

**Final Exam, MTH 205, Summer 2009**

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**QUESTION 1. (5 points)** Given  $y = \cos(3t)$  is a solution to the D.E  $y^{(2)} + ay' + by = 0$ , where  $a, b$  are constants. Find the values of  $a$  and  $b$ .

**QUESTION 2. (10 points)** Given  $y = 4e^{-2x}$  is a solution to the D.E.  $y^{(5)} + 2y^{(4)} - y^{(3)} - 2y^{(2)} = 0$ . What is the general solution of the D.E?

**QUESTION 3. (5 points)** let

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -x & 0 \leq x < 4 \\ 3 & x \geq 4 \end{cases}$$

Write  $f(x)$  in terms of unit step functions.

**QUESTION 4. (10 points)** Solve  $y' = \frac{x^3 - 2xy^3}{3y^2}$

**QUESTION 5. (10 points)** solve  $y' = 2xe^{x^2 - y}$

**QUESTION 6. (15 points)** Find the general solution to  $y^{(2)} + \frac{1}{x}y' + \frac{1}{x^2}y = \frac{\sin(\ln(x))}{x^2}$

**QUESTION 7. (10 points)** Solve :  $y(x) = \int_0^x (x-r)e^{x-r} \cos(r) dr + \int_0^x \sin(r)y(x-r) dr$

**QUESTION 8. (10 points)** Find  $x(t)$  and  $y(t)$ , given  $x(0) = x'(0) = 0$  and  $y(0) = 1$   
 $x^{(2)}(t) + y(t) = 3$   
 $x'(t) + y'(t) = 2t$

**QUESTION 9. (15 points)** Given  $f(x)$  is PERIODIC and is defined on  $[0, \infty)$ . The first period of  $f(x)$  is determined by

$$\begin{cases} 1 & 0 \leq x < 1 \\ 0 & 1 \leq x < 2 \end{cases}$$

Find  $y(x)$  so that  $\int_0^x f(r) dr + \int_0^x f(x-r)y(r) dr = xe^x$  [note  $(1 - e^{-2s}) = (1 + e^{-s})(1 - e^{-s})$ ]

**QUESTION 10. (10 points)** Let  $T(t)$  be the temperature of a thermometer at any time  $t$ . If a thermometer reading  $34^\circ$  is placed in an oven preheated to a constant temperature  $T_0$ . Given that the rate of change of the thermometer temperature is exactly  $0.2(T(t) - T_0)$ . Through a glass of a window in the oven, an observer records that the thermometer reads  $44^\circ$  after one minute. How hot is the oven? (i.e. Find  $T_0$ ).

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