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## Worksheet No. 6 Advanced Mathematics II

**Exercise 26:** Let the following differential equation for  $x > 0$  be given:

$$y'''(x) - \frac{2}{x}y''(x) + \frac{5}{x^2}y'(x) - \frac{5}{x^3}y(x) = 0$$

Check, if the following functions are solutions of this differential equation:

- (a)  $y_1(x) = \sin(x^2)$ ,
- (b)  $y_2(x) = x$ ,
- (c)  $y_3(x) = \exp(\frac{2}{x})$ ,
- (d)  $y_4(x) = x^2 \cos(\ln(x))$ .

**Exercise 27:** Determine the general real-valued solution of the homogeneous differential equation

$$y'''(x) + 2y''(x) + 2y'(x) + y(x) = 0$$

using the exponential ansatz  $y(x) = e^{\lambda x}$ ,  $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$ .

**Exercise 28:** Solve the initial value problems:

- (a)  $y''(x) - 2y'(x) - 3y(x) = 0$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $y(0) = 0$ ,  $y'(0) = -4$ ;
- (b)  $y'''(x) - 4y'(x) = 0$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $y(0) = 0$ ,  $y'(0) = 0$ ,  $y''(0) = 2$ .

**Exercise 29:** Determine the real-valued general solution of the differential equation

$$x^4u''''(x) + 6x^3u'''(x) - 2xu'(x) + 20u(x) = 0, \quad x > 0.$$

**Exercise 30:** Show that  $u(x) = e^{x^2}$  solves the homogeneous differential equation

$$u''(x) - 2xu'(x) - 2u(x) = 0, \quad x \in (0, \infty).$$

Determine a second non-trivial solution by means of the method of reduction of the order.

## Tutorial No. 6

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**Exercise T21:** Determine the general solution of the linear homogeneous differential equations with constant coefficients:

(a)  $y'''(x) - 3y''(x) - y'(x) + 3y(x) = 0$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ ,

(b)  $y'''(x) + 7y''(x) + 19y'(x) + 13y(x) = 0$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ .

**Exercise T22:** Consider the homogeneous Euler differential equation

$$2x^3u'''(x) + Bx^2u''(x) + xu'(x) - 10u(x) = 0, \quad x > 0.$$

(a) Determine  $B \in \mathbb{R}$  so that  $u_1(x) = x^{\frac{5}{2}}$  is a solution of the differential equation.

(b) Determine the general solution of the differential equation for the computed constant  $B$  from part (a).

**Exercise T23:** Determine the real general solution of the differential equation

$$u'''(x) + 3u''(x) + 9u'(x) - 13u(x) = 0, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Show by means of the general solution that every initial value problem  $u(0) = a$ ,  $u'(0) = b$ ,  $u''(0) = c$  has a unique solution.

**Exercise T24:** Show that  $y(x) = x$  fulfils the differential equation

$$(1 + x^2)y''(x) - 2xy'(x) + 2y(x) = 0, \quad x \in \mathbb{R}$$

and determine other solution by means of the method of reduction of the order.