

# Key Homework 15

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Ordinary Differential Equations

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## - Initializations

```
> restart;
with(linalg):
Warning, the protected names norm and trace have been redefined and unprotected
```

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Code the differential equation and compute the auxiliary equation.

```
> deq:=diff(y(t), t$2)-4*diff(y(t), t)-5*y(t)=0;
deq :=  $\left(\frac{d^2}{dt^2}y(t)\right) - 4\left(\frac{d}{dt}y(t)\right) - 5y(t) = 0$ 
> aux_eq:=simplify(eval(subs(y(t)=exp(r*t), deq))/exp(r*t));
aux_eq :=  $r^2 - 4r - 5 = 0$ 
```

Solve the auxiliary equation to find the eigenvalues.

```
> evals:=solve(aux_eq, r);
evals := 5, -1
```

Since the eigenvalues are real and distinct, the corresponding eigenfunctions are given by.

```
> for k to 2 do
Y[k]:=exp(evals[k]*t);
od;
Y1 :=  $e^{5t}$ 
Y2 :=  $e^{-t}$ 
```

Use the Wronskian to check for linear independence.

```
> check:=simplify(det(wronskian([Y[1],Y[2]], t)));
check :=  $-6e^{4t}$ 
```

Since the Wronskian is never zero, we can be sure that  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  are linearly independent. Therefore, the general solution is given by

```
> gensol:=add(c[k]*Y[k], k=1..2);
gensol :=  $c_1 e^{5t} + c_2 e^{-t}$ 
```

Finally, implement the initial conditions and solve the initial value problem.

```
> eq1:=subs(t=-1, gensol)=3;
eq2:=subs(t=-1, diff(gensol, t))=9;
val_c:=solve({eq1, eq2}, {c[1], c[2]});
eq1 :=  $c_1 e^{-5} + c_2 e = 3$ 
eq2 :=  $5c_1 e^{-5} - c_2 e = 9$ 
val_c :=  $\left\{c_2 = \frac{1}{e}, c_1 = \frac{2}{e^{(-5)}}\right\}$ 
> ans[19]:=simplify(subs(val_c, gensol));
ans19 :=  $2e^{(5+5t)} + e^{(-1-t)}$ 
>
```

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Code the differential equation and compute the auxiliary equation.

```
> deq:=diff(y(t), t$2)-4*diff(y(t), t)+4*y(t)=0;
```

$$deq := \left( \frac{d^2}{dt^2} y(t) \right) - 4 \left( \frac{d}{dt} y(t) \right) + 4 y(t) = 0$$

```
> aux_eq:=simplify(eval(subs(y(t)=exp(r*t), deq))/exp(r*t));
```

$$aux\_eq := r^2 - 4r + 4 = 0$$

Solve the auxiliary equation to find the eigenvalues.

```
> evals:=solve(aux_eq, r);
```

$$evals := 2, 2$$

Since 2 is a double root of the auxiliary equation, the corresponding eigenfunctions are given by.

```
> Y[1]:=exp(evals[1]*t);
```

```
Y[2]:=t*Y[1];
```

$$Y_1 := e^{(2t)}$$

$$Y_2 := t e^{(2t)}$$

Use the Wronskian to check for linear independence.

```
> check:=simplify(det(wronskian([Y[1],Y[2]], t)));
```

$$check := e^{(4t)}$$

Since the Wronskian is never zero, we can be sure that  $Y_1$  and  $Y_2$  are linearly independent. Therefore, the general solution is given by

```
> gensol:=add(c[k]*Y[k], k=1..2);
```

$$gensol := c_1 e^{(2t)} + c_2 t e^{(2t)}$$

Finally, implement the initial conditions and solve the initial value problem.

```
> eq1:=subs(t=1, gensol)=1;
```

```
eq2:=subs(t=1, diff(gensol, t))=1;
```

```
val_c:=solve({eq1, eq2}, {c[1], c[2]});
```

$$eq1 := c_1 e^2 + c_2 e^2 = 1$$

$$eq2 := 2 c_1 e^2 + 3 c_2 e^2 = 1$$

$$val\_c := \left\{ c_2 = -\frac{1}{e^2}, c_1 = \frac{2}{e^2} \right\}$$

```
> ans[20]:=simplify(subs(val_c, gensol));
```

$$ans_{20} := -e^{(-2+2t)}(-2+t)$$

```
>
```

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Code the differential equation and generate the auxiliary equation.

```
> deq:=diff(y(t), t$3)-7*diff(y(t), t$2)+7*diff(y(t), t)+15*y(t)=0;
```

$$deq := \left( \frac{d^3}{dt^3} y(t) \right) - 7 \left( \frac{d^2}{dt^2} y(t) \right) + 7 \left( \frac{d}{dt} y(t) \right) + 15 y(t) = 0$$

```
> aux_eq:=simplify(eval(subs(y(t)=exp(r*t), deq))/exp(r*t));
```

$$aux\_eq := r^3 - 7r^2 + 7r + 15 = 0$$

Solve the auxiliary equation and find the eigenvalues.

```
> evals:=solve(aux_eq, r);
```

$$evals := -1, 3, 5$$

Code the corresponding solutions.

```
> for k to 3 do
```

```
Y[k]:=exp(evals[k]*t);
```

```
od;
```

$$Y_1 := e^{(-t)}$$

$$Y_2 := e^{(3t)}$$

$$Y_3 := e^{(5t)}$$

Check for linear independence.

```
> check:=simplify(det(wronskian([seq(Y[k], k=1..3)], t));
```

$$check := 48 e^{(7t)}$$

Since the Wronskian is never zero, these solutions are linearly independent. Hence the general solution is given by

```
> ans[44]:=add(c[k]*Y[k], k=1..3);
```

$$ans_{44} := c_1 e^{(-t)} + c_2 e^{(3t)} + c_3 e^{(5t)}$$

>

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Code the differential equation and generate the auxiliary equation.

```
> deq:=3*diff(y(t), t$3)+18*diff(y(t), t$2)+13*diff(y(t), t)-19*y(t)=0;
```

$$deq := 3 \left( \frac{d^3}{dt^3} y(t) \right) + 18 \left( \frac{d^2}{dt^2} y(t) \right) + 13 \left( \frac{d}{dt} y(t) \right) - 19 y(t) = 0$$

```
> aux_eq:=simplify(eval(subs(y(t)=exp(r*t), deq))/exp(r*t));
```

$$aux\_eq := 3 r^3 + 18 r^2 + 13 r - 19 = 0$$

Solve the auxiliary equation numerically and find the eigenvalues.

```
> evals:=fsolve(aux_eq, r);
```

$$evals := -4.831922263, -1.869273823, 0.7011960861$$

Code the corresponding solutions.

```
> for k to 3 do
```

```
  Y[k]:=exp(evals[k]*t);
```

```
od;
```

$$Y_1 := e^{(-4.831922263 t)}$$

$$Y_2 := e^{(-1.869273823 t)}$$

$$Y_3 := e^{(0.7011960861 t)}$$

Check for linear independence.

```
> check:=simplify(det(wronskian([seq(Y[k], k=1..3)], t));
```

$$check := 42.13690210 e^{(-6t)}$$

Since the Wronskian is never zero, these solutions are linearly independent. Hence the general solution is given by

```
> ans[49(a)]:=add(c[k]*Y[k], k=1..3);
```

$$ans_{49(a)} := c_1 e^{(-4.831922263 t)} + c_2 e^{(-1.869273823 t)} + c_3 e^{(0.7011960861 t)}$$

>