

Example (7): Transform the I.V.P. $y'' + y = 0$ (16)
with $y(0) = 0$, $y'(0) = 1$, to the D. system of first order
solution: Let $y_1 = y$, $y_2 = y'$

$$\Rightarrow y_1' = y' = y_2$$

$$y_2' = y'' = -y$$

i.e. we get

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} y_1' = y_2 \\ y_2' = -y_1 \end{array} \right\} \text{D.system with } y_1(0) = 0, y_2(0) = 1$$

Theorem (4): If the functions $a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n$ continuous functions on I , such that $a_0(x) \neq 0, \forall x \in I$, then the D.E. (1) has ^{up} unique solution on I .

Definition (5): Given the functions $g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n$ and the constants $c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n$ not all zero exist such that:

$c_1 g_1(x) + c_2 g_2(x) + \dots + c_n g_n(x) = 0 \dots (1)$, then $g_1(x), g_2(x), \dots, g_n(x)$ called linearly dependent functions, identically in some interval $a \leq x \leq b$, $g_1(x), g_2(x), \dots, g_n(x)$ is said to be linearly independent functions if eq. (1) implies

$$c_1 = c_2 = \dots = c_n = 0$$

Example (8): show that the functions e^x, e^{2x} are linearly independent.

Solution: From eq. (1), we have $C_1 y_1 + C_2 y_2 = 0$, then

$$C_1 e^x + C_2 e^{2x} = 0$$

$$\begin{array}{r} + C_1 e^x + 2C_2 e^{2x} = 0 \\ \hline -C_2 e^{2x} = 0 \end{array}$$

Since $e^{2x} \neq 0$, then $C_2 = 0$

نضعها في المعادلة الأولى فنجد $C_1 e^x = 0$

Since $e^x \neq 0$, then $C_1 = 0$

So $C_1 = C_2 = 0$, then the functions are linearly independent

Example (9): show that the functions $x^2 - x, 2x^2, 3x$ are linearly dependent

Solution: Let $C_1 y_1 + C_2 y_2 + C_3 y_3 = 0$, then

$$C_1 (x^2 - x) + 2C_2 x^2 + 3C_3 x = 0$$

$$C_1 (2x - 1) + 4C_2 x + 3C_3 = 0 \quad \text{نضع } x=1$$

$$2C_1 + 4C_2 = 0 \quad \text{نضع } x=0$$

$$\Rightarrow C_1 = -2C_2$$

نضعها في المعادلتين (1), (2)

$$\Rightarrow 2C_2 x + 8C_2 x = 0$$

$$2C_2 + 3C_3 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow C_2 = -\frac{3}{2}C_3, C_1 = 3C_3$$

وهذه المعادلات أقل منه عدد المتغيرات وبهذه الحالة لا يمكن أن يكون حلولاً
وحدوداً، فمن $C_3 = 2$ فنجد $C_2 = -3$, $C_1 = 6$ وعليه، لا زال معادلة خطياً

Theorem (5): The D.E. $Ly = 0$ has n of linearly independent solutions on the interval I .

Definition (6): Given the functions $g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n$ and

$$W(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n)(x) = \begin{vmatrix} g_1(x) & g_2(x) & \dots & g_n(x) \\ g_1'(x) & g_2'(x) & \dots & g_n'(x) \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ g_1^{(n-1)}(x) & g_2^{(n-1)}(x) & \dots & g_n^{(n-1)}(x) \end{vmatrix}$$

$\forall x \in I$, then $W(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n)(x)$ is called wronskian

Example (10): Given $x, \sin x$, then

$$W(x, \sin x) = \begin{vmatrix} x & \sin x \\ 1 & \cos x \end{vmatrix} = x \cos x - \sin x$$

Example (11): Given e^x, e^{-x}, e^{2x} , then

$$\begin{aligned} W(e^x, e^{-x}, e^{2x}) &= \begin{vmatrix} e^x & e^{-x} & e^{2x} \\ x e^x & -e^{-x} & 2e^{2x} \\ x^2 e^x & e^{-x} & 4e^{2x} \end{vmatrix} \\ &= \begin{vmatrix} e^x & e^{-x} & e^{2x} \\ x e^x & -e^{-x} & 2e^{2x} \\ x^2 e^x & e^{-x} & 4e^{2x} \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} e^x & e^{-x} \\ x e^x & -e^{-x} \\ x^2 e^x & e^{-x} \end{vmatrix} = -6e^{2x} \end{aligned}$$

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Theorem (6): If $g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n$ are solutions of the D.E. $L_n y = 0$ in the interval I , then $g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n$ linearly independent iff $\forall x \in I$, then $w(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n)(x) \neq 0$.

Proof:

Let $w(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n) \neq 0$, and $C_1, C_2, \dots, C_n$ real numbers such that $\forall x \in I$

$$C_1 g_1(x) + C_2 g_2(x) + \dots + C_n g_n(x) = 0 \quad \dots (1)$$

Since $g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n$ are solutions of $L_n y = 0$ on I and g_i have derivative of the $(n-1)$ -th order, then

$$\left. \begin{aligned} C_1 g_1'(x) + C_2 g_2'(x) + \dots + C_n g_n'(x) &= 0 \\ C_1 g_1''(x) + C_2 g_2''(x) + \dots + C_n g_n''(x) &= 0 \\ \vdots \\ C_1 g_1^{(n-1)}(x) + C_2 g_2^{(n-1)}(x) + \dots + C_n g_n^{(n-1)}(x) &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \dots (2)$$

by using Cramer's rule to solve (1) and (2), we get

$$C_1 = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 0 & g_2 & \dots & g_n \\ 0 & g_2' & \dots & g_n' \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & g_2^{(n-1)} & \dots & g_n^{(n-1)} \end{vmatrix}}{\begin{vmatrix} g_1 & g_2 & \dots & g_n \\ g_1' & g_2' & \dots & g_n' \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ g_1^{(n-1)} & g_2^{(n-1)} & \dots & g_n^{(n-1)} \end{vmatrix}} \Rightarrow C_1 = \frac{0}{w(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n)}$$

$$\Rightarrow C_1 w(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n)(x) = 0$$

Similarly, $C_2 w(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n)(x) = 0$, hence

$$C_i w(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n)(x) = 0, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n$$

Since $w(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n)(x) \neq 0$, then $C_i = 0$

$\therefore g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n$ linearly independent

Conversely ^{عكس}

Let $g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n$ linearly independent solutions and

Let $w(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n)(x_0) = 0$ for any point x_0 in I .

and Let $C_1, C_2, \dots, C_n$ real numbers such that $\forall x \in I$

$$C_1 g_1(x) + C_2 g_2(x) + \dots + C_n g_n(x) = 0$$

in the same method we get

$$C_i w(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n)(x) = 0, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, n, \text{ unnecessary}$$

$C_i = 0$ and this contradiction ^{تناقض} our assumption (linearly independent), hence $w(g_1, g_2, \dots, g_n)(x) \neq 0 \quad \forall x \in I$.

Example (12): show that $\cos x, \sin x$ are linearly independent

Solution ^{حل} from wronskian

$$w(\cos x, \sin x) = \begin{vmatrix} \cos x & \sin x \\ -\sin x & \cos x \end{vmatrix} = \cos^2 x + \sin^2 x = 1 \neq 0$$

$\therefore y_1 = \cos x, y_2 = \sin x$ are linearly independent.