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This exam has 10 questions for a total of 77 points. There is an extra bonus question at the end of the exam.

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

- Show and explain all of your work unless the question directs otherwise. Simplify all answers.
- The use of a calculator is permitted.
- Answer the questions in the spaces provided on the question sheets. If you run out of room for an answer, you may ask for a clean sheet of paper from the invigilators.

Question:	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Total
Points:	9	3	3	4	7	12	6	7	16	10	77
Score:											

1. Consider the ODE

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = f(x) = ag(x) + b, \quad (1)$$

where a and b are constants. The function $g(x)$ is plotted in Figure 1.

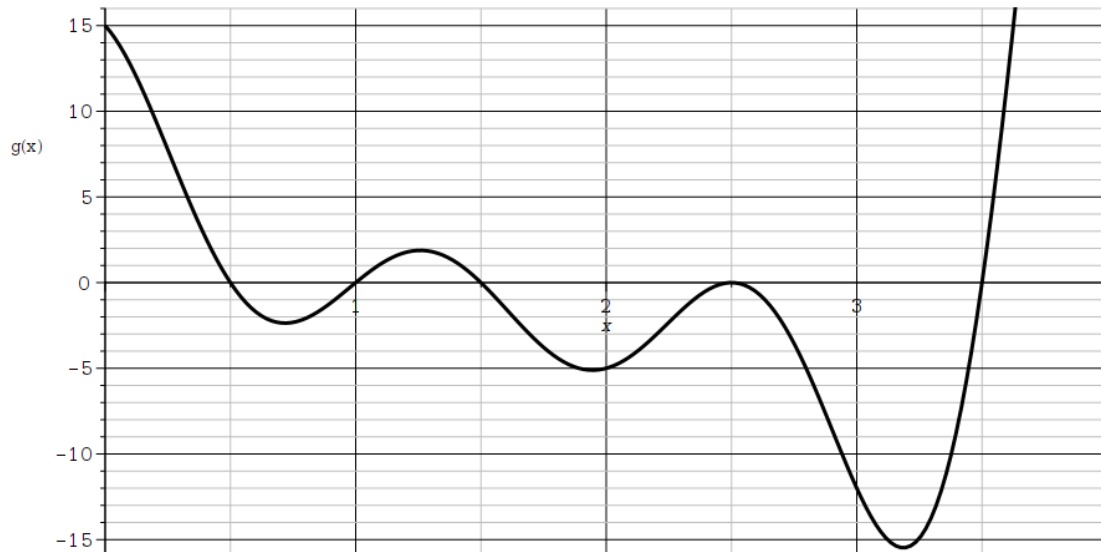
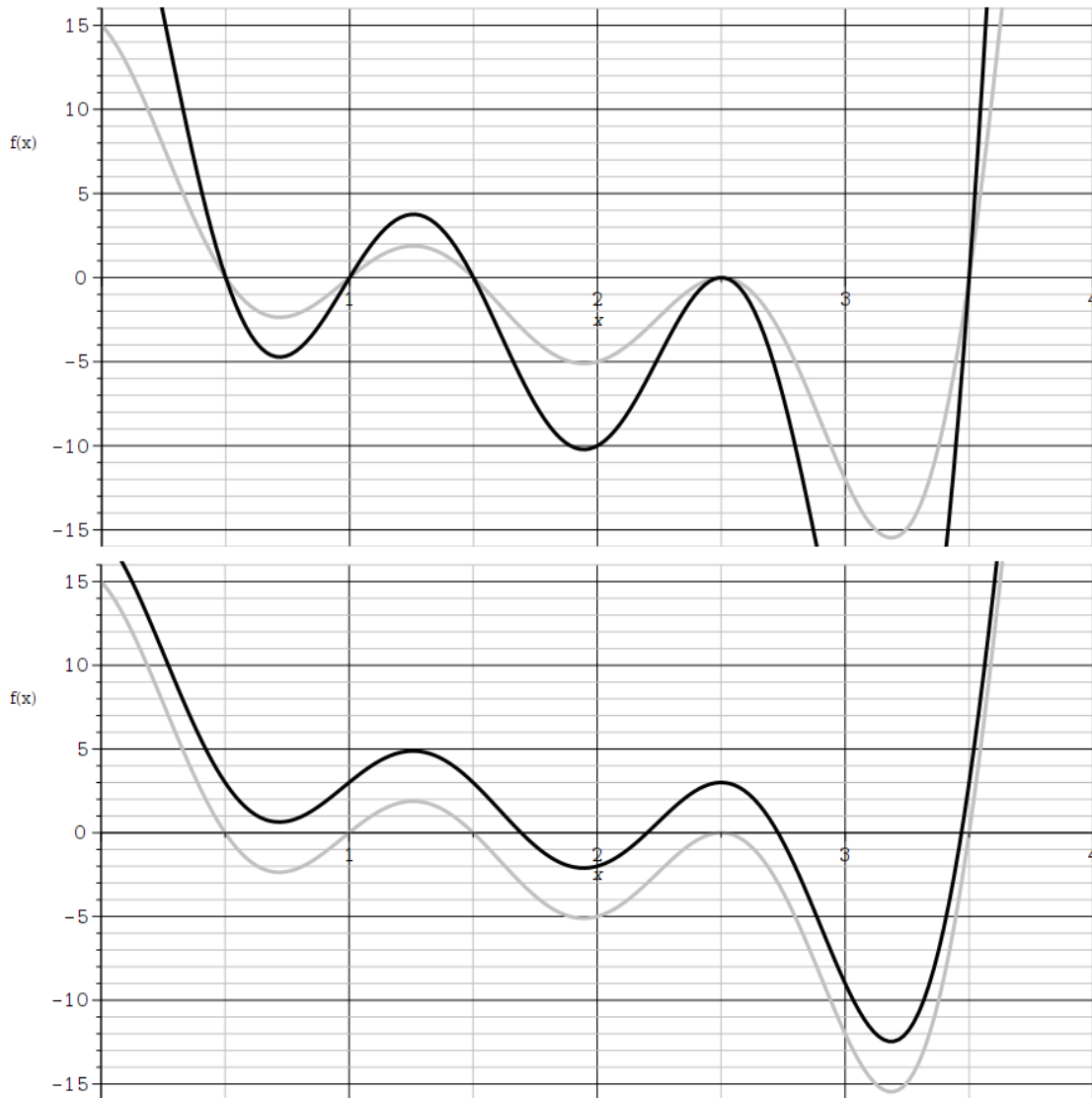


Figure 1: Plot of the function $g(x)$ defined in (1) on the interval $x \in [0, 4]$.

- 1 (a) We can analyse solutions of (1) using a phase line. Why?
- 3 (b) Note that the horizontal axis can double as the phase line. On the horizontal axis above, sketch the phase line for equation (1). Label each steady state with its stability.

- 3 (c) The two plots below show $f_1(x) = 2g(x)$ and $f_2(x) = g(x) + 3$. The plot of $g(x)$ is shown in gray, for reference. Label each plot as appropriate, then sketch the phase line for each case on the horizontal axis.



- 2 (d) Compare your new phase lines to the original phase line you drew on the previous page. In either case, has a bifurcation occurred? Explain.

- 3 2. Solve the ODE

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2y^2 \cos(t)$$

- 3 3. Write the Taylor Series expansion of the function $f(x) = e^{x^2}$ around $x = 0$ up to and including third order.

- 4 4. Consider the IVP $v' = -3 - 2v^2$, $v(0) = 2$. Write the Forward Euler approximation of the ODE, then use this formula to compute $v(0.2)$. Insert your results into the table below (except in the gray cell). Note that you can deduce the value of h from the table.

n	t_n	v_n	$v'(t_n)$
0	0	2	
1	0.1		
2	0.2		

7 5. Consider the IVP

$$(e^{t+y} + 2y)y' + (e^{t+y} + 3t^2) = 0, \quad y(0) = 0.$$

Show that the ODE is exact, and solve the IVP. If possible, write an explicit solution.

- 12 6. Solve the IVP below using the Method of Undetermined Coefficients. Express your final solution as two phase-shifted sines, and sketch the steady-state solution on the axes provided on the next page.

$$y'' + 4y' + 5y = \cos(t), \quad y(0) = \frac{9}{8}, \quad y'(0) = \frac{-23}{8}$$

Extra workspace for problem #6.

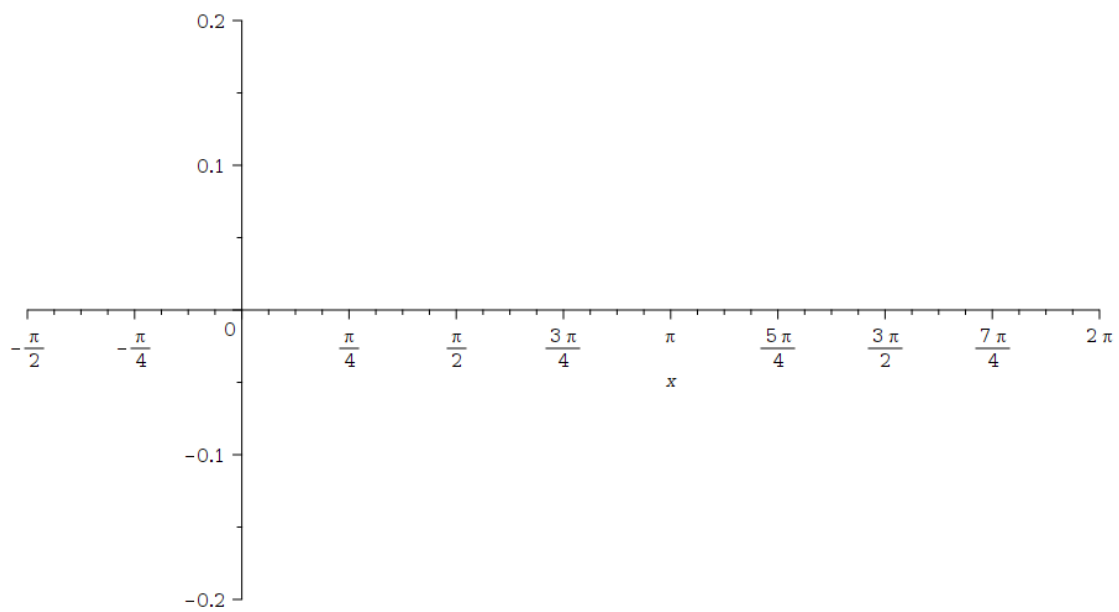
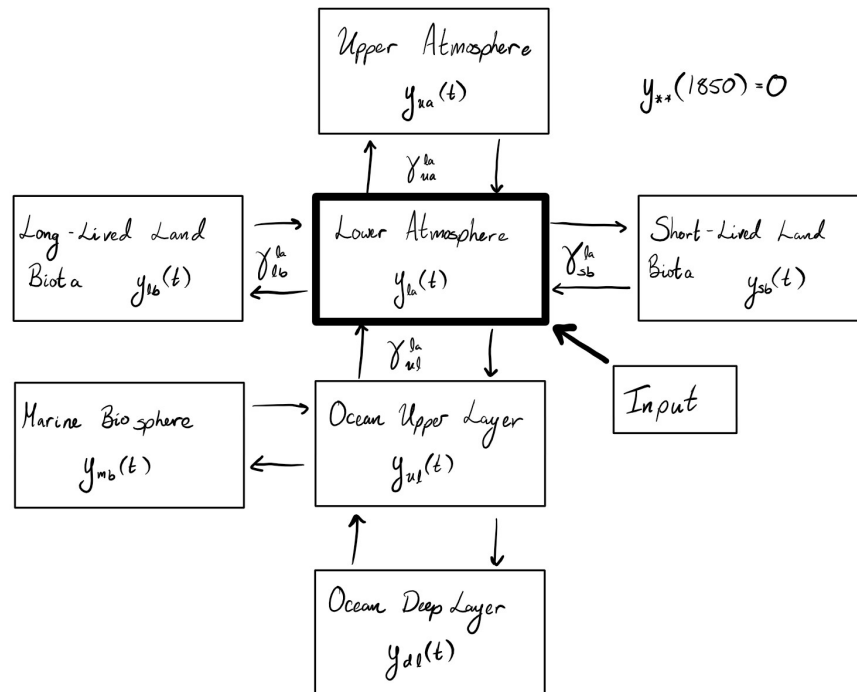


Figure 2: Axes for question #6.

7. Consider the Global CO₂ model we studied in class, and shown below.



- 2 (a) Referring to the compartmental diagram above, write down the ODE for the carbon in the upper atmosphere, $y_{ua}(t)$.
- 4 (b) Suppose that the carbon in the lower atmosphere is increasing linearly with time at constant rate Q . Then we can write the upper atmosphere ODE simply as $y' = Qt - \gamma y$. Solve this ODE.

- 7 8. Consider the homogeneous ODE $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$, where a , b , and c are real constants. Suppose that ODE has fundamental solution set $\{y_1(t), y_2(t)\}$. Then, a particular solution of $ay'' + by' + cy = f(t)$ is given by $y_p(t) = v_1(t)y_1(t) + v_2(t)y_2(t)$, where

$$v_1'y_1 + v_2'y_2 = 0, \tag{2a}$$

$$v_1'y_1' + v_2'y_2' = \frac{f}{a}. \tag{2b}$$

Derive equations (2).

Hint: Start by plugging $y_p(t)$ into the non-homogeneous ODE.

9. Consider the initial value problem

$$y'' - y = g(t), \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = 2, \quad \text{where } g(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & t < 3, \\ t, & t > 3. \end{cases} \quad (3)$$

8 (a) Using the method of Laplace transforms, show that

$$Y(s) = \underbrace{\frac{s+1}{s(s-1)}}_{P1} - \underbrace{\frac{1}{s^2(s+1)}}_{P2} e^{-3s},$$

where the two fractions have been labeled $P1$ and $P2$.

4 (b) Find the partial fraction decompositions of P_1 and P_2 .

4 (c) Find $y(t)$.

10. Consider the ODE

$$\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 9y = 2 \cos(3t). \quad (4)$$

- 6 (a) What is the form of the particular solution of (4)? Sketch the general solution, and name the behaviour.

- 3 (b) We see an approximation of this behaviour in real systems. Why do we only see an approximation? What can happen in real systems as the behaviour becomes more intense? Explain.

- 1 (c) Name one application where this behaviour is useful.

11. BONUS question:

2 (a) What does it mean to represent a function by its Taylor Series? Is the representation exact?

1 (b) We used Taylor series multiple times in the course to derive solution methods. Name two of these methods.

Some Potentially Useful Information

BRIEF TABLE OF LAPLACE TRANSFORMS

$f(t)$	$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s)$
1	$\frac{1}{s}, \quad s > 0$
e^{at}	$\frac{1}{s-a}, \quad s > a$
$t^n, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$	$\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}, \quad s > 0$
$\sin(bt)$	$\frac{b}{s^2 + b^2}, \quad s > 0$
$\cos(bt)$	$\frac{s}{s^2 + b^2}, \quad s > 0$
$e^{at}t^n, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$	$\frac{n!}{(s-a)^{n+1}}, \quad s > a$
$e^{at} \sin(bt)$	$\frac{b}{(s-a)^2 + b^2}, \quad s > a$
$e^{at} \cos(bt)$	$\frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2 + b^2}, \quad s > a$
$\delta(t-a)$	$e^{-as}, \quad s > 0$
$H(t-a)$	$\frac{e^{-as}}{s}, \quad s > a$

BRIEF TABLE OF PROPERTIES OF THE LAPLACE TRANSFORM

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{e^{at}f(t)\}(s) &= \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s-a) \\ \mathcal{L}\{f''\}(s) &= s^2\mathcal{L}\{f\}(s) - sf(0) - f'(0) \\ \mathcal{L}\{f^{(n)}\}(s) &= s^n\mathcal{L}\{f\}(s) - s^{n-1}f(0) - s^{n-2}f'(0) - \dots - f^{(n-1)}(0) \\ \mathcal{L}\{t^n f(t)\}(s) &= (-1)^n \frac{d^n}{ds^n} (\mathcal{L}\{f\}(s)) \end{aligned}$$

THEOREM: TRANSLATION IN t

Let $F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s)$ exist for $s > a \geq 0$. If a is a positive constant, then

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(t-a)H(t-a)\}(s) = e^{-as}F(s),$$

and, conversely, an inverse Laplace transform of $e^{-at}F(s)$ is given by

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{e^{-as}F(s)\}(t) = f(t-a)H(t-a),$$

where $H(t)$ is the Heaviside function.