

Quiz 12

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Use the Laplace transform to solve the given initial value problems:

1. $y'' + 4y = u_0(t), y(0) = y'(0) = 0;$

2. $y'' + 2y' + 5y = g(t), y(0) = 0, y'(0) = -1.$

2. $s^2 Y(s) - s y(0) - y'(0) + 2s Y(s) - 2 y'(0) + 5 Y(s) = G(s).$

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

$$= \frac{-\frac{1}{2} \cdot 2}{(s+1)^2 + 4} + \frac{G(s)}{(s+1)^2 + 4}$$

$$y(t) = -\frac{1}{2} e^{-t} \sin 2t + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t e^{-(t-\tau)} \sin 2(t-\tau) g(\tau) d\tau.$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} & \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{2 - e^{-2s}}{(s+1)^2 + 1} \right\} (t) \\ &= 2 \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{(s+1)^2 + 1} \right\} (t) \\ &= \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ e^{-2s} \cdot \frac{1}{(s+1)^2 + 1} \right\} (t) \\ &= 2e^{-t} \sin t - H(t-2)e^{-(t-2)} \sin(t-2), \end{aligned}$$

or, equivalently,

$$\begin{cases} 2e^{-t} \sin t, & 0 \leq t < 2, \\ 2e^{-t} \sin t - e^{-(t-2)} \sin(t-2), & 2 \leq t < \infty. \end{cases}$$

26. The forcing function f is described by

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{if } t < 0, \\ 1, & \text{if } t \geq 0, \end{cases}$$

or equivalently

$$f(t) = H(t).$$

Hence,

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}(s) = \frac{1}{s}.$$

Take the Laplace transform of both sides of the given equation. Let $Y(s) = \mathcal{L}\{y(t)\}(s)$.

$$\begin{aligned} & y'' + 4y = f(t) \\ & \mathcal{L}(y'')(s) + 4\mathcal{L}(y)(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}(s) \\ & s^2 Y(s) - s y(0) - y'(0) + 4Y(s) = F(s) \end{aligned}$$

Use the initial conditions $y(0) = y'(0) = 0$ and the Laplace transform of f found earlier.

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

A partial fraction decomposition is needed.

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{s(s^2 + 4)} &= \frac{A}{s} + \frac{Bs + C}{s^2 + 4} \\ 1 &= A(s^2 + 4) + (Bs + C)s \\ 1 &= (A + B)s^2 + Cs + 4A \end{aligned}$$

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Then,

$$\begin{aligned} s = 0 &\Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{4} \\ A + B = 0 &\Rightarrow B = -\frac{1}{4} \\ C &= 0. \end{aligned}$$

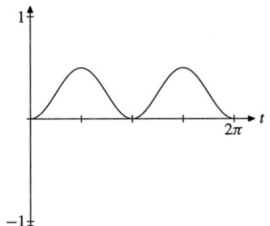
Therefore,

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

which has transform

$$\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} \cos 2t.$$

Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s(s^2 + 4)} \right\} (t) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} \cos 2t. \end{aligned}$$


27. The forcing function f is described by

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } 0 \leq t < 1, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise,} \end{cases}$$

or equivalently,

$$\begin{aligned} f(t) &= H_{01}(t) \\ &= H_0(t) - H_1(t) \\ &= H(t) - H(t-1). \end{aligned}$$