

Differential Equation

An equation involving derivatives or differentials of one or more independent variables is called a differential equation.

Order : Order of the highest order derivatives involved.

Degree : Degree of the highest order derivatives involved.

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{d^4y}{dx^4} + \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \left(\frac{dy}{dx}\right)^3 = e^x, \quad \text{ODE}$$

Order - 4, degree - 1.

$$\textcircled{2} \quad y(y^2+1) dx + x(y^2+1) dy = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{y(y^2+1)}{x(y^2+1)} = 0, \quad \text{ODE}$$

Order 1, degree 1.

$$\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial t^2} = k \left(\frac{\partial^2 v}{\partial x^2} \right)^2 \text{ Order-3, degree-2 PDE}$$

Linear differential equation:
A differential eq^v is called linear if
i) Every dependent variable and every derivative occur in the first degree only.

ii) No products of dependent variables and/or derivatives occur.

If the differential eq^v is not linear, then it is called nonlinear.

Note → Every linear eq^v is of first degree but every first degree eq^v may not be linear.

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + y \frac{dy}{dx} + y = 0 \quad \text{Degree-1 but nonlinear}$$

Sol^v of Differential Eq^v:
Any relation between the dependent and independent variables (no derivative terms) which satisfy the differential eq^v is called a sol^v of integral of the differential eq^v.

Ex. $y = \frac{A}{x} + B$ is a sol^v of

$$y'' + \left(\frac{2}{x}\right) y' = 0$$

$$y' = -\frac{A}{x^2} \Rightarrow y'' = \frac{2A}{x^3}$$

Here y satisfies the given differential eqⁿ.

Family of curves: An n parameter family of curves is a set of relations of the form $\{ (x, y) : f(x, y, c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n) = 0 \}$

Ex: i) Set of all concentric circles $x^2 + y^2 = c$.
One parameter family if c takes non-negative values.

(ii) Set of circles $(x - c_1)^2 + (y - c_2)^2 = c_3$

Three parameter family if c_1, c_2 takes all real values and c_3 takes all non-negative real values.

Solv of differential eqⁿ is family of curves.

Formation of differential eqⁿs from a given n -parameters family of curves:

From a given family of curves containing n arbitrary constants, we can obtain an n th order differential eqⁿ whose solⁿ is the given family.

Differentiate the given eqⁿ n times to get n additional eqⁿs containing those arbitrary constants.

Eliminate n arbitrary constants from the $(n+1)$ eqⁿs.

Obtain a differential eqⁿ of n th order.

Ex 1. Obtain the differential eqⁿ satisfied by
 $xy = ae^x + be^{-x} + x^2$, a & b are arbitrary constants.

Given family of curves:

$$ny = ae^x + be^{-x} + x^2 \quad (1)$$

Differentiating (1) w.r.t x ,

$$x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = a e^x - b e^{-x} + 2x$$

Differentiating again

$$x \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{dy}{dx} = a e^x + b e^{-x} + 2$$

$$x \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2 \frac{dy}{dx} - xy = 2 - x^2 \quad (\text{From (1)})$$

$$\Rightarrow x \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 2 \frac{dy}{dx} - xy = 2 - x^2 \quad (\text{Ans})$$

General and particular solⁿ

Let $F(x, y, y'', y''', \dots, y^n) = 0$ be an n th order ordinary differential eqⁿ.

- i) General solⁿ: Solⁿ containing n -independent arbitrary constant.
- ii) Particular solⁿ: Solⁿ by giving particular values to one or more of the n independent constants.

Remark : Observe that the number of arbitrary constants in a solⁿ of a differential eqⁿ depends upon the order of differential eqⁿ. Therefore general solⁿ of n th order differential eqⁿ will contain n arbitrary constants.

Linear first order ODE

An equation of the form

$$\frac{dy}{dx} + Py = Q \quad \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

where P, Q are functions of x only (or constants) is called linear equation of first order in y. The dependent variables as also its derivative in such equations occur in the first degree only, not as higher powers or products.

Let R be an integrating factor of the above eqn. Then the left hand side of the eqn becomes

$$R \frac{dy}{dx} + RPy = RQ$$

$$\text{Now } R \frac{dy}{dx} + RPy = \frac{d}{dx}(Ry) = R \frac{dy}{dx} + y \frac{dR}{dx}$$

$$RP = \frac{dR}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dR}{R} = P dx$$

Integrating, $\log R = \int P dx$, so $R = e^{\int P dx}$

So, $R = e^{\int P dx}$ is an integrating factor.
Multiplying both sides of (1) by $e^{\int P dx}$ by this integrating factor, we get

$$\frac{dy}{dx} e^{\int P dx} + Py e^{\int P dx} = Q e^{\int P dx}$$

$$\text{or } d(y e^{\int P dx}) = Q e^{\int P dx} dx$$

Integrating, $y e^{\int P dx} = \int Q e^{\int P dx} dx + c$,
 c is a constant.

Note → Sometimes an eqn may be linear in y , where y is the independent variable. The form of such eqn is

$$\frac{dx}{dy} + P_1 x = Q_1$$

P_1, Q_1 are functions of y only (or constant). The general soln, in this case, will be

$$x e^{\int P_1 dy} = \int Q_1 e^{\int P_1 dy} dy + C.$$

$$\text{Ex 1. } \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{4x}{x^2+1} y = \frac{1}{(x^2+1)^3}$$

The eqn is not linear form in y .

$$\text{Here } P = \frac{4x}{x^2+1}, Q = \frac{1}{(x^2+1)^3}$$

Integrating factor, $\frac{e^{\int P dx}}{P} = \frac{\int \frac{4x}{x^2+1} dx}{\frac{4x}{x^2+1}}$

$$= \frac{e^{2\log(x^2+1)}}{2\log(x^2+1)} = e^{\log(x^2+1)^2} = (x^2+1)^2$$

Multiplying both sides of eqn by I.F,

$$(x^2+1)^2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 4x(x^2+1)y = \frac{1}{x^2+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow d\{(x^2+1)^2 y\} = \frac{1}{x^2+1} dx$$

Integrating both sides,

$$y(x^2+1)^2 = \tan^{-1} x + c,$$

where c is arbitrary constant.

$$\text{Ex 2. } 1 + y^2 + (x - e^{-\tan^{-1}y}) \frac{dy}{dx} = 0$$

The equation can be written as

$$\frac{dx}{dy} + \frac{x}{1+y^2} = \frac{e^{-\tan^{-1}y}}{1+y^2}$$

which is linear in x.

$$P = \frac{1}{1+y^2}, \quad Q = \frac{e^{-\tan^{-1}y}}{1+y^2}$$

$$\text{Integrating factor, } e^{\int P dy} = e^{\int \frac{1}{1+y^2} dy}$$

$$= e^{\tan^{-1}y}$$

Multiplying both sides by I.F,

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dx}{dy} e^{\tan^{-1}y} + \frac{e^{\tan^{-1}y}}{1+y^2} x &= \frac{1}{1+y^2} \\ \Rightarrow d(xe^{\tan^{-1}y}) &= \frac{1}{1+y^2} dy \end{aligned}$$

Integrating both sides, we get

$$xe^{\tan^{-1}y} = \tan^{-1}y + c, \quad c \text{ is an arbitrary constant}$$

Solve

$$\textcircled{1} \cos x \frac{dy}{dx} + y \sin x = 1$$

$$\textcircled{2} (x^2+1) \frac{dy}{dx} + 2xy = 4x^2$$

$$\textcircled{3} \sec^2 y \frac{dy}{dx} + 2xtan y = x^3$$

$$\textcircled{4} \frac{dy}{dx} + 2xy = e^{-x^2}$$

Equation reducible to linear form

An equation of the form $f'(y) \frac{dy}{dx} + Rf(y) = Q(x)$.

Substituting $f(y) = v \Rightarrow f'(y) \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dv}{dx}$.

Equation reduces to $\frac{dv}{dx} + Pv = Q$.

↳ linear in v .

A special case: Bernoulli's eqn.

An equation of the form

$\frac{dy}{dx} + Py = Qy^n$.

where P and Q are constants or function
of x and n is a constant except
0 and 1 is called Bernoulli's differential

eqn.

The above eqn can be written as

$$\frac{1}{y^n} \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{1}{y^{n-1}} P = Q$$

Substitute $\frac{1}{y^{n-1}} = v \Rightarrow$

$$\frac{1}{(1-n)} \frac{dv}{dx} + Pv = Q$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{(1-n)} \frac{dv}{dx} + P(1-n)v = Q(1-n)$$

↳ linear in v .

$$Ex 1. (x^2 - 2x + 2y^2) dx + 2xy dy = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2xy \frac{dy}{dx} + x^2 - 2x + 2y^2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2y \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{2y^2}{x} = \frac{x^2 - 2x}{x}$$

→ (1)

Substitute $y^2 = v \Rightarrow 2y \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dv}{dx}$

$$\frac{dv}{dx} + \frac{2}{x} v = (2-x) \cdot e^{\int \frac{2}{x} dx} = x^2 \cdot e^{\log x^2} = x^2.$$

$$\therefore \int d(vx^2) = \int x^2(2-x) dx + C, \quad C \text{ is an arbitrary constant.}$$

$$\Rightarrow vx^2 = \frac{2}{3}x^3 - \frac{x^4}{4} + C$$

$$\Rightarrow v \cdot y^2 = \frac{2}{3}x - \frac{x^2}{4} + \frac{C}{x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow v \cdot y^2 = -y^2 \sec x$$

$$\text{Ex 2. } \frac{dy}{dx} - y \tan x = -\sec x$$

$$\text{Dividing by } y^2$$

$$\frac{1}{y^2} \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{y} \tan x = -\sec x$$

$$\text{Substitute } \frac{1}{y} = v \Rightarrow \frac{1}{y} \frac{dy}{dx} = v \frac{dv}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{1}{y^2} \frac{dy}{dx} = -v \frac{dv}{dx}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{dv}{dx} - v \tan x = -\sec x$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{dv}{dx} - v \tan x = \sec x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dv}{dx} + \tan x \cdot v = -\sec x$$

$$\int \tan x dx = e^{\log(\sec x)} = \sec x.$$

$$\text{I.F.} = e^{\int \tan x dx} = \int \sec^2 x dx + C, \quad C \text{ is an arbitrary constant.}$$

$$\therefore \int d(v \sec x) = \int \sec^2 x dx + C$$

$$\Rightarrow v \sec x = \tan x + C$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{y} \sec x = \tan x + C$$

Solve the following problem

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{1}{x} \tan y = \frac{1}{x^2} \tan y \sin y$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad y(2xy + e^x) dx - e^x dy = 0$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} - \frac{1}{1+x} \tan y = (1+x) e^{x \sec y}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \sec^2 y \frac{dy}{dx} + 2x \tan y = x^3$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} + \frac{y}{x^2} \log y = \frac{y}{x^2} (\log y)^2$$

Linear differential eqn of Higher
Order with Constant coefficients:

The general form: $\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} + a_1 \frac{d^{n-1} y}{dx^{n-1}} + \dots + a_n y = x \quad (1)$

where a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n are constants and x is a function of x .

Its general solution will be of the form:

General Solⁿ = Complementary f_n (C.F)

+ Particular Integral

(P.I.)

Complementary f_n: It is the general solⁿ of the corresponding homogeneous eqⁿ

$$\frac{d^n y}{dx^n} + a_1 \frac{d^{n-1} y}{dx^{n-1}} + \dots + a_n y = 0 \quad (2)$$

. Particular Integral: If v is any particular sol \sqsubseteq , of then

$$\frac{d^n v}{dx^n} + a_1 \frac{d^{n-1} v}{dx^{n-1}} + \dots + a_n v = x$$

$\therefore v$ is the particular integral.

If $y = f(x)$ be the sol \sqsubseteq of f eq \sqsubseteq (2) and $y = \phi(x)$ be part \sqsubseteq of (1). Then the general sol \sqsubseteq of (1) will take the form

$$y = f(x) + \phi(x) \quad \xrightarrow{\text{P.I.}} \\ \downarrow \quad \text{C.F.}$$

. Differential Operator D: We use the symbol D for the differential operator $\frac{d}{dx}$, so that $\frac{dy}{dx}$; we write $(D-m)y = \frac{dy}{dx} - m_1 y$. If m be a constant,

The notation $(D-m_1)(D-m_2)y$ is defined to mean that y is operated first with $(D-m_1)$, then with $(D-m_2)$, then with $(D-m_1)$

$$\therefore (D-m_1)(D-m_2)y = (D-m_1) \left(\frac{dy}{dx} - m_2 y \right)$$

$$= \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - m_1 \frac{dy}{dx} - m_2 \frac{dy}{dx} + m_1 m_2 y$$

$$= \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - (m_1 + m_2) \frac{dy}{dx} + m_1 m_2 y$$

$$= \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - (D-m_1)(D-m_2)y$$

$$\text{Also } (D-m_1)(D-m_2)y = (D-m_2)(D-m_1)y$$

Solution of Homogeneous linear Equations

(Complementary function)

$$\frac{d^ny}{dx^n} + a_1 \frac{d^{n-1}y}{dx^{n-1}} + \dots + a_n y = 0$$

$$[D^n + a_1 D^{n-1} + a_2 D^{n-2} + \dots + a_n] y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow [(D - \alpha_1) (D - \alpha_2) \dots (D - \alpha_n)] y = 0$$

Treating the operator D as a no, the ordinary laws of multiplication works.

$$\text{Consider } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + a_1 \frac{dy}{dx} + a_2 y = 0$$

Writing the eqⁿ in operator form,

$$(D^2 + a_1 D + a_2) y = 0 \quad (3)$$

Auxiliary eqⁿ will be $m^2 + a_1 m + a_2 = 0$

Case I : Non-repeated roots

Let α_1, α_2 be two non-repeated, distinct roots of (3)

$$(D^2 + a_1 D + a_2) y = 0 \Rightarrow (D - \alpha_1)(D - \alpha_2) y = 0$$

$$(D - \alpha_2) y = 0$$

A solⁿ of above eqⁿ: $(D - \alpha_2) y = 0$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \alpha_2 y$$

$$\text{Separate variables} \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{y} = \alpha_2 dx$$

$$\Rightarrow y = e^{\alpha_2 x}$$

$$\text{Similarly, } (D - \alpha_1) y = 0$$

$$\text{If we consider } (D - \alpha_2)(D - \alpha_1) y = 0$$

$$\text{A solⁿ of } (D - \alpha_1) y = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \alpha_1 y$$

$$\Rightarrow y = e^{\alpha_1 x}$$

Thus the general solⁿ: $y = c_1 e^{\alpha_1 x} + c_2 e^{\alpha_2 x}$.

Case II : Repeated roots

$$(D-\alpha)(D-\alpha) y = 0$$

$$\text{Let } (D-\alpha)y = z; \text{ then } (D-\alpha)z = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z = c_1 e^{\alpha x}$$

$$\text{Now solving } (D-\alpha)y = c_1 e^{\alpha x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} - \alpha y = c_1 e^{\alpha x} \quad \xrightarrow{\text{linear in } y}$$

$$\therefore I.F = e^{-\alpha x}$$

$$\therefore y e^{-\alpha x} = \int c_1 e^{\alpha x} e^{-\alpha x} dx + c_2$$

$$\Rightarrow y = (c_1 x + c_2) e^{\alpha x} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{will be} \\ \text{general sol} \end{matrix}$$

Case III : Imaginary roots

Let $\alpha + i\beta, \alpha - i\beta$ be two conjugate roots.

$$\therefore y = c_1 e^{(\alpha+i\beta)x} + c_2 e^{(\alpha-i\beta)x}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = c_1 e^{\alpha x} e^{i\beta x} + c_2 e^{\alpha x} e^{-i\beta x}$$

$$= e^{\alpha x} [c_1 (\cos \beta x + i \sin \beta x) + c_2 (\cos \beta x - i \sin \beta x)]$$

$$= e^{\alpha x} [(c_1 + c_2) \cos \beta x + i (c_1 - c_2) \sin \beta x]$$

$$\Rightarrow y = e^{\alpha x} (c_1' \cos \beta x + c_2' \sin \beta x)$$

[Note → Repeated imaginary roots, $\alpha \pm i\beta, \alpha + i\beta$]

$$y = e^{\alpha x} [(c_1 + c_2 x) \cos \beta x + (c_3 + c_4 x) \sin \beta x]$$

$$\text{Ex 1. } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 5 \frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = 0$$

In operator form, $(D^2 - 5D + 6)y = 0$.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Auxiliary eq: } & m^2 - 5m + 6 = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & (m-2)(m-3) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow & m = 2, 3.\end{aligned}$$

The general solⁿ will be $y = c_1 e^{2x} + c_2 e^{3x}$,
 c_1, c_2 are arbitrary constants.

$$\text{Ex 2. } \frac{d^4y}{dx^4} - 2 \frac{d^3y}{dx^3} + 5 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 8 \frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = 0$$

In operator form, $(D^4 - 2D^3 + 5D^2 - 8D + 4)y = 0$

$$\text{Auxiliary eq: } (m^4 - 2m^3 + 5m^2 - 8m + 4) = 0$$

Roots are $m = 1, 1, -2i, -2i$.

The general solⁿ will be
 $y = (c_1 + c_2x)e^x + c_3 \cos 2x + c_4 \sin 2x$.

$$\text{Solve } ① \quad 4 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 4 \frac{dy}{dx} - 3y = 0$$

$$② \quad \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 8 \frac{dy}{dx} + 25y = 0$$

$$③ \quad \text{Solve the eq: } \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 5 \frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = 0 \text{ if } y = 3$$

and find the particular solⁿ if $x = \log 2$.

when $x = 0$ and $y = 8$ when $x = \log 2$, satisfying

$$④ \quad \text{Solve } \frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 4t = 0, \text{ when } t = 0$$

$$x = A, \frac{dx}{dt} = 3 \text{ when } t = 0$$

Determination of Particular Integral:

$$f(D)y = X \quad \text{Particular Integral (P.I.)} \\ = \frac{1}{f(D)} X$$

$\frac{1}{f(D)}$ is called the inverse operator.

The operator $f(D)$ can be expressed as

$$(D - \alpha_1)(D - \alpha_2) \dots (D - \alpha_n)$$

$$\text{Particular Integral (P.I.)} = \frac{1}{(D - \alpha_1)(D - \alpha_2) \dots (D - \alpha_n)} X$$

$$\text{General method for P.I. : } \frac{1}{D - a} X = e^{ax} \int x e^{-ax} dx.$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{(D - a)} X$$

$$\Rightarrow (D - a)y = X \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} - ay = X.$$

$$I.F = e^{\int a dx} = e^{-ax}$$

$$\therefore y e^{-ax} = \int x e^{-ax} + C \rightarrow 0 \quad (\text{Since it is particular Integral})$$

$$\therefore y = e^{ax} \int x e^{-ax} dx.$$

$$\text{Ex 1. Solve } (D^2 + a^2)y = \sec ax$$

→ Consider corresponding homogeneous eqⁿ.

$$(D^2 + a^2)y = 0.$$

Auxiliary eqⁿ will be $m^2 + a^2 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow m \neq \pm ia$

Complementary fn will be $c_1 \cos ax + c_2 \sin ax$.

$$P.I. = \frac{1}{D^2 + a^2} \sec ax = \frac{1}{2ia} \left[\frac{1}{D - ia} - \frac{1}{D + ia} \right] \sec ax$$

$$\text{Consider } \frac{1}{D - ia} \sec ax = e^{iax} \{ \sec ax \}^{-1}$$

$$= e^{iax} \left[x + \frac{i}{a} \ln |\cos ax| \right]$$

$$\text{Similarly } \frac{1}{D + ia} \sec ax = e^{-iax} \left[x - \frac{i}{a} \ln |\cos ax| \right]$$

$$\text{I.P.I.} = \frac{1}{2ia} \left[e^{iax} \left\{ x + \frac{i}{a} \ln |\cos ax| \right\} - e^{-iax} \left\{ x - \frac{i}{a} \ln |\cos ax| \right\} \right]$$

$$= \frac{x}{a} \sin ax + \frac{1}{a^2} \ln |\cos ax| / \cos ax.$$

$$\text{General Soln. : } y = c_1 \cos ax + c_2 \sin ax + \frac{x}{a} \sin ax + \frac{1}{a^2} \ln |\cos ax| / \cos ax.$$

$$\text{Ansatz: } y = e^{(p+q)x}$$

$$y' = (p+q)e^{(p+q)x}$$

$$y'' = (p+q)^2 e^{(p+q)x}$$

$$(p+q)^2 e^{(p+q)x} - p^2 e^{(p+q)x} - q^2 e^{(p+q)x} = 0$$

Particular Integral for some special forms
of x (e^{ax} , $\cos(ax)$, $\sin(ax)$):

- If a is a constant, then

$$f(D) e^{ax} = f(a) e^{ax}$$

$$\Rightarrow D e^{ax} = a e^{ax}$$

$$D^2 e^{ax} = a^2 e^{ax}. \quad (1)$$

$$f(D) e^{ax} = f(a) e^{ax}$$

- When x is of the form e^{ax} ,

$$f(D) y = e^{ax}$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{1}{f(D)} e^{ax}$$

Operating $\frac{1}{f(D)}$ on both sides of (1),

$$e^{ax} = \frac{1}{f(D)} f(a) e^{ax} = f(a) \frac{1}{f(D)} e^{ax}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{f(D)} e^{ax} = \frac{1}{f(a)} e^{ax}, \text{ provided } f(a) \neq 0.$$

If $f(a) = 0$, then $(D-a)$ is a factor of $f(D)$.

$$\text{Consider } f(D) = (D-a)g(D).$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{f(D)} e^{ax} &= \frac{1}{(D-a)} \frac{1}{g(D)} e^{ax} \\ &= \frac{1}{(D-a)} \frac{1}{g(a)} e^{ax}, \text{ provided } g(a) \neq 0 \\ &= \frac{1}{g(a)} \frac{1}{(D-a)} e^{ax} \\ &= \frac{1}{g(a)} x e^{ax}.\end{aligned}$$

In summary: When $x = e^{ax}$, when $f(a) \neq 0$.

1. $\frac{1}{f(D)} e^{ax} = \frac{1}{f(a)} e^{ax}$, when $f(D)$ must have a factor of type $(D-a)^n$.

2. If $f(a) = 0$, then $(D-a)$ is a factor of type $(D-a)^m$. Then $\frac{1}{(D-a)^m} e^{ax} = \frac{x^m}{m!} (x e^{ax})$ is a soln of (1).

Ex 1. Find the general soln of $(D^2 - 3D + 2)y = e^{3x}$

→ Complementary fn is $y_c = c_1 e^{2x} + c_2 e^{x}$

The auxiliary eqn of (1) is $m^2 - 3m + 2 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow m = 2, 1$$

\therefore C.F., $y_c = c_1 e^{2x} + c_2 e^{x}$, c_1, c_2 being arbitrary constants.

Particular integral: $y_p = \frac{1}{D^2 - 3D + 2} e^{3x}$

$$= \frac{1}{3^2 - 3 \cdot 3 + 2} e^{3x}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} e^{3x}$$

The general solⁿ is $y = c_1 e^{3x} + c_2 e^{2x} + \frac{1}{2} e^{3x}$.

2. Find Particular solⁿ of $(D^3 - D^2 - D + 1)y$

$$\text{P.I.} = \frac{1}{D^3 - D^2 - D + 1} e^x$$

$$= \frac{1}{(D-1)^2(D+1)} e^x$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{(D+1)^2} e^x = \frac{1}{4} x^2 e^x.$$

If x is of the form $\cos \alpha x$ or $\sin \alpha x$

If α, β are constants, then

$$\phi(D^2) \sin(\alpha x + \beta) = \phi(-\alpha^2) \sin(\alpha x + \beta)$$

$$\text{and } \phi(D^2) \cos(\alpha x + \beta) = \phi(-\alpha^2) \cos(\alpha x + \beta).$$

If $\phi(-\alpha^2) \neq 0$,

$$\frac{1}{f(D)} \sin(\alpha x + \beta) = \frac{1}{\phi(D^2)} \sin(\alpha x + \beta) = \frac{1}{\phi(-\alpha^2)} \sin(\alpha x + \beta).$$

$$\frac{1}{f(D)} \cos(\alpha x + \beta) = \frac{1}{\phi(D^2)} \cos(\alpha x + \beta) = \frac{1}{\phi(-\alpha^2)} \cos(\alpha x + \beta).$$

Ex 1. Evaluate $\frac{1}{D^4 + D^2 + 1} \cos 2x$.

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{D^4 + D^2 + 1} \cos 2x &= \frac{1}{(-2)^2 + (-2^2) + 1} \cos 2x \\ &= \frac{1}{13} \cos 2x.\end{aligned}$$

Ex 2. Evaluate $\frac{1}{D^2 - 2D + 1} \cos 3x$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \frac{1}{-3^2 - 2D + 1} \cos 3x \\ &= \frac{1}{-2(D+4)} \cos 3x \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{(D-4)}{(D+4)(D-4)} \cos 3x \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \frac{D-4}{D^2-16} \cos 3x \\ &= -\frac{1}{2} \frac{(D-4)}{-3^2-16} \cos 3x \\ &= \frac{1}{50} (D-4) \cos 3x\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{If } \alpha = \frac{1}{2} + i\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}, \text{ then } \sin 3x = \frac{1}{50} (3\sin 3x - 4\cos 3x)$$

$$\text{and } \cos 3x = \frac{1}{50} (3\sin 3x + 4\cos 3x).$$

If $\phi(-\alpha^2) = 0$ then $\frac{1}{D^2 + \alpha^2} \sin \alpha x$

$$\text{Consider P.I. } \frac{1}{D^2 + \alpha^2} \cos \alpha x + i \frac{1}{D^2 + \alpha^2} \sin \alpha x$$

$$= \operatorname{Im} \left\{ \frac{1}{D^2 + \alpha^2} e^{i\alpha x} \right\}$$

$$= \operatorname{Im} \left\{ \frac{1}{D^2 + \alpha^2} [(\alpha^2 + 1)] e^{i\alpha x} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(D-i\alpha)(D+i\alpha)} e^{i\alpha x}$$

$$\text{Consider } \frac{1}{D^2 + \alpha^2} e^{i\alpha x} = \frac{1}{2i\alpha} \left(\frac{1}{(D-i\alpha)} e^{i\alpha x} - \frac{1}{(D+i\alpha)} e^{i\alpha x} \right)$$

$$= \frac{x}{2i\alpha} e^{i\alpha x} \cdot \frac{1}{(x^2 - \alpha^2)}$$

$$\frac{1}{D^2 + \alpha^2} \sin \alpha x = \operatorname{im} \left\{ \frac{x}{2\alpha} \sin \alpha x - i \frac{x}{2\alpha} \cos \alpha x \right\}$$

$$= -\frac{x}{2\alpha} \cos \alpha x$$

$$\frac{1}{D^2 + \alpha^2} \cos \alpha x = \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \frac{x}{2\alpha} \sin \alpha x - i \frac{x}{2\alpha} \cos \alpha x \right\}$$

$$= \frac{x}{2\alpha} \sin \alpha x$$

Ex. Find the general sol^y of $(D^2 + 4)y = \sin^2 x$.

$$C.F = c_1 \cos 2x + c_2 \sin 2x$$

$$P.I = \frac{1}{D^2 + 4} \sin^2 x = \frac{1}{D^2 + 4} \left(\frac{1 - \cos 2x}{2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{D^2 + 4} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{D^2 + 4} \cos 2x \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{D^2 + 4} \cos 2x$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{x}{2} \sin 2x$$

$$= \frac{1}{8} - \frac{x}{8} \sin 2x$$

$$\therefore \text{General sol}^y = C.F + P.I$$

$$= c_1 \cos 2x + c_2 \sin 2x + \frac{1}{8} \sin 2x$$

~~If x^m is x^m or a polynomial of degree m~~
~~Take out the lowest degree term from~~
 ~~$f(D)$, so as to reduce it in the~~
~~form $[1 \pm P(D)]^{\alpha}$~~
~~Take it to numerator and expand it.~~

$$(1+x)^{-1} = 1 - x + x^2 - x^3 + \dots$$

$$(1-x)^{-1} = 1 + x + x^2 + x^3 + \dots$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Ex. Evaluate } \frac{1}{D^3 - D^2 - 6D} (x^2 + 1) \\
 &= -\frac{1}{6D} \left(1 + \frac{D}{6} - \frac{D^2}{36} \right)^{-1} (x^2 + 1) \\
 &= -\frac{1}{6D} \left[1 - \left(\frac{D}{6} - \frac{D^2}{36} \right) + \left(\frac{D}{6} - \frac{D^2}{36} \right)^2 - \dots \right] \\
 &= -\frac{1}{6D} \left[1 + \frac{D}{6} + \frac{D^2}{36} + \dots \right] (x^2 + 1) \\
 &= -\frac{1}{6D} \left[(x^2 + 1) - \frac{2x}{6} + \frac{1}{36} \cdot 2 \right] \\
 &= -\frac{1}{6D} \left[x^2 - \frac{2x}{3} + \frac{25}{18} \right] \\
 &= -\frac{1}{6D} \left[\frac{x^3}{3} - \frac{x^2}{6} + \frac{25}{18} x \right] \\
 &= -\frac{1}{6} \left[\frac{x^3}{3} + \dots \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

If x is of the form $e^{ax}V$, where V is any function of x .

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{1}{f(D)} e^{ax}V = e^{ax} \frac{1}{f(D+a)} V \\
 & \text{Ex. Evaluate } \frac{1}{D^2 + 3D + 2} \\
 &= e^{2x} \cdot \frac{1}{(D+2)^2 + 3(D+2) + 2} \\
 &= e^{2x} \cdot \frac{1}{D^2 + 7D + 12} \sin x \\
 &= e^{2x} \cdot \frac{1}{D^2 + 7D + 12} \sin x \\
 &= e^{2x} \cdot \frac{1}{7D + 11} \sin x \\
 &= e^{2x} \cdot \frac{7D - 11}{49D^2 - 121} \sin x
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{e^{2x}}{170} (11\sin x - 7\cos x)$$

If x is of the form x^V , where V is any function of x , $\frac{1}{f(D)} x^V = x \frac{1}{f(D)} V - \frac{f'(D)}{\{f(D)\}^2} V$

Ex. Evaluate $\frac{1}{D^2 - 2D + 1} \sin x$

$$= x \cdot \frac{1}{D^2 - 2D + 1} \sin x - \frac{2D - 2}{(D^2 - 2D + 1)^2} \sin x$$

$$= x \cdot \frac{1}{-1 - 2D + 1} \sin x - \frac{2D - 2}{(-1 - 2D + 1)^2} \sin x$$

$$= x \cdot \frac{1}{-2D} \sin x - \frac{2D - 2}{4D^2} \sin x$$

$$= \frac{x}{2} \cos x + \frac{1}{2} (\cos x - \sin x)$$

Solve

- ① $(D^2 - 4D + 4)y = x^3$ for particular solution
 $\frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = 4x^2 \tan 2x$
- ② $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 5 \frac{dy}{dx} + 6y = x^2 e^{3x}$
- ③ $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 2 \frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = e^{3x} \cos x$
- ④ $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + (S+D) \frac{dy}{dx} + (S+D)y = \frac{1}{e^{(S+D)x}}$

Method of Variation of Parameter

Let us consider general linear eqⁿ of second order

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + P \frac{dy}{dx} + Qy = X \quad (1)$$

where P, Q and X are functions of x .

Let also $y = Au + Bv$ ⁽²⁾ be complementary fns of corresponding homogeneous eqⁿ (1), where A, B are constants and u, v are fns of x and are independent solⁿ of homogeneous eqⁿ corresponding to (1).

$$\text{Eq. homogeneous } \frac{d^2u}{dx^2} + P \frac{du}{dx} + Qu = 0 \quad (3)$$

$$\text{Thus, } \frac{d^2v}{dx^2} + P \frac{dv}{dx} + Qv = 0. \quad (4)$$

Let us assume that $y = \phi u + \psi v$ ⁽⁴⁾ be the complete primitive of (1). We take ϕ, ψ as a fn of x in place of A and B :

Differentiating (4) w.r.t x we get $\frac{dy}{dx} = \phi \frac{du}{dx} + u \frac{d\phi}{dx} + \psi \frac{dv}{dx} + v \frac{d\psi}{dx}$.

$\frac{dy}{dx}$ so that

$$\text{We choose } \phi, \psi \text{ so that } u \frac{d\phi}{dx} + v \frac{d\psi}{dx} = 0; \quad (5)$$

$$\text{so that } \frac{dy}{dx} = \phi \frac{du}{dx} + \psi \frac{dv}{dx}$$

Differentiating this once again

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} = \phi \frac{d^2u}{dx^2} + \frac{d\phi}{dx} \frac{du}{dx} + \frac{dy}{dx} \frac{dv}{dx} + \psi \frac{d^2v}{dx^2}$$

Substituting these values of $y, \frac{dy}{dx}, \frac{d^2y}{dx^2}$ in (1), we get

$$\phi \left(\frac{d^2u}{dx^2} + P \frac{du}{dx} + Qu \right) + \psi \left(\frac{d^2v}{dx^2} + P \frac{dv}{dx} + Qv \right) + \frac{d\phi}{dx} \frac{du}{dx} + \frac{d\psi}{dx} \frac{dv}{dx} = X$$

$$\therefore \frac{d\phi}{dx} \frac{du}{dx} + \frac{d\psi}{dx} \frac{dv}{dx} = X \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d\phi}{dx} = \frac{vX}{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}, \quad \frac{d\psi}{dx} = - \frac{uX}{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}}$$

Integrating,

$$\phi = \int \frac{vX}{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}} dx + C_1, \quad \psi = C_2 + \int \frac{uX}{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}} dx$$

$$\psi = - \int \frac{uX}{v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx}} dx$$

Wronskian: If u , v are two functions of x , then Wronskian of two

functions $u(x)$ and $v(x)$ are defined as $W(u, v) = \begin{vmatrix} u(x) & v(x) \\ \frac{du}{dx} & \frac{dv}{dx} \end{vmatrix}$

Independent solns. Two solns u and v are called independent if $W(u, v) \neq 0$. i.e. $uv' - u'v \neq 0$.

Ex Solve by the method of variation of parameter:

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 4y = 4\tan 2x.$$

→ The auxiliary eqn is $m^2 + 4 = 0$

$$\Rightarrow m = \pm 2i$$

∴ The complementary function will be

$$CF = A\cos 2x + B\sin 2x, A, B \text{ are arbitrary constants}$$

$$W(\cos 2x, \sin 2x) = \begin{vmatrix} \cos 2x & \sin 2x \\ -2\sin 2x & 2\cos 2x \end{vmatrix} \\ = 2(\cos^2 2x + \sin^2 2x) = 2 \neq 0$$

∴ $\cos 2x, \sin 2x$ are independent solns.

Assume the complete soln of the eqn will

$$\text{be } y = \phi(x)\cos 2x + \psi(x)\sin 2x.$$

Using method of variation of parameter

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d\phi}{dx} &= -\frac{\psi(x)\sin 2x \cdot 4\tan 2x}{2W} \\ \Rightarrow \phi(x) &= -\int \frac{\sin 2x \cdot \frac{4\sin 2x}{\cos 2x}}{2} dx + C_1 \\ &= -2 \int \frac{\sin^2 2x}{\cos 2x} dx + C_1 \\ &\approx -2 \int \frac{1 - \cos^2 2x}{\cos 2x} dx \\ &= \sin 2x - \log(\sec 2x + \tan 2x) + C_1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\cos 2x + 4 \tan 2x}{2}$$

$$y(x) = 2 \int \sin 2x dx + C_2 \\ = -\cos 2x + C_2$$

The complete soln \$ will be

$$y = \phi(x) \cos 2x + \psi(x) \sin 2x \\ \phi(x) \cos 2x + \psi(x) \sin 2x + -\cos 2x \log(\sec 2x + \tan 2x).$$

Solve by method of variation of parameter

$$① \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - y = 0 \quad \text{Ist part}$$

$$② y_p = \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + a^2 y = \sec ax$$

$$③ \frac{d^2y}{dx^2}(t) y = -\cosec x$$

$$④ \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 3 \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y = \frac{e^{2x}}{1+x}$$

$$⑤ \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + y = 12 \sec x \tan x$$

$$3+ \text{soln} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dx} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$10 + \text{soln} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = (x)\phi$$

$$10 + \text{soln} \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = (x)\phi$$

$$(x^2 \cos x + x^2 \sin x) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = (x)\phi$$

$$(x^2 \cos x + x^2 \sin x) \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = (x)\phi$$

Cauchy-Euler Equation

A linear differential eqn of the form

$$x^n \frac{d^n y}{dx^n} + a_1 x^{n-1} \frac{d^{n-1} y}{dx^{n-1}} + \dots + a_n y = x$$

Denoting $\frac{d^n}{dx^n} \equiv D$

$$(x^n D^n + a_1 x^{n-1} D^{n-1} + \dots + a_n) y = x$$

Cauchy Euler eqz:

$$x^n \frac{d^ny}{dx^n} + a_1 x^{n-1} \frac{d^{n-1}y}{dx^{n-1}} + \dots + a_n y = x$$

$$\text{Choose } x = e^z \text{ or } z = \ln x \Rightarrow \frac{dz}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dz} \frac{dz}{dx} = \frac{1}{n} \frac{dy}{dz}$$

$$\Rightarrow x \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dz}$$

$$\Rightarrow xDy \text{ is } = D_1 y \text{ where } D_1 = \frac{d}{dz}.$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} &= \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{1}{x} \frac{dy}{dz} \right) = -\frac{1}{x^2} \frac{dy}{dz} + \frac{1}{x} \frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{dy}{dz} \right) \\ &= -\frac{1}{x^2} \frac{dy}{dz} + \frac{1}{x} \cdot \frac{d^2y}{dz^2} \cdot \frac{1}{x} \\ &= \frac{1}{x^2} \left(\frac{d^2y}{dz^2} - \frac{dy}{dz} \right)\end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow x^2 D^2 \equiv D_1^2 - D_1 = D_1(D_1 - 1)$$

$$S_0, \quad xD \equiv D_1 \quad \text{in} \quad \mathbb{Z}_{(D-1)+1}$$

$$x^2 D^{25} \equiv -D_1 + \frac{(D_1-1)}{(D_1-1)(D_1-2)}.$$

$$x^3 D^3 \equiv D_1 (D_1 - 1)(D_1 - 2)$$

$$x^3 D^3 = D(D-1)(D-2) \dots (D-(n-1))$$

$$D_1(D_1 - D)r^{-2}$$

$x^n D^m$ and solⁿ of L_{m,n}

Ex 1. Find the general sol-
 $(x^2 - 2) y' + x y = x \ln x$.

$$(x^2 D^2 - x D + 2) f$$

$$x^{\frac{1}{n}} \leq z = \ln x.$$

$$\text{Let } x = e^z \Rightarrow z = \ln x \quad (D_1 - 1)$$

$$x^D \equiv D_1 x + D_2 y = \cancel{z^D} z^e.$$

$$\therefore [D_1(D_1 - 1) - D_1] u = z e^z. \quad (1)$$

$$\Rightarrow (D_1^2 - 2D_1 + 2) y =$$

Auxiliary eqn will be $m^2 - 2m + 2 = 0$
 $\Rightarrow m = \frac{2 \pm \sqrt{4-8}}{2}$
 $= \frac{2 \pm 2i}{2} = 1 \pm i$

$\therefore C.F. y_c = e^z (c_1 \cos z + c_2 \sin z)$
 $= x (c_1 \cos(\ln x) + c_2 \sin(\ln x)).$

$\therefore P.I. y_p = \frac{1}{D_1^2 - 2D_1 + 2} ze^z$

 $= \frac{1}{(D_1 - 1)^2 + 1} ze^z$
 $= \frac{e^z}{(D_1 + 1)^2 - 2(D_1 + 1) + 2} ze^z$
 $= e^z \frac{1}{D_1^2 + 1} ze^z$
 $= e^z (1 + D_1^2)^{-1} ze^z$
 $= e^z (1 - D_1^2 + 1)^{-1} ze^z$
 $= ze^z = x \ln x$

$\therefore \text{General soln, } y = x (c_1 \cos(\ln x) + c_2 \sin(\ln x)) + x \ln x$

Solve

- (1) $(x^2 D^2 + 3xD + 1)y = \frac{1}{(1-x)^2}$, where $D = \frac{d}{dx}$
- (2) $(x^2 D^2 - 3xD + 5)y = x^2 \sin(\ln x)$
- (3) $x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - 3x \frac{dy}{dx} + 4y = x^4$.
- (4) $x^2 \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + x \frac{dy}{dx} + y = \log x \sin(\ln x).$

Laplace Transform

The Laplace transform of the function $F(t)$, which will be denoted by either $f(p)$ or $L\{F(t)\}$, is defined as

$$L\{F(t)\} = f(p) = \int_0^\infty e^{-pt} F(t) dt, \quad p > 0. \quad (1)$$

p is called the transform parameter.

Let us now find the Laplace transforms of some elementary functions from defⁿ.

(i) If $F(t) = c$, then (c is constant)

$$L\{c\} = \int_0^\infty ce^{-pt} dt = \left[-\frac{ce^{-pt}}{p} \right]_0^\infty = \frac{c}{p}, \quad p > 0.$$

(ii) If $F(t) = t^2$, then

$$\begin{aligned} L\{t^2\} &= \int_0^\infty e^{-pt} t^2 dt \\ &= \left[-\frac{t^2 e^{-pt}}{p} \right]_0^\infty + \left(\int_0^\infty 2t \frac{e^{-pt}}{p} dt \right) \\ &= \frac{2}{p} \left[\left(-\frac{e^{-pt}}{p} + t \right) \right]_0^\infty + \frac{2}{p} \int_0^\infty \frac{e^{-pt}}{p} dt \\ &= \frac{2}{p} \left[\left(-\frac{e^{-pt}}{p} \right) \right]_0^\infty = \frac{2}{p^3}, \quad p > 0. \quad \text{as } t \rightarrow \infty \end{aligned}$$

∴ $L\{t^n\} = \frac{n!}{p^{n+1}}$, n is a non-negative integer.

(iii) If $F(t) = e^{\alpha t}$, then

$$L\{e^{\alpha t}\} = \int_0^\infty e^{-pt} e^{\alpha t} dt = \left[-\frac{e^{-(p-\alpha)t}}{p-\alpha} \right]_0^\infty = \frac{1}{p-\alpha}, \quad p > \alpha.$$

(iv) $L\{\cosh at\} = L\left\{\frac{1}{2}(e^{at} + e^{-at})\right\}$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{p-a} + \frac{1}{p+a} \right) = \frac{p}{p^2 - a^2}, \quad p > |a|$$

$$\text{Similarly } L\{\sin at\} = \frac{a}{p^2 - a^2} + b \text{ for } b > 0$$

(v) If $F(t) = \cos at$ then

$$\begin{aligned} L\{\cos at\} &= \int_0^\infty e^{-pt} \cos at dt \\ &= \left[\frac{e^{-pt}}{p^2 + a^2} (-pa \cos at + a \sin at) \right]_0^\infty \\ &= \frac{a}{p^2 + a^2}, \quad b > 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Similarly } L\{\sin at\} = \frac{a}{p^2 + a^2}$$

Example 1 Find the Laplace transform of $f(t)$ defined as

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} t/k, & \text{when } 0 < t < k \\ 1, & \text{when } t > k. \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} L\{f(t)\} &= \int_0^k \frac{t}{k} e^{-pt} dt + \int_k^\infty 1 \cdot e^{-pt} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{k} \left[\left(t \frac{e^{-pt}}{-p} \right)_0^k - \int_0^k \frac{e^{-pt}}{-p} dt \right] \\ &\quad + \left[\frac{e^{-pt}}{-p} \right]_k^\infty \\ &= \frac{1}{k} \left[\frac{k}{-p} e^{-pk} - \frac{k}{-p} \left(\frac{e^{-pt}}{-p} \right)_0^k \right] + \frac{e^{-pk}}{p} \\ &= \frac{1}{k} \left[\frac{k}{-p} [e^{-pk} + 1] \right] + \frac{e^{-pk}}{p} \end{aligned}$$

Inverse of the Laplace transform will be defined by $L^{-1}\{f(p)\} = F(t)$, if $f(p)$

be the Laplace transform of $F(t)$.

According to the definition of inverse transform, we can state

- (a) $L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{p}\right) = 1$, since $L\{1\} = \frac{1}{p}$.
- (b) $L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{p^{n+1}}\right) = \frac{t^n}{n!}$ since $L\{t^n\} = \frac{n!}{p^{n+1}}$
- (c) $L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{p-\alpha}\right) = e^{\alpha t}$, since $L\{e^{\alpha t}\} = \frac{1}{p-\alpha}$
- (d) $L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{p^2+\alpha^2}\right) = \frac{1}{\alpha} \sin \alpha t$, since $L\{\sin \alpha t\}$
- (e) $L^{-1}\left(\frac{b}{p^2+\alpha^2}\right) = \cos \alpha t$, since $L\{\cos \alpha t\} = \frac{\alpha}{p^2+\alpha^2}$
- (f) $L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{p^2-\alpha^2}\right) = \frac{1}{\alpha} \sinh \alpha t$, since $L\{\sinh \alpha t\} = \frac{\alpha}{p^2-\alpha^2}$
- (g) $L^{-1}\left(\frac{b}{p^2-\alpha^2}\right) = \cosh \alpha t$ since $L\{\cosh \alpha t\} = \frac{\alpha}{p^2-\alpha^2}$