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*Uniqueness implies existence for  $n$ th order boundary value problems.*

We show uniqueness implies existence for  $y^{(n)} = f(t, y, y', \dots, y^{(n-1)})$  subject to linear boundary conditions of the form  $L_i(y) = y_i$  where  $L_i$  is a continuous linear functional and  $f$  satisfies an appropriate growth condition. (Received September 26, 2006)