

**Abstract**

Since the number of linearly independent solutions of an HLODE equals the order of the HLODE, the dimension of the solution set of an HLODE is its order; so the dimension of all HLODEs of the same order is this order. Thus, a first order HLODE may be solved exactly using the single HLODE ; but higher order non-elementary HLODEs require that order number of equations to solve such HLODEs - i.e. usage of linear transformations between linearly independent HLODE solution sets of that same order. The first order HLODE being of dimension 1 may be solved exactly by itself. Higher order HLODEs are subject to condition that the additional dimensional HLODEs must also be satisfied.

Another look at the vector space transformation technique to solving ODEs exactly.

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i.e.:

$$\sum_{m=0}^n P_{n-1-m} y_{01}^{(m)} = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \sum_{m=0}^n P_{n-1-m} y_{01}^{(m)} = 0 \\ \vdots \\ \sum_{m=0}^n P_{n-1-m} y_{0n}^{(m)} = 0 \end{cases}, \quad \exists y_{01}, \dots, y_{0n}$$

$y_{01}, \dots, y_{0n}$  related by the reduction of order formula.

In particular, for second order HLODEs:

$$y'' + P_0 y' + Q_0 y = 0 \Rightarrow \begin{cases} y_{01}'' + P_0 y_{01}' + Q_0 y_{01} = 0 \\ y_{02}'' + P_0 y_{02}' + Q_0 y_{02} = 0 \end{cases}, \quad \exists y_{01}, y_{02}$$

$y_{01}$  &  $y_{02}$  related by the reduction of order formula.

Since, for any HLODE, the middle coefficient may be transformed to any value; another second order HLODEs may be written (without loss of generality):

$$w'' + Pw' + Qw = 0 \quad \& \quad u = we^{\frac{1}{2} \int (P-R)dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[ \left[ \left( \frac{1}{2}R \right)' - \left( \frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] - \left[ \left( \frac{1}{2}P \right)' - \left( \frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] + Q \right] u = 0$$

The first order HLODE being of dimension 1 may be solved exactly by itself.

Higher order HLODEs are subject to condition that the additional dimensional HLODEs must also be satisfied.

This leads to:

**Theorem I.1:** For differentiable functions  $u, v, y_1, y_2, r_1, r_2, s_1, s_2, Y_1, Y_2, P, Q, \varphi$  ;

if  $y_1$  &  $y_2$  are linearly independent solutions to  $y_i'' + P_i y_i' + Q_i y_i = 0$   
 and  $Y_1$  &  $Y_2$  are linearly independent solutions to  $Y_i'' + PY_i' + (Q_i + \varphi_i)Y_i = 0$   
 such that:  $\exists u, v : (u, v$  linearly independent of  $y_1, y_2 : \forall x)$

$$\begin{cases} Y_1 = vy_1 + uy_2 \\ Y_2 = uy_1 - vy_2 \end{cases}$$

and:  $\exists r_1, r_2, s_1, s_2 :$

$$\begin{cases} y_1' = r_1 y_1 + s_1 y_2 \\ y_2' = r_2 y_1 + s_2 y_2 \end{cases}$$

then:

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} 0 = -2(r_1 - s_2)u' + (\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)u + 2(r_2 + s_1)v' \\ 0 = 2(r_1 - s_2)v' + (\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)v + 2(r_2 + s_1)u' \\ 0 = u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 v' \\ 0 = v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 u' \end{cases}$$

*Proof:*

When  $y_1, y_2$  satisfy:

$$\begin{cases} y_1' = r_1 y_1 + s_1 y_2 \\ y_2' = r_2 y_1 + s_2 y_2 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} y_1'' = (r_1' + r_1^2 + r_2 s_1)y_1 + (s_1' + s_1 s_2 + r_1 s_1)y_2 \\ y_2'' = (r_2' + r_1 r_2 + r_2 s_2)y_1 + (s_2' + s_2^2 + r_2 s_1)y_2 \end{cases}$$

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$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} Y_1' = vy_1' + v'y_1 + uy_2' + u'y_2 = v(r_1 y_1 + s_1 y_2) + v'y_1 + u(r_2 y_1 + s_2 y_2) + u'y_2 \\ Y_2' = uy_1' + u'y_1 - vy_2' - v'y_2 = u(r_1 y_1 + s_1 y_2) + u'y_1 - v(r_2 y_1 + s_2 y_2) - v'y_2 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} Y_1' = (vr_1 + v' + ur_2)y_1 + (vs_1 + us_2 + u')y_2 \\ Y_2' = (ur_1 + u' - vr_2)y_1 + (us_1 - vs_2 - v')y_2 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} Y_\mu'' + P_1 Y_\mu' = (vy_1 + uy_2)'' + P_1(vy_1 + uy_2)' \\ Y_v'' + P_2 Y_v' = (uy_1 - vy_2)'' + P_2(uy_1 - vy_2)' \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} Y''_\mu + P_1 Y'_\mu = (v'y_1 + vy'_1 + u'y_2 + uy'_2)' + P_1(v'y_1 + vy'_1 + u'y_2 + uy'_2) \\ Y''_v + P_2 Y'_v = (u'y_1 + uy'_1 - v'y_2 - vy'_2)' + P_2(u'y_1 + uy'_1 - v'y_2 - vy'_2) \end{array} \right| \\
&\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} Y''_\mu + P_1 Y'_\mu = v''y_1 + 2v'y'_1 + vy''_1 + u''y_2 + 2u'y'_2 + uy''_2 + \\ \quad + P_1(v'y_1 + vy'_1 + u'y_2 + uy'_2) \\ Y''_v + P_2 Y'_v = u''y_1 + 2u'y'_1 + uy''_1 - v''y_2 - 2v'y'_2 - vy''_2 + \\ \quad + P_2(u'y_1 + uy'_1 - v'y_2 - vy'_2) \end{array} \right| \\
&\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} Y''_\mu + P_1 Y'_\mu = v''y_1 + P_1 v'y_1 + 2v'y'_1 + P_1 vy'_1 + vy''_1 + u''y_2 + P_1 u'y_2 + 2u'y'_2 + P_1 uy'_2 + uy''_2 \\ Y''_v + P_2 Y'_v = u''y_1 + P_2 u'y_1 + 2u'y'_1 + P_2 uy'_1 + uy''_1 - v''y_2 - P_2 v'y_2 - 2v'y'_2 - P_2 vy'_2 - vy''_2 \end{array} \right| \\
&\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} Y''_\mu + P_1 Y'_\mu = [v''y_1 + P_1 v'y_1 + 2v'y'_1 + P_1 vy'_1 + vy''_1] + \\ \quad + [u''y_2 + P_1 u'y_2 + 2u'y'_2 + P_1 uy'_2 + uy''_2] \\ Y''_v + P_2 Y'_v = [u''y_1 + P_2 u'y_1 + 2u'y'_1 + P_2 uy'_1 + uy''_1] + \\ \quad - [v''y_2 + P_2 v'y_2 + 2v'y'_2 + P_2 vy'_2 + vy''_2] \end{array} \right| \\
&\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} Y''_\mu + P_1 Y'_\mu = [(v'' + P_1 v')y_1 + (2v' + P_1 v)y'_1 + vy''_1] + \\ \quad + [(u'' + P_1 u')y_2 + (2u' + P_1 u)y'_2 + uy''_2] \\ Y''_v + P_2 Y'_v = [(u'' + P_2 u')y_1 + (2u' + P_2 u)y'_1 + uy''_1] + \\ \quad - [(v'' + P_2 v')y_2 + (2v' + P_2 v)y'_2 + vy''_2] \end{array} \right| \\
&\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} Y''_\mu + P_1 Y'_\mu = [(v'' + P_1 v')y_1 + 2v'(r_1 y_1 + s_1 y_2) + v(y''_1 + P_1 y'_1)] + \\ \quad + [(u'' + P_1 u')y_2 + 2u'(r_2 y_1 + s_2 y_2) + u(y''_2 + P_1 y'_2)] \\ Y''_v + P_2 Y'_v = [(u'' + P_2 u')y_1 + 2u'(r_1 y_1 + s_1 y_2) + u(y''_1 + P_2 y'_1)] + \\ \quad - [(v'' + P_2 v')y_2 + 2v'(r_2 y_1 + s_2 y_2) + v(y''_2 + P_2 y'_2)] \end{array} \right| \\
&\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} Y''_\mu + P_1 Y'_\mu = [(v'' + P_1 v')y_1 + 2v'r_1 y_1 + 2v's_1 y_2 + v(y''_1 + P_1 y'_1)] + \\ \quad + [(u'' + P_1 u')y_2 + 2u'r_2 y_1 + 2u's_2 y_2 + u(y''_2 + P_1 y'_2)] \\ Y''_v + P_2 Y'_v = [(u'' + P_2 u')y_1 + 2u'r_1 y_1 + 2u's_1 y_2 + u(y''_1 + P_2 y'_1)] + \\ \quad - [(v'' + P_2 v')y_2 + 2v'r_2 y_1 + 2v's_2 y_2 + v(y''_2 + P_2 y'_2)] \end{array} \right| \\
&\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} Y''_\mu + P_1 Y'_\mu = [(v'' + [2r_1 + P_1]v')y_1 + 2v's_1 y_2 + v(y''_1 + P_1 y'_1)] + \\ \quad + [(u'' + [2s_2 + P_1]u')y_2 + 2u'r_2 y_1 + u(y''_2 + P_1 y'_2)] \\ Y''_v + P_2 Y'_v = [(u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u')y_1 + 2u's_1 y_2 + u(y''_1 + P_2 y'_1)] + \\ \quad - [(v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v')y_2 + 2v'r_2 y_1 + v(y''_2 + P_2 y'_2)] \end{array} \right| \\
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&\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} Y''_\mu + P_1 Y'_\mu = [(v'' + [2r_1 + P_1]v' + 2r_2 u')y_1 + v(y''_1 + P_1 y'_1)] + \\ \quad + [(u'' + [2s_2 + P_1]u' + 2s_1 v')y_2 + u(y''_2 + P_1 y'_2)] \\ Y''_v + P_2 Y'_v = [(u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' - 2r_2 v')y_1 + u(y''_1 + P_2 y'_1)] + \\ \quad - [(v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' - 2s_1 u')y_2 + v(y''_2 + P_2 y'_2)] \end{array} \right| \\
&\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} Y''_\mu + P_1 Y'_\mu + (Q_1 + \varphi_1)Y_\mu = [(v'' + [2r_1 + P_1]v' + 2r_2 u')y_1 + v(y''_1 + P_1 y'_1)] + \\ \quad + [(u'' + [2s_2 + P_1]u' + 2s_1 v')y_2 + u(y''_2 + P_1 y'_2)] + \\ \quad + (Q_1 + \varphi_1)(vy_1 + uy_2) \\ Y''_v + P_2 Y'_v + (Q_2 + \varphi_2)Y_\mu = [(u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' - 2r_2 v')y_1 + u(y''_1 + P_2 y'_1)] + \\ \quad - [(v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' - 2s_1 u')y_2 + v(y''_2 + P_2 y'_2)] + \\ \quad + (Q_2 + \varphi_2)(uy_1 - vy_2) \end{array} \right| \\
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So, for:

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left\{ \begin{array}{l} Y''_1 + P_1 Y'_1 + (Q_1 + \varphi_1)Y_1 = 0 = Y''_2 + P_2 Y'_2 + (Q_2 + \varphi_2)Y_2 \\ y''_1 + P_1 y'_1 + Q_1 y_1 = 0 = y''_2 + P_2 y'_2 + Q_2 y_2 \end{array} \right| \\
&\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0 = [(v'' + [2r_1 + P_1]v' + \varphi_1 v + 2r_2 u')y_1] + [(u'' + [2s_2 + P_1]u' + \varphi_1 u + 2s_1 v')y_2] \\ 0 = [(u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 v')y_1] - [(v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 u')y_2] \end{array} \right| \\
&\text{and if: } y_1 \text{ & } y_2 \text{ are linearly independant:} \\
&\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0 = v'' + [2r_1 + P_1]v' + \varphi_1 v + 2r_2 u' \quad 0 = u'' + [2s_2 + P_1]u' + \varphi_1 u + 2s_1 v' \\ 0 = u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 v' \quad 0 = v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 u' \end{array} \right| \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 0 = u'' + [2s_2 + P_1]u' + \varphi_1 u + 2s_1 v' & 0 = v'' + [2r_1 + P_1]v' + \varphi_1 v + 2r_2 u' \\ \hline 0 = u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 v' & 0 = v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 u' \\ \hline \end{array} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 0 = 2(s_2 - r_1)u' + (\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)u + 2(s_1 + r_2)v' & 0 = 2(r_1 - s_2)v' + (\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)v + 2(r_2 + s_1)u' \\ \hline 0 = u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 v' & 0 = v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 u' \\ \hline \end{array} \right|$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{|c|c|} \hline 0 = -2(r_1 - s_2)u' + (\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)u + 2(r_2 + s_1)v' & 0 = 2(r_1 - s_2)v' + (\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)v + 2(r_2 + s_1)u' \\ \hline 0 = u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 v' & 0 = v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 u' \\ \hline \end{array} \right|$$

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□

**Corollary I.1:** For differentiable functions  $u, v, y_1, y_2, r_1, r_2, s_1, s_2, Y_1, Y_2, P, Q, \varphi$  ;

if  $y_1$  &  $y_2$  are linearly independent solutions to  $y_i'' + P_i y_i' + Q_i y_i = 0$   
and  $Y_1$  &  $Y_2$  are linearly independent solutions to  $Y_i'' + PY_i' + (Q_i + \varphi_i)Y_i = 0$   
such that:  $\exists u, v : (u, v)$  linearly independent of  $y_1, y_2 : \forall x$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{|c|} \hline Y_1 = vy_1 + uy_2 \\ \hline Y_2 = uy_1 - vy_2 \\ \hline \end{array} \right.$$

and:  $\exists r_1, r_2, s_1, s_2 :$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{|c|} \hline y_1' = r_1 y_1 + s_1 y_2 \\ \hline y_2' = r_2 y_1 + s_2 y_2 \\ \hline \end{array} \right.$$

then:

if:  $(r_2 + s_1) = 0$  &  $(r_1 - s_2) \neq 0$   
for:

$$\varphi_2 = \varphi_1 - (r_1 - s_2) \left( \log \left( \frac{[(r_1 + s_2) + P_2] \pm \sqrt{[(r_1 + s_2) + P_2]^2 + 4r_2^2}}{2r_2} \right) \right)'$$

then:

$$u = e^{\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{[(r_1 + s_2) + P_2] \pm \sqrt{[(r_1 + s_2) + P_2]^2 + 4r_2^2}}{2r_2}}$$

$$v = \frac{1}{u}$$

*Proof:*

Given the main theorem:

if:  $(r_2 + s_1) = 0$  &  $(r_1 - s_2) \neq 0$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{|c|} \hline \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_1 - s_2)} = \frac{u'}{u} = (\log u)' \Rightarrow u = e^{\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \\ \hline -\frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_1 - s_2)} = \frac{v'}{v} = (\log v)' \Rightarrow v = e^{-\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \\ \hline 0 = \left( e^{\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right)'' + [2r_1 + P_2] \left( e^{\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right)' + \varphi_2 \left( e^{\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right) - 2r_2 \left( e^{-\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right) \\ \hline 0 = \left( e^{-\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right)'' + [2s_2 + P_2] \left( e^{-\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right)' + \varphi_2 \left( e^{-\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right) + 2r_2' \left( e^{\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right) \\ \hline 0 = \left( \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} \right)' + \frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} \right)^2 \right) e^{\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} + \\ \hline + [2r_1 + P_2] \frac{1}{2} \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} e^{\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} + \varphi_2 e^{\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} + \\ \hline + 2r_2 \frac{1}{2} \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} e^{-\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \\ \hline 0 = \left( -\left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} \right)' + \frac{1}{4} \left( -\frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} \right)^2 \right) e^{-\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} + \\ \hline - [2s_2 + P_2] \frac{1}{2} \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} e^{-\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} + \varphi_2 e^{-\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} + \\ \hline + 2r_2 \frac{1}{2} \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} e^{\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \\ \hline \end{array} \right|$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0 = \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} \right)' + \frac{1}{4} \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} \right)^2 + [2r_1 + P_2] \frac{1}{2} \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} + \varphi_2 + \\ \quad + 2r_2 \frac{1}{2} \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} e^{-\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \\ 0 = -\left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} \right)' + \frac{1}{4} \left( -\frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} \right)^2 - [2s_2 + P_2] \frac{1}{2} \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} + \varphi_2 + \\ \quad + 2r_2 \frac{1}{2} \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} e^{\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \end{array} \right\} \\
& \Rightarrow 0 = [2r_1 + 2s_2 + 2P_2] \frac{1}{2} \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} + 2r_2 \frac{1}{2} \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} \left( e^{-\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} - e^{\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right) \\
& \Rightarrow 0 = [(r_1 + s_2) + P_2] + r_2 \left( e^{-\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} - e^{\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right) \\
& \Rightarrow 0 = [(r_1 + s_2) + P_2] \left( e^{\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right) + r_2 \left( 1 - \left( e^{\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right)^2 \right) \\
& \Rightarrow 0 = [(r_1 + s_2) + P_2] \left( e^{\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right) + r_2 - r_2 \left( e^{\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right)^2 \\
& \Rightarrow r_2 \left( e^{\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right)^2 - [(r_1 + s_2) + P_2] \left( e^{\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right) - r_2 = 0 \\
& \Rightarrow \left( e^{\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} \right) = \frac{[(r_1 + s_2) + P_2] \pm \sqrt{[(r_1 + s_2) + P_2]^2 + 4r_2^2}}{2r_2} \\
& \Rightarrow \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx = \log \left( \frac{[(r_1 + s_2) + P_2] \pm \sqrt{[(r_1 + s_2) + P_2]^2 + 4r_2^2}}{2r_2} \right) \\
& \Rightarrow \varphi_1 = \varphi_2 + (r_1 - s_2) \left( \log \left( \frac{[(r_1 + s_2) + P_2] \pm \sqrt{[(r_1 + s_2) + P_2]^2 + 4r_2^2}}{2r_2} \right) \right)' \\
& \Rightarrow u = e^{\frac{1}{2} \int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{(r_1 - s_2)} dx} = \pm \sqrt{\frac{[(r_1 + s_2) + P_2] \pm \sqrt{[(r_1 + s_2) + P_2]^2 + 4r_2^2}}{2r_2}}
\end{aligned}$$

□

**Corollary I.2:** For differentiable functions  $u, v, y_1, y_2, r_1, r_2, s_1, s_2, Y_1, Y_2, P, Q, \varphi$  ;  
if  $y_1$  &  $y_2$  are linearly independent solutions to  $y_i'' + P_i y_i' + Q_i y_i = 0$   
and  $Y_1$  &  $Y_2$  are linearly independent solutions to  $Y_i'' + P Y_i' + (Q_i + \varphi_i) Y_i = 0$   
such that:  $\exists u, v : (u, v)$  linearly independent of  $y_1, y_2 : \forall x$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} Y_1 = vy_1 + uy_2 \\ Y_2 = uy_1 - vy_2 \end{array} \right.$$

and:  $\exists r_1, r_2, s_1, s_2 :$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} y_1' = r_1 y_1 + s_1 y_2 \\ y_2' = r_2 y_1 + s_2 y_2 \end{array} \right.$$

then:

if:  $(r_2 + s_1) \neq 0$  &  $(r_1 - s_2) = 0$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} u = \cosh \left( k \int e^{-\int (2r_1 + P_2) dx} dx \right) \\ v = -\sinh \left( k \int e^{-\int (2r_1 + P_2) dx} dx \right) \\ \varphi_1 = -\varphi_2 = k(r_2 + s_1) e^{-\int (2r_1 + P_2) dx} \end{array} \right.$$

*Proof:*

Given the main theorem:

if:  $(r_2 + s_1) \neq 0$  &  $(r_1 - s_2) = 0$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0 = (\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)u + 2(r_2 + s_1)v' \\ 0 = (\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)v + 2(r_2 + s_1)u' \\ 0 = u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 v' \\ 0 = v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 u' \end{array} \right. \\
& \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 0 = (\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)(u + v) + 2(r_2 + s_1)(v + u)' \\ 0 = (\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)(v - u) + 2(r_2 + s_1)(u - v)' \\ 0 = u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 v' \\ 0 = v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 u' \end{array} \right.
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} -\frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} = \frac{(v+u)'}{(u+v)} = (\log(u+v))' \\ \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} = \frac{(u-v)'}{(u-v)} = (\log(u-v))' \\ 0 = u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 v' \\ 0 = v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 u' \end{array} \right. \\
& \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} e^{-\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx} = u+v \\ e^{\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx} = u-v \\ 0 = u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 v' \\ 0 = v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 u' \end{array} \right. \\
& \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} e^{-\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx} + e^{\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx} = 2u \\ e^{-\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx} - e^{\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx} = 2v \\ 0 = u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 v' \\ 0 = v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 u' \end{array} \right. \\
& \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} u = \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ v = -\sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ 0 = u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 v' \\ 0 = v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 u' \end{array} \right. \\
& \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} u = \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ v = -\sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ 0 = \left(\frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)}\right)' \sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + \left(\frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)}\right)^2 \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + \\ \quad + [2r_1 + P_2] \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + \varphi_2 \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + \\ \quad + 2r_2 \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ 0 = \left(\frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)}\right)' \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + \left(\frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)}\right)^2 \sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + \\ \quad + [2s_2 + P_2] \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) - \varphi_2 \sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + \\ \quad - 2s_1 \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \end{array} \right. \\
& \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} u = \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ v = -\sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ 0 = \left(\frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)}\right)' \sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + [2r_1 + P_2] \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + \\ \quad + \left(\frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)}\right)^2 \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + \varphi_2 \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + 2r_2 \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ 0 = \left(\frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)}\right)' \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + [2s_2 + P_2] \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ \quad + \left(\frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)}\right)^2 \sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) - \varphi_2 \sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) - 2s_1 \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \end{array} \right. \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} u = \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ v = -\sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ 0 = \left[ \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right)' + [2r_1 + P_2] \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right] \sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + \\ \quad + \left[ \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right)^2 + \varphi_2 + 2r_2 \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right] \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ 0 = \left[ \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right)' + [2s_2 + P_2] \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right] \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) + \\ \quad + \left[ \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right)^2 - \varphi_2 - 2s_1 \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right] \sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \end{array} \right.$$

So, restricting  $\varphi_1, \varphi_2, P_2, r_1, r_2, s_1$  such that the coefficients are independent of

$$\sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \text{ & } \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) :$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} u = \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ v = -\sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ 0 = \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right)' + [2r_1 + P_2] \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \\ 0 = \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right)^2 + \varphi_2 + 2r_2 \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \\ 0 = \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right)' + [2s_2 + P_2] \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \\ 0 = \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right)^2 - \varphi_2 - 2s_1 \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} u = \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ v = -\sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ 0 = \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right)' + [2r_1 + P_2] \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \\ \varphi_2 = -\varphi_1 \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} u = \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ v = -\sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ 0 = \left( \left( \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right) e^{\int (2r_1 + P_2) dx} \right)' e^{-\int (2r_1 + P_2) dx} \\ \varphi_2 = -\varphi_1 \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} u = \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ v = -\sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ \varphi_1 = \varphi_2 + 2k(r_2 + s_1) e^{-\int (2r_1 + P_2) dx} \\ \varphi_2 = -\varphi_1 \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} u = \cosh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ v = -\sinh\left(\int \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} dx\right) \\ \varphi_1 = \varphi_2 + 2k(r_2 + s_1) e^{-\int (2r_1 + P_2) dx} \\ \varphi_2 = -k(r_2 + s_1) e^{-\int (2r_1 + P_2) dx} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} u = \cosh\left(k \int e^{-\int (2r_1 + P_2) dx} dx\right) \\ v = -\sinh\left(k \int e^{-\int (2r_1 + P_2) dx} dx\right) \\ \varphi_1 = -\varphi_2 = k(r_2 + s_1) e^{-\int (2r_1 + P_2) dx} \end{array} \right.$$

□

**Corollary I.3:** For differentiable functions  $u, v, y_1, y_2, r_1, r_2, s_1, s_2, Y_1, Y_2, P, Q, \varphi$  ;

if  $y_1$  &  $y_2$  are linearly independent solutions to  $y_i'' + P_i y_i' + Q_i y_i = 0$   
and  $Y_1$  &  $Y_2$  are linearly independent solutions to  $Y_i'' + PY_i' + (Q_i + \varphi_i)Y_i = 0$   
such that:  $\exists u, v : (u, v \text{ linearly independent of } y_1, y_2 : \forall x)$

$$\begin{cases} Y_1 = vy_1 + uy_2 \\ Y_2 = uy_1 - vy_2 \end{cases}$$

and:  $\exists r_1, r_2, s_1, s_2 :$

$$\begin{cases} y_1' = r_1 y_1 + s_1 y_2 \\ y_2' = r_2 y_1 + s_2 y_2 \end{cases}$$

then:

$$\text{if: } (r_2 + s_1) \neq 0 \text{ & } (r_1 - s_2) \neq 0$$

*Proof:*

Given the main theorem:

$$\text{if: } (r_2 + s_1) \neq 0 \text{ & } (r_1 - s_2) \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{(r_1 - s_2)}{(r_2 + s_1)} u' - \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} u = v' \\ -\frac{(r_1 - s_2)}{(r_2 + s_1)} v' - \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} v = u' \\ 0 = u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 v' \\ 0 = v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 u' \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{(r_1 - s_2)}{(r_2 + s_1)} u' - \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} u = v' \\ -\frac{(r_1 - s_2)}{(r_2 + s_1)} v' - \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} v = u' \\ 0 = u'' + [2r_1 + P_2]u' + \varphi_2 u - 2r_2 \left[ \frac{(r_1 - s_2)}{(r_2 + s_1)} u' - \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} u \right] \\ 0 = v'' + [2s_2 + P_2]v' + \varphi_2 v - 2s_1 \left[ -\frac{(r_1 - s_2)}{(r_2 + s_1)} v' - \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} v \right] \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{(r_1 - s_2)}{(r_2 + s_1)} u' - \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} u = v' \\ -\frac{(r_1 - s_2)}{(r_2 + s_1)} v' - \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} v = u' \\ 0 = u'' + \left[ 2r_1 + P_2 - 2r_2 \frac{(r_1 - s_2)}{(r_2 + s_1)} \right] u' + \left[ \varphi_2 + 2r_2 \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right] u \\ 0 = v'' + \left[ 2s_2 + P_2 + 2s_1 \frac{(r_1 - s_2)}{(r_2 + s_1)} \right] v' + \left[ \varphi_2 + 2s_1 \frac{(\varphi_1 - \varphi_2)}{2(r_2 + s_1)} \right] v \end{cases}$$

□

Although these theorems, corollaries, and equations may seem pointless/purposeless, further research examination and investigation yield worthwhile results.