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Note: A table of Laplace Transforms is given at the end of the exam.

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1 (25 **pts**.) Use Laplace Transforms to solve

$$y'' - 2y' - 8y = e^t \quad y(0) = 0 \;\; y'(0) = 1$$

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2a (**15 pts**.) Find the partial fractions break down of

$$\frac{3s^2 + 2s + 20}{s(s^2 + 2s + 10)}$$

2b (10 **pts**.) Find

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{ \frac{3s^2 + 2s + 20}{s(s^2 + 2s + 10)} \right\}$$

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3 (25 **pts**.) Find the first six non-zero terms in the series solution near $x = 0$ of the equation

$$y'' - 4x^2y = 0$$

Be sure to give the recurrence relation. Indicate the two linearly independent solutions and give the first *six* nonzero terms of the solution.

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4 (25 **pts**.) Find the eigenvalues and eigenfunctions for

$$y'' + \lambda y = 0; \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(2) = 0$$

Be sure to consider all values of λ.

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Table of Laplace Transforms

$f(t)$	$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s)$		
$\frac{t^{n-1}}{(n-1)!}$	$\frac{1}{s^n}$	$n \geq 1$	$s > 0$
e^{at}	$\frac{1}{s-a}$		$s > a$
$\sin bt$	$\frac{b}{s^2 + b^2}$		$s > 0$
$\cos bt$	$\frac{s}{s^2 + b^2}$		$s > 0$
$e^{at}f(t)$	$\mathcal{L}\{f\}(s-a)$		
$t^n f(t)$	$(-1)^n \frac{d^n}{ds^n}(\mathcal{L}\{f\}(s))$		