



MATHEMATICAL ANALYSIS 1

Lecture

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Applications of Taylor Series

The Binomial Series

For $-1 < x < 1$,

$$(1 + x)^m = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \binom{m}{k} x^k,$$

where we define

$$\binom{m}{1} = m, \quad \binom{m}{2} = \frac{m(m-1)}{2!},$$

and

$$\binom{m}{k} = \frac{m(m-1)(m-2)\cdots(m-k+1)}{k!} \quad \text{for } k \geq 3.$$

$$(1 + x)^{-1} = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k x^k = 1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + \cdots + (-1)^k x^k + \cdots.$$

$$(1 + x)^{1/2} = 1 + \frac{x}{2} - \frac{x^2}{8} + \frac{x^3}{16} - \frac{5x^4}{128} + \cdots$$

Evaluating Non-elementary Integrals

EXAMPLE 4 Estimate $\int_0^1 \sin x^2 dx$ with an error of less than 0.001.

$$\int \sin x^2 dx = C + \frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^7}{7 \cdot 3!} + \frac{x^{11}}{11 \cdot 5!} - \frac{x^{15}}{15 \cdot 7!} + \frac{x^{19}}{19 \cdot 9!} - \dots$$

$$\int_0^1 \sin x^2 dx = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{7 \cdot 3!} + \frac{1}{11 \cdot 5!} - \frac{1}{15 \cdot 7!} + \frac{1}{19 \cdot 9!} - \dots$$

$$\frac{1}{11 \cdot 5!} \approx 0.00076$$

$$\int_0^1 \sin x^2 dx \approx \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{42} \approx 0.310.$$

with an error of less than 10^{-6}

$$\int_0^1 \sin x^2 dx \approx \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{42} + \frac{1}{1320} - \frac{1}{75600} + \frac{1}{6894720} \approx 0.310268303,$$

Evaluating Indeterminate Forms

EXAMPLE 6 Evaluate

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x - \tan x}{x^3}$$

$$\sin x = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \dots, \quad \tan x = x + \frac{x^3}{3} + \frac{2x^5}{15} + \dots$$

$$\sin x - \tan x = -\frac{x^3}{2} - \frac{x^5}{8} - \dots = x^3 \left(-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{x^2}{8} - \dots \right)$$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin x - \tan x}{x^3} = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{x^2}{8} - \dots \right) = -\frac{1}{2}.$$

EXAMPLE 7

Find $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1}{\sin x} - \frac{1}{x} \right)$

$$\frac{1}{\sin x} - \frac{1}{x} = \frac{x - \sin x}{x \sin x} = \frac{x - \left(x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \dots \right)}{x \cdot \left(x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \dots \right)} = x \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{3!} - \frac{x^2}{5!} + \dots}{1 - \frac{x^2}{3!} + \dots}.$$



$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(\frac{1}{\sin x} - \frac{1}{x} \right) = \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \left(x \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{3!} - \frac{x^2}{5!} + \dots}{1 - \frac{x^2}{3!} + \dots} \right) = 0.$$

Exercises

- Find the first four terms of the binomial series for the functions

$$(1 + x)^{1/3}$$

$$1 + \frac{1}{3}x - \frac{1}{9}x^2 + \frac{5}{81}x^3 - \dots$$

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

$$1 - x + \frac{3}{4}x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x^3 + \dots$$

$$\frac{x}{\sqrt[3]{1+x}}$$

$$x - \frac{1}{3}x^2 + \frac{2}{9}x^3 - \frac{14}{81}x^4 + \dots$$

- Find the binomial series for the functions

$$(1 + x)^4$$

$$1 + 4x + 6x^2 + 4x^3 + x^4$$

$$\left(1 - \frac{x}{2}\right)^4$$

$$1 - 2x + \frac{3}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{2}x^3 + \frac{1}{16}x^4$$

- use series to estimate the integrals' values with an error of magnitude less than 10^{-5} .

$$\int_0^{0.4} \frac{e^{-x} - 1}{x} dx$$

$$-0.3633060.$$

$$\int_0^{0.35} \sqrt[3]{1 + x^2} dx$$

$$0.3546472.$$

Exercises

- Use series to approximate the values of the integrals with an error of magnitude less than 10^{-8} .

$$\int_0^{0.1} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$$

$$0.0999444611, |E| \leq \frac{(0.1)^7}{7 \cdot 7!} \approx 2.8 \times 10^{-12}$$

$$\int_0^1 \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2} dx$$

$$0.4863853764, |E| \leq \frac{1}{11 \cdot 12!} \approx 1.9 \times 10^{-10}$$

- Estimate the error if $\cos \sqrt{t}$ is approximated by $1 - \frac{t}{2} + \frac{t^2}{4!} - \frac{t^3}{6!}$ in the integral $\int_0^1 \cos \sqrt{t} dt$. 0.000004960

- find a polynomial that will approximate $F(x)$ throughout the given interval with an error of magnitude less than 10^{-3} .

$$F(x) = \int_0^x \sin t^2 dt, \quad [0, 1]$$

$$|\text{error}| < \frac{1}{15 \cdot 7!} \approx 0.000013$$

$$F(x) = \int_0^x \frac{\ln(1+t)}{t} dt, \quad [0, 0.5]$$

$$|\text{error}| < \frac{(0.5)^6}{6^2} \approx .00043$$

Exercises

- Use series to evaluate the limits

$$\lim_{y \rightarrow 0} \frac{\tan^{-1} y - \sin y}{y^3 \cos y}$$

$-\frac{1}{6}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(1 + x^2)}{1 - \cos x}$$

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$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\sin 3x^2}{1 - \cos 2x}$$

$\frac{3}{2}$

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} \frac{\ln(1 + x^3)}{x \cdot \sin x^2}$$

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- find the sum of each series.

$$1 - \frac{3^2}{4^2 \cdot 2!} + \frac{3^4}{4^4 \cdot 4!} - \frac{3^6}{4^6 \cdot 6!} + \dots$$

$\cos\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)$

$$\frac{\pi}{3} - \frac{\pi^3}{3^3 \cdot 3!} + \frac{\pi^5}{3^5 \cdot 5!} - \frac{\pi^7}{3^7 \cdot 7!} + \dots$$

$\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$

$$1 + \frac{x}{2} + \frac{x^2}{3} + \frac{x^3}{4} + \frac{x^4}{5} + \dots$$

$-\frac{\ln(1-x)}{x}$

Linear First-Order Differential Equations

$$y'(x) + P(x)y(x) = Q(x)$$



$$y(x) = \exp\left(-\int P(x)dx\right) \left(\int Q(x) \exp\left(\int P(x)dx\right) dx + C \right)$$

Bernoulli's Equation

$$y'(x) + P(x)y(x) = Q(x)y^n$$

$$z = y^{1-n}$$



Linear Equation

$$z' + (1-n)p(x)z = (1-n)Q(x)$$

Example

Solve the following differential equation

Solution

$$xy' - 3y = x^5 \cdot \sqrt[4]{y}$$

$$y' - \frac{3}{x}y = x^4 y^{\frac{1}{4}}$$

Bernoulli's Equation with

$$n = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$z = y^{\frac{3}{4}}$$

Linear Equation

$$z' - \frac{9}{4x}z = \frac{3}{4}x^4$$

$$z = e^{-\int -\frac{9}{4x}dx} \left[\int \frac{3}{4}x^4 e^{\int -\frac{9}{4x}dx} dx + c \right] = \frac{3}{11}x^5 + cx^{\frac{9}{4}}$$

$$y = \left[\frac{3}{11}x^5 + cx^{\frac{9}{4}} \right]^{\frac{4}{3}}$$

Exercises

Solve the given differential equation

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = \frac{1}{y^2}$$

$$y^3 = 1 + cx^{-3}.$$

$$3(1 + t^2) \frac{dy}{dt} = 2ty(y^3 - 1)$$

$$y^{-3} = 1 + c(1 + t^2).$$

Solve the given initial-value problem

$$x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} - 2xy = 3y^4, \quad y(1) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$y^{-3} = -\frac{9}{5}x^{-1} + \frac{49}{5}x^{-6}.$$

$$P(x)y''(x) + Q(x)y'(x) + R(x)y(x) = G(x), \quad (1)$$

$$P(x)y'' + Q(x)y' + R(x)y = 0. \quad (2)$$

THEOREM 1—The Superposition Principle If $y_1(x)$ and $y_2(x)$ are two solutions to the linear homogeneous equation (2), then for any constants c_1 and c_2 , the function

$$y(x) = c_1y_1(x) + c_2y_2(x)$$

is also a solution to Equation (2).

$$P(x)y''(x) + Q(x)y'(x) + R(x)y(x) = G(x), \quad (1)$$

$$P(x)y'' + Q(x)y' + R(x)y = 0. \quad (2)$$

THEOREM 2 If P , Q , and R are continuous over the open interval I and $P(x)$ is never zero on I , then the linear homogeneous equation (2) has two linearly independent solutions y_1 and y_2 on I . Moreover, if y_1 and y_2 are *any* two linearly independent solutions of Equation (2), then the general solution is given by

$$y(x) = c_1y_1(x) + c_2y_2(x),$$

where c_1 and c_2 are arbitrary constants.

Constant-Coefficient Homogeneous Equations

$$ay'' + by' + cy = 0,$$

$$\downarrow \quad y = e^{rx}$$

$$ar^2 + br + c = 0.$$

auxiliary equation
characteristic equation

$$r_1 = \frac{-b + \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \quad \text{and} \quad r_2 = \frac{-b - \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}.$$

Case 1

THEOREM 3 If r_1 and r_2 are two real and unequal roots to the auxiliary equation $ar^2 + br + c = 0$, then

$$y = c_1 e^{r_1 x} + c_2 e^{r_2 x}$$

is the general solution to $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$.

EXAMPLE 1 Find the general solution of the differential equation

$$y'' - y' - 6y = 0.$$

$$r^2 - r - 6 = 0,$$

$$(r - 3)(r + 2) = 0.$$

$$y = c_1 e^{3x} + c_2 e^{-2x}.$$

Case 2

THEOREM 4 If r is the only (repeated) real root to the auxiliary equation $ar^2 + br + c = 0$, then

$$y = c_1 e^{rx} + c_2 x e^{rx}$$

is the general solution to $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$.

$$y_2 = p(x) e^{(-b/2a)x}$$



$$y_2 = x e^{(-b/2a)x}$$

EXAMPLE 2 Find the general solution to

$$y'' + 4y' + 4y = 0.$$

$$r^2 + 4r + 4 = 0, \quad \rightarrow \quad (r + 2)^2 = 0. \quad \rightarrow \quad y = c_1 e^{-2x} + c_2 x e^{-2x}.$$

Case 3

THEOREM 5 If $r_1 = \alpha + i\beta$ and $r_2 = \alpha - i\beta$ are two complex roots to the auxiliary equation $ar^2 + br + c = 0$, then

$$y = e^{\alpha x}(c_1 \cos \beta x + c_2 \sin \beta x)$$

is the general solution to $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$.

EXAMPLE 3 Find the general solution to the differential equation

$$y'' - 4y' + 5y = 0.$$

$$r^2 - 4r + 5 = 0. \rightarrow r_1 = 2 + i \text{ and } r_2 = 2 - i. \rightarrow y = e^{2x}(c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x).$$

Initial Value and Boundary Value Problems

EXAMPLE 4 Find the particular solution to the initial value problem

$$y'' - 2y' + y = 0, \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = -1.$$

$$r^2 - 2r + 1 = (r - 1)^2 = 0.$$

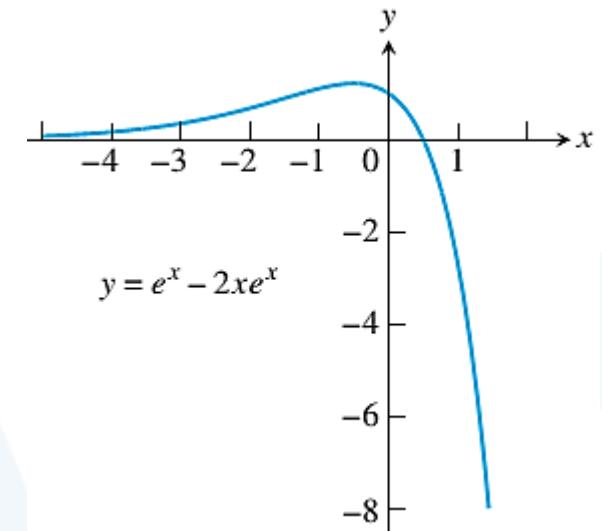
$$y = c_1 e^x + c_2 x e^x.$$

$$y' = c_1 e^x + c_2(x + 1)e^x.$$

From the initial conditions

$$1 = c_1 + c_2 \cdot 0 \quad \text{and} \quad -1 = c_1 + c_2 \cdot 1. \rightarrow c_1 = 1 \text{ and } c_2 = -2$$

$$y = e^x - 2xe^x.$$



Initial Value and Boundary Value Problems

EXAMPLE 5 Solve the boundary value problem

$$y'' + 4y = 0, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) = 1.$$

$$r^2 + 4 = 0. \quad \rightarrow \quad y = c_1 \cos 2x + c_2 \sin 2x.$$

$$y(0) = c_1 \cdot 1 + c_2 \cdot 0 = 0$$

$$y\left(\frac{\pi}{12}\right) = c_1 \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) + c_2 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = 1.$$

$$\rightarrow c_1 = 0 \text{ and } c_2 = 2. \quad \rightarrow \quad y = 2 \sin 2x.$$

EXERCISES

$$y'' + 6y' + 5y = 0, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 3$$

$$y = -\frac{3}{4}e^{-5x} + \frac{3}{4}e^{-x}$$

$$4y'' - 4y' + y = 0, \quad y(0) = 4, \quad y'(0) = 4$$

$$y = 4e^{\frac{1}{2}x} + 2x e^{\frac{1}{2}x}$$

$$y'' - 2y' + 2y = 0, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 2$$

$$y = 2e^x \sin x$$

$$y'' + 2y' + y = 0, \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = 1$$

$$y = e^{-x} + 2x e^{-x}$$

$$y'' + 4y = 0, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y(\pi) = 1.$$

no solution

$$y'' + 4y = 0, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y(\pi) = 0.$$

$$y = c_2 \sin 2x$$

Nonhomogeneous Linear Equations

$$ay'' + by' + cy = G(x),$$

THEOREM 7 The general solution $y = y(x)$ to the nonhomogeneous differential equation (1) has the form

$$y = y_c + y_p,$$

where the **complementary solution** y_c is the general solution to the associated homogeneous equation (2) and y_p is any **particular solution** to the nonhomogeneous equation (1).

The Method of Undetermined Coefficients

Summary of the Method of Undetermined Coefficients

1. If $G(x) = e^{kx}P(x)$, where P is a polynomial of degree n , then try $y_p(x) = e^{kx}Q(x)$, where $Q(x)$ is an n th-degree polynomial (whose coefficients are determined by substituting in the differential equation).
2. If $G(x) = e^{kx}P(x) \cos mx$ or $G(x) = e^{kx}P(x) \sin mx$, where P is an n th-degree polynomial, then try

$$y_p(x) = e^{kx}Q(x) \cos mx + e^{kx}R(x) \sin mx$$

where Q and R are n th-degree polynomials.

Modification: If any term of y_p is a solution of the complementary equation, multiply y_p by x (or by x^2 if necessary).

The Method of Undetermined Coefficients

$g(x)$	Form of y_p
1. 1 (any constant)	A
2. $5x + 7$	$Ax + B$
3. $3x^2 - 2$	$Ax^2 + Bx + C$
4. $x^3 - x + 1$	$Ax^3 + Bx^2 + Cx + E$
5. $\sin 4x$	$A \cos 4x + B \sin 4x$
6. $\cos 4x$	$A \cos 4x + B \sin 4x$
7. e^{5x}	Ae^{5x}
8. $(9x - 2)e^{5x}$	$(Ax + B)e^{5x}$
9. $x^2 e^{5x}$	$(Ax^2 + Bx + C)e^{5x}$
10. $e^{3x} \sin 4x$	$Ae^{3x} \cos 4x + Be^{3x} \sin 4x$
11. $5x^2 \sin 4x$	$(Ax^2 + Bx + C) \cos 4x + (Ex^2 + Fx + G) \sin 4x$
12. $xe^{3x} \cos 4x$	$(Ax + B)e^{3x} \cos 4x + (Cx + E)e^{3x} \sin 4x$

$$ay'' + by' + cy = G(x).$$

**If $G(x)$ has a term
that is a constant
multiple of ...**

And if

**Then include this
expression in the
trial function for y_p .**

e^{rx}

r is not a root of
the auxiliary equation

Ae^{rx}

r is a single root of the
auxiliary equation

Axe^{rx}

r is a double root of the
auxiliary equation

Ax^2e^{rx}

$\sin kx, \cos kx$

ki is not a root of
the auxiliary equation

$B \cos kx + C \sin kx$

$px^2 + qx + m$

0 is not a root of the
auxiliary equation

$Dx^2 + Ex + F$

0 is a single root of the
auxiliary equation

$Dx^3 + Ex^2 + Fx$

0 is a double root of the
auxiliary equation

$Dx^4 + Ex^3 + Fx^2$

EXAMPLE 1 Solve the nonhomogeneous equation $y'' - 2y' - 3y = 1 - x^2$.

$$y'' - 2y' - 3y = 0$$

$$r^2 - 2r - 3 = (r + 1)(r - 3) = 0.$$

$$y_c = c_1 e^{-x} + c_2 e^{3x}.$$

$$y_p = Ax^2 + Bx + C. \quad \rightarrow \quad 2A - 2(2Ax + B) - 3(Ax^2 + Bx + C) = 1 - x^2$$

$$-3A = -1, \quad -4A - 3B = 0, \quad \text{and} \quad 2A - 2B - 3C = 1.$$

$$\rightarrow A = 1/3, B = -4/9, \text{ and } C = 5/27. \quad \rightarrow \quad y_p = \frac{1}{3}x^2 - \frac{4}{9}x + \frac{5}{27}.$$

$$y = y_c + y_p = c_1 e^{-x} + c_2 e^{3x} + \frac{1}{3}x^2 - \frac{4}{9}x + \frac{5}{27}.$$

The Method of Variation of Parameters

$$y = v_1 y_1 + v_2 y_2, \quad \text{with} \quad v_1' y_1 + v_2' y_2 = 0.$$

$$y' = v_1 y_1' + v_2 y_2',$$

$$y'' = v_1 y_1'' + v_2 y_2'' + v_1' y_1' + v_2' y_2'.$$

Substituting in the nonhomogeneous differential equation

$$v_1(ay_1'' + by_1' + cy_1) + v_2(ay_2'' + by_2' + cy_2) + a(v_1' y_1' + v_2' y_2') = G(x).$$



$$a(v_1' y_1' + v_2' y_2') = G(x).$$



$$v_1' y_1 + v_2' y_2 = 0,$$

$$v_1' y_1' + v_2' y_2' = \frac{G(x)}{a}$$

The Method of Variation of Parameters

Variation of Parameters Procedure

To use the method of variation of parameters to find a particular solution to the nonhomogeneous equation

$$ay'' + by' + cy = G(x),$$

we can work directly with Equations (4) and (5). It is not necessary to rederive them. The steps are as follows.

1. Solve the associated homogeneous equation

$$ay'' + by' + cy = 0$$

to find the functions y_1 and y_2 .

2. Solve the equations

$$v_1'y_1 + v_2'y_2 = 0,$$

$$v_1'y_1' + v_2'y_2' = \frac{G(x)}{a}$$

simultaneously for the derivative functions v_1' and v_2' .

3. Integrate v_1' and v_2' to find the functions $v_1 = v_1(x)$ and $v_2 = v_2(x)$.
4. Write down the particular solution to nonhomogeneous equation (1) as

$$y_p = v_1y_1 + v_2y_2.$$

EXAMPLE 6

Find the general solution to the equation

$$y'' + y = \tan x.$$

$$y'' + y = 0 \quad \rightarrow$$

$$y_c = c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x.$$

$$v_1' \cos x + v_2' \sin x = 0,$$

$$-v_1' \sin x + v_2' \cos x = \tan x.$$

$$v_1' = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 0 & \sin x \\ \tan x & \cos x \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} \cos x & \sin x \\ -\sin x & \cos x \end{vmatrix}} = \frac{-\tan x \sin x}{\cos^2 x + \sin^2 x} = \frac{-\sin^2 x}{\cos x}.$$

$$v_2' = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} \cos x & 0 \\ -\sin x & \tan x \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} \cos x & \sin x \\ -\sin x & \cos x \end{vmatrix}} = \sin x.$$

$$v_1(x) = \int \frac{-\sin^2 x}{\cos x} dx = -\ln |\sec x + \tan x| + \sin x,$$

$$v_2(x) = \int \sin x dx = -\cos x.$$

$$y_p = [-\ln |\sec x + \tan x| + \sin x] \cos x + (-\cos x) \sin x \quad \rightarrow \quad y = c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x - (\cos x) \ln |\sec x + \tan x|.$$

EXERCISES

$$y'' - y' - 6y = e^{-x} - 7 \cos x$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 3\frac{dy}{dx} = e^{3x} - 12x$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + y = \sec x, \quad -\frac{\pi}{2} < x < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$y'' - y' = 2^x$$

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - \frac{dy}{dx} = e^x \cos x, \quad x > 0$$

$$y = c_1 e^{3x} + c_2 e^{-2x} - \frac{1}{4} e^{-x} + \frac{7}{50} \sin x + \frac{49}{50} \cos x$$

$$y = c_1 + c_2 e^{3x} + \frac{1}{3} x e^{3x} + 2x^2 + \frac{4}{3} x$$

$$y = c_1 \cos x + c_2 \sin x + \cos x \ln |\cos x| + x \sin x$$

$$y = c_1 + c_2 e^x + \frac{\ln 2 - 1}{\ln 2(\ln 2 - 1)} 2^x$$

$$y = c_1 + c_2 e^x + \frac{1}{2} e^x \sin x - \frac{1}{2} e^x \cos x$$