

# METU - NCC

Differential Equations Midterm II							
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Time : <i>13:40</i>				7 QUESTIONS ON 5 PAGES			
Duration : <i>120 minutes</i>				TOTAL 100 POINTS			
1	(16)	2	(16)	3	(10)	4	(12)
5	(21)	6	(10)	7	(15)		

1. ( $4 \times 4$  pts) Choose one corresponding differential equation from the list below for each of the following mechanical systems. Write your answers in the boxes provided.

• Mechanical Spring Systems:

(i) undamped, free, natural frequency = 4 E

(ii) overdamped, free G

(iii) undamped, forced, with resonance, natural frequency = 3 C

(iv) damped (not overdamped), forced, no resonance F

• Differential Equations List:

(A)  $y'' - 16y = \cos(4t)$

(B)  $y'' + y' + 2y = 0$

(C)  $y'' + 9y = \sin(3t)$

(D)  $y'' + 2y' + 3y = 0$

(E)  $2y'' + 32y = 0$

(F)  $y'' + y' + y = \sin(4t)$

(G)  $y'' + 3y' + 2y = 0$

(H)  $y'' + 2y' + y = \cos(3t)$

2. (8+8pts) The 8th order homogeneous, linear, constant coefficient differential equation

$$y^{(8)} - y^{(7)} - 5y^{(6)} + 11y^{(5)} - 22y''' + 24y'' - 8y' = 0$$

has characteristic equation

$$(r^2 - 2r + 2)(r - 1)^3(r + 2)^2r = 0$$

(i) Write the **general solution** to the homogeneous differential equation

$$y^{(8)} - y^{(7)} - 5y^{(6)} + 11y^{(5)} - 22y''' + 24y'' - 8y' = 0$$

The roots of the characteristic equation are  $0$ ,  $1$ <sup>③</sup>,  $-2$ <sup>②</sup>,  $1 \pm i$

So, the general solution is

$$y(t) = c_1 + c_2 e^x + c_3 x \cdot e^x + c_4 x^2 e^x + c_5 e^{-2x} + c_6 x \cdot e^{-2x} + c_7 e^x \cdot \cos x + c_8 e^x \sin x$$

(ii) Write the **FORM** of the **particular solution**  $Y_P$  used in the method of undetermined solutions to solve the non-homogeneous differential equation

$$y^{(8)} - y^{(7)} - 5y^{(6)} + 11y^{(5)} - 22y''' + 24y'' - 8y' = f(x)$$

where

$$f(x) = e^x(x \sin(x) + \cos(2x) + x) + x e^{-2x} + 1$$

(Do not plug into the differential equation to solve for the coefficients.)

$$f(x) = x \cdot e^x \sin x + e^x \cos(2x) + x \cdot e^x + x \cdot e^{-2x} + 1$$

$$Y_P(x) = x[(Ax+B)e^x \sin x + (Cx+D)e^x \cos x] + E e^x \cos(2x) + F e^x \sin(2x) + x^3(Gx+H)e^x + x^2(Kx+L)e^{-2x} + x \cdot M$$

3. (5+5pts) Compute the following Laplace transforms:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} \quad \mathcal{L}\{e^{2t} \cos(t) + t u_1\} &= \mathcal{L}\{e^{2t} \cdot \cos t\} + \mathcal{L}\{u_1 \cdot ((t-1)+1)\} \\ &= \frac{(s-2)}{(s-2)^2 + 1^2} + e^{-s} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{s^2} + \frac{1}{s}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(ii)} \quad \mathcal{L}\{e^{2t+1} \sin(3(t-4)) u_4\} &= \mathcal{L}\{e^{2(t-4)+9} \sin(3(t-4)) u_4\} \\ &= e^9 \mathcal{L}\{e^{2(t-4)} \sin(3(t-4)) u_4\} \\ &= e^9 \cdot e^{-4s} \cdot \frac{3}{(s-2)^2 + 3^2} \end{aligned}$$

4. (6+6pts) Compute the following inverse Laplace transforms (without using convolutions):

$$\text{(i)} \quad \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2s^3 - 2s + 1}{s^2(s^2 - 1)}\right\} =$$

$$\frac{a}{s} + \frac{b}{s^2} + \frac{c}{s-1} + \frac{d}{s+1} = \frac{2s^3 - 2s + 1}{s^2(s^2 - 1)}$$

$$s(s^2 - 1) \quad (s^2 - 1) \quad s^2(s+1) \quad s^2(s-1)$$

$$as^3 - as + bs^2 - b + cs^3 + cs^2 + ds^3 - ds^2 = 2s^3 - 2s + 1 \Rightarrow$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} a+c+d &= 2 \\ b+c-d &= 0 \\ -a &= -2 \\ -b &= 1 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} a &= 2 \\ b &= -1 \\ c &= \frac{1}{2} \\ d &= -\frac{1}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{2 \cdot \frac{1}{s} - 1 \cdot \frac{1}{s^2} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{s-1} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{s+1}\right\} = 2 - t + \frac{1}{2} e^t - \frac{1}{2} e^{-t}$$

$$\text{(ii)} \quad \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{e^{-3s+1} \frac{-2s}{s^2 + 2s + 5}\right\} = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{e \cdot e^{-3s} \cdot \frac{2s}{s^2 + 2s + 1 + 4}\right\}$$

$$= -2e \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{e^{-3s} \cdot \frac{s}{(s+1)^2 + 2^2}\right\}$$

$$= -2e \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{e^{-3s} \cdot \frac{s+1-1}{(s+1)^2 + 2^2}\right\}$$

$$= -2e \cdot \left[ \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{e^{-3s} \cdot \frac{s+1}{(s+1)^2 + 2^2}\right\} - \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{e^{-3s} \cdot \frac{2}{(s+1)^2 + 2^2}\right\} \right]$$

$$= -2e \left( u_3(t) \cdot e^{-(t-3)} \cdot \cos(2(t-3)) - \frac{1}{2} \cdot u_3(t) \cdot e^{-(t-3)} \cdot \sin(2(t-3)) \right)$$

5. (21pts) Solve the following initial value problem (without using convolutions):

$$y'' + y = \delta(t-4) + f(t), \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = 2 \quad \text{where} \quad f(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 \leq t < 1 \\ 2-t, & 1 \leq t < 2 \\ 0, & 2 \leq t \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Here, } f(t) &= 1 + u_1(t) \cdot (1-t) + u_2(t) \cdot (t-2) \\ &= 1 - u_1(t)(t-1) + u_2(t)(t-2) \end{aligned}$$

Let's apply Laplace transform to the differential equation

$$\begin{aligned} s^2 Y(s) - s \cdot y(0) - y'(0) + Y(s) &= e^{-4s} + \frac{1}{s} - e^{-s} \cdot \frac{1}{s^2} + e^{-2s} \cdot \frac{1}{s^2} \\ (s^2 + 1)Y(s) - s - 2 &= e^{-4s} + \frac{1}{s} - e^{-s} \cdot \frac{1}{s^2} + e^{-2s} \cdot \frac{1}{s^2} \\ Y(s) &= \frac{e^{-4s}}{s^2 + 1} + \frac{1}{s(s^2 + 1)} - \frac{e^{-s}}{s^2(s^2 + 1)} + \frac{e^{-2s}}{s^2(s^2 + 1)} + \frac{s+2}{s^2 + 1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{s \cdot (s^2 + 1)} = \frac{1}{s} - \frac{s}{s^2 + 1} \quad \text{and} \quad \frac{1}{s^2(s^2 + 1)} = \frac{1}{s^2} - \frac{1}{s^2 + 1}$$

Hence,

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

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{Y(s)\} = y(t) &= u_4(t) \cdot \sin(t-4) + 1 - \cancel{\cos(t)} - u_1(t) \cdot ((t-1) - \sin(t-1)) \\ &\quad + u_2(t) \cdot ((t-2) - \sin(t-2)) + \cancel{\cos(t)} + 2 \cdot \sin(t) \\ &= 1 + 2 \sin(t) - u_1(t) \cdot ((t-1) - \sin(t-1)) \\ &\quad + u_2(t) \cdot ((t-2) - \sin(t-2)) \\ &\quad + u_4(t) \sin(t-4) \end{aligned}$$

6. (5+5pts) Compute the following convolutions using the indicated method.

(i)  $t * e^{2t}$  (use the definition of convolution)

$$\begin{aligned}
 t * e^{2t} &= \int_0^t e^{2(t-z)} \cdot z \, dz = e^{2t} \int_0^t e^{-2z} \cdot z \, dz = e^{2t} \left( -\frac{z e^{-2z}}{2} \Big|_0^t + \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t e^{-2z} \, dz \right) \\
 &= e^{2t} \left( -\frac{z e^{-2z}}{2} \Big|_0^t - \frac{1}{4} e^{-2z} \Big|_0^t \right) \\
 &= e^{2t} \left( \left( -t \cdot \frac{e^{-2t}}{2} - 0 \right) + \left( -\frac{1}{4} e^{-2t} + \frac{1}{4} \right) \right) = -\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2}t + \frac{1}{4} e^{2t}
 \end{aligned}$$

$u = z \quad du = dz$   
 $dv = e^{-2z} \, dz \quad v = -\frac{e^{-2z}}{2}$

(ii)  $u_2 * \delta(t-3)$  (use the convolution theorem)

By convolution theorem,  $\mathcal{L}\{u_2 * \delta(t-3)\} = \frac{e^{-2s}}{s} \cdot e^{-3s} = e^{-5s} \cdot \frac{1}{s}$

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{e^{-5s} \cdot \frac{1}{s}\right\} = u_2 * \delta(t-3) = u_5$$

7. (15pts) Find a function  $g(t) \neq 0$  with the property that  $\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{d}{dt}(g * f)\right\} = \mathcal{L}\{f\}$  for all functions  $f(t)$ .

(To receive credit, you must show that your function has this property.)

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{d}{dt}(g * f)\right\} = s \cdot \mathcal{L}\{g * f\} - (g * f)(0) \stackrel{\text{Convolution Thm}}{=} s \cdot G(s) \cdot F(s) - (g * f)(0)$$

By definition,  $(g * f)(t) = \int_0^t g(t-z) f(z) \, dz$ , so  $(g * f)(0) = 0$

We get,  $s \cdot G(s) \cdot F(s) = F(s)$

$$s \cdot G(s) \cdot F(s) - F(s) = 0$$

$$F(s) (s \cdot G(s) - 1) = 0 \quad \text{for all } f(t) \text{ i.e. for all } F(s)$$

Then  $G(s) = \frac{1}{s}$

Hence,  $g(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s}\right\} = 1$

