Worksheet 10: Undetermined Coefficients

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1. (8 pts) Determine the "guess" for g(t) for the equation y'' + p(t)y' + q(t)y = g(t). Assume the solution is not repeated in the homogeneous equation.

(a)
$$g(t) = 4\cos(6t) - 9\sin(6t)$$

(b)
$$g(t) = 6t^2 - 7\sin(3t) + 9$$

(c)
$$g(t) = 10e^t - 5te^{-8t} + 2e^{-8t}$$

(d)
$$g(t) = e^{7t} + 6$$

2. (16 pts) Find the solution of the initial value problem

$$y'' + y' - 2y = 2t$$
, $y(0) = 0$, $y'(0) = 1$

3. (16 pts) Find the general solution of

$$y'' - 2y' - 3y = -3te^{-t}$$