

Pset - Exponentials - Part I

Problem 1

a) $\dot{x} + 2x = e^{3t}$

guess $x_p(t) = Ae^{3t}$, $x_p'(t) = 3Ae^{3t}$

$$3Ae^{3t} + 2Ae^{3t} = e^{3t} \Rightarrow Ae^{3t}(2+3) = e^{3t} \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_p(t) = \frac{1}{5}e^{3t}$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t) = \frac{1}{5}e^{3t} + Ce^{-2t}$$

$$\dot{x} + 2x = 0 \Rightarrow x_h(t) = Ce^{-2t}$$

b) $\dot{x} + 2x = e^{3it}$

guess $x_p(t) = Ae^{3it}$, $x_p'(t) = 3iAe^{3it}$

$$3iAe^{3it} + 2Ae^{3it} = e^{3it} \Rightarrow Ae^{3it}(2+3i) = e^{3it} \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{2+3i}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_p(t) = \frac{1}{2+3i}e^{3it}$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t) = \frac{1}{2+3i}e^{3it} + Ce^{-2t}$$

$$x_h(t) = Ce^{-2t}$$

Part II

Problem 1

a) $\operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{e^{3t}}{\sqrt{3}+i}\right) = \operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{\sqrt{3}-i}{4}(\cos 3t + i\sin 3t)\right) = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4}\cos(3t) + \frac{1}{4}\sin(3t) = \frac{1}{2}\cos(3t - \pi/6)$

* Alternativ 1, using polar:

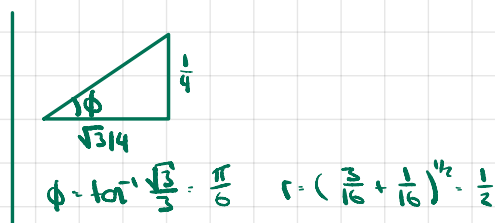
$$z = \frac{\sqrt{3}-i}{4} = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{4} - \frac{1}{4}i = \frac{1}{2}e^{-i\pi/6}$$

$$|z| = \left(\frac{3+1}{16}\right)^{1/2} = 1/2$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{-1/4}{\sqrt{3}/4}\right) = \tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{\sqrt{3}}{3}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi = -\pi/6$$

$$\Rightarrow \operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{e^{3t}}{\sqrt{3}+i}\right) = \operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{1}{2}e^{i(3t - \pi/6)}\right) = \operatorname{Re}\left(\frac{1}{2}\cos(3t - \pi/6) + i\frac{1}{2}\sin(3t - \pi/6)\right) = \frac{1}{2}\cos(3t - \pi/6)$$



b) $\dot{z} + 3z = e^{2t}$

guess $z_p(t) = Ae^{i2t}$, $z_p'(t) = Ae^{i2t} \cdot 2i$

$Ae^{i2t} \cdot 2i + 3Ae^{i2t} = e^{i2t}$

$Ae^{i2t}(2i+3) = e^{i2t} \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{3+2i} = \frac{3-2i}{13} = \frac{3}{13} - \frac{2}{13}i$

$\Rightarrow z_p(t) = \left(\frac{3}{13} - i\frac{2}{13}\right)e^{i2t}$

$z(t) = z_p(t) + Ce^{-2t}$

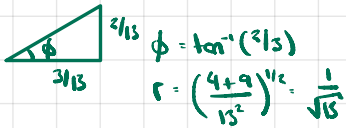
c) $\ddot{x} + 3\dot{x} = \cos(2t)$

$x(t)$ is the real part of the solution $\tilde{x}(t)$ to $\ddot{\tilde{x}} + 3\dot{\tilde{x}} = e^{2it}$

$\Rightarrow x(t) = \operatorname{Re}\left(\left(\frac{3}{13} - i\frac{2}{13}\right)e^{i2t}\right)$

$\left(\frac{3}{13} - i\frac{2}{13}\right)e^{i2t} = \left(\frac{3}{13} - i\frac{2}{13}\right)(\cos 2t + i\sin 2t)$

real part: $\frac{3}{13}\cos 2t + \frac{2}{13}\sin 2t = \frac{\sqrt{13}}{13}\cos(2t - \tan^{-1}(2/3))$



$\phi = \tan^{-1}(2/3)$
 $r = \left(\frac{4+9}{13^2}\right)^{1/2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{13}}$