

## 1 - 7 General solution

Solve the following ODEs, showing the details of your work.

$$1. \quad y'''' + 3y'' + y = e^x - x - 1$$

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ClearAll["Global`*"]
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First trying to solve the ODE.

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dapple = y''''[x] + 3 y''[x] + 3 y'[x] + y[x] == e^x - x - 1
```

```
apple = DSolve[dapple, y[x], x]
```

```
y[x] + 3 y'[x] + 3 y''[x] + y(3)[x] == -1 + e^x - x
```

$$\left\{ \left\{ y[x] \rightarrow \frac{1}{8} (16 + e^x - 8x) + e^{-x} C[1] + e^{-x} x C[2] + e^{-x} x^2 C[3] \right\} \right\}$$

I think I can improve the appearance a little.

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Collect[apple, e-x]
```

$$\left\{ \left\{ y[x] \rightarrow 2 + \frac{e^x}{8} - x + e^{-x} (C[1] + x C[2] + x^2 C[3]) \right\} \right\}$$

1. Above: The expression matches the answer in the text.

$$3. \quad (D^4 + 10D^2 + 9I) y = 6.5 \operatorname{Sinh}[2x]$$

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In[9]:= ClearAll["Global`*"]
```

First trying to solve the ODE.

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In[10]:= prank = y''''[x] + 10 y''[x] + 9 y[x] == 6.5 Sinh[2 x]
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dank = DSolve[prank, y[x], x]
```

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Out[10]:= 9 y[x] + 10 y''[x] + y(4)[x] == 6.5 Sinh[2 x]
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Out[11]:= { { y[x] → 1. C[3] Cos[1. x] + 1. C[1] Cos[3. x] + 1. C[4] Sin[1. x] +  
1. C[2] Sin[3. x] + 0.1625 (0. + 1. Cos[1. x]2 Sinh[2. x] -  
0.384615 Cos[3. x]2 Sinh[2. x] + 1. Sin[1. x]2 Sinh[2. x] -  
(0.384615 + 2.31296 × 10-17 i) Sin[3. x]2 Sinh[2. x]) } }
```

Then trying to eliminate the imaginary parts, which I think slipped in at the boundary of machine precision operations.

In[12]= `bank = Chop[dank, 10-16]`

Out[12]=  $\left\{ \left\{ y[x] \rightarrow 1. C[3] \cos[1. x] + 1. C[1] \cos[3. x] + 1. C[4] \sin[1. x] + 1. C[2] \sin[3. x] + 0.1625 (1. \cos[1. x]^2 \sinh[2. x] - 0.384615 \cos[3. x]^2 \sinh[2. x] + 1. \sin[1. x]^2 \sinh[2. x] - 0.384615 \sin[3. x]^2 \sinh[2. x]) \right\} \right\}$

And trying to compactify.

In[13]= `sank = Simplify[bank]`

Out[13]=  $\left\{ \left\{ y[x] \rightarrow 1. C[3] \cos[(1. + 0. i) x] + 1. C[1] \cos[(3. + 0. i) x] + 1. C[4] \sin[(1. + 0. i) x] + 1. C[2] \sin[(3. + 0. i) x] + 0.1 \sinh[2. x] \right\} \right\}$

And taking another shot at removing imaginaries.

In[14]= `Chop[sank, 10-16]`

Out[14]=  $\left\{ \left\{ y[x] \rightarrow 1. C[3] \cos[1. x] + 1. C[1] \cos[3. x] + 1. C[4] \sin[1. x] + 1. C[2] \sin[3. x] + 0.1 \sinh[2. x] \right\} \right\}$

1. Above: The expression matches the text's answer.

$$5. \left( x^3 D^3 + x^2 D^2 - 2 x D + 2 I \right) y = x^{-2}$$

`ClearAll["Global`*"]`

First trying to solve the ODE.

`p1ow = x3 y''''[x] + x2 y'''[x] - 2 x y'[x] + 2 y[x] == x-2`  
`cow = DSolve[p1ow, y[x], x]`

$$2 y[x] - 2 x y'[x] + x^2 y''[x] + x^3 y^{(3)}[x] == \frac{1}{x^2}$$

$$\left\{ \left\{ y[x] \rightarrow -\frac{1}{12 x^2} + \frac{C[1]}{x} + x C[2] + x^2 C[3] \right\} \right\}$$

1. Above: The answer matches the text's.

$$7. \left( D^3 - 9 D^2 + 27 D - 27 I \right) y = 27 \sin[3 x]$$

First trying to solve the ODE.

`boat = y''''[x] - 9 y'''[x] + 27 y''[x] - 27 y'[x] == 27 Sin[3 x]`  
`coat = DSolve[boat, y[x], x]`

$$-27 y[x] + 27 y'[x] - 9 y''[x] + y^{(3)}[x] == 27 \sin[3 x]$$

$$\left\{ \left\{ y[x] \rightarrow e^{3 x} C[1] + e^{3 x} x C[2] + e^{3 x} x^2 C[3] + \frac{1}{4} (-\cos[3 x] + \sin[3 x]) \right\} \right\}$$

And trying to introduce some organization.

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goat = Collect[coat, e3 x]
```

$$\left\{ \left\{ y[x] \rightarrow e^{3 x} \left( C[1] + x C[2] + x^2 C[3] \right) - \frac{1}{4} \cos[3 x] + \frac{1}{4} \sin[3 x] \right\} \right\}$$

1. Above: The answer matches the text's.

8 - 13 Initial value problem  
Solve the given IVP.

$$9. \quad y^{iv} + 5 y''' + 4 y = 90 \sin[x], \quad y[0] = 1, \\ y'[0] = 2, \quad y''[0] = -1, \quad y'''[0] = -32$$

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ClearAll["Global`*"]
```

First trying to solve the ODE.

```
sing = {y''''[x] + 5 y'''[x] + 4 y[x] == 90 Sin[4 x],
  y[0] == 1, y'[0] == 2, y''[0] == -1, y'''[0] == -32}
ring = DSolve[sing, y[x], x]
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$$\left\{ 4 y[x] + 5 y''[x] + y^{(4)}[x] == 90 \sin[4 x], \right. \\ \left. y[0] == 1, y'[0] == 2, y''[0] == -1, y^{(3)}[0] == -32 \right\}$$

$$\left\{ \left\{ y[x] \rightarrow \right. \right. \\ \left. \frac{1}{4} \left( 4 \cos[x] + 80 \cos[x]^3 \sin[x] - 40 \cos[3 x] \sin[x] - 12 \cos[5 x] \sin[x] - \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. 80 \cos[x] \sin[x]^3 + 15 \cos[2 x] \sin[2 x] + 20 \cos[2 x]^3 \sin[2 x] - \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. 40 \cos[x] \sin[3 x] + 12 \cos[x] \sin[5 x] - 5 \cos[2 x] \sin[6 x] \right) \right\} \right\}$$

Below I do some hammering to try to get the Mathematica solution into the same form as the text answer.

```
thing = Simplify[ring]
{{y[x] → Cos[x] (1 - Sin[x] + Sin[3 x])}}
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1. Below: To see what I need to make equal to  $\frac{1}{2} \sin[4x]$ .

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TrigExpand[-Cos[x] Sin[x] + Cos[x] Sin[3 x]]
```

$$2 \cos[x]^3 \sin[x] - 2 \cos[x] \sin[x]^3$$

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bling = thing / .
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(Cos[x] (1 - Sin[x] + Sin[3 x])) → (Cos[x] - Cos[x] Sin[x] + Cos[x] Sin[3 x])
{{y[x] → Cos[x] - Cos[x] Sin[x] + Cos[x] Sin[3 x]}}
```

2. Below: Putting together some idents to use.

**TrigExpand[Sin[2 x]]**

**2 Cos[x] Sin[x]**

**TrigExpand[Sin[3 x]]**

**3 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> Sin[x] - Sin[x]<sup>3</sup>**

**TrigExpand[Cos[2 x]]**

**Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> - Sin[x]<sup>2</sup>**

3. Therefore  $\text{Sin}[4x] = 2 \text{Cos}[2x] \text{Sin}[2x] = 2((\text{Cos}[x]^2 - \text{Sin}[x]^2)(2 \text{Cos}[x] \text{Sin}[x]))$

The following five substitution attempts do not condense very much

**sling = bling /. (Sin[3 x]) → (3 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> Sin[x] - Sin[x]<sup>3</sup>)**

**{ {Y[x] → Cos[x] - Cos[x] Sin[x] + Cos[x] (3 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> Sin[x] - Sin[x]<sup>3</sup>) } }**

**string = sling /. (Cos[x] (3 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> Sin[x] - Sin[x]<sup>3</sup>) →  
(Cos[x] Sin[x] (3 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> - Sin[x]<sup>2</sup>))**

**{ {Y[x] → Cos[x] - Cos[x] Sin[x] + Cos[x] Sin[x] (3 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> - Sin[x]<sup>2</sup>) } }**

**zing = string /. (3 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> - Sin[x]<sup>2</sup>) → (2 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> + Cos[2 x])**

**{ {Y[x] → Cos[x] - Cos[x] Sin[x] + Cos[x] (2 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> + Cos[2 x]) Sin[x] } }**

**fling = zing /.  
(Cos[x] (2 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> + Cos[2 x]) Sin[x]) → (1/2 Sin[2 x] (Cos[2 x] + 2 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup>))**

**{ {Y[x] → Cos[x] - Cos[x] Sin[x] + 1/2 (2 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> + Cos[2 x]) Sin[2 x] } }**

**ping = fling /.  
(1/2 (2 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> + Cos[2 x]) Sin[2 x]) → (1/2 (2 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> Sin[2 x] + 1/2 Sin[4 x]))**

**{ {Y[x] → Cos[x] - Cos[x] Sin[x] + 1/2 (2 Cos[x]<sup>2</sup> Sin[2 x] + 1/2 Sin[4 x]) } }**

4. So I decide it's time to swing for the fence. I sequester one factor of Cos[x], simplify the rest, then reassemble.

**p1 = Cos[x]**

**Cos[x]**

$$p2 = \text{Simplify}\left[-\text{Cos}[x] \text{Sin}[x] + \frac{1}{2} \left(2 \text{Cos}[x]^2 \text{Sin}[2x] + \frac{1}{2} \text{Sin}[4x]\right)\right]$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \text{Sin}[4x]$$

5. So that I can write.

`out = p1 + p2`

$$\text{Cos}[x] + \frac{1}{2} \text{Sin}[4x]$$

6. Above: The answer does match the text answer.

$$11. \quad (D^3 - 2D^2 - 3D) y = 74 e^{-3x} \text{Sin}[x],$$

$$y[0] = -1.4, \quad y'[0] = 3.2, \quad y''[0] = -5.2$$

`ClearAll["Global`*"]`

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$$\text{alt} = \{y'''[x] - 2y''[x] - 3y'[x] == 74 e^{-3x} \text{Sin}[x],$$

$$y[0] == -1.4, \quad y'[0] == 3.2, \quad y''[0] == -5.2\}$$

`kalt = DSolve[alt, y[x], x]`

$$\{-3y'[x] - 2y''[x] + y^{(3)}[x] == 74 e^{-3x} \text{Sin}[x],$$

$$y[0] == -1.4, \quad y'[0] == 3.2, \quad y''[0] == -5.2\}$$

$$\{\{y[x] \rightarrow -\frac{1}{5} e^{-3x} (7 \text{Cos}[x] + 5 \text{Sin}[x])\}\}$$

Followed by a presumptuous but possibly amusing wholesale substitution as a mean of recasting

$$\text{salt} = \text{kalt} /. \left(-\frac{1}{5} e^{-3x} (7 \text{Cos}[x] + 5 \text{Sin}[x])\right) \rightarrow \left(e^{-3x} \left(-\frac{7}{5} \text{Cos}[x] - \frac{5}{5} \text{Sin}[x]\right)\right)$$

$$\{\{y[x] \rightarrow e^{-3x} \left(-\frac{7 \text{Cos}[x]}{5} - \text{Sin}[x]\right)\}\}$$

1. Above: Substitution by hand results in the text's answer.

$$13. \quad (D^3 - 4D) y = 10 \text{Cos}[x] + 5 \text{Sin}[x], \quad y[0] = 3, \quad y'[0] = -2, \quad y''[0] = -1$$

`ClearAll["Global`*"]`

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rog = {y'''[x] - 4 y'[x] == 10 Cos[x] + 5 Sin[x],
y[0] == 3, y'[0] == -2, y''[0] == -1}
dog = DSolve[rog, y[x], x]
{-4 y'[x] + y(3)[x] == 10 Cos[x] + 5 Sin[x], y[0] == 3, y'[0] == -2, y''[0] == -1}

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{ {y[x] -> 2 + Cos[x] - 2 Sin[x] } }

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1. Above: The answer matches the text's.