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1 chapter 15, problem 2.11

Problem Find the inverse transform of the function $F(p) = \frac{3p+2}{3p^2+5p-2}$

Solution

Need to simplify the above expression to some expressions which are shown in the table on page 636.

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

Expanding in partial fractions. For the first term in (1):

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{(3p-1)(p+2)} &= \frac{A}{(3p-1)} + \frac{B}{(p+2)} = \frac{A(p+2) + B(3p-1)}{(3p-1)(p+2)} \\ A(p+2) + B(3p-1) &= 1 \\ Ap + 2A + 3Bp - B &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Hence $2A - B = 1$ and $(A + 3B) = 0$ which gives $A = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{B}{2}$. Therefore $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{B}{2} + 3B = 0$ or $\frac{1+B+6B}{2} = 0$ or $1 + 7B = 0$ or $B = \frac{-1}{7}$. Hence $A = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{-1}{2 \cdot 7} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{14} = \frac{7-1}{14} = \frac{6}{14}$.

Now the first term in (1) can be written as $2\left(\frac{A}{(3p-1)} + \frac{B}{(p+2)}\right)$ or $2\left(\frac{\frac{6}{14}}{(3p-1)} + \frac{\frac{-1}{7}}{(p+2)}\right)$ or

$$\frac{6}{7(3p-1)} - \frac{2}{7(p+2)} \quad (2)$$

Doing partial fraction on the second term in (1) which is $\frac{3p}{(3p-1)(p+2)}$ gives

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{p}{(3p-1)(p+2)} &= \frac{A}{(3p-1)} + \frac{B}{(p+2)} = \frac{A(p+2) + B(3p-1)}{(3p-1)(p+2)} \\ A(p+2) + B(3p-1) &= p \\ Ap + 2A + 3Bp - B &= p \end{aligned}$$

Hence $2A - B = 0$ and $(A + 3B) = 1$, therefore $A = \frac{B}{2}$. Hence $\left(\frac{B}{2} + 3B\right) = 1$ or $\frac{B+6B}{2} = 1$ or $7B = 2$ or $B = \frac{2}{7}$. Therefore $A = \frac{B}{2} = \frac{2}{14}$. Hence $\frac{3p}{(3p-1)(p+2)} = 3\left(\frac{A}{(3p-1)} + \frac{B}{(p+2)}\right) = 3\left(\frac{\frac{2}{14}}{(3p-1)} + \frac{\frac{2}{7}}{(p+2)}\right)$ or

$$\frac{3}{7(3p-1)} + \frac{6}{7(p+2)} \quad (3)$$

Combining (2) and (3) gives

$$\begin{aligned} F(p) &= \frac{6}{7(3p-1)} - \frac{2}{7(p+2)} + \frac{3}{7(3p-1)} + \frac{6}{7(p+2)} \\ &= \frac{6}{7} \frac{1}{(3p-1)} - \frac{2}{7} \frac{1}{(p+2)} + \frac{2}{7} \frac{1}{(3p-1)} + \frac{6}{7} \frac{1}{(p+2)} \\ &= \frac{4}{7} \frac{1}{(p+2)} + \frac{9}{7} \frac{1}{(3p-1)} \\ &= \frac{4}{7} \frac{1}{(p+2)} + \frac{9}{21} \frac{1}{\left(p - \frac{1}{3}\right)} \end{aligned}$$

Now we can use the table to find the inverse transform. Use property L2, which says

$$\mathcal{L}(e^{-at}) = \frac{1}{p+a}$$

Hence, setting $a = 2$, gives $\mathcal{L}(e^{-2t}) = \frac{1}{p+2}$ and setting $a = -\frac{1}{3}$ gives $\mathcal{L}\left(e^{-\frac{1}{3}t}\right)^{\frac{1}{3}t} = \frac{1}{p-\frac{1}{3}}$. Hence

$f(t) = \frac{4}{7}e^{-2t} + \frac{9}{21}e^{\frac{1}{3}t}$ and the inverse Laplace transform is

$$f(t) = \frac{4}{7}e^{-2t} + \frac{3}{7}e^{\frac{1}{3}t}$$

2 chapter 15, problem 2.17

Problem Use L32 and L11 to obtain $\mathcal{L}(t^2 \sin at)$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}(t^n f(t)) = (-1)^n \frac{d^n F(p)}{dp^n} \quad (L32)$$

$$\mathcal{L}(t \sin at) = \frac{2ap}{(p^2 + a^2)^2} \quad (L11)$$

we set $f(t) = t \sin at$ then we can write using L32

$$\mathcal{L}(t f(t)) = (-1) \frac{d\mathcal{L}(f(t))}{dp} \quad (1)$$

But $\mathcal{L}(f(t)) = \mathcal{L}(t \sin at) = \frac{2ap}{(p^2+a^2)^2}$ from table L11 (1) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(t f(t)) &= -\frac{d}{dp} \left(\frac{2ap}{(p^2+a^2)^2} \right) \\ \mathcal{L}(t \times t \sin at) &= -\left(p \frac{-2 \times 2a}{(p^2+a^2)^3} \times 2p + \frac{2a}{(p^2+a^2)^2} \times 1 \right) \\ \mathcal{L}(t^2 \sin at) &= \frac{8ap^2}{(p^2+a^2)^3} - \frac{2a}{(p^2+a^2)^2} \\ &= \frac{8ap^2 - 2a(p^2+a^2)}{(p^2+a^2)^3} \\ &= \frac{a(8p^2 - 2p^2 - 2a^2)}{(p^2+a^2)^3} \\ &= \frac{a(6p^2 - 2a^2)}{(p^2+a^2)^3} \end{aligned}$$

Or

$$\mathcal{L}(t^2 \sin at) = \frac{6ap^2 - 2a^3}{(p^2+a^2)^3}$$

3 chapter 15, problem 2.18

Problem Use L31 to derive L21

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}\left(\frac{f(t)}{t}\right) = \int_{u=p}^{\infty} F(u) du \quad (L31)$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left(\frac{e^{-at} - e^{-bt}}{t}\right) = \ln \frac{p+b}{p+a} \quad (L21)$$

we set $f(t) = e^{-at} - e^{-bt}$ then we can write using L31

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\left(\frac{f(t)}{t}\right) &= \int_{u=p}^{\infty} F(u)du \\ &= \int_{u=p}^{\infty} \mathcal{L}[f(t)] du\end{aligned}$$

but $\mathcal{L}[f(t)] = \mathcal{L}(e^{-at} - e^{-bt}) = \mathcal{L}(e^{-at}) - \mathcal{L}(e^{-bt}) = \frac{1}{p+a} - \frac{1}{p+b}$ By using L2. But since we are using u in place of p in integral, we need to call $p = u$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\left(\frac{f(t)}{t}\right) &= \int_{u=p}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{u+a} - \frac{1}{u+b}\right) du \\ &= \int_{u=p}^{\infty} \frac{1}{u+a} du - \int_{u=p}^{\infty} \frac{1}{u+b} du \\ &= [\ln(u+a)]_p^{\infty} - [\ln(u+b)]_p^{\infty} \\ &= [\ln(\infty+a) - \ln(p+a)] - [\ln(\infty+b) - \ln(p+b)] \\ &= \ln(\infty) - \ln(p+a) - \ln(\infty) + \ln(p+b) \\ &= \ln(p+b) - \ln(p+a)\end{aligned}$$

but $\ln A - \ln B = \ln \frac{A}{B}$, therefore

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\left(\frac{f(t)}{t}\right) &= \ln(p+b) - \ln(p+a) \\ \mathcal{L}\left(\frac{e^{-at} - e^{-bt}}{t}\right) &= \ln\left(\frac{p+b}{p+a}\right)\end{aligned}$$

4 chapter 15, problem 2.2

Problem Use relation L2 to find L7 and L8 in laplace table.

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}(e^{-at}) = \frac{1}{p+a} \tag{L2}$$

for $\Re(p+a) > 0$

$$\mathcal{L}\frac{e^{-at} - e^{-bt}}{b-a} = \frac{1}{(p+a)(p+b)} \tag{L7}$$

$$\mathcal{L} \frac{ae^{-at} - be^{-bt}}{a-b} = \frac{p}{(p+a)(p+b)} \quad (\text{L8})$$

For $\Re(p+a) > 0$ and $\Re(p+b) > 0$. Where $\mathcal{L}f(t)$ is the laplace transform of $f(t)$ defined as $\mathcal{L}f(t) = F(p) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-pt} f(t) dt$.

From the linearity property of the \mathcal{L} operator, expand the LHS of L7, we get

$$\mathcal{L} \frac{e^{-at} - e^{-bt}}{b-a} = \frac{1}{b-a} \mathcal{L}(e^{-at} - e^{-bt}) = \frac{1}{b-a} (\mathcal{L}(e^{-at}) - \mathcal{L}(e^{-bt}))$$

Now applying L2 gives for $\Re(p+a) > 0$ and $\Re(p+b) > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} \frac{e^{-at} - e^{-bt}}{b-a} &= \frac{1}{b-a} \left(\frac{1}{p+a} - \frac{1}{p+b} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{b-a} \left(\frac{p+b - (p+a)}{(p+a)(p+b)} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{b-a} \left(\frac{b-a}{(p+a)(p+b)} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{(p+a)(p+b)} \end{aligned}$$

For Which is L7 as required to show. Similarly for L8, expand the LHS of L8 we get for $\Re(p+a) > 0$ and $\Re(p+b) > 0$

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{L}\frac{ae^{-at} - be^{-bt}}{a-b} &= \frac{1}{a-b} \mathcal{L}(ae^{-at} - be^{-bt}) \\
&= \frac{1}{a-b} (\mathcal{L}(e^{-at}) - \mathcal{L}(e^{-bt})) \\
&= \frac{1}{a-b} (a\mathcal{L}(e^{-at}) - b\mathcal{L}(e^{-bt})) \\
&= \frac{1}{a-b} \left(a\frac{1}{p+a} - b\frac{1}{p+b} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{a-b} \left(\frac{a(p+b) - b(p+a)}{(p+a)(p+b)} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{a-b} \left(\frac{ap + ab - bp - ba}{(p+a)(p+b)} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{a-b} \left(\frac{ap - bp}{(p+a)(p+b)} \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{a-b} \left(\frac{p(a-b)}{(p+a)(p+b)} \right) \\
&= \frac{p}{(p+a)(p+b)}
\end{aligned}$$

Which is L8.

5 chapter 15, problem 2.21

Problem Use L29 and L11 to obtain $\mathcal{L}(te^{-at} \sin bt)$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}(e^{-at} f(t)) = F(p+a) \tag{L29}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(t \sin at) = \frac{2ap}{(p^2 + a^2)^2} \tag{L11}$$

Then from L11 we get

$$\mathcal{L}(t \sin bt) = \frac{2bp}{(p^2 + b^2)^2}$$

Now, let $p = (p+a)$ then from L29, the above becomes

$$\mathcal{L}(e^{-at} t \sin bt) = \frac{2b(p+a)}{\left((p+a)^2 + b^2\right)^2}$$

6 chapter 15, problem 2.22

Problem similar to problem 2.21, Use L29 and L12 to obtain $\mathcal{L}(te^{-at} \cos bt)$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}(e^{-at} f(t)) = F(p+a) \tag{L29}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(t \cos at) = \frac{p^2 - a^2}{(p^2 + a^2)^2} \tag{L12}$$

then from L12 we get

$$\mathcal{L}(t \cos bt) = \frac{p^2 - b^2}{(p^2 + b^2)^2}$$

Now, let $p = (p+a)$ then from L29, the above becomes

$$\mathcal{L}(e^{-at} t \cos bt) = \frac{(p+a)^2 - b^2}{\left((p+a)^2 + b^2\right)^2}$$

7 chapter 15, problem 2.23

Problem use result obtained in problem 2.21 and 2.22 to find inverse transform for $\frac{p^2+2p-1}{(p^2+4p+5)^2}$

Solution

Recall, from 2.21 we showed that $\mathcal{L}(te^{-at} \sin bt) = \frac{2b(p+a)}{\left((p+a)^2 + b^2\right)^2}$ and from 2.22 $\mathcal{L}(te^{-at} \cos bt) =$

$\frac{(p+a)^2 - b^2}{((p+a)^2 + b^2)^2}$ Hence

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}(te^{-at} \cos bt) - \mathcal{L}(te^{-at} \sin bt) &= \frac{(p+a)^2 - b^2}{((p+a)^2 + b^2)^2} - \frac{2b(p+a)}{((p+a)^2 + b^2)^2} \\ &= \frac{(p+a)^2 + b^2 - 2b(p+a)}{((p+a)^2 + b^2)^2}\end{aligned}$$

Now Let $a = 2$ and let $b = 1$ we get

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}(te^{-2t} \cos t) - \mathcal{L}(te^{-2t} \sin t) &= \frac{(p+2)^2 - 1^2 - 2(p+2)}{((p+2)^2 + 1^2)^2} \\ \mathcal{L}(te^{-2t} \cos t - te^{-2t} \sin t) &= \frac{p^2 + 4 + 4p - 1 - 2p - 4}{((p+2)^2 + 1^2)^2} \\ &= \frac{p^2 + 2p - 1}{(p^2 + 4p + 5)^2}\end{aligned}$$

Hence inverse transform of $\frac{p^2+2p-1}{(p^2+2p+5)^2}$ is $te^{-2t} \cos t - te^{-2t} \sin t$ or $te^{-2t} (\cos t - \sin t)$

8 chapter 15, problem 2.3

Problem Using either relation L2 or L3 and L4, verify L9 and L10 in laplace table.

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}(e^{-at}) = \frac{1}{p+a} \quad \text{Re}(p+a) > 0 \quad (\text{L2})$$

$$\mathcal{L} \sin at = \frac{a}{p^2 + a^2} \quad \text{Re}(p) > |\text{Im } a| \quad (\text{L3})$$

$$\mathcal{L} \cos at = \frac{p}{p^2 + a^2} \quad \text{Re}(p) > |\text{Im } a| \quad (\text{L4})$$

$$\mathcal{L} \sinh at = \frac{a}{p^2 - a^2} \quad \text{Re}(p) > |\text{Re}(a)| \quad (\text{L9})$$

$$\mathcal{L} \cosh at = \frac{p}{p^2 - a^2} \quad \text{Re}(p) > |\text{Re}(a)| \quad (\text{L10})$$

Where $\mathcal{L}(f(t))$ is the laplace transform of $f(t)$ defined as $\mathcal{L}(f(t)) = Y(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-pt} f(t) dt$. To derive L9, use the relation that

$$i \sinh(x) = \sin(ix)$$

Hence, using L3, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(i \sinh at) &= \mathcal{L}(\sin iat) \\ i \mathcal{L}(\sinh at) &= \frac{ia}{p^2 + (ia)^2} \quad \text{Re}(p) > |\text{Im } a| \\ \mathcal{L}(\sinh at) &= \frac{a}{p^2 - a^2} \quad \text{Re}(p) > |\text{Re}(a)| \end{aligned}$$

which is L9. To find L10, use the relation

$$\cosh(x) = \cos(ix)$$

And using L4, we get

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(\cosh(at)) &= \mathcal{L}(\cos(iat)) \\ \mathcal{L}(\cosh at) &= \frac{p}{p^2 + (ia)^2} \quad \text{Re}(p) > |\text{Im } a| \\ \mathcal{L}(\sinh at) &= \frac{p}{p^2 - a^2} \quad \text{Re}(p) > |\text{Re}(a)| \end{aligned}$$

Which is L10.

9 chapter 15, problem 2.4

Problem by differentiating the appropriate formulas w.r.t. 'a', verify L12

Solution

L12 is

$$\mathcal{L}(t \cos t) = \frac{p^2 - a^2}{(p^2 + a^2)^2} \quad \text{Re}(p) > |\text{Im } a| \quad (\text{L12})$$

Where $\mathcal{L}(f(t))$ is the laplace transform of $f(t)$ defined as $\mathcal{L}(f(t)) = F(p) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-pt} f(t) dt$. To derive this, I start with L3, which says

$$\mathcal{L}(\sin at) = \frac{a}{p^2 + a^2} \quad \text{Re}(p) > |\text{Im } a|$$

The above can be rewritten in the full definition of the transform to make it easier to see

$$\int_0^{\infty} e^{-pt} \sin at \, dt = \frac{a}{p^2 + a^2}$$

Taking derivative of both sides w.r.t. a gives

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{da} \left[\int_0^{\infty} e^{-pt} \sin at \, dt \right] &= \frac{d}{da} \left[\frac{a}{p^2 + a^2} \right] \\ \int_0^{\infty} \frac{d}{da} [e^{-pt} \sin at] \, dt &= a \left(\frac{-2a}{(p^2 + a^2)^2} \right) + \frac{1}{p^2 + a^2} \times 1 \\ \int_0^{\infty} e^{-pt} t \cos at \, dt &= \frac{-2a^2}{(p^2 + a^2)^2} + \frac{1}{p^2 + a^2} \\ \mathcal{L}(t \cos at) &= \frac{-2a^2 + (p^2 + a^2)}{(p^2 + a^2)^2} \\ &= \frac{p^2 - a^2}{(p^2 + a^2)^2} \end{aligned}$$

Which is L12

10 chapter 15, problem 2.5

Problem by integrating the appropriate formulas w.r.t. 'a', verify L19

Solution L19 is

$$\mathcal{L}\left(\frac{\sin at}{t}\right) = \arctan \frac{a}{p} \quad \text{Re}(p) > |\text{Im } a| \quad (\text{L19})$$

Where $\mathcal{L}(f(t))$ is the laplace transform of $f(t)$ defined as $\mathcal{L}(f(t)) = F(p) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-pt} f(t) dt$. To derive this, we start with L4, which says

$$\mathcal{L}(\cos at) = \frac{p}{p^2 + a^2} \quad \text{Re}(p) > |\text{Im } a|$$

The above can be rewritten in the full definition of the transform to make it easier to see

$$\int_0^{\infty} e^{-pt} \cos at \, dt = \frac{p}{p^2 + a^2}$$

Integrating both sides w.r.t. a gives

$$\begin{aligned} \int \left(\int_{t=0}^{t=\infty} e^{-pt} \cos at \, dt \right) da &= \int \frac{p}{p^2 + a^2} da \\ \int_{t=0}^{t=\infty} \left(\int e^{-pt} \cos at \, da \right) dt &= \arctan \frac{a}{p} + K \\ \int_{t=0}^{t=\infty} e^{-pt} \left(\int \cos at \, da \right) dt &= \arctan \frac{a}{p} + K \end{aligned}$$

Now, since $\int \cos at \, da = \frac{\sin at}{t} + k$ and choose zero for values of the K 's, the constants of integration gives

$$\int_0^{\infty} e^{-pt} \left(\frac{\sin at}{t} \right) dt = \arctan \frac{a}{p}$$

Hence

$$\mathcal{L}\left(\frac{\sin at}{t}\right) = \arctan \frac{a}{p}$$

Which is L19

11 chapter 15, problem 2.9

Problem Find the inverse transform of the function $F(p) = \frac{5-2p}{p^2+p-2}$

Solution

Need to simplify the above expression to some expressions which are shown in the table on page 636.

$$\begin{aligned}
F(p) &= \frac{5-2p}{p^2+p-2} \\
&= \frac{5}{p^2+p-2} - \frac{2p}{p^2+p-2} \\
&= \frac{5}{(p-1)(p+2)} - \frac{2p}{(p-1)(p+2)}
\end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

From table, L7, we see that $\mathcal{L}\left(\frac{e^{-at}-e^{-bt}}{b-a}\right) = F(p) = \frac{1}{(p+a)(p+b)}$. Setting $a = -1, b = 2$ we get the first expression in (1), that is

$$\mathcal{L}\left(\frac{e^t - e^{-2t}}{3}\right) = \frac{1}{(p-1)(p+2)} \tag{2}$$

also from table, we see that L8 is $\mathcal{L}\left(\frac{ae^{-at}-be^{-bt}}{a-b}\right) = F(p) = \frac{p}{(p+a)(p+b)}$. Hence, letting $a = -1, b = 2$ we get the second expression in (1), that is

$$\mathcal{L}\left(\frac{-e^{+t} - 2e^{-2t}}{-3}\right) = \frac{p}{(p-1)(p+2)} \tag{3}$$

So combine (2) and (3) we get

$$5\mathcal{L}\left(\frac{e^{+t} - e^{-2t}}{2+1}\right) - 2\mathcal{L}\left(\frac{-e^{+t} - 2e^{-2t}}{-1-2}\right) = \frac{5}{(p-1)(p+2)} - \frac{2p}{(p-1)(p+2)}$$

which is (1). Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
f(t) &= 5\frac{e^{+t} - e^{-2t}}{3} - 2\frac{-e^{+t} - 2e^{-2t}}{-3} \\
&= 5\frac{e^{+t} - e^{-2t}}{3} + 2\frac{-e^{+t} - 2e^{-2t}}{3} \\
&= \frac{5e^{+t} - 5e^{-2t} - 2e^{+t} - 4e^{-2t}}{3} \\
&= \frac{3e^t - 9e^{-2t}}{3} \\
&= e^t - 3e^{-2t}
\end{aligned}$$

Hence the inverse transform of $F(p)$ is $e^t - 3e^{-2t}$

12 chapter 15, problem 3.11

Problem Use laplace transform to solve $y'' - 4y = 4e^{2t}$, $y_0 = 0, y'_0 = 1$

Solution

Let $\mathcal{L}(y(t)) = Y(p)$, and taking the laplace transform of both sides, noting first that $\mathcal{L}(y'') = p^2Y - py_0 - y'_0$ then we get

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}(y'') - 4\mathcal{L}(y(t)) &= \mathcal{L}(4e^{2t}) \\ (p^2Y - py_0 - y'_0) - 4Y &= 4\mathcal{L}(e^{2t})\end{aligned}$$

L2 from table on page 636 : $\mathcal{L}(e^{-at}) = \frac{1}{p+a}$, hence $\mathcal{L}(e^{2t}) = \frac{1}{p-2}$, hence, after applying boundary conditions, we get

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

Doing partial fractions, repeated roots, gives

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{1}{(p + 2)(p - 2)^2} &= \frac{A}{(p + 2)} + \frac{B}{(p - 2)} + \frac{C}{(p - 2)^2} \\ 1 &= A(p - 2)^2 + B(p + 2)(p - 2) + C(p + 2) \\ 1 &= A(p^2 - 4p + 4) + B(p^2 - 4) + C(p + 2) \\ 1 &= p^2(A + B) + p(-4A + C) + 4A - 4B + 2C\end{aligned}$$

Hence

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

hence $A = -B$, then $-4B - 4B + 2C = 1$ or $-8B + 2C = 1$ or $C = \frac{1+8B}{2}$, therefore $4B + \frac{1+8B}{2} = 0$ then $B = -\frac{1}{16}$, then $A = \frac{1}{16}$, $C = \frac{1+8(-\frac{1}{16})}{2} = \frac{1-\frac{1}{2}}{2} = \frac{1}{4}$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 Y &= 4 \frac{1}{(p+2)(p-2)^2} + \frac{1}{(p^2-4)} \\
 &= 4 \left(\frac{A}{(p+2)} + \frac{B}{(p-2)} + \frac{C}{(p-2)^2} \right) + \frac{1}{(p^2-4)} \\
 &= 4 \left(\frac{\frac{1}{16}}{(p+2)} + \frac{-\frac{1}{16}}{(p-2)} + \frac{\frac{1}{4}}{(p-2)^2} \right) + \frac{1}{(p^2-4)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{(p+2)} - \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{(p-2)} + \frac{1}{(p-2)^2} + \frac{1}{(p^2-4)} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{(p+2)} - \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{(p-2)} + \frac{1}{(p-2)^2} + \left(\frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{(p-2)} - \frac{1}{4} \frac{1}{(p+2)} \right) \\
 &= \frac{1}{(p-2)^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

$\frac{1}{(p-2)^2} \rightarrow$ using L6, we have $\mathcal{L}(t^k e^{-at}) = \frac{k!}{(p+a)^{k+1}}$, here $a = -2, k = 1$ and $\frac{1}{(p-2)^2} \rightarrow te^{2t}$. Hence ,

$$f(t) = te^{2t}$$

13 chapter 15, problem 3.24

Problem Use laplace transform to solve $y'' - 2y' + y = 2 \cos t, y_0 = 5, y'_0 = -2$

Solution

Let $\mathcal{L}(y(t)) = Y(p)$, Take the laplace transform of both sides, noting first that $\mathcal{L}(y'') = p^2Y - py_0 - y'_0$, $\mathcal{L}(y') = pY - y_0$ then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{L}(y'') - 2\mathcal{L}(y') + \mathcal{L}(y(t)) &= \mathcal{L}(2 \cos t) \\
 (p^2Y - py_0 - y'_0) - 2(pY - y_0) + Y &= 2 \frac{p}{p^2 + 1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
(p^2Y - 5p + 2) - 2(pY - 5) + Y &= 2\frac{p}{p^2 + 1} \\
Y(p^2 - 2p + 1) + 12 - 5p &= 2\frac{p}{p^2 + 1} \\
Y(p^2 - 2p + 1) &= \frac{2p}{p^2 + 1} - 12 + 5p \\
Y &= \frac{\frac{2p}{p^2 + 1} - 12 + 5p}{(p^2 - 2p + 1)} \\
Y &= \frac{2p}{(p^2 + 1)(p^2 - 2p + 1)} + \frac{5p - 12}{(p^2 - 2p + 1)} \\
Y &= \frac{2p}{(p^2 + 1)(p - 1)^2} + \frac{5p - 12}{(p - 1)^2}
\end{aligned}$$

Doing partial fractions $\frac{2p}{(p-1)^2(p^2+1)} = \frac{A}{(p-1)} + \frac{B}{(p-1)^2} + \frac{Cp+D}{(p^2+1)}$. Solving, we get $A = 0, B = 1, C = 0, D = -1$ Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
Y &= \frac{1}{(p-1)^2} - \frac{1}{(p^2+1)} + \frac{5p-12}{(p-1)^2} \\
&= \frac{1}{(p-1)^2} - \frac{1}{(p^2+1)} + \frac{5p}{(p-1)^2} - 12\frac{1}{(p-1)^2} \\
&= \frac{-11}{(p-1)^2} - \frac{1}{(p^2+1)} + \frac{5p}{(p-1)^2}
\end{aligned}$$

Hence, using table, we get inverse laplace transform $\frac{1}{(p-1)^2} \rightarrow te^t$ and $\frac{1}{(p^2+1)} \rightarrow \sin t$ and $\frac{p}{(p-1)^2} \rightarrow e^t + te^t$, hence

$$\begin{aligned}
f(t) &= -11te^t - \sin t + 5(e^t + te^t) \\
&= -11te^t - \sin t + 5e^t + 5te^t \\
&= 5e^t - 6te^t - \sin t
\end{aligned}$$

14 chapter 15, problem 3.25

Problem Use laplace transform to solve $y'' + 4y' + 5y = 2e^{-2t} \cos t, y_0 = 0, y'_0 = 3$

Solution

Let $\mathcal{L}(y(t)) = Y(p)$, Taking the laplace transform of both sides, noting first that $\mathcal{L}(y''(t)) = p^2Y - py_0 - y'_0$, $\mathcal{L}(y'(t)) = pY - y_0$ then we get

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}(y''(t)) + 4\mathcal{L}(y'(t)) + 5\mathcal{L}(y(t)) &= \mathcal{L}(2e^{-2t} \cos t) \\ (p^2Y - py_0 - y'_0) + 4(pY - y_0) + 5Y &= 2\mathcal{L}(e^{-2t} \cos t)\end{aligned}$$

Applying initial conditions

$$(p^2Y - 3) + 4(pY) + 5Y = 2\mathcal{L}(e^{-2t} \cos t)$$

From table using L14 $\mathcal{L}(e^{-2t} \cos t) = \frac{p+2}{(p+2)^2+1}$. Hence

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

but $(p^2 + 4p + 5) = (p + 2)^2 + 1$, therefore

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

But inverse transform of $\frac{p+2}{((p+2)^2+1)^2} = \frac{1}{2}te^{-2t} \sin t$ and inverse transform of $\frac{1}{(p+2)^2+1} = e^{-2t} \sin t$.

Hence

$$\begin{aligned}f(t) &= 2\left(\frac{1}{2}te^{-2t} \sin t\right) + 3(e^{-2t} \sin t) \\ &= te^{-2t} \sin t + 3e^{-2t} \sin t \\ &= (t + 3)e^{-2t} \sin t\end{aligned}$$

15 chapter 15, problem 3.29

Problem Use laplace transform to solve $y' + z' - 2y = 1, y_0 = z_0 = 1, z - y' = t$

Solution

Taking laplace transform of both equations, then we get 2 equations in Y and Z , then solve for them. Let $\mathcal{L}(y(t)) = Y(p), \mathcal{L}(z(t)) = Z(p)$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}(y'(t)) + \mathcal{L}(z'(t)) - 2\mathcal{L}(y(t)) &= \mathcal{L}(1) \\ \mathcal{L}(z(t)) - \mathcal{L}(y'(t)) &= \mathcal{L}(t)\end{aligned}$$

Then we get

$$\begin{aligned}(pY - y_0) + (pZ - z_0) - 2Y &= \frac{1}{p} \\ Z - (pY - y_0) &= \frac{1}{p^2}\end{aligned}$$

Putting initial conditions gives

$$\begin{aligned}(pY - 1) + (pZ - 1) - 2Y &= \frac{1}{p} \\ Z - (pY - 1) &= \frac{1}{p^2}\end{aligned}$$

$$Y(p - 2) + pZ - 2 = \frac{1}{p} \tag{1}$$

$$Z - pY + 1 = \frac{1}{p^2} \tag{2}$$

Solving for Y , From (1), $Z = \frac{1 + 2 - Y(p - 2)}{p}$, and substituting into (2) gives

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

Hence $Y = \frac{1}{p-1}$ so from L2

$$y(t) = e^t$$

Now, that we have Y , we solve for Z . From (2)

$$\begin{aligned}
Z - pY + 1 &= \frac{1}{p^2} \\
Z - p\left(\frac{1}{p-1}\right) + 1 &= \frac{1}{p^2} \\
Z &= \frac{1}{p^2} - 1 + \frac{p}{p-1} \\
Z &= \frac{p-1 - p^2(p-1) + p^3}{p^2(p-1)} \\
Z &= \frac{p-1 + p^2}{p^2(p-1)} \\
Z &= \frac{p-1 + p^2}{p^2(p-1)}
\end{aligned}$$

Doing partial fraction on the above, we get $Z = \frac{1}{p^2} + \frac{1}{p-1}$, Hence

$$z(t) = t + e^t$$

16 chapter 15, problem 3.30

Problem Use laplace transform to solve $y' + 2z = 1, y_0 = 0, 2y - z' = 2t, z_0 = 1$

Solution

Take laplace transform of both equations, then we get 2 equations in Y and Z , then solve for them.

Let $\mathcal{L}(y(t)) = Y(p), \mathcal{L}(z(t)) = Z(p)$

$$\mathcal{L}(y'(t)) + 2Z = \mathcal{L}(1)$$

$$2Y - \mathcal{L}(z'(t)) = \mathcal{L}(2t)$$

$$pY - y_0 + 2Z = \mathcal{L}(1)$$

$$2Y - (pZ - z_0) = \mathcal{L}(2t)$$

Then we get, by putting $z_0 = 1, y_0 = 0$

$$pY + 2Z = \frac{1}{p} \tag{1}$$

$$2Y - (pZ - 1) = \frac{2}{p^2} \tag{2}$$

Obtain Z from first equation and sub into the second to solve for $Y, Z = \frac{\frac{1}{p} - pY}{2}$, Hence

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

Hence , using partial fraction gives

$$\begin{aligned}
Y &= \frac{4 + p^2}{p^2(4 + p^2)} \\
&= \frac{Ap + B}{p^2} + \frac{Cp + D}{(4 + p^2)}
\end{aligned}$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned}
(Ap + B)(4 + p^2) + (Cp + D)p^2 &= 4 - p^2 \\
4Ap + Ap^3 + 4B + Bp^2 + Cp^3 + Dp^2 &= 4 - p^2 \\
p^3(A + C) + p^2(B + D) + p(4A) + 4B &= 4 - p^2
\end{aligned}$$

Hence, $4B = 4 \rightarrow B = 1$ and $4A = 0 \rightarrow A = 0$ and $B + D = -1$ and $A + C = 0 \rightarrow C = 0$, therefore $D = -1 - B \rightarrow D = -2$. Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
Y &= \frac{Ap + B}{p^2} + \frac{Cp + D}{(4 + p^2)} \\
&= \frac{1}{p^2} - \frac{2}{(4 + p^2)}
\end{aligned}$$

Using tables for inverse transform gives

$$y(t) = t - \sin 2t$$

Now, to find $z(t)$, substituting value we found for Y into equation (1) above.

$$\begin{aligned} pY + 2Z &= \frac{1}{p} \\ p\left(\frac{1}{p^2} - \frac{2}{(4+p^2)}\right) + 2Z &= \frac{1}{p} \\ \frac{1}{p} - \frac{2p}{(4+p^2)} + 2Z &= \frac{1}{p} \\ Z &= \frac{p}{(4+p^2)} \\ Z &= \frac{p}{(4+p^2)} \end{aligned}$$

From tables, using L4

$$z(t) = \cos 2t$$

17 chapter 15, problem 3.4

Problem Use laplace transform to solve $y'' + y = \sin t$, $y_0 = 1$, $y'_0 = 0$

Solution

Let $\mathcal{L}(y(t)) = Y(p)$, Take the laplace transform of both sides, noting first that $\mathcal{L}(y''(t)) = p^2Y - py_0 - y'_0$ then we get

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}(y''(t)) + \mathcal{L}(y(t)) &= \mathcal{L}(\sin t) \\ (p^2Y - py_0 - y'_0) + Y &= \frac{1}{p^2 + 1} \end{aligned}$$

Where I used L3 from table on page 636 which says that $\mathcal{L}(\sin at) = \frac{a}{p^2+a^2}$. Now solving for Y , noting that $y_0 = 1$ and $y'_0 = 0$ gives

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

From table using L12, $\frac{p}{(p^2+1)} \rightarrow \cos t$ and using L17, $\frac{1}{(p^2+1)^2} \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(\sin t - t \cos t)$. Hence, putting these together into (1) gives

$$f(t) = \cos t + \frac{1}{2}(\sin t - t \cos t)$$

This is the particular solution to the ODE.

18 chapter 15, problem 3.6

Problem Use laplace transform to solve $y'' - 6y' + 9y = te^{3t}$, $y_0 = 0$, $y'_0 = 5$

Solution

Let $\mathcal{L}(y(t)) = Y(p)$, Take the laplace transform of both sides, noting first that $\mathcal{L}(y''(t)) = p^2 Y - py_0 - y'_0$ and $\mathcal{L}(y'(t)) = pY - y_0$ then we get

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{L}(y''(t)) - 6\mathcal{L}(y'(t)) + 9\mathcal{L}(y(t)) &= \mathcal{L}(te^{3t}) \\
(p^2 Y - py_0 - y'_0) - 6(pY - y_0) + 9Y &= \mathcal{L}(te^{3t})
\end{aligned}$$

I use L6 from table on page 636 which says that $\mathcal{L}(t^k e^{-at}) = \frac{k!}{(p+a)^{k+1}}$, hence for $k = 1$, $a = -3$, we

get $\mathcal{L}(t^k e^{-at}) = \frac{1}{(p-3)^2}$

$$(p^2 Y - py_0 - y'_0) - 6(pY - y_0) + 9Y = \frac{1}{(p-3)^2}$$

Applying boundary conditions gives

$$\begin{aligned}
(p^2Y - 5) - 6(pY) + 9Y &= \frac{1}{(p-3)^2} \\
Y(p^2 - 6p + 9) - 5 &= \frac{1}{(p-3)^2} \\
Y(p^2 - 6p + 9) &= \frac{1}{(p-3)^2} + 5 \\
Y &= \frac{1}{(p^2 - 6p + 9)(p-3)^2} + \frac{5}{(p^2 - 6p + 9)} \\
Y &= \frac{1}{(p-3)^2(p-3)^2} + \frac{5}{(p-3)^2} \\
Y &= \frac{1}{(p-3)^4} + \frac{5}{(p-3)^2} \tag{1}
\end{aligned}$$

Now using table, from L6, $\frac{1}{(p-3)^2}$, let $a = -3, k = 1$ hence $\frac{1}{(p-3)^2} \rightarrow te^{3t}$ And using L6 again, $\frac{1}{(p-3)^4}$, let $k = 3, a = -3$ then $\frac{6}{(p-3)^4} \rightarrow t^3e^{3t}$, therefore (1) becomes

$$\begin{aligned}
f(t) &= \frac{1}{6}t^3e^{3t} + 5te^{3t} \\
&= e^{3t}\left(\frac{1}{6}t^3 + 5t\right)
\end{aligned}$$

19 chapter 15, problem 3.8

Problem Use laplace transform to solve $y'' + 16y = 8 \cos 4t, y_0 = 0, y'_0 = 0$

Solution

Let $\mathcal{L}(y(t)) = Y(p)$, Taking the laplace transform of both sides, noting first that $\mathcal{L}(y''(t)) = p^2Y - py_0 - y'_0$ results in

$$\begin{aligned}
\mathcal{L}(y''(t)) + 16\mathcal{L}(y(t)) &= \mathcal{L}(8 \cos 4t) \\
(p^2Y - py_0 - y'_0) + 16Y &= 8\mathcal{L}(\cos 4t) \\
Y(p^2 + 16) &= 8\frac{p}{p^2 + 16}
\end{aligned}$$

I used L6 from table on page 636 : $\mathcal{L}(\cos at) = \frac{p}{p^2+a^2}$

$$Y = 8\frac{p}{(p^2 + 16)^2}$$

Now looking at L11, which says $\mathcal{L}(t \sin at) = \frac{2ap}{(p^2+a^2)^2}$, hence letting $a = 4$ gives the solution

$$f(t) = t \sin 4t$$