

### Honor Statement

I affirm that my work upholds the highest standards of honesty and integrity, and that I have neither given nor received any unauthorized assistance on this exam.

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*Instructions:*

- Show all your work, and box your final answer.
- You may use one handwritten, double-sided  $8\frac{1}{2}$ " by 11" sheet of notes.
- No calculators, cell phones, headphones, or other electronics are allowed. You can include square roots and trigonometric functions in your answers.
- Your test should have 7 problems on 7 pages (not including this cover page or the back page)—  
double-check that it does!
- Raise your hand if you have any questions.
- You can use the table of Laplace transforms for any question unless it specifically says otherwise.

A table of Laplace transforms and the values of  $g$  are on the back.



1. (a) Solve the equation

$$y' = te^{2t} + \frac{y}{t}.$$

(b) A barrel contains 20 gallons of pure water. Water containing  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb/gal of calcium enters at a rate of 10 gal/hour, and mixes with the contents of the barrel. The mixture drains at a rate of 12 gal/hour.

Write, but **do not solve** a differential equation for  $C(t)$ , the amount of calcium in the barrel, in pounds, after  $t$  hours.

Answer:  $\frac{dC}{dt} =$  \_\_\_\_\_

2. The population  $P$  of insects (in thousands) in a given area has the following equation:

$$\frac{dP}{dt} = (P - 10)^2(-2P + 20).$$

where  $t$  is measured in days.

(a) Without solving the equation, find all equilibrium solution(s) and classify them as stable, semistable, or unstable.

(b) Solve the differential equation, with the initial condition  $P(0) = 14$ .

*Note: you can do part (b) without doing part (a), and vice-versa.*

3. A 2kg object is attached to a spring with spring constant  $k = 4$ . The damping force is 20 N when the object is traveling at 5 m/s, and there is an external force of  $-10 \sin t$ . At  $t = 0$ , you pull the object downward by 1m and release it with initial velocity 1 m/s upward.

(a) Find the quasifrequency of the system.

(b) Find the position of the object at time  $t$ . Identify the transient solution and steady-state solutions.

4. Given that  $y_1(t) = t^3$  is one solution to the ODE

$$t^2 y'' - t y' - 3y = 0,$$

find another solution that is not a multiple of  $y_1(t)$ .

5. Find the Laplace transform of  $f(t) = \sin bt$ , using only the definition of the Laplace transform (not using the table).

6. Solve the IVP

$$y''' + 4y' = \begin{cases} 0, & t < 3 \\ 5e^{-t}, & t \geq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$y(0) = 3$$

$$y'(0) = 2$$

$$y''(0) = -9$$

You do not need to solve for the coefficients  $A, B, \dots$  in the partial fractions decomposition – you may leave those in your answer. You may also leave your answer in terms of step functions.



7. Find the Laplace transform of  $f(t) = \begin{cases} 3t, & t < \pi \\ e^{-2t} \cos 3t, & t \geq \pi \end{cases}$ .

### Table of Laplace Transforms

$f$	$\mathcal{L}\{f\}$	$f$	$\mathcal{L}\{f\}$
1	$\frac{1}{s}$	$\cos bt$	$\frac{s}{s^2+b^2}$
$e^{at}$	$\frac{1}{s-a}$	$\sin bt$	$\frac{b}{s^2+b^2}$
$t^n$	$\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}$	$e^{at} \cos bt$	$\frac{(s-a)}{(s-a)^2+b^2}$
$t^n e^{at}$	$\frac{n!}{(s-a)^{n+1}}$	$e^{at} \sin bt$	$\frac{b}{(s-a)^2+b^2}$

### Acceleration Due to Gravity

standard:  $g = 32.2 \text{ ft/s}^2$  (you can use  $g = 32$ )

metric:  $g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$  (you can use  $g = 10$ )