

Solutions to Math 46 homework problems Day 12

Exercise 6 page 244

$$u(t) = 1 + \int_0^t s \ln\left(\frac{s}{t}\right) u(s) ds \quad (*)$$

Reformulate this as an initial value problem

Take a derivative of both sides

$$u'(t) = \underbrace{t \ln\left(\frac{t}{t}\right)}_{=0} u(t) + \int_0^t s \frac{1}{\left(\frac{s}{t}\right)} \left(-\frac{s}{t^2}\right) u(s) ds$$

$$u'(t) \stackrel{(*)}{=} \int_0^t \frac{-s^2 t}{s t^2} u(s) ds = \int_0^t -\frac{s}{t} u(s) ds$$

$$u'(t) = \int_0^t -\frac{s}{t} u(s) ds = -\frac{1}{t} \int_0^t s u(s) ds$$

Take a derivative again

$$t u''(t) + u'(t) = -t u(t)$$

From (*) we have $u(0) = 1$

From (**) we have $u'(0) = 0$

Thus the answer is

$$\left. \begin{aligned} t u''(t) + u'(t) &= -t u(t) \\ u(0) &= 1 \quad u'(0) = 0 \end{aligned} \right\}$$



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$$u(t) = \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ f}}{t} + \mu \underbrace{\int_0^t (t-s) u(s) ds}_{Ku}$$

Thus $s_0(t) = f = t$

$$s_1(t) = \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ f}}{t} + \mu K(s_0) =$$

$$= t + \mu \int_0^t (t-s) s ds = t + \mu \left(\frac{t s^2}{2} - \frac{s^3}{3} \right) \Bigg|_{s=0}^{s=t}$$

$$= t + \mu \left(\frac{t^3}{2} - \frac{t^3}{3} \right) = t + \mu \frac{t^3}{6}$$

$$s_2 = \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ f}}{t} + \mu \int_0^t (t-s) \left(s + \mu \frac{s^3}{6} \right) ds =$$

$$= t + \mu \int_0^t t s - s^2 + \frac{t \mu s^3}{6} - \frac{\mu s^4}{6} ds =$$

$$= t + \mu \left(\frac{t s^2}{2} - \frac{s^3}{3} + \frac{t \mu s^4}{24} - \frac{\mu s^5}{30} \right) \Bigg|_{s=0}^{s=t}$$

$$= t + \mu \left(\frac{t^3}{2} - \frac{t^3}{3} + \mu \frac{t^5}{24} - \frac{\mu t^5}{30} \right) =$$

$$= t + \mu \frac{t^3}{6} - \mu^2 \frac{t^5}{120}$$



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Reformulate the initial value problem $u'' - \lambda u = f(x) \quad x > 0$

$$u(0) = 1$$
$$u'(0) = 0$$

as a Volterra integral equation

$$u''(s) = \lambda u(s) + f(s) \quad \forall s > 0$$

integrate over s

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^r u''(s) ds = \lambda \int_0^r u(s) ds + \int_0^r f(s) ds$$

↑ holds $\forall r > 0$

$$\int_0^r u'(s) ds$$

$$u'(r) - u'(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow u'(r) = \lambda \int_0^r u(s) ds + \int_0^r f(s) ds$$

Integrate over r for all r

from $r=0$ to $r=x$

$$\int_0^x u'(r) dr = \lambda \int_0^x \int_0^r u(s) ds + \int_0^x \int_0^r f(s) ds$$

u(x) - u(0)

