

APMA 0350 – MIDTERM 2 – SOLUTIONS

1. Homogeneous Solution

$$\begin{aligned}r^2 - 4r + 5 &= 0 \\(r - 2)^2 + 1 &= 0 \\(r - 2)^2 &= -1 \\r - 2 &= \pm i \\r &= 2 \pm i\end{aligned}$$

$$y_0 = Ae^{2t} \cos(t) + Be^{2t} \sin(t)$$

Particular Solution

(a) $(t^3 + 3t^2)e^{2t}$ corresponds to $r = 2$ so no resonance

$$y_p = (At^3 + Bt^2 + Ct + D)e^{2t}$$

(b) $(2t + 3)\cos(t)$ corresponds to $r = \pm i$ so no resonance

$$y_p = (At + B)\cos(t) + (Ct + D)\sin(t)$$

(c) $te^{2t}\sin(t)$ corresponds to $r = 2 \pm i$ so resonance

$$y_p = \textcolor{blue}{t}(At + B)e^{2t} \cos(t) + \textcolor{blue}{t}(Ct + D)e^{2t} \sin(t)$$

2. STEP 1: Standard Form

$$y'' - 6y' + 9y = \frac{e^{3t}}{t^2}$$

STEP 2: Homogeneous Solution

$$\text{Aux } r^2 - 6r + 9 = 0 \Rightarrow (r - 3)^2 = 0 \Rightarrow r = 3$$

$$y_0 = Ae^{3t} + Bte^{3t}$$

STEP 2: Var of Par

$$y_p(t) = u(t)e^{3t} + v(t)te^{3t}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} e^{3t} & te^{3t} \\ 3e^{3t} & (1+3t)e^{3t} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u'(t) \\ v'(t) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{e^{3t}}{t^2} \end{bmatrix}$$

Note: Here we used $(te^{3t})' = e^{3t} + t(3e^{3t}) = (1+3t)e^{3t}$

Denominator:

$$\begin{vmatrix} e^{3t} & te^{3t} \\ 3e^{3t} & (1+3t)e^{3t} \end{vmatrix} = e^{3t}(3t+1)e^{3t} - te^{3t}(3e^{3t}) = (3t+1)e^{6t} - 3te^{6t} = e^{6t}$$

Using Cramer's rule, we get

$$u'(t) = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} 0 & te^{3t} \\ \frac{e^{3t}}{t^2} & (1+3t)e^{3t} \end{vmatrix}}{e^{6t}} = \frac{0 - (te^{3t})\left(\frac{e^{3t}}{t^2}\right)}{e^{6t}} = -\frac{1}{t}$$

$$v'(t) = \frac{\begin{vmatrix} e^{3t} & 0 \\ 3e^{3t} & \frac{e^{3t}}{t^2} \end{vmatrix}}{e^{6t}} = \frac{(e^{3t})\left(\frac{e^{3t}}{t^2}\right) - 0}{e^{6t}} = \frac{1}{t^2}$$

$$u(t) = \int -\frac{1}{t} dt = -\ln(t)$$

$$v(t) = \int \frac{1}{t^2} dt = -\frac{1}{t}$$

$$y_p(t) = -\ln(t)e^{3t} + \left(-\frac{1}{t}\right)te^{3t} = -\ln(t)e^{3t} - e^{3t}$$

3. STEP 1: Laplace Transforms

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{L}\{y''\} - 7\mathcal{L}\{y'\} + 10\mathcal{L}\{y\} &= 6\mathcal{L}\{\delta(t-5)\} \\
 (s^2\mathcal{L}\{y\} - sy(0) - y'(0)) - 7(s\mathcal{L}\{y\} - y(0)) + 10\mathcal{L}\{y\} &= 6e^{-5s} \\
 s^2\mathcal{L}\{y\} - 3s - 7s\mathcal{L}\{y\} + 21 + 10\mathcal{L}\{y\} &= 6e^{-5s} \\
 (s^2 - 7s + 10)\mathcal{L}\{y\} - 3s + 21 &= 6e^{-5s} \\
 (s^2 - 7s + 10)\mathcal{L}\{y\} &= 3s - 21 + 6e^{-5s} \\
 \mathcal{L}\{y\} &= \frac{3s - 21}{(s-2)(s-5)} + \frac{6}{(s-2)(s-5)}e^{-5s}
 \end{aligned}$$

STEP 2: Partial Fractions

$$\frac{3s - 21}{(s-2)(s-5)} = \frac{A}{s-2} + \frac{B}{s-5} = \frac{A(s-5) + B(s-2)}{(s-2)(s-5)} = \frac{(A+B)s + (-5A-2B)}{(s-2)(s-5)}$$

$$\begin{cases} A+B=3 \\ -5A-2B=-21 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} B=3-A \\ -5A-2(3-A)=-21 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} B=3-A \\ -3A-6=-21 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} B=3-A \\ A=\frac{-15}{-3}=5 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} A=5 \\ B=3-5=-2 \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{3s - 21}{(s-2)(s-5)} = \frac{5}{s-2} - \frac{2}{s-5}$$

$$\frac{6}{(s-2)(s-5)} = \frac{A}{s-2} + \frac{B}{s-5} = \frac{A(s-5) + B(s-2)}{(s-2)(s-5)} = \frac{(A+B)s + (-5A-2B)}{(s-2)(s-5)}$$

$$\begin{cases} A+B=0 \\ -5A-2B=6 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} B=-A \\ -5A+2A=6 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} B=-A \\ -3A=6 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} A=-2 \\ B=2 \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{6}{(s-2)(s-5)} = -\frac{2}{s-2} + \frac{2}{s-5}$$

STEP 3:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{y\} &= \frac{5}{s-2} - \frac{2}{s-5} \left(-\frac{2}{s-2} + \frac{2}{s-5} \right) e^{-5s} \\ &= \mathcal{L}\{5e^{2t} - 2e^{5t}\} + \mathcal{L}\{-2e^{2t} + 2e^{5t}\} e^{-5s} \\ &= \mathcal{L}\left\{5e^{2t} - 2e^{5t} + \left(-2e^{2(t-5)} + 2e^{5(t-5)}\right) u_5(t)\right\}\end{aligned}$$

Answer:

$$y = 5e^{2t} - 2e^{5t} + \left(-2e^{2(t-5)} + 2e^{5(t-5)}\right) u_5(t)$$

4. The equation is of the form

$$\phi - (t \star \phi) = 1 + t$$

Take Laplace transforms

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

$$\phi = e^t$$