

Mast 330 / Math 370 Sec A Final Exam December 2005

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Instructions: *Please answer all 5 questions. Explain your working carefully. Calculators are permitted. [Lined booklets]*

1. Consider the differential equation

$$y' = \frac{y}{x + y}.$$

- (a) Find the general solution, and verify that it satisfies the differential equation. [Note: your solution may be in implicit form].
- (b) Find a particular solution satisfying the initial condition $y(0) = 2$.

2. Consider the differential equation

$$y' = (1 + y^2)x^2.$$

- (a) Show that if y_1 is a solution, then $2y_1$ is *not* a solution.
- (b) If $y(1) = 1$, find $y'(1)$ and $y''(1)$ and hence, without solving the differential equation, find a polynomial of degree 2 in $(x - 1)$ to approximate $y(x)$ near $x = 1$.
- (c) Find the general solution y .

3.

- (a) Find the general solution to the following differential equation

$$(y^2 e^x + 2yx)dx + (3ye^x + 2x^2)dy = 0.$$

- (b) Find the orthogonal trajectories for the family of ellipses given by

$$\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{y^2}{9} = a^2.$$

Sketch the two families roughly on one diagram.

4. Consider the differential equation

$$y'' - 4y' + 4y = \frac{e^{2x}}{1 + x^2}.$$

- (a) Find the general solution.
- (b) Find the particular solutions that vanish at $x = 0$.

5. Consider the following initial-value problem which represents a spring-mass system responding to a sequence of two impulses:

$$y'' + y = 2\delta_1(t) + 3\delta_4(t),$$

- (a) Find the general solution.
- (b) Find a particular solution which is initially at rest, that is to say, satisfying $y(0) = y'(0) = 0$. In this case, find the values $y(2)$ and $y(5)$.

Table of Laplace Transforms

$f(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)\}$	$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f(t) dt$
1	$\frac{1}{s}, s > 0$
e^{at}	$\frac{1}{s-a}, s > a$
$t^n, n \text{ integer } > 0$	$\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}, s > 0$
$t^p, p > -1$	$\frac{\Gamma(p+1)}{s^{p+1}}, s > 0$
$\sin(bt)$	$\frac{b}{s^2+b^2}, s > 0$
$\cos(bt)$	$\frac{s}{s^2+b^2}, s > 0$
$\sinh(bt)$	$\frac{b}{s^2-b^2}, s > b $
$\cosh(bt)$	$\frac{s}{s^2-b^2}, s > b $
$e^{at} \sin(bt)$	$\frac{b}{(s-a)^2+b^2}, s > a$
$e^{at} \cos(bt)$	$\frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2+b^2}, s > a$
$e^{at} f(t)$	$F(s-a), s > a$
$(-t)^n f(t), n \text{ integer } > 0$	$F^{(n)}(s)$
$f^{(n)}(t)$	$s^n F(s) - s^{n-1} f(0) - \dots - f^{(n-1)}(0)$
$f(ct)$	$\frac{1}{c} F\left(\frac{s}{c}\right), c > 0$
$u_c(t)$	$\frac{e^{-cs}}{s}, c \geq 0$
$u_c(t) f(t-c)$	$e^{-cs} F(s), c \geq 0$
$\delta(t-c)$	$e^{-cs}, c \geq 0$
$\int_0^t f(t-\tau) g(\tau) d\tau$	$F(s) G(s)$