

M1B/Schoenbrun      Linear Differential Equations

For each equation, what is the dimension of the vector space formed by the solutions, and provide a basis for this vector space.

Find a general solution of the following differential equations.

1)  $y'' + 4y' + 4y = 0$

2)  $y''' - 3y'' + 3y' - y = 0$

Find the orthogonal trajectories. Describe the curves. Use your graphing calculator if helpful.

3)  $y^2 = kx^3$

4)  $y = \frac{k}{x}$