



**Question 1.** [15 pts] If  $y(t)$  solves

$$\begin{cases} y'' - 9y = e^{3t} \\ y(0) = 1 \\ y'(0) = 0, \end{cases}$$

find  $Y(s) = \mathcal{L}[y](s)$ .

(A).  $\frac{s^2 + 3s + 1}{(s - 3)(s + 3)}$

(B).  $\frac{s^2 - 3s + 1}{(s - 3)^2(s + 3)}$

(D).  $\frac{1}{(s - 5)(s + 5)}$

(C).  $\frac{1}{(s - 3)(s + 3)^2}$

(E).  $\frac{1}{19}e^{3s}$

**Question 2.** [10 pts] Write  $\frac{s+1}{(s+2)(s+3)}$  in partial fractions.

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

(C).  $\frac{1}{s+1} - \frac{3}{s+2}$

(E).  $47e^{99t}$

(B).  $\frac{2}{s+3} - \frac{1}{s+2}$

(D).  $\frac{2s+2}{s+3} + \frac{s+1}{s+2}$

**Question 3.** [15 pts] Find the inverse Laplace Transform of  $F(s) = \frac{2e^{-7s}}{s^3}$ .

(A).  $u_3(t) \cos(t - 3)$

(C).  $u_7(t)e^{t-7}$

(E).  $u_7(t)t^2$

(B).  $u_7(t)(t - 7)^2$

(D).  $u_3(t)e^t$

**Question 4.** [10 pts] Write the function

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 2 \\ t & 2 \leq t < 3 \\ t^2 & t \geq 3. \end{cases}$$

in terms of the unit step function  $u_c(t)$ .

(A).  $f(t) = tu_2(t) + (t^2 - t)u_3(t)$

(B).  $f(t) = tu_2(t) + t^2u_3(t)$

(C).  $f(t) = 2u_2(t) + 6u_3(t)$

(D).  $f(t) = 2u_2(t) - 6u_1(t)$

(E).  $f(t) = u_1(t) + u_2(t) + u_3(t) + \dots$

**Question 5.** [10 pts] The matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$  has eigenvalues  $r_1 = -1$  and  $r_2 = 4$ . Solve  $\mathbf{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}$ .

(A).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = c_1 e^{-t} + c_2 e^{4t}$

(D).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} e^{-t} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} e^{4t}$

(B).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} e^{-t} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} e^{4t}$

(C).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} e^{-t} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} e^{4t}$

(E).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = c_1 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} e^{-t} + c_2 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} e^{4t}$

**Question 6.** [10 pts] Which of the following matrices is a *fundamental matrix* for  $\mathbf{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}$ ?

(A).  $\Psi(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$

(C).  $\Psi(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 2e^{-t} & 2e^{4t} \\ 3e^{-t} & e^{4t} \end{bmatrix}$

(E).  $\Psi(t) = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-t} & 3e^{4t} \\ e^{-t} & 2e^{4t} \end{bmatrix}$

(B).  $\Psi(t) = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-t} & 2e^{4t} \\ -e^{-t} & 3e^{4t} \end{bmatrix}$

(D).  $\Psi(t) = \begin{bmatrix} e^{-t} & 2e^{4t} \\ 3e^{-t} & 2e^{4t} \end{bmatrix}$

**Question 7.** [15 pts] The matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$  has eigenvalues  $r_1 = 1 + 2i$  and  $r_2 = 1 - 2i$ ; and corresponding eigenvectors  $\boldsymbol{\xi}^{(1)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1+i \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$  and  $\boldsymbol{\xi}^{(2)} = \begin{bmatrix} 1-i \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Solve  $\mathbf{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 3 & -2 \\ 4 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}$ .

(A).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = c_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos 2t - \sin 2t \\ 2 \cos 2t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos 2t + \sin 2t \\ 2 \sin 2t \end{bmatrix}$

(B).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = c_1 e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} \cos 2t \\ \cos 2t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^{2t} \begin{bmatrix} \cos 2t \\ \sin 2t \end{bmatrix}$

(C).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = c_1 e^t \cos 2t + c_2 e^t \sin 2t$

(D).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = c_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos 2t + 2 \sin 2t \\ 2 \cos 2t \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{bmatrix} \cos 2t + 3 \sin 2t \\ 2 \sin 2t \end{bmatrix}$

(E).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = c_1 e^t \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + c_2 e^t \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$

**Question 8.** [15 pts] The matrix  $A = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 1 \\ -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix}$  has repeated eigenvalue  $r_1 = r_2 = 5$  and only one

linearly independent eigenvectors  $\boldsymbol{\xi} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \end{bmatrix}$ . Solve  $\begin{cases} \mathbf{x}' = \begin{bmatrix} 7 & 1 \\ -4 & 3 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \\ \mathbf{x}(0) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -5 \end{bmatrix} \end{cases}$ .

(A).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = e^{-25t} \begin{bmatrix} 2+3 \\ 1+2t \end{bmatrix}$

(C).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = e^{5t} \begin{bmatrix} 2-3t \\ -5+t \end{bmatrix}$

(E).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = e^{5t} \begin{bmatrix} 2-t \\ -5+2t \end{bmatrix}$

(B).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = \begin{bmatrix} 2+3 \\ 1+2t \end{bmatrix} e^{-25t}$

(D).  $\mathbf{x}(t) = e^{5t} \begin{bmatrix} 2-5t \\ -5-8t \end{bmatrix}$