

MATH 202.18 (Term 112)

Quiz 5 (Sect. 6.1)

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Let $(x^2 + 1)y'' + xy' + y = 0$ be a DE.

a.) (3pts) Show that $x = 0$ is an ordinary point for the DE.

b.) (7pts) Find two power series solutions in the form $y = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$.

a) $y'' + \frac{x}{x^2+1} y' + \frac{1}{x^2+1} y = 0$

$P(x) = \frac{x}{x^2+1}$, $Q(x) = \frac{1}{x^2+1}$

Both functions $P(x)$ and $Q(x)$ are analytic at $x=0$. Therefore, $x=0$ is an ordinary point of the DE.

b.) There is 2 solutions in the form $y = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$, $|x| < 1$.

We substitute y into the DE.

$$(x^2+1) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n-1) c_n x^{n-2} + x \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n c_n x^{n-1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n = 0$$

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n-1) c_n x^n + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n-1) c_n x^{n-2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n c_n x^n + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n = 0$$

$$\sum_{k=2}^{\infty} c_k k(k-1) x^k + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_{k+2} (k+1)(k+2) x^k + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} k c_k x^k + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_k x^k = 0$$

$$2c_2 + c_0 + (6c_3 + c_1)x + \sum_{k=2}^{\infty} [c_k(k^2+1) + c_{k+2}(k+1)(k+2)] x^k = 0$$

$$\begin{cases} 2c_2 + c_0 = 0 \\ 6c_3 + c_1 = 0 \\ c_k(k^2+1) + c_{k+2}(k+1)(k+2) = 0, k=2, \dots \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} c_2 = -\frac{c_0}{2} \\ c_3 = -\frac{c_1}{3} \\ c_{k+2} = -\frac{(k^2+1)c_k}{(k+1)(k+2)}, k=2, 3, \dots \end{cases}$$

$$c_4 = -\frac{5}{3 \cdot 4} c_2 = +\frac{5c_0}{2 \cdot 3 \cdot 4}$$

$$c_5 = -\frac{10}{4 \cdot 5} c_3 = -\frac{c_1}{3 \cdot 2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= c_0 + c_1 x + c_2 x^2 + c_3 x^3 + \dots \\ &= c_0 + c_1 x + \frac{c_0}{2} x^2 - \frac{c_1}{3} x^3 + \frac{c_0}{2 \cdot 3} x^4 + \frac{2c_1}{3 \cdot 5} x^5 + \dots \\ &= \underbrace{c_0 \left(1 - \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{5x^4}{24} + \dots \right)}_{y_1} + \underbrace{c_1 \left(x - \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{1}{6} x^5 + \dots \right)}_{y_2} \end{aligned}$$

$$y = c_1 y_1 + c_2 y_2$$

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Let $(x+1)y'' - xy = 0$ be a DE.

a.) (2pts) Show that $x=0$ is an ordinary point for the DE.

b.) (5pts) Find a relation of recurrence on c_n such that the series $y = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$ is a solution to the DE.

c.) (3pts) Suppose that $c_0 = 0$ and $c_1 = 1$. Find the values of c_2, c_3 and c_4 .

a) $y'' - \frac{x}{x+1} y = 0$

$P(x) = 0, \quad Q(x) = -\frac{x}{x+1}$

$P(x)$ and $Q(x)$ are both analytic at $x=0 \Rightarrow x=0$ is an ordinary point for the DE

b) There exist 2 solutions in the form $y = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n, \quad |x| < 1$

We substitute y into the DE.

$$(x+1) \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} c_n n(n-1) x^{n-2} - x \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n = 0$$

$$\sum_{n=2}^{\infty} c_n n(n-1) x^{n-1} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} c_n n(n-1) x^{n-2} - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^{n+1} = 0$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_{k+1} k(k+1) x^k + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} c_{k+2} (k+1)(k+2) x^k - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} c_{k-1} x^k = 0$$

$$2c_2 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} [k(k+1)c_{k+1} + c_{k+2}(k+1)(k+2) - c_{k-1}] x^k = 0$$

$$\begin{cases} 2c_2 = 0 \\ k(k+1)c_{k+1} + (k+1)(k+2)c_{k+2} - c_{k-1} = 0, \quad k=1, 2, \dots \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} c_2 = 0 \\ c_{k+2} = \frac{c_{k-1}}{(k+1)(k+2)} - \frac{k}{k+2} c_{k+1}, \quad k=1, 2, \dots \end{cases}$$

c) $c_0 = 0, \quad c_1 = 1, \quad \boxed{c_2 = 0}$

$$c_3 = \frac{c_0}{6} - \frac{c_2}{3} = 0$$

$$c_4 = \frac{c_1}{3 \cdot 4} - \frac{1}{2} c_3 = \frac{1}{12}$$