

$$y'' + 3y' + 2y = xe^{-x}, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 0$$

Find y_{\max} and x_{\max} where it occurs

part 1 finds (see web link)

$$y_h = C_1 e^{-2x} + C_2 e^{-x} \quad (\text{overdamped spring system if } x \sim t \text{ time})$$

$$y_p = (C_3 x + C_4 x^2) e^{-x} \quad \text{so}$$

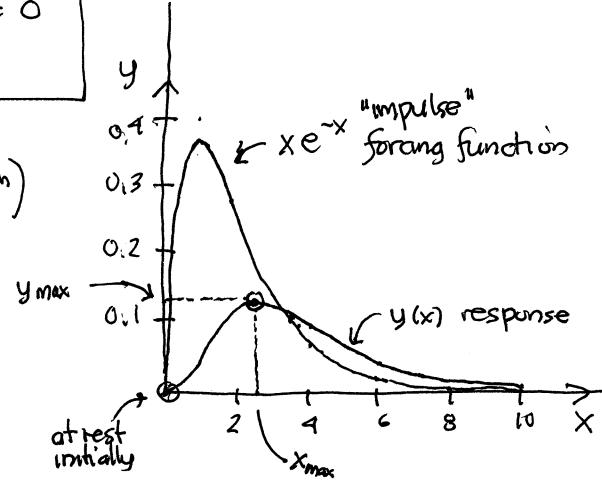
backsub into DE:

$$2[y_p] = (C_3 x + C_4 x^2) e^{-x}$$

$$3[y_p'] = - (C_3 x + C_4 x^2) e^{-x} + (C_3 + 2C_4 x) e^{-x}$$

$$= (C_3 + 2C_4 - C_3 x - C_4 x^2) e^{-x}$$

$$1[y_p''] = (-C_3 - (2C_4 - C_3)x + C_4 x^2) e^{-x} + ((2C_4 - C_3) - 2C_4 x) e^{-x}$$



$$y_p'' + 3y_p' + 2y_p = \left[\begin{array}{c} 2C_4 x^2 \\ -3C_4 x^2 \\ +C_4 x^2 \end{array} \right] \underbrace{\left[\begin{array}{c} +2C_3 \\ +6C_4 - 3C_3 \\ -2C_4 + C_3 \end{array} \right]}_{=1} x + \left[\begin{array}{c} 3C_3 \\ -C_3 \\ +2C_4 - C_3 \end{array} \right] e^{-x} + \underbrace{\left[\begin{array}{c} C_3 + 2C_4 \\ 0 \end{array} \right]}_{=0} e^{-x} = xe^{-x}$$

$$C_4 = \frac{1}{2}, \quad C_3 = -2, \quad C_1 = -1 \quad \text{so} \quad y_p = \left(\frac{1}{2}x^2 - x \right) e^{-x}$$

$$y = C_1 e^{-2x} + C_2 e^{-x} + \left(\frac{1}{2}x^2 - x \right) e^{-x}$$

$$\text{inits: } y' = -2C_1 e^{-2x} - C_2 e^{-x} + (x-1) e^{-x} - \left(\frac{1}{2}x^2 - x \right) e^{-x}$$

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

$$y'(0) = -2C_1 - C_2 - 1 = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -2 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} C_1 \\ C_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} C_1 \\ C_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{-1+2} \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

III
soln

$$y = -e^{-2x} + \left(1 - x + \frac{1}{2}x^2 \right) e^{-x}$$

$$\text{extremize } y' = 2e^{-2x} + (-1+x)e^{-x} - \left(1 - x + \frac{1}{2}x^2 \right) e^{-x}$$

$$= \left(2e^{-2x} + \left(-2 + 2x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 \right) e^{-x} = 0 \right) e^x$$

$$2e^{-2x} + \left(-2 + 2x - \frac{1}{2}x^2 \right) = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{2}x^2 - 2x + 2 = 2e^{-x}$$

find intersection point

$$x_{\max} \approx 2.55693 \approx 2.56$$

$$y_{\max} \approx 0.126741 \approx 0.127$$

(avoid critical pt at $x=0$, not max)

