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## Chapter II

# Section II.7: Nonhomogenous equations with variable coefficients

- Variation of Parameters
- Green Functions (second order)

## Section II.9: Laplace Transform Methods

- 9.1 and 9.2: Definition and properties of the transform
- 9.4: Laplace transform and derivatives
- 9.5: Solving initial value problems
- 9.6: Inverse transform
- 9.7: Green functions
- 9.8: Natural fundamental sets
- 9.9: Step functions

## Chapter III

### Section III.1: Introduction

- 1.1: Introduction
- 1.2: Initial value problems
- 1.3: Higher order converted to a first order system
- Note covered on this exam: numerical methods, tank problems

# Section III.2: General methods and theory

- 2.1-2.2: general theory
- 2.3: Wronskians
- 2.4: Fundamental sets of solutions
- 2.5: Natural Fundamental set of solutions

### Section III.5: Eigen methods

- 5.1: Eigenpairs
- 5.2: solving first order equations
- 5.3:  $2 \times 2$  case

### Section III.4: Matrix Exponentials

- 4.2: matrices, polynomials, characteristic polynomials, Cayley-Hamilton, matrix key identity
- 4.3: natural fundamental set method
- 4.4:  $2 \times 2$  formulas