

## UNIT-I

### ORDINARY DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS

Higher order differential equations with constant coefficients – Method of variation of parameters – Cauchy's and Legendre's linear equations – Simultaneous first order linear equations with constant coefficients.

The study of a differential equation in applied mathematics consists of three phases.

- (i) Formation of differential equation from the given physical situation, called modeling.
- (ii) Solutions of this differential equation, evaluating the arbitrary constants from the given conditions, and
- (iii) Physical interpretation of the solution.

### HIGHER ORDER LINEAR DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS WITH CONSTANT COEFFICIENTS.

General form of a linear differential equation of the nth order with constant coefficients is

$$\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} + K_1 \frac{d^{n-1} y}{dx^{n-1}} + K_2 \frac{d^{n-2} y}{dx^{n-2}} + \dots + K_n y = X \quad \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

Where  $K_1, K_2, \dots, K_n$  are constants.

The symbol D stands for the operation of differential

(i.e.,)  $Dy = \frac{dy}{dx}$ , similarly  $D^2 y = \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2}$ ,  $D^3 y = \frac{d^3 y}{dx^3}$ , etc...

The equation (1) above can be written in the symbolic form

$$(D^n + K_1 D^{n-1} + \dots + K_n)y = X \text{ i.e., } f(D)y = X$$

Where  $f(D) = D^n + K_1 D^{n-1} + \dots + K_n$

Note

$$1. \frac{1}{D} X = \int X dx$$

$$2. \frac{1}{D-a} X = e^{ax} \int X e^{-ax} dx$$

$$3. \frac{1}{D+a} X = e^{-ax} \int X e^{ax} dx$$

(i) The general form of the differential equation of second order is

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + P \frac{dy}{dx} + Qy = R \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

Where P and Q are constants and R is a function of x or constant.

**(ii)Differential operators:**

The symbol D stands for the operation of differential

$$(i.e.,) Dy = \frac{dy}{dx}, D^2 y = \frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$$

$\frac{1}{D}$  Stands for the operation of integration

$\frac{1}{D^2}$  Stands for the operation of integration twice.

(1) can be written in the operator form

$$D^2y + PDy + Qy = R \text{ (Or) } (D^2 + PD + Q)y = R$$

(iv) Complete solution = Complementary function + Particular Integral

**PROBLEMS**

1. Solve  $(D^2 - 5D + 6)y = 0$

**Solution:** Given  $(D^2 - 5D + 6)y = 0$

The auxiliary equation is  $m^2 - 5m + 6 = 0$

$$i.e., m = 2, 3$$

$$\therefore C.F = Ae^{2x} + Be^{3x}$$

The general solution is given by

$$y = Ae^{2x} + Be^{3x}$$

2. Solve  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 6\frac{dy}{dx} + 3y = 0$

**Solution:** Given  $(D^2 - 6D + 3y) = 0$

The auxiliary equation is  $m^2 - 6m + 13 = 0$

$$i.e., m = \frac{6 \pm \sqrt{36 - 52}}{2}$$

$$= 3 \pm 2i$$

Hence the solution is  $y = e^{3x}(A \cos 2x + B \sin 2x)$

3. Solve  $(D^2 + 1) = 0$  given  $y(0) = 0, y''(0) = 1$

**Solution:** Given  $(D^2+1)y = 0$

$$\text{A.E is } m^2 + 1 = 0$$

$$M = \pm i$$

$$Y = A \cos x + B \sin x$$

$$Y(x) = A \cos x + B \sin x$$

$$Y(0) = A = 0$$

$$Y'(0) = B = 1$$

$$\therefore A = 0, B = 1$$

$$\text{i.e., } y = (0) \cos x + \sin x$$

$$y = \sin x$$

**3. Solve**  $(D^2 - 4D + 13)y = e^{2x}$

**Solution:** Given  $(D^2 - 4D + 13)y = e^{2x}$

The auxiliary equation is  $m^2 - 4m + 13 = 0$

$$m = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 52}}{2} = \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{-36}}{2} = 2 \pm 3i$$

$$\therefore C.F = e^{2x}(A \cos 3x + B \sin 3x)$$

$$\text{P.I.} = \frac{1}{D^2 - 4D + 13} e^{2x}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4 - 8 + 13} e^{2x}$$

$$= \frac{1}{9} e^{2x}$$

$$\therefore y = C.F + \text{P.I.}$$

$$y = e^{2x}(A \cos 3x + B \sin 3x) + \frac{1}{9} e^{2x}$$

**5. Find the Particular integral of**  $y'' - 3y' + 2y = e^x - e^{2x}$

**Solution:** Given  $y'' - 3y' + 2y = e^x - e^{2x}$

$$(D^2 - 3D + 2)y = e^x - e^{2x}$$

$$\text{P.I.}_1 = \frac{1}{D^2 - 3D + 2} e^x$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 - 3 + 4} e^x$$

$$= \frac{1}{0} e^x$$

$$= x \frac{1}{2D - 3} e^x$$

$$= x \frac{1}{2 - 3} e^x$$

$$= -x e^x$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P.I_2 &= \frac{1}{D^2 - 3D + 2} (-e^{2x}) \\
 &= -\frac{1}{4 - 6 + 2} e^{2x} \\
 &= -x \frac{1}{2D - 3} e^{2x} \\
 &= -x \frac{1}{4 - 3} e^{2x} \\
 &= -xe^{2x}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \therefore P.I. &= P.I_1 + P.I_2 \\
 &= -xe^x + (-xe^{2x}) \\
 &= -x(e^x + e^{2x})
 \end{aligned}$$

6. Solve  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 4\frac{dy}{dx} + 5y = -2 \cosh x$

**Solution:** Given  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 4\frac{dy}{dx} + 5y = -2 \cosh x$

The A.E is  $m^2 - 4m + 5 = 0$

$$m = \frac{-4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 20}}{2} = -2 \pm i$$

C.F =  $e^{-2x}(A \cos x + B \sin x)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P.I &= \frac{1}{D^2 + 4D + 5} (-2 \cosh x) = -2 \frac{1}{D^2 + 4D + 5} \left[ \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2} \right] \\
 &= \frac{-1}{D^2 + 4D + 5} e^x + \frac{-1}{D^2 + 4D + 5} e^{-x} \\
 &= \frac{-e^x}{1 + 4 + 5} - \frac{e^{-x}}{1 - 4 + 5} \\
 &= \frac{-e^x}{10} - \frac{e^{-x}}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore y = C.F + P.I$

$$= e^{-2x}(A \cos x + B \sin x) - \frac{e^x}{10} - \frac{e^{-x}}{2}$$

**Problems based on P.I**  $= \frac{1}{f(D)} \sin ax$  (or)  $\frac{1}{f(D)} \cos ax$   
 $\Rightarrow$  Replace  $D^2$  by  $-a^2$

7. Solve  $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 3\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = \sin 3x$

**Solution:** Given  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + 3\frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = \sin 3x$

The A.E is  $m^2 + 3m + 2 = 0$

$$(m+1)(m+2) = 0$$

$$M = -1, m = -2$$

$$C.F = Ae^{-x} + Be^{-2x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} P.I &= \frac{1}{D^2 + 3D + 2} \sin 3x \\ &= \frac{1}{-3^2 + 3D + 2} \sin 3x \quad (\text{Replace } D^2 \text{ by } -a^2) \\ &= \frac{1}{3D - 7} \sin 3x = \frac{1}{3D - 7} \frac{(3D + 7)}{(3D + 7)} \sin 3x \\ &= \frac{3D + 7}{(3D)^2 - (7)^2} \sin 3x \\ &= \frac{3D + 7}{9D^2 - 49} \sin 3x \\ &= \frac{3D + 7}{9(-3^2) - 49} \sin 3x \\ &= \frac{3D + 7}{-130} \sin 3x \\ &= -\frac{1}{130} (3D(\sin 3x) + 7 \sin 3x) \\ &= -\frac{1}{130} (9 \cos 3x + 7 \sin 3x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore y = C.F + P.I$$

$$Y = Ae^{-x} + Be^{-2x} - \frac{1}{130} (9 \cos 3x + 7 \sin 3x)$$

**8. Find the P.I of  $(D^2 + 1) = \sin x$**

**Solution:** Given  $(D^2 + 1) = \sin x$

$$\begin{aligned} P.I. &= \frac{1}{D^2 + 1} \sin x \\ &= \frac{1}{-1 + 1} \sin x \\ &= x \frac{1}{2D} \sin x \\ &= \frac{x}{2} \frac{1}{D} \sin x \\ &= \frac{x}{2} \int \sin x dx \\ P.I &= -\frac{x \cos x}{2} \end{aligned}$$

**9. Find the particular integral of  $(D^2+1)y = \sin 2x \sin x$**

**Solution:** Given  $(D^2+1)y = \sin 2x \sin x$

$$\begin{aligned} &= -\frac{1}{2}(\cos 3x - \cos x) \\ &= -\frac{1}{2}\cos 3x + \frac{1}{2}\cos x \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{P.I}_1 &= \frac{1}{D^2+1} \left[ -\frac{1}{2}\cos 3x \right] \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{-9+1} \cos 3x \\ &= \frac{1}{16} \cos 3x \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{P.I}_2 &= \frac{1}{D^2+1} \left[ \frac{1}{2}\cos x \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{-1+1} \cos x \\ &= \frac{1}{2} x \frac{1}{2D} \cos x \\ &= \frac{x}{4} \int \cos x dx \\ &= \frac{x}{4} \sin x \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{P.I} = \frac{1}{16} \cos 3x + \frac{x}{4} \sin x$$

**Problems based on R.H.S =  $e^{ax} + \cos ax$  (or)  $e^{ax} + \cos ax$**

**10. Solve  $(D^2-4D+4)y = e^{2x} + \cos 2x$**

**Solution:** Given  $(D^2-4D+4)y = e^{2x} + \cos 2x$

The Auxiliary equation is  $m^2-4m+4=0$

$$(m-2)^2=0$$

$$m=2,2$$

$$\text{C.F} = (Ax+B)e^{2x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{P.I}_1 &= \frac{1}{D^2-4D+4} e^{2x} \\ &= \frac{1}{4-8+4} e^{2x} \\ &= \frac{1}{0} e^{2x} \\ &= x \frac{1}{2D-4} e^{2x} \\ &= x \frac{1}{0} e^{2x} \end{aligned}$$

$$= x^2 \frac{1}{2} e^{2x}$$

$$P.I_2 = \frac{1}{D^2 - 4D + 4} \cos 2x$$

$$= \frac{1}{-2^2 - 4D + 4} \cos 2x$$

$$= \frac{1}{-4D} \cos 2x$$

$$= \frac{-1}{4} \left[ \frac{1}{D} \cos 2x \right]$$

$$= \frac{-1}{4} \frac{\sin 2x}{2} = -\frac{\sin 2x}{8}$$

$$\therefore y = C.F + P.I$$

$$y = (Ax + B)e^{2x} - \frac{\sin 2x}{8}$$

### Problems based on R.H.S = x

**Note:** The following are important

- $(1+x)^{-1} = 1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + \dots$
- $(1-x)^{-1} = 1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots$
- $(1+x)^{-2} = 1 - 2x + 3x^2 - 4x^3 + \dots$
- $(1-x)^{-2} = 1 + 2x + 3x^2 + 4x^3 + \dots$

### 11. Find the Particular Integral of $(D^2+1)y = x$

**Solution:** Given  $(D^2+1)y = x$

$$A.E \text{ is } (m^2-1) = 0$$

$$m = \pm 1$$

$$C.F = Ae^{-x} + Be^x$$

$$P.I = \frac{1}{D^2-1} x$$

$$= \frac{-1}{1-D^2} x$$

$$= -[1-D^2]^{-1} x$$

$$= -[1+D+(D^2)^2 + \dots] x$$

$$= -[x+0+0+0+\dots]$$

$$= -x$$

### 12. Solve: $(D^4 - 2D^3 + D^2)y = x^3$

**Solution:** Given  $(D^4 - 2D^3 + D^2)y = x^3$

The A.E is  $m^4 - 2m^3 + m^2 = 0$

$$m^2(m^2 - 2m + 1) = 0$$

$$m^2(m-1)^2 = 0$$

$$m = 0, 0, m = 1, 1$$

$$C.F = (A + Bx)e^{0x} + (C + Dx)e^x$$

$$\begin{aligned} P.I &= \frac{1}{D^4 - 2D^3 + D^2} x^3 \\ &= \frac{1}{D^2 [1 + (D^2 - 2D)]} x^3 \\ &= \frac{1}{D^2} [1 + (D^2 - 2D)]^{-1} x^3 \\ &= \frac{1}{D^2} [1 - (D^2 - 2D) + (D^2 - 2D)^2 - (D^2 - 2D)^3 + \dots] \\ &= \frac{1}{D^2} [1 + 2D + 3D^2 + 4D^3 + D^4] x^3 \\ &= \frac{1}{D^2} [x^3 + 6x^2 + 18x + 24] \\ &= \frac{1}{D} \left[ \frac{x^4}{4} + \frac{6x^3}{3} + \frac{18x^2}{2} + 24x \right] \\ &= \frac{x^5}{20} + \frac{6x^4}{12} + \frac{18x^3}{6} + \frac{24x^2}{2} \\ &= \frac{x^5}{20} + \frac{x^4}{2} + 3x^3 + 12x^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore y = C.F + P.I$$

$$y = (A + Bx)e^{0x} + (C + Dx)e^x + \frac{x^5}{20} + \frac{x^4}{2} + 3x^3 + 12x^2$$

**Problems based on R.H.S =  $e^{ax} x$**

$$P.I = \frac{1}{f(D)} e^{ax} x = e^{ax} \frac{1}{f(D+a)} x$$

**13. Obtain the particular integral of  $(D^2 - 2D + 5)y = e^x \cos 2x$**

**Solution:** Given  $(D^2 - 2D + 5)y = e^x \cos 2x$

$$\begin{aligned} P.I &= \frac{1}{D^2 - 2D + 5} e^x \cos 2x \\ &= e^x \left[ \frac{1}{(D+1)^2 - 2(D+1) + 5} \right] \cos 2x \text{ (Re place } D \text{ by } D+1) \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
&= e^x \left[ \frac{1}{D^2 + 2D + 1 - 2D - 2 + 5} \right] \cos 2x \\
&= e^x \left[ \frac{1}{D^2 + 4} \right] \cos 2x \\
&= e^x \frac{1}{-4 + 4} \cos 2x \\
&= e^x x \frac{1}{2D} \cos 2x \\
&= \frac{x e^x}{2} \int \cos 2x dx \\
\text{P.I} &= \frac{x e^x \sin 2x}{4}
\end{aligned}$$

14. Solve  $(D + 2)^2 y = e^{-2x} \sin x$

**Solution:** Given  $(D + 2)^2 y = e^{-2x} \sin x$

**A.E is**  $(m^2 + 1) = 0$

**m = -2, -2**

**C.F. =**  $(Ax + B)e^{-2x}$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{P.I} &= \frac{1}{(D + 2)^2} e^{-2x} \sin x \\
&= e^{-2x} \frac{1}{(D - 2 + 2)^2} \sin x \\
&= e^{-2x} \frac{1}{D^2} \sin x \\
&= e^{-2x} \frac{1}{-1} \sin x \\
&= -e^{-2x} \sin x
\end{aligned}$$

$\therefore y = C.F + P.I$

$$y = (Ax + B)e^{-2x} - e^{-2x} \sin x$$

**Problems based on  $f(x) = x^n \sin ax$  (or)  $x^n \cos ax$**

**To find P.I when  $f(x) = x^n \sin ax$  (or)  $x^n \cos ax$**

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{P.I} &= \frac{1}{f(D)} x^n \sin ax \text{ (or) } x^n \cos ax \\
\frac{1}{f(D)} (xV) &= x \frac{1}{f(D)} V + \left[ \frac{d}{dD} \frac{1}{f(D)} \right] V \\
\text{i.e., } \frac{1}{f(D)} (xV) &= x \frac{1}{f(D)} V - \left[ \frac{f'(D)}{f(D)} \frac{1}{f(D)} \right] V \\
\frac{1}{f(D)} xV &= x \frac{1}{f(D)} V - \frac{f'(D)}{[f(D)]^2} V
\end{aligned}$$

15. Solve  $(D^2 + 4D + 3)y = e^{-x} \sin x + xe^{3x}$

**Solution:** The auxiliary equation is  $m^2 + 4m + 3 = 0$

$$m = -1, -3$$

$$\text{C.F} = Ae^{-x} + Be^{-3x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{P.I}_1 &= \frac{1}{(D^2 + 4D + 3)}(e^{-x} \sin x) \\ &= \frac{1}{[(D-1)^2 + 4(D-1) + 3]} \sin x \\ &= e^{-x} \frac{1}{(D^2 + 2D)} \sin x \\ &= e^{-x} \frac{(1 + 2D)}{-1 + 4D^2} \sin x \\ &= \frac{e^{-x}}{-5} [2 \cos x + \sin x] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{P.I}_2 &= e^{3x} \frac{1}{(D+3)^2 + 4(D+3) + 3} x \\ &= e^{3x} \frac{1}{(D^2 + 10D + 24)} x \\ &= \frac{e^{3x}}{24} \left[ 1 + \frac{D^2 + 10D}{24} \right]^{-1} x \\ &= \frac{e^{3x}}{24} \left( 1 - \frac{5D}{12} \right) x \\ &= \frac{e^{3x}}{24} \left( x - \frac{5}{12} \right) \end{aligned}$$

**General solution is**  $y = C.F + P.I$

$$y = Ae^{-x} + Be^{-3x} - \frac{e^{-x}}{5} [2 \cos x + \sin x] + \frac{e^{3x}}{24} \left( x - \frac{5}{12} \right)$$

16 Solve  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + 2 \frac{dy}{dx} + y = x \cos x$

**Solution:** A.E :  $m^2 + 2m + 1 = 0$

$$m = -1, -1$$

$$\text{C.F} = (A + Bx)e^{-x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{P.I} &= \frac{1}{(D+1)^2} (x \cos x) \\ &= \left[ x - \frac{2(D+1)}{(D+1)^2} \right] \frac{1}{(D+1)^2} (\cos x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \left[ x - \frac{2}{(D+1)} \right] \frac{1}{(D^2 + 2D + 1)} (\cos x) \\
&= \left[ x - \frac{2}{D+1} \right] \frac{1}{(-1 + 2D + 1)} (\cos x) \\
&= \left[ x - \frac{2}{D+1} \right] \frac{\sin x}{2} \\
&= \frac{x \sin x}{2} \\
&= \frac{x \sin x}{2} - \frac{\sin x}{D+1} \\
&= \frac{x \sin x}{2} - \frac{(D-1)\sin x}{D^2 - 1} \\
&= \frac{x \sin x}{2} + \frac{\cos x - \sin x}{2}
\end{aligned}$$

The solution is  $y = (A + Bx)e^{-x} + \frac{x \sin x}{2} + \frac{\cos x - \sin x}{2}$

17. Solve  $(D^2 + 1)y = \sin^2 x$

**Solution:** A.E :  $m^2 + 1 = 0$

$$m = \pm i$$

C.F = A cosx + B sinx

$$P.I = \frac{1}{D^2 + 1} \sin^2 x$$

$$= \frac{1}{D^2 + 1} \left( \frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{1}{D^2 + 1} e^{0x} - \frac{1}{D^2 + 1} \cos 2x \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ 1 + \frac{1}{3} \cos 2x \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} \cos 2x$$

$$\therefore y = A \cos x + B \sin x + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{6} \cos 2x$$

18. Solve  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - y = x \sin x + (1 + x)e^x$

**Solution:** A.E :  $m^2 - 1 = 0$

$$m = \pm 1$$

C.F =  $A e^{-x} + B e^x$

$$P.I_1 = \frac{1}{f(D)} (xV) = \left[ x - \frac{f'(D)}{f(D)} \right] \frac{1}{f(D)} (V)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \left[ x - \frac{2D}{D^2 - 1} \right] \frac{1}{(D^2 - 1)} (\sin x) \\
&= \left[ x - \frac{2D}{D^2 - 1} \right] \frac{\sin x}{-2} \\
&= \left[ -\frac{x \sin x}{2} + \frac{2 \cos x}{2(D^2 - 1)} \right] \\
&= -\frac{x \sin x}{2} - \frac{\cos x}{2} \\
\text{P.I}_2 &= \frac{1}{D^2 - 1} (1 + x^2) e^x \\
&= e^x \left[ \frac{1}{(D+1)^2 - 1} \right] (1 + x^2) \\
&= e^x \frac{1}{(D^2 + 2D)} (1 + x^2) \\
&= \frac{e^x (2x^3 - 3x^2 + 9x)}{12} \\
\therefore y &= A e^{-x} + B e^x + \frac{e^x (2x^3 - 3x^2 + 9x)}{12}
\end{aligned}$$

**19. Solve**  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - y = x e^x \sin x$

**Solution:** A.E :  $m^2 - 1 = 0$

$$m = \pm 1$$

$$\text{C.F} = A e^{-x} + B e^x$$

$$\text{P.I} = \frac{1}{(D^2 - 1)} x e^x \sin x$$

$$= e^x \left[ \frac{1}{(D+1)^2 - 1} \right] (x \sin x)$$

$$= e^x \frac{1}{(D^2 + 2D)} (x \sin x)$$

$$= e^x \left[ x \frac{1}{(D^2 + 2D)} \sin x - \frac{2D + 2}{(2D - 1)^2} \sin x \right]$$

$$\sin \alpha x = \sin x, \alpha = 1, \text{ put } D^2 = -\alpha^2 = -1$$

$$= e^x \left[ x \frac{1}{2D - 1} \sin x - \frac{(2D + 2)}{(2D - 1)^2} \sin x \right]$$

$$= e^x \left[ -x \frac{(1 + 2D)}{(1 - 4D^2)} \sin x - \frac{(2D + 2) \sin x}{(4D^2 - 4D + 1)} \right]$$

$$\text{Put } D^2 = -1$$

$$= e^x \left[ -x \frac{(1 + 2D)}{5} \sin x + \left[ \frac{(2D + 2)(3 - 4D)}{9 - 16D^2} \right] \sin x \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= e^x \left[ \frac{-x}{5} [\sin x + 2 \cos x] + \left( \frac{-8D^2 - 2D + 6}{9 - 16D^2} \right) \sin x \right] \\
&= e^x \left[ \frac{-x}{5} (\sin x + 2 \cos x) + \frac{(14 - 2D) \sin x}{25} \right] \\
\text{P.I} &= e^x \left[ \frac{-x}{5} (\sin x + 2 \cos x) + \frac{(14 \sin x - 2 \cos x)}{25} \right]
\end{aligned}$$

Complete Solution is

$$\begin{aligned}
y &= A e^{-x} + B e^x + \\
&e^x \left[ \frac{-x}{5} (\sin x + 2 \cos x) + \frac{(14 \sin x - 2 \cos x)}{25} \right]
\end{aligned}$$

### METHOD OF VARIATION OF PARAMETERS

This method is very useful in finding the general solution of the second order equation.

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + a_1 \frac{dy}{dx} + a_2 y = X \quad [\text{Where } X \text{ is a function of } x] \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

The complementary function of (1)

$$\text{C.F} = c_1 f_1 + c_2 f_2$$

Where  $c_1, c_2$  are constants and  $f_1$  and  $f_2$  are functions of  $x$

Then  $\text{P.I} = P f_1 + Q f_2$

$$P = - \int \frac{f_2 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx$$

$$Q = \int \frac{f_1 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx$$

$$\therefore y = c_1 f_1 + c_2 f_2 + P.I$$

1. Solve  $(D^2 + 4)y = \sec 2x$

**Solution:** The A.E is  $m^2 + 4 = 0$

$$m = \pm 2i$$

$$\text{C.F} = C_1 \cos 2x + C_2 \sin 2x$$

$$f_1 = \cos 2x \quad f_2 = \sin 2x$$

$$f_1' = -2 \sin 2x \quad f_2' = 2 \cos 2x$$

$$f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2 = 2 \cos^2 2x + 2 \sin^2 2x$$

$$= 2 [\cos^2 2x + \sin^2 2x]$$

$$= 2 [1]$$

$$= 2$$

$$P = - \int \frac{f_2 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= -\int \frac{\sin 2x \sec 2x}{2} dx \\
&= -\frac{1}{2} \int \sin 2x \frac{1}{\cos 2x} dx \\
&= \frac{1}{4} \int \frac{-2 \sin 2x}{\cos 2x} dx \\
&= \frac{1}{4} \log(\cos 2x)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
Q &= \int \frac{f_1 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx \\
&= \int \frac{\cos 2x \sec 2x}{2} dx \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int \cos 2x \frac{1}{\cos 2x} dx \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int dx \\
&= \frac{1}{2} x
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{P.I} &= P f_1 + Q f_2 \\
&= \frac{1}{4} \log(\cos 2x) (\cos 2x) + \frac{1}{2} x \sin 2x
\end{aligned}$$

2. Solve by the method of variation of parameters  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + y = x \sin x$

**Solution:** The A.E is  $m^2 + 1 = 0$

$$m = \pm i$$

$$\text{C.F} = C_1 \cos x + C_2 \sin x$$

$$\text{Here } f_1 = \cos x \quad f_2 = \sin x$$

$$f_1' = -\sin x \quad f_2' = \cos x$$

$$f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2 = \cos^2 x + \sin^2 x = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P &= -\int \frac{f_2 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx \\
&= -\int \frac{\sin x (x \sin x)}{1} dx \\
&= -\int x \sin^2 x dx \\
&= -\int x \frac{(1 - \cos 2x)}{2} dx \\
&= -\frac{1}{2} \int (x - x \cos 2x) dx \\
&= -\frac{1}{2} \int x dx + \frac{1}{2} \int x \cos 2x dx
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= -\frac{1}{2}\left[\frac{x^2}{2}\right] + \frac{1}{2}\left[x\left(\frac{\sin x}{2}\right) - (1)\left(\frac{-\cos 2x}{4}\right)\right] \\
&= -\frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{x}{4}\sin 2x + \frac{1}{8}\cos 2x \\
Q &= \int \frac{f_1 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx \\
&= \int \frac{(\cos x)x(\sin x)}{1} dx \\
&= \int x \sin x \cos x dx \\
&= \int x \frac{\sin 2x}{2} dx \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int x \sin 2x dx \\
&= \frac{1}{2}\left[x\left(\frac{-\cos 2x}{2}\right) - (1)\left(\frac{-\sin 2x}{4}\right)\right] \\
&= -\frac{x}{4}\cos 2x + \frac{1}{8}\sin 2x
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P.I &= Pf_1 + Qf_2 \\
&= \left[\frac{-x^2}{4} + \frac{x}{4}\sin 2x + \frac{1}{8}\cos 2x\right]\cos x + \left[\frac{-x}{4}\cos 2x + \frac{1}{8}\sin 2x\right]\sin x
\end{aligned}$$

4. Solve  $(D^2 - 4D + 4)y = e^{2x}$  by the method of variation of parameters.

**Solution:** The A.E is  $m^2 - 4m + 4 = 0$

$$(m - 2)^2 = 0$$

$$m = 2, 2$$

$$C.F = (Ax + B)e^{2x}$$

$$= Axe^{2x} + Be^{2x}$$

$$f_1 = xe^{2x} \quad f_2 = e^{2x}$$

$$f_1' = xe^{2x} \cdot 2 + e^{2x}, \quad f_2' = 2e^{2x}$$

$$f_1 f_2' - f_2 f_1' = 2x(e^{2x})^2 - e^{2x}(2xe^{2x} + e^{2x})$$

$$= 2x(e^{2x})^2 - 2x(e^{2x})^2 - (e^{2x})^2$$

$$= (e^{2x})^2 [2x - 2x - 1]$$

$$= -(e^{2x})^2$$

$$= -e^{4x}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P &= -\int \frac{f_2 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx \\
&= -\int \frac{e^{2x} e^{2x}}{e^{-4x}} dx
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \int dx = x \\
Q &= \int \frac{f_1 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx \\
&= \int \frac{x e^{2x} e^{2x}}{-e^{4x}} dx \\
&= \int -x dx \\
&= -\frac{x^2}{2} \\
\text{P.I} &= x^2 e^{2x} - \frac{x^2}{2} e^{2x} = \frac{x^2}{2} e^{2x}
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
y &= \text{C.F} + \text{P.I} \\
&= (Ax + B) e^{2x} + \frac{x^2}{2} e^{2x}
\end{aligned}$$

**5. Use the method of variation of parameters to solve  $(D^2 + 1)y = \sec x$**

**Solution:** Given  $(D^2 + 1)y = \sec x$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{The A.E is } m^2 + 1 &= 0 \\
m &= \pm i
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{C.F} &= c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x \\
&= c_1 f_1 + c_2 f_2 \\
f_1 &= \cos x, f_2 = \sin x \\
f_1' &= -\sin x, f_2' = \cos x \\
f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2 &= \cos^2 x + \sin^2 x = 1
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
P &= -\int \frac{f_2 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx \\
&= -\int \frac{\sin x \sec x}{1} dx \\
&= -\int \frac{\sin x}{\cos x} dx \\
&= -\int \tan x dx \\
&= \log(\cos x) \\
Q &= \int \frac{f_1 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx \\
&= \int \frac{\cos x \sec x}{1} dx \\
&= \int dx \\
&= x
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{P.I} &= P f_1 + Q f_2 \\
&= \log(\cos x) \cos x + x \sin x \\
y &= c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x + \log(\cos x) \cos x + x \sin x
\end{aligned}$$



6. Solve  $(D^2 + a^2)y = \tan ax$  by the method of variation of parameters.

**Solution:** Given  $(D^2 + a^2)y = \tan ax$

The A.E is  $m^2 + a^2 = 0$

$$m = \pm ai$$

C.F =  $c_1 \cos ax + c_2 \sin ax$

$$f_1 = \cos ax, f_2 = \sin ax$$

$$f_1' = -a \sin ax, f_2' = a \cos ax$$

$$f_1 f_2' - f_2 f_1' = a \cos ax \cos ax - \sin ax(-a \sin ax)$$

$$= a \cos^2 ax + a \sin^2 ax$$

$$= a(\cos^2 ax + \sin^2 ax)$$

$$= a$$

$$P.I = Pf_1 + Qf_2$$

$$\begin{aligned} P &= - \int \frac{f_2 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx \\ &= - \int \frac{\sin ax \tan ax}{a} dx \\ &= - \frac{1}{a} \int \frac{\sin^2 ax}{\cos ax} dx \\ &= - \frac{1}{a} \int \frac{1 - \cos^2 ax}{\cos ax} dx \\ &= - \frac{1}{a} \int (\sec ax - \cos ax) dx \\ &= - \frac{1}{a} \left[ \frac{1}{a} \log(\sec ax + \tan ax) - \frac{\sin ax}{a} \right] \\ &= - \frac{1}{a^2} [\log(\sec ax + \tan ax) - \sin ax] \\ &= \frac{1}{a^2} [\sin ax - \log(\sec ax + \tan ax)] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= \int \frac{f_1 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx \\ &= \int \frac{\cos ax \tan ax}{a} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{a} \int \sin ax dx \\ &= - \frac{1}{a^2} \cos ax \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore P.I = Pf_1 + Qf_2$$

$$= \frac{1}{a^2} \cos ax [\sin ax - \log(\sec ax + \tan ax)] - \frac{1}{a^2} \sin ax [\cos ax]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{a^2} [\cos ax \log(\sec ax + \tan ax)]$$

$$y = C.F + P.I$$

$$= c_1 \cos ax + c_2 \sin ax - \frac{1}{a^2} [\cos ax \log(\sec ax + \tan ax)]$$

7. Solve  $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + y = \tan x$  by the method of variation of parameters.

**Solution:** The A.E is  $m^2 + 1 = 0$

$$m = \pm i$$

$$C.F = c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x$$

$$\text{Here } f_1 = \cos x, f_2 = \sin x$$

$$f_1' = -\sin x, f_2' = \cos x$$

$$f_1 f_2' - f_2 f_1' = \cos^2 x + \sin^2 x = 1$$

$$P = -\int \frac{f_2 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx$$

$$= -\int \frac{\sin x \tan x}{1} dx$$

$$= -\int \frac{\sin^2 x}{\cos x} dx$$

$$= -\int \frac{1 - \cos^2 x}{\cos x} dx$$

$$= -\int (\sec x - \cos x) dx$$

$$= -\log(\sec x + \tan x) + \sin x$$

$$Q = \int \frac{f_1 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx$$

$$= \int \frac{\cos x \tan x}{1} dx$$

$$= \int \sin x dx$$

$$= -\cos x$$

$$\therefore P.I = P f_1 + Q f_2$$

$$= -\cos x \log(\sec x + \tan x)$$

$$y = C.F + P.I$$

$$= c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x - \cos x \log(\sec x + \tan x)$$

8. Solve by method of variation of parameters  $y'' - \frac{4}{x} y' + \frac{4}{x^2} y = x^2 + 1$

**Solution:** Given  $y'' - \frac{4}{x} y' + \frac{4}{x^2} y = x^2 + 1$

$$\text{i.e., } x^2 y'' - 4xy' + 4y = x^4 + x^2$$

$$\text{i.e., } [x^2 D^2 - 4xD + 4]y = x^4 + x^2 \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$\text{Put } x = e^z$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Log}x &= \log e^z \\ &= z\end{aligned}$$

So that  $XD = D'$

$$x^2 D = D'(D' - 1)$$

$$(1) \Rightarrow [D'(D' - 1) - 4D' + 4]y = (e^z)^4 + (e^z)^2$$

$$[D'^2 - 5D' + 4]y = e^{4z} + e^{2z}$$

$$\text{A.E is } m^2 - 5m + 4 = 0$$

$$(m - 4)(m - 1) = 0$$

$$m = 1, 4$$

$$\therefore C.F = c_1 e^{4z} + c_2 e^z$$

$$\text{Here } f_1 = e^{4z}, f_2 = e^z$$

$$f_1' = e^{4z}, f_2' = e^z$$

$$f_1 f_2' - f_2 f_1' = e^{5z} - 4e^{5z} = -3e^{5z}$$

$$P.I = Pf_1 + Qf_2$$

$$\begin{aligned}P &= -\int \frac{f_2 X}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dx \\ &= -\int \frac{e^z [e^{4z} + e^{2z}]}{-3e^{5z}} dx\end{aligned}$$

$$= \int \frac{e^{5z} + e^{3z}}{3e^{5z}} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \int [1 + e^{-2z}] dz$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \left[ z + \frac{e^{-2z}}{-2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} z - \frac{1}{6} e^{-2z}$$

$$Q = \int \frac{f_1 Z}{f_1 f_2' - f_1' f_2} dz$$

$$= \int \frac{e^{4z} (e^{4z} + e^{3z})}{-3e^{5z}} dz$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3} \int \frac{e^{8z} + e^{6z}}{e^{5z}} dz$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3} \int (e^{3z} + e^z) dz$$

$$= -\frac{1}{3} \left[ \frac{e^{3z}}{3} + e^z \right]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{9} e^{3z} - \frac{1}{3} e^z$$

$$\therefore P.I = \left( \frac{1}{3} z - \frac{1}{6} e^{-2z} \right) e^{4z} + \left( -\frac{1}{9} e^{3z} - \frac{1}{3} e^z \right) e^z$$

$$= \frac{1}{3}ze^{4z} - \frac{1}{6}e^{2z} - \frac{1}{9}e^{4z} - \frac{1}{3}e^{2z}$$

$$y = C.F + P.I$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= c_1e^{4z} + c_2e^z + \frac{1}{3}ze^{4z} - \frac{1}{6}e^{2z} - \frac{1}{9}e^{4z} - \frac{1}{3}e^{2z} \\ &= c_1(e^z)^4 + c_2e^z + \frac{1}{3}z(e^z)^4 - \frac{1}{6}(e^z)^2 - \frac{1}{9}(e^z)^4 - \frac{1}{3}(e^z)^2 \\ &= c_1(e^z)^4 + c_2(e^z) + \frac{x^4}{3}\log x - \frac{x^4}{9} - \frac{x^2}{2} \end{aligned}$$

### DIFFERENTIAL EQUATIONS FOR THE VARIABLE COEFFICIENTS (CAUCHY'S HOMOGENEOUS LINEAR EQUATION)

Consider homogeneous linear differential equation as:

$$a^n \frac{d^n y}{dx^n} + a_1 x^{n-1} \frac{d^{n-1} y}{dx^{n-1}} + \dots + a_n y = X \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

(Here a's are constants and X be a function of X) is called Cauchy's homogeneous linear equation.

$$a_n x^n \frac{d^n y}{dx^n} + a_{n-1} \frac{d^{n-1} y}{dx^{n-1}} + \dots + a_1 x \frac{dy}{dx} + a_0 y = f(x)$$

is the homogeneous linear equation with variable coefficients. It is also known as Euler's equation.

Equation (1) can be transformed into a linear equation of constant Coefficients by the transformation.

$$x = e^z, (or) z = \log x$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} Dy &= \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dz} \frac{dz}{dx} = \frac{1}{x} \frac{dy}{dz} \\ \left[ D = \frac{d}{dx}, \theta = \frac{d}{dz} \right] \\ x \frac{d}{dx} &= xD = \frac{d}{dz} = \theta \end{aligned}$$

Similarly

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} &= \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{dy}{dx} \right) = \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{1}{x} \frac{dy}{dz} \right) \\ &= -\frac{1}{x^2} \frac{dy}{dz} + \frac{1}{x} \frac{d}{dx} \left( \frac{dy}{dz} \right) = -\frac{1}{x^2} \frac{dy}{dz} + \frac{1}{x} \frac{d}{dz} \left( \frac{dy}{dz} \right) \frac{dz}{dx} \\ \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} &= -\frac{1}{x^2} \frac{dy}{dz} + \frac{1}{x^2} \frac{d^2 y}{dz^2} \\ \therefore x^2 \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} &= \frac{d^2 y}{dz^2} - \frac{dy}{dz} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore x^2 D^2 = (\theta^2 - \theta) = \theta(\theta - 1)$$

Similarly,

$$x^3 D^3 = \theta(\theta - 1)(\theta - 2)$$

$$x^4 D^4 = \theta(\theta - 1)(\theta - 2)(\theta - 3)$$

and soon.

$$\therefore xD = \theta$$

$$x^2 D^2 = \theta(\theta - 1)$$

$$x^3 D^3 = \theta(\theta - 1)(\theta - 2)$$

and so on.

1. Solve  $x^2 \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 4 \sin(\log x)$

**Solution:** Consider the transformation

$$x = e^z, \text{ (or) } z = \log x$$

$$\therefore xD = \theta$$

$$x^2 D^2 = \theta(\theta - 1)$$

$$(x^2 D^2 + xD + 1)y = 4 \sin(\log x)$$

$$(\theta^2 + 1)y = 4 \sin(z)$$

$$\text{R.H.S} = 0 : (\theta^2 + 1)y = 0$$

$$\text{A.E} : m^2 + 1 = 0, m = \pm i$$

$$\text{C.F} = A \cos z + B \sin z$$

$$\text{C.F} = A \cos(\log x) + B \sin(\log x)$$

$$\text{P.I} = \frac{1}{\theta^2 + 1} 4(\sin z)$$

$$= 4 \left( -\frac{z \cos z}{2} \right) = -2z \cos z$$

$$\text{P.I} = -2 \log x \cos(\log x)$$

$\therefore$  Complete solution is:

$$y = A \cos(\log x) + B \sin(\log x) - 2 \log x \cos(\log x)$$

$$y = (A - 2 \log x) \cos(\log x) - 2 \log x \cos(\log x)$$

2. Solve  $x^2 \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + 4x \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = x \log x$

**Solution:** Given  $(x^2 D^2 + 4xD + 2)y = x \log x$  .....(1)

**Consider:**  $x = e^z$ , (or)  $z = \log x$

$$\therefore xD = \theta$$

$$x^2 D^2 = \theta(\theta - 1)$$

$$(1) : (\theta(\theta - 1) + 4\theta + 2)y = e^z z$$

$$(\theta^2 + 3\theta + 2)y = ze^z$$

$$\text{A.E : } m^2 + 3m + 2 = 0$$

$$\mathbf{M = -2, -1}$$

$$\text{C.F} = Ae^{-2z} + Be^{-z} = Ae^{\log x^{-2}} + Be^{\log x^{-1}}$$

$$\text{C.F} = \frac{A}{x^2} + \frac{B}{x}$$

$$\text{P.I} = \frac{1}{(\theta^2 + 3\theta + 2)}(e^z z)$$

$$= e^z \frac{1}{(\theta + 1)^2 + 3(\theta + 1) + 2} z$$

$$= e^z \frac{1}{(\theta^2 + 5\theta + 6)} z$$

$$= \frac{e^z}{6} \left( 1 + \left( \frac{\theta^2 + 5\theta}{6} \right) \right)^{-1} z$$

$$= \frac{e^z}{6} \left( 1 - \frac{5}{6}\theta \right) z = \frac{e^z}{6} \left( z - \frac{5}{6} \right)$$

$$= \frac{e^{\log x}}{6} \left( \log x - \frac{5}{6} \right)$$

$$= \frac{x}{6} \left( \log x - \frac{5}{6} \right)$$

**Complete solution is  $y = \text{C.F} + \text{P.I}$**

$$= \frac{A}{x^2} + \frac{B}{x} + \frac{x}{6} \left( \log x - \frac{5}{6} \right)$$

**3. Solve  $((x^2 D^2 - 3xD + 4)y = x^2$ , giventhat  $y(1) = 1$  and  $y'(1) = 0$**

**Solution: Given  $(x^2 D^2 - 3xD + 4)y = x^2$  .....(1)**

**Take  $x = e^z$ , (or)  $z = \log x$**

$$\therefore xD = \theta$$

$$x^2 D^2 = \theta(\theta - 1)$$

$$(1) : (\theta^2 - 4\theta + 4)y = e^{2z}$$

$$\text{A.E : } m^2 - 4m + 4 = 0, m = 2, 2$$

$$\text{C.F} = (A + Bz)e^{2z} = (A + B \log x)x^2$$

$$\text{P.I} = \frac{1}{(\theta - 2)^2} (e^{2z}) = e^{2z} \frac{1}{(\theta + 2 - 2)^2} (1)$$

$$= e^{2z} \frac{1}{\theta^2} (1)$$

$$\text{P.I} = e^{2z} \frac{z^2}{2}$$

$$= \frac{x^2(\log x)^2}{2} \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

**Complete solution is :**  $y = (A + B \log x)x^2 + \frac{x^2(\log x)^2}{2}$

**Apply conditions:**  $y(1) = 1, y'(1) = 0$  in (2)

**A = 1, B = -2**

**Complete solution is**  $y = (1 - 2 \log x)x^2 + \frac{x^2(\log x)^2}{2}$

**EQUATION REDUCIBLE TO THE HOMOGENEOUS LINEAR FORM (LEGENDRE LINEAR EQUATION)**

**It is of the form:**

$$(a + bx)^n \frac{d^n y}{dx^n} + A_1(a + bx)^{n-1} \frac{d^{n-1} y}{dx^{n-1}} + \dots\dots\dots + A_n y = f(x) \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$A_1, A_2, \dots\dots\dots, A_n$  are some constants

**It can be reduced to linear differential equation with constant Coefficients,**

**by taking:**  $a + bx = e^z$  (or)  $z = \log(a + bx)$

**Consider**  $\frac{d}{dx} = D, \frac{d}{dz} = \theta$ , gives

$$(a + bx) \frac{dy}{dx} = b \frac{dy}{dz} \Rightarrow (a + bx)Dy = b\theta(y)$$

**Similarly**  $(a + bx)^2 D^2 y = b^2 \theta(\theta - 1)y \dots\dots\dots(2)$

$(a + bx)^3 D^3 y = b^3 \theta(\theta - 1)(\theta - 2)$  and so on

**Substitute (2) in (1) gives: the linear differential equation of constant Coefficients.**

**Solve**  $(2x + 3)^2 y'' - (2x + 3)y' - 12y = 6x$

**Solution: This is Legendre's linear equation:**

$$(2x + 3)^2 y'' - (2x + 3)y' - 12y = 6x \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

**Put**  $z = \log(2x + 3)$ ,  $e^z = 2x + 3$

$$(2x + 3)D = 2\theta$$

$$(2x + 3)^2 D^2 = 4(\theta^2 - \theta), \theta = \frac{d}{dz}$$

**Put in (1) :**  $(4\theta^2 - 6\theta - 12)y = 3e^z - 9$

**R.H.S = 0**

$$\text{A.E : } 4m^2 - 6m - 12 = 0$$

$$m_1 = \frac{3 + \sqrt{57}}{4}, m_2 = \frac{3 - \sqrt{57}}{4}$$

$$\text{C.F} = Ae^{m_1 z} + Be^{m_2 z}$$

$$\text{C.F} = A(4x + 3)^{m_1} + B(2x + 3)^{m_2}$$

$$P.I_1 = \frac{3e^z}{4\theta^2 - 6\theta - 12} = -\frac{3}{14}(2x + 3)$$

$$P.I_2 = \frac{9e^{6z}}{4\theta^2 - 6\theta - 12} = -\frac{9}{12} = -\frac{3}{4}$$

**Solution is**

$$y = A(2x + 3)^{(3+\sqrt{57}/4)} + B(2x + 3)^{(3-\sqrt{57}/4)} - \frac{3}{14}(2x + 3) - \frac{3}{4}$$

**SIMULTANEOUS FIRST ORDER LINEAR EQUATIONS WITH CONSTANT COEFFICIENTS**

**1. Solve the simultaneous equations,**  $\frac{dx}{dt} + 2x + 3y = 2e^{2t}, \frac{dy}{dt} + 3x + 2y = 0$

**Solution: Given**  $\frac{dx}{dt} + 2x + 3y = 2e^{2t}, \frac{dy}{dt} + 3x + 2y = 0$

**Using the operator D =**  $\frac{d}{dt}$

$$(D + 2)x + 3y = 2e^{2t} \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$3x + (D + 2)y = 0 \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

**Solving (1) and (2) eliminate (x) :**

$$3 \times (1) - (2) \times (D + 2) \Rightarrow (D^2 + 4D - 5)y = -6e^{2t} \dots\dots\dots(3)$$

**A.E :**  $m^2 + 4m - 5 = 0$

**m = 1, -5**

**C.F =**  $Ae^t + Be^{-5t}$

$$P.I = \frac{-6e^{2t}}{D^2 + 4D - 5} = -\frac{6}{7}e^{2t}$$

$$y = Ae^t + Be^{-5t} - \frac{6}{7}e^{2t}$$

**put in (1) : x =**  $-\frac{1}{3}[(D + 2)y]$

$$x = -Ae^t + Be^{-5t} + \frac{8}{7}e^{2t}$$

**∴ solution is :**

$$x = -Ae^t + Be^{-5t} + \frac{8}{7}e^{2t}$$

$$y = Ae^t + Be^{-5t} - \frac{6}{7}e^{2t}$$

**2. Solve**  $\frac{dx}{dt} + y = \sin t, \frac{dy}{dt} + x = \cos t, \text{ giventhat } t=0, x = 1, y = 0$

**Solution: Dx + y = sin t** .....(1)

**x + Dy = cost** ..... (2)

**Eliminate x : (1) - (2)D**  $\Rightarrow y - D^2y = \sin t + \sin t$



$$(D^2 - 1)y = -2 \sin t \dots \dots \dots (3)$$

$$m^2 - 1 = 0, m = \pm 1$$

$$\mathbf{C.F} = \mathbf{Ae}^t + \mathbf{Be}^{-t}$$

$$\mathbf{P.I} = -2 \frac{\sin t}{D^2 - 1} = (-2) \frac{\sin t}{-1 - 1} = \sin t$$

$$\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{Ae}^t + \mathbf{Be}^{-t} + \sin t$$

$$(2) : \mathbf{x} = \cos t - \mathbf{D}(y)$$

$$\mathbf{x} = \cos t - \frac{d}{dt} (\mathbf{Ae}^t + \mathbf{Be}^{-t} + \sin t)$$

$$\mathbf{x} = \cos t - \mathbf{Ae}^t + \mathbf{Be}^{-t} - \cos t$$

$$\mathbf{x} = -\mathbf{Ae}^t + \mathbf{Be}^{-t}$$

Now using the conditions given, we can find A and B

$$t = 0, x = 1 \Rightarrow 1 = -A + B$$

$$t = 0, y = 0 \Rightarrow 0 = A + B$$

$$\mathbf{B} = \frac{1}{2}, \mathbf{A} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Solution is

$$\mathbf{x} = \frac{1}{2}e^t + \frac{1}{2}e^{-t} = \cosh t$$

$$\mathbf{y} = -\frac{1}{2}e^t + \frac{1}{2}e^{-t} + \sin t = \sin t - \sinh t$$

$$3. \text{ Solve } \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y = -\sin t, \frac{dy}{dt} - 2x = \cos t$$

$$\text{Solution: } \mathbf{Dx} + 2\mathbf{y} = -\sin t \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

$$-2\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{Dy} = \cos t \dots \dots \dots (2)$$

$$(1) \times 2 + (2) \times D \Rightarrow 4y + D^2 y = -2 \sin t + D(\cos t)$$

$$\Rightarrow (D^2 + 4)y = -3 \sin t$$

$$m^2 + 4 = 0, m = \pm i2$$

$$\mathbf{C.F} = \mathbf{A} \cos 2t + \mathbf{B} \sin 2t$$

$$\mathbf{P.I} = -\frac{3 \sin t}{D^2 + 4} = \frac{-3 \sin t}{-1 + 4} = -\sin t$$

$$\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{A} \cos 2t + \mathbf{B} \sin 2t - \sin t$$

$$(2) : \mathbf{x} = \frac{1}{2} [Dy - \cos t]$$

$$\mathbf{x} = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{d}{dt} (\mathbf{A} \cos 2t + \mathbf{B} \sin 2t - \sin t) - \cos t \right]$$

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{A} \cos 2t + \mathbf{B} \sin 2t - \cos t$$

Solution is :

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{A} \cos 2t + \mathbf{B} \sin 2t - \cos t$$

$$\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{A} \cos 2t + \mathbf{B} \sin 2t - \sin t$$

4. Solve  $\frac{dx}{dt} - \frac{dy}{dt} + 2y = \cos 2t, \frac{dx}{dt} + \frac{dy}{dt} - 2x = \sin 2t$

**Solution:**  $Dx + (-D + 2)y = \cos 2t$  .....(1)

$(D - 2)x + Dy = \sin 2t$  .....(2)

**Eliminating y from (1) and (2)**

$$(D^2 - 2D + 2)x = -2 \sin 2t + \cos 2t$$

**R.H.S = 0**  $\Rightarrow m^2 - 2m + 2 = 0$

$$m = 1 \pm i$$

**C.F**  $= e^t (A \cos t + B \sin t)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{P.I}_1 &= \frac{(-2 \sin 2t)}{D^2 - 2D + 2} = \frac{\sin 2t}{1 + D} \\ &= \frac{(1 - D)}{1 - D^2} \sin 2t = \frac{\sin 2t - D(\sin 2t)}{1 + 4} \\ &= \frac{\sin 2t - 2 \cos 2t}{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{P.I}_2 &= \frac{1}{D^2 - 2D + 2} (\cos 2t) \\ &= -\frac{(\cos 2t + 2 \sin 2t)}{10} \end{aligned}$$

$$x = e^t (A \cos t + B \sin t) + \frac{\sin 2t - 2 \cos 2t}{5} - \frac{(\cos 2t + 2 \sin 2t)}{10}$$

(1) + (2)  $\Rightarrow 2 \frac{dx}{dt} + 2y - 2x = \cos 2t + \sin 2t$

$$2y = \cos 2t + \sin 2t + 2x - 2 \frac{dx}{dt}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \cos 2t + \sin 2t + 2x - 2 \frac{dx}{dt} \right] \dots\dots\dots(3)$$

**Substitute x in (3)**

$$y = e^t (A \cos t - B \sin t) - \frac{\sin 2t}{2}$$

**Solution is :**

$$x = e^t (A \cos t + B \sin t) + \frac{\sin 2t - 2 \cos 2t}{5} - \frac{(\cos 2t + 2 \sin 2t)}{10}$$

$$y = e^t (A \cos t - B \sin t) - \frac{\sin 2t}{2}$$