

Math 244 Sample Final A

**Show all your work!** A table of Laplace transforms is provided.

1. Find values of  $k$  for which the IVP:  $ty' - 4y = 0$ ,  $y(0) = k$  has (i) No solution, (ii) An infinite number of solutions. Does this violate the Existence and Uniqueness Theorem (explain)?
2. Suppose you have a tank of brine containing 300 gallons of water with a concentration of  $1/6$  pounds of salt per gallon. There is brine pouring into the tank at a rate of 3 gallons per minute, and it contains 2 pounds of salt per gallon. The well-mixed solution leaves at 2 gallons per minute. (i) Write the initial value problem for the amount of salt in the tank at time  $t$ , and (ii) solve it.
3. For the following, find the power series expansion for the general solution up to and including the  $t^4$  term:

$$y' - 2y = \sin(t)$$

4. Using the method of undetermined coefficients, give the form of the particular solution (do not solve) to:

$$y'' - 6y' + 9y = 6t^2 - 12te^{3t}$$

5. Classify the origin using the Poincaré Diagram and solve using eigenvectors/eigenvalues, then provide a sketch of the phase portrait:

$$\mathbf{Y}'(t) = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 2 \\ -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{Y}$$

6. Solve:

(a)  $y' = -\frac{y}{1+t} + t^2$

(b)  $y' = y(3 - 2y)$

(c)  $t \frac{dy}{dt} - (1+t)y = ty^2$  First, use the substitution:  $u = y^{-1}$  to get a DE in  $u$ .

7. Solve for the Laplace Transform,  $Y(s)$ , of the solution  $y(t)$  (do not invert the transform):

$$y'' + 6y' + 5y = t - t^2 u_2(t), \quad y(0) = 1, y'(0) = 0$$

8. Compute  $\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left( \frac{s}{s^2 - 10s + 29} \right)$

9. Write the solution to the following DE in terms of  $g(t)$ :  $y'' + 4y = g(t)$ ,  $y(0) = 3$ ,  $y'(0) = -1$ .

10. Given the system of equations below, describe (using the Poincaré Diagram) how the classification of the origin changes with  $\alpha$ .

$$\mathbf{Y}' = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha & 1 \\ -2 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{Y}$$

11. Suppose that our mass-spring system is given by  $y'' + 3y' + y = \cos(\omega t)$ .

(a) Is there any value of  $\omega$  that would give us resonance? Beating?

(b) Find the value of  $\omega$  that gives the maximum amplitude for the particular solution.

12. The graph below is  $y' = f(y)$ .

- (a) Locate and classify all equilibria.
- (b) Provide a sketch of the direction field.
- (c) Give one interval on which  $y(t)$  is concave up.
- (d) True or False? The solution  $y(t)$  may be periodic.

