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- 8 1. Consider the equation

$$\frac{dv}{dt} = -a - kv$$

where a and k are positive constant parameters.

- (a) Find all solutions to the equation above.

Constant solution

$$\begin{aligned} -a - kv &= 0 \\ v &= -\frac{a}{k} \end{aligned}$$

Assume $-a - kv \neq 0$

Sep. of variables

$$\int \frac{1}{-a - kv} dv = \int dt$$

$$-\frac{1}{k} \ln|-a - kv| = t + c$$

$$\ln|-a - kv| = -kt + \tilde{c}t$$

$$-a - kv = \pm e^{\tilde{c}k} e^{-kt}$$

$$A = \pm e^{\tilde{c}k}$$

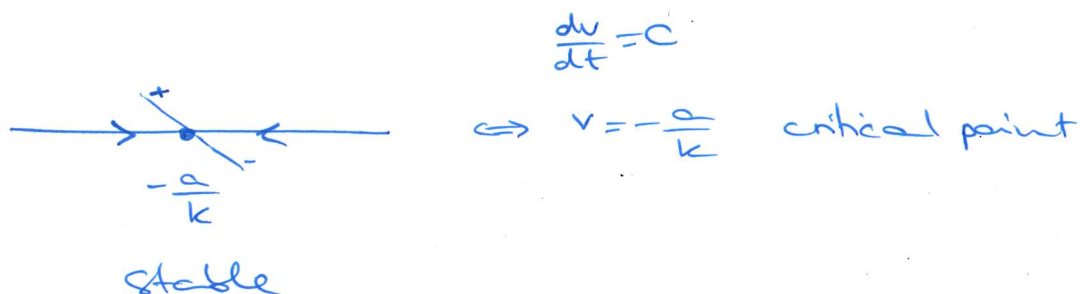
$$v = A \frac{e^{-kt}}{k} - \frac{a}{k}$$

(b) Find $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} v(t)$

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \left(A \frac{e^{-kt}}{k} - \frac{a}{k} \right) = -\frac{a}{k}$$

(terminal velocity)

(c) Verify the answer with the use of a phase line diagram.



Hence, $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} v(t) = -\frac{a}{k}$

- 9 2. (a) Find the general solution to

$$\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + 2\frac{dy}{dt} + 9y = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$y'' + 2y' + 9y = 0$$

$$r^2 + 2r + 9 = 0$$

$$r_{1,2} = \frac{-2 \pm \sqrt{4 - 36}}{2} = -1 \pm i2\sqrt{2}$$

$$y(t) = c_1 e^{-t} \cos(2\sqrt{2}t) + c_2 e^{-t} \sin(2\sqrt{2}t)$$

- (b) Find the solution to Eq. (1) that satisfies the initial conditions $y(0) = 1$, $y'(0) = 0$.

$$y(0) = c_1 = 1$$

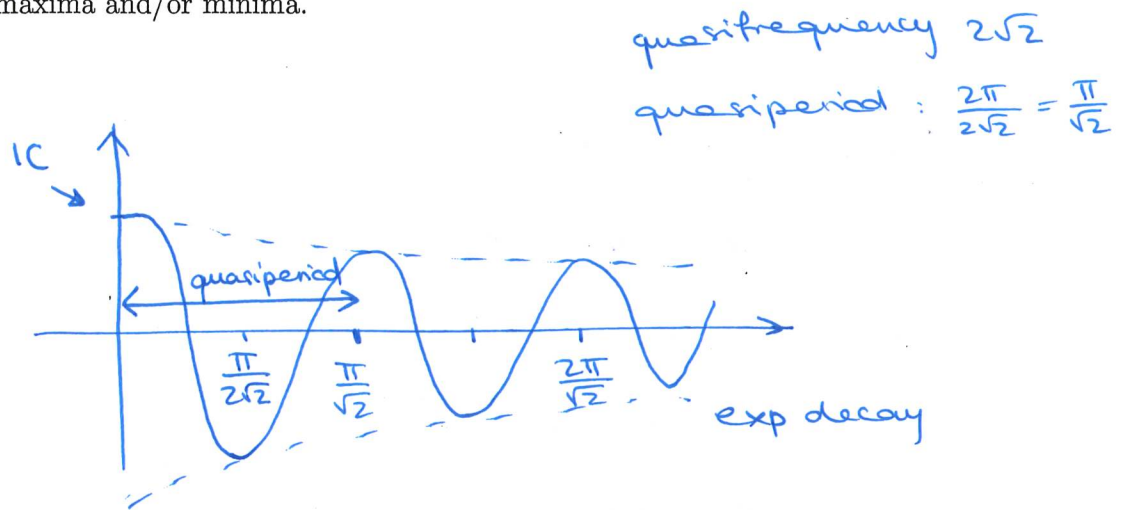
$$y'(t) = -e^{-t} \cos(2\sqrt{2}t) - 2\sqrt{2} e^{-t} \sin(2\sqrt{2}t) + c_2 2\sqrt{2} \cos(2\sqrt{2}t) e^{-t} - c_2 e^{-t} \sin(2\sqrt{2}t)$$

$$y'(0) = -1 + c_2 2\sqrt{2} = 0$$

$$c_2 = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} \quad (\text{or } \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}})$$

$$y(t) = e^{-t} \cos(2\sqrt{2}t) + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} e^{-t} \sin(2\sqrt{2}t)$$

- (c) Sketch the solution you have obtained in part (b) as a function of time. Your sketch should include the initial conditions and possibly information about the location of maxima and/or minima.



- 12 3. (a) Find the general solution to

$$t^2 y'' - 4ty' + 6y = 0, \quad t > 0$$

Cauchy Euler

$$ar^2 + (b-a)r + c = 0$$

$$r^2 + (-4-1)r + 6 = 0$$

$$r^2 - 5r + 6 = 0$$

$$(r-2)(r-3) = 0 \quad \begin{array}{l} \rightarrow r_1 = 2 \\ \rightarrow r_2 = 3 \end{array}$$

$$y(t) = c_1 t^2 + c_2 t^3$$

- (b) Use the results obtained in part (a) to find the general solution to

$$t^2 y'' - 4ty' + 6y = t^3 + 1, \quad t > 0$$

Note: This is a NON-constant coefficient equation.

Hint: Remember to write the equation in standard form.

$$\begin{cases} y_1 v_1' + y_2 v_2' = 0 \\ y_1' v_1 + y_2' v_2 = \frac{t^3 + 1}{t^2} \end{cases}$$

$$y_1 = t^2, \quad y_2 = t^3$$

$$\begin{cases} t^3 v_1' + t^2 v_2' = 0 \\ 3t^2 v_1' + 2t v_2' = \frac{1}{t^2} + t \end{cases}$$

$$v_2' = -t v_1'$$

↳ Insert in 2nd eq

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$$3t^2 v_1' + 2t^2(-v_1') = \frac{1}{t^2} + t$$

$$t^2 v_1' = \frac{1}{t^2} + t$$

$$v_1' = \frac{1}{t^4} + \frac{1}{t}$$

$$v_1 = \int \frac{1}{t^4} dt + \int \frac{1}{t} dt = -\frac{1}{3t^3} + \ln(t)$$

$$v_2' = -\frac{t}{t^4} - 1 = -\frac{1}{t^3} - 1$$

$$v_2 = \int -\frac{1}{t^3} dt - \int dt = \frac{1}{2t^2} - t$$

$$y_p = v_1 y_1 + v_2 y_2 = \left(-t + \frac{1}{2t^3}\right)t^2 + \left(\ln(t) - \frac{1}{3t^3}\right)t^3$$

$$= -t^3 + \frac{1}{2} + t^3 \ln(t) - \frac{1}{3}$$

$$= t^3(\ln(t) - 1) + \frac{1}{6}$$

$$y_{gen} = \underbrace{c_1 t^2 + c_2 t^3}_{y_{hom}} + \underbrace{t^3(\ln(t) - 1) + \frac{1}{6}}_{y_p}$$

- 5] 4. Solve the following IVP by using the method of Laplace transform

$$y''' - y'' + y' - y = 0, \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = 1, \quad y''(0) = 1$$

Hint: $a^3 - a^2 + a - 1 = (a - 1)(a^2 + 1)$

$$\mathcal{L}\{y'''\} - \mathcal{L}\{y''\} + \mathcal{L}\{y'\} - \mathcal{L}\{y\} = 0$$

$$s^3 Y(s) - s^2 \cancel{y} \cancel{'} - s^2 Y(s) + s \cancel{y} \cancel{'} + s Y(s) - 1 - Y(s) = 0$$

$$Y(s) (s^3 - s^2 + s - 1) = s^2 + 1$$

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

$$y(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s - 1}\right\} = e^t$$

5. (a) Write the following IVP

$$y' + \frac{3y}{x} + 2 = 3x, \quad y(1) = 0$$

by using the Forward Euler formula with stepsize h

$$\frac{y_{n+1} - y_n}{h} = -3 \frac{y_n}{x_n} - 2 + 3x_n$$

- (b) Express y_1 in terms of h . Simplify your answer and show all your work.

$$y_0 = 0, \quad x_0 = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} y_1 &= y_0 + h \left(3x_0 - 3 \frac{y_0}{x_0} - 2 \right) \\ &= 0 + h(3 - 0 - 2) = h \end{aligned}$$

- 4 6. Verify that when the linear differential equation $[P(x)y - Q(x)]dx + dy = 0$ is multiplied by $\mu(x) = e^{\int P(x)dx}$, the result is exact.

$$\frac{d}{dx} [\mu(x)] = \frac{d}{dy} [\mu(x)(P(x)y - Q(x))]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{d}{dx} [e^{\int P(x)dx}] = \frac{d}{dy} [e^{\int P(x)dx} P(x)y - e^{\int P(x)dx} Q(x)]$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{d}{dx} [\int P(x)dx] e^{\int P(x)dx} = e^{\int P(x)dx} P(x)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow P(x) e^{\int P(x)dx} = P(x) e^{\int P(x)dx}$$

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exact!

- 4 7. Use the convolution theorem to find the inverse Laplace transform of

$$F(s) = \frac{3s}{(s^2 + 1)(s + 4)}$$

(Do not solve the integral).

$$F(s) = \frac{3}{s^2 + 1} * \frac{s}{s + 4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)\} &= \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{3}{s^2 + 1}\right\} * \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s}{s + 4}\right\} \\ &= 3 \sin(t) * \cos(2t) \end{aligned}$$

8. (a) Find the general solution to the differential equation $y'' + 4y = 0$. Express the general solution in the form $y(t) = c_1 y_1(t) + c_2 y_2(t)$.

$$\text{Ch. eq. } r^2 + 4 = 0$$

$$r = \pm 2i$$

$$y(t) = c_1 \cos(2t) + c_2 \sin(2t)$$

- (b) Use the Wronskian to show that $y_1(t)$ and $y_2(t)$ form a fundamental solutions set.

$$\begin{vmatrix} \cos(2t) & \sin(2t) \\ -2\sin(2t) & 2\cos(2t) \end{vmatrix} = 2(\cos^2(t) + \sin^2(t)) = 2$$

$$\neq 0$$

$$\forall t$$

- (c) Show that there is no solution that satisfies the conditions $y(0) = 2$ and $y(\pi/2) = 0$.

$$y(0) = c_1 = 2$$

$$y\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = c_1(-1) = 0 \Leftrightarrow c_1 = 0 \quad \text{↯}$$

- (d) Explain briefly why your results in part (c) do not contradict the existence and uniqueness theorem (corresponding to Theorem 5, stated at the back of the exam).

The existence and uniqueness theorem applies only for initial conditions $(y(t_0) = \gamma_0, y'(t_0) = \gamma_1)$.

In this case we are looking at boundary conditions and a unique solution is therefore not guaranteed.

- 8 9. The mixing tank in Figure 1 initially holds 500 L of water (there is initially no salt in the tank). For the first 30 min of operation, valve A is open, adding 5 L/min brine containing a 0.4 Kg/L salt concentration. After 30 min, valve A is closed and valve B is switched in, adding a 0.6 Kg/L concentration at 5 L/min. The exit valve C removes 5 L/min, thereby keeping the volume constant.

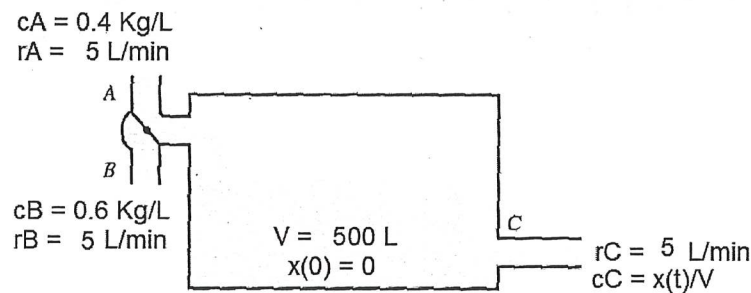


Figure 1: Mixing tank

- (a) Write down the IVP characterising the system (do NOT solve the problem).

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = g(t) - \frac{x}{100}$$

$$\text{where } g(t) = \begin{cases} 2 & \text{for } 0 < t < 30 \\ 3 & \text{for } t > 30 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{or } \frac{d}{dt} x = 2[u(t) - u(t-30)] + 3u(t-30) - \frac{x}{100}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} x = 2u(t) + u(t-30) - \frac{x}{100}$$

- (b) Use the method of the Laplace transform to rewrite the IVP found in (a) into the s-space. Solve for $X(s)$.

$$\mathcal{L}\{\ddot{x}\} = \mathcal{L}\{2u_{ct} + u_{(t-30)}\} - \mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{x}{100}\right\}$$

$$sX(s) - \cancel{x(0)} = \frac{2}{s} + \frac{e^{-30s}}{s} - \frac{X(s)}{100}$$

$$X(s) = \frac{2 + e^{-30s}}{s\left(s + \frac{1}{100}\right)}$$

12] 10. (a) Solve the following IVP:

$$\frac{d^2y}{dt^2} + y = 5 \cos(t), \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 1 \quad (2)$$

$$y'' + y = 5 \cos(t)$$

$$r^2 + 1 = 0$$

$$r = \pm i$$

$$y_{\text{hom}} = C_1 \cos(t) + C_2 \sin(t)$$

$$y_p = t(A \cos(t) + B \sin(t))$$

Find A & B

$$y'_p = A \cos(t) - At \sin(t) + B \sin(t) + Bt \cos(t)$$

$$y''_p = -2A \sin(t) + 2B \cos(t) - At \cos(t) - Bt \sin(t)$$

Insert in the ODE

$$-2A \sin(t) + 2B \cos(t) - \cancel{At \cos(t)} - \cancel{Bt \sin(t)} + \cancel{At \cos(t)} + \cancel{Bt \sin(t)}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow 2A = 0 \quad \& \quad 2B = 5 \quad = 5 \cos(t)$$

$$A = 0$$

$$B = \frac{5}{2}$$

$$y_p = \frac{5}{2} t \sin(t)$$

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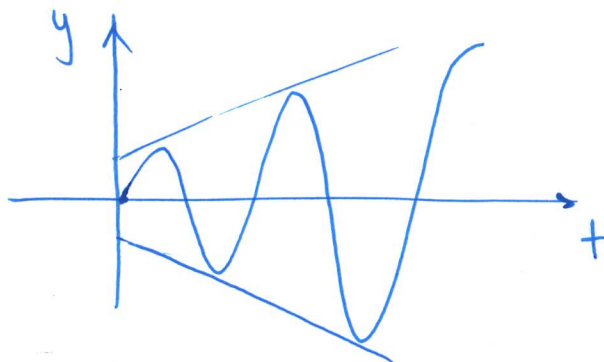
$$y(0) = c_1 = 0$$

$$y'(t) = c_2 \cos(t) + \frac{5}{2} \sin(t) + \frac{5}{2} t \cos(t)$$

$$y'(0) = c_2 = 1$$

$$y(t) = \sin(t) + \frac{5}{2} t \sin(t) = \sin(t) \left(1 + \frac{5}{2} t\right)$$

(b) Sketch the solution



(c) Explain briefly what is a possible physical interpretation of the solution you found in part (a). Refer to the forced mass-spring oscillator in your answer.

We have a case of resonance.
The frequency of the forcing is the same as the natural frequency of the system.
The amplitude of the oscillations increases with time.

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Additional Information

Theorem 5 Suppose $p(t)$, $q(t)$, and $g(t)$ are continuous on an interval (a, b) that contains the point t_0 . Then, for any choice of the initial values Y_0 and Y_1 , there exists a unique solution $y(t)$ on the same interval (a, b) to the initial value problem

$$y''(t) + p(t)y'(t) + q(t)y(t) = g(t), \quad y(t_0) = Y_0, \quad y'(t_0) = Y_1.$$

BRIEF TABLE OF LAPLACE TRANSFORMS

$f(t)$	$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s)$
1	$\frac{1}{s}, \quad s > 0$
e^{at}	$\frac{1}{s-a}, \quad s > a$
$t^n, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$	$\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}, \quad s > 0$
$\sin(bt)$	$\frac{b}{s^2 + b^2}, \quad s > 0$
$\cos(bt)$	$\frac{s}{s^2 + b^2}, \quad s > 0$
$e^{at}t^n, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$	$\frac{n!}{(s-a)^{n+1}}, \quad s > a$
$e^{at}\sin(bt)$	$\frac{b}{(s-a)^2 + b^2}, \quad s > a$
$e^{at}\cos(bt)$	$\frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2 + b^2}, \quad s > a$
$u(t-a)$	$\frac{e^{-as}}{s}, \quad s > a$

BRIEF TABLE OF PROPERTIES OF THE LAPLACE TRANSFORM

- P3: $\mathcal{L}\{e^{at}f(t)\}(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s-a)$
 P4: $\mathcal{L}\{f'\}(s) = s\mathcal{L}\{f\}(s) - f(0)$
 P6: $\mathcal{L}\{f^{(n)}\}(s) = s^n\mathcal{L}\{f\}(s) - s^{n-1}f(0) - s^{n-2}f'(0) - \dots - f^{(n-1)}(0)$
 P7: $\mathcal{L}\{t^n f(t)\}(s) = (-1)^n \frac{d^n}{ds^n} (\mathcal{L}\{f\}(s))$

THEOREM: TRANSLATION IN t

Let $F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s)$ exist for $s > a \geq 0$. If a is a positive constant, then

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(t-a)u(t-a)\}(s) = e^{-as}F(s),$$

and, conversely, an inverse Laplace transform of $e^{-at}F(s)$ is given by

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{e^{-as}F(s)\}(t) = f(t-a)u(t-a),$$

where $u(t)$ is the unit step function.

TRANSFORM OF A PERIODIC FUNCTION

If f has period T and is piecewise continuous on $[0, T]$, then the Laplace transforms

$$F(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st}f(t)dt \text{ and } F_T(s) = \int_0^T e^{-st}f(t)dt$$

are related by

$$F(s) = \frac{F_T(s)}{1 - e^{-sT}}.$$

CONVOLUTION THEOREM

Let $f(t)$ and $g(t)$ be piecewise continuous on $[0, \infty)$ and of exponential order α and set $F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s)$ and $G(s) = \mathcal{L}\{g\}(s)$. Then

$$\mathcal{L}\{f * g\}(s) = F(s)G(s),$$

or, equivalently,

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)G(s)\} = (f * g)(t).$$

WINDOW FUNCTION

The window function $\Pi_{a,b}$ can be defined in terms of step functions:

$$\Pi_{a,b}(t) = u(t-a) - u(t-b).$$