

Mathematics 2260: ODE (I)

Solution to Assignment 5

$$1. \quad 1) \int_0^\infty e^{-st} t dt = \lim_{A \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^A e^{-st} t dt$$

$$= \lim_{A \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{-s} \int_0^A t de^{-st} = \lim_{A \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{-s} te^{-st} \Big|_0^A + \frac{1}{s} \int_0^A e^{-st} dt = \frac{1}{s} \int_0^A e^{-st} dt = \frac{1}{s^2}, \quad s > 0.$$

$$2) \int_0^\infty e^{-st} te^{-at} dt = \int_0^\infty e^{-(s+a)t} dt = \lim_{A \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^A e^{-(s+a)t} dt = \lim_{A \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{-(s+a)} \int_0^A t de^{-(s+a)t}$$

$$= \lim_{A \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{-(s-a)} te^{-(s+a)t} \Big|_0^A + \frac{1}{s+a} \int_0^A e^{-(s-a)t} dt = \frac{1}{(s+a)^2}, \quad s > -a.$$

$$3) \frac{1}{s} - \frac{1}{s} e^{-\pi/2 s}$$

2 1) Using partial fractions we have $\frac{4}{s^2+4s-5} = \frac{4}{6} \left(\frac{1}{s-1} - \frac{1}{s+5} \right)$. So $L^{-1}(Y(s)) = \frac{4}{6} (e^t - e^{-5t})$.

2) Note that $s^2 + 2s + 5 = (s+1)^2 + 4$. Thus $\frac{4s+4}{s^2+2s+5} = \frac{4(s+1)}{(s+1)^2+2^2}$. So $L^{-1}\left(\frac{4s+4}{s^2+2s+5}\right) = 4e^{-t} \cos 2t$.

3) Using the formula $L(e^{at} f(t)) = F(s-a)$, we have $L^{-1}(5 \times 4 \frac{3!}{(s-2)^4}) = 20t^3 e^{2t}$.

4) First consider $G(s) = \frac{2(s-1)}{s^2-2s+2} = \frac{2(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1}$. $L^{-1}(G(s)) = 2e^t \cos t$. So $L^{-1}(e^{2s} G(s)) = 2u_2(t) e^{(t-2)} \cos(t-2)$.

3. 1) Taking the Laplace transform of the differential equation, we have

$$s^2 Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) + 2(sY(s) - y(0)) + 5Y(s) = 0, \text{ or}$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{2s+3}{s^2+2s+3} = \frac{2(s+1)+1}{(s+1)^2+4} = \frac{2(s+1)}{(s+1)^2+4} + \frac{1}{(s+1)^2+4}. \text{ So we have}$$

$$y(t) = L^{-1}(Y(s)) = 2e^{-t} \cos 2t + \frac{1}{2} e^{-t} \sin 2t.$$

$$\begin{aligned} 2). \quad & s^4 Y(s) - s^3 y(0) - s^2 y'(0) - s y''(0) - y'''(0) - 4(s^3 Y(s) - s^2 y(0) - s y'(0) - y''(0)) \\ & + 6(s^2 Y(s) - s y(0) - y'(0)) - 4(sY(s) - y(0)) + Y(s) = 0 \\ \implies & (s^4 - 4s^3 + 6s^2 - 4s + 1)Y(s) = s^2 - 4s + 7. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Y(s) &= \frac{s^2 - 4s + 7}{(s-1)^4} = \frac{(s-1)^2 - 2(s-1) + 4}{(s-1)^4} \\ &= \frac{1}{(s-2)^2} - \frac{2}{(s-1)^3} + \frac{4}{(s-1)^4}. \end{aligned}$$

So we have $y(t) = L^{-1}(Y(s)) = te^t - t^2 e^t + \frac{2}{3} t^3 e^t$.

$$3). \quad f(t) = 1 - u_{\pi/2}(t). \quad L(f(t)) = \frac{1}{s} - \frac{1}{s} e^{-\pi/2 s}.$$

$$\Rightarrow s^2 Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) + Y(s) = \frac{1}{s} - \frac{1}{s} e^{-\pi/2 s}$$

$$\implies (s^2 + 1)Y(s) = 1 + \frac{1}{s} - \frac{1}{s} e^{-\pi/2 s} \text{ and}$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{1}{s^2+1} + \frac{1}{s(s^2+1)} - \frac{1}{s(s^2+1)} e^{-\pi/2 s} = \frac{1}{s^2+1} + \left(\frac{1}{s} - \frac{s}{s^2+1} \right) - e^{-\pi/2 s} \left(\frac{1}{s} - \frac{s}{s^2+1} \right).$$

$$y(t) = L^{-1}(Y(s)) = \sin t + 1 - \cos t - u_{\pi/2}(t) + u_{\pi/2}(t) \cos(t - \pi/2).$$

$$4). \quad s^2 Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) + 3(sY(s) - y(0)) + 2Y(s) = \frac{1}{s} e^{-2s}, \text{ that is}$$

$$(s^2 + 3s + 2)Y(s) = 1 + \frac{1}{s} e^{-2s}.$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{1}{(s+1)(s+2)} + \frac{1}{s(s+1)(s+2)} e^{-2s} = \frac{1}{(s+1)} - \frac{1}{s-2} + \left(\frac{1/2}{s} + \frac{-1}{s+1} + \frac{1/2}{s+2} \right) e^{-2s}.$$

$$y(t) = L^{-1}(Y) = e^{-t} - e^{-2t} + u_2(t) \left(\frac{1}{2} - e^{-(t-2)} + \frac{1}{2} e^{-2(t-2)} \right).$$

4. 1) $x_1 = u$, $x_2 = u'$. It follows $x'_1 = x_2$ and $x'_2 = u'' = -2u - \frac{1}{2}u' = -2x_1 - \frac{1}{2}x_2$. The system is

$$\begin{cases} x'_1 = x_2 \\ x'_2 = -2x_1 - \frac{1}{2}x_2 \end{cases}.$$

2) Similarly to 1), we have

$$\begin{cases} x'_1 = x_2 \\ x'_2 = -2x_1 - \frac{1}{2}x_2 + 4\cos t \end{cases}.$$

3). Rewrite it as $u'' = -\frac{1}{t}u' - (1 - \frac{1}{t^2})u$. Set $x_1 = u$ and $x_2 = u'$ to have $x'_1 = x_2$ and $x'_2 = u'' = -\frac{1}{t}u' - (1 - \frac{1}{t^2})u = -\frac{1}{t}x_2 - (1 - \frac{1}{t^2})x_1$. The system is

$$\begin{cases} x'_1 = x_2 \\ x'_2 = -(1 - \frac{1}{t^2})x_1 - \frac{1}{t}x_2 \end{cases}.$$

4). Set $x_1 = u$, $x_2 = u'$, $x_3 = u''$. Thus we have

$$\begin{cases} x'_1 = x_2 \\ x'_2 = x_3 \\ x'_3 = x_1 \end{cases}.$$

5 1) From the first equation we have $x_2 = x'_1 + 2x_1$. Substitution into the second equation we have $(x'_1 + 2x_1)' = x_1 - 2(x'_1 + 2x_1)$, that is,

$$x''_1 + 4x'_1 + 3x_1 = 0.$$

The C.E. is $r^2 + 4r + 3 = 0$, $r_1 = -1$, $r_2 = -3$. $x_1 = c_1 e^{-t} + c_2 e^{-3t}$. Using $x_2 = x'_1 + 2x_1$ gives $x_2 = (c_1 e^{-t} + c_2 e^{-3t})' + 2(c_1 e^{-t} + c_2 e^{-3t}) = c_1 e^{-t} - c_2 e^{-3t}$. $c_1 = 1$, $c_2 = 0$.

2). $x_2 = x'_1/2 + x_1/4$. upon substitution we have $x''_1 + x'_1/4 = -2x_1 - (x'_1/2 + x_1/4)/2$, that is, $x''_1 + x'_1 + \frac{17}{4}x_1 = 0$. The general solution for $x_1(t)$ is $x_1(t) = e^{-t/2}(c_1 \cos 2t + c_2 \sin 2t)$. By using $x_2 = x'_1/2 + x_1/4$, we obtain $x_2(t) = e^{-t/2}(-c_1 \sin 2t + c_2 \cos 2t)$. $c_1 = 2$, $c_2 = 2$.

6. 1) Take the Laplace transform: $X_1 = L(x_1)$, $X_2(s) = L(x_2)$. Then

$$\begin{cases} sX_1 - 1 = -2X_1(s) + X_2(s) \\ sX_2(s) - 1 = X_1(s) - 2X_2(s) \end{cases}$$

Solve the above system to have

$$X_1(s) = \frac{1}{s+1}, \quad X_2(s) = \frac{1}{s+1}$$

So

$$x_1(t) = e^{-t}, \quad x_2(t) = e^{-t}.$$

2) Take the Laplace transform: $X_1 = L(x_1)$, $X_2(s) = L(x_2)$. Then we have

$$\begin{cases} sX_1(s) - 2 = \frac{-1}{2}X_1 + 2X_2 \\ sX_2(s) - 2 = -2X_1 - \frac{1}{2}X_2 \end{cases}$$

or

$$\begin{cases} (s + \frac{1}{2})X_1 - 2X_2 = 2 \\ (s + \frac{1}{2})X_2 + 2X_1 = 2 \end{cases}.$$

Solve the above system to have

$$X_1 = \frac{2(s + \frac{1}{2}) + 4}{(s + \frac{1}{2})^2 + 4}, \quad X_2 = \frac{2(s + \frac{1}{2}) - 4}{(s + \frac{1}{2})^2 + 4}$$

So take the inverse laplace transform to have

$$x_1(t) = e^{-t/2}(2 \cos 2t + 2 \sin 2t), \quad x_2(t) = e^{-t/2}(-2 \sin 2t + 2 \cos 2t).$$