

HW # 6

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Sec. 3.2: 3, 6, 8, 10, 18

(3)  $f(t) = e^{-2t}$ ,  $g(t) = t e^{-2t}$

$f'(t) = -2e^{-2t}$ ,  $g'(t) = e^{-2t} - 2t e^{-2t}$   
 $= e^{-2t}(1-2t)$

Now:

$$W(f, g) = \begin{vmatrix} f & g \\ f' & g' \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} e^{-2t} & t e^{-2t} \\ -2e^{-2t} & e^{-2t}(1-2t) \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow W(f, g) = e^{-4t}(1-2t) + 2t e^{-4t}$$
$$= e^{-4t} - 2t e^{-4t} + 2t e^{-4t}$$

$\therefore W(f, g) = e^{-4t}$

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Sec. 3.3

$$\textcircled{6} f(\theta) = \cos^2 \theta, \quad g(\theta) = 1 + \cos(2\theta)$$

$$f'(\theta) = -2\cos\theta \sin\theta, \quad g'(\theta) = -2\sin(2\theta)$$

Now:

$$W(f, g) = \begin{vmatrix} f & g \\ f' & g' \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} \cos^2 \theta & 1 + \cos(2\theta) \\ -2\cos\theta \sin\theta & -2\sin(2\theta) \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= -2\cos^2 \theta \sin(2\theta) + 2\cos\theta \sin\theta \times (1 + \cos(2\theta))$$

Use the trig identities:

$$\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1 + \cos(2\theta)}{2}$$

$$\sin(2\theta) = 2\cos\theta \sin\theta$$

to determine  $W(f, g)$ .

$$W(f, g) = -2\cos^2 \theta \sin(2\theta) + (2\cos\theta \sin\theta) \times (1 + \cos(2\theta))$$

$$= -(4\cos^2 \theta) \sin\theta \cos\theta$$

$$+ \sin^2 \theta (4\cos^2 \theta)$$

$$\therefore \boxed{W(f, g) = 0}$$

#3

$$(8) (t-1)y'' - 3ty' + 4y = \sin t,$$

$$y(-2) = 2, y'(-2) = 1$$

So:  $y'' - \frac{3t}{t-1}y' + \frac{4}{t-1}y = \frac{\sin t}{t-1}$

$t \neq 1$  since  $t-1$  is on the denominator. Here,  $t_0 = -2$ .



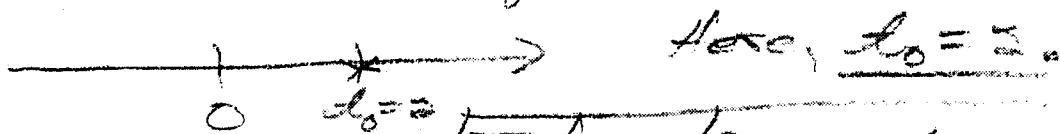
Interval of  
Sol'n:  $-\infty < t < 1$

$$(10) y'' + (\cos t)y' + 3(\ln|t|)y = 0$$

$$y(2) = 3, y'(2) = 1$$

$\cos t$  - defined for  $-\infty < t < +\infty$

$\ln|t|$  - not defined at  $t=0$



Interval:  
Sol'n:  $0 < t < +\infty$

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Sec. 3.2

(18) If  $W(f, g) = t^2 e^t$  and if  $f(t) = t$ , determine  $g(t)$ .

$$W(f, g) = \begin{vmatrix} f & g \\ f' & g' \end{vmatrix} = fg' - g f'$$

So:

$$W(f, g) = fg' - g f' = t g' - g(1) = t^2 e^t$$

$$\Rightarrow t g' - g = t^2 e^t$$

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$$\boxed{g' - \frac{1}{t} g = t e^t} \quad (*)$$

We solve (\*) for  $g(t)$  via integrating factor.

$$\mu(t) = e^{\int -\frac{1}{t} dt} = e^{-\ln t} = t^{-1}$$

Now:

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

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$$\int \frac{d}{dt} \left( \frac{q(t)}{t} \right) dt = \int e^t dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{q(t)}{t} = e^t + C$$

$$\Rightarrow q(t) = t e^t + C t$$

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Sec. 3.3: 5, 6, 7, 16, 17

$$\textcircled{5} \quad f(x) = 3x - 5, \quad g(x) = 9x - 15$$
$$f'(x) = 3, \quad g'(x) = 9$$

$$W(f, g) = \begin{vmatrix} f & g \\ f' & g' \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 3x - 5 & 9x - 15 \\ 3 & 9 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow W(f, g) = 9(3x - 5) - 3(9x - 15)$$
$$= 27x - 45 - 27x + 45 = \underline{\underline{0}}$$

$\Rightarrow$   $f(x) = 3x - 5$  and  $g(x) = 9x - 15$   
are linearly dependent

$$(g(x) = 9x - 15 = 3f(x))$$

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$$\textcircled{2} f(x) = x, \quad g(x) = x^{-1}$$

$$f'(x) = 1, \quad g'(x) = -x^{-2}$$

$$W(f, g) = \begin{vmatrix} f & g \\ f' & g' \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} x & x^{-1} \\ 1 & -x^{-2} \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow W(f, g) &= -x^{-2}(x) - x^{-1} = -x^{-1} - x^{-1} \\ &= -2x^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

If  $x \neq 0$ , then  $W(f, g) = -2x^{-1} \neq 0$ ,  
so  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are linearly  
independent.

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Sec. 3.3:

⑨  $W(t) = t \sin t$

The functions are linearly independent since  $W(t) \neq 0$  for all  $t$ .

⑩  $(\cos t)y'' + (\sin t)y' - ty = 0$

$$\Rightarrow y'' + (\tan t)y' - \left(\frac{t}{\cos t}\right)y = 0$$

Identify:  $P(t) = \tan t$

$$\begin{aligned} W(t) &= A e^{-\int P(t') dt'} = A e^{-\int \frac{\sin t'}{\cos t'} dt'} \\ &= A e^{+\ln|\cos t|} = A(\cos t) \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$   $W(t) = A \cos t$

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$$(17) \quad x^2 y'' + x y' + (x^2 - \nu^2) y = 0, \quad x > 0$$

So:

$$y'' + \frac{1}{x} y' + \frac{(x^2 - \nu^2)}{x^2} y = 0$$

Identify:  $p(x) = \frac{1}{x}$

$$W(x) = A e^{-\int p(x) dx} = A e^{-\int \frac{dx}{x}}$$

$$= A e^{-\ln|x|} = A x^{-1}$$

∴  $W(x) = A x^{-1} = \frac{A}{x}$