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MTH 235

Practice Final Exam

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1. <sup>15</sup> (10 points) Find the most general solution  $y(x)$  of the equation

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$$y' = \frac{e^x \sin(y) + 2x}{3y - e^x \cos(y)}$$

$$[3y - e^x \cos(y)] y' - [e^x \sin(y) + 2x] = 0$$

$$N = 3y - e^x \cos(y) \Rightarrow N_x = -e^x \cos(y)$$

$$M = -[e^x \sin(y) + 2x] \Rightarrow M_y = -e^x \cos(y) \quad 3$$

$$\phi_y = N \Rightarrow \phi_{yy} = 3 - e^x \cos(y) \Rightarrow \phi = \frac{3}{2} y^2 - e^x \sin(y) + f(x) \quad 6$$

$$\phi_x = M \Rightarrow -e^x \sin(y) + f'(x) = \phi_x = M = -e^x \sin(y) - 2x$$

$$f'(x) = -2x \Rightarrow f(x) = -x^2 + c$$

$$\phi = \frac{3}{2} y^2 - e^x \sin(y) - x^2 + c \quad 9$$

$$\boxed{\frac{3}{2} y^2 - e^x \sin(y) - x^2 + c = 0} \quad 10$$

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2. (15 points) Find the general solution  $y(t)$  to the differential equation

$$t^2 y' + 2t y = y^3 \quad y' + \frac{2}{t} y = \frac{y^3}{t^2}$$

Bernoulli method

$$\frac{y'}{y^3} + \frac{2}{t} \frac{1}{y^2} = \frac{1}{t^2}$$

$$v = y^{-2} \quad v' = -2 y^{-3} y'$$

$$\frac{y'}{y^3} = -\frac{1}{2} v'$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{2} v' + \frac{2}{t} v = \frac{1}{t^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{v' - \frac{4}{t} v = -\frac{2}{t^2}}$$

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$$\mu(t) = e^{-\int \frac{4}{t} dt} = e^{-4 \ln(t)} = e^{\ln(t^{-4})} = t^{-4} \Rightarrow \boxed{\mu = t^{-4}}$$

$$t^{-4} v' - 4 t^{-5} v = -2 t^{-6}$$

$$\Rightarrow (t^{-4} v)' = -2 t^{-6}$$

$$t^{-4} v = (-2) \int t^{-6} dt + c$$

$$= \frac{2}{5} t^{-5} + c \Rightarrow v = \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{t} + c t^4$$

$$\boxed{v = \frac{2 + 5c t^5}{5t}}$$

$$y = \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{v}}$$

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$$\boxed{y(t) = \pm \sqrt{\frac{5t}{2 + 5c t^5}}}$$

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3. (15 points) Find all solutions  $y$  to the equation below and leave them in implicit form,

$$y' = \frac{x^2 + 3xy + y^2}{x^2}$$

Homogeneous eq.

$$y' = \frac{(x^2 + 3xy + y^2)}{x^2} \quad \frac{(1/x^2)}{(1/x^2)}$$

$$y' = \frac{1 + 3\left(\frac{y}{x}\right) + \left(\frac{y}{x}\right)^2}{1} \quad ; \quad \frac{y}{x} = v$$

$$y' = 1 + 3v + v^2 \quad , \quad y = xv \Rightarrow y' = xv' + v$$

$$xv' + v = 1 + 3v + v^2 \Rightarrow xv' = 1 + 2v + v^2 = (v+1)^2$$

$$\int \frac{v'}{(1+v)^2} dx = \int \frac{dx}{x} + c \quad ; \quad u = 1+v \quad , \quad du = v' dx$$

$$\int \frac{du}{u^2} = \int \frac{dx}{x} + c \Rightarrow -\frac{1}{u} = \ln(x) + c$$

$$\frac{1}{1+v} = -\ln(x) - c \Rightarrow 1+v = \frac{-1}{\ln(x)+c}$$

$$\frac{y}{x} = \frac{-1}{\ln(x)+c} - 1 \Rightarrow$$

$$y(x) = \frac{-x}{\ln(x)+c} - x$$

4. ~~3.~~ <sup>9'</sup> 15 (10 points) Find the general solution  $y(t)$  to the differential equation

$$2y'' + y' = t + 2\sin(t).$$

$$y_h = e^{rt}$$

$$2r^2 + r = 0 \Rightarrow r(2r+1) = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$r_1 = 0$$

$$r_2 = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$y_h = c_1 + c_2 e^{-t/2}$$

+ 3

$$y_{p1} = r_1 t + r_0$$

$r_0$ : sol. homog.

$\rightarrow$

$$y_{p1} = r_1 t^2 + r_0 t$$

$$y'_{p1} = 2r_1 t + r_0$$

$$y''_{p1} = 2r_1$$

$$2(2r_1) + (2r_1 t + r_0) = t$$

$$(4r_1 + r_0) + 2r_1 t = t \Rightarrow$$

$$\left[ r_1 = \frac{1}{2} \right]$$

$$4r_1 + r_0 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{4}{2} + r_0 = 0$$

$$r_0 = -2$$

$$y_{p1} = \frac{t^2}{2} - 2t$$

+ 4

$$y_{p_2}(t) = k_1 \cos(t) + k_2 \sin(t)$$

$$y'_{p_2} = -k_1 \sin(t) + k_2 \cos(t)$$

$$y''_{p_2} = -k_1 \cos(t) - k_2 \sin(t)$$

$$-2(k_1 \cos(t) + k_2 \sin(t)) - k_1 \sin(t) + k_2 \cos(t) = 2 \sin(t)$$

$$(-2k_1 + k_2) \cos(t) + (-2k_2 - k_1) \sin(t) = 2 \sin(t)$$

$$2k_1 = k_2$$

$$2k_2 + k_1 = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow 4k_1 + k_1 = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow k_1 = -\frac{2}{5}$$

$$k_2 = -\frac{4}{5}$$

$$y_{p_2} = -\frac{2}{5} \cos(t) - \frac{4}{5} \sin(t)$$

$$y(t) = c_1 + c_2 e^{-t/2} + \frac{t^2}{2} - 2t - \frac{2}{5} (\cos(t) + 2 \sin(t))$$

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 (10 points) Find the general solution  $y(t)$  to the equation

$$y'' + 2y' + y = \frac{e^{-t}}{t}$$

$$y_h = e^{\Gamma t}$$

$$\Gamma^2 + 2\Gamma + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \Gamma_{\pm} = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4-4}}{2}$$

$$y_{h_1} = e^{-t}$$

$$y_{h_2} = t e^{-t}$$

$$\Gamma_{\pm} = -1$$

$$u_1' = - \frac{y_2 g}{w_{12}}$$

$$u_2' = \frac{y_1 g}{w_{12}}$$

$$w_{12} = \begin{vmatrix} e^{-t} & -e^{-t} \\ t e^{-t} & (e^{-t} - t e^{-t}) \end{vmatrix} = e^{-t} [e^{-t} - t e^{-t}] + t e^{-t} e^{-t}$$

$$w_{12} = e^{-2t}$$

$$g(t) = \frac{1}{t} e^{-t}$$

$$u_1' = - t e^{-t} \frac{e^{-t}}{t} \frac{1}{e^{-2t}} = -1 \Rightarrow u_1 = t$$

$$u_2' = e^{-t} \frac{e^{-t}}{t} \frac{1}{e^{-2t}} = \frac{1}{t} \Rightarrow u_2 = \ln(t)$$

$$\tilde{y}_p = t e^{-t} + \ln(t) t e^{-t}$$

$$y_p = t \ln(t) e^{-t}$$

$$y(t) = (c_1 + c_2 t) e^{-t} + t \ln(t) e^{-t}$$

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6. (10 points) Find the general solution  $y(x)$  of

$$4x^2 y'' + 8xy' + y = 0,$$

$$x > 0.$$

$$y(x) = x^r$$

$$4r(r-1) + 8r + 1 = 0$$

$$4r^2 - 4r + 8r + 1 = 0$$

$$4r^2 + 4r + 1 = 0 \Rightarrow r_{\pm} = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 16}}{8}$$

$$y(x) = c_1 x^{-\frac{1}{2}} + c_2 \ln(x) x^{-\frac{1}{2}}$$

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$$r_{\pm} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

⑤



7. (10 points) Find all singular points of the equation below and determine which of those are regular singular points, where

$$x(x-2)^2 y'' + 3(x+2)y' + (x-3)y = 0.$$

$$P(x) y'' + Q(x) y' + R(x) y = 0$$

$$P(x) = x(x-2)^2$$

$$Q(x) = 3(x+2)$$

$$R(x) = (x-3)$$

$$P(x) = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{\begin{matrix} x_0 = 0 \\ x_1 = 2 \end{matrix}}, \text{ Singular Points.}$$

$$x_0 = 0$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x Q(x)}{P(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x \cdot 3(x+2)}{x(x-2)^2} \rightarrow \frac{6}{4} = \frac{3}{2} \checkmark$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2 R(x)}{P(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{x^2(x-3)}{x(x-2)^2} \rightarrow 0 \checkmark$$

$x_0 = 0$  is a  
Regular-singular point.

$$x_1 = 2$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x-2) Q(x)}{P(x)} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{(x-2) \cdot 3(x+2)}{x(x-2)^2} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \frac{3(x+2)}{x(x-2)} \rightarrow \pm \infty$$

$$x \rightarrow 2.$$

$x_1 = 2$  is a NOT  
regular-singular.

8. (15 points) Use power series centered at  $x_0 = 1$  to look for two linearly independent solutions  $y_1(x)$  and  $y_2(x)$  of the differential equation

$$-3xy'' + 2y' + y = 0. \quad (1)$$

- (a) Find the recurrence relation for the power series coefficients.  
 (b) Find the first ~~three~~<sup>two</sup> non-zero terms of the power series for each of the linearly independent solutions  $y_1$  and  $y_2$ .

(a)  $x_0 = 1$  is a regular point of (1).

$$\left[ y = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (x-1)^n \right] \Rightarrow \left[ y' = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n a_n (x-1)^{n-1} \right]$$

$$\left[ y'' = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n(n-1) a_n (x-1)^{n-2} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} x y'' &= x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n(n-1) a_n (x-1)^{n-2} \\ &= (x-1+1) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n(n-1) a_n (x-1)^{n-2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\left[ x y'' = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n(n-1) a_n (x-1)^{n-1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n(n-1) a_n (x-1)^{n-2} \right]$$

$$\left[ \begin{aligned} &\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-3) n(n-1) a_n (x-1)^{n-1} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (-3) n(n-1) a_n (x-1)^{n-2} \\ &+ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2 n a_n (x-1)^{n-1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (x-1)^n = 0 \end{aligned} \right]$$

$$\left[ \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-3)(n+1)(n) a_{n+1} (x-1)^n + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-3)(n+2)(n+1) a_{n+2} (x-1)^n \right. \\ \left. + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2(n+1) a_{n+1} (x-1)^n + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (x-1)^n = 0 \right]$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[ -3(n+1)n a_{n+1} - 3(n+2)(n+1) a_{n+2} + 2(n+1) a_{n+1} + a_n \right] (x-1)^n = 0$$

$$\left[ -3(n+2)(n+1) a_{n+2} - 3(n+1)n a_{n+1} + 2(n+1) a_{n+1} + a_n = 0 \right]$$

$$+3(n+2)(n+1) a_{n+2} + (n+1)(-3n+2) a_{n+1} + a_n = 0$$

$$a_{n+2} = \frac{(n+1)(-3n+2) a_{n+1} + a_n}{3(n+2)(n+1)}$$

Recurrence  
Relations

$n \geq 0$ .

$$n=0 \quad a_2 = \frac{2a_1 + a_0}{6} \Rightarrow \boxed{a_2 = \frac{1}{3}a_1 + \frac{1}{6}a_0}$$

$$n=1 \quad a_3 = \frac{2(-1)a_2 + a_1}{6}$$

$$Y(x) = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + \dots$$

$$= a_0 + a_1 x + \left(\frac{1}{3}a_1 + \frac{1}{6}a_0\right)x^2 + \dots$$

$$Y(x) = a_0 \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{6}x^2 + \dots \right]$$

$$+ a_1 \left[ x + \frac{1}{3}x^2 + \dots \right]$$

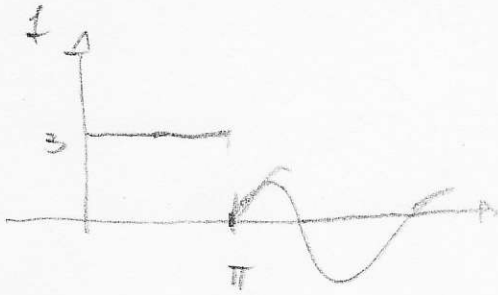
$$Y_1(x) = 1 + \frac{1}{6}x^2 + \dots$$

$$Y_2(x) = x + \frac{1}{3}x^2 + \dots$$

9.

(10 points) Find the Laplace transform of the function  $f$  given by

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 3 & \text{if } 0 \leq t < \pi, \\ \sin(t - \pi) & \text{if } t \geq \pi. \end{cases}$$



$$f(t) = 3 [u(t) - u(t - \pi)] + u(t - \pi) \sin(t - \pi)$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}[f] &= 3 \left( \mathcal{L}[u(t)] - \mathcal{L}[u(t - \pi)] \right) + \mathcal{L}[u(t - \pi) \sin(t - \pi)] \\ &= 3 \left( \frac{1}{s} - \frac{e^{-\pi s}}{s} \right) + e^{-\pi s} \frac{1}{(s^2 + 1)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{L}[f] = \frac{3}{s} (1 - e^{-\pi s}) + \frac{e^{-\pi s}}{s^2 + 1}$$

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10.

(10 points) Find an explicit expression (that is, without using convolutions) of the inverse Laplace transform of the function  $F$  given by

$$F(s) = \frac{e^{-\pi s}}{(s^2 + 1)(s^2 + 4)}$$

$$\frac{1}{(s^2 + 1)(s^2 + 4)} = \frac{a}{(s^2 + 1)} + \frac{b}{(s^2 + 4)} \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow 1 &= a(s^2 + 4) + b(s^2 + 1) \\ &= a s^2 + 4a + b s^2 + b \\ &= (a + b) s^2 + (4a + b) \end{aligned}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} a + b &= 0 \\ 4a + b &= 1 \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow 3a = 1$$

$$\boxed{a = \frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\boxed{b = -\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{e^{-\pi s}}{3} \left[ \frac{1}{s^2 + 1} - \frac{1}{s^2 + 4} \right]$$

$$= \frac{e^{-\pi s}}{3} \left[ \frac{1}{s^2 + 1} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{2}{s^2 + 4} \right]$$

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{3} \left[ u(t - \pi) \sin(t - \pi) - \frac{1}{2} u(t - \pi) \sin[2(t - \pi)] \right]$$

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{3} u(t - \pi) \left[ \sin(t - \pi) - \frac{1}{2} \sin[2(t - \pi)] \right]$$

11. (10 points) Given a continuous but otherwise arbitrary function  $g$ , use the Laplace transform method to find the solution  $y$  to the initial value problem

$$y'' + 4y' + 8y = g(t), \quad y(0) = y'(0) = 0.$$

Express the solution  $y$  in terms of appropriate convolutions with function  $g$ .

$$(s^2 + 4s + 8) \mathcal{L}[Y] = \mathcal{L}[g]$$

$$\mathcal{L}[Y] = \frac{1}{(s^2 + 4s + 8)} \mathcal{L}[g]$$

$$s^2 + 4s + 8 = 0 \Rightarrow s_{\pm} = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 32}}{2} \rightarrow \text{complex roots.}$$

$$s^2 + 4s + 8 = s^2 + 2(2s) + 4 - 4 + 8 = (s+2)^2 + 4$$

$$\mathcal{L}[Y] = \frac{1}{[(s+2)^2 + 4]} \mathcal{L}[g] = \frac{1}{2} \frac{2}{[(s+2)^2 + 4]} \mathcal{L}[g]$$

$$\mathcal{L}[Y] = \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L}[e^{-2t} \sin(2t)] \mathcal{L}[g(t)]$$

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t e^{-2\tau} \sin(2\tau) g(t-\tau) d\tau$$

12. (15 points) Find the general solution  $x$  to the ~~initial value problem~~ <sup>equation</sup>

$$x' = Ax, \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 \\ 3 & -2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Sketch a phase portrait with few solution trajectories.

$$P(\lambda) = \begin{vmatrix} 2-\lambda & -1 \\ 3 & -2-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda+2)(\lambda-2) + 3 = \lambda^2 - 4 + 3 = \lambda^2 - 1$$

$$P(\lambda) = \lambda^2 - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{\lambda_{\pm} = \pm 1}$$

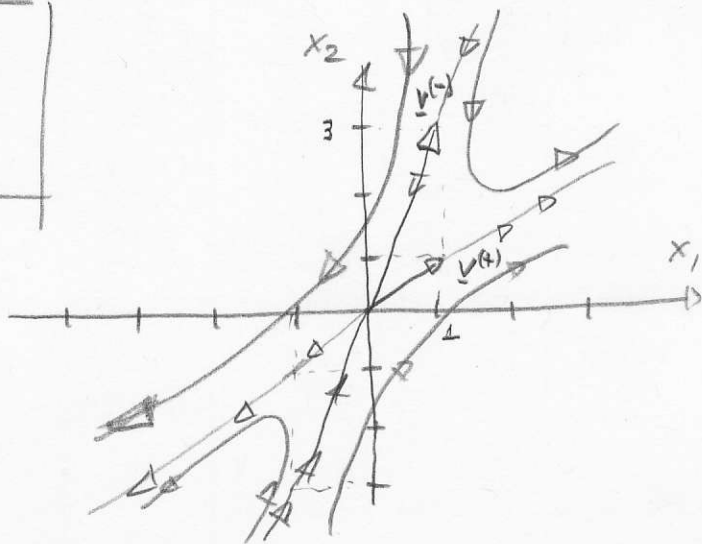
$$\boxed{\lambda_+ = 1} \mid A - I = \begin{bmatrix} 2-1 & -1 \\ 3 & -2-1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 3 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow v_1 = v_2 \Rightarrow \boxed{v^{(+)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \lambda_+ = 1}$$

$$\boxed{\lambda_- = -1} \mid A + I = \begin{bmatrix} 2+1 & -1 \\ 3 & -2+1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 3 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow 3v_1 = v_2 \Rightarrow \boxed{v^{(-)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \lambda_- = -1}$$

$$\boxed{x(t) = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} e^t + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} e^{-t}}$$





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13. (10 points) Find the solution  $\mathbf{x}$  to the initial value problem

$$\mathbf{x}' = A\mathbf{x}, \quad \mathbf{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}, \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -18 \\ 2 & -9 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$P(\lambda) = \begin{vmatrix} 3-\lambda & -18 \\ 2 & -9-\lambda \end{vmatrix} = (\lambda+9)(\lambda-3) + 36 = \lambda^2 + 9\lambda - 3\lambda - 27 + 36$$

$$P(\lambda) = \lambda^2 + 6\lambda + 9 = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_{\pm} = \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{36 - 36}}{2} = -3$$

$$\boxed{\lambda_{\pm} = -3}$$

$$A + 3I = \begin{bmatrix} 3+3 & -18 \\ 2 & -9+3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -18 \\ 2 & -6 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 1 & -3 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -3 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$v_1 = 3v_2$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\underline{v} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \lambda = -3}$$

$$(A + 3I)\underline{w} = \underline{v} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 6 & -18 & | & 3 \\ 2 & -6 & | & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -6 & | & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & | & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2w_1 = 6w_2 + 1$$

$$\text{choosing } w_2 = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\boxed{\underline{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}}$$

$$\boxed{w_1 = \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\underline{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} e^{-3t} + c_2 \left( \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} t + \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) e^{-3t}$$

I.C.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \underline{x}(0) = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1/2 \\ 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{(0 - 1/2)} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1/2 \\ -1 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} = (-2) \begin{bmatrix} -3/2 \\ 7 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \boxed{\begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ c_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -14 \end{bmatrix}}$$

$$\underline{x}(t) = 3 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} e^{-3t} - 14 \left( \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} t + \begin{bmatrix} 1/2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \right) e^{-3t}$$

14. (15 points) Find every positive eigenvalue  $\lambda$  and nonzero function  $y$ , solutions of the boundary value problem

$$y'' - 4y' + 4y = -\lambda y, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y(3) = 0.$$

$$y'' - 4y' + (4 + \lambda)y = 0, \quad y(x) = e^{\Gamma x}$$

$$P(\Gamma) = \Gamma^2 - 4\Gamma + (4 + \lambda) = 0 \Rightarrow \Gamma_{\pm} = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 4(4 + \lambda)}}{2}$$

$$\Gamma_{\pm} = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{-4\lambda}}{2}, \quad \lambda > 0, \quad \lambda = \mu^2.$$

$$\Gamma_{\pm} = \frac{4 \pm 2\mu i}{2} \Rightarrow \boxed{\Gamma_{\pm} = 2 \pm i\mu}$$

$$\boxed{y(x) = c_1 e^{2x} \cos(\mu x) + c_2 e^{2x} \sin(\mu x)}$$

B.C.  $0 = y(0) = c_1 \Rightarrow \boxed{c_1 = 0}$

$$\boxed{y(x) = c_2 e^{2x} \sin(\mu x)}$$

$$0 = y(3) = c_2 e^6 \sin(\mu 3); \quad c_2 \neq 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin(\mu 3) = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{\mu 3 = n\pi} \quad n \geq 1$$

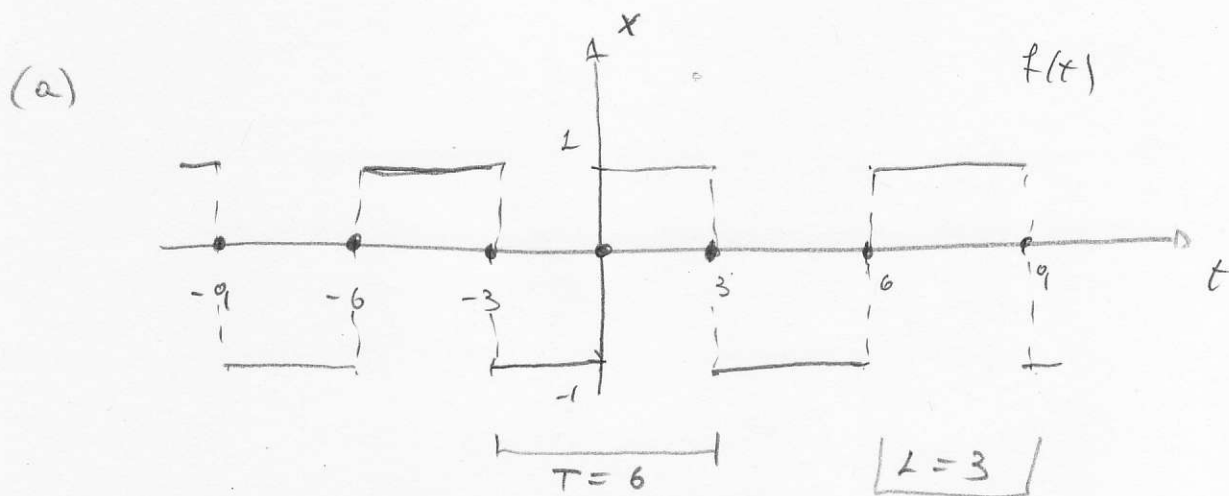
$$\boxed{\mu = \frac{n\pi}{3}}$$

$$\boxed{\lambda_n = \left(\frac{n\pi}{3}\right)^2}$$

$$\boxed{y_n(x) = e^{2x} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{3}x\right)}$$

15. (15 points) Consider the function  $f(x) = -1$ , defined for  $-3 < x < 0$ .

- (a) Sketch the graph of the odd periodic extension of period  $T = 6$  of the function  $f$  above. Sketch the graph of this extension for at least three periods.  
 (b) Determine the Fourier series of this odd periodic extension of  $f$ .



(b)  $f$  is odd  $\Rightarrow \boxed{a_n = 0} \quad n \geq 0$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{3} \int_{-3}^3 f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{3}\right) dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \int_0^3 f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{3}\right) dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \int_0^3 \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{3}\right) dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left( \frac{-3}{n\pi} \right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{3}\right) \Big|_0^3$$

$$\boxed{b_n = -\frac{2}{n\pi} [\cos(n\pi) - 1]}$$

$$b_n = -\frac{2}{n\pi} [(-1)^n - 1]$$

$$b_{2k} = 0$$

$$b_{2k+1} = -\frac{2}{(2k+1)\pi} \quad (-2)$$

$$b_{2k+1} = \frac{4}{(2k+1)\pi} \quad (k \geq 1)$$

$$f(x) = \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(2n+1)} \sin\left(\frac{(2n+1)\pi x}{3}\right)$$

You are allowed to use the Laplace transform table on page 317 in the textbook.

Nevertheless, this is a short list of Laplace transforms and Laplace transform properties that could be useful for the exam. We use the notation  $\mathcal{L}[f(t)] = F(s)$ .

$$\begin{array}{lll}
 f(t) = e^{at} & F(s) = \frac{1}{s-a} & s > \max\{a, 0\}, \\
 f(t) = t^n & F(s) = \frac{n!}{s^{(n+1)}} & s > 0, \\
 f(t) = \sin(at) & F(s) = \frac{a}{s^2 + a^2} & s > 0, \\
 f(t) = \cos(at) & F(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 + a^2} & s > 0, \\
 f(t) = \sinh(at) & F(s) = \frac{a}{s^2 - a^2} & s > 0, \\
 f(t) = \cosh(at) & F(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 - a^2} & s > 0, \\
 f(t) = t^n e^{at} & F(s) = \frac{n!}{(s-a)^{(n+1)}} & s > \max\{a, 0\}, \\
 f(t) = e^{at} \sin(bt) & F(s) = \frac{b}{(s-a)^2 + b^2} & s > \max\{a, 0\}, \\
 f(t) = e^{at} \cos(bt) & F(s) = \frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2 + b^2} & s > \max\{a, 0\}.
 \end{array}$$

The following Laplace transforms could also be useful, where  $u$  denotes the step function at  $t = 0$ , and  $\delta$  the Dirac delta generalized function:

$$\mathcal{L}[u(t-c)] = \frac{e^{-cs}}{s}, \quad \mathcal{L}[\delta(t-c)] = e^{-cs}.$$

The following relations could also be useful:

$$\begin{aligned}
 e^{-cs} \mathcal{L}[f(t)] &= \mathcal{L}[u(t-c) f(t-c)], \\
 \mathcal{L}[e^{ct} f(t)] &= F(s-c), \\
 \mathcal{L}[f^{(n)}(t)] &= s^n F(s) - s^{(n-1)} f(0) - \dots - f^{(n-1)}(0).
 \end{aligned}$$