

**Differential Equations I**  
**for Students of Engineering Sciences**  
**Sheet 5, Exercise class**

**Exercise 1:** Determine the general solutions of the following linear differential equations

- a)  $u^{(3)} - 3u' - 2u = e^{-2t}$ .
- b)  $u^{(3)} - 3u' - 2u = e^{2t}$ .
- c)  $u^{(3)} - 3u' - 2u = te^{-2t}$ .
- d)  $u^{(3)} - 3u' - 2u = 7e^{2t} - 5e^{-2t}$ .

**Hint:** For the particular solution of the inhomogeneous problem you may use a special ansatz.

**Exercise 2)**

- a) Determine a real representation of the general solution of the differential equation

$$u^{(3)}(t) + u''(t) + 3u'(t) - 5u(t) = 0.$$

- b) Determine the general solutions of the differential equations :

**i)**  $u^{(3)}(t) + u''(t) + 3u'(t) - 5u(t) = 10,$       **ii)**  $u^{(3)}(t) + u''(t) + 3u'(t) - 5u(t) = e^t.$

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