

**MATHEMATICS 220: FINAL EXAM**  
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Please read the exam carefully and follow all instructions. **SHOW ALL OF YOUR WORK.** Please put a box around your final answer.

1. (25 points) Solve the initial value problem

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} + 3(y + x^3) = \frac{\sin x}{x^2}, \quad y(\pi) = -\pi^3/2.$$

2. (20 points) Use Euler's method to approximate the solution of the initial value problem

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = x - y^2, \quad y(0) = 0,$$

at the points  $x = 1, 2, 3$ .

3. (20 points) Solve the initial value problem

$$y'' + 2y' + 17y = 0, \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = -1.$$

4. (25 points) Using the **Method of Undetermined Coefficients** (any other method will receive no credit) find the general solution to the equation

$$y''(t) + 9y(t) = -12 \sin(3t).$$

5. (20 points) Find the solution to the initial value problem

$$t^2 y''(t) + 3ty'(t) + 5y(t) = 0, \quad y(1) = 2, \quad y'(1) = -8.$$

6. (20 points) Solve the given initial value problem using the **Method of Laplace transforms** (any other method will receive zero points):

$$y''(t) - 4y(t) = 0, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 4\pi.$$

7. (25 points) Solve the initial value problem

$$y''(t) + y(t) = -\delta(t - \pi), \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 1.$$

8. (20 points) Compute the **Fourier Sine** series of

$$f(x) = x, \quad 0 < x < \pi.$$

9. (25 points) Solve the initial-boundary value problem

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} &= \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}, & 0 < x < \pi, \quad t > 0, \\ u(0, t) &= 0 & t > 0, \\ u(\pi, t) &= 0 & t > 0, \\ u(x, 0) &= 1, & 0 < x < \pi. \end{aligned}$$

## List of PDE Formulae

1. The solution of the homogeneous heat equation  $u_t = \beta^2 u_{xx}$  with Dirichlet boundary conditions is:

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n e^{-(\beta n \pi / L)^2 t} \sin \left( \frac{n \pi}{L} x \right).$$

2. The solution of the homogeneous heat equation  $u_t = \beta^2 u_{xx}$  with Neumann boundary conditions is:

$$u(x, t) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{-(\beta n \pi / L)^2 t} \cos \left( \frac{n \pi}{L} x \right).$$

3. The inhomogeneous heat equation has a solution of the form  $u(x, t) = v(x) + w(x, t)$ , where  $v$  is the steady-state solution and  $w$  solves a homogeneous heat equation.
4. The solution of the homogeneous wave equation  $u_{tt} = \alpha^2 u_{xx}$  with Dirichlet boundary conditions is:

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left\{ a_n \cos \left( \alpha \frac{n \pi}{L} t \right) + b_n \sin \left( \alpha \frac{n \pi}{L} t \right) \right\} \sin \left( \frac{n \pi}{L} x \right).$$

## List of Laplace Transforms

$$1. \quad \mathcal{L}\{1\} = \frac{1}{s}, \quad s > 0$$

$$2. \quad \mathcal{L}\{e^{at}\} = \frac{1}{s-a}, \quad s > a$$

$$3. \quad \mathcal{L}\{t^n\} = \frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}, \quad s > 0$$

$$4. \quad \mathcal{L}\{\sin(bt)\} = \frac{b}{s^2 + b^2}, \quad s > 0$$

$$5. \quad \mathcal{L}\{\cos(bt)\} = \frac{s}{s^2 + b^2}, \quad s > 0$$

$$6. \quad \mathcal{L}\{e^{at}t^n\} = \frac{n!}{(s-a)^{n+1}}, \quad s > a$$

$$7. \quad \mathcal{L}\{e^{at}\sin(bt)\} = \frac{b}{(s-a)^2 + b^2}, \quad s > a$$

$$8. \quad \mathcal{L}\{e^{at}\cos(bt)\} = \frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2 + b^2}, \quad s > a$$

$$9. \quad \mathcal{L}\{e^{at}f(t)\}(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s-a)$$

$$10. \quad \mathcal{L}\{f'\}(s) = s\mathcal{L}\{f\}(s) - f(0)$$

$$11. \quad \mathcal{L}\{f''\}(s) = s^2\mathcal{L}\{f\}(s) - sf(0) - f'(0)$$

$$12. \quad \mathcal{L}\{f^{(n)}\}(s) = s^n\mathcal{L}\{f\}(s) - s^{n-1}f(0) - \dots - f^{(n-1)}(0)$$

$$13. \quad \mathcal{L}\{t^n f(t)\}(s) = (-1)^n \frac{d^n}{ds^n} \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s)$$

$$14. \quad \mathcal{L}\{f(t-a)u(t-a)\}(s) = e^{-as}F(s)$$

$$15. \quad \mathcal{L}\{u(t-a)\}(s) = \frac{e^{-as}}{s}$$

$$16. \quad \mathcal{L}\{g(t)u(t-a)\}(s) = e^{-as}\mathcal{L}\{g(t+a)\}(s)$$

17. If  $f$  has period  $T$  then

$$\mathcal{L}\{f\}(s) = \frac{F_T(s)}{1 - e^{-sT}} = \frac{\int_0^T e^{-st} f(t) dt}{1 - e^{-sT}}$$

$$18. \quad \mathcal{L}\{\delta(t-a)\}(s) = e^{-as}$$

① linear!

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} + 3(y + x^3) = \frac{\sin x}{x^2}, \quad y(\pi) = -\pi^3/2$$

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} + 3y = \frac{\sin x}{x^2} - 3x^3$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{3}{x}y = \frac{\sin x}{x^3} - 3x^2$$

$$\mu(x) = \exp\left(\int \frac{3}{x} dx\right) = \exp(3 \ln x) = x^3$$

$$\int Q(x)\mu(x) dx = \int \sin x - 3x^5 dx = -\cos x - \frac{1}{2}x^6 + C$$

$$y(x) = \frac{\int Q(x)\mu(x) dx}{\mu(x)} = -\frac{\cos x}{x^3} - \frac{1}{2}x^3 + Cx^{-3}$$

$$-\frac{\pi^3}{2} = y(\pi) = \frac{1}{\pi^3} - \frac{1}{2}\pi^3 + \frac{C}{\pi^3}$$

$$\frac{1+C}{\pi^3} = 0 \Rightarrow C = -1$$

$$\boxed{y(x) = -\frac{\cos x}{x^3} - \frac{1}{2}x^3 - \frac{1}{x^3}}$$

② Problem doesn't specify, but let's take  $h=1$

x	y	f(x,y)
0	$y_0$	0
1	$0+1 \cdot 0 = 0$	1
2	$0+1 \cdot 1 = 1$	1
3	$1+1 \cdot 1 = 2$	/

③ easiest to use Laplace transform

$$y'' + 2y' + 17y = 0, \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = -1$$
$$s^2 Y - sy(0) - y'(0) + 2(sY - y(0)) + 17Y = 0$$

$$Y(s^2 + 2s + 17) = s - 1 + 2$$

$$s^2 + 2s + 17 = (s+1)^2 + 16$$

$$Y = \frac{s+1}{(s+1)^2 + 4^2}$$

$$\boxed{y(t) = e^{-t} \cos(4t)}$$

$$④ y'' + 9y = -12\sin(3t)$$

$$r^2 + 9 = 0$$

$$r = \pm 3i$$

$$y_h(t) = C_1 \cos 3t + C_2 \sin 3t$$

$$y_p(t) = At \cos 3t + Bt \sin 3t = t(A \cos 3t + B \sin 3t)$$

$$y_p'(t) = A \cos 3t + B \sin 3t - 3At \sin 3t + 3Bt \cos 3t$$

$$\begin{aligned} y_p''(t) &= -3A \sin 3t + 3B \cos 3t - 3A \sin 3t - 9At \cos 3t - 9Bt \sin 3t \\ &= -6A \sin 3t + 6B \cos 3t - 9At \cos 3t - 9Bt \sin 3t \end{aligned}$$

$$-12 \sin(3t) = y_p'' + 9y_p = -6A \sin 3t + 6B \cos 3t$$

$$B = 0, A = 2$$

$$y(t) = C_1 \cos 3t + C_2 \sin 3t + 2t \cos 3t$$

$$⑤ t^2 y''(t) + 3t y'(t) + 5y(t) = 0, \quad y(1) = 2, \quad y'(1) = -8$$

$$y = t^r, \quad y' = rt^{r-1}, \quad y'' = (r^2 - r)t^{r-2}$$

$$(r^2 - r + 3r + 5)t^r = 0$$

$$r^2 + 2r + 5 = 0$$

$$r = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 20}}{2} = \frac{-2 \pm 4i}{2} = -1 \pm 2i$$

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

$$\begin{aligned} y'(t) &= -C_1 t^{-2} \cos(2 \ln t) - C_1 \frac{2}{t} t^{-1} \sin(2 \ln t) \\ &\quad - C_2 t^{-2} \sin(2 \ln t) + C_2 \frac{2}{t} t^{-1} \cos(2 \ln t) \end{aligned}$$

$$2 = y(1) = C_1$$

$$-8 = y'(1) = -2 + 2C_2 \Rightarrow C_2 = 3$$

$$\boxed{y(t) = 2t^{-1} \cos(2 \ln t) + 3t^{-1} \sin(2 \ln t)}$$

⑥.  $y'' - 4y = 0, y(0) = 0, y'(0) = 4\pi$

$$s^2 Y - sy(0) - y'(0) - 4Y = 0$$

$$Y(s^2 - 4) = 4\pi$$

$$Y = \frac{4\pi}{s^2 - 4} = \frac{A}{s-2} + \frac{B}{s+2}$$

$$4\pi = A(s+2) + B(s-2)$$

$$s=2 \quad 4\pi = 4A$$

$$s=-2 \quad 4\pi = -4B$$

$$A = \pi, B = -\pi$$

$$Y = \frac{\pi}{s-2} - \frac{\pi}{s+2}$$

$$\boxed{y(t) = \pi e^{2t} - \pi e^{-2t}}$$

7.  $y''(t) + y(t) = -\delta(t-\pi)$ ,  $y(0) = 0$ ,  $y'(0) = 1$

$$s^2 Y - s y(0) - y'(0) + Y = -e^{-\pi s}$$
$$Y(s^2 + 1) = -e^{-\pi s} + 1$$
$$Y = -e^{-\pi s} \frac{1}{s^2 + 1} + \frac{1}{s^2 + 1}$$

$$y(t) = -u(t-\pi) \sin(t-\pi) + \sin(t)$$
$$= u(t-\pi) \sin t + \sin t$$

⑧  $f(x) = x$ ,  $0 < x < \pi$

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x \sin(nx) dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[ -\frac{x}{n} \cos(nx) + \frac{1}{n^2} \sin(nx) \right]_0^{\pi}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \left( -\frac{\pi}{n} (-1)^n \right)$$

$$= (-1)^{n+1} \frac{2}{n}$$

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{2}{n} \sin(nx)$$

$$⑨ \quad u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n e^{-n^2 t} \sin(nx)$$

$$0 = u(0,t) = 0$$

$$0 = u(\pi, t) = 0$$

$$1 = u(x, 0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin(nx)$$

need to find Fourier sine series of  $f(x) = 1 \quad 0 < x < \pi$

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin(nx) dx = -\frac{2}{\pi n} (\cos nx) \Big|_0^\pi = \frac{2}{\pi n} ((-1)^{n+1} + 1)$$

$$u(x,t) = \frac{4}{\pi} e^{-t} \sin(x) + \frac{4}{3\pi} e^{-9t} \sin(3x) + \dots$$

