

7 sample problems. (Test #2 will have 5 problems)

Open-book test. Formula sheet provided on Canvas.

1. (20 points) Given two signals $x[n] = \{1, 2\}$ and $h[n] = \{-1, 1\}$, compute the discrete-time convolution $y[n] = x[n] * h[n]$ and express $y[n]$ in the form $\{a, b, c\}$.

$$y[n] = \sum_{i=-\infty}^{\infty} x[i] h[n-i]$$

$$y[-2] = \sum_{i=-1}^0 x[i] h[-2-i] = x[-1] h[-1] + x[0] h[-2] \\ = 1 \cdot (-1) + 2 \cdot 0 = -1$$

$$y[-1] = \sum_{i=-1}^0 x[i] h[-1-i] = x[-1] h[0] + x[0] h[-1] \\ = 1 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot (-1) = -1$$

$$y[0] = \sum_{i=-1}^0 x[i] h[-i] = x[-1] h[1] + x[0] h[0] \\ = 1 \cdot 1 + 2 \cdot 1 = 3$$

$$\therefore y[n] = \{-1, -1, 3\}$$

2. (20 points) Use Laplace transforms to find the solution to the differential equation

$$\frac{dy(t)}{dt} + 2y(t) = e^{-3t}u(t), \text{ with } y(0) = 2$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{dy(t)}{dt}\right\} = sY(s) - y(0^-) = sY(s) - 2$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{2y(t)\} = 2Y(s)$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{e^{-3t}u(t)\} = \frac{1}{s+3}$$

$$\therefore sY(s) - 2 + 2Y(s) = \frac{1}{s+3}$$

$$\therefore Y(s)(s+2) = \frac{1}{s+3} + 2$$

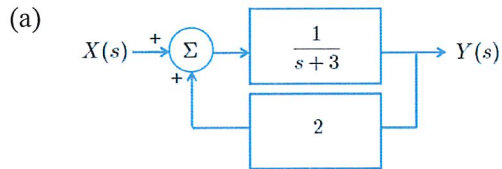
$$\therefore Y(s) = \frac{1}{(s+3)(s+2)} + \frac{2}{s+2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s+2} - \frac{1}{s+3} + \frac{2}{s+2}$$

$$= \frac{3}{s+2} - \frac{1}{s+3}$$

$$y(t) = 3e^{-2t}u(t) - e^{-3t}u(t)$$

3. (20 points) Find the transfer function $H(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{X(s)}$ of the following two feedback systems:

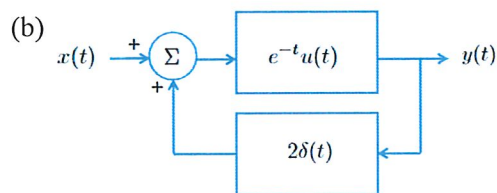


$$(X(s) + 2Y(s)) \frac{1}{s+3} = Y(s)$$

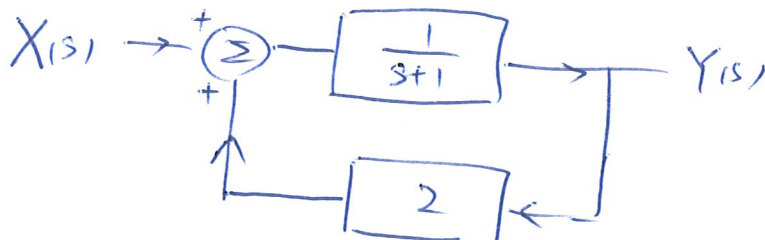
$$\therefore \frac{1}{s+3} X(s) = \left(1 - \frac{2}{s+3}\right) Y(s) = \frac{s+1}{s+3} Y(s)$$

$$\therefore X(s) = (s+1) Y(s)$$

$$H(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{X(s)} = \frac{1}{s+1}$$



(Hint: consider the s-domain model of the feedback system)



$$\therefore [\cancel{X(s)} + 2Y(s)] \times \frac{1}{s+1} = Y(s)$$

similarly.

$$H(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{X(s)} = \frac{1}{s-1}$$

4. (20 points) Given $x(t) = e^{-3t}u(t)$, find $\mathcal{L}\{tx(t)\}$.

$$X(s) = \mathcal{L}\{x(t)\} = \frac{1}{s+3}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{tx(t)\}$$

$$= -\left(\frac{1}{s+3}\right)'$$

$$= \frac{1}{(s+3)^2}$$

5. (20 points) Consider $X(s) = \frac{s+3}{(s-3)(s^2+6s+25)} = \frac{s+3}{(s-3)(s+3-4j)(s+3+4j)}$

(a) Indicate the poles and zeros for $X(s)$ on the graph provided

(b) Does the initial value $x(0^+)$ exist? Yes
If not, why not?

If so, calculate $x(0^+)$ and record it here:

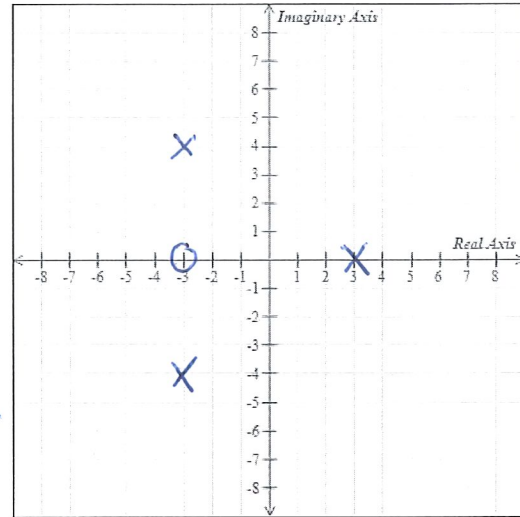
$x(0^+) =$ 0

(c) Does the initial value $x(\infty)$ exist? No
If not, why not?

one pole in right half plane

If so, calculate $x(\infty)$ and record it here:

$x(\infty) =$ —



poles for $s^2+6s+25$:

$$s = \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{36 - 4 \times 25}}{2} = \frac{-6 \pm \sqrt{-64}}{2} = -3 \pm 4j$$

$$x(0^+) = \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} sX(s) = \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} \frac{s(s+3)}{(s-3)(s^2+6s+25)} = 0$$

6. (20 points) Find the inverse Laplace transform.

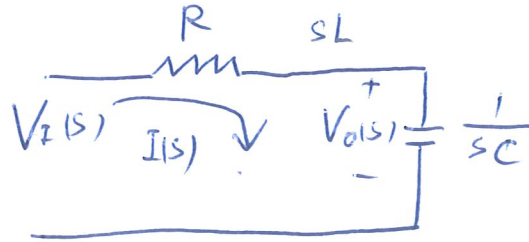
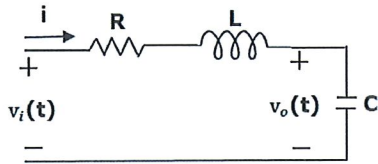
$$X(s) = \frac{1}{s+3} + \frac{s+8}{s^2+4s+10}$$

$$X(s) = \frac{1}{s+3} + \frac{s+2}{(s+2)^2 + (\sqrt{6})^2} + \sqrt{6} \frac{\sqrt{6}}{(s+2)^2 + (\sqrt{6})^2}$$

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$$X(t) = e^{-3t} u(t) + e^{-2t} \cos(\sqrt{6}t) u(t) + \sqrt{6} e^{-2t} \sin(\sqrt{6}t) u(t)$$

7. (20 points) Determine $v_o(t)$ in the circuit below, given that $v_i(t) = 10u(t)$, $R = 3$ Ohms, $L = 0.5$ Henries, and $C = 0.25$ Farads.



$$V_i(s) = \frac{10}{s} \text{ V}$$

$$V_i(s) = I(s) \left(R + \frac{1}{sC} + sL \right)$$

$$V_o(s) = I(s) \cdot \frac{1}{sC}$$

$$\therefore V_o(s) = V_i(s) \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{sC}}{R + \frac{1}{sC} + sL}$$

$$= \frac{10}{s} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{sC}}{3 + \frac{4}{s} + 0.5s}$$

$$= \frac{40}{s(0.5s^2 + 3s + 4)}$$

$$= \frac{80}{s(s^2 + 6s + 8)}$$

$$= \frac{80}{s(s+2)(s+4)} = \frac{A}{s} + \frac{B}{s+2} + \frac{C}{s+4}$$

$$A = \frac{80}{(s+2)(s+4)} \Big|_{s=0} = 10$$

$$B = \frac{80}{s(s+4)} \Big|_{s=-2} = \frac{80}{-2 \cdot 2} = -20$$

$$C = \frac{80}{s(s+2)} \Big|_{s=-4} = \frac{80}{(-4)(-2)} = 10$$

$$\therefore V_o(s) = \frac{10}{s} + \frac{-20}{s+2} + \frac{10}{s+4}$$

$$v_o(t) = [10u(t) - 20e^{-2t}u(t) + 10e^{-4t}u(t)] \checkmark$$