Elementary Power Series Solutions- HW Problems

In problems 1-3 find a power series solution to the differential equation. Determine the radius of convergence of the power series solution.

- 1. y' = 3y
- 2. (x-1)y' + 2y = 0
- 3. y'' + 4y = 0.

In problems 4 and 5 find a recurrence relation for c_n in terms of c_0 and c_1 . Use the initial conditions to find c_0 and c_1 and hence find the power series solution to the initial value problem.

- 4. y'' 9y = 0, y(0) = 4, y'(0) = 0
- 5. y'' + 9y = 0, y(0) = 0, y'(0) = 6.