

Solution. HW 7

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1) (a) 5-1-17.

$$\text{If } y = \frac{c}{x}, \text{ then } y' + y^2 = -\frac{c}{x^2} + \frac{c^2}{x^2} = \frac{c(c-1)}{x^2} \neq 0.$$

unless either $c=0$ or $c=1$

(b) 5-1-18

$$\text{If } y = cx^3 \text{ then } yy'' = cx^3 \cdot 6cx^2 = 6c^2x^5 \neq 6x^5 \text{ unless } c^2=1.$$

(c) 5-1-19

$$\text{If } y = 1 + \sqrt{x} \text{ then } yy'' + (y')^2 = (1 + \sqrt{x}) \left(-x^{-3/2} / 4 \right) + (x^{-1/2} / 2)^2 = -x^{-3/2} / 4 \neq 0$$

2) (a) let $L[y] = y'' + py' + qy$ Then $L[y_c] = 0$

and $L[y_p] = f$, so

$$L[y_c + y_p] = L[y_c] + L[y_p] = 0 + f = f.$$

(b) If $y(x) = 1 + c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x$, then ~~$y''(x)$~~

$y'(x) = -c_1 \sin x + c_2 \cos x$, so initial conditions $y(0) = y'(0) = -1$ yield

$c_1 = -2, c_2 = -1$. Hence

$$y = 1 - 2 \cos x - \sin x.$$

3) 5.1.39.

$$4x^2 + 4x + 1 = 0$$

$$x = -1/2, -1/2.$$

$$y(x) = (c_1 + c_2 x) e^{-x/2}.$$

4) 5.1.56.

The substitution $v = \ln x$ yields.

$$d^2y/dv^2 - 4 \frac{dy}{dv} + 4y = 0$$

whose characteristic equation

$$x^2 - 4x + 4 = 0 \text{ has roots } x_1, x_2 = 2.$$

Because $e^v = x$, the corresponding

general solution is

$$y = c_1 e^{2v} + c_2 v e^{2v} = x^2 (c_1 + c_2 \ln x)$$

5) 5.2.9

$$W = e^x (\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x) = e^x \neq 0$$

6) 5.3.36

The fact that $y = e^{-x} \sin x$ is one tells us that $(x+1)^2 + 1 = x^2 + 2x + 2$ is a factor of characteristic polynomial.

$$9x^3 + 11x^2 + 4x - 14$$

Then long division yields linear factor
 $9x - 7$. Hence general solution is

$$y(x) = c_1 e^{7x/9} + e^{-x}(c_2 \cos x + c_3 \sin x)$$