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1.) (5pts) Solve the DE: $y'' + y' - 2y = \frac{e^x}{e^x + e^{-x}}$.

2.) (5pts) Solve the DE: $x^3 y''' + 4x^2 y'' + 2xy' - 2y = 0$.

1) $y'' + y' - 2y = 0$

The auxiliary equation is

$$m^2 + m - 2 = 0, \quad m = 1, -2$$

$$\Rightarrow y_c = c_1 e^x + c_2 e^{-2x}$$

$$y_p = u_1 e^x + u_2 e^{-2x}$$

$$W = \begin{vmatrix} e^x & e^{-2x} \\ e^x & -2e^{-2x} \end{vmatrix} = -3e^{-x}$$

$$u_1' = -\frac{e^{-2x}}{-3e^{-x}} \frac{e^x}{e^x + e^{-x}} = \frac{1}{3} \frac{e^x}{e^{2x} + 1}$$

$$u_1 = \frac{1}{3} \int \frac{e^x}{e^{2x} + 1} dx \xrightarrow{v=e^x, dv=e^x dx} \frac{1}{3} \int \frac{dv}{v^2 + 1}$$

$$u_1 = \frac{1}{3} \tan^{-1}(e^x)$$

$$u_2' = \frac{e^x}{-3e^{-x}} \frac{e^x}{e^x + e^{-x}} = -\frac{1}{3} \frac{e^{4x}}{e^{2x} + 1}$$

$$u_2 = -\frac{1}{3} \int \frac{e^{4x}}{e^{2x} + 1} dx \xrightarrow{v=e^x, dv=e^x dx} \frac{-1}{3} \int \frac{v^3 dv}{v^2 + 1}$$

$$\frac{v^3}{v^2 + 1} = v - \frac{1}{2} \frac{2v}{v^2 + 1}$$

$$u_2 = -\frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{e^{2x}}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \ln(e^{2x} + 1) \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow y_p = \frac{e^x}{3} \tan^{-1}(e^x) - \frac{e^{2x}}{3} \left[\frac{e^{2x}}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \ln(e^{2x} + 1) \right]$$

$$y = y_c + y_p$$

2.) $y = x^m, \quad x \in (0, \infty)$

The auxiliary equation is

$$m(m-1)(m-2) + 4m(m-1) + 2m - 2 = 0$$

$$(m-1)[m(m-2) + 4m + 2] = 0$$

$$(m-1)(m^2 + 2m + 2) = 0$$

$$m = 1, \quad m^2 + 2m + 2 = 0$$

$$D = 4 - 8 = -4$$

$$m = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{-4}}{2} = -1 \pm i$$

$$y = c_1 x + c_2 x^{-1} \cos(\ln x) + c_3 x^{-1} \sin(\ln x)$$

