cos kx + b \sin kx)$	$x^s e^{rx}(A \cos kx + B \sin kx)$
$P_m(x)e^{rx}$	$x^s(A_0 + \dots + A_m x^m)e^{rx}$
$P_m(x)(a \cos kx + b \sin kx)$	$x^s[(A_0 + \dots + A_m x^m) \cos kx + (B_0 + \dots + B_m x^m) \sin kx]$
$P_m(x)e^{rx}(a \cos kx + b \sin kx)$	$x^s[(A_0 + \dots + A_m x^m)e^{rx} \cos kx + (B_0 + \dots + B_m x^m)e^{rx} \sin kx]$

Table of solutions to $\mathbf{X}' = A\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^2$

Eigenvalues of A	General solution \mathbf{X}
$\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in \mathbb{R}, \lambda_1 \neq \lambda_2$	$c_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} \mathbf{v}_1 + c_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} \mathbf{v}_2$
$\lambda_1, \lambda_2 \in \mathbb{R}, \lambda_1 = \lambda_2$	$\begin{cases} c_1 e^{\lambda t} \mathbf{v}_1 + c_2 t e^{\lambda t} \mathbf{v}_2, & \text{if } \mathbf{v}_1, \mathbf{v}_2 \text{ are linearly independent} \\ c_1 e^{\lambda t} \mathbf{v} + c_2 (t e^{\lambda t} \mathbf{v} + e^{\lambda t} \mathbf{w}), & \mathbf{w} \text{ is a generalized eigenvector associated to } \mathbf{v} \end{cases}$
$\lambda = \alpha + i\beta$ ($\beta \neq 0$) $\mathbf{p} = \mathbf{B}_1 + i\mathbf{B}_2$	$c_1 e^{\alpha t} [\cos(\beta t) \mathbf{B}_1 - \sin(\beta t) \mathbf{B}_2] + c_2 e^{\alpha t} [\cos(\beta t) \mathbf{B}_2 + \sin(\beta t) \mathbf{B}_1]$ or $c_1 \operatorname{Re}(e^{\lambda t} \mathbf{p}) + c_2 \operatorname{Im}(e^{\lambda t} \mathbf{p})$