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1. Solve the nonhomogeneous system,

$$\begin{cases} y_1' = 4y_1 - 2y_2 + t^{-3} \\ y_2' = 8y_1 - 4y_2 - t^2 \end{cases}, \quad t > 0$$
 [20%]

- 2. (a) What is the Cauchy principal value of an improper integral $\int_A^B f(x)dx$ whose integrant f(x) becomes infinite at a point $a, a \in (A,B)$. [15%]
 - (b) Evaluate (show details) the Cauchy principal value of

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{dx}{(x^2+1)(x-2)}$$
 [15%]

- 3. (a) Write down the three fundamental partial differential equations in physics and engineering: (i) Laplace equation; (ii) heat equation; (iii) wave equation, in arbitrary coordinate systems.

 [15%]
 - (b) In spherical coordinates, the Laplacian operator ∇^2 can be written as:

$$\nabla^2 = \frac{1}{r^2} \left[\frac{\partial}{\partial r} (r^2 \frac{\partial}{\partial r}) + \frac{1}{\sin \phi} \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi} (\sin \phi \frac{\partial}{\partial \phi}) + \frac{1}{\sin^2 \phi} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2} \right]$$

Using separating variables, solve the Laplace equation in spherical coordinates with the assumption that the solution is independent of θ . [20%]

4. Solve the following system of linear equations by determining the inverse of the matrix of coefficients,

$$\begin{cases}
-x_1 + x_2 = 5 \\
-x_1 + x_3 = -2 \\
6x_1 - 2x_2 - 3x_3 = 1
\end{cases}$$
[15%]

