# Math 23, Midterm May 3, 2017 

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## Instructions

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Total:
/125

1. [24 points] TRUE or FALSE? Please keep your justifications short. In some cases, drawing a figure might aid your justification.
(a) [4 points] Given that $f$ is continuous in the equation $y^{\prime}=f(y)$, it is possible to have 2 unstable equilibrium points with no other equilibrium in between.
(b) [4 points] The function $y(t)=0$ is never a solution to a linear nonhomogeneous ordinary differential equation.
(c) [4 points] The equation $y^{\prime}=y-\sqrt{2} t$ has an equilibrium solution.
(d) [4 points] $\{\cos (t), \sin (t)\}$ is a fundamental solution set for $y^{\prime \prime}-y=0$.
(e) [4 points] The ordinary differential equation $\frac{\mathrm{d} y}{\mathrm{~d} t}-t y+t=(y-1)(y-t)$ is exact.
(f) [4 points] Given that $f$ is continuous, it is possible to have 2 solutions for the following initial value problem $f(x) y^{\prime}=y, \quad y(0)=0$.
2. [15 points] Consider the separable equation $y^{\prime}=-2 t y^{2}$, with the initial condition $y(0)=y_{0}$.
(a) Solve the initial value problem.
(b) Determine the longest interval in which the solution for the above initial value problem exists (which depends on the value of $y_{0}$ ).
3. [20 points] Consider the differential equation

$$
(x+2) \sin y+(x \cos y) y^{\prime}=0
$$

(a) Is the equation above exact? If not, is there an integrating factor which can make it exact?
(b) Find the general solution to the equation.
(Use the integration results $\int x e^{x} d x=(x-1) e^{x}+c$ and $\int x^{2} e^{x} d x=\left(x^{2}-2 x+2\right) e^{x}+c$ to simplify your answer).
(c) Find the solution satisfying $y(1)=\pi / 2$.
4. [20 points] Consider the system

$$
y^{\prime \prime}+b y^{\prime}+y=0
$$

(a) For $b=2$, suppose that $y(0)<0$, determine a condition for $y^{\prime}(0)$ such that $y(t)=0$ for some $t>0$.
(b) Determine the value(s) of $b$ such that a nonzero solution $y(t)$ crosses the $t$-axis once.
(c) Determine the value(s) of $b$ such that a nonzero solution $y(t)$ crosses the $t$-axis infinitely many times.
(d) Determine the value(s) of $b$ such that a nonzero solution $y(t)$ decays to 0 as $t \rightarrow+\infty$.
5. [15 points] A mass weighing 32lbs stretches a spring 8 ft . (Note that the mass of the solid is 1 slug $=1 \mathrm{lb} \cdot \mathrm{s}^{2} / \mathrm{ft}$, with gravity $g=32 \mathrm{ft} / \mathrm{s}^{2}$.) The mass is initially at rest in its equilibrium position, and there is no damping.
Suppose that at time $t=0$ seconds, an external force $f(t)=\cos (2 t) \mathrm{lb}$ is applied to the solid, but at time $t=\pi$ this force is turned off and the solid is allowed to continue its motion unimpeded. Find the resulting position function $u(t)$ of the solid.
6. [15 points] Consider a lake that is stocked with walleye pike (a species of fish) and that the population of pike is governed by the logistic equation

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P^{\prime}=.1 P\left(1-\frac{P}{10}\right)
$$

where time is measured in days and $P$ in thousands of fish. Suppose that fishing is started in this lake and that 100 fish are removed each day.
(a) Modify the logistic model to account for the fishing. Write your model in the form $P^{\prime}=F(P)$. (Hint: Remember that $P$ is measured in thousands.)
(b) Find and classify the equilibrium points for your model. That is, determine which points are stable or unstable.
(c) Use qualitative analysis to completely discuss the fate of the fish population with this model. Your analysis should include a sketch of $F(P)$ and the corresponding phase line and direction field. In particular, if the initial fish population is 1000, what happens to the fish as time passes? What will happen to an initial population having 2000 fish? (Hint: again remember that $P$ is measured in thousands.)
7. [16 points] Match the following differential equations to the direction fields:
(a) $y^{\prime}+y=e^{x / 3}$

(b) $x y^{\prime}+2 y=4 x^{2}$

(c) $y y^{\prime}=-x$

(d) $y y^{\prime}=x$

A:


B:

C:

D


Table 1: Laplace Transform Table.

| $f(t)$ | $\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1 | $\frac{1}{s}, s>0$ |
| $e^{a t}$ | $\frac{1}{s-a}, s>a$ |
| $t^{n}$ | $\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}, s>0$ |
| $\sin a t$ | $\frac{a}{s^{2}+a^{2}}, s>0$ |
| $\cos a t$ | $\frac{s}{s^{2}+a^{2}}, s>0$ |
| sinh $a t$ | $\frac{s^{2}+a^{2}}{s^{2}-a^{2}}, s>\|a\|$ |
| $\cosh a t$ | $\frac{s}{s^{2}-a^{2}}, s>\|a\|$ |
| $e^{a t} \sin b t$ | $\frac{s^{2}-a_{b}^{2}}{(s-a)^{2}+b^{2}}, s>a$ |
| $e^{a t} \cos b t$ | $\frac{s-a}{(s-a)^{2}+b^{2}}, s>a$ |
| $t^{n} e^{a t}$ | $\frac{(s-a)^{2}+b^{2}}{(s+-)^{n+1}}, s>a$ |
| $u_{c}(t)$ | $\frac{e^{-c-a}}{s}, s>0$ |
| $u_{c}(t) f(t-c)$ | $e^{-c s} F(s)$ |
| $\int_{0}^{t} f(t-\tau) g(\tau) d \tau$ | $F(s) G(s)$ |
| $\delta(t-c)$ | $e^{-c s}$ |

Common integral formulas:

1. $\int \sin ^{2} u d u=\frac{1}{2} u-\frac{1}{4} \sin 2 u+C$
2. $\int \cos ^{2} u d u=\frac{1}{2} u+\frac{1}{4} \sin 2 u+C$
3. $\int u \cos u d u=\cos u+u \sin u+C$
4. $\int u \sin u d u=\sin u-u \cos u+C$
5. $\int e^{a u} \sin b u d u=\frac{e^{a u}}{a^{2}+b^{2}}(a \sin b u-b \cos b u)+C$
6. $\int e^{a u} \cos b u d u=\frac{e^{a u}}{a^{2}+b^{2}}(a \cos b u+b \sin b u)+C$
