

Direct Solution

Our sol'n has the general pattern:

$$y(t) = \int_0^t g(t-\tau) u(\tau) d\tau$$

where here $g(t) = Kt$ [so $g(t-\tau) = K(t-\tau)$]

We will (indirectly) show that for any system, no matter how complex the dynamics, this relationship between $u(t)$ and $y(t)$ holds.

Different systems are characterized by different functions $g(t)$.

The characteristic function $g(t)$ is called the Impulse response

Implication

Suppose:

$$y_1(t) = \int_0^t g(t-\tau) u_1(\tau) d\tau$$

$$y_2(t) = \int_0^t g(t-\tau) u_2(\tau) d\tau$$

are two known input-output pairs.

Suppose that $u(t) = \alpha_1 u_1(t) + \alpha_2 u_2(t)$; α_1, α_2 constant

Then:

$$y(t) = \int_0^t g(t-\tau) [\alpha_1 u_1(\tau) + \alpha_2 u_2(\tau)] d\tau$$

$$= \alpha_1 \int_0^t g(t-\tau) u_1(\tau) d\tau + \alpha_2 \int_0^t g(t-\tau) u_2(\tau) d\tau$$

hence

$y(t) = \alpha_1 y_1(t) + \alpha_2 y_2(t)$ **Principle of Linearity.**

This suggests an approach:

- ① Identify a "family" of functions $u_k(t)$ for which it is easy to calculate response $y_k(t)$:

$$u_k(t) \mapsto y_k(t) \quad (\text{easy})$$

- ② "Break down" an arbitrarily complicated $u(t)$ into a linear combination of the $u_k(t)$:

$$u(t) = \sum \alpha_k u_k(t) \quad (\text{easy?})$$

- ③ Use Linearity:

$$y(t) = \sum \alpha_k y_k(t) \quad (\text{easy})$$

Time Varying Complex numbers

$$\begin{aligned} Z(t) &= a(t) + b(t)j \\ &= r(t) e^{j\theta(t)} \end{aligned}$$

Important example:

$$Z(t) = e^{st} \text{ with } s \in \mathbb{C}$$

"Complex exponential functions"

Let $s = \sigma + j\omega$ $\sigma, \omega \in \mathbb{R}$

So $\text{Re}\{s\} = \sigma, \text{Im}\{s\} = \omega$

① If $\omega = 0$, then

$$e^{st} = e^{\sigma t} \text{ (real exponential)}$$

② If $\sigma = 0$ then

$$e^{st} = e^{j\omega t} = \cos \omega t + j \sin \omega t$$

Note: $\text{Im}\{s\}$ gives frequency of the oscillations

③ Most general case

$$e^{st} = e^{(\sigma + j\omega)t} = e^{\sigma t} e^{j\omega t}$$

$$= e^{\sigma t} [\cos \omega t + j \sin \omega t]$$

$$\text{Re}\{e^{st}\} = e^{\sigma t} \cos(\omega t)$$

$$\text{Im}\{e^{st}\} = e^{\sigma t} \sin(\omega t)$$

$\sigma \rightarrow$ amplitude envelope

$\omega \rightarrow$ oscillation frequency

$s = \sigma + j\omega$ is the

"Complex frequency"

Utility of e^{st}

For different values of s , e^{st} is:

- a constant
- a real exponential
- a pure sine/cosine wave
- an exponentially decaying or increasing sine/cosine

Covers 90% of cases needed
to solve linear diff'l eq'ns

Complex Amplitudes

Now consider $z(t) = Ae^{st}$
with both $A, s \in \mathbb{C}$.

$$s = \sigma + j\omega, \quad A = re^{j\varphi} \text{ (polar)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Ae^{st} &= (re^{j\varphi})(e^{(\sigma + j\omega)t}) \\ &= (re^{\sigma t})(e^{j(\omega t + \varphi)}) \\ &= re^{\sigma t} [\cos(\omega t + \varphi) + j\sin(\omega t + \varphi)] \end{aligned}$$

So $\text{Re}\{Ae^{st}\} = r e^{\sigma t} \cos(\omega t + \varphi)$
 $\text{Im}\{Ae^{st}\} = r e^{\sigma t} \sin(\omega t + \varphi)$

$r = |A|$ is initial amplitude of
oscillations

$\varphi = \angle A$ is phase shift of oscillations

$\varphi > 0$ called "phase lead"

$\varphi < 0$ called "phase lag"

Property of e^{st} :

Let $f(t) = e^{st}$ for any $s \in \mathbb{C}$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Then } \dot{f}(t) &= \frac{d}{dt} f(t) = \frac{d}{dt} (e^{st}) \\ &= s e^{st}\end{aligned}$$

or $\dot{f}(t) = s f(t)$

Similarly:

$$\ddot{f}(t) = s^2 f(t)$$

$$f^{(3)}(t) = s^3 f(t), \text{ etc}$$

Linear, constant coefficient (time invariant) Diff Eq'n

$$\alpha_n y^{(n)} + \alpha_{n-1} y^{(n-1)} + \dots + \alpha_1 \dot{y} + \alpha_0 y \\ = \beta_m u^{(m)} + \dots + \beta_1 \dot{u} + \beta_0 u$$

where $\alpha_n, \dots, \alpha_0$ and β_m, \dots, β_0 are
real and constant

Suppose $u(t) = U e^{st}$ with
 $s, U \in \mathbb{C}$

Is $y(t) = Y e^{st}$ a sol'n for
some $Y \in \mathbb{C}$?

Substitute into DE

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$$r(s)Y e^{st} = q(s)U e^{st}$$

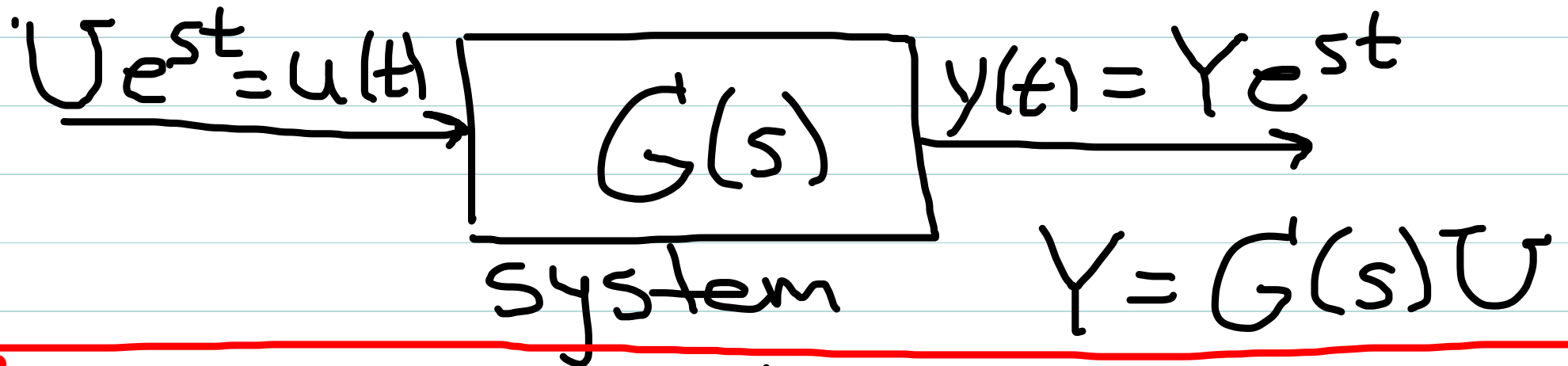
With:

$$r(s) = \alpha_n s^n + \alpha_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + \alpha_1 s + \alpha_0$$

$$q(s) = \beta_m s^m + \dots + \beta_1 s + \beta_0$$

So Assumption is consistent with

$$Y = \left[\frac{q(s)}{r(s)} \right] U = G(s)U$$



If $u(t) = Ue^{st}$ for some $U, s \in \mathbb{C}$
then $y(t) = Ye^{st}$, with $Y = G(s)U$

This is one possible sol'n of the DE,
the forced sol'n, $y_f(t)$.
Other sol'ns are possible.

Other possible sol's

Now, suppose $u(t) = 0$. Clearly here $y_f(t) = 0$. But is $y(t) = 0$ necessarily?

Or can we still have sol's of the form $y(t) = Ce^{st}$? Substitute into DE:

$$r(s)Ce^{st} = 0$$

which can be true for any s where
 $\boxed{r(s) = 0}$

$$r(s) = \alpha_n s^n + \dots + \alpha_1 s + \alpha_0$$

There are n values of s for which $r(s) = 0$. We denote these

$$p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n$$

So $r(s)$ can be factored as

$$\begin{aligned} r(s) &= \alpha_n (s - p_1)(s - p_2) \dots (s - p_n) \\ &= \alpha_n \prod_{k=1}^n (s - p_k) \end{aligned}$$

For any P_K with $r(P_K) = \phi$,
 $y(t) = e^{P_K t}$ is a sol'n of the DE
when $u(t) = \phi$. So is $y(t) = C_K e^{P_K t}$
for any constant C_K . So is any
sum of these terms:

$$y(t) = \sum_{K=1}^n C_K e^{P_K t} = y_h(t)$$

The "homogeneous" sol'n.

Proof:

Substitute $y(t) = \sum_{k=1}^n C_k e^{p_k t}$

into diff eq'n:

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$$r(p_1)C_1 e^{p_1 t} + r(p_2)C_2 e^{p_2 t} + \dots + r(p_n)C_n e^{p_n t} = 0$$

Which is true if $r(p_1) = r(p_2) = \dots = r(p_n) = 0$
i.e. the p_k are zeros of polynomial $r(s)$

Since any $y_h(t)$ yields \emptyset exactly when substituted into DE, we can add it to any other sol'n and still have a valid sol'n. Generally:

$$y(t) = y_h(t) + y_f(t)$$

where $y_h(t) = \sum_{k=1}^n C_k e^{p_k t}$ ←

and if $u(t) = U e^{st}$, then

$$y_f(t) = G(s) U e^{st} \quad \leftarrow$$

Both
Complex!
(Generally)

But $y_f(t)$ is complex generally...?

... \Rightarrow because $u(t)$ is complex here

Suppose $u(t) = B \sin(\omega t + \varphi)$ (real)

$$= \text{Im}\{U e^{st}\}$$

$$\text{with } U = B e^{j\varphi}$$

$$\text{and } s = j\omega$$

Take
matching
Im
part

$$\text{Then } y_f(t) = \text{Im}\{G(s)U e^{st}\}$$

and similarly for cosine inputs, taking real part

What about $y_h(t)$?

Contains terms e^{pt} , where $r(p) = 0$.

If p is complex, $p = \sigma + j\omega$, $\omega \neq 0$
then e^{pt} is complex

However: in this case $r(p) = 0 \Rightarrow r(\bar{p}) = 0$

i.e. \bar{p} is also a zero of $r(s)$.

\Rightarrow Complex roots of polynomials occur
in "conjugate pairs".

Hence, with complex roots, $y_h(t)$ will contain

$$C_1 e^{pt} + C_2 e^{\bar{p}t}$$

Fact:

$$C_2 = \bar{C}_1$$

i.e. coef of $e^{\bar{p}t}$ will always be the conjugate of the coef of e^{pt} .

Thus, if $r(s)$ has a complex root p , $y_h(t)$ will contain

$$C e^{pt} + \bar{C} e^{\bar{p}t} = C e^{pt} + \overline{C e^{pt}}$$