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Section (circle one) MA MB MC

Problem	Total Points	Score
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- This exam is closed book. No Notes. If you forget a formula, ask one of us.
- No graphing or symbolic calculators are allowed. You may not use cell phones during the exam.
- Show your work. Do not do computations in your head. Instead, write them out on the exam paper.
- Place a box around **YOUR FINAL ANSWER** to each question.
- If you need more room, use the backs of the pages and indicate that you have done so.
- If you are not sure what a question means, raise your hand and ask us.
- The hints are suggestions only.

1 (20 points)

Find the solution to

$$y'' + 6y' + 13y = 0$$

$$y(0) = 1 \quad y'(0) = 1$$

and write it in amplitude-phase form:  $y(t) = Ae^{rt} \cos(\omega t - \phi)$ .

$$r^2 + 6r + 9 = -4$$

$$(r+3)^2 = -4$$

$$r+3 = \pm 2i$$

$$r = -3 \pm 2i$$

$$y(t) = Ae^{-3t} \cos(2t) + Be^{-3t} \sin(2t)$$

$$1 = A$$

$$1 = -3A + 2B$$

$$4 = 2B \Rightarrow B = 2$$

$$y(t) = e^{-3t} \cos 2t + 2e^{-3t} \sin 2t$$

$$= e^{-3t} (1+2^2)^{1/2} \cos(2t - \arctan(\frac{2}{1}))$$

$$y(t) = e^{-3t} \sqrt{5} \cos(2t - \arctan(2))$$

2 (20 points)

Find the general solution to

$$y'' - 4y' + 4y = 2t^2 + 1 + e^t$$

$$y_h'' - 4y_h' + 4y_h = 0$$

$$r^2 - 4r + 4 = 0$$

$$(r-2)^2 = 0$$

$$y_h = c_1 e^{2t} + c_2 t e^{2t}$$

Seek  $y_p$ 

$$y_p'' - 4y_p' + 4y_p = 2t^2 + 1$$

Seek

$$y_p = At^2 + Bt + C$$

Homogeneous  
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$$y_p'' - 4y_p' + 4y_p = e^t$$

$$y_p = Ae^t$$

$$y_p' = Ae^t$$

$$y_p'' = Ae^t$$

Homogeneous  
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$$Ae^t - 4Ae^t + 4Ae^t = e^t$$

$$A = 1$$

$$y_p = e^t$$

$$4y_p = 4At^2 + 4Bt + 4C$$

$$-4y_p' = -4At - 4B$$

$$+y_p'' = 2A$$

$$2t^2 + 1 = 4At^2 + (4B - 8A)t + (4C - 4B + 2A)$$

$$\boxed{A = \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$4B - 8 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = 0$$

$$\boxed{B = 1}$$

$$4C - 4 + 1 = 1$$

$$4C = 4$$

$$\boxed{C = 1}$$

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{2}t^2 + t + 1 + e^t + c_1 e^{2t} + c_2 t e^{2t}$$

3 (20 points)

For linear differential equations of the form

$$t^2 y'' + aty' + by = 0$$

we look for solutions of the form  $y(t) = t^r$  instead of  $y(t) = e^{rt}$ . Find two solutions of the form  $y(t) = t^r$  for the DE below and use them to solve the IVP

$$t^2 y'' + ty' - 16y = 0$$

$$y(1) = 0 \quad y'(1) = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} y &= t^r \\ y' &= r t^{r-1} \\ y'' &= r(r-1) t^{r-2} \end{aligned}$$

$$t^2 r(r-1) t^{r-2} + t r t^{r-1} - 16 t^r = 0$$

$$r(r-1) t^r + r t^r - 16 t^r = 0$$

$$r(r-1) + r - 16 = 0$$

$$r^2 - \cancel{r} + \cancel{r} - 16 = 0$$

$$r = \pm 4$$

$$y(t) = C_1 t^4 + C_2 t^{-4}$$

$$0 = y(1) = C_1 + C_2$$

$$1 = y'(1) = 4C_1 - 4C_2$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 0 = 4C_1 + 4C_2 \\ + 1 = 4C_1 - 4C_2 \\ \hline 1 = 8C_1 \end{array}$$

$$1 = 8C_1$$

$$C_1 = \frac{1}{8}$$

$$C_2 = -\frac{1}{8}$$

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{8} t^4 - \frac{1}{8} t^{-4}$$

- 4 (20 points) An undamped mass spring system is released from equilibrium with a velocity of 8 m/s. The mass is 1 kg and it oscillates with an amplitude of 2 meters. There is no forcing. Find the spring constant  $k$ .

$$\ddot{x} + kx = 0$$

$$x(0) = 0 \quad \dot{x}(0) = 8$$

$$x(t) = A \cos \sqrt{k}t + B \sin \sqrt{k}t$$

$$0 = A$$

$$8 = \sqrt{k}B$$

$$x(t) = \frac{8}{\sqrt{k}} \sin \sqrt{k}t$$

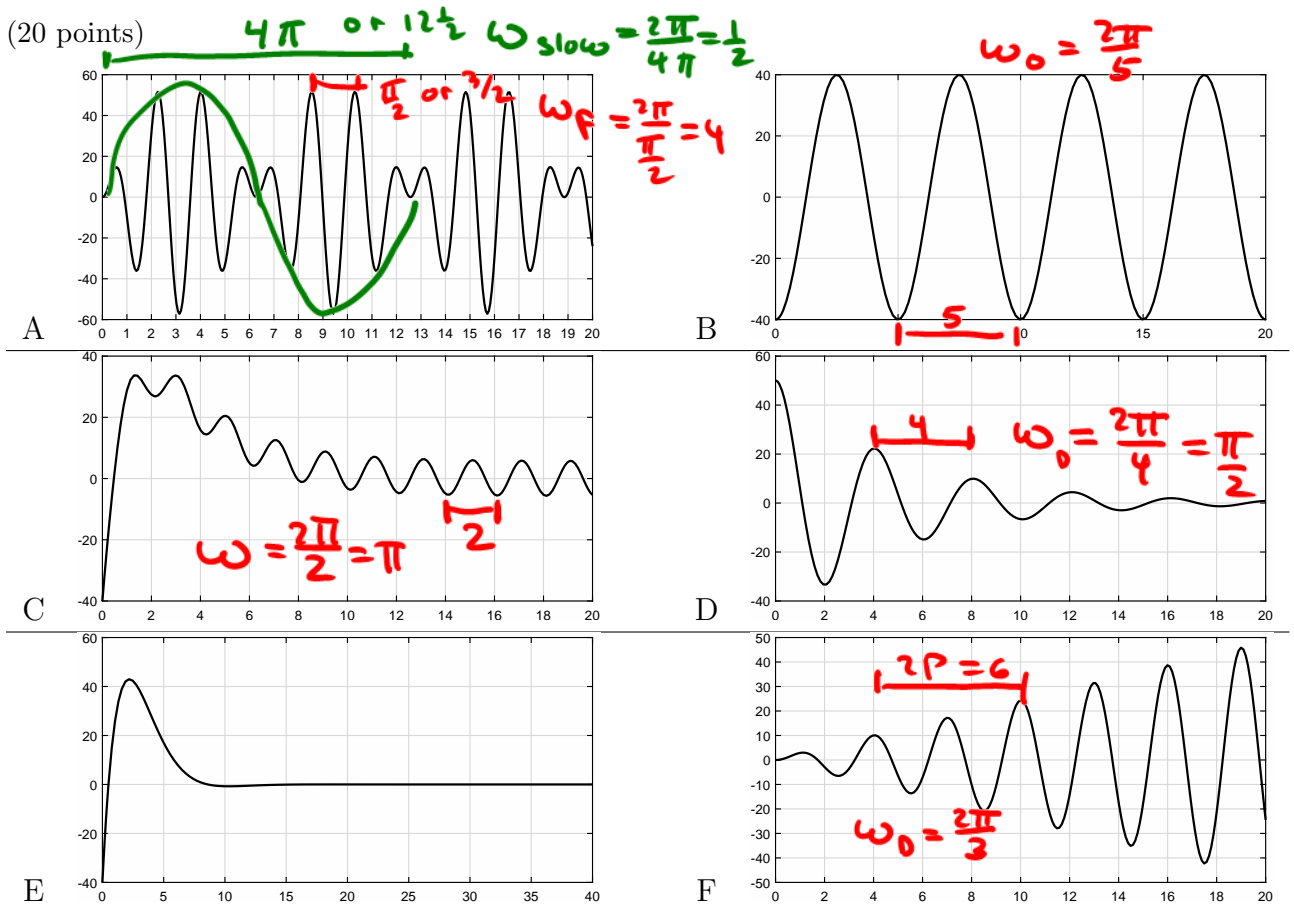
$\sqrt{k}$  Amplitude

$$2 = \frac{8}{\sqrt{k}}$$

$$\sqrt{k} = 4$$

$$\boxed{k = 16}$$

5 (20 points)



Which graph shows a solution of a forced damped mass-spring system? What is the forcing frequency? **C  $\pi$**

Which graph is a solution to an unforced overdamped mass-spring system? **E**

Which graph is a solution to an unforced underdamped mass-spring system? What is the natural quasi-frequency? **D  $\frac{\pi}{2}$**

Which graph is a solution to a system that is unforced and undamped? What is the natural frequency? **B  $\frac{2\pi}{5}$**

Which graphs show solutions to forced and undamped mass-spring systems? What phenomena do they exhibit? *Extra credit: Write a plausible formula for each of these two solutions. I don't care if you write sine when it should be cosine, but try to get the basic form and the frequencies approximately right.*

**A Beats**  
 $y(t) = 6 \cos(4t) \sin(\frac{1}{2}t)$

**F Resonance**  $y(t) = t \sin(\frac{2\pi}{3}t)$