

1(a)  $x=0$  IS THE ONLY SP WHILE ALL OTHER POINTS  $0 < x < \infty$  ARE ORDINARY POINTS

• CLASSIFICATION OF  $x=0$ :

$$\lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x \frac{\{-(-1-x)x\}}{3x^2} = -\frac{1}{3} = p_0 < \infty \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} x^2 \frac{1}{3x^2} = \frac{1}{3} = q_0 < \infty \Rightarrow x=0 \text{ IS A REGULAR SP.}$$

INDICIAL EQ:  $Ly = x^2 y'' - x y' + \frac{1}{3} y = 0 \quad y = x^r \Rightarrow r(r-1) - \frac{1}{3}r + \frac{1}{3} = r^2 - \frac{4}{3}r + \frac{1}{3} = (r-1)(r-\frac{1}{3}) = 0 \Rightarrow r = 1, \frac{1}{3}$

(b) SINCE  $x=1$  IS AN ORDINARY POINT WE ASSUME  $y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (x-1)^n$

SINCE THE CLOSEST SINGULAR POINT IS AT  $x=0$  THE MINIMAL RADIUS OF CONVERGENCE IS  $\rho = 1$ .

(c) SINCE  $x=0$  IS A RSP WE ASSUME  $y(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r}$ ,  $y' = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (n+r) x^{n+r-1}$ ,  $y'' = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (n+r)(n+r-1) x^{n+r-2}$

$$\begin{aligned} Ly &= 3x^2 y'' - x y' + x^2 y' \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 3a_n (n+r)(n+r-1) x^{n+r} - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (n+r) x^{n+r} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (n+r) x^{n+r+1} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^{n+r} = 0 \\ &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} [3a_m (m+r)(m+r-1) - a_m (m+r) + a_{m-1} (m+r-1)] x^{m+r} + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} a_{m-1} (m+r-1) x^{m+r} \\ &= \{3r(r-1) - r + 1\} a_0 x^r + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \{[3(m+r)(m+r-1) - (m+r) + 1] a_m + (m+r-1) a_{m-1}\} x^{m+r} \end{aligned}$$

$x^r$   $a_0 \{3r^2 - 4r + 1\} = a_0 (3r-1)(r-1) = 0 \quad r = 1, \frac{1}{3}$

$x^{m+r} \quad m \geq 1$   $[(m+r)\{3(m+r) - 4\} + 1] a_m = -(m+r-1) a_{m-1}$

$r = 1:$   $a_m = \frac{-m a_{m-1}}{(m+1)(3m-1)+1} = \frac{-m a_{m-1}}{4(3m+2)}$

$a_1 = -a_0/5 \quad a_2 = -a_1/8 = a_0/40 \quad a_3 = -a_2/11 = -a_0/440$

$\therefore y(x) = a_0^{(1)} x^1 [1 - x/5 + x^2/40 - x^3/440 + \dots]$

$r = 1/3$   $a_m = \frac{-(m-2/3) a_{m-1}}{(m+1/3)\{3m+1-4\}+1} = \frac{-(m-2/3) a_{m-1}}{(3m+1)(m-1)+1} = \frac{-\frac{1}{3}(3m-2) a_{m-1}}{(3m-2)m} = \frac{-a_{m-1}}{3m}$

$a_1 = -\frac{a_0}{3} \quad a_2 = -\frac{a_1}{6} = \frac{a_0}{18} \quad a_3 = -\frac{a_2}{9} = -\frac{a_0}{162}$

$\therefore y(x) = a_0^{(2)} x^{1/3} [1 - \frac{x}{3} + \frac{x^2}{18} - \frac{x^3}{162} + \dots]$

2.  $u_t = u_{xx} \quad 0 < x < \pi \quad t > 0$   
 $u_x(0, t) = 0 = u_x(\pi, t)$   
 $u(x, 0) = x$

Let  $u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$   
 $\Rightarrow \dot{T}(t)X(x) = X''(x)T(t)$   
 $\frac{\dot{T}(t)}{T(t)} = \frac{X''(x)}{X(x)} = -\lambda^2$

T]  $\dot{T} = -\lambda^2 T \Rightarrow T(t) = D e^{-\lambda^2 t}$

X]  $\lambda \neq 0: X'' + \lambda^2 X = 0 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} X(x) = A \cos \lambda x + B \sin \lambda x \\ X'(x) = -A \lambda \sin \lambda x + B \lambda \cos \lambda x \end{array} \right.$   
 $X(0) = 0 = X(\pi)$   
 $X'(0) = B \lambda = 0 \Rightarrow B = 0 \quad X'(\pi) = -A \lambda \sin \lambda \pi = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda \pi = n \pi, n=1, 2, \dots$   
 $\therefore \lambda_n = n \quad n=1, 2, \dots \quad X_n(x) = \cos(nx)$   
 $\lambda = 0: X'' = 0 \Rightarrow X = Ax + B \quad X' = A \quad X'(0) = A = 0 \Rightarrow X = B.1$   
 $\therefore \lambda_0 = 0 \quad X_0(x) = 1.$

THE SOLUTION IS OF THE FORM

$$u(x, t) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{-n^2 t} \cos(nx)$$

$$X = u(x, 0) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos(nx)$$

$$a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^{\pi} = \pi$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x \cos(nx) dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \left[ \frac{x \sin(nx)}{n} - \frac{1}{n} \int \sin(nx) dx \right]_0^{\pi}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[ \frac{\cos(nx)}{n^2} \right]_0^{\pi} = \frac{2}{\pi} \left[ \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n^2} \right] = \begin{cases} -4/\pi n^2 & n \text{ odd} \\ 0 & n \text{ even} \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore u(x, t) = \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n^2} e^{-n^2 t} \cos(nx)$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-(2k+1)^2 t}}{(2k+1)^2} \cos((2k+1)x)$$