- **R** 7.105 For each case below, find the Laplace transform Y of the function y in terms of the Laplace transform X of the function x, where the ROCs of X and Y are R_X and R_Y , respectively.
 - (a) y(t) = t(x * x)(t);
 - (a) $y(t) = t(x + x_1)(t)$, (b) $y(t) = x * h\left(\frac{1}{3}t 1\right)$, where h is an arbitrary function whose Laplace transform is H with ROC R_H ; (c) $y(t) = (t+1)^{100}x(t+1)$. (d) $y(t) = t^{100}x(t+1)$; and (e) $y(t) = (t+1)^{100}x(t)$.

Short Answer.

- Short Answer. (a) $Y(s) = -2X(s) \frac{d}{ds} [X(s)]$ for $s \in R_X$; (b) $Y(s) = 3e^{-3s}X(3s)H(3s)$ for $s \in \frac{1}{3} (R_X \cap R_H)$; (c) $Y(s) = e^s \left(\frac{d}{ds}\right)^{100} X(s)$ for $s \in R_X$; (d) $Y(s) = \left(\frac{d}{ds}\right)^{100} [e^sX(s)]$ for $s \in R_X$; (e) $Y(s) = e^s \left(\frac{d}{ds}\right)^{100} [e^{-s}X(s)]$ for $s \in R_X$

R Answer (e).

We are given the function $y(t) = (t+1)^{100}x(t)$. We can rewrite y as

$$y(t) = (t+1)^{100}x(t)$$

= $(t+1)^{100}x([t+1]-1)$.

Defining v_1 as

$$v_1(t) = t^{100}x(t-1).$$

we can rewrite the above formula for y as

$$y(t) = v_1(t+1).$$

Defining v_2 as

$$v_2(t) = x(t-1),$$

we can rewrite the above formula for v_1 as

$$v_1(t) = t^{100}v_2(t).$$

Taking the Laplace transform of the preceding equations, we have

$$Y(s) = e^s V_1(s)$$
 for $s \in R_Y = R_{V_1}$;
 $V_1(s) = (-1)^{100} \left(\frac{d}{ds}\right)^{100} V_2(s) = \left(\frac{d}{ds}\right)^{100} V_2(s)$ for $s \in R_{V_1} = R_{V_2}$; and $V_2(s) = e^{-s} X(s)$ for $s \in R_{V_2} = R_X$.

Combining the preceding equations, we have

$$Y(s) = e^{s} \left(\frac{d}{ds}\right)^{100} V_2(s)$$
$$= e^{s} \left(\frac{d}{ds}\right)^{100} \left[e^{-s} X(s)\right].$$

Moreover, we additionally have $R_Y = R_{V_1} = R_{V_2} = R_X$. Thus, we conclude

$$Y(s) = e^s \left(\frac{d}{ds}\right)^{100} \left[e^{-s}X(s)\right] \quad \text{for } s \in R_X.$$

 \mathbb{R} 7.110 For the causal LTI system with input x and output y that is characterized by each differential equation given below, find the system function H of the system.

(a)
$$\mathcal{D}^2 y(t) + 3\mathcal{D} y(t) + 2y(t) = 5\mathcal{D} x(t) + 7x(t)$$
; and
(b) $\mathcal{D}^2 y(t) - 5\mathcal{D} y(t) + 6y(t) = \mathcal{D} x(t) + 7x(t)$.

(b)
$$\mathcal{D}^2 y(t) - 5\mathcal{D} y(t) + 6y(t) = \mathcal{D} x(t) + 7x(t)$$

Short Answer. (a)
$$H(s) = \frac{5s+7}{(s+1)(s+2)}$$
 for $Re(s) > -1$; (b) $H(s) = \frac{s+7}{(s-2)(s-3)}$ for $Re(s) > 3$

R Answer (a).

We are given a causal LTI system with input x and output y that is characterized by the differential equation

$$\mathcal{D}^2 y(t) + 3\mathcal{D} y(t) + 2y(t) = 5\mathcal{D} x(t) + 7x(t).$$

Let *X* and *Y* denote the Laplace transforms of *x* and *y*, respectively. Taking the Laplace transform of the given differential equation, we obtain

$$s^2Y(s) + 3sY(s) + 2Y(s) = 5sX(s) + 7X(s).$$

Rearranging, we have

$$(s^{2} + 3s + 2)Y(s) = (5s + 7)X(s)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{Y(s)}{X(s)} = \frac{5s + 7}{s^{2} + 3s + 2} = \frac{5s + 7}{(s + 1)(s + 2)}.$$

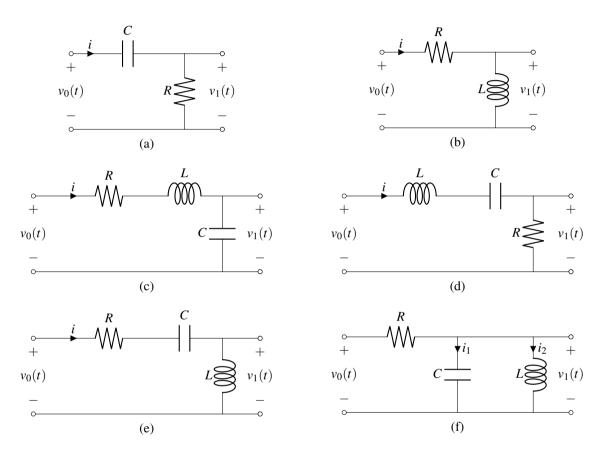
Since $H(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{X(s)}$, we have

$$H(s) = \frac{5s+7}{(s+1)(s+2)}.$$

Clearly, H has poles at -1 and -2. Since the system is causal and H is rational, the ROC of H is the right-half plane to the right of the rightmost pole, namely, Re(s) > -1. Therefore, we conclude

$$H(s) = \frac{5s+7}{(s+1)(s+2)}$$
 for $Re(s) > -1$.

- **R** 7.113 For each of the LTI circuits with input v_0 and output v_1 shown in the figures below:
 - (i) Find the differential equation that characterizes the circuit.
 - (ii) Find the system function H of the circuit.
 - (iii) Determine whether the circuit is BIBO stable.
 - (iv) Determine the type of ideal frequency-selective filter that the circuit best approximates.



Short Answer.

(a) $\mathcal{D}v_0(t) = \mathcal{D}v_1(t) + \frac{1}{RC}v_1(t)$; $H(s) = \frac{RCs}{RCs+1}$ for $\text{Re}(s) > -\frac{1}{RC}$; BIBO stable; highpass filter; (b) $v_1(t) = \frac{L}{R}\mathcal{D}v_0(t) - \frac{L}{R}\mathcal{D}v_1(t)$; $H(s) = \frac{Ls}{Ls+R}$ for $\text{Re}(s) > -\frac{R}{L}$; BIBO stable; highpass filter;

(b)
$$v_1(t) = \frac{L}{R} \mathcal{D}v_0(t) - \frac{L}{R} \mathcal{D}v_1(t)$$
; $H(s) = \frac{Ls}{Ls+R}$ for $Re(s) > -\frac{R}{L}$; BIBO stable; highpass filter;

(c)
$$v_0(t) = LC\mathcal{D}^2 v_1(t) + RC\mathcal{D}v_1(t) + v_1(t)$$
; $H(s) = \frac{1}{LCs^2 + RCs + 1}$ for $Re(s) > Re\left(\frac{-RC + \sqrt{(RC)^2 - 4LC}}{2LC}\right]$; BIBO stable; lowpass filter;

(d)
$$\mathcal{D}v_0(t) = \frac{L}{R}\mathcal{D}^2v_1(t) + \mathcal{D}v_1(t) + \frac{1}{RC}v_1(t)$$
; $H(s) = \frac{RCs}{LCs^2 + RCs + 1}$ for $Re(s) > Re\left(\frac{-RC + \sqrt{(RC)^2 - 4LC}}{2LC}\right)$; BIBO stable; bandpass filter with passband center at $\pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$;

(e)
$$\mathcal{D}^2 v_0(t) = \mathcal{D}^2 v_1(t) + \frac{R}{L} \mathcal{D} v_1(t) + \frac{1}{LC} v_1(t)$$
; $H(s) = \frac{LCs^2}{LCs^2 + RCs + 1}$ for $Re(s) > Re\left(\frac{-RC + \sqrt{(RC)^2 - 4LC}}{2LC}\right)$; BIBO stable; highpass filter;

(f)
$$\mathcal{D}v_0(t) = RC\mathcal{D}^2v_1(t) + \mathcal{D}v_1(t) + \frac{R}{L}v_1(t)$$
; $H(s) = \frac{Ls}{RLCs^2 + Ls + R}$ for $Re(s) > Re\left(\frac{-L + \sqrt{L^2 - 4R^2LC}}{2RLC}\right)$; BIBO stable; bandpass filter with passband center $\pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$

R Answer (f).

(i) From basic circuit analysis, we have

$$v_0(t) = R[i_1(t) + i_2(t)] + v_1(t),$$

 $i_1(t) = C\frac{d}{dt}v_1(t),$ and
 $i_2(t) = \frac{1}{L}\int_{-\infty}^{t} v_1(\tau)d\tau.$

Combining the preceding equations, we have

$$v_0(t) = R\left[C\frac{d}{dt}v_1(t) + \frac{1}{L}\int_{-\infty}^t v_1(\tau)d\tau\right] + v_1(t) \quad \Rightarrow$$

$$v_0(t) = RC\frac{d}{dt}v_1(t) + \frac{R}{L}\int_{-\infty}^t v_1(\tau)d\tau + v_1(t).$$

Taking the derivative of both sides of this equation, we obtain

$$\mathcal{D}v_0(t) = RC\mathcal{D}^2v_1(t) + \mathcal{D}v_1(t) + \frac{R}{L}v_1(t).$$

(ii) Taking the Laplace transform of the differential equation that characterizes the system, we obtain

$$\begin{split} sV_0(s) &= s^2RCV_1(s) + sV_1(s) + \frac{R}{L}V_1(s) \quad \Rightarrow \\ sV_0(s) &= \left[RCs^2 + s + \frac{R}{L}\right]V_1(s) \quad \Rightarrow \\ \frac{V_1(s)}{V_0(s)} &= \frac{s}{RCs^2 + s + \frac{R}{L}} = \frac{Ls}{RLCs^2 + Ls + R}. \end{split}$$

Since the system is LTI, $H(s) = \frac{V_1(s)}{V_0(s)}$. So, we have

$$H(s) = \frac{Ls}{RLCs^2 + Ls + R}$$
 for $Re(s) > Re(b)$,

where $b = \frac{-L + \sqrt{L^2 - 4R^2LC}}{2RLC}$ (i.e., b is the rightmost root of $RLCs^2 + Ls + R = 0$).

(iii) Since R, L, and C are all strictly positive, Re(b) < 0. In particular, if $L^2 - 4R^2LC < 0$, then $\sqrt{L^2 - 4R^2LC}$ is imaginary and $\text{Re}(b) = -\frac{L}{2RLC} = -\frac{1}{2RC} < 0$; otherwise, $\sqrt{L^2 - 4R^2LC} < L$ and Re(b) < 0. Since Re(b) < 0, the ROC of H contains the imaginary axis and consequently the system is BIBO stable.

(iv) Let H_F denote the frequency response of the system. Since the system is BIBO stable, $H_F(\omega) = H(j\omega)$. So, $H_F(\omega) = \frac{jL\omega}{-RLC\omega^2 + jL\omega + R}$. Consequently, we have

$$|H_F(\omega)| = \left| \frac{jL\omega}{-RLC\omega^2 + jL\omega + R} \right|$$

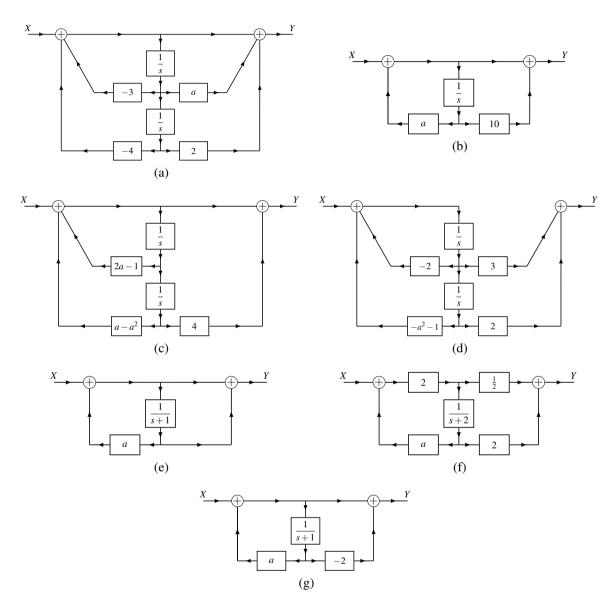
$$= \frac{|jL\omega|}{|-RLC\omega^2 + jL\omega + R|}$$

$$= \frac{L|\omega|}{\sqrt{(-RLC\omega^2 + R)^2 + (L\omega)^2}}$$

$$= \frac{L|\omega|}{\sqrt{R^2(1 - LC\omega^2)^2 + (L\omega)^2}}.$$

By differentiation, we can confirm that $|H_F(\omega)|$ has a maximum of 1 at $\omega = \pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$ (which corresponds to $1 - LC\omega^2 = 0$). Also, $|H_F(0)| = 0$ and $\lim_{|\omega| \to \infty} |H_F(\omega)| = 0$. Therefore, the system best approximates an ideal bandpass filter with the passband centered at $\pm \frac{1}{\sqrt{LC}}$.

 \mathbb{R} 7.116 Each figure below shows a system \mathcal{H} with input Laplace transform X and output Laplace transform Y. Each subsystem in the figure is LTI and causal and labelled with its system function, and a is a real constant. (i) Find the system function H of the system \mathcal{H} . (ii) Determine whether the system \mathcal{H} is BIBO stable.



(a.i)
$$H(s) = \frac{s^2 + as + 2}{s^2 + 3s + 4}$$
 for $Re(s) > -\frac{3}{2}$; (a.ii) BIBO stable for all a ;

(b.i)
$$H(s) = \frac{s+10}{s-a}$$
 for $Re(s) > a$ (except when $a = -10$); (b.ii) BIBO stable if and only if $a < 0$;

Short Answer.

(a.i)
$$H(s) = \frac{s^2 + as + 2}{s^2 + 3s + 4}$$
 for $Re(s) > -\frac{3}{2}$; (a.ii) BIBO stable for all a ;

(b.i) $H(s) = \frac{s + 10}{s - a}$ for $Re(s) > a$ (except when $a = -10$); (b.ii) BIBO stable if and only if $a < 0$;

(c.i) $H(s) = \frac{s^2 + 4}{s^2 + (1 - 2a)s + a^2 - a} = \frac{(s + 2j)(s - 2j)}{(s - a + 1)(s - a)}$ for $Re(s) > a$; (c.ii) BIBO stable if and only if $a < 0$;

(d.i) $H(s) = \frac{3s + 2}{s^2 + 2s + a^2 + 1} = \frac{3(s + \frac{2}{3})}{(s + 1 + ja)(s + 1 - ja)}$ for $Re(s) > -1$; (d.ii) BIBO stable for all a ;

(d.i)
$$H(s) = \frac{3s+2}{s^2+2s+a^2+1} = \frac{3(s+\frac{2}{3})}{(s+1+ja)(s+1-ja)}$$
 for $Re(s) > -1$; (d.ii) BIBO stable for all a ;

(e.i) $H(s) = \frac{s+2}{s-a+1}$ for Re(s) > a-1 (except when a=-1); (e.ii) BIBO stable if and only if a<1; (f.i) $H(s) = \frac{s+6}{s-2a+2}$ for Re(s) > 2a-2 (except when a=-2); (f.ii) BIBO stable if and only if a<1; (g.i) $H(s) = \frac{s-1}{s-a+1} = \frac{s-1}{s-(a-1)}$ for Re(s) > a-1 (except when a=2); (g.ii) BIBO stable if and only if a<1 or a=2

R Answer (d).

(i) In what follows, let *V* denote the output of the leftmost adder in the block diagram. From the block diagram, we have

$$V(s) = X(s) - \left(\frac{2}{s}\right)V(s) - \left(\frac{a^2 + 1}{s^2}\right)V(s) \quad \Rightarrow \quad X(s) = \left(1 + \frac{2}{s} + \frac{a^2 + 1}{s^2}\right)V(s) \quad \text{and} \quad Y(s) = \left(\frac{3}{s}\right)V(s) + \left(\frac{2}{s^2}\right)V(s) = \left(\frac{3}{s} + \frac{2}{s^2}\right)V(s).$$

Combining the preceding two equations, we obtain

$$H(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{X(s)} = \frac{\left(\frac{3}{s} + \frac{2}{s^2}\right)V(s)}{\left(1 + \frac{2}{s} + \frac{a^2 + 1}{s^2}\right)V(s)} = \frac{3s + 2}{s^2 + 2s + a^2 + 1}.$$

Rewriting H in fully factored form, we have

$$H(s) = \frac{3s+2}{(s-p_1)(s-p_2)},$$

where p_1 and p_2 are to be determined. From the quadratic formula, we have

$$p_k = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{2^2 - 4(a^2 + 1)}}{2} = -1 \pm \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{4 - 4a^2 - 4} = -1 \pm \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{-4a^2} = -1 \pm \frac{1}{2}j2a = -1 \pm ja.$$

So, we have

$$p_1 = -1 - ja$$
 and $p_2 = p_1^* = -1 + ja$.

Furthermore, $Re(p_1) = Re(p_2) = -1$. Thus, we have

$$H(s) = \frac{3(s + \frac{2}{3})}{(s + 1 + ja)(s + 1 - ja)}.$$

Note that pole-zero cancellation cannot occur in H, since the zero of H is real and the poles of H are not real. Since the system is causal, the ROC R_H of H must be the RHP to the right of the rightmost pole of H. Consequently, R_H is given by

$$R_H = \{ \text{Re}(s) > -1 \}.$$

(ii) The system is BIBO stable if R_H contains the imaginary axis. Clearly, R_H contains the imaginary axis for all a. Therefore, the system is BIBO stable for all a.

R 7.118 For each differential equation given below that characterizes a causal (incrementally-linear TI) system with input x and output y, find y for the case of the given x and initial conditions.

(a)
$$\mathcal{D}^2 y(t) + 4 \mathcal{D} y(t) + 3 y(t) = x(t)$$
, where $x(t) = u(t)$ and $y(0^-) = 0$ and $\mathcal{D} y(0^-) = 1$; and (b) $\mathcal{D}^2 y(t) + 5 \mathcal{D} y(t) + 6 y(t) = x(t)$, where $x(t) = \delta(t)$ and $y(0^-) = 1$ and $\mathcal{D} y(0^-) = -1$.

(b)
$$\mathcal{D}^2 y(t) + 5\mathcal{D} y(t) + 6y(t) = x(t)$$
, where $x(t) = \delta(t)$ and $y(0^-) = 1$ and $\mathcal{D} y(0^-) = -1$.

Short Answer. (a)
$$y(t) = \frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{3}e^{-3t}$$
 for $t \ge 0$; (b) $y(t) = 3e^{-2t} - 2e^{-3t}$ for $t \ge 0$

R Answer (b).

We are asked to solve for y in the equation

$$\mathcal{D}^2 y(t) + 5\mathcal{D} y(t) + 6y(t) = x(t)$$

in the case that

$$x(t) = \delta(t), \quad y(0^{-}) = 1, \quad \text{and} \quad \mathcal{D}y(0^{-}) = -1.$$

Taking the unilateral Laplace transform of the equation, we have

$$s^{2}Y(s) - sy(0^{-}) - \mathcal{D}y(0^{-}) + 5[sY(s) - y(0^{-})] + 6Y(s) = 1 \Rightarrow s^{2}Y(s) - sy(0^{-}) - \mathcal{D}y(0^{-}) + 5sY(s) - 5y(0^{-}) + 6Y(s) = 1 \Rightarrow [s^{2} + 5s + 6]Y(s) = 1 + sy(0^{-}) + \mathcal{D}y(0^{-}) + 5y(0^{-}).$$

So, we have

$$Y(s) = \frac{1 + sy(0^{-}) + \mathcal{D}y(0^{-}) + 5y(0^{-})}{s^{2} + 5s + 6}$$

$$= \frac{1 + s - 1 + 5}{s^{2} + 5s + 6}$$

$$= \frac{s + 5}{(s + 2)(s + 3)}.$$

Now, we find a partial fraction expansion for Y. Such an expansion is of the form

$$Y(s) = \frac{A_1}{s+2} + \frac{A_2}{s+3}.$$

Computing the expansion coefficients, we obtain

$$A_1 = [(s+2)Y(s)]|_{s=-2} = \left[\frac{s+5}{s+3}\right]|_{s=-2} = \frac{3}{1} = 3$$
 and $A_2 = [(s+3)Y(s)]|_{s=-3} = \left[\frac{s+5}{s+2}\right]|_{s=-3} = \frac{2}{-1} = -2.$

Thus, Y has the partial fraction expansion

$$Y(s) = \frac{3}{s+2} - \frac{2}{s+3}.$$

Taking the inverse Laplace transform of Y, we obtain

$$y(t) = 3\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s+2} \right\} (t) - 2\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s+3} \right\} (t)$$
$$= 3e^{-2t} - 2e^{-3t} \quad \text{for } t > 0.$$