

Analyse 3 NA, EXAM 2

* Monday, January 4, 2016, 14.00 – 16.00 *

Motivate each answer with a computation or explanation.
The maximum amount of points for this exam is 50.

No calculators!

1. (First order ODEs) [10 points]

Consider the first order differential equation

$$(3x^2y - y^2 + e^x) + (x^3 - 2xy) \frac{dy}{dx} = 0.$$

- (a) Is this equation exact?
- (b) Give an implicit relation for its solutions.

2. (Second order ODEs) [16 points]

(a) Consider the differential equation

$$y''(x) + 8y'(x) + 16y(x) = e^{-4x}.$$

Solve the initial-value problem with

$$y(0) = 0, y'(0) = 0,$$

in two ways:

- (i) Using the Variation of Parameters formula and
 - (ii) using the Green's function formalism.
- (b) Find a particular solution for the differential equation

$$y''(x) + 4y'(x) + 3y(x) = 4 + \sum_{n=1}^{100} \frac{1}{n^2} \cos(nx).$$

3. (Fourier Analysis) [16 points]

(a) Consider the 2π -periodic function $f(x) = e^x, x \in [-\pi, \pi), f(x + 2\pi) = f(x), x \in \mathbb{R}$.

- (i) Compute its Fourier Series.
- (ii) Using your result from (i), compute the value of the sum

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{1+n^2}.$$

(b) Consider the function $g : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ given by

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} \sin(x) & , \quad -\pi < x < \pi \\ 0 & , \quad \text{otherwise} \end{cases}.$$

Compute its Fourier transform.

4. (Series Solutions of ODEs) [8 points]

Consider for $y : \mathbb{C} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ the differential equation

$$y''(z) - \frac{1}{z}y'(z) + \left(1 + \frac{3}{4z^2}\right)y(z) = 0.$$

- (a) Explain why $z = 0$ is a regular singular point.
- (b) Compute two linearly independent solutions.

End of Exam