

Ordinary differential Equation, Partial differential equation, Laplace Transform and Vector Calculus.

Unit - ①

①. Define : Linear differential equation.

A linear equation is one in which the dependent variable y and its derivatives of any order occur only in the first degree and are not multiplied together, their co-efficients being constants or functions of the independent variable x .

Consider the equation.

$$\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} + P_1 \frac{d^{n-1} y}{dx^{n-1}} + \dots + P_n y = x.$$

②. Solve $(D^2 - 5D + 4)y = 0$.

The auxiliary equation is $m^2 - 5m + 4 = 0$.

Solving $m_1 = 1$ and $m_2 = 4$.

The solution is $y = c_1 e^{m_1 x} + c_2 e^{m_2 x}$.

$$y = c_1 e^x + c_2 e^{4x}.$$

③. Solve $(D^3 - 3D^2 + 4)Y = 0$.

The auxiliary equation is $m^3 - 3m^2 + 4 = 0$.

$$\begin{array}{r|rrrr} & 1 & -3 & 0 & 4 \\ -1 & & -1 & 4 & -4 \\ \hline & 1 & -4 & 4 & 0 \end{array}$$

$$m_1 = -1.$$

$$m^2 - 4m + 4 = 0.$$

$$m_2 = 2 \text{ and } m_3 = 2.$$

Hence the solution is $y = c_1 e^{-x} + e^{2x} (c_2 + c_3 x)$.

④. Solve : $y = (x-9)P - P^2$.

This is Clairaut's equation;
hence the solution is (\because put $P = C$.)

$$y = (x-9)C - C^2.$$

⑤. Solve : $(D^2 - 5D + 6)y = 0$.

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

$$m_1 = 3 \text{ and } m_2 = 2.$$

\therefore This solution is.

$$y = C_1 e^{m_1 x} + C_2 e^{m_2 x}.$$

$$y = C_1 e^{3x} + C_2 e^{2x}.$$

Unit - ⑤.

①. Eliminate the arbitrary function from
 $z = f(x^2 + y^2)$.

Soln.: Differentiating partially w.r. to x and y .

$$p = f'(x^2 + y^2) \cdot 2x \text{ and } q = f'(x^2 + y^2) \cdot 2y.$$

Eliminating $f'(x^2 + y^2)$ between the latter two equations
 $py = qx$.

②. write down Lagrange's method of PDE equation.

Consider the equations $u = a$ and $v = b$, where a and b are arbitrary constants.

$$\therefore \frac{dx}{u_y v_z - u_z v_y} = \frac{dy}{u_z v_x - u_x v_z} = \frac{dz}{u_x v_y - u_y v_x}.$$

③. Solve. $(y+z)p + (z+x)q = x+y$.

Soln ∴ The subsidiary equations are.

$$\frac{dx}{y+z} = \frac{dy}{z+x} = \frac{dz}{x+y} = \frac{d(x+z)}{2(x+z)}$$

They are also equivalent to.

$$\frac{dx-dy}{y-x} = \frac{dy-dz}{z-y} = \frac{dz-dx}{x-z} = \frac{2dx}{2(x+z)}$$

Taking the first two ratios and integrating

$$\frac{x-y}{y-x} = a$$

Taking the first and last ratios and integrating

$$(x-y)^2 \pm x = b$$

Hence the soln required is $\phi \left[\frac{x-y}{y-x}, (x-y)^2 \pm x \right] = 0$.

where ϕ is arbitrary.

④ solve the equation $p+q = x+y$.

we can write the equation in the form $p-x = y-q$.

let $p-x = q$, then $y-q = q$.

Hence $p = x+q$, $q = y-q$.

$$\therefore dz = (x+q)dx + (y-q)dy, \quad z = \frac{(x+q)^2}{2} + \frac{(y-q)^2}{2} + b$$

⑤ write down the Clairaut's form.

This is of the form $z = px + qy + f(p, q)$.

The solution of the equation is $z = ax + by + f(a, b)$.

for $p = a$ and $q = b$.

can easily verified to satisfy the given equation.

Unit - ③.

①. State final value theorem in Laplace transform

$$\text{If } L\{f(t)\} = F(s), \text{ then } \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} f(t) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sF(s)$$

②. $L(t^2 + 2t)$. Find it.

Soln:

$$\begin{aligned} L(t^2 + 2t) &= L(t^2) + 2L(t) \\ &= \frac{2}{s^3} + \frac{2}{s^2} \end{aligned}$$

③. Find $L[\cosh at]$.

Soln:

$$\begin{aligned} f(t) &= \cosh at \\ L\{f(t)\} &= L[\cosh at] \\ &= \frac{1}{s^2 - a^2} \end{aligned}$$

④. Find $L(t^2 + 2t + 3)$.

Soln:

$$\begin{aligned} L(t^2 + 2t + 3) &= L(t^2) + 2L(t) + 3L(1) \\ &= \frac{2}{s^3} + \frac{2}{s^2} + \frac{3}{s} \end{aligned}$$

⑤. Find $L(t^2 e^{-3t})$.

$$L(t f(t)) = -\frac{d}{ds} F(s) ; L(t^2 f(t)) = \frac{d^2}{ds^2} F(s)$$

$$\therefore L(t^2 (e^{-3t})) = \frac{d^2}{ds^2} L(e^{-3t}) = \frac{d^2}{ds^2} \left(\frac{1}{s+3} \right)$$

$$L(t^2 (e^{-3t})) = \frac{2}{(s+3)^2}$$

Unit - 4

①. Find $L^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{(s-a)^2} \right]$

Soln :: $L^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{(s-a)^2} \right] = e^{at} L^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{s^2} \right) = e^{at} t$
 $\therefore L^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{(s-a)^2} \right] = e^{at} \cdot t.$

②. Find $L^{-1} \left[\frac{s^2 - a^2}{(s^2 + a^2)^2} \right]$

Soln :: $L^{-1} \left[\frac{s^2 - a^2}{(s^2 + a^2)^2} \right] = t \cos at.$

③. Find $L^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{(s+2)^2 + 16} \right]$

Soln :: $L^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{(s+2)^2 + 16} \right] = e^{-2t} L^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{s^2 + 16} \right]$
 $= e^{-2t} L^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{s^2 + 4^2} \right]$
 $= e^{-2t} L^{-1} \left[\frac{4}{4(s^2 + 4^2)} \right]$
 $= \frac{e^{-2t}}{4} L^{-1} \left[\frac{4}{s^2 + 4^2} \right]$
 $= \frac{e^{-2t}}{4} \sin 4t.$

④. Find $L^{-1} \left(\frac{s}{s^2 + k^2} \right).$

Soln :: W.K.T $L^{-1} [sF(s)] = \frac{d}{dt} L^{-1} [F(s)].$

$$\begin{aligned} L^{-1} \left[s \cdot \frac{1}{s^2 + k^2} \right] &= \frac{d}{dt} L^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{s^2 + k^2} \right] \\ &= \frac{d}{dt} L^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{k} \cdot \frac{k}{s^2 + k^2} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{k} \frac{d}{dt} L^{-1} \left[\frac{k}{s^2 + k^2} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{k} \frac{d}{dt} \sin kt.$$

$$= \frac{1}{k} k \cos kt.$$

$$= \cos kt.$$

$$L^{-1} \left[\frac{s}{s^2+k^2} \right] = \cos kt.$$

⑤ Find $L^{-1} \left[\frac{s}{(s+2)^2} \right]$.

Soln: $L^{-1} \left[\frac{s}{(s+2)^2} \right] = \frac{d}{dt} L^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{(s+2)^2} \right]$

$$= \frac{d}{dt} \left\{ e^{-2t} L^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{s^2} \right] \right\}$$

$$= \frac{d}{dt} (e^{-2t} t).$$

$$L^{-1} \left(\frac{s}{(s+2)^2} \right) = e^{-2t} (1-2t).$$

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Unit - (5).

①. Define Divergence.

Let  $f = f_1 \hat{i} + f_2 \hat{j} + f_3 \hat{k}$  be a vector valued function.

The divergence of  $f$  denoted by  $\nabla \cdot f$  or  $\text{div } f$ .

defined by  $\nabla \cdot f = \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial z} = \sum \hat{i} \cdot \frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$ .

②. Define curl.

The curl of  $f$  denoted by  $\nabla \times f$  or  $\text{curl } f$  is

defined by

$$\text{curl } f = \sum \hat{i} \times \frac{\partial f}{\partial x} = \hat{i} \left( \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial z} \right) + \hat{j} \left( \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x} \right) + \hat{k} \left( \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial y} \right)$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} \hat{i} & \hat{j} & \hat{k} \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \\ j_1 & j_2 & j_3 \end{vmatrix}$$

③. Define solenoidal and irrotational.

A vector  $\vec{f}$  is called solenoidal if  $\text{div } \vec{f} = 0$ .

A vector  $\vec{f}$  is called irrotational if  $\text{curl } \vec{f} = 0$ .

④. Show that  $\text{curl } (r^n \vec{r}) = 0$ .

Soln:  $r^n \vec{r} = r^n x \hat{i} + r^n y \hat{j} + r^n z \hat{k}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{curl } (r^n \vec{r}) &= \sum \hat{i} \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (r^n z) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (r^n y) \right] \\ &= \sum \hat{i} \left[ 2nr^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} - y n^{n-2} \cdot \frac{\partial r}{\partial z} \right] \\ &= nr^{n-1} \sum \hat{i} [2(y/r) - y(z/r)] = 0. \end{aligned}$$

⑤.  $\text{curl grad } \phi = \nabla \times (\nabla \phi) = 0$ .

Proof:  $\nabla \phi = \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \hat{i} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \hat{j} + \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \hat{k}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \nabla \times (\nabla \phi) &= \hat{i} \left( \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y \partial z} - \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial z \partial y} \right) - \hat{j} \left( \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x \partial z} - \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial z \partial x} \right) \\ &\quad + \hat{k} \left( \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x \partial y} - \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial y \partial x} \right) \\ &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

1. Prove that  $\nabla \times (\nabla \times f) = \nabla (\nabla \cdot f) - \nabla^2 f$ , (or)  $\text{curl}(\text{curl} f) = \text{grad}(\text{div} f) - \nabla^2 f$ .

Proof:

Let  $f = f_1 \vec{i} + f_2 \vec{j} + f_3 \vec{k}$

$$\therefore \nabla \times f = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial y} & -\frac{\partial f_2}{\partial z} \end{pmatrix} \vec{i} + \left( \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x} \right) \vec{j} + \left( \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial y} \right) \vec{k}$$

$$\nabla \times (\nabla \times f) = \sum \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left( \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial y} \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left( \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial z} - \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial x} \right) \right\} \vec{i}$$

$$= \sum \left\{ \left( \frac{\partial^2 f_2}{\partial y \partial x} + \frac{\partial^2 f_3}{\partial z \partial x} \right) - \left( \frac{\partial^2 f_1}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f_1}{\partial z^2} \right) \right\} \vec{i}$$

$$= \sum \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial z} \right) - \left( \frac{\partial^2 f_1}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f_1}{\partial z^2} \right) \right\} \vec{i}$$

$$= \sum \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( \frac{\partial f_2}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f_3}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial f_1}{\partial x} \right) - \left( \frac{\partial^2 f_1}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f_1}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 f_1}{\partial z^2} \right) \right\} \vec{i}$$

$$= \sum \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (\nabla \cdot f) - (\nabla^2 f_1) \right\} \vec{i}$$

$$= \sum \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (\nabla \cdot f) \vec{i} \right\} - \sum (\nabla^2 f_1) \vec{i}$$

(Similarly,

$$= \sum \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (\nabla \cdot f) \vec{j} \right\} - \sum (\nabla^2 f_2) \vec{j}$$

$$= \sum \left\{ \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (\nabla \cdot f) \vec{k} \right\} - \sum (\nabla^2 f_3) \vec{k}$$

$$\therefore \nabla \times (\nabla \times f) = \nabla (\nabla \cdot f) - \nabla^2 f$$

Q) Prove that  $\text{div}(r^n \mathbf{r}) = (n+3)r^n$ . Deduce that  $r^n \mathbf{r}$  is solenoidal iff  $n = -3$ .

$$\text{or) } \nabla(r^n r^2) = (n+3)r^n.$$

Soln:  $r^n \cdot \mathbf{r} = r^n (x\hat{i} + y\hat{j} + z\hat{k})$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{div}(r^n \mathbf{r}) &= \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (x r^n) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (y r^n) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (z r^n) \\ &= r^n + 2nr^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + r^n + y n r^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} + r^n + z n r^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial z} \\ &= 3r^n + n r^{n-1} (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \end{aligned}$$

(Since:  $\frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \frac{x}{r}$ ,  $\frac{\partial r}{\partial y} = \frac{y}{r}$ ,  $\frac{\partial r}{\partial z} = \frac{z}{r}$ )

$$\begin{aligned} &= 3r^n + n r^{n-1} (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) r^{-1} \\ &= 3r^n + n r^{n-2} (x^2 + y^2 + z^2) \\ &= 3r^n + n r^{n-2} (r^2) \\ &= (3+n) r^n \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore$  Now,  $r^n \cdot \mathbf{r}$  is solenoidal iff  $\text{div}(r^n \mathbf{r}) = 0$ , i.e. iff  $(3+n)r^n = 0$ .

iff  $n = -3$ .

3. Show that  $\text{curl}(\nabla^n r) = 0$ .

Soln:  $\nabla^n r = r^n x_i^0 + r^n y_j^0 + r^n z_k^0$ .

$$\text{curl}(\nabla^n r) = \sum_i^0 \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (r^n z) - \frac{\partial}{\partial z} (r^n y) \right]$$

$$= \sum_i^0 \left[ z n r^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} - y n r^{n-1} \frac{\partial r}{\partial z} \right]$$

$$= n r^{n-1} \sum_i^0 \left[ z \left( \frac{y}{r} \right) - y \left( \frac{z}{r} \right) \right]$$

(since  $\frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \frac{x}{r}$  ||  $y$ )

$$= n r^{n-1} \sum_i^0 \left[ \frac{yz}{r} - \frac{yz}{r} \right]$$

$$= n r^{n-1} \sum_i^0 (0)$$

$$= 0$$

$$\therefore \text{curl}(\nabla^n r) = 0$$

4. Prove that  $\text{curl}(\nabla \times a) = -\nabla a$ , where  $a$  is constant vector.

Proof:  $\text{curl}(\nabla \times a) = \nabla \times (\nabla \times a)$

$$= \sum \left[ \hat{e}_i \times \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} (\nabla \times a) \right]$$

$$= \sum \left[ \hat{e}_i \times \left( \frac{\partial r}{\partial x_i} \times a + r \times \frac{\partial a}{\partial x_i} \right) \right]$$

$$= \sum \left[ \hat{e}_i \times \left( \frac{\partial r}{\partial x_i} \times a \right) \right]$$

(since  $a$  is a constant vector  $\frac{\partial a}{\partial x_i} = 0$ .)

$$= \nabla \cdot [\hat{i} \times (\hat{i} \times a)] \quad \left( \text{since } \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} = \hat{i} \right)$$

$$= \nabla \cdot [(\hat{i} \cdot a) \hat{i} - (\hat{i} \cdot \hat{i}) a] \quad (\hat{i} \times \hat{i}) = 0$$

$$= \nabla \cdot [(\hat{i} \cdot a) \hat{i} - a]$$

$$= \nabla \cdot [(\hat{i} \cdot a) \hat{i} - a] + [(\hat{j} \cdot a) \hat{j} - a] + [(k \cdot a) k - a]$$

$$= (\hat{i} \cdot a) \hat{i} + (\hat{j} \cdot a) \hat{j} + (k \cdot a) k - 3a$$

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5. Prove that  $\text{div}(\mathbf{r} \times \mathbf{a}) = 0$  where  $\mathbf{a}$  is constant vector.

Soln:  $\text{div}(\mathbf{r} \times \mathbf{a}) = \nabla \cdot (\mathbf{r} \times \mathbf{a})$

$$= \nabla \cdot \left[ \hat{i} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (\mathbf{r} \times \mathbf{a}) \right]$$

$$= \nabla \cdot \left[ \hat{i} \cdot \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial x} \times \mathbf{a} + \mathbf{r} \times \frac{\partial \mathbf{a}}{\partial x} \right) \right]$$

$$= \nabla \cdot \left[ \hat{i} \cdot \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{r}}{\partial x} \times \mathbf{a} \right) \right] \quad \left( \text{Since } \mathbf{a} \text{ is constant vector} \right)$$

$$= \nabla \cdot \left[ \hat{i} \cdot (\hat{i} \times \mathbf{a}) \right] = 0 \quad \left( \frac{\partial \mathbf{a}}{\partial x} = 0 \right)$$