

Transform Calculus (MA20202) End-sem Spring 2023 question and solution

1. a) Find the Laplace transform of the function $f(t) = \frac{\cos \sqrt{t}}{\sqrt{t}}$

b) Find $L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{e^{4-3s}}{(s+4)^{5/2}} \right\}$

c) Find the Fourier Series representation of the periodic function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & -\pi \leq x \leq 0 \\ \sin x & 0 \leq x \leq \pi \end{cases}$$

d) Find the Half-range cosine series of the function $f(x) = x^2$ in $(0, \pi)$ and hence find the sum of the series $1 - \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} + \dots$.

[4+4+4+5=17 M]

2. a) Find the complex form of the Fourier Series expansion of the periodic function $f(x) = e^{-x}$ in the interval $-1 < x < 1$.

b) Derive the complex form of the Fourier Integral of the function $f(x)$. Mention the sufficient conditions for its existence.

c) Find the Fourier Sine Transform of the function $f(x) \sin\left(\frac{x}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)$ for all $0 \leq x < \infty$.

d) Solve the integral equation $\int_0^\infty f(x) \cos ax \, dx = \begin{cases} 1-a & 0 \leq a \leq 1 \\ 0 & \text{for } a > 1 \end{cases}$.

Hence evaluate $\int_0^\infty \frac{\sin^2 t}{t^2} dt$.

[4+4+3+5=16 M]

3. a) Use Laplace transform to solve the wave equation for a finite string

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \quad 0 < x < 1, \quad t > 0$$

subject to the conditions (i) $u(0, t) = 0$ (ii) $u(1, t) = 0$

(iii) $u_t(x, 0) = 0$ (iv) $u(x, 0) = \sin(\pi x)$

b) Apply appropriate Fourier transform with respect to x to solve the one dimensional heat equation

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = 2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \quad x > 0, \quad t > 0$$

with (i) $u(0, t) = 0$ (ii) $u(x, 0) = e^{-x}$ (iii) both u and $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \rightarrow 0$ as $x \rightarrow \infty$.

You can keep the final answer in integration form.

c) Use Fourier transform technique to solve the one-dimensional wave equation for an infinite string

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \quad -\infty < x < \infty, \quad t > 0$$

subject to (i) $u(x, 0) = e^{-|x|}$ (ii) $u_t(x, 0) = 0$ (iii) both u and $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \rightarrow 0$ as $|x| \rightarrow \infty$. You can keep the final answer in integration form.

[5+6+6=17 M]

Solution:

$$1.a) \quad F(t) = \sin \sqrt{t}, \quad F'(t) = \frac{\cos \sqrt{t}}{2\sqrt{t}}, \quad F(0) = 0 \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

$$\text{Therefore, } L\{F'(t)\} = L\left\{\frac{\cos \sqrt{t}}{2\sqrt{t}}\right\}$$

$$= sf(s) - F(0). \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{s}} e^{-\frac{1}{4s}} \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

$$\text{Hence } L\left\{\frac{\cos \sqrt{t}}{\sqrt{t}}\right\} = \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{s}} e^{-\frac{1}{4s}} \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

$$b) \quad L^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{(s+4)^{\frac{5}{2}}}\right\} = e^{-4t} L^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{(s)^{\frac{5}{2}}}\right\} \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

$$= e^{-4t} \frac{t^{3/2}}{\Gamma(\frac{5}{2})} = \frac{4e^{-4t} \cdot t^{3/2}}{3\sqrt{\pi}} \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

$$L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{e^{4-3s}}{(s+4)^{\frac{5}{2}}} \right\} = e^4 L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{e^{-3s}}{(s+4)^{\frac{3}{2}}} \right\} \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

$$= \frac{e^4 \cdot 4e^{-4(t-3)} \cdot (t-3)^{3/2}}{3\sqrt{\pi}} \quad \text{when } t > 3$$

$$0 \quad \text{otherwise} \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

or

$$= \frac{e^4 \cdot 4e^{-4(t-3)} \cdot (t-3)^{3/2}}{3\sqrt{\pi}} H(t-3) \text{ where H is the Heaviside unit step function}$$

$$\text{c) } f(x) = a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos nx + b_n \sin nx)$$

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi}, a_1 = 0. \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x \cos nx dx$$

$$= -\frac{1}{\pi} \cdot \frac{1 + (-1)^n}{n^2 - 1} \text{ for } n > 1. \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

$$a_n = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n \text{ is odd} \\ -\frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{n^2 - 1} & \text{if } n \text{ is even} \end{cases}$$

$$b_1 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin^2 x dx = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x \sin nx dx = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} [\cos(n-1)x - \cos(n+1)x] dx$$

$$= 0.$$

[1 M]

$$\text{Therefore, } f(x) = \frac{1}{\pi} + \frac{1}{2} \sin x - \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4n^2 - 1} \cos 2nx \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

$$\text{d) } a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x^2 dx = \frac{\pi^2}{3} \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi f(x) \cos nx \, dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi x^2 \cos nx \, dx$$

$$\Rightarrow a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\frac{x^2 \sin nx}{n} + \frac{2x \cos nx}{n^2} - \frac{2 \sin nx}{n^3} \right]_0^\pi \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{2x \cos nx}{n^2} = \frac{4(-1)^n}{n^2} \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

$$\therefore x^2 = a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos nx = \frac{\pi^2}{3} + 4 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2} \cos nx$$

[1 M]

$$x^2 = \frac{\pi^2}{3} + 4 \left[-\frac{\cos x}{1^2} + \frac{\cos 2x}{2^2} - \frac{\cos 3x}{3^2} + \dots \right]$$

$$\text{For } x = 0, \quad 0 = \frac{\pi^2}{3} + 4 \left[-\frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots \right].$$

$$\left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} - \dots \right] = \frac{\pi^2}{12} \quad [1 \text{ M}]$$

2a1.

$$f(x) \sim \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} C_n^* e^{in\pi x/l}$$

$$C_n^* = \frac{1}{2l} \int_{-l}^l f(x) e^{-in\pi x/l} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 e^{-x} e^{-in\pi x} dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 \frac{-(1+in\pi)x}{e^{-(1+in\pi)x}} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{e^{-(1+in\pi)x}}{-(1+in\pi)} \right]_{-1}^1 = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{-1}{(1+in\pi)} \left[e^{-1-in\pi} - e^{1+in\pi} \right] \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \frac{(-1)^n (1-in\pi)}{(1+n^2\pi^2)} \left[(e - e^{-1}) \right] e^{-in\pi x}$$

$$e^{in\pi} = (e^{i\pi})^n = (-1)^n$$

$$1 - i^2 n^2 \pi^2 = 1 + n^2 \pi^2$$

$$\therefore f(x) = e^{-x} \sim \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} (-1)^n (e - \frac{1}{e}) \frac{(1-in\pi)}{1+n^2\pi^2} e^{in\pi x} \right\}$$

(1M)

Total - 4M

Complex form of the Fourier Integral:

2b)

Start with the F.S. of $f_L(x) \sim \frac{1}{2L} \int_{-L}^L f_L(u) du +$

$$\left[\frac{1}{L} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\cos w_n x \cdot \int_{-L}^L f_L(u) \cos w_n u du + \sin w_n x \cdot \int_{-L}^L f_L(u) \sin w_n u du \right] \right]$$

$$\text{Where } \Delta w = w_{n+1} - w_n = \pi/L$$

As $L \rightarrow \infty$, Using the suff. condition of Absolute integrability of the resulting non-periodic fn $f(x) = \lim_{L \rightarrow \infty} f_L(x)$ on $(-\infty, \infty)$,

$$\text{obtain } f(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} [A(w) \cos wx + B(w) \sin wx] dw$$

$$\text{Where } A(w) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u) \cos wu du \text{ and } B(w) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u) \sin wu du$$

$$\text{Then obtain } f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u) \cos(wx-wu) du \right] dw$$

$$\text{and } 0 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u) \sin(wx-wu) du \right] dw$$

$$\text{adding these two we get } f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u) e^{i w(x-u)} du dw$$

Suff. conditions: 1. $f(x)$ is piecewise cont. on every finite interval
2. $f(x)$ is absolutely integrable on the x -axis

2 d)

$$f(x) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^x F(x) \cdot \cos \alpha x \cdot dx$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^1 \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} (1-x) \cdot \cos \alpha x \cdot dx = \frac{2}{\pi x^2} (1 - \cos x)$$

$$\therefore f(x) = \frac{2}{\pi x^2} (1 - \cos x) \quad \text{--- (3M)}$$

Now $\frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^x \frac{1 - \cos x}{x^2} \cos \alpha x \cdot dx = \frac{4}{\pi} \int_0^x \frac{\sin^2(\frac{x}{2})}{x^2} \cos \alpha x \cdot dx$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^x \frac{\sin^2(\frac{x}{2})}{(\frac{x}{2})^2} \cos \alpha x \cdot dx \quad \because \cos x = 1 - 2\sin^2 \frac{x}{2}$$

Putting $x=0$, we get $\frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^x \frac{\sin^2(\frac{x}{2})}{(\frac{x}{2})^2} dx$

Let $\frac{x}{2} = t$, $dx = 2dt$.

$$\therefore \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^x \frac{\sin^2 t}{t^2} dt = 1 - 0 = 1 \quad (\because x=0 \Rightarrow 1-x=1)$$

$$\therefore \int_0^x \frac{\sin^2 t}{t^2} dt = \frac{\pi}{2} \quad \text{--- (2M)}$$

Total 5M.

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2 e)

$$\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^x f(x) \sin \frac{x}{2} \cos \frac{x}{2} \cdot \sin \alpha x \cdot dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_0^x f(x) \sin x \cdot \sin \alpha x \cdot dx \quad \text{--- (1M)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_0^x f(x) [\cos(\alpha+1)x - \cos(\alpha-1)x] \cdot dx \quad \text{--- (1M)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} [F_c(\alpha+1) - F_c(\alpha-1)] dx \quad \text{--- (1M)}$$

(3M).

3. (a) Use L.T. to solve the wave equation for a finite string $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$ $0 < x < 1$, $t > 0$

subject to the conditions (i) $u(0, t) = 0$ (ii) $u(1, t) = 0$
 (iii) $u_t(x, 0) = 0$ (iv) $u(x, 0) = \sin \pi x$ 5M

Solⁿ: $S^2 \bar{u} - S u(x, 0) - u_t(x, 0) = \frac{d^2 \bar{u}}{dx^2}$

$$\Rightarrow S^2 \bar{u} - S \sin \pi x = \frac{d^2 \bar{u}}{dx^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2 \bar{u}}{dx^2} - S^2 \bar{u} = -S \sin \pi x$$

1M

$$\therefore \bar{u} = A e^{Sx} + B e^{-Sx} - S \frac{1}{D^2 - S^2} \sin \pi x$$

$$= A e^{Sx} + B e^{-Sx} - S \left(\frac{1}{- \pi^2 - S^2} \right) \sin \pi x$$

$$= A e^{Sx} + B e^{-Sx} + \frac{S}{S^2 + \pi^2} \sin \pi x$$

1M

$$u(0, t) = 0 \quad \therefore A + B = 0$$

$$u(1, t) = 0 \quad A e^S + B e^{-S} = 0 \quad \therefore A = 0$$

1M

$$\therefore \bar{u} = \frac{S \sin \pi x}{S^2 + \pi^2}$$

$$B = 0$$

1M

$$\therefore u = \sin(\pi x) \cos(\pi t)$$

1M

3.(b) Apply appropriate F.T. w.r.t. x to solve the one-dimensional heat equation $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = 2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$ $x > 0, t > 0$

with (i) $u(0, t) = 0$ (ii) $u(x, 0) = e^{-x}$ (iii) both u and $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \rightarrow 0$ as $x \rightarrow \infty$. 6M

Solⁿ: u at $x=0$ is given. So F.S.T. is applicable. 1M

$$\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \sin \alpha x dx = 2 \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} \sin \alpha x dx$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \hat{u}_s + 2\alpha^2 \hat{u}_s = 0 \quad \text{1M} \quad \hat{u}_s = A e^{-2\alpha^2 t} \quad \text{1M}$$

$$u(x, 0) = e^{-x} \quad \hat{u}_s(\alpha, 0) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} \sin \alpha x dx = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \frac{\alpha}{1+\alpha^2}$$

$$\therefore A = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \frac{\alpha}{1+\alpha^2} \quad \text{1M}$$

$$\hat{u}_s(\alpha, t) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \frac{\alpha}{1+\alpha^2} e^{-2\alpha^2 t} \quad \text{1M}$$

$$\therefore u(x, t) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\alpha e^{-2\alpha^2 t} \sin \alpha x}{1+\alpha^2} d\alpha \quad \text{1M}$$

Zero marks awarded if F.C.T./exp.F.T. is applied because these are not applicable here

3.(c) Use F.T. to solve the one-dimensional wave equation for an infinite string $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$ $-\infty < x < \infty, t > 0$

s.t. (i) $u(x, 0) = e^{-|x|}$ (ii) $u_t(x, 0) = 0$ (iii) $u, \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \rightarrow 0$ as $|x| \rightarrow \infty$. 6M

Solⁿ: Applying F.T. w.r.t. x and simplifying

$$\frac{d^2 \hat{u}(\alpha, t)}{dt^2} = -\alpha^2 \hat{u}(\alpha, t) \quad \text{1M}$$

$$\therefore \hat{u}(\alpha, t) = A(\alpha) \cos \alpha t + B(\alpha) \sin \alpha t \quad \text{1M}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \hat{u}(\alpha, 0) = 0 \quad \therefore -A(\alpha) \alpha \sin \alpha t + B(\alpha) \alpha \cos \alpha t \big|_{t=0} = 0$$

$$\therefore \alpha B(\alpha) = 0 \quad \therefore B(\alpha) = 0 \quad \text{1M}$$

$$\hat{u}(\alpha, t) = A(\alpha) \cos \alpha t$$

$$\hat{u}(\alpha, 0) = F[e^{-|x|}] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-|x|} e^{i\alpha x} dx = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \frac{1}{1+\alpha^2}$$

$$\therefore A(\alpha) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \frac{1}{1+\alpha^2} \quad \text{1M} \quad \hat{u}(\alpha, t) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \frac{1}{1+\alpha^2} \cos \alpha t \quad \text{1M}$$

$$\therefore u(x, t) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+\alpha^2} \cos \alpha t e^{-i\alpha x} d\alpha \quad \text{1M}$$

Soln: (3c) Aliter

$$\frac{d^2 \hat{u}}{dt^2} + \alpha^2 \hat{u}(\alpha, t) = 0 \quad \underline{1M}$$

$$\hat{u} = A e^{i\alpha t} + B e^{-i\alpha t} \quad \underline{1M}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \hat{u}}{\partial t} &= A(i\alpha) e^{i\alpha t} + B(-i\alpha) e^{-i\alpha t} \\ &= i\alpha [A e^{i\alpha t} - B e^{-i\alpha t}] \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{At } t=0, \quad 0 = i\alpha(A-B) \quad \therefore A=B \quad \underline{1M}$$

$$\text{Also at } t=0, \quad u(\alpha, 0) = e^{-|\alpha|}$$

$$\therefore \hat{u}(\alpha, 0) = F[e^{-|\alpha|}] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-|\alpha|} e^{i\alpha\eta} d\eta = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \frac{1}{1+\alpha^2}$$

$$\therefore A+B = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \frac{1}{1+\alpha^2} \quad \therefore A=B = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{1}{1+\alpha^2} \quad \underline{1M}$$

$$\therefore \hat{u} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{1}{1+\alpha^2} [e^{i\alpha t} + e^{-i\alpha t}] \quad \boxed{1M}$$

$$\therefore u(\eta, t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{1}{1+\alpha^2} [e^{i\alpha t} + e^{-i\alpha t}] e^{-i\alpha\eta} d\alpha$$

$$= \frac{1}{2/\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{i\alpha(t-\eta)} + e^{-i\alpha(t+\eta)}}{1+\alpha^2} d\alpha \quad \underline{1M}$$

or any other equivalent form