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$$a_0 = 2 \quad a_1 = 0$$

$$w'' + 3xw' - w = 0, \quad \underbrace{w(0)}_{a_0} = 2, \quad \underbrace{w'(0)}_{a_1} = 0$$

$$\text{Set } w = 2 + a_2 x^2 + a_3 x^3 + a_4 x^4 + a_5 x^5 + \dots$$

$$w' = 2a_2 x + 3a_3 x^2 + 4a_4 x^3 + 5a_5 x^4 + \dots$$

$$w'' = 2a_2 + 6a_3 x + 12a_4 x^2 + 20a_5 x^3 + 30a_6 x^4 + \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned} w'' + 3xw' - w &= 2a_2 + 6a_3 x + 12a_4 x^2 + 20a_5 x^3 + 30a_6 x^4 + \dots \\ &\quad + 3x(2a_2 x + 3a_3 x^2 + 4a_4 x^3 + \dots) \\ &\quad - (2 + a_2 x^2 + a_3 x^3 + a_4 x^4 + \dots) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Thus,

$$\underline{x} \quad 6a_3 = 0 \quad \therefore \underline{a_3 = 0}.$$

$$\underline{x^2} \quad 12a_4 + 6a_2 - a_2 = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \underline{12a_4 + 5a_2 = 0}.$$

$$\underline{x^3} \quad 20a_5 + 9a_3 - a_3 = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \underline{20a_5 + 8a_3 = 0}. \quad \Rightarrow \underline{a_5 = 0}.$$

$$\underline{x^4} \quad 30a_6 + 12a_4 - a_4 \quad \Rightarrow \underline{30a_6 + 11a_4 = 0}.$$

$$\underline{x^5 = 1} \quad 2a_2 - 2 = 0 \quad \therefore \quad \underline{a_2 = 1}$$

$$\hookrightarrow 12a_4 = -5 \quad \therefore \quad \underline{a_4 = \frac{-5}{12}}.$$

$$a_6 = \frac{-11a_4}{30} = \frac{-11}{30} \left(\frac{-5}{12} \right) = \frac{11}{72} = \underline{a_6}$$

Thus,

$$w = 2 + x^2 - \frac{5}{12}x^4 + \frac{11}{72}x^6 + \dots$$

PROBLEM 11 center power series of $f(x) = x \sin(x)$ at $x_0 = 3$.

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) &= x \sin(x) \\
 &= [(x-3)+3][\sin((x-3)+3)] \\
 &= ((x-3)+3)(\sin(x-3)\cos(3) + \cos(x-3)\sin(3)) \\
 &= (x-3)\cos(3)\sin(x-3) + \sin(3)(x-3)\cos(x-3) + 3\cos(3)\sin(x-3) + \cancel{3} \\
 &\quad + 3\sin(3)\cos(x-3) \\
 &= [(x-3)\cos(3) + 3\cos(3)] \left[\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{(2n+1)!} (x-3)^{2n+1} \right] + \cancel{3} \\
 &\quad + [(x-3)\sin(3) + 3\sin(3)] \left[\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{(2k)!} (x-3)^{2k} \right] \\
 &= \boxed{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{(-1)^n \cos(3)}{(2n+1)!} + \frac{3\sin(3)(-1)^n}{(2n)!} \right) (x-3)^{2n} + \cancel{3}} \\
 &\quad + \boxed{\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{(-1)^k 3\cos(3)}{(2k+1)!} + \frac{(-1)^k \sin(3)}{(2k)!} \right) (x-3)^{2k+1}}
 \end{aligned}$$

(I simply grouped even and odd terms together making the needed changes in notation for the grouping once I decided on $(x-3)^{2n}$ & $(x-3)^{2k+1}$ as my powers format)

PROBLEM 12 $f(x) = \frac{x^2}{2+x}$ find power series centered at $x_0 = -1$

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) &= \frac{x^2}{1+(x+1)} = \frac{(x+1)^2 - 2(x+1) + 1}{1+(x+1)} \quad (x+1-1)^2 = (x+1)^2 - 2(x+1) + 1 \\
 &= (x+1)^2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n (x+1)^n + \cancel{1} \\
 &\quad - 2(x+1) \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n (x+1)^n + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n (x+1)^n \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n (x+1)^{n+2} - 2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n (x+1)^{n+1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n (x+1)^n
 \end{aligned}$$

(this we can clean-up, see \Rightarrow)

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continued

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= -2 + 1 - (x+1) + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n (x+1)^{n+2} && \leftarrow j = n+2 \\ &\quad + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2(-1)^{n+1} (x+1)^{n+1} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} (-1)^n (x+1)^n && \leftarrow j = n \\ &= -1 - (x+1) + \sum_{j=2}^{\infty} \left((-1)^{j-2} + 2(-1)^j + (-1)^j \right) (x+1)^j \\ &= \boxed{-1 - (x+1) + \sum_{j=2}^{\infty} 4(-1)^j (x+1)^j} \end{aligned}$$

PROBLEM 13

$$\begin{aligned}
 e^x e^y &= \left(\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^m}{m!} \right) \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{y^n}{n!} \right) \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^n \left(\frac{1}{k!} x^k \right) \left(\frac{1}{(n-k)!} y^{n-k} \right) \quad \rightarrow \frac{n!}{n!} = 1. \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \sum_{k=0}^n \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!} x^k y^{n-k} \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} \sum_{k=0}^n \binom{n}{k} x^k y^{n-k} : \quad \binom{n}{k} = \underbrace{\frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}}_{\text{binomial coeff.}} \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} (x+y)^n \quad \text{binomial Th} \\
 &= \underline{\exp(x+y)}.
 \end{aligned}$$

Problem 14 Suppose $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (a_{2k}x^{2k} + b_{2k+1}x^{2k+1}) = e^x + \cos(x+2)$. Find explicit formulas for a_{2k} and b_{2k+1} via Σ -notation algebra.

$$\begin{aligned}
 e^x + \cos(x+2) &= \cosh x + \sinh x + \cos(2)\cos(x) - \sin(2)\sin(x) \\
 &= \underbrace{\cosh(x) + \cos(2)\cos(x)}_{\text{even}} + \underbrace{\sinh(x) - \sin(2)\sin(x)}_{\text{odd}} \\
 &= \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{(2j)!} + \frac{(-1)^j \cos(2)}{(2j)!} \right) x^{2j} + \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1 - \sin(2)(-1)^j}{(2j+1)!} \right) x^{2j+1} \\
 &= \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1 + (-1)^j \cos(2)}{(2j)!} \right) x^{2j} + \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1 - (-1)^j \sin(2)}{(2j+1)!} \right) x^{2j+1}
 \end{aligned}$$

Compare against

$$\sum_{j=0}^{\infty} (a_{2j}x^{2j} + b_{2j+1}x^{2j+1})$$

to see that

$$a_{2j} = \frac{1 + (-1)^j \cos(2)}{(2j)!}$$

and,

$$b_{2j+1} = \frac{1 - (-1)^j \sin(2)}{(2j+1)!}$$

Naturally, we could switch $j \mapsto k$ and express the same.

Problem 15 Find a power series solution to the integrals below:

(a.) $\int \frac{x^3+x^6}{1-x^3} dx$

(b.) $\int x^8 e^{x^3+2} dx$

(a.) Note that $\frac{1}{1-x^3} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (x^3)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^{3n}$ for $|x^3| < 1$.

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned} \int \frac{x^3+x^6}{1-x^3} dx &= \int \left(x^3 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^{3n} + x^6 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^{3n} \right) dx \\ &= \int \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^{3n+3} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x^{3n+6} \right) dx \\ &= \boxed{C + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{3n+4}}{3n+4} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{3n+7}}{3n+7}} \quad \text{slippery answer} \end{aligned}$$

$$3j = 3n+3$$

$$3j+4 = 3n+7.$$

$$= C + \frac{x^4}{4} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{3n+4}}{3n+4} + \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \frac{x^{3j+4}}{3j+4}$$

$$= \boxed{C + \frac{x^4}{4} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{3n+4} x^{3n+4}} \quad \leftarrow \text{better answer}$$

(earned bonus)

(b.) $\int x^8 e^{x^3+2} dx = e^2 \int x^8 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(x^3)^n}{n!} dx$

$$= e^2 \int \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{3n+8}}{n!} dx$$

$$= \boxed{e^2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^{3n+9}}{(3n+9)n!} + C}$$

Problem 16 Calculate the 42nd-derivative of $x^2 \cos(x)$ at $x = 1$. (use power series techniques)

Let $f(x) = x^2 \cos x$ then by Taylor's Th² $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{f^{(n)}(1)}{n!} (x-1)^n$

so if we can expand $f(x)$ in $(x-1)$ -powers we can read off $f^{(42)}(1)$ with relative ease.

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= (x-1+1)^2 \cos(x-1+1) \\ &= [(x-1)^2 + 2(x-1)+1] [\underbrace{\cos(1) \cos(x-1)} - \underbrace{\sin(1) \sin(x-1)}] \\ &\quad \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{(2k)!} (x-1)^{2k} \quad \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{(2k+1)!} (x-1)^{2k+1} \end{aligned}$$

The coefficient of $(x-1)^{42}$ is found,

$$1 \cdot \cos(1) \frac{(-1)^{20}}{(40)!} + 1 \cdot \cos(1) \frac{(-1)^{21}}{(41)!} + 2 \cdot (-\sin(1)) \frac{(-1)^{20}}{(41)!} = \frac{f^{(42)}(1)}{(42)!}$$

$$\Rightarrow f^{(42)}(1) = \cos(1) \left[\frac{(40)!}{(40)!} - \frac{(40)!}{(41)!} \right] - 2\sin(1) \left[\frac{(40)!}{(41)!} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow f^{(42)}(1) = \cos(1) [(40)(41)-1] - 2\sin(1)[40]$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{f^{(42)}(1) = 1721 \cos(1) - 84 \sin(1) \approx 859.18}$$

Problem 17 Find the complete power series solution of $y'' + x^2y' + 2xy = 0$ about the ordinary point $x = 0$. Your answer should include nice formulas for arbitrary coefficients in each of the fundamental solutions. You need to both set-up and solve the recurrence relations as best you can.

$$y = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n \Rightarrow 2xy = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 2a_n x^{n+1} = 2a_0 x + \dots$$

$$x^2y' = x^2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n x^{n-1} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n x^{n+1} = a_1 x^2 + \dots$$

$$y'' = \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} n(n-1) a_n x^{n-2} = 2a_2 + 6a_3 x + \dots$$

Hence,

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

$$2a_2 + 6a_3 x + \underbrace{\sum_{n=4}^{\infty} n(n-1) a_n x^{n-2}}_{\text{Let } j+1 = n-2} + \underbrace{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n a_n x^{n+1}}_{n=j+3} + 2a_0 x + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2a_n x^{n+1} = 0$$

$$2a_2 + (6a_3 + 2a_0)x + \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} ((j+3)(j+2)a_{j+3} + ja_j + 2a_j)x^{j+1} = 0$$

Hence,

$$2a_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{a_2 = 0}, \Rightarrow 3k+2 \in 3\mathbb{Z} + 2 \text{ has } a_{3k+2} = 0$$

$$6a_3 + 2a_0 = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{a_3 = -\frac{1}{3}a_0}. \quad \text{Same pattern.}$$

For $j = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

$$a_{j+3} = \frac{-(2+j)a_j}{(j+3)(j+2)} = \left(\frac{-1}{j+3}\right) a_j$$

Observe,

$$a_6 = \frac{-1}{6} a_3 = \left(\frac{-1}{6}\right)\left(\frac{-1}{3}\right)a_0 \quad \left. \right] \quad a_{3k} = (-1)^k \frac{a_0}{k! 3^k}$$

$$a_9 = \frac{-1}{9} a_6 = \left(\frac{-1}{9}\right)\left(\frac{-1}{6}\right)\left(\frac{-1}{3}\right)a_0$$

$$a_{12} = \frac{-1}{12} a_9 = \left(\frac{-1}{12}\right)\left(\frac{-1}{9}\right)\left(\frac{-1}{6}\right)\left(\frac{-1}{3}\right)a_0 = \frac{(-1)^4}{4!} \frac{a_0}{3^4}$$

Likewise,

$$a_9 = \frac{-1}{9} a_6$$

$$a_{12} = \left(\frac{-1}{12}\right)\left(\frac{-1}{9}\right)a_6$$

$$a_{15} = \left(\frac{-1}{15}\right)\left(\frac{-1}{12}\right)\left(\frac{-1}{9}\right)a_6$$

$$\left. \right\} a_{3k+1} = \frac{(-1)^k a_1}{(3k+1) \dots 11(7)(4)}$$

$$\therefore \left\{ y = a_0 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n! 3^n} x^{3n} + a_1 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{(3k+1) \dots 11(7)(4)} x^{3k+1} \right.$$

Problem 18 (Ritger & Rose 7-2 problem 7 part c) Find the first four nonzero terms in the power series solution about zero for the initial value problem $(x+2)y'' + 3y = 0$ with $y(0) = 0$ and $y'(0) = 1$.

$$\text{Let } y = C_0 + C_1 x + C_2 x^2 + C_3 x^3 + \dots$$

Note, $y(0) = C_0 = 0$, $y'(0) = C_1 = 1$ hence,

$$y = x + C_2 x^2 + C_3 x^3 + C_4 x^4 + \dots$$

$$y' = 1 + 2C_2 x + 3C_3 x^2 + 4C_4 x^3 + \dots$$

$$y'' = 2C_2 + 6C_3 x + 12C_4 x^2 + 20C_5 x^3 + 30C_6 x^4 + \dots$$

Consider,

$$(x+2)y'' + 3y = 0$$

Provides,

$$(x+2)(2C_2 + 6C_3 x + 12C_4 x^2 + 20C_5 x^3 + 30C_6 x^4 + \dots) +$$

$$\cancel{+ 3(x + C_2 x^2 + C_3 x^3 + C_4 x^4 + C_5 x^5 + \dots)} = 0$$

Therefore, equating coefficients of $1, x, x^2, \dots$ yields:

$$\underline{\text{const}} \quad 4C_2 = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{C_2 = 0}.$$

$$\underline{x} \quad 12C_3 + 2C_2 + 3 = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{C_3 = -\frac{1}{4}}.$$

$$\underline{x^2} \quad 6C_3 + 24C_4 + 3C_2 = 0 \Rightarrow C_4 = -\frac{6C_3}{24} = \frac{+6}{4(-24)} = \underline{\frac{1}{16}}.$$

$$\underline{x^3} \quad 12C_4 + 40C_5 + 3C_3 = 0$$

$$C_5 = \frac{1}{40} \left[-3\left(\frac{-1}{4}\right) - 12\left(\frac{1}{16}\right) \right] = \frac{1}{40} \left[\frac{3}{4} - \frac{3}{4} \right] = 0.$$

$$\underline{x^4} \quad 20C_5 + 60C_6 + 3C_4 = 0$$

$$C_6 = \frac{1}{60} \left[-\frac{3}{16} - 20(0) \right] = \frac{-\frac{1}{16}}{20(16)} = \underline{\frac{-1}{320}}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{y = x - \frac{1}{4}x^3 + \frac{1}{16}x^4 - \frac{1}{320}x^6 + \dots}$$

Problem 19 (Ritger & Rose 7-2 problem 7 part d) Find the first four nonzero terms in the power series solution about zero for the initial value problem $y'' + \sin(x)y' + (x-1)y = 0$ with $y(0) = 1$ and $y'(0) = 0$.

$$y'' + \sin(x)y' + (x-1)y = 0, \quad \underbrace{y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = 0}$$

$$y = 1 + c_2x^2 + c_3x^3 + c_4x^4 + \dots$$

$$y' = 2c_2x + 3c_3x^2 + 4c_4x^3 + \dots$$

$$y'' = 2c_2 + 6c_3x + 12c_4x^2 + \dots$$

Up to x^2

$$\sin x = x + \dots$$

$$2c_2 + 6c_3x + 12c_4x^2 + \dots + x(2c_2 + \dots) + (x-1)(1 + c_2x^2 + \dots) = 0$$

$$\text{Const} / \quad 2c_2 - 1 = 0 \quad \therefore \quad c_2 = \frac{1}{2}.$$

$$\times 1 \quad 6c_3 + 1 = 0 \quad \therefore \quad c_3 = -\frac{1}{6}.$$

$$\times^2 \quad 12c_4 + 2c_2 - c_2 = 0 \quad \therefore \quad c_4 = \frac{-1}{12}c_2 = \frac{-1}{24}.$$

Thus,

$$y = 1 + \frac{1}{2}x^2 - \frac{1}{6}x^3 - \frac{1}{24}x^4 + \dots$$

Problem 20 Construct a differential equation with $y_1(x) = \frac{\sin(x)}{x}$ for $x \neq 0$ and $y_1(0) = 1$, $y_2(x) = x$ as its fundamental solution set. To accomplish this task do two tasks:

(a.) Argue from appropriate facts from the theory of determinants that $L[y] = \det \begin{bmatrix} y & y' & y'' \\ y_1 & y'_1 & y''_1 \\ y_2 & y'_2 & y''_2 \end{bmatrix}$

is a linear ODE with solutions y_1 and y_2 .

(b.) calculate $L[y]$ explicitly as a linear ODE of the form $py'' + qy' + ry = 0$ where p, q, r are perhaps given as Taylor expansions about zero.

$$(a.) L[y] = y(y'_1 y''_2 - y'_2 y''_1) - y'(y_1 y''_2 - y_2 y''_1) + y''(y_1 y'_2 - y_2 y'_1)$$

clearly linear ODE

with coefficients $y_1 y'_2 - y_2 y'_1, -y_1 y''_2 + y_2 y''_1, y_1 y''_2 - y_2 y''_1$

To see $L[y_1] = 0$ and $L[y_2] = 0$ simply note that setting $y = y_1$ or $y = y_2$ gives $L[y]$ a repeated row hence by prop. of det. $L[y_1] = L[y_2] = 0$.

$$(b.) y_1 = \frac{1}{x} \sin x = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{(2k+1)!} x^{2k} = 1 - \frac{1}{6} x^2 + \frac{1}{120} x^4 - \frac{1}{720} x^6 + \dots$$

$$y'_1 = \sum_i \frac{(-1)^{2k} 2k}{(2k+1)!} x^{2k-1} = \frac{-1}{3} x + \frac{1}{30} x^3 - \frac{1}{720} x^5 + \dots$$

$$y''_1 = \frac{-1}{3} + \frac{1}{10} x^2 - \frac{1}{40} x^4 + \dots$$

Note, $y_2 = x$, $y'_2 = 1$, $y''_2 = 0$ thus,

$$r = y'_1 y''_2 - y''_1 y'_2 = \frac{-1}{3} - \frac{1}{10} x^2 + \frac{1}{40} x^4 + \dots$$

$$q = -y_1 y''_2 + y'_1 y'_2 = -\frac{x}{3} + \frac{1}{10} x^3 - \frac{1}{40} x^5 + \dots$$

$$p = y_1 y'_2 - y'_1 y_2 = \left(1 - \frac{1}{6} x^2 + \frac{1}{120} x^4 - \dots\right) - x \left(\frac{-1}{3} x + \frac{1}{10} x^3 + \dots\right)$$

Thus,

$$\left(1 - \frac{1}{6} x^2 + \frac{1}{120} x^4 - \dots\right) y'' + \left(-\frac{x}{3} + \frac{1}{10} x^3 + \dots\right) y' + \left(\frac{-1}{3} - \frac{1}{10} x^2 + \frac{1}{40} x^4 - \dots\right) y = 0$$