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Partial Differential Equations

Partial Differential equation.

Partial differential equation:

Let z be the dependent variable and x, y be two independent variables, then the differential equations involving the dependent variable and its partial derivatives with respect to the independent variables, are called Partial differential equations.

$$P = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}, \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = q, \quad \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = r, \quad \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = t$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} = s.$$

Formation of Partial differential equations by elimination of arbitrary constants -:

$$\text{Let } f(x, y, z, a, b) = 0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

where a and b are arbitrary constants

Differentiating (1) Partially with respect to ' x ' and ' y ', we get

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \cdot P = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial f}{\partial z} \cdot q = 0 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

Eliminating a and b from (1), (2) & (3), we get

$$\phi(x, y, z, P, q) = 0$$

Ans

Example 1. Eliminate the arbitrary constants a and b from $z = ax + by$ and form a differential equation.

Sol. we have $z = ax + by$ — (i)

Differentiating (i) Partially w.r.t. x and y respectively we get

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = a \quad \& \quad \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = b$$

Putting the value of a & b in eq (i) we get

$$z = x \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + y \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}$$

$$\begin{cases} p = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} \\ q = \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \end{cases}$$

$$\boxed{z = px + qy} \quad \underline{\text{Ans.}}$$

Formation of Partial differential equations by elimination of arbitrary functions —

Example-2 Eliminate the arbitrary functions f and g from $z = f(x+iy) + g(x-iy)$ to obtain a PDE.

Sol. we have $z = f(x+iy) + g(x-iy)$ — (i)

Differentiating (i) Partially w.r.t. x and y respectively, we get

$$p = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = f'(x+iy) + g'(x-iy) \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

and $q = \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = if'(x+iy) - ig'(x-iy) \quad \text{--- (iii)}$

Differentiating again (ii) w.r.t. x and (iii) w.r.t. y, we get

$$r = \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} = f''(x+iy) + g''(x-iy) \quad \text{--- (iv)}$$

$$t = \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = i^2 f''(x+iy) - i^2 g''(x-iy) \quad \text{--- (v)}$$

$i^2 = -1$

Adding (iv) & (v) we get $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = 0$

Ans.

Partial differential equations of first order -:

A partial differential equation which involves only the first order partial derivatives P and Q is called a partial differential equation of first order.

$$f(x, y, z, P, Q) = 0$$

Lagrange's linear equation: A partial differential equation of the form $PP + QQ = R$

where P , Q and R are functions of x, y, z is called Lagrange's linear equation.

$$PP + QQ = R$$

$$\boxed{\frac{dx}{P} = \frac{dy}{Q} = \frac{dz}{R}}$$

Example - Solve $2P + 3Q = 1$

Sol. Comparing with $PP + QQ = R$
 $P = 2$ $Q = 3$ $R = 1$

Auxiliary equation is $\frac{dx}{2} = \frac{dy}{3} = \frac{dz}{1}$

Taking first two $\frac{dx}{2} = \frac{dy}{3}$, we get $3dx - 2dy = 0$
 on integration

$$3x - 2y = C_1$$

Simi taking last two

$$\frac{dy}{3} = \frac{dz}{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow dy = 3dz$$

$$y - 3z = C_2$$

General sol $\phi(3x - 2y, y - 3z) = 0$ Ans.

Example - Find the general solution of

$$x(y^2 - z^2)p + y(z^2 - x^2)q = z(x^2 - y^2)$$

Sol. Auxiliary equation is $\frac{dx}{x(y^2 - z^2)} = \frac{dy}{y(z^2 - x^2)} = \frac{dz}{z(x^2 - y^2)}$

taking the Lagrange multipliers as x, y and z

$$\frac{xdx + ydy + zdz}{0} = 0$$

on integration we get $x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = C_1$

Taking the Lagrange multipliers as $\frac{1}{x}, \frac{1}{y}$ and $\frac{1}{z}$ we get

$$\frac{\frac{1}{x}dx + \frac{1}{y}dy + \frac{1}{z}dz}{0} = 0$$

$$\frac{1}{x}dx + \frac{1}{y}dy + \frac{1}{z}dz = 0$$

$$\log x + \log y + \log z = \log C_2$$

$$xyz = C_2$$

Hence $\phi(x^2 + y^2 + z^2, xyz) = 0$ ~~Ans~~ Ans

Clairaut's form : $z = px + qy + f(p, q)$

if we eliminate the arbitrary constant a and b from above

$z = ax + by + f(a, b)$

$p \Rightarrow a$
 $q \Rightarrow b$

Example -1: write the complete integral of $z = px + qy + pq$ (5)

Sol. we put $p = a$ & $q = b$.

$$\boxed{z = ax + by + ab} \quad \underline{\text{Ans}}$$

type : $F(z, p, q) = 0$ — (1)

Let $z = f(x+ay)$ be a total sol. of (1)

Put $x+ay = u$ so that we have $z = f(u)$, $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 1$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = a$$

$$p = \frac{\partial z}{\partial u} \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{dz}{du} \quad \& \quad q = \frac{dz}{du} \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = a \frac{dz}{du}$$

$$F\left(z, \frac{dz}{du}, a \frac{dz}{du}\right) = 0$$

Solving $\phi(z, a) = u + b = x + ay + b$ Ans

Example Find the complete integral of $z = p^2 - q^2$

Sol. let $z = f(x+ay)$

let $u = x+ay$

$$z = p^2 - q^2 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$z = f(u) \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$p = \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{dz}{du} \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{dz}{du}$$

$$q = \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = \frac{dz}{du} \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = a \frac{dz}{du}$$

Substituting the value of p and q in (i) we get

$$z = \left(\frac{dz}{du}\right)^2 - a^2 \left(\frac{dz}{du}\right)^2 = \left(\frac{dz}{du}\right)^2 (1-a^2) = z$$

$$\frac{dz}{du} = \sqrt{\frac{z}{1-a^2}}$$

Separating the variables

$$\sqrt{1-a^2} \cdot \frac{dz}{z^{1/2}} = du$$

on integrating

$$2\sqrt{1-a^2} \cdot \sqrt{z} = u + b$$

$$4(1-a^2)z = (x+ay+b)^2 \quad \underline{\text{Ans}}$$

Charpit's method: Charpit's method is a general method for finding the complete solution of non-linear partial differential equation of the first order of the form

$$f(x, y, z, p, q) = 0$$

$$\frac{dp}{\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + p \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}} = \frac{dq}{\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} + q \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}} = \frac{dz}{-p \frac{\partial f}{\partial p} - q \frac{\partial f}{\partial q}} = \frac{dx}{-\frac{\partial f}{\partial p}} = \frac{dy}{-\frac{\partial f}{\partial q}} = \frac{df}{0}$$

Example: Find a complete integral of the equation.

$$p^2 x + q^2 y = z \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Sol. The Charpit's equations are

$$\frac{dp}{\frac{\partial f}{\partial x} + p \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}} = \frac{dq}{\frac{\partial f}{\partial y} + q \frac{\partial f}{\partial z}} = \frac{dz}{-p \frac{\partial f}{\partial p} - q \frac{\partial f}{\partial q}} = \frac{dx}{-\frac{\partial f}{\partial p}} = \frac{dy}{-\frac{\partial f}{\partial q}} = \frac{df}{0}$$

$$\frac{dx}{2px} = \frac{dy}{2qy} = \frac{dz}{2(p^2 x + q^2 y)} = \frac{dp}{p - p^2} = \frac{dq}{q - q^2}$$

$$\frac{p^2 dx + 2px dp}{p^2 x} = \frac{q^2 dy + 2qy dq}{q^2 y}$$

$$\Rightarrow p^2 x = a q^2 y \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Solving (1) & (2) we get $p = \left\{ \frac{az}{(1+a)x} \right\}^{1/2}$, $q = \left\{ \frac{z}{(1+a)y} \right\}^{1/2}$

$$dz = p dx + q dy$$

$$\left(\frac{1+a}{z} \right)^{1/2} dz = \left(\frac{a}{x} \right)^{1/2} dx + \left(\frac{1}{y} \right)^{1/2} dy$$

$$\left\{ (1+a)z \right\}^{1/2} = (ax)^{1/2} + y^{1/2} + b \quad \underline{\underline{\text{Ans}}}$$

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Linear Partial Differential Equations with Constant Coefficients of Second order.

$$A_0 \frac{\partial^n z}{\partial x^n} + A_1 \frac{\partial^n z}{\partial x^{n-1} \partial y} + A_2 \frac{\partial^n z}{\partial x^{n-2} \partial^2 y} + \dots + A_n \frac{\partial^n z}{\partial y^n} = F(x, y) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = D z$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = D' z$$

Method of finding Complementary function:-

The equation obtained by putting $D=m$ and $D'=1$ in $f(D, D')=0$ is called the auxiliary equation.

$$A_0 m^n + A_1 m^{n-1} + A_2 m^{n-2} + \dots + A_n = 0 \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Case-I The roots m_1, m_2, \dots, m_n are distinct.

Then C.F $\phi_1(y+m_1x) + \phi_2(y+m_2x) + \dots + \phi_n(y+m_nx)$

Case-II The roots of Auxiliary equation are repeated.

$$m = m_1 = m_2 = m_3$$

C.F $\phi_1(y+mx) + x \phi_2(y+mx) + x^2 \phi_3(y+mx)$

Example -1 Solve $(D^2 - DD' - 2D'^2)Z = 0$

A.E $m^2 - m - 2 = 0$

$m = 1, -2$. [roots are distinct]

C.F $\phi_1(y-2x) + \phi_2(y+x)$

Since R.H.S is zero therefore P.I = 0

$$Z = C.F + P.I$$

$$= \phi_1(y-2x) + \phi_2(y+x)$$

Method of finding Particular integral (P.I)

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$$\text{Case-1. } \frac{1}{F(D, D')} e^{ax+by} = \frac{1}{f(a, b)} e^{ax+by}, \text{ if } f(a, b) \neq 0$$

$$\text{Case-2. } \frac{1}{F(D, D')} x^r y^s = [F(D, D')]^{-1} x^r y^s$$

$$\text{Case-3. } \frac{1}{F(D^2, D D', D'^2)} \sin(ax+by) = \frac{1}{f(-a^2, -ab, -b^2)} \sin(ax+by) \text{ if } f(-a^2, -ab, -b^2) \neq 0$$

$$\text{Case-4. } \frac{1}{F(D^2, D D', D'^2)} \cos(ax+by) = \frac{1}{f(-a^2, -ab, -b^2)} \cos(ax+by) \text{ if } f(-a^2, -ab, -b^2) \neq 0$$

$$\text{Case-5. } \frac{1}{F(D, D')} e^{ax+by} \phi(x, y) = e^{ax+by} \frac{1}{f(D+a, D+b)} \phi(x, y)$$

Example: Solve $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - 4 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} + 4 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = e^{2x-y}$

Sol. $(D^2 - 4DD' + 4D'^2)z = e^{2x-y}$

AE $D \Rightarrow m \quad 4 D' \Rightarrow 1 \quad \text{RHS} \Rightarrow 0$

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

$m = 2, 2$ (roots are repeated)

CF $\phi_1(y+2x) + x\phi_2(y+2x)$

P.I $\frac{1}{D^2 - 4DD' + 4D'^2} \cdot e^{2x-y}$

$= \frac{e^{2x-y}}{(2)^2 - 4(2)(-1) + 4(-1)^2} = \frac{e^{2x-y}}{16}$

$\begin{bmatrix} D \Rightarrow 2 \\ D' \Rightarrow -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$z = \text{CF} + \text{P.I} = \phi_1(y+2x) + x\phi_2(y+2x) + \frac{1}{16}e^{2x-y}$
Ans

Example : 3. $(D^2 - 2DD' + 2D'^2)z = \sin(x-y)$

Sol. AE $m^2 - 2m + 2 = 0$

$m = 1 \pm i$

CF $\phi_1\{y + (1+i)x\} + \phi_2\{y + (1-i)x\}$

P.I $\frac{1}{D^2 - 2DD' + 2D'^2} \sin(x-y)$

$= \frac{1}{-1^2 - 2(-2)} \sin(x-y) = \frac{-1}{5} \sin(x-y)$ $\begin{bmatrix} D^2 = -1 \\ DD' = -1 \times -1 \\ D'^2 = -1^2 = -1 \end{bmatrix}$

$z = \text{CF} + \text{P.I}$
 $= \phi_1\{y + (1+i)x\} + \phi_2\{y + (1-i)x\} - \frac{1}{5} \sin(x-y)$

Ans

Example $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + 3 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} + 2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = x+y$

$$(D^2 + 3DD' + 2D'^2)z = x+y$$

AE is $m^2 + 3m + 2 = 0$
 $m = -2, -1$

CF $\phi_1(y-2x) + \phi_2(y-x)$

P.I $\frac{1}{D^2 + 3DD' + 2D'^2} (x+y)$

$$= \frac{1}{D^2} \left[1 + \left(\frac{3DD' + 2D'^2}{D^2} \right) \right]^{-1} (x+y)$$

$$= \frac{1}{D^2} \left[1 + \left(\frac{3DD' + 2D'^2}{D^2} \right) \right]^{-1} (x+y)$$

$$= \frac{1}{D^2} \left[1 - \left(\frac{3D'}{D} + 2 \frac{D'^2}{D^2} \right) + \dots \right] (x+y)$$

$$= \frac{1}{D^2} \left[(x+y) - \frac{3}{D}(0) \right] = \frac{1}{D^2} (x+y - 3x) = \frac{1}{D^2} (y-2x)$$

$$= \frac{y^2}{2} - \frac{2x^3}{6}$$

$$z = \text{CF} + \text{P.I} = \phi_1(y-2x) + \phi_2(y-x) + \frac{x^2}{6} (3y-2x)$$

Ans

ANSWERS

$$1. \phi(3y - 4x, 3z - 2x) = 0$$

$$3. \phi(y - x, z + \cos x) = 0$$

$$5. \phi(xy, x - \log z) = 0$$

$$7. \phi\left(\frac{(x+y)^2}{y}, \frac{y}{z}\right) = 0$$

$$9. \phi\left(\frac{x}{y}, \frac{y}{\sqrt{z}}\right) = 0$$

$$11. \phi\left(\frac{a-x}{b-y}, \frac{b-y}{c-z}\right) = 0$$

$$13. \phi\left(x^2 - z^2, \frac{y}{x+y+z}\right) = 0$$

$$15. \phi(xyz, x+y+z) = 0$$

$$17. \phi\left(\frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{y}, \frac{z}{x+y}\right) = 0$$

$$19. \phi(x^2 + y^2 + z^2, 2x + 3y + 4z) = 0$$

$$2. \phi\left(\frac{x}{y}, \frac{y}{z}\right) = 0$$

$$4. \phi\left(\frac{\sin x}{\sin y}, \frac{\sin y}{\sin z}\right) = 0$$

$$6. \phi\left(x+y, x - \frac{z}{\log(x+y)}\right) = 0$$

$$8. \phi(x-z, 2y-z^2) = 0$$

$$10. \phi(x^2 - y^2, y^2 - z^2) = 0$$

$$12. \phi[2x+y, x^3 \sin(y-2z) - z] = 0$$

$$14. \phi(x^2 + y^2 + z^2, lx + my + nz) = 0$$

$$16. \phi\left(\frac{x}{y}, xy - z^2\right) = 0$$

$$18. \phi(x^2 + y^2 + z^2, x + 2y - z) = 0$$

$$20. \phi(xy, x^2 + y^2 + z^2) = 0.$$

∴ The complete integral is given by $z = \text{C.F.} + \text{P.I.}_1 + \text{P.I.}_2 + \text{P.I.}_3$

$$z = \phi_1(y+x) + \phi_2(y+2x) + \frac{e^{2x-y}}{12} - xe^{x+y} - \frac{1}{3} \cos(x+2y)$$

Example 27. Solve $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - 2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = \sin x$

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Solution : The given equation can be written as

$$(D^2 - 2DD' + D'^2)z = \sin x$$

The auxiliary equation is $m^2 - 2m + 1 = 0$, i.e., $(m-1)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow m = 1, 1$

∴

$$\text{C.F.} = \phi_1(y+x) + x \phi_2(y+x)$$

and

$$\text{P.I.} = \frac{1}{(D^2 - 2DD' + D'^2)} \sin x = -\sin x$$

Hence the solution is

$$z = \phi_1(y+x) + x \phi_2(y+x) - \sin x$$

PROBLEMS (A)

Solve the following partial differential equations :

1. $(D^2 - D'^2)z = 0$
2. $(4D^2 + 12DD' + 9D'^2)z = 0$
3. $r - a^2t = 0$
4. $(D^3 - 6D^2D' + 11DD'^2 - 6D'^3)z = 0$
5. $(D^3 - 4D^2D' + 4DD'^2)z = 0$
6. $25 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - 40 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} + 16 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = 0$
7. $r + t + 2s = 0$
8. $(D^3 + DD'^2 - D^2D' - D'^3)z = 0$
9. $(D^2 - 2DD' + D'^2)z = e^{x+2y}$
10. $(D^2 - 2DD' + 2D'^2)z = 2e^{2x+4y}$
11. $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - 5 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} + 6 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = e^{x+y}$
12. $(D^3 - 2D^2D')z = e^{x+2y}$
13. $(D^2 - 7DD'^2 - 6D'^3)z = e^{3x+y}$
14. $(2D^2 - 2DD' + D'^2)z = e^{x+y} + 2e^{3y}$
15. $(D^3 - 4D^2D' + 5DD'^2 - 2D'^3)z = e^{y+x} + e^{y-2x}$
16. $(D^2 + 3DD' - 4D'^2)z = \sin y$
17. $(D^2 + 3DD' + 2D'^2)z = \sin(x+5y)$
18. $r + s - 6t = \cos(2x+y)$
19. $(D^2 - DD')z = \cos x \cos 2y$
20. $(D^2 - 4D'^2)z = \sin(2x+y)$
21. $(D^3 + D^2D' - DD'^2 - D'^3)z = 3 \sin(x+y)$
22. $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - a^2 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = E \sin cy$ (E, c constants)
23. $r + 2s + t = 2(y-x) + \sin(x-y)$
24. $\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x \partial y} - 6 \frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial y^2} = \cos(2x+y)$
25. $(D^2 + DD' - 6D'^2)z = \cos(2x+3y)$
26. $(D^2 - DD' - 6D'^2)z = xy$
27. $(D^2 - DD' - 2D'^2)z = 2x + 3y + e^{3x+4y}$
28. $(D^2 - 2DD' + D'^2)z = \cos(x-3y) + e^{x-3y}$
29. $(D^2 - 4D'^2)z = (x+y) + e^{x+y} - 4 \cos(x-y)$
30. $(D^3 + D^2D' - DD'^2 - D'^3)z = e^x \cos 2y$
31. $(D^2 + 2DD' + D'^2)z = x \sin y$
32. $(D^2 - 6DD' + 5D'^2)z = e^x \sinh y + xy$