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## 微分方程 Differential Equations

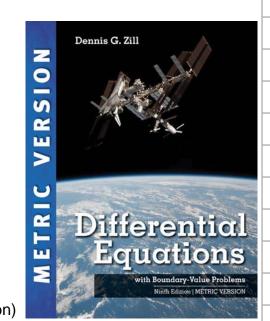
## Unit 04.3 Homogeneous Linear Equations with Constant Coefficients

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$$a y''(x) + b y'(x) + c y(x) = 0$$

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Differential Equations with Boundary-Value Problems, 9th Ed., D.G. Zill, 2018 (Metric Version)



- 4.1: Linear Differential Equations: Basic Theory
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## 4.3: Homogeneous Linear Eqns w/ Constant Coefficients

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- Auxiliary Equation:
- Consider a 2nd-order DE:

$$a y''(x) + b y'(x) + c y(x) = 0$$

$$a,b,c \in \mathbb{R}$$
 $a \neq 0$ 

• Try a solution 
$$y(x) =$$

$$y'(x) =$$

$$y''(x) =$$

• Case 1: Two distinct real roots,  $m_1, m_2$ 

$$y(x) =$$

• Case 2: Repeated real roots,  $m_1 = m_2$ 

$$y_1(x) =$$

 $y_2(x) =$ 

$$y(x) =$$

 $e^{i\theta} = \cos\theta + i\sin\theta$ 

 $e^{i\beta} + e^{-i\beta} = 2\cos\beta$ 

 $e^{i\beta} - e^{-i\beta} = 2i\sin\beta$ 

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• Case 3: Conjugate complex roots,  $m_1, m_2$ 

 $m_1 =$ 

$$m_1 = m_2 = m_2 = m_2$$

y(x) =

4.3: Example 1

(a) 
$$2y'' - 5y' - 3y = 0$$

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(b) 
$$y'' - 10 y' + 25 y = 0$$

(c) 
$$y'' + 4y' + 7y = 0$$

$$y'' + k^2 y = 0$$

$$y'' - k^2 y = 0$$

$$a_n y^{(n)} + a_{n-1} y^{(n-1)} + \cdots + a_1 y' + a_0 y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow$$

$$y(x) =$$

• Case 2: k repeated real roots,  $k \le n$ 

$$y(x) =$$

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• Case 3: Complex roots in conjugate pair

$$y(x) =$$

 $\frac{a}{a}y''(x) + \frac{b}{b}y'(x) + \frac{c}{b}y(x) = 0$ 

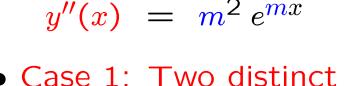
Try a solution

$$y(x) = e^{mx}$$

 $y'(x) = m e^{mx}$ 

$$= e^{mx}$$
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 $y''(x) = m^2 e^{mx}$ 



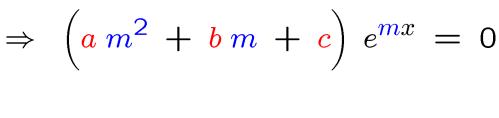
• Case 1: Two distinct real roots, 
$$m_1, m_2$$

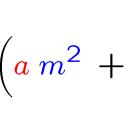
$$y(x) = c_1 e^m$$

$$= m^2 e^{mx}$$

• Case 2: Repeated real roots,  $m_1 = m_2$ 

• Case 3: Conjugate complex roots,  $m_{1,2} = a \pm ib$ 





$$+ bm +$$

 $y(x) = c_1 e^{m_1 x} + c_2 e^{m_2 x}$ 

 $y(x) = c_1 e^{m_1 x} + c_2 x e^{m_1 x}$ 

 $y(x) = e^{ax} \left( c_1 \cos bx + c_2 \sin bx \right)$ 

$$a \neq 0$$

$$a,b,c \in \mathbb{R}$$
  $a \neq 0$ 



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