

1. 6 Find the general solution for the following.

(a)  $y'' - 4y = 0$      $r^2 - 4 = (r-2)(r+2) = 0$

$$y = C_1 e^{2t} + C_2 e^{-2t}$$

(d)  $t^2 y'' + t y' - y = 0$      $r^2 - 1 = (r-1)(r+1) = 0$

$$y = C_1 t + C_2 t^{-1}$$

(b)  $4y'' - 4y' + y = 0$      $4r^2 - 4r + 1 = (2r-1)^2 = 0$

$$y = C_1 e^{t/2} + C_2 t e^{t/2}$$

(e)  $4t^2 y'' + y = 0$      $4r^2 - 4r + 1 = 0$

$$y = C_1 \sqrt{t} + C_2 \sqrt{t} \ln t$$

(c)  $y''' + 2y'' + 5y' = 0$      $r^3 + 2r^2 + 5r = 0$

$$r = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4-20}}{2}$$

$$r = -1 \pm 2i$$

$$y = C_1 e^{-t} \cos 2t + C_2 e^{-t} \sin 2t + C_3$$

(f)  $t^2 y'' + 3t y' + 5y = 0$

$$y = C_1 t^{-1} \cos(2 \ln t) + C_2 t^{-1} \sin(2 \ln t)$$

2. 4 Find the general solution for

$$y'' - 4y = (16t - 8)e^{-2t}$$

$$y_p = t(At + B)e^{-2t} = (At^2 + Bt)e^{-2t}$$

$$y_p' = [2At + B - 2At^2 - 2Bt]e^{-2t}$$

$$y_p'' = [2A - 4At - 2B - 4At - 2B + 4At^2 + 4Bt]e^{-2t}$$

$$y_p'' - 4y_p = [4At^2 + (-8A + 4B)t + (2A - 4B)]e^{-2t} + [-4At^2 - 4Bt]e^{-2t}$$

$$t^2 e^{-2t}: 4A - 4A = 0$$

$$t e^{-2t}: -8A + 4B - 4B = 16 \Rightarrow A = -2$$

$$e^{-2t}: 2A - 4B = -8 \Rightarrow B = 1$$

so  $y = C_1 e^{2t} + C_2 e^{-2t} + (-2t^2 + t)e^{-2t}$  is the general solution.

3. [4] Use Reduction of Order and the given solution to find a second linearly independent solution to the following equation.

$$ty'' + (1-2t)y' + (t-1)y = 0, \quad t > 0, \quad y_1 = e^t$$

$$p(t) = \frac{1-2t}{t} = \frac{1}{t} - 2 \quad e^{-\int p(t) dt} = e^{-(\ln t - 2t)} = t^{-1} \cdot e^{2t} = \frac{e^{2t}}{t}$$

$$\text{so } y_2 = y_1 \int \frac{\frac{e^{2t}}{t}}{e^{2t}} dt = y_1 \int \frac{dt}{t} = e^t \cdot \ln t$$

4. [6] Solve the initial value problem

$$t^2 y'' + ty' - y = t^2 e^t, \quad y(1) = 0, \quad y'(1) = e.$$

$$y_1 = t \quad y_2 = t^{-1} \quad W[t, t^{-1}] = \begin{vmatrix} t & t^{-1} \\ 1 & -t^{-2} \end{vmatrix} = -t^{-1} - t^{-1} = -2t^{-1}$$

$$V_1 = \int \frac{-e^t t^{-1}}{-2t^{-1}} dt = \frac{1}{2} \int e^t dt = \frac{1}{2} e^t$$

$$V_2 = \int \frac{e^t t}{-2t^{-1}} dt = -\frac{1}{2} \int t^2 e^t dt = -\frac{1}{2} [t^2 e^t - 2t e^t + 2e^t]$$

I.B.P. twice

$$\text{so } y = C_1 t + C_2 t^{-1} + \frac{1}{2} t e^t - \frac{1}{2} [t^2 e^t - 2t e^t + \frac{2e^t}{t}]$$

$$= C_1 t + C_2 t^{-1} + e^t \left(1 - \frac{1}{t}\right)$$

$$y' = C_1 - \frac{C_2}{t^2} + e^t \left(1 - \frac{1}{t} + \frac{1}{t^2}\right)$$

$$y = e^t \left(1 - \frac{1}{t}\right)$$

$$y(1) = 0$$

$$\text{so } C_1 + C_2 = 0$$

$$y'(1) = C_1 - C_2 + e = e$$

$$\text{so } C_1 - C_2 = 0$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} C_1 + C_2 = 0 \\ C_1 - C_2 = 0 \end{array} \right\} C_1 = C_2 = 0$$