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1 HW 8

1.1 Section 6.1 problem 7

Find Laplace Transform of $f(t) = \cosh(bt)$

solution Since $\cosh(bt) = \frac{e^{bt} + e^{-bt}}{2}$ then

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} \cosh(bt) &= \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L}(e^{bt} + e^{-bt}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (\mathcal{L} e^{bt} + \mathcal{L} e^{-bt})\end{aligned}$$

But

$$\mathcal{L} e^{bt} = \frac{1}{s-b}$$

For $s > b$ and

$$\mathcal{L} e^{-bt} = \frac{1}{s+b}$$

For $s < b$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} \cosh(bt) &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{s-b} + \frac{1}{s+b} \right) \\ &= \frac{s^2}{s^2 - b^2}\end{aligned}$$

For $s > |b|$

1.2 Section 6.1 problem 8

Find Laplace Transform of $f(t) = \sinh(bt)$

solution Since $\sinh(bt) = \frac{e^{bt} - e^{-bt}}{2}$ then

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} \sinh(bt) &= \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L}(e^{bt} - e^{-bt}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} (\mathcal{L} e^{bt} - \mathcal{L} e^{-bt})\end{aligned}$$

But, as we found in the last problem

$$\mathcal{L} e^{bt} = \frac{1}{s-b} \quad s > b$$

And

$$\mathcal{L} e^{-bt} = \frac{1}{s+b} \quad s < b$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L} \sinh(bt) &= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{s-b} - \frac{1}{s+b} \right) & s > b; s < b \\ &= \frac{b}{s^2 - b^2} & s > |b|\end{aligned}$$

1.3 Section 6.1 problem 9

Find Laplace Transform of $f(t) = e^{at} \cosh(bt)$

solution Using the property that

$$e^{at} f(t) \iff F(s-a)$$

Where $f(t) = \cosh(bt)$ now. We already found above that $\cosh(bt) \iff \frac{s}{s^2-b^2}$, for $s > |b|$. In other words, $F(s) = \frac{s}{s^2-b^2}$, therefore

$$e^{at} \cosh(bt) \iff \frac{(s-a)}{(s-a)^2 - b^2} \quad s-a > |b|$$

1.4 Section 6.1 problem 10

Find Laplace Transform of $f(t) = e^{at} \sinh(bt)$

solution Using the property that

$$e^{at} f(t) \iff F(s-a)$$

Where $f(t) = \sinh(bt)$ now. We already found above that $\sinh(bt) \iff \frac{b}{s^2-b^2}$, for $s > |b|$. In other words, $F(s) = \frac{b}{s^2-b^2}$, therefore

$$e^{at} \sinh(bt) \iff \frac{b}{(s-a)^2 - b^2} \quad s-a > |b|$$

1.5 Section 6.2 problem 17

Use Laplace transform to solve $y^{(4)} - 4y''' + 6y'' - 4y' + y = 0$ for $y(0) = 0, y'(0) = 1, y''(0) = 0, y'''(0) = 1$

Solution Taking Laplace transform of the ODE gives

$$\mathcal{L}\{y^{(4)}\} - 4\mathcal{L}\{y'''\} + 6\mathcal{L}\{y''\} - 4\mathcal{L}\{y'\} + \mathcal{L}\{y\} = 0 \tag{1}$$

Let $\mathcal{L}\{y\} = Y(s)$ then

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{y^{(4)}\} &= s^4 Y(s) - s^3 y(0) - s^2 y'(0) - s y''(0) - y'''(0) \\ &= s^4 Y(s) - s^3(0) - s^2(1) - s(0) - 1 \\ &= s^4 Y(s) - s^2 - 1\end{aligned}$$

And

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{y'''\} &= s^3 Y(s) - s^2 y(0) - s y'(0) - y''(0) \\ &= s^3 Y(s) - s^2(0) - s(1) - 0 \\ &= s^3 Y(s) - s\end{aligned}$$

And

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{y''\} &= s^2Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) \\ &= s^2Y(s) - s(0) - 1 \\ &= s^2Y(s) - 1\end{aligned}$$

And

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{y'\} &= sY(s) - y(0) \\ &= sY(s)\end{aligned}$$

Hence (1) becomes

$$\begin{aligned}(s^4Y(s) - s^2 - 1) - 4(s^3Y(s) - s) + 6(s^2Y(s) - 1) - 4(sY(s)) + Y(s) &= 0 \\ Y(s)(s^4 - 4s^3 + 6s^2 - 4s + 1) - s^2 - 1 + 4s - 6 &= 0\end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}Y(s) &= \frac{s^2 - 4s + 7}{s^4 - 4s^3 + 6s^2 - 4s + 1} \\ &= \frac{s^2 - 4s + 7}{(s-1)^4} \\ &= \frac{s^2}{(s-1)^4} - \frac{4s}{(s-1)^4} + \frac{7}{(s-1)^4}\end{aligned}\tag{2}$$

But

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{s^2}{(s-1)^4} &= \frac{(s-1)^2 - 1 + 2s}{(s-1)^4} \\ &= \frac{(s-1)^2}{(s-1)^4} - \frac{1}{(s-1)^4} + 2\frac{(s-1) + 1}{(s-1)^4} \\ &= \frac{1}{(s-1)^2} - \frac{1}{(s-1)^4} + 2\frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^4} + 2\frac{1}{(s-1)^4} \\ &= \frac{1}{(s-1)^2} - \frac{1}{(s-1)^4} + 2\frac{1}{(s-1)^3} + 2\frac{1}{(s-1)^4} \\ &= \frac{1}{(s-1)^2} + \frac{2}{(s-1)^3} + \frac{1}{(s-1)^4}\end{aligned}$$

And

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{4s}{(s-1)^4} &= 4\frac{(s-1) + 1}{(s-1)^4} \\ &= 4\frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^4} + 4\frac{1}{(s-1)^4} \\ &= \frac{4}{(s-1)^3} + \frac{4}{(s-1)^4}\end{aligned}$$

Therefore (2) becomes

$$\begin{aligned}Y(s) &= \left(\frac{1}{(s-1)^2} + \frac{2}{(s-1)^3} + \frac{1}{(s-1)^4}\right) - \left(\frac{4}{(s-1)^3} + \frac{4}{(s-1)^4}\right) + \frac{7}{(s-1)^4} \\ &= \frac{1}{(s-1)^2} - \frac{2}{(s-1)^3} + \frac{4}{(s-1)^4}\end{aligned}\tag{3}$$

Now using property the shift property of $F(s)$ together with

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{s^2} &\Leftrightarrow t \\ \frac{1}{s^3} &\Leftrightarrow \frac{t^2}{2} \\ \frac{1}{s^4} &\Leftrightarrow \frac{t^3}{6}\end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{(s-1)^2} &\Leftrightarrow e^t t \\ \frac{1}{(s-1)^3} &\Leftrightarrow e^t \frac{t^2}{2} \\ \frac{1}{(s-1)^4} &\Leftrightarrow e^t \frac{t^3}{6}\end{aligned}$$

And (3) becomes

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{(s-1)^2} - \frac{2}{(s-1)^3} + \frac{4}{(s-1)^4} &\Leftrightarrow e^t t - 2\left(e^t \frac{t^2}{2}\right) + 4\left(e^t \frac{t^3}{6}\right) \\ &= e^t t - e^t t^2 + \frac{2}{3} e^t t^3\end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$y(t) = e^t \left(t - t^2 + \frac{2}{3} t^3 \right)$$

1.6 Section 6.2 problem 18

Use Laplace transform to solve $y^{(4)} - y = 0$ for $y(0) = 1, y'(0) = 0, y''(0) = 1, y'''(0) = 0$

Solution Taking Laplace transform of the ODE gives

$$\mathcal{L}\{y^{(4)}\} - \mathcal{L}\{y\} = 0 \tag{1}$$

Let $\mathcal{L}\{y\} = Y(s)$ then

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{y^{(4)}\} &= s^4 Y(s) - s^3 y(0) - s^2 y'(0) - s y''(0) - y'''(0) \\ &= s^4 Y(s) - s^3 (1) - s^2 (0) - s (1) - 0 \\ &= s^4 Y(s) - s^3 - s\end{aligned}$$

Hence (1) becomes

$$s^4 Y(s) - s^3 - s - Y(s) = 0$$

Solving for $Y(s)$ gives

$$\begin{aligned} Y(s) &= \frac{s^3 + s}{s^4 - 1} \\ &= \frac{s(s^2 + 1)}{s^4 - 1} \\ &= \frac{s(s^2 + 1)}{(s^2 - 1)(s^2 + 1)} \\ &= \frac{s}{s^2 - 1} \end{aligned}$$

But, Hence above becomes, where $a = 1$

$$\frac{s}{s^2 - 1} \Leftrightarrow \cosh(t)$$

Hence

$$y(t) = \cosh(at)$$

1.7 Section 6.2 problem 19

Use Laplace transform to solve $y^{(4)} - 4y = 0$ for $y(0) = 1, y'(0) = 0, y''(0) = -2, y'''(0) = 0$

Solution Taking Laplace transform of the ODE gives

$$\mathcal{L}\{y^{(4)}\} - 4\mathcal{L}\{y\} = 0 \tag{1}$$

Let $\mathcal{L}\{y\} = Y(s)$ then

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{y^{(4)}\} &= s^4 Y(s) - s^3 y(0) - s^2 y'(0) - s y''(0) - y'''(0) \\ &= s^4 Y(s) - s^3(1) - s^2(0) - s(-2) - 0 \\ &= s^4 Y(s) - s^3 + 2s \end{aligned}$$

Hence (1) becomes

$$s^4 Y(s) - s^3 + 2s - 4Y(s) = 0$$

Solving for $Y(s)$ gives

$$\begin{aligned} Y(s) &= \frac{s^3 - 2s}{s^4 - 4} \\ &= \frac{s^3 - 2s}{(s^2 - 2)(s^2 + 2)} \\ &= \frac{s(s^2 - 2)}{(s^2 - 2)(s^2 + 2)} \\ &= \frac{s}{(s^2 + 2)} \end{aligned}$$

Using $\cos(at) \Leftrightarrow \frac{s}{s^2 + a^2}$, the above becomes, where $a = \sqrt{2}$

$$\frac{s}{(s^2 + 2)} \Leftrightarrow \cos(\sqrt{2}t)$$

Hence

$$y(t) = \cos(\sqrt{2}t)$$

1.8 Section 6.2 problem 20

Use Laplace transform to solve $y'' + \omega^2 y = \cos 2t$; $\omega^2 \neq 4$; $y(0) = 1, y'(0) = 0$

Solution Let $Y(s) = \mathcal{L}\{y(t)\}$. Taking Laplace transform of the ODE, and using $\cos(at) \iff \frac{s}{s^2+a^2}$ gives

$$s^2 Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) + \omega^2 Y(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 + 4} \quad (1)$$

Applying initial conditions

$$s^2 Y(s) - s + \omega^2 Y(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 + 4}$$

Solving for $Y(s)$

$$\begin{aligned} Y(s)(s^2 + \omega^2) - s &= \frac{s}{s^2 + 4} \\ Y(s) &= \frac{s}{(s^2 + 4)(s^2 + \omega^2)} + \frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2} \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

But

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{s}{(s^2 + 4)(s^2 + \omega^2)} &= \frac{As + B}{s^2 + 4} + \frac{Cs + D}{s^2 + \omega^2} \\ s &= (As + B)(s^2 + \omega^2) + (Cs + D)(s^2 + 4) \\ s &= 4D + As^3 + Bs^2 + Cs^3 + B\omega^2 + s^2D + 4Cs + As\omega^2 \\ s &= (4D + B\omega^2) + s(4C + A\omega^2) + s^2(B + D) + s^3(A + C) \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} 4D + B\omega^2 &= 0 \\ 4C + A\omega^2 &= 1 \\ B + D &= 0 \\ A + C &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Equation (2,4) gives $A = \frac{1}{\omega^2 - 4}, C = \frac{1}{4 - \omega^2}$ and (1,3) gives $B = 0, D = 0$. Hence

$$\frac{s}{(s^2 + 4)(s^2 + \omega^2)} = \left(\frac{1}{\omega^2 - 4}\right) \frac{s}{s^2 + 4} + \left(\frac{1}{4 - \omega^2}\right) \frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2}$$

Therefore (2) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} Y(s) &= \left(\frac{1}{\omega^2 - 4}\right) \frac{s}{s^2 + 4} + \left(\frac{1}{4 - \omega^2}\right) \frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2} + \frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2} \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{\omega^2 - 4}\right) \frac{s}{s^2 + 4} + \left(\frac{5 - \omega^2}{4 - \omega^2}\right) \frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2} \end{aligned}$$

Using $\cos(at) \Leftrightarrow \frac{s}{s^2+a^2}$, the above becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \left(\frac{1}{\omega^2-4}\right)\frac{s}{(s^2+4)} + \left(\frac{5-\omega^2}{4-\omega^2}\right)\frac{s}{(s^2+\omega^2)} &\Leftrightarrow \left(\frac{1}{\omega^2-4}\right)\cos(2t) + \left(\frac{5-\omega^2}{4-\omega^2}\right)\cos(\omega t) \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{\omega^2-4}\right)\cos(2t) + \left(\frac{\omega^2-5}{\omega^2-4}\right)\cos(\omega t) \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= \left(\frac{1}{\omega^2-4}\right)\cos(2t) + \left(\frac{\omega^2-5}{\omega^2-4}\right)\cos(\omega t) \\ &= \frac{(\omega^2-5)\cos(\omega t) + \cos(2t)}{\omega^2-4} \end{aligned}$$

1.9 Section 6.2 problem 21

Use Laplace transform to solve $y'' - 2y' + 2y = \cos t$; $y(0) = 1, y'(0) = 0$

Solution Let $Y(s) = \mathcal{L}\{y(t)\}$. Taking Laplace transform of the ODE, and using $\cos(at) \Leftrightarrow \frac{s}{s^2+a^2}$ gives

$$(s^2Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0)) - 2(sY(s) - y(0)) + 2Y(s) = \frac{s}{s^2+1} \quad (1)$$

Applying initial conditions

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

Solving for $Y(s)$

$$\begin{aligned} s^2Y(s) - s - 2sY(s) + 2 + 2Y(s) &= \frac{s}{s^2+1} \\ Y(s)(s^2 - 2s + 2) - s + 2 &= \frac{s}{s^2+1} \\ Y(s) &= \frac{s}{(s^2+1)(s^2-2s+2)} + \frac{s}{(s^2-2s+2)} - \frac{2}{(s^2-2s+2)} \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

But

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{s}{(s^2+1)(s^2-2s+2)} &= \frac{As+B}{(s^2+1)} + \frac{Cs+D}{s^2-2s+2} \\ s &= (As+B)(s^2-2s+2) + (Cs+D)(s^2+1) \\ s &= 2B+D - 2As^2 + As^3 + Bs^2 + Cs^3 + s^2D + 2As - 2Bs + Cs \\ s &= (2B+D) + s(2A-2B+C) + s^2(-2A+B+D) + s^3(A+C) \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} 2B+D &= 0 \\ 2A-2B+C &= 1 \\ -2A+B+D &= 0 \\ A+C &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Solving gives $A = \frac{1}{5}, B = -\frac{2}{5}, C = -\frac{1}{5}, D = \frac{4}{5}$, hence

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{s}{(s^2+1)(s^2-2s+2)} &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{s-2}{s^2+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{s-4}{s^2-2s+2} \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{s^2+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2-2s+2} + \frac{4}{5} \frac{1}{s^2-2s+2} \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

Completing the squares for

$$\begin{aligned} s^2 - 2s + 2 &= a(s+b)^2 + d \\ &= a(s^2 + b^2 + 2bs) + d \\ &= as^2 + ab^2 + 2abs + d \end{aligned}$$

Hence $a = 1, 2ab = -2, (ab^2 + d) = 2$, hence $b = -1, d = 1$, hence

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

Hence (3) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{s}{(s^2+1)(s^2-2s+2)} &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{s^2+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{4}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{s^2+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{(s-1)+1}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{4}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{s^2+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{4}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{s^2+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{3}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore (2) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} Y(s) &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{s^2+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{3}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{s}{(s-1)^2+1} - \frac{2}{(s-1)^2+1} \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{s^2+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{3}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{(s-1)+1}{(s-1)^2+1} - \frac{2}{(s-1)^2+1} \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{s^2+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{3}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} - \frac{2}{(s-1)^2+1} \\ &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{s^2+1} + \frac{4}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} - \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} \end{aligned}$$

Using $\cos(at) \Leftrightarrow \frac{s}{s^2+a^2}, \sin(at) \Leftrightarrow \frac{a}{s^2+a^2}$ and the shift property of Laplace transform, then

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+1} &\Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{5} \cos(t) \\ \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{s^2+1} &\Leftrightarrow \frac{2}{5} \sin(t) \\ \frac{4}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} &\Leftrightarrow \frac{4}{5} e^t \cos t \\ \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} &\Leftrightarrow \frac{8}{5} e^t \sin t \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{5} \cos(t) - \frac{2}{5} \sin(t) + \frac{4}{5} e^t \cos t - \frac{2}{5} e^t \sin t$$

$$\frac{1}{5} (\cos t - 2 \sin t + 4e^t \cos t - 2e^t \sin t)$$

1.10 Section 6.2 problem 22

Use Laplace transform to solve $y'' - 2y' + 2y = e^{-t}; y(0) = 0, y'(0) = 1$

Solution Let $Y(s) = \mathcal{L}\{y(t)\}$. Taking Laplace transform of the ODE, and using $e^{-t} \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{s+1}$ gives

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

Applying initial conditions gives

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

Solving for $Y(s)$

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

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

But

$$\frac{1}{(s+1)(s^2 - 2s + 2)} = \frac{A}{s+1} + \frac{Bs + C}{s^2 - 2s + 2}$$

$$1 = A(s^2 - 2s + 2) + (Bs + C)(s + 1)$$

$$1 = 2A + C + As^2 + Bs^2 - 2As + Bs + Cs$$

$$1 = (2A + C) + s(-2A + B + C) + s^2(A + B)$$

Hence

$$1 = 2A + C$$

$$0 = -2A + B + C$$

$$0 = A + B$$

Solving gives $A = \frac{1}{5}, B = -\frac{1}{5}, C = \frac{3}{5}$, therefore

$$\frac{1}{(s+1)(s^2 - 2s + 2)} = \frac{1}{5} \frac{1}{s+1} + \frac{-\frac{1}{5}s + \frac{3}{5}}{s^2 - 2s + 2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \frac{1}{s+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2 - 2s + 2} + \frac{3}{5} \frac{1}{s^2 - 2s + 2}$$

Completing the square for $s^2 - 2s + 2$ which was done in last problem, gives $(s-1)^2 + 1$, hence the

above becomes

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{1}{(s+1)(s^2-2s+2)} &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{1}{s+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{3}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{1}{s+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{(s-1)+1}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{3}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{1}{s+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{3}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{5} \frac{1}{s+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1}
 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore (2) becomes

$$Y(s) = \frac{1}{5} \frac{1}{s+1} - \frac{1}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} + \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1}$$

Using $\cos(at) \Leftrightarrow \frac{s}{s^2+a^2}$, $\sin(at) \Leftrightarrow \frac{a}{s^2+a^2}$ and the shift property of Laplace transform, then

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{1}{5} \frac{1}{s+1} &\Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{5} e^{-t} \\
 \frac{1}{5} \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2+1} &\Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{5} e^t \cos t \\
 \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} &\Leftrightarrow \frac{2}{5} e^t \sin t \\
 \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+1} &\Leftrightarrow e^t \sin t
 \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 y(t) &= \frac{1}{5} e^{-t} - \frac{1}{5} e^t \cos t + \frac{2}{5} e^t \sin t + e^t \sin t \\
 &= \frac{1}{5} (e^{-t} - e^t \cos t + 7e^t \sin t)
 \end{aligned}$$

1.11 Section 6.2 problem 23

Use Laplace transform to solve $y'' + 2y' + y = 4e^{-t}$; $y(0) = 2$, $y'(0) = -1$

Solution Let $Y(s) = \mathcal{L}\{y(t)\}$. Taking Laplace transform of the ODE, and using $e^{-t} \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{s+1}$ gives

$$(s^2Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0)) + 2(sY(s) - y(0)) + Y(s) = \frac{4}{s+1} \quad (1)$$

Applying initial conditions gives

$$(s^2Y(s) - 2s + 1) + 2(sY(s) - 2) + Y(s) = \frac{4}{s+1}$$

Solving for $Y(s)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 Y(s)(s^2 + 2s + 1) - 2s + 1 - 4 &= \frac{4}{s+1} \\
 Y(s)(s^2 + 2s + 1) &= \frac{4}{s+1} + 2s - 1 + 4 \\
 Y(s) &= \frac{4}{(s+1)(s^2 + 2s + 1)} + \frac{2s}{(s^2 + 2s + 1)} - \frac{1}{(s^2 + 2s + 1)} + \frac{4}{(s^2 + 2s + 1)}
 \end{aligned}$$

But $(s^2 + 2s + 1) = (s + 1)^2$, hence

$$Y(s) = \frac{4}{(s+1)^3} + \frac{2s}{(s+1)^2} - \frac{1}{(s+1)^2} + \frac{4}{(s+1)^2} \quad (2)$$

But

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{2s}{(s+1)^2} &= 2 \frac{s+1-1}{(s+1)^2} \\ &= 2 \frac{(s+1)}{(s+1)^2} - 2 \frac{1}{(s+1)^2} \\ &= 2 \frac{1}{s+1} - 2 \frac{1}{(s+1)^2} \end{aligned}$$

Hence (2) becomes

$$Y(s) = \frac{4}{(s+1)^3} + 2 \frac{1}{s+1} - 2 \frac{1}{(s+1)^2} - \frac{1}{(s+1)^2} + \frac{4}{(s+1)^2} \quad (3)$$

We now ready to do the inversion. Since $\frac{1}{s^3} \Leftrightarrow \frac{t^2}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{s^2} \Leftrightarrow t$ and $\frac{1}{s} \Leftrightarrow 1$ and using the shift property $e^{at} f(t) \Leftrightarrow F(s-a)$, then using these into (3) gives

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{4}{(s+1)^3} &\Leftrightarrow 4e^{-t} \left(\frac{t^2}{2} \right) \\ 2 \frac{1}{s+1} &\Leftrightarrow 2e^{-t} \\ 2 \frac{1}{(s+1)^2} &\Leftrightarrow 2e^{-t}t \\ \frac{1}{(s+1)^2} &\Leftrightarrow e^{-t}t \\ \frac{4}{(s+1)^2} &\Leftrightarrow 4e^{-t}t \end{aligned}$$

Now (3) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} Y(s) &\Leftrightarrow 4e^{-t} \left(\frac{t^2}{2} \right) + 2e^{-t} - 2e^{-t}t - e^{-t}t + 4e^{-t}t \\ &= e^{-t} (2t^2 + 2 - 2t - t + 4t) \\ &= e^{-t} (2t^2 + t + 2) \end{aligned}$$

1.12 Section 6.3 problem 25

Suppose that $F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}$ exists for $s > a \geq 0$.

1. Show that if c is positive constant then $\mathcal{L}\{f(ct)\} = \frac{1}{c} F\left(\frac{s}{c}\right)$ for $s > ca$
2. Show that if k is positive constant then $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(ks)\} = \frac{1}{k} f\left(\frac{t}{k}\right)$
3. Show that if a, b are constants with $a > 0$ then $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(as+b)\} = \frac{1}{a} e^{-\frac{bt}{a}} f\left(\frac{t}{a}\right)$

Solution

1.12.1 Part (a)

From definition,

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(ct)\} = \int_0^{\infty} f(ct) e^{-st} dt$$

Let $ct = \tau$, then when $t = 0, \tau = 0$ and when $t = \infty, \tau = \infty$, and $c = \frac{d\tau}{dt}$. Hence the above becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{f(ct)\} &= \int_0^{\infty} f(\tau) e^{-s\left(\frac{\tau}{c}\right)} \frac{d\tau}{c} \\ &= \frac{1}{c} \int_0^{\infty} f(\tau) e^{-\tau\left(\frac{s}{c}\right)} d\tau \end{aligned}$$

We see from above that $\mathcal{L}\{f(ct)\}$ is $\frac{1}{c}F\left(\frac{s}{c}\right)$. Now we look at the conditions which makes the above integral converges. Let

$$\left| f(\tau) e^{-\tau\left(\frac{s}{c}\right)} \right| \leq k \left| e^{at} e^{-\tau\left(\frac{s}{c}\right)} \right|$$

Where k is some constant. Then

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^{\infty} f(t) e^{-t\left(\frac{s}{c}\right)} dt &\leq k \int_0^{\infty} e^{at} e^{-t\left(\frac{s}{c}\right)} dt \\ &= k \int_0^{\infty} e^{-t\left(\frac{s}{c}-a\right)} dt \end{aligned}$$

But $\int_0^{\infty} e^{-t\left(\frac{s}{c}-a\right)} dt$ converges if $\frac{s}{c} - a > 0$ or

$$s > ca$$

Hence this is the condition for $\int_0^{\infty} f(t) e^{-t\left(\frac{s}{c}\right)} dt$ to converge. Which is what we required to show.

1.12.2 Part (b)

From definition

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{1}{k}f\left(\frac{t}{k}\right)\right\} &= \frac{1}{k} \mathcal{L}\left\{f\left(\frac{t}{k}\right)\right\} \\ &= \frac{1}{k} \int_0^{\infty} f\left(\frac{t}{k}\right) e^{-st} dt \end{aligned}$$

Let $\frac{t}{k} = \tau$. When $t = 0, \tau = 0$ and when $t = \infty, \tau = \infty$. $\frac{dt}{d\tau} = k$, hence the above becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{1}{k}f\left(\frac{t}{k}\right)\right\} &= \frac{1}{k} \int_0^{\infty} f(\tau) e^{-s(k\tau)} (kd\tau) \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} f(\tau) e^{-\tau(sk)} d\tau \end{aligned}$$

We see from above that $\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{1}{k}f\left(\frac{t}{k}\right)\right\}$ is $F(sk)$. In other words, $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(ks)\} = \frac{1}{k}f\left(\frac{t}{k}\right)$.

1.12.3 Part (c)

From definition

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{1}{a}e^{-\frac{bt}{a}}f\left(\frac{t}{a}\right)\right\} &= \frac{1}{a}\mathcal{L}\left\{e^{-\frac{bt}{a}}f\left(\frac{t}{a}\right)\right\} \\ &= \frac{1}{a}\int_0^{\infty}e^{-\frac{bt}{a}}f\left(\frac{t}{a}\right)e^{-st}dt\end{aligned}$$

Let $\frac{t}{a} = \tau$, at $t = 0, \tau = 0$ and at $t = \infty, \tau = \infty$. And $\frac{dt}{d\tau} = a$, hence the above becomes

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{1}{a}e^{-\frac{bt}{a}}f\left(\frac{t}{a}\right)\right\} &= \frac{1}{a}\int_0^{\infty}e^{-\frac{b(a\tau)}{a}}f(\tau)e^{-s(a\tau)}(ad\tau) \\ &= \int_0^{\infty}e^{-b\tau}f(\tau)e^{-\tau(sa)}d\tau \\ &= \int_0^{\infty}f(\tau)e^{-\tau(sa+b)}d\tau\end{aligned}$$

We see from the above, that $\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{1}{a}e^{-\frac{bt}{a}}f\left(\frac{t}{a}\right)\right\} = F(sa + b)$. Now we look at the conditions which makes the above integral converges. Let

$$|f(\tau)e^{-\tau(sa+b)}| \leq k|e^{at}e^{-t(sa+b)}|$$

Where k is some constant. Then

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^{\infty}f(t)e^{-t(sa+b)}dt &\leq k\int_0^{\infty}e^{at}e^{-t(sa+b)}dt \\ &= k\int_0^{\infty}e^{-t(sa+b-a)}dt\end{aligned}$$

But $\int_0^{\infty}e^{-t(sa+b-a)}dt$ converges if $sa + b - a > 0$ or $sa > a - b$ or $s > 1 - \frac{b}{a}$

1.13 Section 6.3 problem 26

Find inverse Laplace transform of $F(s) = \frac{2^{n+1}n!}{s^{n+1}}$

Solution

We know from tables that

$$\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}} \iff t^n$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned}2^{n+1}\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}} &\iff 2^{n+1}t^n \\ &= 2(2t)^n\end{aligned}$$

1.14 Section 6.3 problem 27

Find inverse Laplace transform of $F(s) = \frac{2s+1}{4s^2+4s+5}$

Solution

$$F(s) = \frac{2s}{4s^2 + 4s + 5} + \frac{1}{4s^2 + 4s + 5}$$

But $4s^2 + 4s + 5 = 4\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 4$, hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 F(s) &= \frac{2s}{4\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 4} + \frac{1}{4\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 4} \\
 &= \frac{s}{2\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 2} + \frac{1}{4\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{s}{\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 1} + \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{s + \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}}{\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 1} + \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{s + \frac{1}{2}}{\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 1} - \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 1} + \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 1} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{s + \frac{1}{2}}{\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 1}
 \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Now we ready to do the inversion. Using $e^{-at}f(t) \Leftrightarrow F(s+a)$ and using $\sin(at) \Leftrightarrow \frac{a}{s^2+a^2}$, and $\cos(at) \Leftrightarrow \frac{s}{s^2+a^2}$ then

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{s + \frac{1}{2}}{\left(s + \frac{1}{2}\right)^2 + 1} \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{2} e^{-\frac{1}{2}t} \cos(t)$$

Hence

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{2} e^{-\frac{1}{2}t} \cos(t)$$

1.15 Section 6.3 problem 28

Find inverse Laplace transform of $F(s) = \frac{1}{9s^2 - 12s + 3}$

Solution

$$\frac{1}{9s^2 - 12s + 3} = \frac{1}{9} \frac{1}{s^2 - \frac{4}{3}s + \frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1}{9} \frac{1}{(s-1)\left(s - \frac{1}{3}\right)}$$

But

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

$$A = \left(\frac{1}{\left(s-\frac{1}{3}\right)} \right)_{s=1} = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$B = \left(\frac{1}{(s-1)} \right)_{s=\frac{1}{3}} = -\frac{3}{2}$$

Hence

$$\frac{1}{9s^2 - 12s + 3} = \frac{1}{9} \left(\frac{3}{2} \frac{1}{s-1} - \frac{3}{2} \frac{1}{s-\frac{1}{3}} \right) \quad (1)$$

Using

$$e^{at} \iff \frac{1}{s-a}$$

Then (1) becomes

$$\frac{1}{9s^2 - 12s + 3} \iff \frac{1}{9} \left(\frac{3}{2} e^t - \frac{3}{2} e^{\frac{1}{3}t} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} e^t - \frac{1}{6} e^{\frac{1}{3}t}$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \left(e^t - e^{\frac{1}{3}t} \right)$$

1.16 Section 6.3 problem 29

Find inverse Laplace transform of $F(s) = \frac{e^2 e^{-4s}}{2s-1}$

solution

$$F(s) = \frac{e^2}{2} \frac{e^{-4s}}{s-\frac{1}{2}}$$

Using

$$u_c(t) f(t-c) \iff e^{-cs} F(s) \quad (1)$$

Since

$$\frac{1}{s-\frac{1}{2}} \iff e^{\frac{1}{2}t}$$

Then using (1)

$$e^{-4s} \frac{1}{s-\frac{1}{2}} \iff u_4(t) e^{\frac{1}{2}(t-4)}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{e^2 e^{-4s}}{2 s - \frac{1}{2}} &\iff \frac{e^2}{2} u_4(t) e^{\frac{1}{2}(t-4)} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} u_4(t) e^{\frac{1}{2}(t-4)+2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} u_4(t) e^{\frac{1}{2}t-2+2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} u_4(t) e^{\frac{t}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{2} u_4(t) e^{\frac{t}{2}}$$

ps. Book answer is wrong. It gives

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{2} u_4\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) e^{\frac{t}{2}}$$

1.17 Section 6.3 problem 30

Find Laplace transform of $f(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 \leq t < 1 \\ 0 & t \geq 1 \end{cases}$

solution

Writing $f(t)$ in terms of Heaviside step function gives

$$f(t) = u_0(t) - u_1(t)$$

Using

$$u_c(t) \iff e^{-cs} \frac{1}{s}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{u_0(t)\} &= e^{-0s} \frac{1}{s} = \frac{1}{s} \\ \mathcal{L}\{u_1(t)\} &= e^{-s} \frac{1}{s} \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{u_0(t) - u_1(t)\} &= \frac{1}{s} - e^{-s} \frac{1}{s} \\ &= \frac{1}{s} (1 - e^{-s}) \quad s > 0 \end{aligned}$$

1.18 Section 6.3 problem 31

Find Laplace transform of $f(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 \leq t < 1 \\ 0 & 1 \leq t < 2 \\ 1 & 2 \leq t < 3 \\ 0 & t \geq 3 \end{cases}$

solution

Writing $f(t)$ in terms of Heaviside step function gives

$$f(t) = u_0(t) - u_1(t) + u_2(t) - u_3(t)$$

Using

$$u_c(t) \iff e^{-cs} \frac{1}{s}$$

But $f(t) = 1$ in this case. Hence $F(s) = \frac{1}{s}$. Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} f(t) &\iff \frac{1}{s}e^{0s} - \frac{1}{s}e^{-s} + \frac{1}{s}e^{-2s} - \frac{1}{s}e^{-3s} \\ &= \frac{1}{s} \left(1 - e^{-s} + e^{-2s} - e^{-3s} \right) \quad s > 0 \end{aligned}$$

1.19 Section 6.3 problem 32

Find Laplace transform of $f(t) = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{2n+1} (-1)^k u_k(t)$

solution

Using

$$u_c(t) \iff e^{-cs} \frac{1}{s}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} \left\{ 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{2n+1} (-1)^k u_k(t) \right\} &= \mathcal{L}\{1\} + \mathcal{L} \left\{ \sum_{k=1}^{2n+1} (-1)^k u_k(t) \right\} \\ &= \frac{1}{s} + \sum_{k=1}^{2n+1} (-1)^k \frac{1}{s} e^{-ks} \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{2n+1} (-1)^k \frac{1}{s} e^{-ks} \\ &= \frac{1}{s} \sum_{k=0}^{2n+1} (-e^{-s})^k \end{aligned}$$

Since $|e^{-s}| < 1$ the sum converges. Using $\sum_0^N a_n = \frac{1-r^{N+1}}{1-r}$. Where $|r| < 1$. So the answer is

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} \left\{ 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{2n+1} (-1)^k u_k(t) \right\} &= \frac{1}{s} \left(\frac{1 - (-e^{-s})^{2n+2}}{1 - (-e^{-s})} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{s} \left(\frac{1 - (-e)^{-(2n+2)s}}{1 + e^{-s}} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Since $2n + 2$ is even then

$$\mathcal{L} \left\{ 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{2n+1} (-1)^k u_k(t) \right\} = \frac{1}{s} \left(\frac{1 + e^{-(2n+2)s}}{1 + e^{-s}} \right) \quad s > 0$$

1.20 Section 6.3 problem 33

Find Laplace transform of $f(t) = 1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k u_k(t)$

solution

Using

$$u_c(t) \iff e^{-cs} \frac{1}{s}$$

Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\left\{1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k u_k(t)\right\} &= \mathcal{L}\{1\} + \mathcal{L}\left\{\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k u_k(t)\right\} \\ &= \frac{1}{s} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{1}{s} e^{-ks} \\ &= \frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{s} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k e^{-ks} \\ &= \frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{s} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-e^{-s})^k \end{aligned}$$

But

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} r^k = \frac{r}{1-r} \quad |r| < 1$$

Since $s > 0$ then $|e^{-s}| < 1$. So the answer is

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{s} \frac{-e^{-s}}{1 - (-e^{-s})} &= \frac{1}{s} - \frac{1}{s} \frac{e^{-s}}{1 + e^{-s}} \\ &= \frac{1 + e^{-s} - e^{-s}}{s(1 + e^{-s})} \\ &= \frac{1}{s(1 + e^{-s})} \quad s > 0 \end{aligned}$$

1.21 Section 6.4 problem 21



21. Consider the initial value problem

$$y'' + y = g(t), \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 0,$$

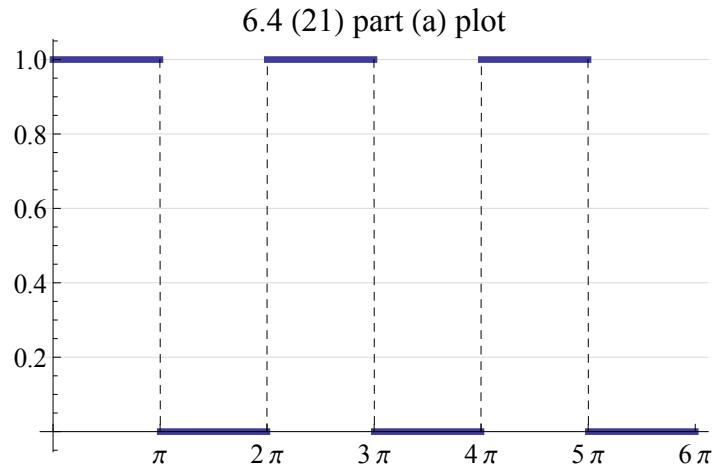
where

$$g(t) = u_0(t) + \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^k u_{k\pi}(t).$$

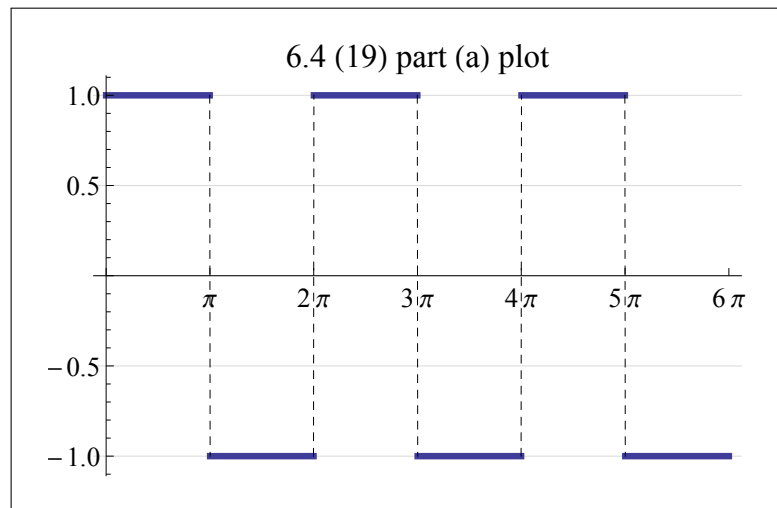
- Draw the graph of $g(t)$ on an interval such as $0 \leq t \leq 6\pi$. Compare the graph with that of $f(t)$ in Problem 19(a).
- Find the solution of the initial value problem.
- Let $n = 15$ and plot the graph of the solution for $0 \leq t \leq 60$. Describe the solution and explain why it behaves as it does. Compare it with the solution of Problem 19.
- Investigate how the solution changes as n increases. What happens as $n \rightarrow \infty$?

1.21.1 Part (a)

A plot of part (a) is the following



And a plot of part(a) for problem 19 is the following



We see the effect of having a 2 inside the sum. It extends the step $u_c(t)$ function to negative side.

1.21.2 Part (b)

The easy way to do this, is to solve for each input term separately, and then add all the solutions, since this is a linear ODE. Once we solve for the first 2-3 terms, we will see the pattern to use for the overall solution. Since the input $g(t)$ is $u_0(t) + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k u_{k\pi}(t)$, we will first first the response to $u_0(t)$, then for $-u_{\pi}(t)$ then for $+u_{2\pi}(t)$, and so on, and add them.

When the input is $u_0(t)$, then its Laplace transform is $\frac{1}{s}$, Hence, taking Laplace transform of the ODE gives (where now $Y(s) = \mathcal{L}(y(t))$)

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

Applying initial conditions

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

Solving for $Y_0(s)$ (called it $Y_0(s)$ since the input is $u_0(t)$)

$$\begin{aligned} Y_0(s) &= \frac{1}{s(s^2 + 1)} \\ &= \frac{1}{s} - \frac{s}{s^2 + 1} \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$y_0(t) = 1 - \cos t$$

We now do the next input, which is $-u_\pi(t)$, which has Laplace transform of $-\frac{e^{-\pi s}}{s}$, therefore, following what we did above, we obtain now

$$\begin{aligned} Y_\pi(s) &= \frac{-e^{-\pi s}}{s(s^2 + 1)} \\ &= -e^{-\pi s} \left(\frac{1}{s} - \frac{s}{s^2 + 1} \right) \end{aligned}$$

The effect of $e^{-\pi s}$ is to cause delay in time. Hence the the inverse Laplace transform of the above is the same as $y_0(t)$ but with delay

$$y_\pi(t) = -u_\pi(t) (1 - \cos(t - \pi))$$

Similarly, when the input is $+u_{2\pi}(t)$, which which has Laplace transform of $\frac{e^{-2\pi s}}{s}$, therefore, following what we did above, we obtain now

$$\begin{aligned} Y_\pi(s) &= \frac{e^{-2\pi s}}{s(s^2 + 1)} \\ &= e^{-2\pi s} \left(\frac{1}{s} - \frac{s}{s^2 + 1} \right) \end{aligned}$$

The effect of $e^{-2\pi s}$ is to cause delay in time. Hence the the inverse Laplace transform of the above is the same as $y_0(t)$ but with now with delay of 2π , therefore

$$y_{2\pi}(t) = +u_{2\pi}(t) (1 - \cos(t - 2\pi))$$

And so on. We see that if we add all the responses, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= y_0(t) + y_\pi(t) + y_{2\pi}(t) + \dots \\ &= (1 - \cos t) - u_\pi(t) (1 - \cos(t - \pi)) + u_{2\pi}(t) (1 - \cos(t - 2\pi)) - \dots \end{aligned}$$

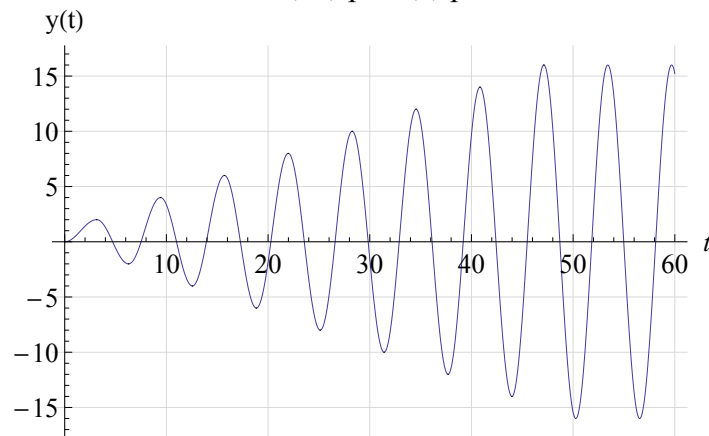
Or

$$y(t) = (1 - \cos t) + \sum_{k=1}^n (-1)^k u_{k\pi}(t) (1 - \cos(t - k\pi)) \quad (1)$$

1.21.3 Part (c)

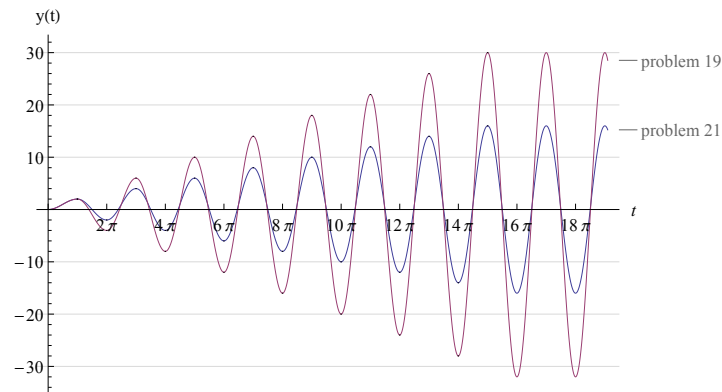
This is a plot of (1) for $n = 15$

6.4 (21) part (c) plot



We see the solution growing rapidly, they settling down after about $t = 50$ to sinusoidal wave at amplitude of about ± 15 . This shows the system reached steady state at around $t = 50$.

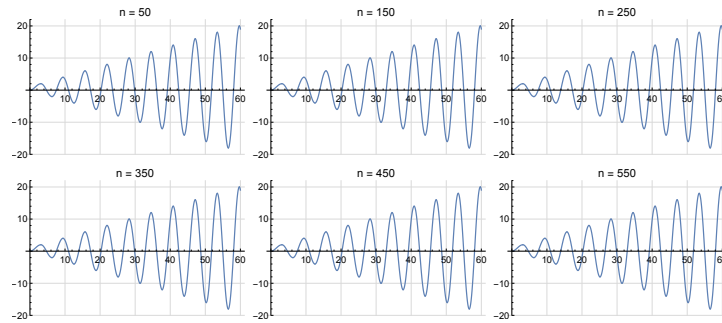
To compare it with problem 19 solution, I used the solution for 19 given in the book, and plotted both solution on top of each others. Also for up to $t = 60$. Here is the result



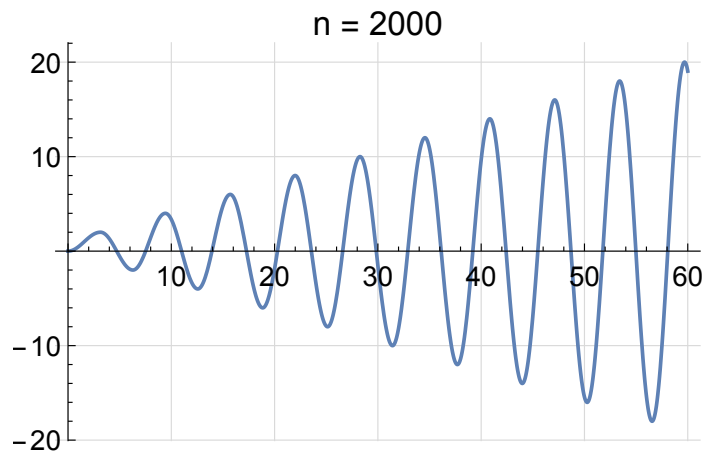
We see that problem 19 output follows the same pattern (since same frequency is used), but with double the amplitude. This is due to the 2 factor used in problem 19 compared to this problem.

1.21.4 Part(d)

At first, I tried it with $n = 50, 150, 250, 350, 450, 550$. I can not see any noticeable change in the plot. Here is the result.



Even at $n = 2000$ there was no change to be noticed.



This shows additional input in the form of shifted unit steps, do not change the steady state solution.