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**This is an open-book exam.**

**Full credit given for 7 complete answers (4 marks each).**

**Maple usage restricted to basic commands only.**

1. Using the power-series technique, solve the following initial-value problem:

$$(1 - 2x)y'' + (2x - 5)y' + 2y = 0$$

where  $y(0) = 1$  and  $y'(0) = 2$ .

A bonus mark will be given for finding the second basic solution.

2. Using the method of Frobenius, find a non-zero solution to

$$x^2(1 + 3x)y'' + x(5 + 21x)y' + (4 + 27x)y = 0$$

A bonus mark given for the second basic solution.

3. Find the family of curves orthogonal to

$$y = \exp(cx^2)$$

Draw a plot of several curves from each family.

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**Find the general solution to:**

- 4.

$$\begin{aligned}y_1' &= y_1 + 2y_2 - 4e^x \\y_2' &= -y_1 + 3y_2 - 3e^x\end{aligned}$$

- 5.

$$x^2y'' - 3xy' + (3 - 9x^4)y = 0$$

Express the solution in terms of Bessel functions!

6.

$$\mathbf{y}' = \begin{bmatrix} 14 & 18 & -2 & 18 \\ 0 & -1 & -5 & -5 \\ 10 & 8 & -8 & 8 \\ -10 & -13 & 7 & -9 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{y}$$

The characteristic polynomial has two double roots.

7.

$$xy' + \exp\left(\frac{x}{y}\right)y^3y' = y$$

Hint:  $x \leftrightarrow y$ .

8.

$$\begin{aligned} y_1' &= y_1 + y_2 + 3y_3 + 1 \\ y_2' &= -10y_1 + 8y_2 + 6y_3 - 2 \\ y_3' &= -5y_1 + y_2 + 9y_3 - 1 \end{aligned}$$

Anticipate a triple root of the characteristic polynomial. To find a particular solution, use undetermined coefficients!

9.

$$x^3y''' - 2x^2y'' + 3xy' - 2y = x^3 \ln x$$

10.

$$\begin{aligned} y + 2z + 3u &= -2 \\ x - y - 3z + u &= 7 \\ x + 2y + 3z + 10u &= 1 \\ x + 3y + 5z + 13u &= -1 \\ x + y + z + 7u &= 3 \end{aligned}$$

Express the solution in vector form. How would you describe the solution geometrically (a point, straight line, plane, ..)?

11.

$$y(\sin x + x \cos x)dx + (y^2 \cos y - y^3 \sin y - x \sin x)dy = 0$$