

New techniques for solving 2nd order ordinary differential equations

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Abstract: Differential Equation $f(D)y = R(x)$ where $f(D) = (D + m)^2$ $m \in R$ and we assume that $R(x)$ is $\cos nx$ OR $\sin nx$ where $n \in R$. The general solution of above D.E. like $(D + m)^2 = \cos nx$ and $(D + m)^2 = \sin nx$ is of the form $G.S. = C.F. + P.I.$ Where C.F. is obtain from usual way and

(i) P. I. = $\left[\frac{2mn \sin nx - [n^2 - m^2] \cos nx}{(2mn)^2 + [n^2 - m^2]} \right]$ for cosine function and (ii) P. I. = $-\left[\frac{2mn \cos nx + [n^2 - m^2] \sin nx}{(2mn)^2 + [n^2 - m^2]} \right]$ for sine function.

Index Terms - Differential Equation, Order & Degree of differential equation, General Solution, Particular Solution, Complementary Function, Particular Integral.

I. INTRODUCTION

Differential Equation (D.E.):

An equation involving differential equation and independent and dependent variable is called a differential equation. If a differential involves ordinary coefficients only, it is called ordinary differential equation and if it involves partial derivatives it is called partial **Differential Equation**.

Order & Degree of D.E.:

The order of differential equation is the order of highest derivative in given differential equation.

Degree of differential equation is the degree of highest derivative after removing fractions & radicals.

General Solution (G.S.):

“If y_1 & y_2 are two solution of the differential equation $\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} + a_1 \frac{d^{n-1} y}{dx^{n-1}} + a_2 \frac{d^{n-2} y}{dx^{n-2}} + \dots + a_n y = 0$ (1)

Then $c_1 y_1 + c_2 y_2$ is also its solution where c_1 and c_2 are arbitrary constant.” In general, the general solution differential equation of order n will have n arbitrary constants, therefore it follow that if y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n are n independent solution of the eqⁿ(1) then $u = c_1 y_1 + c_2 y_2 + \dots + c_n y_n$ is the complete **General Solution** of eqⁿ(1).

Particular Solution:

The solution obtained from the General Solution by giving particular values to the arbitrary constant is called **Particular Solution**.

Complementary Function (C.F.):

The differential equation under consideration is $\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} + a_1 \frac{d^{n-1} y}{dx^{n-1}} + a_2 \frac{d^{n-2} y}{dx^{n-2}} + \dots + a_n y = 0$ Which, in symbolic operator form, is $f(D)y = 0$. Since $f(D)$ is a polynomial in D of degree n and D behaves the same as an algebraic quantity we can, in general, factorize $f(D)$ into n linear factors and $f(D)y = 0$ can be written as $(D - m_1)(D - m_2)\dots(D - m_n)y = 0$ Where m_1, m_2, \dots, m_n are the root of the **Auxiliary Equation(A.E.)** $f(m) = 0$.

Particular Integral (P.I.):

Before discussing ways to find Particular introduce inverse operator $\frac{1}{f(D)}$.

Integral (P.I.) we have to

$\frac{1}{f(D)} X(x)$ is that function of x which when operated upon by $f(D)$ gives $X(x)$ only. Therefore $\frac{1}{f(D)} X$ satisfies the equation $f(D)y = X$ and hence it is the **Particular Integral (P.I.)** of equation $f(D)y = X$

and is symbolically written as $Yp = \frac{1}{f(D)} X$. For the Above definition General Solution (G.S.), Complementary Function (C.F.), Particular Solution (P.I.) is relation of $G.S. = C.F. + P.I.$

2. Known Results:-

(A) $(D + 3)^2 = \cos 3x$

➤ **By General Method:-**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{P.I.} &= \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{(D + 3)^2} \cos(3x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{(D + 3)(D + 3)} \cos(3x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{(D + 3)} \left[\frac{1}{(D + 3)} \cos(3x) \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{(D + 3)} \left[e^{-3x} \int e^{3x} \cos(3x) dx \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{D + 3} \left[e^{-3x} * \frac{e^{3x}}{18} [3\cos(3x) + 3\sin(3x)] \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{D + 3} \left[\frac{1}{6} [\sin(3x) + \cos(3x)] \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{6} \left[\frac{1}{D + 3} \sin(3x) + \frac{1}{D + 3} \cos(3x) \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{6} \left[e^{-3x} \int e^{3x} \sin(3x) dx + e^{-3x} \int e^{3x} \cos(3x) dx \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{6} \left[\frac{1}{18} [3\sin(3x) - 3\cos(3x)] + \frac{1}{18} [3\cos(3x) + 3\sin(3x)] \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{36} [\sin(3x) - \cos(3x) + \cos(3x) + \sin(3x)] \\
 &= \frac{2\sin(3x)}{36} \\
 &= \frac{\sin(3x)}{18}
 \end{aligned}$$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:-**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{P.I} &= \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{(D + 3)^2} \cos(3x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{D^2 + 6D + 9} \cos(3x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{6D} \cos(3x)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{6} \int \cos(3x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{6} \frac{\sin(3x)}{3} \\
 &= \frac{\sin(3x)}{18}
 \end{aligned}$$

(B) $(D + 3)^2 = \sin(3x)$

➤ **By General Method:-**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{P.I.} &= \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{(D + 3)(D + 3)} \sin(3x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{D + 3} \left[\frac{1}{D + 3} \sin(3x) \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{D + 3} \left[e^{-3x} \int e^{3x} \sin(3x) dx \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{D + 3} \left[\frac{e^{-3x} e^{3x}}{18} [3\sin(3x) - 3\cos(3x)] \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{6} \frac{1}{D + 3} [\sin(3x) - \cos(3x)] \\
 &= \frac{1}{6} \left[\frac{1}{D + 3} \sin(3x) - \frac{1}{D + 3} \cos(3x) \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{6} \left[e^{-3x} \int e^{3x} \sin(3x) dx - e^{-3x} \int e^{3x} \cos(3x) dx \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{6} \left[\frac{1}{18} [5\sin(3x)3\cos(3x)] - \frac{1}{18} [3\cos(3x) + 3\sin(3x)] \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{36} [\sin(3x) - \cos(3x) - \cos(3x) - \sin(3x)] \\
 &= \frac{1}{36} [-2\cos(3x)] \\
 &= -\frac{\cos 3x}{18}
 \end{aligned}$$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:-**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{P.I.} &= \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{(D + 3)^3} \sin(3x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{D^2 + 6D + 9} \sin(3x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{6D} \sin(3x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{6} \int \sin(3x) dx \\
 &= -\frac{\cos(3x)}{18}
 \end{aligned}$$

4. Main Result

$$1.) (D + m)^2 = \cos nx \quad \text{where } m, n \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$P.I = \frac{2mn \sin nx - (n^2 - m^2) \cos nx}{(2mn)^2 + (n^2 - m^2)^2}$$

$$2.) (D + m)^2 = \sin nx \quad \text{where } m, n \in \mathbb{R}$$

$$P.I = - \left[\frac{2mncosnx - (n^2 - m^2) \sin nx}{(2mn)^2 + (n^2 - m^2)^2} \right]$$

❖ Examples:-

$$1.) (D + 2)^2 = \cos 3x$$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:**

$$P.I = \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{D^2 + 4D + 4} \cos(3x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4D - 5} \cos(3x)$$

$$= \frac{4D + 5}{16D^2 - 25} \cos(3x)$$

$$= \frac{4D + 5}{-169} \cos(3x)$$

$$= \frac{12 \sin(3x)}{169} - \frac{5 \cos(3x)}{169}$$

By New Derived Results:

$$m = 2 \text{ and } n = 3$$

$$P.I = \frac{2(2)(3) \sin(3x) - [(3)^2 - (2)^2] \cos(3x)}{[2(2)(3)]^2 + [(3)^2 - (2)^2]}$$

$$= \frac{12 \sin(3x) - 5 \cos(3x)}{169}$$

$$= \frac{12 \sin(3x)}{169} - \frac{5 \cos(3x)}{169}$$

$$2.) (D + 2)^2 = \cos(-3x)$$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:**

$$P.I = \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{D^2 + 4D + 4} \cos(-3x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4D - 5} \cos(3x)$$

$$= \frac{4D + 5}{16D^2 - 25} \cos(3x)$$

$$= \frac{4D + 5}{-169} \cos(3x)$$

$$= \frac{12 \sin(3x)}{169} - \frac{5 \cos(3x)}{169}$$

By New Derived Results:

$$m = 2 \text{ and } n = -3$$

$$P.I = \frac{2(2)(-3) \sin(-3x) - [(-3)^2 - (2)^2] \cos(-3x)}{[2(2)(-3)]^2 + [(-3)^2 - (2)^2]}$$

$$= \frac{12 \sin(3x) - 5 \cos(3x)}{169}$$

$$= \frac{12 \sin(3x)}{169} - \frac{5 \cos(3x)}{169}$$

$$3.) (D - 2)^2 = \cos 3x$$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:**

$$P.I = \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{D^2 - 4D + 4} \cos(3x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{-4D - 5} \cos(3x)$$

By New Derived Results:

$$m = -2 \text{ and } n = 3$$

$$P.I = \frac{2(-2)(3) \sin(3x) - [(3)^2 - (-2)^2] \cos(3x)}{[2(2)(3)]^2 + [(3)^2 - (-2)^2]}$$

$$= \frac{-12 \sin(3x) - 5 \cos(3x)}{169}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= -\frac{4D-5}{16D^2-25} \cos(3x) &= -\frac{12\sin(3x)}{169} - \frac{5\cos(3x)}{169} \\
 &= -\frac{4D+5}{-169} \cos(3x) \\
 &= -\frac{12\sin(3x)}{169} - \frac{5\cos(3x)}{169}
 \end{aligned}$$

4.) $(D - 2)^2 = \cos(-3)x$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{P.I} &= \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{D^2-4D+4} \cos(-3x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{-4D-5} \cos(3x) \\
 &= -\frac{4D-5}{16D^2-25} \cos(3x) \\
 &= -\frac{4D+5}{-169} \cos(3x) \\
 &= -\frac{12\sin(3x)}{169} - \frac{5\cos(3x)}{169}
 \end{aligned}$$

By New Derived Results:

$$m = -2 \text{ and } n = -3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{P.I} &= \frac{2(-2)(-3)\sin(-3x) - [(-3)^2 - (-2)^2] \cos(-3x)}{[2(2)(3)]^2 + [(3)^2 - (2)^2]} \\
 &= \frac{12\sin(-3x) - 5\cos(-3x)}{169} \\
 &= -\frac{12\sin(3x)}{169} - \frac{5\cos(3x)}{169}
 \end{aligned}$$

5.) $(D + 2)^2 = \sin 3x$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{P.I} &= \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{D^2+4D+4} \sin(3x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{4D-5} \sin(3x) \\
 &= \frac{4D+5}{16D^2-25} \sin(3x) \\
 &= \frac{4D+5}{-169} \sin(3x) \\
 &= -\left[\frac{12\cos(3x)}{169} + \frac{5\sin(3x)}{169} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

By New Derived Results:

$$m = 2 \text{ and } n = 3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{P.I} &= -\left[\frac{2(2)(3)\cos(3x) + [(3)^2 - (2)^2] \sin(3x)}{[2(2)(3)]^2 + [(3)^2 - (2)^2]} \right] \\
 &= -\left[\frac{12\cos(3x) + 5\sin(3x)}{169} \right] \\
 &= -\left[\frac{12\cos(3x)}{169} + \frac{5\sin(3x)}{169} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

6.) $(D + 2)^2 = \sin(-3)x$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:**

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{P.I} &= \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{D^2+4D+4} \sin(-3x) \\
 &= \frac{1}{4D-5} \sin(-3x) \\
 &= \frac{4D+5}{16D^2-25} \sin(-3x)
 \end{aligned}$$

By New Derived Results:

$$m = 2 \text{ and } n = -3$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{P.I} &= -\left[\frac{2(2)(-3)\cos(-3x) + [(-3)^2 - (2)^2] \sin(-3x)}{[2(2)(-3)]^2 + [(-3)^2 - (2)^2]} \right] \\
 &= -\left[\frac{-12\cos(-3x) + 5\sin(-3x)}{169} \right] \\
 &= \frac{12\cos(3x)}{169} + \frac{5\sin(3x)}{169}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{4D+5}{-169} \sin(-3x)$$

$$= \frac{12\cos(3x)}{169} + \frac{5\sin(3x)}{169}$$

$$7.) (D - 2)^2 = \sin 3x$$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:**

$$P.I = \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{D^2 - 4D + 4} \sin(3x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{-4D - 5} \sin(3x)$$

$$= \frac{-4D + 5}{16D^2 - 25} \sin(3x)$$

$$= \frac{-4D + 5}{-169} \sin(3x)$$

$$= \frac{12\cos(3x)}{169} - \frac{5\sin(3x)}{169}$$

By New Derived Results:

$$m = -2 \text{ and } n = 3$$

$$P.I = - \left[\frac{2(-2)(3)\cos(3x) + [(3)^2 - (-2)^2]\sin(3x)}{[2(-2)(3)]^2 + [(3)^2 - (-2)^2]} \right]$$

$$= - \left[\frac{-12\cos(3x) + 5\sin(3x)}{169} \right]$$

$$= \frac{12\cos(3x)}{169} - \frac{5\sin(3x)}{169}$$

$$8.) (D - 2)^2 = \sin(-3x)$$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:**

$$P.I = \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{D^2 - 4D + 4} \sin(-3x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{-4D - 5} \sin(-3x)$$

$$= \frac{-4D + 5}{16D^2 - 25} \sin(-3x)$$

$$= \frac{-4D + 5}{-169} \sin(-3x)$$

$$= - \frac{12\cos(3x)}{169} + \frac{5\sin(3x)}{169}$$

By New Derived Results:

$$m = -2 \text{ and } n = -3$$

$$P.I = - \left[\frac{2(-2)(-3)\cos(-3x) + [(-3)^2 - (-2)^2]\sin(-3x)}{[2(-2)(-3)]^2 + [(-3)^2 - (-2)^2]} \right]$$

$$= - \left[\frac{12\cos(3x) - 5\sin(3x)}{169} \right]$$

$$= \frac{-12\cos(3x)}{169} + \frac{5\sin(3x)}{169}$$

5. Mathematical Derivation

➔ For COSINE

$$(D + m)^2 = \cos nx$$

$$P.I. = \frac{2mn \sin nx - [n^2 - m^2] \cos nx}{(2mn)^2 - (n^2 - m^2)^2}$$

Step 1:- $n = 1 = m$

$$(D + 1)^2 = \cos x$$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:**

$$P.I = \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x)$$

By New Derived Results:

$$m = 1 \text{ and } n = 1$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{2D} \cos(x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sin(x)$$

$$P.I = \frac{2(1)(1)\sin(x) - [(1)^2 - (1)^2]\cos(x)}{[2(1)(1)]^2 + [(1)^2 - (1)^2]}$$

$$= \frac{2\sin(x)}{4}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sin(x)$$

Step 2:- $m = k = n$

To suppose $(D + k)^2 = \cos kx$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:**

$$P.I = \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{D^2+2kD+k^2} \cos(kx)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2kD} \cos(kx)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2k^2} \sin(kx)$$

By New Derived Results:

$$m = 1 \text{ and } n = 1$$

$$P.I = \frac{2(k)(k)\sin(kx) - [(k)^2 - (k)^2]\cos(kx)}{[2(k)(k)]^2 + [(k)^2 - (k)^2]}$$

$$= \frac{2k^2 \sin(kx)}{4(k^2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2k^2} \sin(kx)$$

----- (1)

Step 3:- To Prove $m = k + 1 = n$

$$(D + k + 1)^2 = \cos(k + 1)x$$

Suppose $k+1=t$

$$k=t-1$$

So, $(D + t)^2 = \cos tx$

$$P.I = \frac{2(t)(t)\sin(tx) - [(t)^2 - (t)^2]\cos(tx)}{[2(t)(t)]^2 + [(t)^2 - (t)^2]}$$

$$= \frac{2(t)^2 \sin(tx)}{4(t^2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{\sin tx}{2t^2}$$

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

(∴ from eqⁿ(1))

➔ **For SINE:-**

$$(D + m)^2 = \sin nx$$

$$P.I. = - \left[\frac{2mn \cos nx - [n^2 - m^2] \sin nx}{(2mn)^2 - (n^2 - m^2)^2} \right]$$

Step 1:- $n = 1 = m$

$$(D + 1)^2 = \sin x$$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:**

$$P.I = \frac{1}{f(D)} R(x)$$

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

By New Derived Results:

$$m = 1 \text{ and } n = 1$$

$$P.I = - \left[\frac{2(1)(1)\cos(x) + [(1)^2 - (1)^2]\sin(x)}{[2(1)(1)]^2 + [(1)^2 - (1)^2]} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{2D} \sin(x) &= -\frac{2\cos(x)}{4} \\
 &= -\frac{1}{2} \cos(x) &= -\frac{1}{2} \cos(x)
 \end{aligned}$$

Step 2:- $m = k = n$

To suppose $(D + k)^2 = \sin kx$

➤ **By Shortcut Method:**

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

By New Derived Results:

$m = 1$ and $n = 1$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{P.I} &= -\left[\frac{2(k)(k)\cos(kx) + [(k)^2 - (k)^2]\sin(kx)}{[2(k)(k)]^2 + [(k)^2 - (k)^2]} \right] \\
 &= -\frac{2k^2\cos(x)}{4(k^2)^2} \\
 &= -\frac{1}{2} \cos(x) \quad \text{----- (2)}
 \end{aligned}$$

Step 3:- To Prove $m = k + 1 = n$

$(D + k + 1)^2 = \sin(k + 1)x$

Suppose $k+1=t$

$k=t-1$

So, $(D + t)^2 = \sin tx$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{P.I} &= -\left[\frac{2(t)(t)\cos(tx) + [(t)^2 - (t)^2]\sin(tx)}{[2(t)(t)]^2 + [(t)^2 - (t)^2]} \right] \\
 &= -\left[\frac{2(t)^2\cos(tx)}{4(t^2)^2} \right] \\
 &= -\left[\frac{\cos tx}{2t^2} \right] \quad (\because \text{from eq}^n(2)) \\
 &= -\left[\frac{\cos(k + 1)x}{2(k + 1)^2} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

6. Conclusion

In this paper we are able to derive the general formulae for finding P.I., By using mathematical induction method are given below,

➤ **For Cosine Formula:-**

$$\text{P.I.} = \left[\frac{2mn \sin nx - [n^2 - m^2] \cos nx}{(2mn)^2 + [n^2 - m^2]} \right]$$

➤ **For Sine Formula:-**

$$\text{P.I.} = -\left[\frac{2mn \sin nx + [n^2 - m^2] \cos nx}{(2mn)^2 + [n^2 - m^2]} \right]$$

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