

1. If  $y = e^{x^2+x}$

Show that

$$y'' = y'(2x+1) + 2y \quad \text{and hence, prove that } y^{(n+2)} = (2x+1)y^{(n+1)} + 2(n+1)y^{(n)}$$

2. Using the Leibnitz theorem, given that

(i)  $y = x^3 e^{2x}$ , determine  $y^{(n)}$

(ii)  $x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0$ , show that

$$x^2 y^{(n+2)} + (2n+1)xy^{(n+1)} + (n^2+1)y^{(n)} = 0$$

Solution

1)  $y = e^{x^2+x}$

$$y' = (2x+1)e^{x^2+x}$$

$$y'' = (2x+1)(2x+1)e^{x^2+x} + 2e^{x^2+x}$$

$$y'' = (2x+1)y' + 2e^{x^2+x} = 2y$$

$$y'' = y'(2x+1) + 2y$$

$$\text{Let } y = u_1 = y'(2x+1)$$

$$u_2 = 2y$$

$$u_1 = y' \quad v = 2x+1$$

$$u_1' = y'' \quad v' = 2$$

$$u_1'' = y''' \quad v'' = 0$$

$$u_2 = y \quad v = 2$$

$$u_2' = y' \quad v' = 0$$

For  $u_1$ ,

$$= y^{(n+2)}(2x+1) + ny^{(n+1)} \cdot 2 + \frac{n(n-1)}{1 \cdot 2} y^{(n+1-2)}$$

$$= y^{(n+2)}(2x+1) + ny^{(n)}(2)$$

$$ii) x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0$$

$$x^2 y'' + x y' + y = 0$$

$$\omega_1 = x^2 y''$$

$$u = y''$$

$$u^n = y^{(n+2)}$$

$$u^{(n-1)} = y^{(n+1)}$$

$$u^{(n-2)} = y^{(n)}$$

$$v = x^1$$

$$v' = 1$$

$$v'' = 0$$

$$v''' = 0$$

$$\omega_2 = x y$$

$$u = y'$$

$$u^n = y^{(n+1)}$$

$$u^{(n-1)} = y^{(n)}$$

$$v = x$$

$$v' = 1$$

$$v'' = 0$$

$$\omega_3 = y^n \Rightarrow y^{(n)}$$

$$D_1 = y^{(n+2)} \cdot x^2 + n \cdot y^{(n+1)} \cdot 2x + \frac{n(n-1)}{2!} y^{(n)} \cdot 2$$

$$= x^2 y^{(n+2)} + 2n x y^{(n+1)} + n(n-1) y^{(n)}$$

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$$\omega_3 = y^{(n+2)} \cdot x + n \cdot y^{(n+1)} \cdot 1$$

$$= x y^{(n+2)} + n y^{(n+1)}$$

$$\omega_4 = y^n$$

$$\therefore x^2 y^{(n+2)} + 2n x y^{(n+1)} + n(n-1) y^{(n)} + x y^{(n+2)} + n y^{(n+1)} + y^{(n)} = 0$$

$$= x^2 y^{(n+2)} + y^{(n+2)} (2x + 1) + 2n x y^{(n+1)} + n y^{(n+1)} + n(n-1) y^{(n)} + y^{(n)}$$

$$x^2 y^{(n+2)} + x y^{(n+2)} (2n+1) + [n(n-1) + n] y^{(n)} = 0$$

$$x^2 y^{(n+2)} + x y^{(n+2)} (2n+1) + (n^2 - n + n + 1) y^{(n)} = 0$$

$$x^2 y^{(n+2)} + (2n+1) x y^{(n+2)} + (n^2+1) y^{(n)} = 0$$

$$u_2 = y'' + ny^{(n-1)} = 0$$

$$u_1 + u_2 = ?$$

$$= y^{(n+1)}(2x+1) + ny^{(n)} + y'' = 0$$

$$= y^{(n+1)}(2x+1) + 2ny^{(n)} + 2y''$$

$$= y^{(n+1)}(2x+1) + 2y''(nx)$$

$$y^{(n+1)} = y^{(n+1)}(2x+1) + 2y''(nx)$$

$$= y^{(n+1)}(2x+1) + 2(nx)y''$$

$$\therefore y^{(n+1)} = y^{(n+1)}(2x+1) + 2(nx)y''$$

(2) i.  $y = x^3 e^{4x}$

$$u = e^{4x}$$

$$v = x^3$$

$$u' = 4e^{4x}$$

$$v' = 3x^2$$

$$u'' = 16e^{4x}$$

$$v'' = 6x$$

$$u''' = 64e^{4x}$$

$$v''' = 6$$

$$u^{(4)} = 256e^{4x}$$

$$v^{(4)} = 0$$

$$u^{(5)} = 1024e^{4x}$$

$$u^{(6)} = 4096e^{4x}$$

$$\Rightarrow 4^6 e^{4x} \cdot x^3 + n \cdot 4^{(n-1)} e^{4x} \cdot 3x^2 + n(n-1) 4^{(n-2)} e^{4x} \cdot 6x + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3} \dots$$

$$4^{(n-1)} e^{4x} \cdot 6 + \dots$$

$$= 4^6 x^3 e^{4x} + 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 4^{(n-1)} e^{4x} + 3n(n-1)x 4^{(n-2)} e^{4x} + \dots + \frac{n(n-1)(n-2)}{1 \cdot 2 \cdot 3} \dots$$

$$\text{Let } y^{(n)} = y^5$$

$$y^6 = 6^6 x^3 e^{4x} + 3(6) x^2 4^{(5-1)} e^{4x} + 5(6)(5-1) x 4^{(5-2)} e^{4x} + 5(6)(5-2) 4^{(5-3)} e^{4x}$$

$$= 4^6 x^3 e^{4x} + 15 x^2 4^4 e^{4x} + 60 x 4^3 e^{4x} + 120 4^2 e^{4x}$$

$$= 1024 x^3 e^{4x} + 3840 x^2 e^{4x} + 3840 x e^{4x} + 960 e^{4x}$$

$$\therefore y^6 = 1024 x^3 e^{4x} + 3840 x^2 e^{4x} + 3840 x e^{4x} + 960 e^{4x}$$