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MA 266, Second MidTerm Examination, Wilkerson Sections

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Do all your work on the question sheets. Calculators are NOT allowed. NO BOOKS OR PAPERS ARE ALLOWED. Use the back of the test pages for scrap paper. There is a short table of LaPlace transforms on the last page. You can remove this for use.

In Problems 1 and 2 find the general solution of the homogeneous differential equations in (a) and use the method of undetermined coefficients to find the **form** of a particular solution of the nonhomogeneous equations in (b) and (c).

1. (a)  $y'' - 2y' = 0$

(b)  $y'' - 2y' = t^2 e^{2t}$

(c)  $y'' - 2y' = t + e^t$

2. (a)  $y'' - 2y' + y = 0$

(b)  $y'' - 2y' + y = te^t$

(c)  $y'' - 2y' + y = te^{2t}$

4. Find the solution of the initial value problem  $y'' + y = t^2$ ,  $y(0) = 1$ ,  $y'(0) = 2$ .

1. (a) Find the general solution of the homogeneous differential equation  $d^5y/dt^5 + 2d^3y/dt^3 + dy/dt = 0$ .

(b) Use the method of undetermined coefficients to find the **form** of a particular solution of the nonhomogeneous equation  $d^5y/dt^5 + 2d^3y/dt^3 + dy/dt = 1 + t \cos t$ . You do not need to solve for the values of the coefficients.

2. (a) Find the general solution of the homogeneous differential equation  $d^5y/dt^5 - d^3y/dt^3 = 0$ .

(b) Use the method of undetermined coefficients to find the **form** of a particular solution of the nonhomogeneous equation  $d^5y/dt^5 - d^3y/dt^3 = t + e^t$ . You do not need to solve for the values of the coefficients.

6. The initial value problem  $mu'' + \gamma u' + ku = 0, u(0) = 1, u'(0) = 1$ , describes the motion of a mass hanging vertically from a spring, so  $m > 0, \gamma \geq 0$ , and  $k > 0$ . Sketch a representative graph of the solution if  $\gamma^2 - 4mk > 0$ .

9. A mass that weighs 8 pounds stretches a spring 0.25 feet. The mass is acted upon by an external force of  $2 \cos 3t$  pounds and moves in a medium that imparts a viscous force of 6 pounds when the speed of the mass is 3 feet/sec.

At time  $t = 0$  the mass is 0.5 feet below the equilibrium position of the system and the mass is moving upward at 2 feet/sec.

**Set up an initial value problem** that describes the motion of the mass. You do not need to solve the initial value problem.

$$mu'' + \gamma u' + ku = F_0 \cos(\omega t)$$

$$w = mg, g = 32 \text{ feet/sec}^2$$

$$\text{Damping constant, } \gamma = \text{ForceSpeed}$$

$$\text{Spring constant, } k = \text{ForceDisplacement}$$