

Quiz 8
Differential Equations
Math 337
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Problem 1: The Fourier sine transform is defined by:

$$F(\omega) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} f(x) \sin(\omega x) dx$$

while its inverse transform is given by:

$$f(x) = \int_0^{\infty} F(\omega) \sin(\omega x) d\omega$$

Consider $F(\omega) = e^{-\beta\omega}$, $\beta > 0$ ($\omega \geq 0$). Find the inverse Fourier sine transform by evaluating:

$$f(x) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\beta\omega} \sin(\omega x) d\omega$$

Show your integration methods (integration by parts) in solving this problem. This result gives you one *transform pair* for a *Fourier sine transform* table.

Notice the following:

$$f(x) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\beta\omega} \sin(\omega x) d\omega$$

Using integration by parts, let $u = \sin(\omega x)$, $dV = e^{-\beta\omega}$, we get

$$\int_0^{\infty} e^{-\beta\omega} \sin(\omega x) d\omega = \sin(\omega x) \left(\frac{-e^{-\beta\omega}}{\beta} \right) + \frac{\omega}{\beta} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\beta\omega} \cos(\omega x) d\omega$$

Now we use integration by parts again, and let $u = \cos(\omega x)$, $dV = e^{-\beta\omega}$, we get

$$\int_0^{\infty} e^{-\beta\omega} \cos(\omega x) d\omega = \cos(\omega x) \left(\frac{-e^{-\beta\omega}}{\beta} \right) - \frac{\omega}{\beta} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\beta\omega} \sin(\omega x) d\omega$$

After substituting the previous equation into the original we get:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\beta\omega} \sin(\omega x) d\omega &= \sin(\omega x) \left(\frac{-e^{-\beta\omega}}{\beta} \right) + \frac{\omega}{\beta} \left(\cos(\omega x) \left(\frac{-e^{-\beta\omega}}{\beta} \right) - \frac{\omega}{\beta} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\beta\omega} \sin(\omega x) d\omega \right) \\ &= \left(\sin(\omega x) + \frac{\omega}{\beta} \cos(\omega x) \right) \left(\frac{-e^{-\beta\omega}}{\beta} \right) - \frac{\omega^2}{\beta^2} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\beta\omega} \sin(\omega x) d\omega \end{aligned}$$

Now we can add the last term on the right side to the left side and get:

$$\frac{\beta^2 + \omega^2}{\beta^2} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\beta\omega} \sin(\omega x) d\omega = \left(\sin(\omega x) + \frac{\omega}{\beta} \cos(\omega x) \right) \left(\frac{-e^{-\beta\omega}}{\beta} \right)$$

Thus we get the result:

$$f(x) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\beta\omega} \sin(\omega x) d\omega = \lim_{A \rightarrow \infty} \left(\sin(\omega x) + \frac{\omega}{\beta} \cos(\omega x) \right) \left(\frac{-\beta e^{-\beta\omega}}{\beta^2 + \omega^2} \right) \Bigg|_{\omega=0}^{\omega=A}$$

Problem 2: Use the definition of the Laplace transform to find:

$$\mathcal{L}(\cosh(\beta t)), \quad s > \beta$$

form the integrals in the definition and solve them. Use the definition of $\cosh(\beta t)$ in terms of the appropriate sum of exponentials to work your integrals. Write your answer with one common denominator

Notice the following:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(\cosh(\beta t)) &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} \cosh(\beta t) dt \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} \frac{e^{\beta t} + e^{-\beta t}}{2} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-(s-\beta)t} dt + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-(s+\beta)t} dt \\ &= \lim_{A \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{-2(s-\beta)} e^{-(s-\beta)t} + \frac{1}{-2(s+\beta)} e^{-(s+\beta)t} \right) \bigg|_{t=0}^{t=A} \\ &= - \left(\frac{1}{-2(s-\beta)} + \frac{1}{-2(s+\beta)} \right) \\ &= - \left(\frac{s+\beta}{-2(s-\beta)(s+\beta)} + \frac{s-\beta}{-2(s-\beta)(s+\beta)} \right) \\ &= \frac{s}{s^2 - \beta^2} \end{aligned}$$

Problem 3: Use the result in Question 2 to solve the initial value problem with Laplace transforms:

$$y'' - 9y = 0, \quad y(0) = 6, \quad y'(0) = 0$$

Thus, your answer should include the cosh function.

Notice the following, and let $\mathcal{L}(y) = Y(s)$:

$$\mathcal{L}(y'' - 9y = 0) \rightarrow s^2 Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) - 9Y(s) = 0$$

So through simple algebra:

$$\begin{aligned}(s^2 - 9)Y(s) - 6s &= 0 \\ Y(s) &= \frac{6s}{s^2 - 9} \\ &= 6 * \frac{s}{s^2 - 3^2}\end{aligned}$$

Thus we get the result that

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}(Y(s)) = y = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left(6 * \frac{s}{s^2 - 3^2}\right) = 6 \cosh(3t)$$

Problem 4: Solve the following initial value problem with *Laplace transforms*:

$$y'' + 2y' + y = 12te^{-t}, \quad y(0) = 3, \quad y'(0) = -2$$

Notice the following, and let $\mathcal{L}(y) = Y(s)$, with $(\mathcal{L}(e^{-t}f(t)) = F(s+1))$:

$$\mathcal{L}(y'' + 2y' + y = 12te^{-t}) \rightarrow s^2Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) + 2sY(s) - y(0) + Y(s) = \frac{12}{(s+1)^2}$$

So through simple algebra:

$$\begin{aligned} (s^2 + 2s + 1)Y(s) - (3s + 1) &= \frac{12}{(s+1)^2} \\ Y(s) &= \frac{12}{(s+1)^2(s+1)^2} + \frac{3s+1}{(s+1)^2} \\ &= \frac{12}{(s+1)^4} + \frac{3(s+1)}{(s+1)^2} - \frac{2}{(s+1)^2} \\ &= \frac{12}{(s+1)^4} + \frac{3}{s+1} - \frac{2}{(s+1)^2} \end{aligned}$$

Thus we get the result that

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}(Y(s)) = y = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left(\frac{12}{(s+1)^4} + \frac{3}{s+1} - \frac{2}{(s+1)^2}\right) = (2t^3 + 3 - 2t)e^{-t}$$