

# AM 33

## Problem Set Number 9

### Section 6.2 Problem 21 :

We want to solve the I.V.P.

$$y'' - 2y' + 2y = \cos(t) \quad ; \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = 0 \quad (1)$$

via the Laplace Transform. To do this we take the LT of both sides, ie

$$\mathcal{L}(y'' - 2y' + 2y) = \mathcal{L}(\cos t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L}(y'') - 2\mathcal{L}(y') + 2\mathcal{L}(y) = \mathcal{L}(\cos t)$$

$$\Rightarrow s^2 Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) - 2[sY(s) - y(0)] + 2Y(s) = \frac{s}{s^2+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow s^2 Y(s) - s - 2sY(s) + 2 + 2Y(s) = \frac{s}{s^2+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(s)[s^2 - 2s + 2] = \frac{s}{s^2+1} + s - 2$$

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

$$= \frac{(s^2 + 1)(s - 2) + s}{(s^2 - 2s + 2)(s^2 + 1)}$$

$$= \frac{s-2}{s^2-2s+2} + \frac{s}{(s^2-2s+2)(s^2+1)} \quad (2)$$

We use the partial fraction expansion to resolve the second term in equation (2). Hence we set

$$\frac{as+b}{s^2-2s+2} + \frac{cs+d}{(s^2+1)} = \frac{s}{(s^2+1)(s^2-2s+2)}$$

Expanding and equating powers of "s" yields

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{i) } a = -c \\ \text{ii) } b - 2c + d = 0 \\ \text{iii) } a + 2c - 2d = 1 \\ \text{iv) } b = -2d \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} a = -\frac{1}{5} \\ b = \frac{4}{5} \\ c = \frac{1}{5} \\ d = -\frac{2}{5} \end{array}$$

Thus Eq (2) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} Y(s) &= \frac{s-2}{s^2-2s+2} + \frac{-\frac{1}{5}s + \frac{4}{5}}{(s^2-2s+2)} + \frac{\frac{1}{5}(s-2)}{(s^2+1)} \\ &= \frac{(s-1)-1}{(s-1)^2+1} - \frac{\frac{1}{5}(s-1)}{(s^2-1)^2+1} + \frac{\frac{3}{5}}{(s^2-1)^2+1} + \frac{\frac{1}{5}(s-2)}{(s^2+1)} \\ &= \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} - \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s^2-1)^2+1} + \frac{3}{5} \frac{1}{(s^2-1)^2+1} + \frac{\frac{1}{5}s - \frac{2}{5}}{(s^2+1)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(s) = \frac{4}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{s^2+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L}^{-1}(Y(s)) = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left( \frac{4}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{s^2+1} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = \frac{1}{5} \left[ 4e^t \cos t - 2e^t \sin t + \cos t - 2 \sin t \right]$$

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### Section 6.2 Problem 34:

We wish to take the Laplace Transform of  $f(t) = te^{at} \cos bt$ , which exists since  $|f(t)| \leq te^{at} \leq Me^{(a+1)t}$ . Denote by  $Q(s)$  the Laplace transform of  $g(t) = e^{at} \cos bt$ , i.e.  $Q(s) = \mathcal{L}(e^{at} \cos bt)$ . Then by property 19 in Table 6.2.1 we have

$$\mathcal{L}(-te^{at} \cos bt) = Q'(s) \quad (1)$$

Furthermore by Property 10 of Table 6.2.1 we have

$$Q(s) = \frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2 + b^2} \quad (2)$$

and so

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(te^{at} \cos bt) &= -\mathcal{L}(-te^{at} \cos bt) \\ &= -\frac{d}{ds} \frac{(s-a)}{(s-a)^2 + b^2} \\ &= \frac{(s-a)^2 - b^2}{[(s-a)^2 + b^2]^2} \end{aligned}$$

Section 6.2 Problem 36:

a) We take the LT of  $y'' - ty = 0$ ;  $y(0) = 1$ ,  $y'(0) = 0$ .

$$\mathcal{L}(y'' - ty) = \mathcal{L}(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L}(y'') + \mathcal{L}(-ty) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow s^2 Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) + Y'(s) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow s^2 Y(s) - s + Y'(s) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{Y'(s) = s - s^2 Y(s)}$$

b) We want to take LT of  $(1-t^2)y'' - 2ty' + \alpha(\alpha+1)y = 0$ ;  $y(0) = 0$ ,  $y'(0) = 1$ .

$$\mathcal{L}((1-t^2)y'' - 2ty' + \alpha(\alpha+1)y) = \mathcal{L}(0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L}(y'') + \mathcal{L}(-t^2 y'') + 2\mathcal{L}(-ty') + \alpha(\alpha+1)\mathcal{L}(y) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow s^2 Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) + Y''(s) + 2Y'(s) + \alpha(\alpha+1)Y(s) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow s^2 Y(s) - 1 - Y''(s) + 2Y'(s) + \alpha(\alpha+1)Y(s) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{Y''(s) = 2Y'(s) + [\alpha(\alpha+1) + s^2]Y(s) - 1}$$

Section 6.2, Problem 36 (b)

Answer: We want to take LT of

$$(1-t^2)y'' - 2ty' + \alpha(\alpha+1)y = 0; \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 1.$$

However,  $\mathcal{L}(y') = sY - y(0) = sY$

$$\mathcal{L}(y'') = s^2Y - sy(0) - y'(0) = s^2Y - 1.$$

Therefore,

$$\mathcal{L}(ty') = -(sY)' = -sY' - Y$$

$$\mathcal{L}(t^2y'') = (s^2Y - 1)'' = s^2Y'' + 4sY' + 2Y;$$

And the Laplace transform on left-hand side is

$$(s^2Y - 1) - (s^2Y'' + 4sY' + 2Y) + 2(sY' + Y) + \alpha(\alpha+1)Y = 0$$

or

$$s^2Y'' + 2sY' - [\alpha(\alpha+1) + s^2]Y = -1$$

Section 6.2 Problem 37:

Note that if  $g(t) = \int_0^t f(\tau) d\tau$  we have  $g(0) = 0$  and  $g'(t) = f(t)$ . Thus, since on one hand

$$\mathcal{L}(g'(t)) = s \mathcal{L}(g(t)) = sG(s) - g(0) = sG(s) \quad (1)$$

and by the definition of  $g'(t)$  as  $g'(t) = f(t)$  we have

$$\mathcal{L}(g'(t)) = \mathcal{L}(f(t)) = F(s). \quad (2)$$

Equating (2) and (1) yields

$$G(s) = \frac{F(s)}{s}$$