

Paper - II : Differential Equations

Unit - II

Linear Differential Equation of second order & their solutions.

Diff. Eq.ⁿ of the form

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \underbrace{\left(P \frac{dy}{dx} + Qy \right)}_{\text{fun.}^n \text{ of } x \text{ (or constant in special case)}} = R \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

is known as linear differential Equation of second order.
There is no generalised method.

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(*) The method of finding an integral of the C.F. by inspection:-

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Table - I

	condition	An integral of ^{CF} (solution)
1.	$1 + P + Q = 0$	$y = e^x$
2.	$1 - P + Q = 0$	$y = e^{-x}$
3.	$1 + \frac{P}{m} + \frac{Q}{m^2} = 0$	$y = e^{mx}$
4.	$P + Qx = 0$	$y = x$
5.	$2 + 2Px + Qx^2 = 0$	$y = x^2$
6.	$m(m-1) + Pmx + Qx^2 = 0$	$y = x^m$

Working procedure :-

Step 1: put the given equation in the standard form $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + P\frac{dy}{dx} + Qy = R$ — (1)
keeping the coefficient of $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ is unity.

Step 2: Find an integral of CF with the help of Table -I.
If a solution u is given, then skip this step.

Step 3: Put $y = uv$ in given DE (1) and simplify it to

$$\frac{d^2v}{dx^2} + \left(P + \frac{2}{u} \frac{du}{dx} \right) \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{R}{u}$$

— (2)

[let this be CS of (1)] memorize.

Step 4: Take $\frac{dv}{dx} = p$ in eq.ⁿ (2) and reduce it to linear DE in p .

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + Py = Q \rightarrow \text{I.F.} = e^{\int P dx} \rightarrow \text{sol}^n \text{ is } y(\text{I.F.}) = \int Q(\text{I.F.}) dx + C$$

Linear DE

by using above method, determine value of $p (= \frac{dv}{dx})$

Step 5: Determine the value of v by integration.

Step 6: Hence $y = uv$ is CS of LDE (1)

Ex: 1 $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - x^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + xy = x$.

Solⁿ: $\rightarrow$ I) $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ P}}{(-x^2)} \frac{dy}{dx} + \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ Q}}{x} y = \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ R}}{x}$ — (i)

(II) Since $P + Qx = 0 \Rightarrow y = \textcircled{x} \rightarrow u$ is a part₂ of CF. ^{or integral}

(III) put $y = uv = \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ CS}}{xv}$ in DE (i), we have

$$\frac{d^2v}{dx^2} + \left[(-x^2) + \frac{2}{x} \cdot 1 \right] \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{x}{x} \quad (\text{Eq.}^n (2) \text{ of working procedure})$$

$$\frac{d^2v}{dx^2} + \left[-x^2 + \frac{2}{x} \right] \frac{dv}{dx} = 1 \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

(IV) put $\frac{dv}{dx} = p$ in (ii)

$$\frac{dp}{dx} + \left[-x^2 + \frac{2}{x} \right] p = 1 \quad \text{--- (iii)} \quad ((LDE) \text{ of first order})$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{I. F.} = e^{\int (-x^2 + \frac{2}{x}) dx} &= e^{-\frac{x^3}{3} + 2 \log x} = e^{-\frac{x^3}{3}} e^{2 \log x} \\ &= x^2 e^{-\frac{x^3}{3}} \end{aligned}$$

Hence solution of Eq.ⁿ (iii) is

$$p. (I.f.) = \int 1. (I.f.) dx + C$$

$$p. (x^2 e^{-\frac{x^3}{3}}) = \int x^2 e^{-\frac{x^3}{3}} dx + C$$

$$= -e^{-\frac{x^3}{3}} + C$$

$$\left| \begin{array}{l} \text{let } \frac{x^3}{3} = t \\ \frac{d}{dx} \frac{x^3}{3} dx = dt \end{array} \right.$$

$$p = \frac{dv}{dx} = -\frac{1}{x^2} + \frac{C}{x^2} e^{\frac{x^3}{3}}$$

On integration

$$v = \frac{1}{x} + C \int \frac{1}{x^2} e^{\frac{x^3}{3}} dx + C_1$$

Hence $y = uv = x \left[\frac{1}{x} + C \int \frac{1}{x^2} e^{\frac{x^3}{3}} dx + C_1 \right]$ is

the required CS.

Ex:- $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - \cot x \frac{dy}{dx} - (1 - \cot x) y = e^x \sin x$

solⁿ → i) $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ P}}{[-\cot x]} \frac{dy}{dx} + \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ Q}}{(\cot x - 1)} y = \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ R}}{e^x \sin x} \quad \text{--- (i)}$

(ii) $1 + P + Q = 0 \Rightarrow y = \underbrace{(e^x)}_{\substack{\text{C.F.} \\ u}} \text{ is an integral of}$

(iii) Put $\boxed{y = uv = e^x \cdot \underbrace{v}_{\text{CS}}}$ in given DE, we

have $\frac{d^2v}{dx^2} + \left[(-\cot x) + \frac{2}{e^x} \cdot e^x \right] \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{e^x \sin x}{e^x}$

$$\frac{d^2v}{dx^2} + [2 - \cot x] \frac{dv}{dx} = \sin x$$

(iv) put $\frac{dv}{dx} = p$ in above eq.ⁿ

$$\frac{dp}{dx} + (2 - \cot x) p = \sin x \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

It is LDE in p (first order)

$$I \cdot f = e^{\int (2 - \cot x) dx}$$

$$= e^{2x} \cdot e^{-\log \sin x} = \frac{e^{2x}}{\sin x}$$

Solⁿ. of Eqⁿ (ii) is

$$p \cdot \left(\frac{e^{2x}}{\sin x} \right) = \int (\cancel{\sin x}) \left(\frac{e^{2x}}{\cancel{\sin x}} \right) dx + C, \text{ where } C \text{ is constant of integration.}$$

$$p \cdot \left(\frac{e^{2x}}{\sin x} \right) = \frac{e^{2x}}{2} + C$$

$$p = \frac{\sin x}{2} + \frac{C \sin x}{e^{2x}}$$

$$p = \frac{dv}{dx} = \frac{1}{2} \sin x + C e^{-2x} \sin x$$

On integration

$$v = -\frac{1}{2} \cos x + C \left[\frac{e^{-2x}}{\{(-2)^2 + (1)^2\}} (-2 \sin x - \cos x) \right] + C_1$$

Here C_1 is constant of integration.

$$v = -\frac{1}{2} \cos x + C \left[\frac{e^{-2x}}{5} (-2 \sin x - \cos x) \right] + C_1$$

$$\text{So } y = uv = -\frac{1}{2} e^x \cos x - \frac{1}{5} C e^{-x} (2 \sin x + \cos x) + C_1 e^x$$

is the required cs.