

Solving Linear Ordinary And Partial Differential Equations by Factoring

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Abstract

Techniques and tools for exactly solving Ricatti and Linear Ordinary and Partial Differential equations are developed from factoring method. Therefrom, the one-space dimension the Wave and Helmholtz/Klein-Gordon equation may be factored; with example solution - leading to generalization of the Maxwell-Cassano equations of an electromagnetic-nuclear field for non-constant mass and what the general high energy Lagrangian equations really are (including Weak force, etc. equations) - guiding transformations between the general high energy Lagrangians equations in general coordinates and Cartesian coordinate PDEs.

A first order linear ordinary differential equation (LODE) may be written:

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

$$W = y' + Py = \left(ye^{\int P dx} \right)' e^{-\int P dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = e^{-\int P dx} \int e^{\int P dx} W dx$$

Theorem I.1: For twice differentiable function y and differentiable functions g, h :

$$\left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int h dx} \right)' e^{-\int h dx} = y'' + (g+h)y' + (g' + hg)y$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int h dx} \right)' e^{-\int h dx} &= \left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right)' e^{\int h dx} + \left(\left(ye^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) h e^{\int h dx} \right) e^{-\int h dx} \\ &= \left(\left(ye^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right)' + \left(\left(ye^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) h \\ &= \left(\left(y'e^{\int g dx} + yge^{\int g dx} \right) e^{-\int g dx} \right)' + \left(\left(y'e^{\int g dx} + yge^{\int g dx} \right) e^{-\int g dx} \right) h \\ &= (y' + yg)' + (y' + yg)h \\ &= y'' + y'g + yg' + hy' + yhg \\ &= y'' + (g+h)y' + (g' + hg)y \end{aligned}$$

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Corollary I.1: For twice differentiable function y and differentiable functions g, h, P, Q :

$$P = g+h \quad \& \quad Q = g' + gh$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int h dx} \right)' e^{-\int h dx} = y'' + Py' + Qy$$

Proof:

So, from theorem I.1:

$$\left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int h dx} \right)' e^{-\int h dx} = y'' + Py' + Qy$$

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Theorem I.2: For twice differentiable function y and differentiable functions g, h :

$$\left(\left(\left(ye^{-\int g dx} \right)' e^{\int g dx} \right) e^{-\int h dx} \right)' e^{\int h dx} = y'' + (-g-h)y' + (-g' + hg)y$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\left(\left(ye^{-\int g dx} \right)' e^{\int g dx} \right) e^{-\int h dx} \right)' e^{\int h dx} &= \left(\left(\left(ye^{-\int g dx} \right)' e^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int h dx} + \left(\left(ye^{-\int g dx} \right)' e^{\int g dx} \right) (-h) e^{-\int h dx} \right) e^{\int h dx} \\ &= \left(\left(ye^{-\int g dx} \right)' e^{\int g dx} \right)' + \left(\left(ye^{-\int g dx} \right)' e^{\int g dx} \right) (-h) \\ &= \left(\left(y'e^{-\int g dx} - gye^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int g dx} \right)' + \left(\left(y'e^{-\int g dx} - gye^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int g dx} \right) (-h) \\ &= (y' - gy)' + (y' - gy)(-h) \\ &= y'' - gy' - g'y - hy' + hgy \\ &= y'' + (-g-h)y' + (-g' + hg)y \end{aligned}$$

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Corollary I.2: For twice differentiable function y and differentiable functions g, h, P, Q :

$$P = -g-h \quad \& \quad Q = -g' + gh$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(\left(\left(ye^{-\int g dx} \right)' e^{\int g dx} \right) e^{-\int h dx} \right)' e^{\int h dx} = y'' + Py' + Qy$$

Proof:

So, from theorem I.1:

$$\left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int h dx} \right)' e^{-\int h dx} = y'' + Py' + Qy$$

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Corollary I.3: For twice differentiable function y and differentiable functions g, h, P, Q, W :

$$y_1 = e^{-\int g dx}$$

is a solution to homogeneous ODE:

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\left(\left(y e^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int h dx} \right)' e^{-\int h dx} &= y'' + (g+h)y' + (g' + hg)y \\ &= y'' + Py' + Qy, \quad (P = g+h \text{ \& } Q = g' + gh) \\ Q &= -\left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)' - \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)^2 + P \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right) \\ \left(\left(\left(y e^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int h dx} \right)' e^{-\int h dx} &= W \\ \Rightarrow y &= y_1 + c_1 y_1 \int y_1^{-2} e^{-\int P dx} dx + y_1 \int y_1^{-2} e^{-\int P dx} \left(\int y_1 W e^{\int P dx} dx \right) dx \end{aligned}$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\left(\left(y_1 e^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int h dx} \right)' e^{-\int h dx} &= \left(\left(\left(e^{-\int g dx} e^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int h dx} \right)' e^{-\int h dx} \\ &= \left(\left((1)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int h dx} \right)' e^{-\int h dx} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y_1 &= e^{-\int g dx} \Rightarrow y_1' = -g e^{-\int g dx} = -g y_1 \Rightarrow \frac{y_1'}{y_1} = -g \\ \Rightarrow \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)' - \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)^2 + P \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right) &= g' - g^2 + P g = g' + g(P - g) = g' + g h = Q \\ \Rightarrow P &= g + \left(\frac{Q - g'}{g} \right) \text{ \& } -Q = g' + g \left(\frac{Q - g'}{g} \right) \end{aligned}$$

i.e.:

$$\begin{aligned} h &= \left(\frac{Q - g'}{g} \right) \Rightarrow P = g + h \text{ \& } -Q = g' + g h \\ P &= \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)' + \left(\frac{Q - \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)'}{\left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)} \right) \text{ \& } Q = \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)' + \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right) \left(\frac{Q - \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)'}{\left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)} \right) \end{aligned}$$

So, from theorem I.1:

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\left(\left(y e^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int h dx} \right)' e^{-\int h dx} &= W \\ \Rightarrow y &= e^{-\int g dx} \int e^{\int (g-h) dx} \left(\int W e^{\int h dx} dx \right) dx + c_1 e^{-\int g dx} \int e^{\int (g-h) dx} dx + c_2 e^{-\int g dx} \\ \Rightarrow y &= c_2 y_1 + c_1 y_1 \int y_1^{-2} e^{-\int P dx} dx + y_1 \int y_1^{-2} e^{-\int P dx} \left(\int y_1 W e^{\int P dx} dx \right) dx \end{aligned}$$

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Corollary I.4: If y_1 is a homogeneous solution to a linear homogeneous ordinary differential equation::

$$y_1'' + P y_1' + Q y_1 = 0 \quad (P, Q \text{ differentiable functions})$$

and if:

$$y'' + P y' + Q y = W \quad (W \text{ differentiable function})$$

$$\Rightarrow y = y_1 + c_1 y_1 \int y_1^{-2} e^{-\int P dx} dx + y_1 \int y_1^{-2} e^{-\int P dx} \left(\int y_1 W e^{\int P dx} dx \right) dx$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let: } -g &= -\frac{y_1'}{y_1} = -(\log(y_1))' \Rightarrow y_1 = e^{-\int g dx} \\ \Rightarrow -\left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)' - \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)^2 &= -\left(-\frac{y_1 (y_1')' - y_1' y_1'}{y_1^2} \right) - \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)^2 = -\frac{y_1''}{y_1} \\ \Rightarrow y_1 \left[-\left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)' - \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)^2 \right] &= -y_1'' = P y_1' + Q y_1 \\ \Rightarrow Q &= \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)' - \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)^2 + P \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right) = g' - g^2 + P g \\ \Rightarrow P &= g + \left(\frac{Q - g'}{g} \right) \text{ \& } -Q = g' + g \left(\frac{Q - g'}{g} \right) \\ \Rightarrow -\left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)' - \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right)^2 &= -P \left(-\frac{y_1'}{y_1} \right) + Q \end{aligned}$$

So, by corollary I.3:

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\left(\left(y e^{\int g dx} \right)' e^{-\int g dx} \right) e^{\int h dx} \right)' e^{-\int h dx} &= W \\ \Rightarrow y &= y_1 + c_1 y_1 \int y_1^{-2} e^{-\int P dx} dx + y_1 \int y_1^{-2} e^{-\int P dx} \left(\int y_1 W e^{\int P dx} dx \right) dx \end{aligned}$$

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Lemma I.5: If P, U & V are differentiable functions, and:

$$\begin{aligned} u &= e^{\int (U+V) dx} \\ \Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + P u' + [-(U+V)' - (U+V)^2 - P(U+V)] u = 0 \\ u'' + P u' + [-(U' + U^2) - (V' + V^2) - 2UV - PU - PV] u = 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} u &= e^{\int (U+V) dx} \Rightarrow u' = (U+V)u \Rightarrow u'' = [(U+V)' + (U+V)^2] u \\ \Rightarrow u'' + P u' &= [(U+V)' + (U+V)^2 + P(U+V)] u = 0 \\ \Rightarrow u'' + P u' + [-(U+V)' - (U+V)^2 - P(U+V)] u &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow u'' + Pu' + [-U' - V' - U^2 - 2UV - V^2 - PU - PV]u = 0 \\ &\Rightarrow u'' + Pu' + [-(U' + U^2) - (V' + V^2) - 2UV - PU - PV]u = 0 \end{aligned}$$

□

Corollary I.5: If P, U & V are differentiable functions, and:

$$u = e^{\int (U-V)dx} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Pu' + [-(U-V)' - (U-V)^2 - P(U-V)]u = 0 \\ u'' + Pu' + [-(U' + U^2) + (V' - V^2) + 2UV - PU + PV]u = 0 \end{cases}$$

Proof:
immediate

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Corollary I.5a: If P, U & V are differentiable functions, and:

$$u = e^{-\int (U+V)dx} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Pu' + [(U+V)' - (U+V)^2 + P(U+V)]u = 0 \\ u'' + Pu' + [[U' - U^2] + [V' - V^2] - 2UV + PU + PV]u = 0 \end{cases}$$

Proof:

$$u = e^{-\int (U+V)dx} = e^{\int ((-U)+(-V))dx}$$

By lemme I.5:

$$\begin{aligned} &\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Pu' + [-((-U) + (-V))' - ((-U) + (-V))^2 - P((-U) + (-V))]u = 0 \\ u'' + Pu' + [-((-U)' + (-U)^2) - ((-V)' + (-V)^2) - 2(-U)(-V) - P(-U) - P(-V)]u = 0 \end{cases} \\ &\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Pu' + [(U+V)' - (U+V)^2 + P(U+V)]u = 0 \\ u'' + Pu' + [U' + V' - U^2 - 2UV - V^2 + PU + PV]u = 0 \end{cases} \\ &\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Pu' + [(U+V)' - (U+V)^2 + P(U+V)]u = 0 \\ u'' + Pu' + [[U' - U^2] + [V' - V^2] - 2UV + PU + PV]u = 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

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Corollary I.5b: If P, R & T are differentiable functions, and:

$$\begin{aligned} u &= e^{-\int (\frac{1}{2}R+T)dx} \\ &\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Pu' + [[(\frac{1}{2}R)'] - (\frac{1}{2}R)^2] + [T' - T^2] - RT + \frac{1}{2}PR + PT]u = 0 \\ u'' + Ru' + [[(\frac{1}{2}R)'] + (\frac{1}{2}R)^2] + [T' - T^2]]u = 0 \end{cases} \\ u &= e^{\int (-\frac{1}{2}R+T)dx} \\ &\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Pu' + [-(T - (\frac{1}{2}R))' - (T - (\frac{1}{2}R))^2 - P(T - (\frac{1}{2}R))]u = 0 \\ u'' + Pu' + [-[T' + T^2] + [(\frac{1}{2}R)'] - (\frac{1}{2}R)^2] + RT - PT + \frac{1}{2}PR]u = 0 \\ u'' + Ru' + [-[T' + T^2] + ((\frac{1}{2}R)'] + (\frac{1}{2}R)^2)]u = 0 \end{cases} \\ u &= e^{\frac{1}{2}\int (P-R)dx} \\ &\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Tu' + [-(\frac{1}{2}(P-R))' - (\frac{1}{2}(P-R))^2 - T(\frac{1}{2}(P-R))]u = 0 \\ u'' + Tu' + [-[(\frac{1}{2}P)'] + (\frac{1}{2}P)^2] + [(\frac{1}{2}R)'] - (\frac{1}{2}R)^2] + \frac{1}{2}PR - \frac{1}{2}PT + \frac{1}{2}RT]u = 0 \\ u'' + Ru' + [-[(\frac{1}{2}P)'] + (\frac{1}{2}P)^2] + [(\frac{1}{2}R)'] + (\frac{1}{2}R)^2]]u = 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} u &= e^{-\int (\frac{1}{2}R+T)dx} \\ &\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Pu' + [(\frac{1}{2}R)'] + T' - ((\frac{1}{2}R) + T)^2 + P((\frac{1}{2}R) + T)]u = 0 \\ u'' + Pu' + [[(\frac{1}{2}R)'] - (\frac{1}{2}R)^2] + [T' - T^2] - 2(\frac{1}{2}R)T + P(\frac{1}{2}R) + PT]u = 0 \\ u'' + Ru' + [[(\frac{1}{2}R)'] - (\frac{1}{2}R)^2] + [T' - T^2] - 2(\frac{1}{2}R)T + R(\frac{1}{2}R) + RT]u = 0 \end{cases} \\ &\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Pu' + [[(\frac{1}{2}R)'] - (\frac{1}{2}R)^2] + [T' - T^2] - RT + \frac{1}{2}PR + PT]u = 0 \\ u'' + Ru' + [[(\frac{1}{2}R)'] + (\frac{1}{2}R)^2] + [T' - T^2]]u = 0 \end{cases} \\ u &= e^{\int (-\frac{1}{2}R+T)dx} = e^{\int (T-\frac{1}{2}R)dx} \\ &\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Pu' + [-(T - (\frac{1}{2}R))' - (T - (\frac{1}{2}R))^2 - P(T - (\frac{1}{2}R))]u = 0 \\ u'' + Pu' + [-[T' + T^2] + [(\frac{1}{2}R)'] - (\frac{1}{2}R)^2] + RT - PT + \frac{1}{2}PR]u = 0 \\ u'' + Ru' + [-[T' + T^2] + ((\frac{1}{2}R)'] + (\frac{1}{2}R)^2)]u = 0 \end{cases} \\ u &= e^{\frac{1}{2}\int (P-R)dx} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Tu' + \left[-\left(\frac{1}{2}(P-R)\right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}(P-R)\right)^2 - T\left(\frac{1}{2}(P-R)\right) \right] u = 0 \\ u'' + Tu' + \left[-\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P\right)^2\right] + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R\right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}R\right)^2\right] + \frac{1}{2}PR - \frac{1}{2}PT + \frac{1}{2}RT \right] u = 0 \\ u'' + Ru' + \left[-\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P\right)^2\right] + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R\right)^2\right] \right] u = 0 \end{cases}$$

□

Corollary I.5c: For twice differentiable function y and differentiable functions g, h, P, Q :

$$\begin{aligned} y'' + Py' + Qy &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow y &= e^{-\int g dx} \left(c_1 \int e^{-\int (2g-P) dx} dx + c_2 \right) \\ \Rightarrow y &= e^{-\int g dx} \left(c_1 \int g e^{\int \left(g - \frac{Q}{g} \right) dx} dx + c_2 \right) \\ \text{where: } P &= g + \left(\frac{Q-g'}{g} \right) \quad \& \quad -Q = g' + g \left(\frac{Q-g'}{g} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Proof:

From corollary I.3 & I.4 with $W = 0$.

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Corollary I.5d: For twice differentiable function y and differentiable function P :

$$\Rightarrow y'' + Py' = 0 \Rightarrow y = c_1 e^{\int \left(\frac{e^{-\int P dx}}{\int e^{-\int P dx} dx} \right) dx} \left[\int \left(\frac{-e^{-\int P dx}}{\int e^{-\int P dx} dx} \right) e^{\int \left(-\frac{e^{-\int P dx}}{\int e^{-\int P dx} dx} \left[P - \left(\frac{e^{-\int P dx}}{\int e^{-\int P dx} dx} \right) \right] \right) dx} dx + c_2 \right]$$

Proof:

$$y'' + Py' = 0 \quad (Q = 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow (y')' + P(y') = 0 \Rightarrow \left(y' e^{\int P dx} \right)' e^{-\int P dx} = 0 \Rightarrow y' = c_1 e^{-\int P dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = c_1 \int e^{-\int P dx} dx + c_2 = y = e^{-\int g dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow \log \left(c_1 \int e^{-\int P dx} dx + c_2 \right) = -\int g dx$$

$Q = 0$:

$$\Rightarrow y = c_1 e^{-\int g dx} \int e^{\int \left(g - \left(\frac{0-g'}{g} \right) \right) dx} dx + c_2 e^{-\int g dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = c_1 e^{-\int g dx} \int g e^{\int g dx} dx + c_2 e^{-\int g dx}$$

$$c_1 = 0 \Rightarrow g = 0 \Rightarrow h = \frac{0-g'}{g} = \frac{0}{0} \text{ is unacceptable}$$

$$c_2 = 0 \Rightarrow g = -\frac{e^{-\int P dx}}{\int e^{-\int P dx} dx} \Rightarrow \frac{g'}{g} = -P + g$$

$$\Rightarrow g - \left(\frac{0-g'}{g} \right) = g + \frac{g'}{g} = g - h \Rightarrow h = \left(\frac{Q-g'}{g} \right) = P - g \quad \checkmark$$

$$\Rightarrow y'' + Py' = 0 \Rightarrow y = c_1 e^{\int \left(\frac{e^{-\int P dx}}{\int e^{-\int P dx} dx} \right) dx} \left[\int \left(\frac{-e^{-\int P dx}}{\int e^{-\int P dx} dx} \right) e^{\int \left(-\frac{e^{-\int P dx}}{\int e^{-\int P dx} dx} \left[P - \left(\frac{e^{-\int P dx}}{\int e^{-\int P dx} dx} \right) \right] \right) dx} dx + c_2 \right]$$

□

Corollary I.5e: For twice differentiable function y and differentiable function P :

$$\Rightarrow y'' + Py' + P'y = 0 \Rightarrow e^{-\int P dx} \left(c_1 \int e^{\int \left(P - \left(\frac{P'-P'}{P} \right) \right) dx} dx + c_3 \right)$$

Proof:

$$y'' + Py' + P'y = 0 \quad (Q = P')$$

$$\Rightarrow (y' + Py)' = 0 \Rightarrow \left(\left(y e^{\int P dx} \right)' e^{-\int P dx} \right)' = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(y e^{\int P dx} \right)' = c e^{\int P dx} \Rightarrow e^{-\int P dx} \left(c_1 \int e^{\int P dx} dx + c_2 \right) = y = e^{-\int g dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow \log \left(e^{-\int P dx} \left(c_1 \int e^{\int P dx} dx + c_2 \right) \right) = -\int g dx$$

$Q = P'$:

$$\Rightarrow y = e^{-\int g dx} c_1 \int e^{\int \left(g - \left(\frac{P'-g'}{g} \right) \right) dx} dx + c_2 e^{-\int g dx}$$

$$c_1 = 0 \Rightarrow -\int g dx = \log \left(e^{-\int P dx} c_2 \right) = -\int P dx + \log c_2 \Rightarrow g = P \Rightarrow h = 0 \Rightarrow Q = g' + gh = P' \quad \checkmark$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow y &= e^{-\int g dx} \int c_1 e^{\int \left(g - \left(\frac{P' - P'}{g} \right) \right) dx} dx + c_2 e^{-\int g dx} \\ \Rightarrow y &= e^{-\int P dx} \left(c_1 \int e^{\int \left(P - \left(\frac{P' - P'}{P} \right) \right) dx} dx + c_3 \right) = e^{-\int P dx} \left(c_1 \int e^{\int P dx} dx + c_3 \right) \end{aligned}$$

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In these, most elementary, g was determined and plugged-into corolary I.3 for the complete HLODE solution. Thus, the key to fully understanding 2nd order LODEs is the g . Ricatti ODEs are expressed via the g 's:

Example:

$$\begin{aligned} g' + g^2 &= \lambda^2 \Leftrightarrow g \in \{ \pm \lambda, -\lambda \cot(\lambda x) \} \\ \Rightarrow \left(g + \frac{1}{2}P \right)' + \left(g + \frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 + (-\lambda^2 - 0) &= g' + g^2 + gP + \lambda^2 + \left[\left(\left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 + 0 \right) \right] \\ \Rightarrow y &= e^{-\int \left(g + \frac{1}{2}P \right) dx} \Rightarrow y'' + Py' + \left(\lambda^2 + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] \right) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow y &= e^{-\int \left(g + \frac{1}{2}P \right) dx} \Rightarrow y'' + Py' + \left(\lambda^2 + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] \right) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow y &= e^{-\int g dx} \left[c_1 + c_2 \int g e^{\int \left(g - \frac{Q}{g} \right) dx} dx \right] \\ \Rightarrow y &= e^{-\int \left(g + \frac{1}{2}P \right) dx} \left[c_1 + c_2 \int g e^{\int \left(g + \frac{1}{2}P \right) - \left(\frac{\lambda^2 + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right]}{\left(g + \frac{1}{2}P \right)} \right) dx} dx \right] \end{aligned}$$

(NOTE: The inhomogenous terms are being omitted merely to save space.)

Theorem I.6: If $y_1'' + P_1 y_1' + Q_1 y_1 = 0$ and $y_2'' + P_2 y_2' + Q_2 y_2 = 0$ and:

$$u = \frac{y_2}{y_1}$$

then

$$0 = u'' + \left(2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + P_2 \right) u' + \left[(P_2 - P_1) \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + Q_2 - Q_1 \right] u$$

Proof:

The following are given:

$$y_1'' + P_1 y_1' + Q_1 y_1 = 0$$

$$y_2'' + P_2 y_2' + Q_2 y_2 = 0$$

$$u = \frac{y_2}{y_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow u' = \frac{y_1 y_2' - y_1' y_2}{y_1^2} = \frac{y_2'}{y_1} - \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \frac{y_2}{y_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow u'' = \frac{y_1 y_2'' - y_1' y_2'}{y_1^2} - \frac{y_1 y_1'' - y_1' y_1'}{y_1^2} \frac{y_2}{y_1} - \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \left(\frac{y_2}{y_1} \right)'$$

$$= \frac{y_2''}{y_1} - \frac{y_1'}{y_1^2} y_2' - \frac{y_1''}{y_1} \frac{y_2}{y_1} + \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \frac{y_2}{y_1} - \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \left(\frac{y_2'}{y_1} - \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \frac{y_2}{y_1} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{y_1} \left(y_2'' - \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2' - \frac{y_1''}{y_1} y_2 + \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2 - \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2' + \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{y_1} \left[y_2'' - 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2' + \frac{1}{y_1} \left(-y_1'' + 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_1' \right) y_2 \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow u'' + \left(2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + P_2 \right) u' + \left[(P_2 - P_1) \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + Q_2 - Q_1 \right] u =$$

$$= \frac{1}{y_1} \left[y_2'' - 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2' + \frac{1}{y_1} \left(-y_1'' + 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_1' \right) y_2 \right] +$$

$$+ \left(2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + P_2 \right) \left[\frac{y_2'}{y_1} - \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \frac{y_2}{y_1} \right] + \left[(P_2 - P_1) \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + Q_2 - Q_1 \right] \frac{y_2}{y_1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{y_1} \left(y_2'' - 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2' + \frac{1}{y_1} \left(-y_1'' + 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_1' \right) y_2 + \left(2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + P_2 \right) \left(y_2' - \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2 \right) + \right.$$

$$\left. + \left[(P_2 - P_1) \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + Q_2 - Q_1 \right] y_2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{y_1} \left(y_2'' - 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2' - \frac{1}{y_1} y_1'' y_2 + 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_1 y_2 + \left(2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + P_2 \right) y_2' - \left(2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + P_2 \right) \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2 + \right.$$

$$\left. + \left[(P_2 - P_1) \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + Q_2 - Q_1 \right] y_2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{y_1} \left(y_2'' - 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2' - \frac{1}{y_1} y_1'' y_2 + 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_1 y_2 + 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2' + P_2 y_2' - 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2 - P_2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2 + \right.$$

$$\left. + \left[(P_2 - P_1) \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + Q_2 - Q_1 \right] y_2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{y_1} \left(y_2'' - 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2' + 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2' - \frac{1}{y_1} y_1'' y_2 + 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_1 y_2 - 2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2 + P_2 y_2' - P_2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2 + \right.$$

$$\left. + \left[(P_2 - P_1) \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + Q_2 - Q_1 \right] y_2 \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{y_1} \left(y_2'' - \frac{1}{y_1} y_1'' y_2 + P_2 y_2' - P_2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2 + \left[(P_2 - P_1) \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + Q_2 - Q_1 \right] y_2 \right)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{y_1} \left[y_2'' + P_2 y_2' + Q_2 y_2 - \frac{1}{y_1} y_1'' y_2 - P_2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2 + P_2 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2 - P_1 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2 - Q_1 y_2 \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{y_1} \left[y_2'' + P_2 y_2' + Q_2 y_2 - \frac{1}{y_1} y_1'' y_2 - P_1 \frac{y_1'}{y_1} y_2 - Q_1 y_2 \right] \\
&= \frac{1}{y_1} \left[(y_2'' + P_2 y_2' + Q_2 y_2) - \frac{y_2}{y_1} (y_1'' + P_1 y_1' + Q_1 y_1) \right] = \frac{1}{y_1} [0 - \frac{y_2}{y_1} 0] = 0
\end{aligned}$$

□

Theorem I.7: For arbitrary differentiable function R and differentiable functions P_1, P_2, Q_2, y_1, y_2 such that:

$$\begin{aligned}
&y_1'' + P_1 y_1' + \left(-\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}(R - P_2) \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}(R - P_2) \right)^2 + P_1 \left(\frac{1}{2}(R - P_2) \right) \right] \right) y_1 = 0, \\
&\left(y_1'' + P_1 y_1' + \left(-\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}(R - P_2) + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_1 \right) \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}(R - P_2) + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_1 \right) \right)^2 - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_1 \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_1 \right)^2 \right] \right) \right) y_1 = 0 \right), \text{ and:} \\
&y_2'' + P_2 y_2' + Q_2 y_2 = 0 \quad \text{then:} \\
&u = y_2 e^{-\frac{1}{2} \int (R - P_2) dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_2 \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_2 \right)^2 \right] + Q_2 \right] u = 0
\end{aligned}$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned}
\text{Let } &y_1 = e^{\frac{1}{2} \int (R - P_2) dx} \Rightarrow y_1' = \frac{1}{2}(R - P_2)y_1 \Rightarrow y_1'' + P_1 y_1' = \left[\left[\frac{1}{2}(R - P_2)' + \frac{1}{4}(R - P_2)^2 \right] + \frac{1}{2}P_1(R - P_2) \right] y_1 \\
&\Rightarrow y_1'' + P_1 y_1' - \left[\left[\frac{1}{2}(R - P_2)' + \frac{1}{4}(R - P_2)^2 \right] + \frac{1}{2}P_1(R - P_2) \right] y_1 = 0 \\
Q_1 = &-\frac{1}{2}(R - P_2)' - \frac{1}{4}(R - P_2)^2 - \frac{1}{2}P_1(R - P_2) \\
&= -\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}(R - P_2) + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_1 \right) \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}(R - P_2) + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_1 \right) \right)^2 - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_1 \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_1 \right)^2 \right] \right] \\
&\Rightarrow y_1'' + P_1 y_1' + Q_1 y_1 = 0
\end{aligned}$$

So, by theorem I.1:

$$u = \frac{y_2}{y_1} = y_2 e^{-\frac{1}{2} \int (R - P_2) dx}$$

then

$$\begin{aligned}
0 &= u'' + Ru' + \left[(P_2 - P_1) \frac{y_1'}{y_1} + Q_2 - Q_1 \right] u \\
&\Rightarrow 0 = u'' + Ru' + \left[\frac{1}{2}(P_2 - P_1)(R - P_2) + Q_2 + \left[\left[\frac{1}{2}(R - P_2)' + \frac{1}{4}(R - P_2)^2 \right] + \frac{1}{2}P_1(R - P_2) \right] \right] u \\
&\Rightarrow 0 = u'' + Ru' + \\
&\quad + \left[\frac{1}{2}(P_2 R - P_2^2 - P_1 R + P_1 P_2) + Q_2 + \frac{1}{2}(R - P_2)' + \frac{1}{4}(R^2 - 2RP_2 + P_2^2) + \frac{1}{2}P_1 R - \frac{1}{2}P_1 P_2 \right] u \\
&\Rightarrow 0 = u'' + Ru' + \\
&\quad + \left[\frac{1}{2}P_2 R - \frac{1}{2}P_2^2 - \frac{1}{2}P_1 R + \frac{1}{2}P_1 P_2 + Q_2 + \frac{1}{2}(R - P_2)' + \frac{1}{4}R^2 - \frac{1}{2}RP_2 + \frac{1}{4}P_2^2 + \frac{1}{2}P_1 R - \frac{1}{2}P_1 P_2 \right] u \\
&\Rightarrow 0 = u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_2 \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_2 \right)^2 \right] + Q_2 \right] u
\end{aligned}$$

□

The following lemma I.8 verifies corollary I.5b

Lemma I.8: If P, U & V are differentiable functions, and:

$$\begin{aligned}
&w'' + Pw' + Qw = 0 \quad \& \quad u = we^{\frac{1}{2} \int (P - R) dx} \\
&\Rightarrow u = \left(c_1 \int e^{2 \int T dx} dx + c_2 \right) e^{-\int \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right) dx} e^{-\int T dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] + [T' - T^2] \right] u = 0
\end{aligned}$$

Proof:

From theorem I.7:

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

So, for $Q = 0$:

$$\begin{aligned}
w'' + Pw' = 0 \quad \& \quad u = we^{\frac{1}{2} \int (P - R) dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] \right] u = 0 \\
&= (w')' + P(w') = \left(w' e^{\int P dx} \right)' e^{-\int P dx} \Rightarrow w' e^{\int P dx} = c_1
\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow w = c_1 \int e^{-\int P dx} dx + c_2$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \left(c_1 \int e^{-\int P dx} dx + c_2 \right) e^{\frac{1}{2} \int (P - R) dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] \right] u = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \left(c_1 \int e^{2 \int \left(-\frac{1}{2}P \right) dx} dx + c_2 \right) e^{-\int \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right) dx} e^{-\int \left(-\frac{1}{2}P \right) dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] + \left[\left(-\frac{1}{2}P \right)' - \left(-\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] \right] u = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \left(c_1 \int e^{2 \int \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right) dx} dx + c_2 \right) e^{-\int \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right) dx} e^{-\int \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right) dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] \right] u = 0$$

So, for $Q = P'$:

$$\begin{aligned}
w'' + Pw' + P' = 0 \quad \& \quad u = we^{\frac{1}{2} \int (P - R) dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] + P' \right] u = 0 \\
&= (w')' + (Pw)' = (w' + Pw)' \Rightarrow w' + Pw = c_1
\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow c_1 = \left(we^{\int P dx} \right)' e^{-\int P dx} \Rightarrow \left(we^{\int P dx} \right)' = c_1 e^{\int P dx} \Rightarrow w = e^{-\int P dx} \left(c_1 \int e^{\int P dx} dx + c_2 \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow u = e^{-\int P dx} \left(c_1 \int e^{\int P dx} dx + c_2 \right) e^{\frac{1}{2} \int (P - R) dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] + P' \right] u = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \left(c_1 \int e^{\int P dx} dx + c_2 \right) e^{-\frac{1}{2} \int (P + R) dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] \right] u = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \left(c_1 \int e^{2 \int \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right) dx} dx + c_2 \right) e^{-\int \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right) dx} e^{-\int \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right) dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] \right] u = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \left(c_1 \int e^{2 \int \left(-\frac{1}{2}P \right) dx} dx + c_2 \right) e^{-\int \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right) dx} e^{-\int \left(-\frac{1}{2}P \right) dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] - \left[\left(-\frac{1}{2}P \right)' + \left(-\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] \right] u = 0$$

So, more generally:

$$u = \left(c_1 \int e^{2 \int T dx} dx + c_2 \right) e^{-\int \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right) dx} e^{-\int T dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] + [T' - T^2] \right] u = 0$$

$$u = \left(c_1 \int e^{-2 \int (-T) dx} dx + c_2 \right) e^{-\int (\frac{1}{2}R) dx} e^{\int (-T) dx} \Rightarrow u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] - \left[(-T)' + (-T)^2 \right] \right] u = 0$$

□

Comparing to corollary I.5b:

$$u = e^{\frac{1}{2} \int (P-R) dx} \Leftrightarrow (-T \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{2}P)$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Tu' + \left[-\left(\frac{1}{2}(P-R) \right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}(P-R) \right)^2 - T \left(\frac{1}{2}(P-R) \right) \right] u = 0 \\ u'' + Tu' + \left[-\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] + \frac{1}{2}PR - \frac{1}{2}PT + \frac{1}{2}RT \right] u = 0 \\ u'' + Ru' + \left[-\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P \right)^2 \right] + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] \right] u = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$u = e^{-\int (\frac{1}{2}R+T) dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} u'' + Pu' + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + T' - \left(\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right) + T \right)^2 + P \left(\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right) + T \right) \right] u = 0 \\ u'' + Pu' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] + [T' - T^2] - 2 \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right) T + P \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right) + PT \right] u = 0 \\ u'' + Pu' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] + [T' - T^2] - RT + \frac{1}{2}PR + PT \right] u = 0 \\ u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] + [T' - T^2] \right] u = 0 \\ u'' + Ru' + \left[\left[\left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}R \right)^2 \right] - \left[(-T)' + (-T)^2 \right] \right] u = 0 \end{cases}$$

The following sequences allow further use of g's for 2nd order LODE solutions.

Theorem II.1: Given the sequence on differentiable functions s_i, P_i :

$$s_{n+1} - s_n = -\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1} \quad , \quad s_n = s_1 - \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=2}^n P_i \right) \quad , \quad (\forall n \in \mathbb{N});$$

these sequence expressions follow:

$$\begin{aligned} \left[s_n + \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right) \right]' + \left[s_n + \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right) \right]^2 &= \\ &= s_n' + s_n^2 + s_n \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right)' + \left[\left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right) \right]' + \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right) \right]^2 \right] = \\ &= s_m' + s_m^2 + s_m \left(\sum_{i=1}^m P_i \right)' + \left[\left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^m P_i \right) \right]' + \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^m P_i \right) \right]^2 \right] = \\ &= \left[s_m + \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^m P_i \right) \right]' + \left[s_m + \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^m P_i \right) \right]^2 \quad , \quad (\forall m, n \in \mathbb{N} \quad , \quad m \geq n); \end{aligned}$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} s_1' + s_1^2 + s_1 P_1 &= s_1' + \frac{1}{2} P_1' - \frac{1}{2} P_1' + s_1^2 + s_1 P_1 + \frac{1}{4} P_1^2 - \frac{1}{4} P_1^2 \\ &= \left(s_1 + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)' + \left(s_1 + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)^2 - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)^2 \right] \\ \Rightarrow \left(s_1 + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)' + \left(s_1 + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)^2 &= s_1' + s_1^2 + s_1 P_1 + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)^2 \right] \end{aligned}$$

Let: $s_1 = s_2 + \frac{1}{2} P_2$:

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \left(s_1 + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)' + \left(s_1 + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)^2 &= \left(s_2 + \frac{1}{2} P_2 + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)' + \left(s_2 + \frac{1}{2} P_2 + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)^2 \\ &= \left[s_2 + \frac{1}{2} (P_2 + P_1) \right]' + \left[s_2 + \frac{1}{2} (P_2 + P_1) \right]^2 \\ &= s_2' + s_2^2 + s_2 (P_2 + P_1) + \left[\left[\frac{1}{2} (P_2 + P_1) \right]' + \left[\frac{1}{2} (P_2 + P_1) \right]^2 \right] \\ \Rightarrow s_1' + s_1^2 + s_1 P_1 + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)^2 \right] &= \\ &= s_2' + s_2^2 + s_2 (P_2 + P_1) + \left[\left[\frac{1}{2} (P_2 + P_1) \right]' + \left[\frac{1}{2} (P_2 + P_1) \right]^2 \right] \end{aligned}$$

Let: $s_2 = s_3 + \frac{1}{2} P_3$:

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow \left[s_2 + \frac{1}{2} (P_2 + P_1) \right]' + \left[s_2 + \frac{1}{2} (P_2 + P_1) \right]^2 &= \left[s_3 + \frac{1}{2} (P_3 + P_2 + P_1) \right]' + \left[s_3 + \frac{1}{2} (P_3 + P_2 + P_1) \right]^2 \\ &= s_3' + s_3^2 + s_3 (P_3 + P_2 + P_1) + \left[\left[\frac{1}{2} (P_3 + P_2 + P_1) \right]' + \left[\frac{1}{2} (P_3 + P_2 + P_1) \right]^2 \right] \\ \Rightarrow s_1' + s_1^2 + s_1 P_1 + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)^2 \right] &= \\ &= s_3' + s_3^2 + s_3 (P_3 + P_2 + P_1) + \left[\left[\frac{1}{2} (P_3 + P_2 + P_1) \right]' + \left[\frac{1}{2} (P_3 + P_2 + P_1) \right]^2 \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{if: } s_n' + s_n^2 + s_n \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right)' + \left[\left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right) \right]' + \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right) \right]^2 \right] &= \\ &= s_m' + s_m^2 + s_m \left(\sum_{i=1}^m P_i \right)' + \left[\left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^m P_i \right) \right]' + \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^m P_i \right) \right]^2 \right] \end{aligned}$$

Let: $s_m = s_{m+1} + \frac{1}{2} P_{m+1}$:

$$\begin{aligned} s_m' + s_m^2 + s_m \left(\sum_{i=1}^m P_i \right)' + \left[\left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^m P_i \right) \right]' + \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^m P_i \right) \right]^2 \right] &= \\ &= \left[s_m + \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^m P_i \right) \right]' + \left[s_m + \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^m P_i \right) \right]^2 \\ &= \left[s_{m+1} + \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{m+1} P_i \right) \right]' + \left[s_{m+1} + \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{m+1} P_i \right) \right]^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= s'_{m+1} + s^2_{m+1} + s_{m+1} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{m+1} P_i \right) + \left[\left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{m+1} P_i \right) \right]' + \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{m+1} P_i \right) \right]^2 \right] \\
\Rightarrow s'_n + s^2_n + s_n \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right) + \left[\left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right) \right]' + \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right) \right]^2 \right] &= \\
&= s'_{m+1} + s^2_{m+1} + s_{m+1} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{m+1} P_i \right) + \left[\left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{m+1} P_i \right) \right]' + \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{m+1} P_i \right) \right]^2 \right]
\end{aligned}$$

□

(reproduced from my "Solving Ricatti Ordinary Differential Equations")

Theorem II.2: $\forall s, P_n \in \mathbb{R}, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$:

$$\left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right) P_{n+1} = \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+1} \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+1} \right)^2 \right]$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned}
s' + s^2 + P_1 s &= \left(s + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)' + \left(s + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)^2 - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)^2 \right] \\
\Rightarrow \left(s + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)' + \left(s + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)^2 + \left(s + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right) P_2 &= \left(s + \frac{1}{2} P_1 + \frac{1}{2} P_2 \right)' + \left(s + \frac{1}{2} P_1 + \frac{1}{2} P_2 \right)^2 - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_2 \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_2 \right)^2 \right]
\end{aligned}$$

So, if for n :

$$\left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right) P_{n+1} = \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+1} \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+1} \right)^2 \right]$$

then:

$$\begin{aligned}
\left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+2} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' &= \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+2} \right)' \\
\left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+2} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 &= \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 + 2 \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right) \left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+2} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+2} \right)^2 \\
&= \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right) P_{n+2} + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+2} \right)^2 \\
&= \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right) P_{n+2} + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+2} \right)^2 \\
\Rightarrow \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right) P_{n+2} &= \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+2} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+2} \right)' + \\
&\quad + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+2} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 - \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right) P_{n+2} - \left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+2} \right)^2 + \\
&\quad + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right) P_{n+2} \\
&= \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+2} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+2} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+2} \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+2} \right)^2 \right]
\end{aligned}$$

So true for all $n \in \mathbb{N} \geq 1$, by Induction.

□

Corollary II.2: $\forall s, P_n \in \mathbb{R}, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$:

$$\begin{aligned}
\left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right) P_{n+1} &= -Q \\
\Rightarrow y = e^{-\int \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right) dx} \Rightarrow y'' + P_{n+1} y' + Q y &= 0
\end{aligned}$$

Proof:

immediate.

□

Corollary II.2.1: $\forall s, P_n \in \mathbb{R}, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$:

$$\begin{aligned}
\left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+2} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+2} \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+2} \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_{n+2} \right)^2 \right] &= -Q \\
\Rightarrow y = e^{-\int \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right) dx} \Rightarrow y'' + Q y &= 0
\end{aligned}$$

Proof:

immediate.

□

Theorem II.3: $\forall s, P_n \in \mathbb{R}, \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$:

$$s' + s^2 + s \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n P_i P_j \right) = \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 - \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right)^2 \right]$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned}
s' + s^2 + P_1 s &= \left(s + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)' + \left(s + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)^2 - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_1 \right)^2 \right] \\
\Rightarrow s' + s^2 + P_1 s + P_2 \left(s + \frac{1}{2} P_1 \right) &= s' + s^2 + (P_1 + P_2) s + \frac{1}{2} (P_1 P_2) \\
&= \left(s + \frac{1}{2} (P_1 + P_2) \right)' + \left(s + \frac{1}{2} (P_1 + P_2) \right)^2 - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} (P_1 + P_2) \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} (P_1 + P_2) \right)^2 \right] + \frac{1}{2} P_1 P_2
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \left(s + \frac{1}{2}(P_1 + P_2)\right)' + \left(s + \frac{1}{2}(P_1 + P_2)\right)^2 + \\
&\quad - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}(P_1)\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}(P_1)\right)^2\right] - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}(P_2)\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}(P_2)\right)^2\right] - \frac{1}{2}P_1P_2 + \frac{1}{2}P_1P_2 \\
&= \left(s + \frac{1}{2}(P_1 + P_2)\right)' + \left(s + \frac{1}{2}(P_1 + P_2)\right)^2 + \\
&\quad - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}(P_1)\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}(P_1)\right)^2\right] - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}(P_2)\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}(P_2)\right)^2\right] \\
\left(s + \frac{1}{2}P_1 + \frac{1}{2}P_2\right)' + \left(s + \frac{1}{2}P_1 + \frac{1}{2}P_2\right)^2 + & \\
&\quad - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_1\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_1\right)^2\right] - \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_2\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_2\right)^2\right] \\
&= s' + s^2 + s\left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i\right) + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n P_i P_j\right) + sP_{n+1} + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i P_{n+1}\right)
\end{aligned}$$

So, if for n :

$$s' + s^2 + s\left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i\right) + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n P_i P_j\right) = \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)^2 - \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)^2\right]$$

then:

$$\begin{aligned}
s' + s^2 + s\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} P_i\right) + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^{n+1} P_i P_j\right) &= s' + s^2 + s\left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i\right) + sP_{n+1} + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n P_i P_j\right) + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i P_{n+1}\right) \\
&= s' + s^2 + s\left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i\right) + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n P_i P_j\right) + sP_{n+1} + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i P_{n+1}\right) \\
&= \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)^2 - \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)^2\right] + \\
&\quad + sP_{n+1} + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i P_{n+1}\right) \\
&= \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)' + \\
&\quad + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right) - \left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)\right)^2 + \\
&\quad - \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)^2\right] + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)^2\right] + \\
&\quad + sP_{n+1} + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i P_{n+1}\right) \\
&= \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)' - \left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)' + \\
&\quad + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)^2 - \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)(P_{n+1}) + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)^2 + \\
&\quad - \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)^2\right] + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)^2\right] + \\
&\quad + sP_{n+1} + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i P_{n+1}\right) \\
&= \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)^2 - \left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)' + \\
&\quad - sP_{n+1} - (P_{n+1})\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)^2 + \\
&\quad - \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)^2\right] + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)^2\right] + \\
&\quad + sP_{n+1} + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i P_{n+1}\right) \\
&= \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)^2 + \\
&\quad - (P_{n+1})\sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right) + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)^2 + \\
&\quad - \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)^2\right] + \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)^2\right] + \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i P_{n+1}\right) \\
&= \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)^2 + \\
&\quad - (P_{n+1})\sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right) + (P_{n+1})\left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right) + 2\left(\frac{1}{2}P_{n+1}\right)^2 + \\
&\quad - \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)^2\right] + \\
&\quad + \frac{1}{2}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i P_{n+1}\right) \\
&= \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)\right)^2 + \\
&\quad - \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} \left[\left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2}P_i\right)^2\right]
\end{aligned}$$

So true for all $n \in \mathbb{N} \geq 1$, by Induction.

□

Corollary II.3: $\forall s, P_n \in \mathbb{R}, \forall n \in \mathbb{N} :$

$$s' + s^2 + s \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right) = -\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n P_i P_j \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y = e^{-\int s dx} \Rightarrow y'' + \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right) y' + \left[\frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n P_i P_j \right) \right] y = 0$$

Proof:

immediate.

□

Corollary II.3.1: $\forall s, P_n \in \mathbb{R}, \forall n \in \mathbb{N} :$

$$\left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right)^2 \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow y = e^{-\int \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right) dx} \Rightarrow y'' + \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right)^2 \right] \right) y = 0$$

Proof:

immediate.

□

Since: $-g = s$ these can lead to further Ricatti and LODE solutions.

$$s' + s^2 + s \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right) + \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n P_i P_j \right) = \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)' + \left(s + \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right) \right)^2 - \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right)' + \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right)^2 \right]$$

$$P = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right), \quad Q = \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n P_i P_j \right) \Rightarrow s' + s^2 + sP + Q = 0 = \left(s + \frac{1}{2} P \right)' + \left(s + \frac{1}{2} P \right)^2 - \left(\frac{1}{2} P' + \frac{1}{4} \sum_{i=1}^n P_i^2 \right)$$

$$0 = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n P_i \right), \quad Q = \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n P_i P_j \right) \Rightarrow s' + s^2 + \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n P_i P_j \right) = 0 = s' + s^2 - \sum_{i=1}^n \left[\left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right)^2 \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n P_i = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n P_i P_j \right) = -\sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{1}{2} P_i \right)^2$$

And, 2nd order linear Partial differential equations may be factored, just as LODE's; thus solved as first order partials

Theorem III.1: For thrice differentiable function y , twice differentiable function g_1 and differentiable functions g_2, g_3 .

$$\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(y e^{\int g_1 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_1 dx} \right) e^{\int g_2 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx} =$$

$$= y''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3) y'' + [(g_1' + g_2 g_1) + (g_1' + g_3 g_1) + (g_2' + g_3 g_2)] y' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3) g_1' + (g_2' + g_3 g_2) g_1] y$$

Proof:

$$\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(y e^{\int g_1 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_1 dx} \right) e^{\int g_2 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx} =$$

$$= \left(\left(\left(\left((y' + y g_1) e^{\int g_1 dx} e^{-\int g_1 dx} \right) e^{\int g_2 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx}$$

$$= \left(\left(\left((y' + y g_1) e^{\int g_2 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx}$$

$$= \left(\left((y' + y g_1)' e^{\int g_2 dx} + (y' + y g_1) g_2 e^{\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx}$$

$$= \left(((y' + y g_1)' + (y' + y g_1) g_2) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx}$$

$$= \left(((y' + y g_1)' + (y' + y g_1) g_2) \right)' e^{\int g_3 dx} + ((y' + y g_1)' + (y' + y g_1) g_2) g_3 e^{\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_3 dx}$$

$$= \left((y' + y g_1)'' + (y' + y g_1)' g_2 + ((y' + y g_1)' + (y' + y g_1) g_2) \right) g_3$$

$$= (y' + y g_1)'' + (y' + y g_1)' g_2 + (y' + y g_1) g_2' + (y' + y g_1)' g_3 + (y' + y g_1) g_2 g_3$$

$$= (y' + y g_1)'' + (y' + y g_1)' (g_2 + g_3) + (y' + y g_1) (g_2' + g_2 g_3)$$

$$= (y'' + y' g_1 + y g_1') + (y'' + y' g_1 + y g_1') (g_2 + g_3) + (y' + y g_1) (g_2' + g_2 g_3)$$

$$= y''' + y'' g_1 + y' g_1' + y g_1'' + y g_1' + y'' (g_2 + g_3) +$$

$$+ y' g_1 (g_2 + g_3) + y g_1' (g_2 + g_3) + y' (g_2' + g_2 g_3) + y g_1 (g_2' + g_2 g_3)$$

$$= y''' + y'' g_1 + y'' (g_2 + g_3) + y' g_1' + y' g_1' + y' g_1 (g_2 + g_3) + y' (g_2' + g_2 g_3) +$$

$$+ y g_1'' + y g_1' (g_2 + g_3) + y g_1 (g_2' + g_2 g_3)$$

$$= y''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3) y'' + (g_1' + g_1' + g_1 (g_2 + g_3) + (g_2' + g_2 g_3)) y' +$$

$$+ (g_1'' + g_1' (g_2 + g_3) + g_1 (g_2' + g_2 g_3)) y$$

$$= y''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3) y'' + [2g_1' + g_1 (g_2 + g_3) + g_2' + g_2 g_3] y' +$$

$$+ [g_1'' + g_1' (g_2 + g_3) + g_1 (g_2' + g_2 g_3)] y$$

$$= y''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3) y'' + [(g_1' + g_2 g_1) + (g_1' + g_3 g_1) + (g_2' + g_3 g_2)] y' +$$

$$+ [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3) g_1' + (g_2' + g_3 g_2) g_1] y$$

□

Theorem III.2: For thrice differentiable function y , twice differentiable function g_1 and differentiable functions g_2, g_3 and P, Q, R :

$$P \equiv (g_1 + g_2 + g_3), \quad Q \equiv (g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2), \\ R \equiv g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1$$

$$\Rightarrow y''' + Py'' + Qy' + Ry = W \\ \Rightarrow y = e^{-\int g_1 dx} \left(\int e^{\int (g_1 - g_2) dx} \left(\int e^{\int (g_2 - g_3) dx} \left(\int We^{\int g_3 dx} dx + c_1 \right) dx + c_2 \right) dx + c_3 \right) \\ \Rightarrow y = e^{-\int g_1 dx} \left(\int e^{\int (g_1 - g_2) dx} \left(\int e^{\int (g_2 - g_3) dx} \left(\int We^{\int g_3 dx} dx + c_1 \right) dx + c_2 \right) dx + c_3 \right)$$

Proof:

$$P \equiv (g_1 + g_2 + g_3), \quad Q \equiv (g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2), \\ R \equiv g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1 \\ y''' + Py'' + Qy' + Ry = W \\ \Rightarrow y''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)y'' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]y' + \\ + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]y \\ \Rightarrow \left(\left(\left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g_1 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_1 dx} \right) e^{\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_3 dx} = W \\ \Rightarrow \left(\left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g_1 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_1 dx} \right) e^{\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} = \int We^{\int g_3 dx} dx + c_1 \\ \Rightarrow \left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g_1 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_1 dx} \right) e^{\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_2 dx} = e^{-\int g_3 dx} \left(\int We^{\int g_3 dx} dx + c_1 \right) \\ \Rightarrow \left(ye^{\int g_1 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_1 dx} = e^{-\int g_2 dx} \int e^{\int (g_2 - g_3) dx} \left(\int We^{\int g_3 dx} dx + c_1 \right) dx + c_2 \\ \Rightarrow \left(ye^{\int g_1 dx} \right)' = e^{\int (g_1 - g_2) dx} \left(\int e^{\int (g_2 - g_3) dx} \left(\int We^{\int g_3 dx} dx + c_1 \right) dx + c_2 \right) \\ \Rightarrow y = e^{-\int g_1 dx} \left(\int e^{\int (g_1 - g_2) dx} \left(\int e^{\int (g_2 - g_3) dx} \left(\int We^{\int g_3 dx} dx + c_1 \right) dx + c_2 \right) dx + c_3 \right)$$

□

Lemma III.3: For thrice differentiable functions g_1, g_2, g_3, P, Q, R :

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} P \equiv (g_1 + g_2 + g_3) \\ Q \equiv (g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2) \\ R \equiv g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1 \end{array} \right\} \\ \Rightarrow \begin{cases} g_1'' - \frac{3}{2}(g_1')^2 + Pg_1' + g_1^3 - Pg_1^2 + Qg_1 = R \\ g_2' - g_2^2 + (P - g_1)g_2 = Q - 2g_1' - (P - g_1)g_1 \\ g_3 = P - g_1 - g_2 \end{cases}$$

Proof:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} P \equiv (g_1 + g_2 + g_3) \\ Q \equiv (g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2) \\ R \equiv g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1 \end{array} \right\} \\ \Rightarrow R - g_1'' - (P - g_1)g_1' = [Q - (g_1' + g_2g_1) - (g_1' + g_3g_1)]g_1 \\ = [Q - 2g_1' - (g_2 + g_3)g_1]g_1 \\ = [Q - 2g_1' - (P - g_1)g_1]g_1 \\ = Qg_1 - 2g_1g_1' - Pg_1^2 + g_1^3 \\ \Rightarrow R - g_1'' - Pg_1' + g_1g_1' = Qg_1 - 2g_1g_1' - Pg_1^2 + g_1^3 \\ \Rightarrow R = g_1'' - 3g_1g_1' + Pg_1' + Qg_1 - Pg_1^2 + g_1^3 \\ \Rightarrow \begin{cases} g_1'' - \frac{3}{2}(g_1')^2 + Pg_1' + g_1^3 - Pg_1^2 + Qg_1 = R \\ g_1'' - 3g_1g_1' + Pg_1' + g_1^3 - Pg_1^2 + Qg_1 = R \end{cases} \\ \Rightarrow (g_2' + g_3g_2) = Q - (g_1' + g_2g_1) - (g_1' + g_3g_1) \\ = Q - (g_1' + g_2g_1) - (g_1' + g_3g_1) \\ = Q - 2g_1' - (g_2 + g_3)g_1 \\ = Q - 2g_1' - (P - g_1)g_1 \\ \Rightarrow (g_2' + (P - g_1 - g_2)g_2) = Q - 2g_1' - (P - g_1)g_1 \\ \Rightarrow g_2' - g_2^2 + (P - g_1)g_2 = Q - 2g_1' - (P - g_1)g_1 \\ \Rightarrow \begin{cases} g_2' - g_2^2 + (P - g_1)g_2 = Q - 2g_1' - (P - g_1)g_1 \\ g_3 = P - g_1 - g_2 \end{cases}$$

□

Example 1:

P, Q, R constants (Constant Coefficients)

Let: g_1, g_2, g_3 be constants:

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} 0 - 0 + 0 + g_1^3 - Pg_1^2 + Qg_1 = R \\ 0 - g_2^2 + (P - g_1)g_2 = Q - (P - g_1)g_1 \\ g_3 = P - g_1 - g_2 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} g_1^3 - Pg_1^2 + Qg_1 - R = 0 \\ g_2^2 - (P - g_1)g_2 + [Q - 2g_1' - (P - g_1)g_1] = 0 \\ g_3 = P - g_1 - g_2 \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} g_1 = \sqrt[3]{s + \sqrt{s^2 + (t - r^2)^3}} + \sqrt[3]{s - \sqrt{s^2 + (t - r^2)^3}} - r \\ g_2 = \frac{1}{2} \left[(P - g_1) \pm \sqrt{(P - g_1)^2 - 4[Q - (P - g_1)g_1]} \right] \\ g_3 = P - g_1 - g_2 \end{array} \right\} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} r = \frac{1}{3}P \\ s = r^3 + \frac{1}{6}(3R - PQ) \\ t = -\frac{1}{3}R \end{array} \right\}$$

Example 2:

$$P = \frac{A}{x}, Q = \frac{B}{x^2}, R = \frac{C}{x^3}; A, B, C; \text{ constants (Cauchy-Euler)}$$

Let: $g_1 = \frac{a}{x}, g_2 = \frac{b}{x}, g_3 = \frac{c}{x}; a, b, c; \text{ constants}$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{2a}{x^3} + 2\frac{a^2}{x^3} - \frac{A}{x} \frac{a}{x^2} + \frac{a^3}{x^3} - \frac{A}{x} \frac{a^2}{x^2} + \frac{B}{x^2} \frac{a}{x} = \frac{C}{x^3} \\ -\frac{b}{x^2} - \frac{b^2}{x^2} + \left(\frac{A}{x} - \frac{a}{x}\right) \frac{b}{x} = \frac{B}{x^2} - 2\frac{a}{x^2} - \left(\frac{A}{x} - \frac{a}{x}\right) \frac{a}{x} \\ g_3 = \frac{A}{x} - \frac{a}{x} - \frac{b}{x} \Rightarrow c = A - a - b \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} 2a + 2a^2 - Aa + a^3 - Aa^2 + Ba = C \\ -b - b^2 + (A - a)b = B - 2a - (A - a)a \\ g_3 = \frac{A}{x} - \frac{a}{x} - \frac{b}{x} \Rightarrow c = A - a - b \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} a^3 + (2 - A)a^2 + (2 - A + B)a - C = 0 \\ b^2 - (A - a - 1)b + [B - (A - a + 2)a] = 0 \\ g_3 = \frac{A}{x} - \frac{a}{x} - \frac{b}{x} \Rightarrow c = A - a - b \end{array} \right. \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} g_1 = \frac{a}{x} \Leftrightarrow a = \left(\sqrt[3]{s + \sqrt{s^2 + (t - r^2)^3}} + \sqrt[3]{s - \sqrt{s^2 + (t - r^2)^3}} - r \right) \\ g_2 = \frac{1}{2x} \left[(A - a - 1) \pm \sqrt{(A - a - 1)^2 - 4[B - (A - a + 2)a]} \right] \\ g_3 = \frac{A - a - b}{x} \end{array} \right\} \left\{ \begin{array}{l} r = -\frac{1}{3}(2 - A) \\ s = r^3 + \frac{1}{6}(3C - (2 - A)(2 - A + B)) \\ t = \frac{1}{3}C \end{array} \right\}$$

Theorem III.4: For thrice differentiable function y , twice differentiable function g_1 and differentiable functions g_2, g_3 .

$$\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g_1 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_1 dx} \right) e^{\int g_2 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx} = (D + g_3)(D + g_2)(D + g_1)y$$

$$= y''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)y'' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]y' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]y$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} (D + g_3)(D + g_2)(D + g_1) &= (D + g_3)(D^2 + Dg_1 + g_1D + g_2D + g_2g_1) \\ &= (D^3 + D^2g_1 + Dg_1D + Dg_1D + g_1D^2 + Dg_2D + g_2D^2 + D(g_2g_1) + g_2g_1D + g_3D^2 + g_3Dg_1 + g_3g_1D + g_3) \\ &= (D^3 + g_1D^2 + g_2D^2 + g_3D^2 + Dg_1D + Dg_1D + Dg_2D + g_2g_1D + g_3g_1D + g_3g_2D + D^2g_1 + D(g_2g_1) + g_3) \\ &= (D^3 + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)D^2 + (Dg_1 + Dg_1 + Dg_2 + g_2g_1 + g_3g_1 + g_3g_2)D + D^2g_1 + D(g_2g_1) + g_3Dg_1 + g_3g) \\ &= (D^3 + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)D^2 + (g_1' + g_1' + g_2' + g_2g_1 + g_3g_1 + g_3g_2)D + g_1'' + g_2'g_1 + g_2g_1' + g_3g_1' + g_3g_2g_1) \\ &= (D^3 + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)D^2 + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]D + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2) \\ \Rightarrow (D + g_3)(D + g_2)(D + g_1)y &= y''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)y'' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]y' + \\ &\quad + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]y \\ &= \left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g_1 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_1 dx} \right) e^{\int g_2 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx} \end{aligned}$$

□

Theorem IV.1: For four times differentiable function y , thrice differentiable functions g_1 , twice differentiable function g_2 and differentiable functions g_3, g_4 .

$$\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g_1 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_1 dx} \right) e^{\int g_2 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{\int g_4 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_4 dx} \right) e^{\int g_4 dx} =$$

$$= y^{(iv)} + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3 + g_4)y''' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_1' + g_4g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2) + (g_2' + g_4g_2) + (g_3' + g_4g_3)]y'' +$$

$$+ [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1] + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' +$$

$$+ [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]g_4]y$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} &\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g_1 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_1 dx} \right) e^{\int g_2 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{\int g_4 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_4 dx} = \\ &= \left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left((y' + yg_1)e^{\int g_1 dx} e^{-\int g_1 dx} \right) e^{\int g_2 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{\int g_4 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_4 dx} \\ &= \left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left((y' + yg_1)e^{\int g_2 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{\int g_4 dx} \right)' e^{-\int g_4 dx} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \left(\left(\left(\left(\left((y' + yg_1)' e^{\int g_2 dx} + (y' + yg_1)g_2 e^{\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{\int g_4 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_4 dx} \\
&= \left(\left(\left(\left((y' + yg_1)' + (y' + yg_1)g_2 \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{\int g_4 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_4 dx} \\
&= \left(\left(\left(\left((y' + yg_1)' + (y' + yg_1)g_2 \right) \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} + \left((y' + yg_1)' + (y' + yg_1)g_2 \right) g_3 e^{\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{\int g_4 dx} e^{-\int g_4 dx} \\
&= \left(\left(\left(\left((y' + yg_1)' + (y' + yg_1)g_2 \right) \right)' + \left((y' + yg_1)' + (y' + yg_1)g_2 \right) g_3 \right) e^{\int g_4 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_4 dx} \\
&= \left((y'''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)y''' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]y'' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]y) e^{\int g_4 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_4 dx} \\
&= \left((y'''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)y''' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]y'' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]y) e^{\int g_4 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_4 dx} \\
&+ \left((y'''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)y''' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]y'' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]y) g_4 e^{\int g_4 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_4 dx} \\
&= \left((y^{(iv)} + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)y'''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)'y'' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]y'' + \right. \\
&\quad \left. + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]'y' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]y' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]g_4 \right) e^{\int g_4 dx} e^{-\int g_4 dx} \\
&= y^{(iv)} + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)y'''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)'y'' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]y'' + \\
&\quad + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]'y' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]y' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]g_4 \\
&+ (y'''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)y''' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]y'' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]y) g_4 \\
&= y^{(iv)} + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)y'''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)'y'' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]y'' + \\
&\quad + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]'y' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]y' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]g_4 \\
&+ g_4y'''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)g_4y''' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]g_4y'' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]g_4y' \\
&= y^{(iv)} + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3 + g_4)y'''' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)'y'' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]y'' + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)g_4y'' + \\
&\quad + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]'y' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]y' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + \\
&\quad + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]y + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]g_4y \\
&= y^{(iv)} + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3 + g_4)y'''' + [(g_1 + g_2 + g_3)' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)] + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3)g_4]y'' + \\
&\quad + [[(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1] + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + \\
&\quad + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]g_4]y \\
&= y^{(iv)} + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3 + g_4)y'''' + [g_1' + g_2' + g_3' + g_1' + g_2g_1 + g_1' + g_3g_1 + g_2' + g_3g_2 + g_1g_4 + g_2g_4 + g_3g_4]y'' + \\
&\quad + [[(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1] + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + \\
&\quad + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]g_4]y \\
&= y^{(iv)} + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3 + g_4)y'''' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_1' + g_1g_4) + (g_2' + g_3g_2) + (g_2' + g_2g_4) + (g_3' + g_3g_4)]y'' + \\
&\quad + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1] + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + \\
&\quad + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]g_4]y
\end{aligned}$$

□

Theorem IV.2: For four times differentiable function y , thrice differentiable functions g_1 , twice differentiable function g_2 and differentiable functions g_3, g_4 .

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(\left(ye^{\int g_1 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_1 dx} \right) e^{\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_2 dx} \right) e^{\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_3 dx} \right) e^{\int g_4 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_4 dx} \right) e^{\int g_4 dx} \right) e^{-\int g_4 dx} = \\
&= (D + g_4)(D + g_3)(D + g_2)(D + g_1)y \\
&= y^{(iv)} + (g_1 + g_2 + g_3 + g_4)y'''' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_1' + g_1g_4) + (g_2' + g_3g_2) + (g_2' + g_2g_4) + (g_3' + g_3g_4)]y'' + \\
&\quad + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1] + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + g_3g_2)]' + [(g_1' + g_2g_1) + (g_1' + g_3g_1) + (g_2' + \\
&\quad + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]' + [g_1'' + (g_2 + g_3)g_1' + (g_2' + g_3g_2)g_1]g_4]y
\end{aligned}$$

Proof:

Similar to theorem III.4.

□

Obviously, theorems II.4 & IV.2 may be generalized for any integral order LODE.

The g 's are determined just as with Lemma III.1, and it's following Examples 1 & 2.

Just as 2nd order LODEs may be factored for solution, LPDEs may also be factored.

Theorem V.1: For differentiable functions u_1, u_2, g, v_1, v_2, h :

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) = \\
&= u_1 u_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + (u_1 v_2 + v_1 u_2) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y \partial x} + v_1 v_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \\
&+ \left(\left[u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right] u_2 + h u_1 \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \left(\left[u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right] v_2 + h v_1 \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \\
&+ \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) h \right]
\end{aligned}$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) = \\
&= u_1 \frac{\partial u_2}{\partial x} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + u_1 u_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + u_1 v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + u_1 v_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x \partial y} + u_1 h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + u_1 h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} +
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& + v_1 \frac{\partial u_2}{\partial y} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 u_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y \partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial v_2}{\partial y} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + v_1 v_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + v_1 \frac{\partial h}{\partial y} + v_1 h \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \\
& + g u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + g v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g h \\
& = u_1 u_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + u_1 v_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x \partial y} + v_1 u_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y \partial x} + v_1 v_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \\
& + u_1 \frac{\partial u_2}{\partial x} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial u_2}{\partial y} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + g u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + u_1 h \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + u_1 \frac{\partial v_2}{\partial x} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + v_1 \frac{\partial v_2}{\partial y} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + v_1 h \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \\
& + u_1 \frac{\partial h}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial h}{\partial y} + g h \\
& = u_1 u_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + (u_1 v_2 + v_1 u_2) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y \partial x} + v_1 v_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \\
& + \left(u_1 \frac{\partial u_2}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial u_2}{\partial y} + u_1 h + g u_2 \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \left(u_1 \frac{\partial v_2}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial v_2}{\partial y} + v_1 h + g v_2 \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \\
& + \left(u_1 \frac{\partial h}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial h}{\partial y} + g h \right) \\
& = u_1 u_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + (u_1 v_2 + v_1 u_2) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y \partial x} + v_1 v_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \\
& + \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) u_2 + u_1 h \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) v_2 + v_1 h \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \\
& + \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) h \right]
\end{aligned}$$

□

Theorem V.1: For differentiable functions u_1, u_2, g, v_1, v_2, h :

If:

$$\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) = \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) \left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right)$$

then

$$\begin{cases}
\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) u_2 = \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) u_1 \\
\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) v_2 = \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) v_1 \\
\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) h = \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) g
\end{cases}$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned}
& u_1 u_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + (u_1 v_2 + v_1 u_2) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y \partial x} + v_1 v_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \\
& + \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) u_2 + u_1 h \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) v_2 + v_1 h \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \\
& + \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) h \right] = \\
& = u_2 u_1 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + (u_2 v_1 + v_2 u_1) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x \partial y} + v_2 v_1 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \\
& + \left[\left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) u_1 + u_2 g \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \left[\left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) v_1 + v_2 g \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \\
& + \left[\left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) g \right] \\
& \Rightarrow \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) u_2 + u_1 h \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) v_2 + v_1 h \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) h \right] = \\
& = \left[\left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) u_1 + u_2 g \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \left[\left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) v_1 + v_2 g \right] \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \left[\left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) g \right] \\
& \Rightarrow \begin{cases}
\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) u_2 + u_1 h = \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) u_1 + u_2 g \\
\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) v_2 + v_1 h = \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) v_1 + v_2 g \\
\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) h = \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) g
\end{cases} \\
& \Rightarrow \begin{cases}
\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) u_2 = \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) u_1 \\
\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) v_2 = \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) v_1 \\
\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) h = \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) g
\end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

□

Theorem V.2: For differentiable functions u_1, v_1, g, Ψ :

If: $g = 0$ or u_1 & v_1 are constants, then:

$$\begin{aligned}
& \left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) \Psi = 0 \\
& \Rightarrow \Psi(r, s) = \psi \left(x - \frac{u_1}{v_1} y \right) e^{-\int g(x, y) \partial r}
\end{aligned}$$

Proof:

Let:

$$\begin{aligned}
& r = r(x, y) \quad , \quad s = s(x, y) \quad , \quad \Phi(x, y) = \Phi(r) \quad , \quad \Psi(x, y) = \Psi(s) \\
& u_1 = u_1(x, y) = u_1(r, s) \quad , \quad v_1 = v_1(x, y) = v_1(r, s) \quad , \quad g(x, y) = g(r, s) \\
& \Rightarrow \left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) \Psi = \left(u_1 \left(\frac{\partial r}{\partial x} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial s}{\partial x} \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \right) + v_1 \left(\frac{\partial r}{\partial y} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{\partial s}{\partial y} \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \right) + g \right) \Psi(r, s)
\end{aligned}$$

$$= \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \left(u_1 \frac{\partial s}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial s}{\partial y} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial s} \right] \Psi(r,s) + g\Psi(r,s)$$

choose p, q, w, z such that: $r = px + qy$ & $s = wx + zy$ & $pz - qw \neq 0$ AND::

$$0 = \frac{\partial s}{\partial x} + \frac{v_1}{u_1} \frac{\partial s}{\partial y} = w + \frac{v_1}{u_1} z \Rightarrow w = -\frac{v_1}{u_1} z \Rightarrow p \neq q \frac{w}{z} = -q \frac{v_1}{u_1}, \quad (u_1 \neq 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow u_1 \frac{\partial r}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial r}{\partial y} = u_1 p + v_1 q = u_1 \left(p + q \frac{v_1}{u_1} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = \left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) \Psi = u_1 \left(p + q \frac{v_1}{u_1} \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \Psi(r,s) + g\Psi(r,s)$$

$$\text{So, let: } u_1 \left(p + q \frac{v_1}{u_1} \right) = 1 \Rightarrow u_1 p + q v_1 \Rightarrow p = \frac{1}{u_1} - q \frac{v_1}{u_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \left(\frac{1}{u_1} - q \frac{v_1}{u_1} \right) x + qy \quad \& \quad s = -\frac{v_1}{u_1} zx + zy$$

$$\text{So, choose: } q = \frac{1}{v_1} \quad \& \quad z = -\frac{u_1}{v_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} r = \frac{1}{v_1} y & x = s - u_1 r \\ s = x - \frac{u_1}{v_1} y & y = v_1 r \end{cases}, \quad (u_1 \neq 0 \quad \& \quad v_1 \neq 0)$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \Psi(r,s) + g\Psi(r,s) = \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(\Psi(r,s) e^{\int g \partial r} \right) \Rightarrow \Psi(r,s) = \psi(s) e^{-\int g \partial r}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Psi(r,s) = \psi \left(x - \frac{u_1}{v_1} y \right) e^{-\int g(x,y) \partial r}$$

□

With these transformations, if $g(x,y) \neq 0$ then g cannot be explicitly written as $g = g(r,s)$ unless: u_1 & v_1 are constants.

More generally:

Theorem V.3: For differentiable functions u_1, u_2, g, v_1, v_2, h :

If:

$$\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) = \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) \left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right)$$

Proof:

$$\Psi = \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) \Phi$$

, whenever: $u_1 = u_1(x)$ & $v_1 = v_1(x)$ & $g = g(x)$:

$$\frac{d}{dx} \Psi(x,y(x)) = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \Psi(x,y(x)) + \frac{dy}{dx} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \Psi(x,y(x)) \right) = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{dy}{dx} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) \Psi(x,y(x))$$

$$\text{With: } \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{v_1}{u_1} \Rightarrow y = \int \frac{v_1}{u_1} dx + y(0) :$$

$$0 = \left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) \Psi = \left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) \Psi + g\Psi$$

$$= \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{v_1}{u_1} \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \right) \Psi(x,y(x)) + \frac{g}{u_1} \Psi(x,y(x)) = \frac{d}{dx} \Psi(x,y(x)) + \frac{g}{u_1} \Psi(x,y(x))$$

$$= e^{-\int \frac{g}{u_1} dx} \frac{d}{dx} \left[\Psi(x,y(x)) e^{\int \frac{g(x)}{u_1(x)} dx} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = \frac{d}{dx} \left[\Psi(x,y(x)) e^{\int \frac{g(x)}{u_1(x)} dx} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \psi(0, y(0)) = \Psi(x,y(x)) e^{\int \frac{g(x)}{u_1(x)} dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Psi(x,y) = \psi \left(y - \int \frac{v_1}{u_1} dx \right) e^{-\int \frac{g(x)}{u_1(x)} dx}$$

Examples:

The free-space wave equation:

$$\begin{aligned} & \left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) = \\ & = u_1 u_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + (u_1 v_2 + v_1 u_2) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y \partial x} + v_1 v_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \\ & + \left(\left[u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right] u_2 + h u_1 \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \left(\left[u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right] v_2 + h v_1 \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \\ & + \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) h \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$u_1 = u_2 = 1, \quad v_1 = \frac{1}{c}, \quad v_2 = -\frac{1}{c}, \quad u_1 v_2 + v_1 u_2 = 0, \quad g = h = 0, \quad y = t$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \right) \phi = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right) \phi = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right) \phi$$

$$= \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \right) \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \right) & 0 \\ 0 & \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \right) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right) & 0 \\ 0 & \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right) & 0 \\ 0 & \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = \phi_1 = \psi \left(x - \frac{1}{c} t \right), \quad \phi_2 = \psi \left(x + \frac{1}{c} t \right)$$

Instead of writing the wave function as a sum of arbitrary functions, this way it is written as a doublet of these arbitrary functions.

a heat equation is not factorable this way :

$$\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) =$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= u_1 u_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + (u_1 v_2 + v_1 u_2) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t \partial x} + v_1 v_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} + \\
&+ \left(\left[u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right] u_2 + h u_1 \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \left(\left[u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right] v_2 + h v_1 \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \\
&+ \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) h \right]
\end{aligned}$$

$$u_1 u_2 = 1, \quad u_1 v_2 + v_1 u_2 = 0, \quad v_1 v_2 = 0, \quad y = t$$

$$v_2 = 0 \Rightarrow v_1 u_2 = 0 \quad \& \quad \left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + g \right) \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + h \right) \quad \text{or} \quad \left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) (h)$$

neither of which is of the heat equation form:

$$\frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} - \frac{1}{k} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} \Rightarrow \left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} - \frac{1}{k} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \right) \phi = f(x, t)$$

a 'damped wave equation with source/sink:

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) \left(u_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_2 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + h \right) = \\
&= u_1 u_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + (u_1 v_2 + v_1 u_2) \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y \partial x} + v_1 v_2 \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \\
&+ \left(\left[u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right] u_2 + h u_1 \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \left(\left[u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right] v_2 + h v_1 \right) \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + \\
&+ \left[\left(u_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + v_1 \frac{\partial}{\partial y} + g \right) h \right]
\end{aligned}$$

$$u_1 = u_2 = 1, \quad v_1 = \frac{1}{c}, \quad v_2 = -\frac{1}{c}, \quad u_1 v_2 + v_1 u_2 = 0, \quad y = t$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + g \right) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + h \right) = \\
&= \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} + (h+g) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{c} (h-g) \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + g \right) h \right]
\end{aligned}$$

And:

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + h \right) \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + g \right) = \\
&= \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} + (h+g) \frac{\partial}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{c} (h-g) \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \left[\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + h \right) g \right]
\end{aligned}$$

Thus, even in one space variable, the Helmholtz/Klein-Gordon equation may be factored.

(This, however, indicates how the Maxwell-Cassano equations of an electromagnetic-nuclear field may be modified for non-constant mass and what the general high energy Lagrangian equations really are)

While we're on the subject, if the space partial corresponds to a three-space partial the only question is whether it corresponds to a gradient or divergence.

The gradient would yield:

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left(\nabla + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + g \right) \left(\nabla - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + h \right) \phi = \\
&= \left(\nabla^2 - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} + (h+g) \nabla + \frac{1}{c} (h-g) \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \left[\left(\nabla + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + g \right) h \right] \right) \phi \\
&= \left(\square + (h+g) \nabla + \frac{1}{c} (h-g) \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \left[\left(\nabla + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + g \right) h \right] \right) \phi
\end{aligned}$$

And:

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left(\nabla - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + h \right) \left(\nabla + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + g \right) \phi = \\
&= \left(\nabla^2 - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} + (h+g) \nabla + \frac{1}{c} (h-g) \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \left[\left(\nabla - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + h \right) g \right] \right) \phi \\
&= \left(\square + (h+g) \nabla + \frac{1}{c} (h-g) \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \left[\left(\nabla - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + h \right) g \right] \right) \phi
\end{aligned}$$

for scalar field ϕ or scalar-doublet field $\begin{pmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \phi_2 \end{pmatrix}$ (analogous to the free-space wave equation above)

The divergence would yield something like:

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left(\vec{\nabla} + \vec{t} \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \vec{g} \right) \left(\vec{\nabla} - \vec{t} \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \vec{h} \right) \vec{\phi} = \\
&= \left(\left(\nabla^2 - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \right) \vec{\mathbf{I}} + (\vec{h} + \vec{g}) \vec{\nabla} + \frac{1}{c} (\vec{h} - \vec{g}) \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \left[\left(\vec{\nabla} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \vec{g} \right) \vec{h} \right] \right) \vec{\phi}
\end{aligned}$$

And:

$$\begin{aligned}
&\left(\vec{\nabla} - \vec{t} \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \vec{h} \right) \left(\vec{\nabla} + \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \vec{g} \right) \vec{\phi} = \\
&= \left(\left(\nabla^2 - \frac{1}{c^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial t^2} \right) \vec{\mathbf{I}} + (\vec{h} + \vec{g}) \vec{\nabla} + \frac{1}{c} (\vec{h} - \vec{g}) \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \left[\left(\vec{\nabla} - \frac{1}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} + \vec{h} \right) \vec{g} \right] \right) \vec{\phi}
\end{aligned}$$

for four-vector field $\vec{\phi}$ or four-vector-doublet field $\begin{pmatrix} \vec{\phi}_1 \\ \vec{\phi}_2 \end{pmatrix}$

(analogous to the free-space wave equation above)

These being written in a Cartesian coordinate system, while the what the general high energy equations is written in Lagrangian form (confusion factor one) in general coordinates (confusion factor two); some transformations are required to match them but matching these factorings to the general high energy Lagrangians goes beyond the scope of this article, left for another.