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Introduction to Differential Equations							
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Question 1 (25pts) Find all solutions of the system of differential equations

$$x_1' = x_1 + x_2 + 2x_3$$

$$x_2' = 2x_2 + 2x_3$$

$$x_3' = -x_1 + x_2 + 3x_3$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}' = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 3 \end{bmatrix}}_A \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det(A - \lambda I) = \begin{vmatrix} 1-\lambda & 1 & 2 \\ 0 & 2-\lambda & 2 \\ -1 & 1 & 3-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (1-\lambda) \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & 2 \\ 1 & 3-\lambda \end{vmatrix} + (-1) \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 2-\lambda & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= (1-\lambda) \left((2-\lambda)(3-\lambda) - 2 \right) - (2 - 2(2-\lambda))$$

$$= (1-\lambda) [\lambda^2 - 5\lambda + 4 + 2] = (1-\lambda)(\lambda-2)(\lambda-3)$$

3 real, distinct eigenvalues

$\lambda_1 = 1 \quad (A - I)\vec{v} = \vec{0}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix} = k \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$k \neq 0$

$\lambda_2 = 2$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2 & | & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 1 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = k \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$k \neq 0$

$\lambda_3 = 3$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -2 & 1 & 2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 2 & | & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -2 & | & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \end{bmatrix} = k \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$k \neq 0$

$$\Rightarrow \vec{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = c_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c_3 e^{3t} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad c_1, c_2, c_3 \in \mathbb{R}$$

Question 2 (12pts) Find the power series solution of the following initial value problem centered at $x_0 = 0$: $y'' - 2xy' + 10y = 0$, $y(0) = 0$, $y'(0) = 1$.

$x_0 = 0$ is an ordinary point.

$$\text{Set } y = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n \Rightarrow y' = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n x^{n-1}, \quad y'' = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n-1) a_n x^{n-2}$$

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n-1) a_n x^{n-2} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2n a_n x^n + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 10 a_n x^n = 0$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+2)(n+1) a_{n+2} x^n - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2n a_n x^n + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 10 a_n x^n = 0$$

$$a_0 = y(0) = 0, \quad a_1 = y'(0) = 1.$$

$$x^0: 2a_2 + 10a_0 = 0 \Rightarrow a_2 = 0.$$

$$x^n: (n+2)(n+1)a_{n+2} - (2n-10)a_n = 0 \Rightarrow a_{n+2} = \frac{2(n-5)}{(n+2)(n+1)} a_n$$

$$a_0 = a_2 = a_4 = a_6 = \dots = 0$$

$$a_3 = \frac{2(-4)}{3 \cdot 2} a_1 = -\frac{4}{3}, \quad a_5 = \frac{2(-2)}{5 \cdot 4} a_3 = \frac{4}{15}, \quad a_7 = \frac{2(0)}{7 \cdot 6} a_5 = 0$$

$$a_7 = a_9 = a_{11} = \dots = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{y = x - \frac{4x^3}{3} + \frac{4x^5}{15}}$$

Question 3 (13pts) Solve the differential equation $y'' + 2y' + y = e^{-t} \ln t$ for $t > 0$, using variation of parameters.

$$r^2 + 2r + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow (r+1)^2 = 0, \quad r_1 = r_2 = -1 \text{ (repeated, real)}$$

$$\Rightarrow y_h = c_1 y_1 + c_2 y_2 = c_1 e^{-t} + c_2 t e^{-t}$$

$$W(y_1, y_2) = \begin{vmatrix} e^{-t} & t e^{-t} \\ -e^{-t} & e^{-t} - t e^{-t} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} e^{-t} & t e^{-t} \\ 0 & e^{-t} \end{vmatrix} = e^{-2t}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} e^{-t} & t e^{-t} \\ -e^{-t} & e^{-t} - t e^{-t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_1' \\ v_2' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ e^{-t} \ln t \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v_1' = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 0 & t e^{-t} \\ e^{-t} \ln t & e^{-t} - t e^{-t} \end{vmatrix}}{W(y_1, y_2)} = \frac{-t e^{-2t} \ln t}{e^{-2t}} = -t \ln t$$

$$v_1 = \int -t \ln t \, dt = -\frac{t^2}{2} \ln t - \int \frac{-t^2}{2} \frac{1}{t} dt$$

$$du = \frac{1}{t} dt \quad \frac{du}{dt} = \frac{1}{t} \Rightarrow u = \ln t$$

$$-t dt = dv \Rightarrow v = -\frac{t^2}{2}$$

$$= -\frac{t^2}{2} \ln t + \frac{t^2}{4}$$

$$v_2' = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} e^{-t} & 0 \\ -e^{-t} & e^{-t} \ln t \end{vmatrix}}{W(y_1, y_2)} = \frac{e^{-2t} \ln t}{e^{-2t}} = \ln t$$

$$v_2 = \int \ln t \, dt = t \ln t - t$$

$$\boxed{y = c_1 e^{-t} + c_2 t e^{-t} + e^{-t} \left(-\frac{t^2}{2} \ln t + \frac{t^2}{4} \right) + t e^{-t} (t \ln t - t)}$$

$$c_1, c_2 \in \mathbb{R}$$

Question 4 (25pts) Consider the partial differential equation $u_t = u_{xx} + 2u_x$ together with the boundary conditions $u(0, t) = u(\pi, t) = 0$ for $t > 0$.

(a) Use separation of variables in order to obtain an ODE in the variable t and a 2 point boundary value problem in the variable x .

$$u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$$

$$XT' = X''T + 2X'T$$

$$\frac{T'}{T} = \frac{X'' + 2X'}{X} = -\lambda$$

$$\boxed{T' + \lambda T = 0}$$

$$X(0)T(t) = X(\pi)T(t) = 0 \Rightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} T(t) = 0 \\ \text{for all } t \\ \text{(trivial soln)} \\ X(0) = X(\pi) = 0 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\begin{array}{l} X'' + 2X' + \lambda X = 0 \\ X(0) = X(\pi) = 0 \end{array}}$$

(b) Show that $X_n(x) = e^{-x} \sin(kx)$ is a solution of the boundary value problem found in part (a) for an appropriate value of the eigenvalue, for each $k = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

$$X_k(0) = e^{-0} \sin(0) = 0$$

$$X_k(\pi) = e^{-\pi} \sin(k\pi) = 0$$

$$X_k' = -e^{-x} \sin(kx) + k e^{-x} \cos(kx)$$

$$X_k'' = e^{-x} \sin(kx) - k e^{-x} \cos(kx) - k e^{-x} \cos(kx) - k^2 e^{-x} \sin(kx)$$

$$X_k'' + 2X_k' + \lambda X_k = e^{-x} \sin(kx) (1 - k^2 - 2 + \lambda) + e^{-x} \cos(kx) (-2k + 2k)$$

$$= 0 \Leftrightarrow \boxed{\lambda = k^2 + 1}$$

(c) Find the solution $u(x, t)$ to the problem above that satisfies $u(x, 0) = 2e^{-x}$ for all $0 < x < \pi$.

$$T' + \lambda T = 0 \Rightarrow T = c e^{-\lambda t}$$

Taking $\lambda = k^2 + 1$, we get $T_n(t) = e^{-(1+n^2)t}$

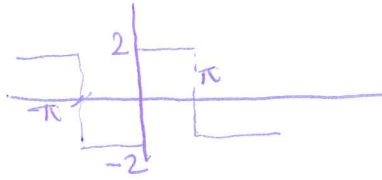
$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n X_n(x) T_n(t)$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n e^{-x} \sin(nx) e^{-(1+n^2)t}$$

$$u(x, 0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n e^{-x} \sin(nx) = 2e^{-x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin(nx) = 2$$

Need an odd extension of $f(x) = 2$ with period 2π



$$c_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin(nx) dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} 2 \sin(nx) dx$$

$$= \frac{-4}{n\pi} \cos(nx) \Big|_0^{\pi} = \frac{-4}{n\pi} (\cos(n\pi) - 1)$$

$$\Rightarrow u(x, t) = \frac{8}{\pi} \left(\frac{e^{-x} \sin x e^{-2t}}{1} + \frac{e^{-x} \sin(3x) e^{-10t}}{3} + \frac{e^{-x} \sin(5x) e^{-26t}}{5} + \dots \right)$$

Question 5 (8pts) Find the largest interval for which the initial value problem

$$(t^2 - 8t + 15)y'' - (t^2 + 1)y' + 2y = 0, \quad y(4) = 6, \quad y'(4) = -1$$

has a unique solution.

$$t^2 - 8t + 15 = (t-5)(t-3)$$

$$y'' - \frac{(t^2+1)}{(t-5)(t-3)} y' + \frac{2}{(t-5)(t-3)} y = 0$$

The eqn. is linear. Coefficients are continuous except at 3 and 5. Therefore, by the existence-uniqueness theorem, there is a unique soln. on the interval $(3, 5)$. (46(3,5))

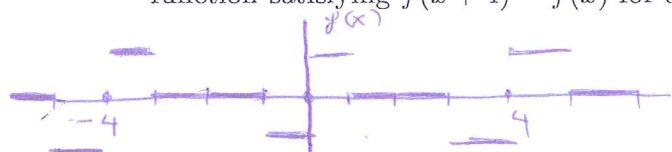
Question 6 (8pts) Suppose that $F(s) = \frac{s+1}{s^2+2s+2}$ and $G(s) = \frac{1}{s^2+1}$. Express the inverse Laplace transform of $H(s) = F(s)G(s)$ as a convolution integral (do not compute the integral).

$$F(s) = \frac{s+1}{s^2+2s+2} = \frac{s+1}{(s+1)^2+1^2} \Rightarrow f(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)\} = e^{-t} \cos t$$

$$G(s) = \frac{1}{s^2+1} \Rightarrow g(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{G(s)\} = \sin t$$

$$h(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{H(s)\} = (f * g)(t) = \int_0^t e^{-(t-\tau)} \cos(t-\tau) \sin \tau \, d\tau$$

Question 7 (9pts) Suppose that $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 < x < 1 \\ 0, & 1 \leq x \leq 2, \end{cases}$ and that $f(x)$ is an odd function satisfying $f(x+4) = f(x)$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$. Find the Fourier series of $f(x)$.



$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{2}\right)$$

$$c_n = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^2 f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{2}\right) dx = \frac{2}{-2} \int_0^2 f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{2}\right) dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{2}\right) dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{n\pi} \left(-\cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\right) + \cos(0) \right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{n\pi} \left(1 - \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\right) \right)$$

$$= \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n \equiv 0 \pmod{4} \\ \frac{2}{n\pi} & \text{if } n \equiv 1 \pmod{4} \\ \frac{4}{n\pi} & \text{if } n \equiv 2 \pmod{4} \\ \frac{2}{n\pi} & \text{if } n \equiv 3 \pmod{4} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{2}\right) + \frac{4}{2\pi} \sin\left(\frac{2\pi x}{2}\right) + \frac{2}{3\pi} \sin\left(\frac{3\pi x}{2}\right) + \frac{2}{5\pi} \sin\left(\frac{5\pi x}{2}\right) + \dots$$