

4.Linear second order homogenous equation with constant coefficient:-

$$a_n(x) \frac{d^n y}{dx^n} + a_{n-1}(x) \frac{d^{n-1} y}{dx^{n-1}} + \dots + a_1(x) \frac{dy}{dx} + a_0(x)y = F(x)$$

homogenous of $f(x)=0$ ∴

For $n=2$ (second order first degree)

$$a_0 \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + a_1 \frac{dy}{dx} + a_2 y = 0 \text{ (general form)}$$

$$\bar{y} + \bar{y} + y = 0$$

$$(D^2 + D + 2)Y = 0$$

$$(r^2 + r + 2) = 0$$

Have there are three cases

1.real roots

$$r_1 = r_2 = r$$

$$y = (c_1 e^{rx} + c_2 x e^{rx}) \text{ (general solution)}$$

2.if $r_1 \neq r_2$

$$y = (c_1 e^{r_1 x} + c_2 e^{r_2 x}) \text{ (general solution)}$$

2.if r_1 & r_2 are complex number

$$y = e^{\alpha x} [c_1 \cos \beta x + c_2 \sin \beta x]$$

$\alpha = \text{the real part}$ & $\beta = \text{The imaginary part}$

Example 1// Solve the equation

$$\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + \frac{dy}{dx} - 2y = 0$$

Solution/

$$(D^2 + D - 2)y = 0$$

$$(r^2 + r - 2) = 0 \rightarrow$$

$$(r+2)(r-1) = 0$$

$$r_1 = -2 \quad \& \quad r_2 = 1 (r_1 \neq r_2)$$

$$y = (c_1 e^{r_1 x} + c_2 e^{r_2 x}) = (c_1 e^{-2x} + c_2 e^{1x})$$

Example 2// Solve $\bar{y} + 4\bar{y} + 4y = 0$

Solution /

$$(D^2 + 4D + 4)y = 0$$

$$(r^2 + 4r + 4) = 0 \rightarrow$$

$$(r+2)(r+2) = 0$$

$$r_1 = -2 \ \& \ r_2 = -2 \quad (r_1 = r_2)$$

$$y = (c_1 e^{rx} + c_2 x e^{rx}) = (c_1 e^{-2x} + c_2 x e^{-2x})$$

Example 3// Solve $\frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + w^2 y = 0$

Solution /

$$(D^2 + w^2)y = 0$$

$$(r^2 + w^2) = 0 \rightarrow r^2 = -w^2 \rightarrow r = iw$$

$$\alpha = 0 \ \& \ \beta = w$$

$$y = e^{\alpha x} [c_1 \cos \beta x + c_2 \sin \beta x]$$

$$y = e^{0x} [c_1 \cos wx + c_2 \sin wx]$$

Example 4// Solve $\bar{y} + \bar{y} + y = 0$

Solution /

$$(D^2 + D + 1)y = 0$$

$$(r^2 + r + 1) = 0 \rightarrow$$

$$r = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{1 - 4 * 1 * 1}}{2 * 1} = \frac{-1 \pm \sqrt{-3}}{2} = \frac{-1 \pm i\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{-1}{2} \quad \& \quad \beta = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$$

$$y = e^{\alpha x} [c1 \cos \beta x + c2 \sin \beta x]$$

$$y = e^{\frac{-1}{2}x} [c1 \cos \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x + c2 \sin \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}x]$$