

HOMEWORK 3

Problem 1:

$$\frac{d^2 u}{dt^2} + u = \epsilon u \left(\frac{du}{dt} \right)^2 \quad u(0) = 1 \quad \frac{du}{dt}(0) = 0$$

let $u = u_0 + \epsilon u_1 + \dots$

$$\tau = t(1 + a_1 \epsilon + a_2 \epsilon^2 + \dots)$$

$$\Rightarrow (1 + a_1 \epsilon + a_2 \epsilon^2 + \dots)^2 \frac{d^2}{d\tau^2} (u_0 + \epsilon u_1 + \dots) + (u_0 + \epsilon u_1 + \dots)$$

$$= \epsilon (u_0 + \epsilon u_1 + \dots) \left[(1 + a_1 \epsilon + a_2 \epsilon^2 + \dots) \frac{d}{d\tau} (u_0 + \epsilon u_1 + \dots) \right]^2$$

To zeroth order:

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d^2 u_0}{d\tau^2} + u_0 = 0 \\ u_0(0) = 1 \\ \frac{du_0}{d\tau} = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\left[\frac{du_0}{d\tau} + \epsilon \left(a_1 \frac{du_0}{d\tau} + \frac{du_1}{d\tau} \right) + \dots \right]^2$$

$$\left(\frac{du_0}{d\tau} \right)^2 + 2\epsilon \left(\frac{du_0}{d\tau} \right) \left(a_1 \frac{du_0}{d\tau} + \frac{du_1}{d\tau} \right) + \dots$$

→ $u_0 = \cos \tau$ as usual

To first order

$$2a_1 \frac{d^2 u_0}{d\tau^2} + \frac{d^2 u_1}{d\tau^2} + u_1 = u_0 \left(\frac{du_0}{d\tau} \right)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2 u_1}{d\tau^2} + u_1 = \cos \tau \sin^2 \tau + 2a_1 \cos \tau$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \cos \tau - \frac{1}{4} \cos 3\tau + 2a_1 \cos \tau$$

⇒ to eliminate the source of the secular term,
we pick $\frac{1}{4} + 2a_1 = 0 \Rightarrow a_1 = -\frac{1}{8}$

Then $\frac{d^2 u_1}{d\tau^2} + u_1 = -\frac{1}{4} \cos 3\tau$ with ic $\begin{cases} \frac{du_1}{d\tau} = 0 \\ u_1 = 0 \end{cases}$ at $\tau = 0$

$$\rightarrow u_1(z) = A \cos z + B \sin z + K \cos 3z$$

where K satisfies

$$-9K + K = -\frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow -8K = -\frac{1}{4} \Rightarrow K = \frac{1}{32}$$

A & B satisfy: $A + K = 0$
 $B = 0$

so $u_1(z) = \frac{1}{32} (\cos 3z - \cos z) \Rightarrow \boxed{u = \cos z + \frac{e}{32} \left(\frac{\cos 3z - \cos z}{\cos z} \right)}$

Finally, we need to go to next order to make this a uniform 2-term expansion:

to second order

$$\begin{cases} (a_1^2 + 2a_2) \frac{d^2 u_0}{dz^2} + 2a_1 \frac{d^2 u_1}{dz^2} + \frac{d^2 u_2}{dz^2} + u_2 \\ = u_1 \left(\frac{du_0}{dz} \right)^2 + 2u_0 \frac{du_0}{dz} \left(a_1 \frac{du_0}{dz} + \frac{du_1}{dz} \right) \\ \frac{du_2}{dz} = u_2 = 0 \text{ at } z=0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2 u_2}{dz^2} + u_2 = + (a_1^2 + 2a_2) \cos z + \frac{2a_1}{32} (9 \cos 3z - \cos z)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{32} (\cos 3z - \cos z) \sin^2 z + 2 \cos z (-\sin z) \cdot \left(a_1 \sin z - \frac{1}{32} (3 \sin 3z - \sin z) \right)$$

$$= (a_1^2 + 2a_2) \cos z + \frac{2a_1}{32} (9 \cos 3z - \cos z)$$

$$+ \frac{1}{32} \left[-\frac{1}{4} \cos z + \frac{1}{2} \cos 3z - \frac{1}{4} \cos 5z \right] + \left(2a_1 - \frac{1}{32} \right) \left(\frac{1}{4} \cos z - \frac{1}{4} \cos 3z \right)$$

$$+ \frac{2}{32} \left(\frac{3}{4} \cos z - \frac{3}{4} \cos 5z - \frac{1}{4} \cos z + \frac{1}{4} \cos 3z \right)$$

\Rightarrow to eliminate all sources of secular terms, we need

$$a_1^2 + 2a_2 - \frac{2a_1}{32} - \frac{1}{4 \times 32} + \left(2a_1 - \frac{1}{32} \right) \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{32}$$

which simplifies to

$$2a_2 + \frac{1}{64} + \left(-\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{32}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{32}$$

$$2a_2 = \frac{3}{128} \Rightarrow a_2 = \frac{3}{256} \Rightarrow \boxed{\sigma = \left(1 - \frac{\epsilon}{8} + \frac{3\epsilon^2}{256} + \dots\right)}$$

Problem 2: See textbook page 85 for solution.

Problem 3 $\frac{d^2u}{dt^2} + u = \epsilon u \left(\frac{du}{dt}\right)^4 \quad u(0) = 0 \quad \frac{du}{dt}(0) = 1$

First get 2-term standard expansion: let $u = u_0 + \epsilon u_1$

→ to zeroth order:

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d^2u_0}{dt^2} + u_0 = 0 \\ u_0(0) = 0 \\ \frac{du_0}{dt}(0) = 1 \end{cases} \rightarrow u_0(t) = \sin t$$

→ to first order

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d^2u_1}{dt^2} + u_1 &= u_0 \left(\frac{du_0}{dt}\right)^4 && \text{with IC } \begin{cases} u_1(0) = 0 \\ \frac{du_1}{dt}(0) = 0 \end{cases} \\ &= \sin t \cdot (\cos t)^4 \\ &= \frac{2}{16} \sin t + \frac{2}{16} \sin 3t + \frac{1}{16} \sin 5t \end{aligned}$$

So $u_1(t) = A \sin t + B \sin 3t + C \cos t + D \sin 3t + E \sin 5t$

where: C satisfies:

$$\begin{aligned} -2C \sin t - C \cos t + C \cos t &= \frac{2}{16} \sin t \\ \rightarrow C &= -\frac{1}{16} \end{aligned}$$

D satisfies:

$$-9D + D = \frac{3}{16} \text{ so } D = -\frac{3}{8 \times 16} = -\frac{3}{128}$$

ϵ satisfies:

$$-25\epsilon + \epsilon = \frac{1}{16} \text{ so}$$

$$\epsilon = \frac{-1}{24 \times 16}$$

$$\text{so } u_1(t) = A \cos t + B \sin t - \frac{1}{16} \left(t \cos t + \frac{3}{8} \sin 3t + \frac{1}{24} \sin 5t \right)$$

$$u_1(0) = 0 \Rightarrow A = 0$$

$$\frac{du_1}{dt}(0) = 0 \Rightarrow B - \frac{1}{16} \left(1 + \frac{9}{8} + \frac{5}{24} \right) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow B = \frac{7}{48} = \frac{1}{16} \cdot \frac{7}{3}$$

so finally:

$$u(t) = \sin t + \frac{\epsilon}{16} \left\{ \frac{7}{3} \sin t - t \cos t - \frac{3}{8} \sin 3t - \frac{1}{24} \sin 5t \right\}$$

We now let $t = z + \omega_1(z)\epsilon + \dots$

so

$$u(\epsilon) = \sin(z + \omega_1(z)\epsilon + \dots) + \frac{\epsilon}{16} \left\{ \frac{7}{3} \sin z - 2\omega_1 z - 2\omega_1^2 z - \frac{3}{8} \sin 3z - \frac{1}{24} \sin 5z \right\} + \dots$$

$$= \sin z + \epsilon \omega_1 \cos z + \frac{\epsilon}{16} \left\{ \frac{7}{3} \sin z - 2\omega_1 z - 2\omega_1^2 z - \frac{3}{8} \sin 3z - \frac{1}{24} \sin 5z \right\} + \dots$$

\rightarrow to eliminate the secular term, we let

$$\omega_1 = \frac{2}{16} \text{ so}$$

$$\begin{cases} u(z) = \sin z + o(\epsilon) \\ t = z + \frac{2\epsilon}{16} + o(\epsilon^2) \end{cases} \rightarrow u(t) = \sin \left(\frac{t}{1 + \frac{\epsilon}{16}} \right) + o(\epsilon)$$

Problem 4

$$(1) \begin{cases} f'' + \left(2 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \epsilon^2 f^2}}\right) f = 0 \\ f(0) = 1 \\ f'(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

Let's use renormalization; let $f = f_0 + \epsilon f_1 + \dots$ then

$$f_0'' + \epsilon f_1'' + \dots \left(2 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \epsilon^2 (f_0^2 + 2f_0 f_1 \epsilon + \dots)}}\right) (f_0 + \epsilon f_1 + \dots) = 0$$

This term is \uparrow

$$(1 + \epsilon^2 (f_0^2 + 2\epsilon f_0 f_1 + \dots))^{-1/2} = 1 - \frac{1}{2} \epsilon^2 (f_0^2 + 2\epsilon f_0 f_1 + \dots) + o(\epsilon^4)$$

So to zeroth order:

$$\begin{cases} f_0'' + f_0 = 0 \\ f_0(0) = 1 \\ f_0'(0) = 0 \end{cases} \rightarrow f_0(t) = \cos t$$

to first order:

$$\begin{cases} f_1'' + \epsilon f_1 = 0 \\ f_1(0) = 0 \\ f_1'(0) = 0 \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{This is not good because it means } f_1(t) \equiv 0. \text{ So we need to go to next order:}$$

to second order:

$$\begin{cases} f_2'' + f_2 + \frac{1}{2} f_0^3 = 0 \\ f_2(0) = 0 \\ f_2'(0) = 0 \end{cases} \rightarrow f_2'' + f_2 = -\frac{1}{2} \cos^2 t = -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{3}{4} \cos t + \frac{1}{4} \cos 3t\right)$$

So $f_2(t) = A \cos t + B \sin t + K t \sin t + C \cos 3t$

- where K satisfies : $2K \cos t = -\frac{3}{8} \cos t \Rightarrow K = -3/16$
- C satisfies : $-9C + C = -1/8 \Rightarrow C = 1/64$
- A satisfies : $A + C = 0 \Rightarrow A = -1/64$
- B satisfies : $B = 0$

So $f_2(t) = -\frac{1}{64} \cos t + \frac{1}{64} \cos 3t - \frac{3}{16} t \sin t$

and so $f(t) = \cos t + \frac{\epsilon^2}{16} \left[\frac{1}{4} \cos 3t - \frac{1}{4} \cos t - 3t \sin t \right] + \dots$

Now let $t = \tau + \epsilon^2 \omega_2(\tau) + \dots$ ← choose ϵ^2 by analogy with ea

$\Rightarrow f(\tau) = \cos(\tau + \epsilon^2 \omega_2(\tau)) + \frac{\epsilon^2}{16} \left[\frac{1}{4} \cos 3\tau - \frac{1}{4} \cos \tau - 3\tau \sin \tau \right] + \dots$

To eliminate secular term: $-\epsilon^2 \omega_2(\tau) \sin \tau - \frac{\epsilon^2}{16} 3\tau \sin \tau = 0$

$\Rightarrow \omega_2(\tau) = -\frac{3\tau}{16}$ so $t = \tau + \epsilon^2 \left(-\frac{3\tau}{16} \right)$

\Rightarrow Finally, the uniform 1-term expansion is: $f(t) = \cos \left(\frac{t}{1 - \frac{3\epsilon^2}{16}} \right)$

(2)
$$\begin{cases} f'' + f + (e^{\epsilon f} - 1) = 0 \\ f(0) = 1 \\ f'(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

let $f = f_0 + \epsilon f_1 + \dots$

$\Rightarrow f_0'' + \epsilon f_1'' + \dots + f_0 + \epsilon f_1 + \dots + (1 + \epsilon(f_0 + \epsilon f_1 + \dots) + \dots - 1) = 0$

to zeroth order
$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} f_0'' + f_0 = 0 \\ f_0(0) = 1 \\ f_0'(0) = 0 \end{cases} \quad \text{so } f_0(t) = \cos t$$

to 1st order:
$$\begin{cases} f_1'' + f_1 + \epsilon f_0 = 0 \\ f_1(0) = 0 \\ f_1'(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$\Rightarrow f_1'' + f_1 = -\cos t$ so

$f_1(t) = A \cos t + B \sin t + K t \sin t$

where K satisfies: $2K \cos t - K t \sin t + K t \sin t = -\cos t$

$\Rightarrow K = -\frac{1}{2}$

A satisfies: $A = 0$

B satisfies: $B = 0$

So $f(t) = -\frac{1}{2} t \sin t$

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In this case, let's use renormalization to eliminate secular term: let $t = z + \epsilon \omega_1(z) + \dots$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f(z) &= \cos(z + \epsilon \omega_1(z) + \dots) - \frac{\epsilon}{2} z \sin z + \dots \\ &= \cos z - \epsilon \omega_1 \sin z + \dots - \frac{\epsilon}{2} z \sin z + \dots \\ \Rightarrow \text{we need } &-\epsilon \omega_1 \sin z - \frac{\epsilon}{2} z \sin z = 0 \end{aligned}$$

so $\omega_1 = -\frac{z}{2}$

\Rightarrow finally, $\begin{cases} f(z) = \cos z \\ t = z - \frac{\epsilon z}{2} \end{cases} \Rightarrow f(t) = \cos\left(\frac{t}{1 - \frac{\epsilon}{2}}\right)$

Problem 5 $\begin{cases} \frac{d^2 u}{dt^2} + u + \epsilon \left(\frac{du}{dt}\right)^3 = 0 \\ u(0) = a \\ \frac{du}{dt}(0) = 0 \end{cases}$

\Rightarrow let $u = u_0 + \epsilon u_1 + \dots$

to zeroth order:

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d^2 u_0}{dt^2} + u_0 = 0 \\ u_0(0) = a \\ \frac{du_0}{dt}(0) = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow u_0(t) = a \cos t$$

to first order:

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d^2 u_1}{dt^2} + u_1 + \left(\frac{du_0}{dt}\right)^3 = 0 \\ u_1(0) = 0 \\ \frac{du_1}{dt}(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2 u_1}{dt^2} + u_1 = + a^3 \sin^3 t$$

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$$= \frac{a^3}{4} (3 \sin t - \sin 3t)$$

so $u_1(t) = A \cos t + B \sin t + K t \cos t + D \sin 3t$

where K satisfies:

$$-2K \sin t - \cancel{K t \cos t} + \cancel{K t \cos t} = \frac{3a^3}{4} \sin t$$

$$\Rightarrow K = -\frac{3a^3}{8}$$

D satisfies: $-9D + D = -\frac{a^3}{4} \Rightarrow D = \frac{a^3}{32}$

A satisfies: $A = 0$

B satisfies: $B + K + 3D = 0 \Rightarrow B = \frac{3a^3}{8} - \frac{3a^3}{32} = \frac{9a^3}{32}$

so finally: $u_1(t) = \frac{9a^3}{32} \sin t - \frac{3a^3}{8} t \cos t + \frac{a^3}{32} \sin 3t$

and $u(t) = a \cos t + \frac{\epsilon a^3}{32} (9 \sin t - 12 t \cos t + \sin 3t)$

We now let $t = z + \omega_1(z)\epsilon$ then

$$\begin{aligned} u(z) &= a \cos(z + \omega_1(z)\epsilon) + \frac{\epsilon a^3}{32} (9 \sin z - 12 z \cos z + \sin 3z) \\ &= a \cos z - \omega_1(z) a \epsilon \sin z + \frac{\epsilon a^3}{32} (9 \sin z - 12 z \cos z + \sin 3z) \end{aligned}$$

\rightarrow to eliminate the secular term we would need:

$$-\omega_1(z) a \sin z - \frac{a^3}{32} 12 z \cos z = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_1(z) = -a^2 \cdot \frac{12z}{32} \frac{\cos z}{\sin z}$$

This is singular @ $z = \pi, 2\pi, 3\pi \dots \rightarrow$ we cannot get a uniform expansion in t from the 1-term solution in z .