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**Wolkite University**  
**Mathematics Department**  
**Group Assignment 1: Applied Mathematics III**

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1. **Order and Degree of a Differential Equation:** Determine the order and degree of the following differential equation:  $(y'')^3 - 10y' + y^{11} = 0$
2. **Separable Differential Equations:** Solve the following separable differential equation:  
$$y' = \frac{y^2 + 1}{x}$$
3. **Exact Differential Equations:** Solve the following exact differential equation:  
 $(x^3 + 3xy^2)dx + (3yx^2 + y^3)dy = 0$
4. **Bernoulli Equations and Stability:** Solve the Bernoulli equation  $y' + \frac{1}{x}y = xy^3$ .
  - (a) Find the general solution.
5. **Second-Order Linear ODEs with Variable Coefficients:** Solve the differential equation  $x^2y'' + xy' - 4y = x^3$ .
  - (a) Identify the type of equation and explain the method used.
  - (b) Find the general solution.
6. **Cauchy-Euler Equations and Initial Value Problems:** Solve the Cauchy-Euler equation  $x^2y'' - 3xy' + 4y = \ln(x)$ , with  $y(1) = 0$  and  $y'(1) = 1$ .
7. **Laplace Transform and Nonhomogeneous ODEs:** Solve the differential equation  $y'' + 4y' + 4y = te^{-2t}$ , with  $y(0) = 1$  and  $y'(0) = -1$ , using Laplace transforms.
8. **Laplace Transform and Piecewise Functions:** Solve the differential equation  $y'' + 9y = f(t)$ , where  $f(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 \leq t < \pi \\ 0, & t \geq \pi \end{cases}$ , with  $y(0) = 0$  and  $y'(0) = 0$ , using Laplace transforms.
9. **First-Order Linear ODEs and Applications:** A tank contains 100 liters of brine with 20 kg of dissolved salt. Brine containing 0.1 kg of salt per liter flows into the tank at a rate of 2 liters per minute. The well-mixed solution flows out at the same rate.
  - (a) Set up a differential equation for the amount of salt  $A(t)$  in the tank at time  $t$ .
  - (b) Solve the differential equation.
  - (c) Find the amount of salt in the tank after 1 hour.
10. **Second-Order Linear ODEs:** Solve the differential equation  $y'' + 4y = \cos(2t)$ .