

# Maths Supervision Work 8

59.a Try  $y = e^{\lambda x}$

$$\lambda^2 - 5\lambda + 6 = 0$$

$$\therefore (\lambda - 2)(\lambda - 3) = 0$$

$$\therefore \lambda = 2 \text{ or } 3$$

$$\therefore y = Ae^{2x} + Be^{3x}$$

ok

b. Try  $y = e^{\lambda x}$

$$2\lambda^2 - 3\lambda - 2 = 0$$

$$\lambda = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{3^2 + 4 \cdot 2 \cdot 2}}{2 \cdot 2} = \frac{3 \pm \sqrt{25}}{4} = \frac{3 \pm 5}{4} = -\frac{1}{2} \text{ or } 2$$

$$\therefore y = Ae^{-x/2} + Be^{2x}$$

c. Try  $y = e^{\lambda x}$

ok

~~$$\lambda^2 - 9 = 0$$~~

~~$$\therefore (\lambda - 3)(\lambda + 3) = 0$$~~

~~$$\therefore \lambda = 0 \text{ or } 3$$~~

~~$$\therefore y = (A + Bx)e^{3x}$$~~

$$\lambda^2 - 9 = 0$$

$$\therefore \lambda = \pm 3$$

$$\therefore y = A \cosh 3x + B \sinh 3x$$

ok

d. Try  $y = e^{\lambda x}$

$$\lambda^2 + 4 = 0$$

$$\therefore \lambda = \pm 2i$$

$$\therefore y = A \sin x + B \cos x$$

???  $\sin 2x$  and  $\cos 2x$  ....no?

e. Try  $y = e^{\lambda x}$

$$\lambda^2 + 2\lambda + 5 = 0$$

$$\therefore \lambda = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{2^2 - 4 \cdot 5}}{2} = -1 \pm \sqrt{1-5} = -1 \pm 2i$$

$$y = e^{-x}(A \cos 2x + B \sin 2x)$$

ok

10a. Try  $y = \alpha x + \beta$

$$y' = \alpha, \quad y'' = 0$$

$$\therefore y'' - 5y' + 6y = -5\alpha + 6\alpha x + 6\beta = x$$

Comparing coefficients

$$6\alpha = 1 \rightarrow \alpha = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$6\beta - 5\alpha = 0$$

$$\therefore \beta = \frac{5}{6}\alpha = \frac{5}{36}$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{1}{6}x + \frac{5}{36}$$

ok

b. Try  $y = \alpha e^{2x}$

$$\therefore y' = 2\alpha e^{2x}, \quad y'' = 4\alpha e^{2x}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore y'' - 9y &= 4\alpha e^{2x} - 9\alpha e^{2x} \\ &= -5\alpha e^{2x} \\ &= e^{2x}\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore -5\alpha = 1$$

$$\therefore \alpha = -1/5$$

$$\therefore y = -1/5 e^{2x}$$

ok

c. Try  $y = \alpha e^{3x}$

$$\therefore y' = 3\alpha e^{3x}, \quad y'' = 9\alpha e^{3x}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore y'' - 9y &= 9\alpha e^{3x} - 9\alpha e^{3x} \\ &= 0\end{aligned}$$

Try  $y = \alpha x e^{3x}$

$$y' = \alpha(e^{3x} + 3xe^{3x}) = \alpha(3x+1)e^{3x}$$

$$y'' = \alpha(3e^{3x} + 3(3x+1)e^{3x}) = \alpha(9x+6)e^{3x}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore y'' - 9y &= \alpha(9x+6)e^{3x} - 9\alpha x e^{3x} \\ &= \cancel{\alpha(9x+6)e^{3x}} - \cancel{9\alpha x e^{3x}} \\ &= 6\alpha e^{3x} \\ &= e^{3x}\end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore 6\alpha = 1$$

$$\therefore \alpha = 1/6$$

$$\therefore y = 1/6 x e^{3x}$$

ok



d.  ~~$y = Ae^{2x} + Be^{3x}$~~

By linearity and b) and c),

~~$y = -\frac{2}{5}e^{2x} + \frac{3}{6}e^{3x}$~~   
 ~~$= -\frac{2}{5}e^{2x} + \frac{1}{2}e^{3x}$~~

$$y = -\frac{2}{5}e^{2x} + \frac{1}{6}e^{3x}$$

e. Try  $y = A \sin x + B \cos x$

$$y' = A \cos x - B \sin x$$

$$y'' = -A \sin x - B \cos x$$

$$\begin{aligned} y'' - 5y' + 6y &= -A \sin x - B \cos x - 5A \cos x + 5B \sin x + 6A \sin x + 6B \cos x \\ &= (5A + 5B) \sin x + (5B - 5A) \cos x \\ &= \sin x \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore 5B - 5A = 0$$

$$\therefore A = B$$

$$5A + 5B = 10A = 1$$

$$\therefore A = B = \frac{1}{10}$$

$$\therefore y = \frac{1}{10} (\sin x + \cos x)$$

ok