

“It’s a pretty geeky thing to be in the math club, and what’s worse, I was the president.” Dexter Holland of the punk band Offspring, from the *Cincinnati Enquirer*, Feb 4, 1995.

1. (25 pts) Use the Laplace transform to solve the IVP

$$y'' + 4y' + 13y = 5e^{-2t}, \quad y(0) = -1, \quad y'(0) = -2$$

2. (25 pts) Use the Laplace transform to solve the IVP

$$y'' + y = 2 \sin t - 3 \cos t, \quad y(0) = y'(0) = 0$$

3. (25 pts) the current in a single loop L-R-C circuit is governed by the integrodifferential equation

$$L \frac{di}{dt} + Ri + \frac{1}{C} \int_0^t i(\tau) d\tau = E(t).$$

Determine the current when  $L = 0.1$ ,  $R = 20$ ,  $C = 10^{-3}$ , and  $E(t) = \begin{cases} 120t & \text{for } 0 \leq t < 1 \\ 0 & \text{for } t \geq 1 \end{cases}$

4. (25 pts) Write down your student number. If it is even, solve for  $x(t)$ , and if it is odd, solve for  $y(t)$  in the following system of IVPs. Don’t do extra work!

$$\begin{cases} \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} = y, & x(0) = 1, & x'(0) = 2 \\ \frac{d^2y}{dt^2} = x, & y(0) = 1, & y'(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$