

AMA2111 Mathematics I

2025-26 Semester 1 Homework 2

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1. Solve the initial value problem

$$\mathbf{y}' = \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 & 2 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 2 & 4 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{y}, \quad \mathbf{y}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

2. Find the general solution of

$$y'' + 2y' + 2y = 6 \cos x$$

by method of undetermined coefficients.

3. Solve the initial value problem

$$y'' - y' - 2y = 3 + 5e^{2x}, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 1$$

by method of undetermined coefficients.

4. Find the general solution of

$$y'' - 2y' + y = \frac{e^x}{x}$$

5. Solve the initial value problem

$$y'' + y = 2x \sin x, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 1$$

by variation of parameters.

6. Use the Laplace transform to solve the initial value problem

$$y'' + 4y = 8 \sin 2t, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 1.$$

7. Use Laplace transforms to solve the initial value problem

$$y'' + 4y = f(t) = \begin{cases} t, & 0 \leq t < 2, \\ 4, & t \geq 2, \end{cases} \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 0.$$

8. Let f be a differentiable function of one variable, and $w = f(x^2 + 3xy)$.

(a) Verify that the function w satisfies the equation $3xw_x - (2x + 3y)w_y = 0$.

(b) If $f(u) = e^u$, calculate w_{xy} .

9. Let $w = f(x, y)$ be a function satisfying $\ln w + w = xy^2$, and $f(1, 1) = 1$.

(a) Find the partial derivatives $w_x(x, y)$, $w_y(x, y)$, and $w_{xy}(x, y)$.

(b) Use linear approximation to estimate $f(1.05, 0.95)$.