

# Exercise 17.1

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 1E

Given differential equation is  $y'' - y' - 6y = 0$

The auxiliary equation corresponding to the given differential equation is

$$r^2 - r - 6 = 0$$

$$r^2 - 3r + 2r - 6 = 0$$

$$r(r - 3) + 2(r - 3) = 0$$

$$(r - 3)(r + 2) = 0$$

Therefore  $r = 3, -2$

Thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are real and distinct.

Hence the general solution to given differential equation is  $y = c_1 e^{3x} + c_2 e^{-2x}$

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Given differential equation is  $y'' + 4y' + 14y = 0$

The auxiliary equation corresponding to the given differential equation is

$$r^2 + 4r + 14 = 0$$

Note that the roots of the quadratic equation in  $x$ , that is  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\text{are given by } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{4^2 - 4(1)(14)}}{2(1)} \\ &= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 56}}{2} \\ &= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{-40}}{2} \\ &= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{40}i^2}{2} \quad (\text{since } i^2 = -1) \\ &= \frac{-4 \pm 2i\sqrt{10}}{2} \\ &= -2 \pm i\sqrt{10} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $r = -2 + i\sqrt{10}, -2 - i\sqrt{10}$

Thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are complex conjugates

Hence the general solution to given differential equation is  $y = e^{-2x} (c_1 \cos \sqrt{10}x + c_2 \sin \sqrt{10}x)$

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Given differential equation is  $y'' + 16y = 0$

The auxiliary equation corresponding to the given differential equation is

$$r^2 + 16 = 0$$

Note that the roots of the quadratic equation in  $x$ , that is  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\text{are given by } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \frac{-0 \pm \sqrt{0^2 - 4(1)(16)}}{2(1)} \\ &= \frac{0 \pm \sqrt{-64}}{2} \\ &= \frac{0 \pm \sqrt{(8i)^2}}{2} \quad (\text{since } i^2 = -1) \\ &= \frac{0 \pm 8i}{2} \\ &= 0 \pm 4i \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $r = 0 + 4i, 0 - 4i$

Thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are complex conjugates

Hence the general solution to given differential equation is

$$y = e^{0x} (c_1 \cos 4x + c_2 \sin 4x) \text{ or } y = c_1 \cos 4x + c_2 \sin 4x \quad (\text{since } e^0 = 1)$$

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Given differential equation is  $y'' - 8y' + 12y = 0$

The auxiliary equation corresponding to the given differential equation is

$$r^2 - 8r + 12 = 0$$

$$r^2 - 2r - 6r + 12 = 0$$

$$r(r - 2) - 6(r - 2) = 0$$

$$(r - 2)(r - 6) = 0$$

Therefore  $r = 2, 6$

Thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are real and distinct.

Hence the general solution to given differential equation is  $y = c_1 e^{2x} + c_2 e^{6x}$

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Given differential equation is  $9y'' - 12y' + 4y = 0$

The auxiliary equation corresponding to the given differential equation is

$$9r^2 - 12r + 4 = 0$$

$$9r^2 - 6r - 6r + 4 = 0$$

$$3r(3r - 2) - 2(3r - 2) = 0$$

$$(3r - 2)(3r - 2) = 0$$

$$\text{Therefore } r = \frac{2}{3}, \frac{2}{3}$$

Thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are real and equal.

Hence the general solution to given differential equation is  $y = (c_1 + c_2 x) e^{\frac{2}{3}x}$

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Given differential equation is  $25y'' + 9y = 0$

The auxiliary equation corresponding to the given differential equation is

$$25r^2 + 9 = 0$$

Note that the roots of the quadratic equation in  $x$ , that is  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\text{are given by } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \frac{-0 \pm \sqrt{0^2 - 4(25)(9)}}{2(25)} \\ &= \frac{0 \pm \sqrt{-2^2 5^2 3^2}}{50} \\ &= \frac{0 \pm \sqrt{i^2 2^2 5^2 3^2}}{50} \quad (\text{since } i^2 = -1) \\ &= \frac{0 \pm i 2(5)(3)}{50} \\ &= 0 \pm \frac{3}{5}i \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore } r = 0 + \frac{3}{5}i, 0 - \frac{3}{5}i$$

Thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are complex conjugates

Hence the general solution to given differential equation is

$$y = e^{0x} \left( c_1 \cos \frac{3}{5}x + c_2 \sin \frac{3}{5}x \right) \text{ or } y = c_1 \cos \frac{3}{5}x + c_2 \sin \frac{3}{5}x \quad (\text{since } e^0 = 1)$$

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 7E

Given differential equation is  $y' = 2y''$

The auxiliary equation corresponding to the given differential equation is

$$r = 2r^2$$

$$\text{implies } 2r^2 - r = 0$$

$$r(2r - 1) = 0$$

$$\text{Therefore } r = 0, \frac{1}{2}$$

Thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are real and distinct.

Hence the general solution to given differential equation is

$$y = c_1 e^{0x} + c_2 e^{\frac{1}{2}x} \text{ or } y = c_1 + c_2 e^{\frac{1}{2}x} \quad (\text{since } e^0 = 1)$$

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 8E

Given differential equation is  $y'' - 4y' + y = 0$

The auxiliary equation corresponding to the given differential equation is

$$r^2 - 4r + 1 = 0$$

Note that the roots of the quadratic equation in  $x$ , that is  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\text{are given by } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \frac{-(-4) \pm \sqrt{(-4)^2 - 4(1)(1)}}{2(1)} \\ &= \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 4}}{2} \\ &= \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{12}}{2} \\ &= \frac{4 \pm 2\sqrt{3}}{2} \\ &= 2 \pm \sqrt{3} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore } r = 2 + \sqrt{3}, 2 - \sqrt{3}$$

Thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are real and distinct.

Hence the general solution to given differential equation is  $y = c_1 e^{(2+\sqrt{3})x} + c_2 e^{(2-\sqrt{3})x}$

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Given differential equation is  $y'' - 4y' + 13y = 0$

The auxiliary equation corresponding to the given differential equation is

$$r^2 - 4r + 13 = 0$$

Note that the roots of the quadratic equation in  $x$ , that is  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\text{are given by } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \frac{-(-4) \pm \sqrt{(-4)^2 - 4(1)(13)}}{2(1)} \\ &= \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 52}}{2} \\ &= \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{-36}}{2} \\ &= \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{6^2 i^2}}{2} \quad (\text{since } i^2 = -1) \\ &= \frac{4 \pm 6i}{2} \\ &= 2 \pm 3i \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore } r = 2 + 3i, 2 - 3i$$

Thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are complex conjugates

Hence the general solution to given differential equation is  $y = e^{2x} (c_1 \cos 3x + c_2 \sin 3x)$

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 10E

Given differential equation is  $y'' + 3y' = 0$

The auxiliary equation corresponding to the given differential equation is

$$r^2 + 3r = 0$$

$$r(r + 3) = 0$$

Therefore  $r = 0, -3$

Thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are real and distinct.

Hence the general solution to given differential equation is

$$y = c_1 e^{0x} + c_2 e^{-3x} \text{ or } y = c_1 + c_2 e^{-3x} \text{ (since } e^0 = 1\text{)}$$

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 11E

Given differential equation is  $2\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 2\frac{dy}{dt} - y = 0$

The auxiliary equation corresponding to the given differential equation is

$$2r^2 + 2r - 1 = 0$$

Note that the roots of the quadratic equation in  $x$ , that is  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\text{are given by } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{2^2 - 4(2)(-1)}}{2(2)} \\ &= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4+8}}{4} \\ &= \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{12}}{4} \\ &= \frac{-2 \pm 2\sqrt{3}}{4} \\ &= \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{3}}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore } r = \frac{-1+\sqrt{3}}{2}, \frac{-1-\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

Thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are real and distinct.

$$\text{Hence the general solution to given differential equation is } y = c_1 e^{\left(\frac{-1+\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)t} + c_2 e^{\left(\frac{-1-\sqrt{3}}{2}\right)t}$$

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 12E

Given differential equation is  $8\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 12\frac{dy}{dt} + 5y = 0$

The auxiliary equation corresponding to the given differential equation is

$$8r^2 + 12r + 5 = 0$$

Note that the roots of the quadratic equation in  $x$ , that is  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\text{are given by } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \frac{-12 \pm \sqrt{12^2 - 4(8)(5)}}{2(8)} \\ &= \frac{-12 \pm \sqrt{144 - 160}}{16} \\ &= \frac{-12 \pm \sqrt{-16}}{16} \\ &= \frac{-12 \pm \sqrt{4^2 i^2}}{16} \quad (\text{since } i^2 = -1) \\ &= \frac{-12 \pm 4i}{16} \\ &= \frac{-3}{4} \pm \frac{1}{4}i \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore } r = \frac{-3}{4} + \frac{1}{4}i, \frac{-3}{4} - \frac{1}{4}i$$

Thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are complex conjugates.

$$\text{Hence the general solution to given differential equation is } y = e^{\frac{-3}{4}t} \left[ c_1 \cos\left(\frac{1}{4}t\right) + c_2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{4}t\right) \right]$$

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 13E

Given differential equation is  $100\frac{d^2P}{dt^2} + 200\frac{dP}{dt} + 101P = 0$

The auxiliary equation corresponding to the given differential equation is

$$100r^2 + 200r + 101 = 0$$

Note that the roots of the quadratic equation in  $x$ , that is  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

$$\text{are given by } x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are

$$\begin{aligned} r &= \frac{-200 \pm \sqrt{200^2 - 4(100)(101)}}{2(100)} \\ &= \frac{-200 \pm \sqrt{40000 - 40400}}{2(100)} \\ &= \frac{-200 \pm \sqrt{-400}}{2(100)} \\ &= \frac{-200 \pm \sqrt{20^2 i^2}}{2(100)} \quad (\text{since } i^2 = -1) \\ &= \frac{-200 \pm 20i}{2(100)} \\ &= -1 \pm \frac{1}{10}i \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore } r = -1 + \frac{1}{10}i, -1 - \frac{1}{10}i$$

Thus the roots of the auxiliary equation are complex conjugates.

$$\text{Hence the general solution to given differential equation is } P = e^{-t} \left[ c_1 \cos\left(\frac{1}{10}t\right) + c_2 \sin\left(\frac{1}{10}t\right) \right]$$

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 14E

Consider the differential equation,

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 4\frac{dy}{dx} + 20y = 0$$

The auxiliary equation is  $m^2 + 4m + 20 = 0$

Solve the auxiliary equation for  $m$ .

The quadratic formula is,

The roots are  $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$  for the Quadratic Equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$

Apply the Quadratic formula to the equation  $m^2 + 4m + 20 = 0$ .

The roots are,

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{4^2 - 4(1)(20)}}{2(1)} \\ &= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 80}}{2} \\ &= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{-64}}{2} \\ &= \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{-1} \cdot \sqrt{64}}{2} \\ &= \frac{-4 \pm i \cdot 8}{2} \quad \sqrt{-1} = i \text{ and } \sqrt{64} = 8. \\ &= -2 \pm 4i \end{aligned}$$

The general solution is  $y = e^{\alpha x} (C_1 \cos \beta x + C_2 \sin \beta x)$  of the differential equation

$ay'' + by' + c = 0$ , If the roots of the auxiliary equation  $am^2 + bm + c = 0$  are complex numbers

$r_1 = \alpha + i\beta$  and  $r_2 = \alpha - i\beta$

So, the general solution of the differential equation  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 4\frac{dy}{dx} + 20y = 0$  is,

$$y = e^{-2x} (C_1 \cos 4x + C_2 \sin 4x)$$

Where  $C_1, C_2$  are arbitrary constants.

Let  $f(x) = e^{-2x} \cos 4x$  and  $g(x) = e^{-2x} \sin 4x$ .

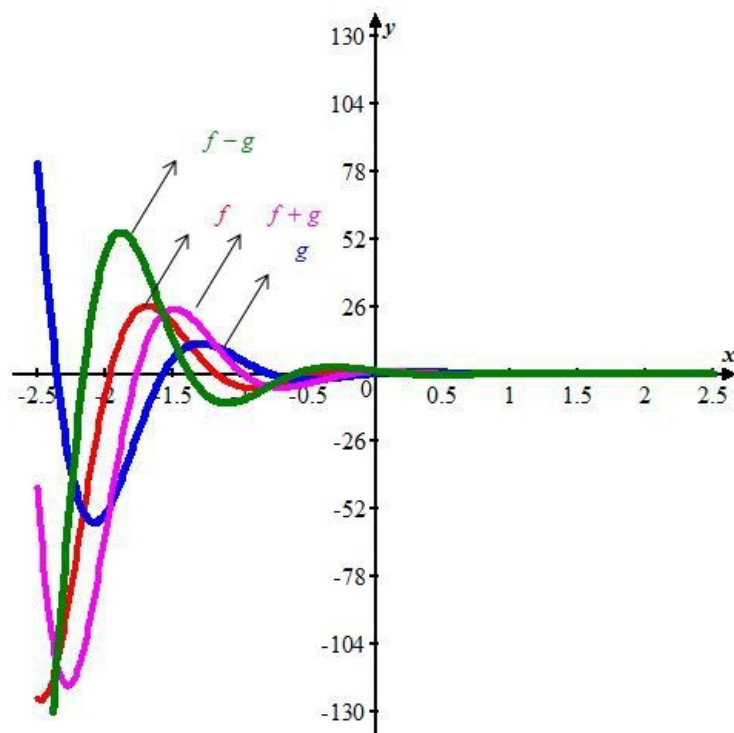
These are the basic solutions.

The other solutions are  $f - g$  and  $f + g$

$$\begin{aligned} f - g &= e^{-2x} \cos 4x - e^{-2x} \sin 4x \\ &= e^{-2x} (\cos 4x - \sin 4x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f + g &= e^{-2x} \cos 4x + e^{-2x} \sin 4x \\ &= e^{-2x} (\cos 4x + \sin 4x) \end{aligned}$$

Sketch the graph of solutions.



All solutions approach 0 as  $x \rightarrow \infty$ .

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Consider the differential equation,

$$5\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 2\frac{dy}{dx} - 3y = 0$$

The auxiliary equation is  $5m^2 - 2m - 3 = 0$

Solve the auxiliary equation for  $m$ .

The quadratic formula is,

The roots are  $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$  for the Quadratic Equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ .

Apply the Quadratic formula to the equation  $5m^2 - 2m - 3 = 0$ .

The roots are,

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \frac{-(-2) \pm \sqrt{(-2)^2 - 4(5)(-3)}}{2(5)} \\ &= \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4 + 60}}{10} \\ &= \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{64}}{10} \\ &= \frac{2 \pm 8}{10} \\ &= \frac{2+8}{10}, \frac{2-8}{10} \\ &= \frac{10}{10}, \frac{-6}{10} \\ &= 1, \frac{-3}{5} \end{aligned}$$

The general solution is  $y = C_1 e^{m_1 x} + C_2 e^{m_2 x}$  of the differential equation  $ay'' + by' + c = 0$ , If the roots of the auxiliary equation  $am^2 + bm + c = 0$  are real and distinct.

So, the general solution of the differential equation  $5\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 2\frac{dy}{dx} - 3y = 0$  is,

$$y = C_1 e^x + C_2 e^{-\frac{3x}{5}}$$

Where  $C_1, C_2$  are arbitrary constants.



Let  $f(x) = e^x$  and  $g(x) = e^{-\frac{3x}{5}}$ .

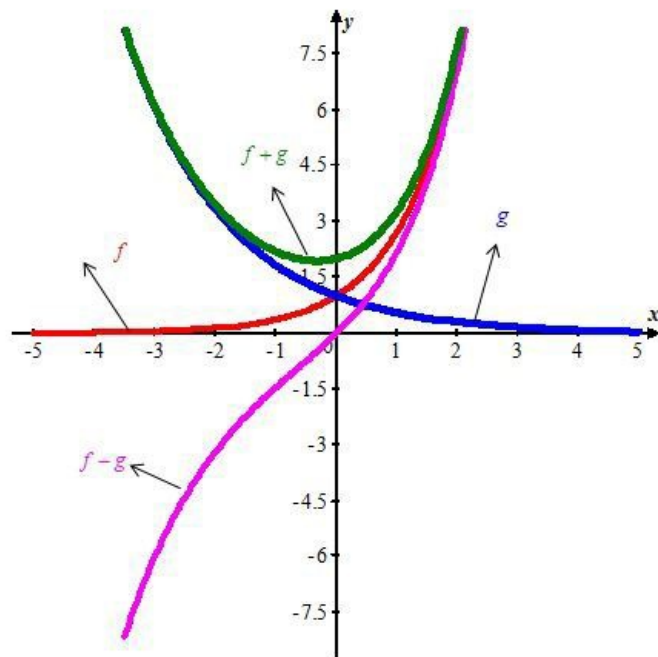
These are the basic solutions.

The other solutions are  $f - g$  and  $f + g$

$$f - g = e^x - e^{-\frac{3x}{5}}$$

$$f + g = e^x + e^{-\frac{3x}{5}}$$

Sketch the graph of solutions.



## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 16E

Consider the following differential equation:

$$9\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 6\frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0$$

The auxiliary equation is  $9m^2 + 6m + 1 = 0$

Solve the auxiliary equation for  $m$ .

The quadratic formula is calculated as follows:

The roots are  $x = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$  for the Quadratic Equation  $ax^2 + bx + c = 0$ .

Apply the Quadratic formula to the equation  $9m^2 + 6m + 1 = 0$ .

The roots are calculated as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} m &= \frac{-(6) \pm \sqrt{(6)^2 - 4(9)(1)}}{2(9)} \\ &= \frac{-(6) \pm \sqrt{36 - 36}}{18} \\ &= \frac{-(6) \pm 0}{18} \\ &= \frac{-6}{18}, \frac{-6}{18} \\ &= \frac{-1}{3}, \frac{-1}{3} \end{aligned}$$

The general solution is  $y = C_1 e^{mx} + x C_2 e^{mx}$  of the differential equation  $ay'' + by' + c = 0$ , If the roots of the auxiliary equation  $am^2 + bm + c = 0$  are real and equal.

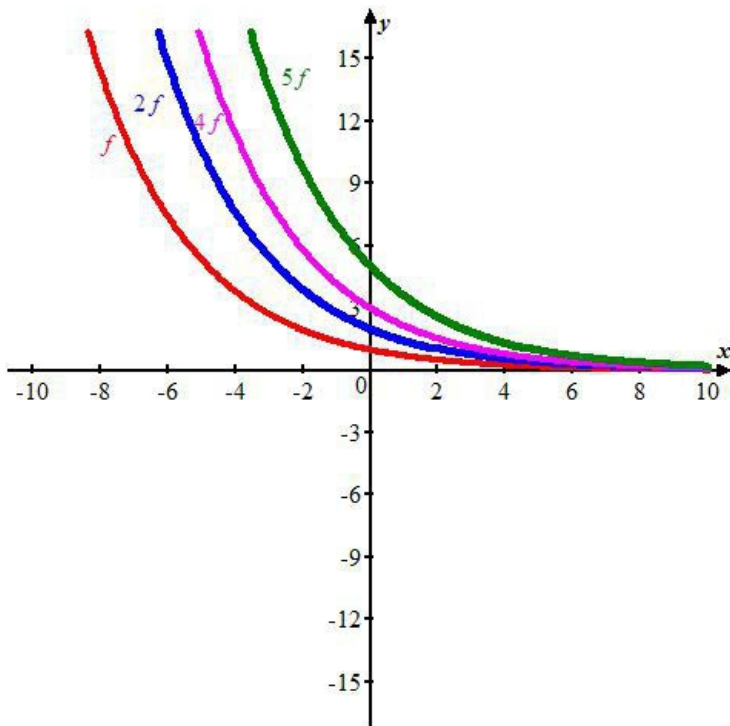
So, the general solution of the differential equation  $9 \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + 6 \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0$  is represented as follows:

$$y = C_1 e^{\frac{-x}{3}} + x C_2 e^{\frac{-x}{3}}$$

Here,  $C_1, C_2$  are the arbitrary constants.

Let  $f(x) = e^{\frac{-x}{3}}$ . These are the basic solutions. The other solutions are  $2f, 4f$ , and  $5f$

Sketch the graph of solutions as follows:



The solutions approach to 0 as  $x \rightarrow \infty$ .

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 17E

The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $r^2 - 6r + 8 = 0$  or  $(r - 2)(r - 4) = 0$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = 2$  and  $r = 4$  each having multiplicity 1.

If the roots  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  of the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  are real and unequal, then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is  $y = c_1 e^{r_1 x} + c_2 e^{r_2 x}$ .

On replacing  $r_1$  with 2 and  $r_2$  with 4, we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = c_1 e^{2x} + c_2 e^{4x}$ .

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 2$ .

$$2 = c_1 e^{2(0)} + c_2 e^{4(0)}$$

$$2 = c_1 (1) + c_2 (1)$$

$$c_1 + c_2 = 2$$

$$c_1 = 2 - c_2$$

Differentiate the equation.

$$y' = 2c_1 e^{2x} + 4c_2 e^{4x}$$

Apply the condition  $y'(0) = 2$ .

$$2 = 2c_1 e^{2(0)} + 4c_2 e^{4(0)}$$

$$2 = 2c_1 (1) + 4c_2 (1)$$

$$c_1 + 2c_2 = 1$$

Replace  $c_1$  with  $2 - c_2$  in  $c_1 + 2c_2 = 1$ .

$$(2 - c_2) + 2c_2 = 1$$

$$2 + c_2 = 1$$

$$c_2 = -1$$

On substituting  $c_2$  with  $-1$  in  $c_1 = 2 - c_2$ , we get  $c_1$  as 3. Then,  $y = 3e^{2x} - e^{4x}$

Thus, the solution to the given differential equation is  $y = 3e^{2x} - e^{4x}$ .

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The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $r^2 + 4 = 0$  or  $r^2 = -4$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = 2i$  and  $r = -2i$  each having multiplicity 1.

If the roots of the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  are complex numbers  $r_1 = \alpha + i\beta$  and  $r_2 = \alpha - i\beta$ , then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is  $y = e^{\alpha x} (c_1 \cos \beta x + c_2 \sin \beta x)$ .

On replacing  $\alpha$  with 0,  $\beta$  with 2, we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = c_1 \cos 2x + c_2 \sin 2x$ .

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(\pi) = 5$

$$5 = c_1 \cos 2(\pi) + c_2 \sin 2(\pi)$$

$$5 = c_1(1) + c_2(0)$$

$$c_1 = 5$$

Differentiate the equation.

$$y' = -2c_1 \sin 2x + 2c_2 \cos 2x$$

Apply the condition  $y'(\pi) = -4$ .

$$-4 = -2c_1 \sin 2(\pi) + 2c_2 \cos 2(\pi)$$

$$= -2c_1(0) + 2c_2(1)$$

$$= 2c_2$$

$$c_2 = -2$$

On substituting  $c_1$  with 5 and  $c_2$  with  $-2$  in  $y = c_1 \cos 2x + c_2 \sin 2x$ , we get  $y = 5 \cos 2x - 2 \sin 2x$ .

Thus, the solution to the given differential equation is  $y = 5 \cos 2x - 2 \sin 2x$ .

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 19E

The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $9r^2 + 12r + 4 = 0$  or

$(3r + 2)^2 = 0$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = -\frac{2}{3}$  each having multiplicity 1.

If the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  has only one real root  $r$ , then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is  $y = c_1 e^{rx} + c_2 x e^{rx}$ .

On replacing  $r$  with  $-\frac{2}{3}$ , we get the general solution of the given differential equation as

$$y = c_1 e^{-\frac{2}{3}x} + c_2 x e^{-\frac{2}{3}x}$$

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 1$ .

$$1 = c_1 e^{-\frac{2}{3}(0)} + c_2(0) e^{-\frac{2}{3}(0)}$$

$$1 = c_1 e^{-\frac{2}{3}(0)}$$

$$c_1 = 1$$

Differentiate the equation.

$$y' = -\frac{2}{3}c_1e^{-\frac{2}{3}x} + c_2e^{-\frac{2}{3}x} - \frac{2}{3}c_2xe^{-\frac{2}{3}x}$$

Apply the condition  $y'(0) = 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= -\frac{2}{3}c_1e^{-\frac{2}{3}(0)} + c_2e^{-\frac{2}{3}(0)} - \frac{2}{3}c_2(0)e^{-\frac{2}{3}(0)} \\ &= -\frac{2}{3}c_1 + c_2 \\ c_2 &= \frac{2}{3}c_1 \end{aligned}$$

On replacing  $c_1$  with 1 in  $c_2 = \frac{2}{3}c_1$ , we get  $c_2 = \frac{2}{3}$ .

We substitute  $c_1$  with 1 and  $c_2$  with  $\frac{2}{3}$  in  $y = c_1e^{-\frac{2}{3}x} + c_2xe^{-\frac{2}{3}x}$  to get

$$y = e^{-\frac{2}{3}x} + \frac{2}{3}xe^{-\frac{2}{3}x}.$$

Thus, the solution to the given differential equation is  $y = e^{-\frac{2}{3}x} + \frac{2}{3}xe^{-\frac{2}{3}x}$ .

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The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $2r^2 + r - 1 = 0$  or  $(r+1)(2r-1) = 0$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = -1$  and  $r = \frac{1}{2}$  each having multiplicity 1.

If the roots  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  of the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  are real and unequal, then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is  $y = c_1e^{r_1x} + c_2e^{r_2x}$ .

On replacing  $r_1$  with  $-1$  and  $r_2$  with  $\frac{1}{2}$ , we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = c_1e^{-x} + c_2e^{\frac{1}{2}x}$ .

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 3$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 3 &= c_1e^{-(0)} + c_2e^{\frac{1}{2}(0)} \\ 3 &= c_1 + c_2 \\ c_2 &= 3 - c_1 \end{aligned}$$

Differentiate the equation.

$$y' = -c_1e^{-x} + \frac{1}{2}c_2e^{\frac{1}{2}x}$$

Apply the condition  $y'(0) = 3$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 3 &= -c_1e^{-(0)} + \frac{1}{2}c_2e^{\frac{1}{2}(0)} \\ 3 &= -c_1 + \frac{1}{2}c_2 \end{aligned}$$

Replace  $c_2$  with  $3 - c_1$  in  $3 = -c_1 + \frac{1}{2}c_2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 3 &= -c_1 + \frac{1}{2}(3 - c_1) \\ 3 &= \frac{3}{2} - \frac{3}{2}c_1 \\ c_1 &= -1 \end{aligned}$$

On substituting  $c_1$  with  $-1$  in  $c_2 = 3 - c_1$ , we get  $c_2$  as 4. Then,  $y = -e^{-x} + 4e^{\frac{1}{2}x}$ .

Thus, the solution to the given differential equation is  $y = -e^{-x} + 4e^{\frac{1}{2}x}$ .

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The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $r^2 - 6r + 10 = 0$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = 3 + i$  and  $r = 3 - i$  each having multiplicity 1.

If the roots of the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  are complex numbers  $r_1 = \alpha + i\beta$  and  $r_2 = \alpha - i\beta$ , then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is  $y = e^{\alpha x}(c_1 \cos \beta x + c_2 \sin \beta x)$ .

On replacing  $\alpha$  with 3,  $\beta$  with 1, we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = e^{3x}(c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x)$ .

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 2$ .

$$2 = e^{3(0)}(c_1 \cos 0 + c_2 \sin 0)$$

$$2 = [c_1(1) + c_2(0)]$$

$$c_1 = 2$$

Differentiate the equation.

$$y' = 3e^{3x}(c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x) + e^{3x}(-c_1 \sin x + c_2 \cos x)$$

Apply the condition  $y'(0) = 3$ .

$$3 = 3e^{3(0)}(c_1 \cos 0 + c_2 \sin 0) + e^{3(0)}(-c_1 \sin 0 + c_2 \cos 0)$$

$$= 3[c_1(1) + c_2(0)] + [-c_1(0) + c_2(1)]$$

$$= 3c_1 + c_2$$

Replace  $c_1$  with 2.

$$3(2) + c_2 = 3$$

$$c_2 = 3 - 6$$

$$c_2 = -3$$

On substituting  $c_1$  with 2 and  $c_2$  with -3 in  $y = e^{3x}(c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x)$ , we get

$$y = e^{3x}(2 \cos x - 3 \sin x).$$

Thus, the solution to the given differential equation is  $y = e^{3x}(2 \cos x - 3 \sin x)$ .

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 22E

The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $4r^2 - 20r + 25 = 0$ . On dividing both the sides by 4, we get  $r^2 - 5r + \frac{25}{4} = 0$  or  $\left(r - \frac{5}{2}\right)^2 = 0$ . The root of the auxiliary equation are  $r = \frac{5}{2}$ .

If the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  has only one real root  $r$ , then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is  $y = c_1 e^{rx} + c_2 x e^{rx}$ .

On replacing  $r$  with  $\frac{5}{2}$ , we get the general solution of the given differential equation as

$$y = c_1 e^{\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)x} + c_2 x e^{\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)x}.$$

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 2$ .

$$2 = c_1 e^{\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)(0)} + c_2(0) e^{\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)(0)}$$

$$2 = c_1(1) + 0$$

$$c_1 = 2$$

Differentiate the equation.

$$y' = \frac{5}{2}c_1e^{\frac{5}{2}x} + c_2e^{\frac{5}{2}x} + \frac{5}{2}c_2xe^{\frac{5}{2}x}$$

Apply the condition  $y'(0) = -3$ .

$$-3 = \frac{5}{2}c_1e^{\frac{5}{2}(0)} + c_2e^{\frac{5}{2}(0)} + \frac{5}{2}c_2(0)e^{\frac{5}{2}(0)}$$

$$-3 = \frac{5}{2}c_1(1) + c_2(1) + \frac{5}{2}(0)$$

$$-3 = \frac{5}{2}c_1 + c_2$$

$$-6 = 5c_1 + 2c_2$$

Replace  $c_1$  with 2 in  $5c_1 + 2c_2 = -6$ .

$$5(2) + 2c_2 = -6$$

$$2c_2 = -16$$

$$c_2 = -8$$

On substituting  $c_1$  with 2 and  $c_2$  with  $-8$  in  $y = c_1e^{\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)x} + c_2xe^{\left(\frac{5}{2}\right)x}$ , we get

$$y = 2e^{\frac{5}{2}x} - 8xe^{\frac{5}{2}x}$$

> Thus, the solution to the given differential equation is  $y = 2e^{\frac{5}{2}x} - 8xe^{\frac{5}{2}x}$ .

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 23E

The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $r^2 - r - 12 = 0$  or  $(r + 3)(r - 4) = 0$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = -3$  and  $r = 4$  each having multiplicity 1.

If the roots  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  of the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  are real and unequal, then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is  $y = c_1e^{r_1x} + c_2e^{r_2x}$ .

On replacing  $r_1$  with  $-3$  and  $r_2$  with  $4$ , we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = c_1e^{-3x} + c_2e^{4x}$ .

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(1) = 0$ .

$$0 = c_1e^{-3(1)} + c_2e^{4(1)}$$

$$0 = c_1e^{-3} + c_2e^4$$

$$c_1e^{-3} = -c_2e^4$$

$$c_1 = -c_2e^7$$

Differentiate the equation.

$$y' = -3c_1e^{-3x} + 4c_2e^{4x}$$

Apply the condition  $y'(1) = 1$ .

$$1 = -3c_1e^{-3(1)} + 4c_2e^{4(1)}$$

$$1 = -3c_1e^{-3} + 4c_2e^4$$

On substituting  $c_2$  with  $\frac{1}{7e^4}$  in  $c_1 = -c_2e^7$ , we get  $c_2$  as  $-\frac{1}{7}e^3$ . Then,

$$y = -\frac{1}{7}e^3e^{-3x} + \frac{1}{7e^4}e^{4x}$$

Thus, the solution to the given differential equation is  $y = \frac{1}{7}e^{-4+4x} - \frac{1}{7}e^{3-3x}$ .



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The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $4r^2 + 4r + 3 = 0$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i$  and  $r = -\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}i$  each having multiplicity 1.

If the roots of the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  are complex numbers  $r_1 = \alpha + i\beta$  and  $r_2 = \alpha - i\beta$ , then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is  $y = e^{\alpha x} (c_1 \cos \beta x + c_2 \sin \beta x)$ .

On replacing  $\alpha$  with  $-\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\beta$  with  $\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}$ , we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = e^{-\frac{1}{2}x} \left( c_1 \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x + c_2 \sin \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x \right)$ .

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 0$ .

$$0 = e^{-\frac{1}{2}(0)} \left( c_1 \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(0) + c_2 \sin \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(0) \right)$$

$$0 = c_1 + 0$$

$$c_1 = 0$$

Differentiate the equation.

$$\begin{aligned} y' &= -\frac{1}{2}e^{-\frac{1}{2}x} \left( c_1 \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x + c_2 \sin \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x \right) + e^{-\frac{1}{2}x} \left( -\frac{c_1 \sqrt{2}}{2} \sin \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x + \frac{c_2 \sqrt{2}}{2} \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x \right) \\ &= \frac{e^{-\frac{1}{2}x}}{2} \left[ -\left( c_1 \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x + c_2 \sin \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x \right) + \left( -c_1 \sqrt{2} \sin \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x + c_2 \sqrt{2} \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{e^{-\frac{1}{2}x}}{2} \left[ -c_1 \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x - c_2 \sin \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x - \sqrt{2} c_1 \sin \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x + \sqrt{2} c_2 \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x \right] \end{aligned}$$

Apply the condition  $y'(0) = 1$ .

$$1 = \frac{e^{-\frac{1}{2}(0)}}{2} \left[ -c_1 \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(0) - c_2 \sin \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(0) - \sqrt{2} c_1 \sin \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(0) + \sqrt{2} c_2 \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}(0) \right]$$

$$1 = \frac{1}{2} \left[ -c_1(1) - c_2(0) - \sqrt{2} c_1(0) + \sqrt{2} c_2(1) \right]$$

$$-c_1 + \sqrt{2} c_2 = 2$$

Replace  $c_1$  with 0 in  $-c_1 + \sqrt{2} c_2 = 2$ .

$$-0 + \sqrt{2} c_2 = 2$$

$$c_2 = \frac{2}{\sqrt{2}}$$

$$c_2 = \sqrt{2}$$

On substituting  $c_1$  with 0 and  $c_2$  with  $\sqrt{2}$  in  $y = e^{-\frac{1}{2}x} \left( c_1 \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x + c_2 \sin \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x \right)$ , we get

the general solution as  $y = e^{-\frac{1}{2}x} \left( \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x + \sqrt{2} \sin \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x \right)$ .

Thus, the solution to the given differential equation is

$$y = e^{-\frac{1}{2}x} \left( \cos \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x + \sqrt{2} \sin \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} x \right).$$

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 25E

The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $r^2 + 4 = 0$  or  $r^2 = -4$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = 2i$  and  $r = -2i$  each having multiplicity 1.

If the roots of the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  are complex numbers  $r_1 = \alpha + i\beta$  and  $r_2 = \alpha - i\beta$ , then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is

$$y = e^{\alpha x} (c_1 \cos \beta x + c_2 \sin \beta x).$$

On replacing  $\alpha$  with 0,  $\beta$  with 2, we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = c_1 \cos 2x + c_2 \sin 2x$ .

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 5$ .

$$5 = c_1 \cos 2(0) + c_2 \sin 2(0)$$

$$5 = c_1(1) + c_2(0)$$

$$c_1 = 5$$

Now, apply the condition  $y\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) = 3$ .

$$3 = c_1 \cos 2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right) + c_2 \sin 2\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$3 = c_1(0) + c_2(1)$$

$$c_2 = 3$$

On substituting  $c_1$  with 5 and  $c_2$  with 3 in  $y = c_1 \cos 2x + c_2 \sin 2x$ , we get  
 $y = 5 \cos 2x + 3 \sin 2x$ .

Thus, the solution to the given differential equation is  $y = 5 \cos 2x + 3 \sin 2x$ .

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 26E

The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $r^2 = 4$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = 2$  and  $r = -2$ .

If the roots  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  of the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  are real and unequal, then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is  $y = c_1 e^{r_1 x} + c_2 e^{r_2 x}$ .

On replacing  $r_1$  with 2 and  $r_2$  with  $-2$ , we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = c_1 e^{2x} + c_2 e^{-2x}$ .

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 1$ .

$$1 = c_1 e^{2(0)} + c_2 e^{-2(0)}$$

$$1 = c_1(1) + c_2(1)$$

$$c_1 + c_2 = 1$$

$$c_2 = 1 - c_1$$

Now, apply the condition  $y(1) = 0$ .

$$0 = c_1 e^{2(1)} + c_2 e^{-2(1)}$$

$$0 = c_1 e^2 + c_2 e^{-2}$$

$$c_1 e^2 = -c_2 e^{-2}$$

Replace  $c_2$  with  $1 - c_1$  in  $c_1 e^2 = -c_2 e^{-2}$ .

$$c_1 e^2 = -(1 - c_1) e^{-2}$$

$$c_1 e^2 = -e^{-2} + c_1 e^{-2}$$

$$c_1 (e^2 - e^{-2}) = -e^{-2}$$

$$c_1 = \frac{-e^{-2}}{e^2 - e^{-2}}$$



On substituting  $c_1$  with  $c_1 = \frac{-e^{-2}}{e^2 - e^{-2}}$  in  $c_2 = 1 - c_1$ , we get  $c_2$  as  $\frac{e^2}{e^2 - e^{-2}}$ . Then,

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

Thus, the solution to the given differential equation is  $y = \frac{-e^{-2}e^{2x}}{e^2 - e^{-2}} + \frac{e^2e^{-2x}}{e^2 - e^{-2}}$ .

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 27E

The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $r^2 + 4r + 4 = 0$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = -2$  each having multiplicity 1.

If the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  has only one real root  $r$ , then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is  $y = c_1e^{rx} + c_2xe^{rx}$ .

On replacing  $r$  with  $-2$ , we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = c_1e^{-2x} + c_2xe^{-2x}$ .

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 2$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 2 &= c_1e^{-2(0)} + c_2(0)e^{-2(0)} \\ &= c_1 + 0 \\ c_1 &= 2 \end{aligned}$$

Apply the condition  $y(1) = 0$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= c_1e^{-2(1)} + c_2(1)e^{-2(1)} \\ c_1e^{-2} &= -c_2e^{-2} \end{aligned}$$

Replace  $c_1$  with 2 in  $c_1e^{-2} = -c_2e^{-2}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 2e^{-2} &= -c_2e^{-2} \\ c_2 &= -2 \end{aligned}$$

On substituting  $c_1$  with 2 in  $c_2 = -2$  in  $y = c_1e^{-2x} + c_2xe^{-2x}$ , we get  $y = 2e^{-2x} - 2xe^{-2x}$ .

Thus, the solution to the given differential equation is  $y = 2e^{-2x} - 2xe^{-2x}$ .

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 28E

The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $r^2 - 8r + 17 = 0$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = 4 + i$  and  $r = 4 - i$  each having multiplicity 1.

If the roots of the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  are complex numbers  $r_1 = \alpha + i\beta$  and  $r_2 = \alpha - i\beta$ , then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is

$$y = e^{\alpha x}(c_1 \cos \beta x + c_2 \sin \beta x).$$

On replacing  $\alpha$  with 4,  $\beta$  with 1, we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = e^{4x}(c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x)$ .

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 3$ .

$$\begin{aligned} 3 &= e^{4(0)}[c_1 \cos(0) + c_2 \sin(0)] \\ 3 &= (1)[c_1(1) + c_2(0)] \\ c_1 &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

Now, apply the condition  $y(\pi) = 2$ .

$$2 = e^{4(\pi)}[c_1 \cos(\pi) + c_2 \sin(\pi)]$$

$$2 = e^{4(\pi)}[c_1(-1) + (0)]$$

$$c_1 = -\frac{2}{e^{4\pi}}$$

Since we cannot determine the value of  $c_2$ , we can say that the given problem has no solution.

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 29E

The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $r^2 = r$  or  $r(r-1) = 0$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = 0$  and  $r = 1$ .

If the roots  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  of the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  are real and unequal, then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is  $y = c_1 e^{r_1 x} + c_2 e^{r_2 x}$ .

On replacing  $r_1$  with 0 and  $r_2$  with 1, we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = c_1 + c_2 e^x$ .

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 1$ .

$$1 = c_1 + c_2 e^{(0)}$$

$$c_1 = 1 - c_2$$

Now, apply the condition  $y(1) = 2$ .

$$2 = c_1 + c_2 e^{(1)}$$

$$2 = c_1 + c_2 e$$

Replace  $c_1$  with  $1 - c_2$  in  $2 = c_1 + c_2 e$ .

$$2 = (1 - c_2) + c_2 e$$

$$2 = 1 - c_2 + c_2 e$$

$$1 = c_2(e - 1)$$

$$c_2 = \frac{1}{e - 1}$$

On substituting  $c_2$  with  $\frac{1}{e - 1}$  in  $c_1 = 1 - c_2$ , we get  $c_1$  as  $\frac{e - 2}{e - 1}$ . Then,

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

Thus, the solution to the given differential equation is  $y = \frac{e - 2}{e - 1} + \frac{e^x}{e - 1}$ .

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 30E

The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $4r^2 - 4r + 1 = 0$ . On dividing both the sides by 4, we get  $r^2 - r + \frac{1}{4} = 0$  or  $\left(r - \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 = 0$ . The root of the auxiliary equation is  $r = \frac{1}{2}$ .

If the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  has only one real root  $r$ , then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is  $y = c_1 e^{rx} + c_2 x e^{rx}$ .

On replacing  $r$  with  $\frac{1}{2}$ , we get the general solution of the given differential equation as

$$y = c_1 e^{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)x} + c_2 x e^{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)x}$$

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 4$ .

$$4 = c_1 e^{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)(0)} + c_2 (0) e^{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)(0)}$$

$$4 = c_1 (1) + 0$$

$$c_1 = 4$$

Now, apply the condition  $y(2) = 0$ .

$$0 = c_1 e^{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)(2)} + c_2 (2) e^{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)(2)}$$

$$0 = c_1 e + 2c_2 e$$

$$c_1 e = -2c_2 e$$

$$c_1 = -2c_2$$

Replace  $c_1$  with 4 in  $c_1 = -2c_2$ .

$$(4)e = -2c_2 e$$

$$c_2 = -2$$

On substituting  $c_1$  with 4 and  $c_2$  with -2 in  $y = c_1 e^{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)x} + c_2 x e^{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)x}$ , we get

$$y = 4e^{\frac{x}{2}} - 2c_2 x e^{\frac{x}{2}}.$$

Thus, the solution to the given differential equation is  $y = 2e^{\frac{5}{2}x} - 8xe^{\frac{5}{2}x}$ .

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 31E

The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $r^2 + 4r + 20 = 0$ .

The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = -2 + 4i$  and  $r = -2 - 4i$  each having multiplicity 1.

If the roots of the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  are complex numbers  $r_1 = \alpha + i\beta$  and  $r_2 = \alpha - i\beta$ , then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is

$$y = e^{\alpha x} (c_1 \cos \beta x + c_2 \sin \beta x).$$

On replacing  $\alpha$  with -2,  $\beta$  with 4, we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = e^{-2x} (c_1 \cos 4x + c_2 \sin 4x)$ .

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 1$ .

$$1 = e^{-2(0)} [c_1 \cos 4(0) + c_2 \sin 4(0)]$$

$$1 = c_1 (1) + c_2 (0)$$

$$c_1 = 1$$

Now, apply the condition  $y(\pi) = 2$ .

$$2 = e^{-2(\pi)} [c_1 \cos 4(\pi) + c_2 \sin 4(\pi)]$$

$$2 = e^{-2\pi} [c_1 (1) + c_2 (0)]$$

$$c_1 = \frac{2}{e^{-2\pi}}$$

Since we cannot determine the value of  $c_2$ , we can say that the given problem has no solution.

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 32E

The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $r^2 + 4r + 20 = 0$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = -2 + 4i$  and  $r = -2 - 4i$  each having multiplicity 1.

If the roots of the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  are complex numbers  $r_1 = \alpha + i\beta$  and  $r_2 = \alpha - i\beta$ , then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is

$$y = e^{\alpha x} (c_1 \cos \beta x + c_2 \sin \beta x).$$

On replacing  $\alpha$  with  $-2$ ,  $\beta$  with  $4$ , we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = e^{-2x} (c_1 \cos 4x + c_2 \sin 4x)$ .

For finding the constant  $c_1$ , use the initial condition  $y(0) = 1$ .

$$1 = e^{-2(0)} [c_1 \cos 4(0) + c_2 \sin 4(0)]$$

$$1 = c_1(1) + c_2(0)$$

$$c_1 = 1$$

Now, apply the condition  $y(\pi) = e^{-2\pi}$ .

$$e^{-2\pi} = e^{-2(\pi)} [c_1 \cos 4(\pi) + c_2 \sin 4(\pi)]$$

$$e^{-2\pi} = e^{-2\pi} [c_1(1) + c_2(0)]$$

$$c_1 = 1$$

Since we cannot determine the value of  $c_2$ , we can say that the given problem has no solution.

## Chapter 17 Second Order Differential Equations 17.1 33E

(A) Given equation is  $y'' + \lambda y = 0$

If  $\lambda = 0$  then the given equation reduces to

$$y'' = 0$$

Integrating both sides, we get,  $y' = c_1$  where  $c_1$  is a constant.

Again integrating both sides, we get,  $y = c_1 x + c_2$  where  $c_2$  is another constant.

Now applying boundary conditions when  $x = 0, y = 0$

$$\text{Therefore } 0 = c_1 \times 0 + c_2 \Rightarrow c_2 = 0$$

when  $x = L, y = 0$

$$\text{therefore } 0 = c_1 L + c_2$$

$$\Rightarrow c_1 L = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c_1 = 0 \quad \text{since } L \neq 0.$$

Thus the solution of given equation is

$$y = c_1 x + c_2$$

$$= 0x + 0$$

$$= 0$$

When  $\lambda$  is negative, then the given equation can be written as

$$y'' - (-\lambda)y = 0$$

Its auxiliary equation is

$$r^2 - (-\lambda) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 - (\sqrt{-\lambda})^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (r + \sqrt{-\lambda})(r - \sqrt{-\lambda}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow r = -\sqrt{-\lambda}, \sqrt{-\lambda} = \pm \sqrt{\lambda}i$$

Therefore, the general solution of given equation is,

$$y = c_1 e^{\sqrt{-\lambda}x} + c_2 e^{-\sqrt{-\lambda}x}$$

Applying boundary conditions

When  $x = 0, y = 0$

Therefore  $0 = c_1 e^0 + c_2 e^0$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = c_1 + c_2$$

$$\Rightarrow c_2 = -c_1$$

Also when  $x = L, y = 0$

Therefore

$$0 = c_1 e^{\sqrt{\lambda}L} + c_2 e^{-\sqrt{\lambda}L}$$

$$\Rightarrow c_1 e^{\sqrt{\lambda}L} - c_1 e^{-\sqrt{\lambda}L} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c_1 (e^{\sqrt{\lambda}L} - e^{-\sqrt{\lambda}L}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow c_1 = \frac{0}{(e^{\sqrt{\lambda}L} - e^{-\sqrt{\lambda}L})} = 0$$

And  $c_2 = -c_1 = 0$

Thus the solution of given equation is

$$\begin{aligned} y &= c_1 e^{\sqrt{\lambda}x} + c_2 e^{-\sqrt{\lambda}x} \\ &= 0 \times e^{\sqrt{\lambda}x} + 0 \times e^{-\sqrt{\lambda}x} \end{aligned}$$

Hence

For the cases  $\lambda = 0$  and  $\lambda < 0$  solution of given equation is  $y = 0$

(B) The given differential equation is

$$y'' + \lambda y = 0, \quad y(0) = 0 = y(L)$$

The auxiliary equation of given differential equation is

$$r^2 + \lambda = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow r^2 + (\sqrt{\lambda})^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (r + i\sqrt{\lambda})(r - i\sqrt{\lambda}) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow r = i\sqrt{\lambda}, -i\sqrt{\lambda}$$

Therefore, the general solution of given equation is

$$\begin{aligned} y &= e^{rx} [c_1 \cos \sqrt{\lambda}x + c_2 \sin \sqrt{\lambda}x] \\ &= c_1 \cos \sqrt{\lambda}x + c_2 \sin \sqrt{\lambda}x \end{aligned}$$

Given, when  $x = 0, y = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Therefore } 0 &= c_1 \cos \sqrt{\lambda} \times 0 + c_2 \sin \sqrt{\lambda} \times 0 \\ 0 &= c_1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Thus } y = c_2 \sin \sqrt{\lambda}x$$

Also, when  $x = L, y = 0$

$$\text{Therefore } 0 = c_2 \sin \sqrt{\lambda}L$$

Since the given equation has non trivial solution and  $c_2 = 0$  makes  $y = 0$  i. e.

Trivial solution so  $c_2 \neq 0$

$$\text{Therefore } \sin \sqrt{\lambda}L = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\lambda}L = n\pi \quad \text{Where } n \text{ is an integer.}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{\lambda} = \frac{n\pi}{L}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{n^2\pi^2}{L^2}$$

The corresponding solution for  $\lambda = \frac{n^2\pi^2}{L^2}$  is

$$\begin{aligned} y &= c_2 \sin \sqrt{\lambda}x \\ &= c_2 \sin \frac{n\pi}{L}x. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

value of  $\lambda = \frac{n^2\pi^2}{L^2}$   
corresponding solution  $y = c_2 \sin \frac{n\pi}{L}x$

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The given differential equation is,

$$ay'' + by' + cy = 0$$

The corresponding auxiliary equation is,

$$ar^2 + br + c = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$\text{Let } r_1 = \frac{-b + \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \text{ and } r_2 = \frac{-b - \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

The solution of given differential equation will depend upon the solution of auxiliary equation and solution of auxiliary equation will depend upon the discriminant of it.

Let  $b^2 - 4ac > 0$

Then the roots  $(r_1, r_2)$  of auxiliary equation will be real and distinct. And solution of given differential equation will be

$$\begin{aligned} y &= c_1 e^{\frac{(-b + \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac})x}{2a}} + c_2 e^{\frac{(-b - \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac})x}{2a}} \\ &= e^{-\frac{b}{2a}x} \left[ c_1 e^{\frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}x} + c_2 e^{-\frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}x} \right] \end{aligned}$$

Since  $a, b, c$  are positive. So  $\frac{b}{2a}$  will be positive. And  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{-\frac{b}{2a}x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{e^{\frac{b}{2a}x}} = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now, } \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} y(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{-\frac{b}{2a}x} \left[ c_1 e^{\frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}x} + c_2 e^{-\frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}x} \right] \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{-\frac{b}{2a}x} \times \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[ c_1 e^{\frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}x} + c_2 e^{-\frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}x} \right] \\ &= 0 \times \left[ \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} c_1 e^{\frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}x} + c_2 e^{-\frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}x} \right] = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Let  $b^2 - 4ac = 0$  then the roots of auxiliary equation will be real and equal. And we have

$$r_1 = \frac{-b}{2a}, \quad r_2 = \frac{-b}{2a}$$

The solution of given differential equation will be

$$y = e^{-\frac{b}{2a}x} [c_1 + c_2 x]$$

Since  $a, b$ , are positive. So  $\frac{b}{2a}$  will be positive and  $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{-\frac{b}{2a}x} = \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{\frac{1}{\frac{b}{2a}x}} = 0$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} y(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{-\frac{b}{2a}x} [c_1 + c_2 x] \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{-\frac{b}{2a}x} \times \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (c_1 + c_2 x) \\ &= 0 \times \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} (c_1 + c_2 x) \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$



Let  $b^2 - 4ac < 0$ , then the roots of auxiliary equation will be imaginary and distinct. And we have

$$r_1 = \frac{-b + i\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}, \quad r_2 = \frac{-b - i\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

$$\Rightarrow r_1 = -\frac{b}{2a} + i\frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}, \quad r_2 = -\frac{b}{2a} - i\frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$$

Therefore, the solution of given differential equation will be,

$$y = e^{-\frac{b}{2a}x} \left[ c_1 \cos \frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} x + c_2 \sin \frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} x \right]$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} y(x) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{-\frac{b}{2a}x} \left[ c_1 \cos \frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} x + c_2 \sin \frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} x \right] \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{-\frac{b}{2a}x} \times \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[ c_1 \cos \frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} x + c_2 \sin \frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} x \right] \\ &= 0 \times \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \left[ c_1 \cos \frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} x + c_2 \sin \frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} x \right] \\ &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence

<p>In all the three cases we found that</p> $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} y(x) = 0$
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The auxiliary polynomial for the given differential equation is  $r^2 - 2r + 2 = 0$ . The roots of the auxiliary equation are  $r = 1 + i$  and  $r = 1 - i$  each having multiplicity 1.

If the roots of the auxiliary equation  $ar^2 + br + c = 0$  are complex numbers  $r_1 = \alpha + i\beta$  and  $r_2 = \alpha - i\beta$ , then the general solution of  $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$  is

$$y = e^{\alpha x} (c_1 \cos \beta x + c_2 \sin \beta x).$$

On replacing  $\alpha$  with 1,  $\beta$  with 1, we get the general solution of the given differential equation as  $y = e^x (c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x)$ .

Since  $y(a) = c$ , we get  $c = e^a (c_1 \cos a + c_2 \sin a)$  or  $c = c_1 e^a \cos a + c_2 e^a \sin a$ . Also, we have  $y(b) = d$ . Then,  $d = e^b (c_1 \cos b + c_2 \sin b)$  or  $d = c_1 e^b \cos b + c_2 e^b \sin b$ .

(a) If the given problem has a unique solution, then  $\begin{vmatrix} e^a \cos a & e^a \sin a \\ e^b \cos b & e^b \sin b \end{vmatrix} \neq 0$ .

$$(e^a \cos a)(e^b \sin b) - (e^a \sin a)(e^b \cos b) \neq 0$$

$$e^{a+b} \cos a \sin b - e^{a+b} \sin a \cos b \neq 0$$

Since exponential function is always positive, we can say that  $\cos a \sin b - \sin a \cos b \neq 0$  or  $\cos(a - b) \neq 0$ .

This means that  $a - b \neq (2n + 1)\frac{\pi}{2}$  or  $a \neq b \pm (2n + 1)\frac{\pi}{2}$ .

(b) If the given problem has no solution, then rank of  $\begin{vmatrix} e^a \cos a & e^a \sin a \\ e^b \cos b & e^b \sin b \end{vmatrix}$  and rank of

$\begin{vmatrix} e^a \cos a & e^a \sin a & c \\ e^b \cos b & e^b \sin b & d \end{vmatrix}$  are not equal. This means that when  $b = a$  and  $c \neq d$ , the given problem has no solution.

(c) Now, if the problem has infinitely many solutions, then rank of  $\begin{vmatrix} e^a \cos a & e^a \sin a \\ e^b \cos b & e^b \sin b \end{vmatrix}$  and

$\begin{vmatrix} e^a \cos a & e^a \sin a & c \\ e^b \cos b & e^b \sin b & d \end{vmatrix}$  should be 1. This means that when  $b = a$  and  $c = d$ , the given problem has infinitely many solutions.