

**On oscillation of general two terms differential equations with  
alternating potential on  $(0, \infty)$**

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The work is devoted to the study of oscillation and non-oscillation of two terms linear differential equations of the following form

$$l[y] \equiv (-1)^n \left( \rho(x)y^{(n)} \right)^{(n)} + q(x)y = 0, \quad (1)$$

where  $\rho(\cdot) > 0$ ,  $q(\cdot)$  are continuous functions in  $I = (0, \infty)$ , and  $q(x)$  is a function, which changes sign on each interval  $(x, \infty)$ ,  $x > 0$ .

We introduce two weighted modification of Otelbayev's function and in terms of this function we obtain conditions of oscillation and of non-oscillation of differential equation (1).