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FINAL EXAM SOLUTIONS

Here are the rules:

- This exam is closed book. No note sheets, calculators, or electronic devices are allowed.
- In order to receive credit, you must **show all of your work**; to obtain full credit, you must provide mathematical justifications. If you do not indicate the way in which you solved a problem, you may get little or no credit for it, even if your answer is correct.
- Give numerical answers in exact form (for example $\ln(\frac{\pi}{3})$ or $5\sqrt{3}$ or $e^{2.5}$).
- Simplify $e^{a \ln(x)} = x^a$ for $x > 0$.
- If you need more room, use the backs of the pages and indicate that you have done so.
- Raise your hand if you have a question.
- This exam has 9 pages of problems (in addition to the cover sheet and page of formulas). Please make sure that your exam is complete.
- You have 110 minutes to complete the exam.
- HAVE FUN!

| Problem | Possible | Score |
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| 1 | 9 | |
| 2 | 9 | |
| 3 | 14 | |
| 4 | 14 | |
| 5 | 21 | |
| 6 | 16 | |
| 7 | 9 | |
| 8 | 8 | |
| Total | 100 | |

Good Luck!

Problem 1. (9 points) Consider the differential equation

$$(1 + t^2) \frac{dy}{dt} + 4ty = 1$$

(a) (2 points) Circle your answer

(i) Is this a *linear* differential equation? YES NO

(ii) Is this a *separable* differential equation? YES NO

(b) (7 points) Find the general solution, and write your final answer here:

$$y(t) = \frac{t + \frac{1}{3}t^3 + C}{(1 + t^2)^2}$$

Solution. Rewrite as

$$\frac{dy}{dt} + \frac{4t}{1 + t^2} y = \frac{1}{1 + t^2}$$

$$\mu = e^{\int \frac{4t}{1+t^2} dt} = e^{2 \log(1+t^2)} = (1 + t^2)^2$$

Multiply both sides by μ and simplify the left hand side:

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left((1 + t^2)^2 y \right) = 1 + t^2$$

Integrate with indeterminate constant on the right

$$(1 + t^2)^2 y = t + \frac{1}{3}t^3 + C$$

Solve for y to get the above answer.

Problem 2. (9 points) A 50 gallon tank initially holds 20 gallons of water that has 4 pounds of chemical Q dissolved in it. Clean water (which does not contain any Q) flows into the tank at the rate of 5 gallons per minute. The mixture flows out of the tank at the rate of 3 gallons per minute. Write the initial value problem for the amount of Q in the tank:

$$\frac{dQ}{dt} = -\frac{3Q}{20+2t} \quad Q(0) = 4$$

Solve for $Q(t)$, and write the answer here:

$$Q(t) = 4 \cdot (20)^{\frac{3}{2}} (20+2t)^{-\frac{3}{2}}$$

For the first part, use that $V(t) = 20 + 2t$.

Equation is separable (as well as linear, you can use either method).

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dQ}{Q} &= -\frac{3}{20+2t} dt \\ \ln|Q| &= -\frac{3}{2} \ln|20+2t| + C \end{aligned}$$

Since both Q and $20 + 2t$ are positive we can drop the $|\cdot|$ signs.

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= e^{-\frac{3}{2} \ln(20+2t) + C} \\ &= e^C e^{-\frac{3}{2} \ln(20+2t)} \\ &= C(20+2t)^{-\frac{3}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

Set $t = 0$ and $Q = 4$ to find $C = 4 \cdot (20)^{\frac{3}{2}}$

Problem 3. (14 points)

Write down a suitable form for $Y(t)$ which would allow you to use the method of undetermined coefficients to find a particular solution to the following equations.

(DO NOT plug Y into the equation or try to find the coefficients.)

(a) (7 points) $y'' + 4y' + 5y = 3t^2e^{-2t} + te^{-2t} \cos(t) + \sin(t) + t + 1.$

Roots of $r^2 + 4r + 5$ are $r = -2 \pm i$. This means the terms with $e^{-2t} \cos(t)$ or $e^{-2t} \sin(t)$ get multiplied by t . There are 4 different types of terms on the right, only one of which gets multiplied by t .

$$y_p(t) = (A_0t^2 + A_1t + A_0)e^{-2t} + e^{-2t} \left((B_1t^2 + B_0t) \cos(t) + (C_1t^2 + C_0t) \sin(t) \right) + D \cos(t) + E \sin(t) + F_1t + F_0.$$

(b) (7 points) $y'' + 2y' - 3y = 3t^2e^{-3t} + te^t \sin(2t) + 7e^t + t + 1.$

Roots of $r^2 + 2r - 3$ are $r = 1, -3$. This means the terms with e^{-3t} or e^t get multiplied by t . There are 4 different types of terms on the right, two of which gets multiplied by t .

$$y_p(t) = (A_2t^3 + A_1t^2 + A_0t)e^{-3t} + e^t \left((B_1t + B_0) \cos(2t) + (C_1t + C_0) \sin(2t) \right) + Dte^t + F_1t + F_0.$$

Problem 4. (14 points) Consider the initial value problem

$$u'' + u' + \frac{5}{4}u = 0, \quad u(0) = -2, \quad u'(0) = -1.$$

(a) (7 points) Solve the initial value problem, using whichever method you prefer.

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

(b) (4 points) Express the answer in the form $u(t) = Ae^{\rho t} \cos(\omega t - \phi)$, where $A > 0$.

$$A = 2\sqrt{2} \quad \rho = -\frac{1}{2} \quad \omega = 1 \quad \phi = \frac{5\pi}{4} \text{ or } -\frac{3\pi}{4}$$

(c) (3 points) Find the first time $t > 0$ at which $u(t) = 0$.

$$t = \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

The general solution is $y = e^{-\frac{1}{2}t}(c_1 \cos(t) + c_2 \sin(t))$. Plug in initial conditions and solve to get $c_1 = -2$ and $c_2 = -2$.

$A = \sqrt{c_1^2 + c_2^2} = \sqrt{8} = 2\sqrt{2}$. $\tan \phi = \frac{-2}{-2} = 1$. However, the point $(-2, -2)$ is in the third quadrant, so we take $\phi = \tan^{-1}(1) \pm \pi$.

$u(t) = 0$ when $\sin(t) = -\cos(t)$ so $\tan(t) = -1$. The first value of $t > 0$ for which this happens is $t = \frac{3\pi}{4}$.

Problem 5. (21 points) For each of the following functions $F(s)$, find $f(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}[F(s)]$. That is, find $f(t)$ for which the Laplace transform of f satisfies $\mathcal{L}[f(t)] = F(s)$.

For answers that involve Heaviside functions, express your answers in piece-wise form (i.e. give the formula for $f(t)$ on the different intervals).

Draw a box around each of your answers.

(a) (7 points) $F(s) = \frac{1}{s-1} + \frac{e^{-3s}}{s^2}$

$y(t) = e^t + u_3(t)(t-3)$, so in piecewise form

$$y(t) = \begin{cases} e^t, & t \leq 3 \\ e^t + (t-3), & t > 3 \end{cases}$$

(Parts (b) and (c) of this problem are on the next page.)

(b) (7 points) $F(s) = \frac{1}{s(s^2 + s + \frac{1}{2})}$

Partial fractions:

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

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

(c) (7 points) $F(s) = (1 - e^{-2s}) \left(\frac{1-s}{s^2} + \frac{s+1}{s^2 + 2s + 2} \right)$

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

This is the Laplace transform of $g(t) = t - 1 + e^{-t} \cos(t)$.

Then $f(t) = g(t) - u_2(t)g(t-2)$. In piecewise form

$$y(t) = \begin{cases} t - 1 + e^{-t} \cos(t), & t \leq 2 \\ t - 1 + e^{-t} \cos(t) - \left((t-2) - 1 + e^{-(t-2)} \cos(t-2) \right), & t > 2 \end{cases}$$

Problem 6. (16 points) For the following problems find $Y(s)$, where $Y(s) = \mathcal{L}[y(t)]$ is the Laplace transform of the solution to the equation. (DO NOT solve the equation or find $y(t)$, just $Y(s)$. You do not need to apply partial fractions to simplify $Y(s)$.)
Draw a box around each of your answers.

(a) (8 points) $y'' + 4y' + 3y = f(t)$, $y(0) = 1$, $y'(0) = 0$, $f(t) = \begin{cases} t, & 0 \leq t < 1 \\ 0, & 1 \leq t < \infty \end{cases}$

Write $f(t) = (1 - u_1(t))t = t - u_1(t)(t - 1) - u_1(t)$, so

$$\boxed{\mathcal{L}(f) = F(s) = \frac{1}{s^2} - e^{-t} \left(\frac{1}{s^2} - \frac{1}{s} \right)}$$

$$(s^2 + 4s + 3)Y(s) = s + 4 + F(s)$$

$$\boxed{Y(s) = \frac{s + 4}{s^2 + 4s + 3} + \frac{1}{s^2 + 4s + 3} \left(\frac{1}{s^2} - e^{-t} \left(\frac{1}{s^2} - \frac{1}{s} \right) \right)}$$

(b) (8 points) $y'' + 6y = f(t)$, $y(0) = 1$, $y'(0) = 2$, $f(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & 0 \leq t < \pi \\ \sin t, & \pi \leq t < 2\pi \\ 0, & 2\pi \leq t < \infty \end{cases}$

$$f(t) = (u_\pi(t) - u_{2\pi}(t)) \sin t.$$

$$\text{So } \mathcal{L}(f) = F(s) = e^{-\pi s} \mathcal{L}\{\sin(t + \pi)\} - e^{-2\pi s} \mathcal{L}\{\sin(t + 2\pi)\}$$

Use that $\sin(t + \pi) = -\sin(t)$ and $\sin(t + 2\pi) = \sin(t)$ to find

$$\boxed{F(s) = -(e^{-\pi s} + e^{-2\pi s}) \frac{\pi}{s^2 + \pi^2}}$$

From the equation,

$$(s^2 + 6)Y(s) = s + 2 + F(s)$$

$$\boxed{Y(s) = \frac{s + 2}{s^2 + 6} - \frac{\pi(e^{-\pi s} + e^{-2\pi s})}{(s^2 + 6)(s^2 + \pi^2)}}$$

Problem 7. (9 points) Solve the following differential equation

$$y'' + 25y = 1 + 3\delta_4(t), \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = 1.$$

You may use Heaviside functions in your answer.

$$y(t) = \frac{24}{25} \cos(5t) + \frac{1}{5} \sin(5t) + \frac{1}{25} + \frac{3}{5} u_4(t) \sin(5(t-4))$$

$$(s^2 + 25)Y(s) = s + 1 + \frac{1}{s} + 3e^{-4t}, \text{ so}$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{s+1}{s^2+25} + \frac{1}{s(s^2+25)} + 3e^{-4t} \frac{1}{s^2+25}$$

Use partial fractions to write

$$\frac{1}{s(s^2+25)} = \frac{1}{25} \left(\frac{1}{s} - \frac{s}{s^2+25} \right)$$

so

$$Y(s) = \frac{24}{25} \frac{s}{s^2+5^2} + \frac{1}{5} \frac{5}{s^2+25} + \frac{1}{25} \frac{1}{s} + \frac{3}{5} e^{-4t} \frac{5}{s^2+25}$$

$$\text{so } y(t) = \frac{24}{25} \cos(5t) + \frac{1}{5} \sin(5t) + \frac{1}{25} + \frac{3}{5} u_4(t) \sin(5(t-4))$$

Problem 8. (8 points) A mass of 1 kg is hanging on a spring of spring constant $k = 4 \text{ N/m}$. The system is at rest at its equilibrium point at time $t = 0$. There is no damping. You apply a downward force of 1 N to the mass for T seconds, after which you turn off the force, so that the solution is in a steady state for $t > T$. Find the amplitude of this steady state. (Your answer will be a function of T .)

$$A = \frac{1}{4} \sqrt{(1 - \cos(2T))^2 + \sin(2T)^2} = \frac{1}{4} \sqrt{2 - 2 \cos(2T)}$$

The driving force is $f(t) = -(1 - u_T(t))$, so $\mathcal{L}\{f\} = F(s) = \frac{-1 + e^{-Ts}}{s}$.

The equation leads to

$$\mathcal{L}\{y\} = Y(s) = (-1 + e^{-Ts}) \frac{1}{s(s^2 + 4)}$$

Partial fractions

$$\frac{1}{s(s^2 + 4)} = \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{1}{s} - \frac{s}{s^2 + 4} \right) = \mathcal{L} \left\{ \frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} \cos(2t) \right\}$$

Therefore

$$y(t) = -\frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{4} \cos(2t) + u_T(t) \left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4} \cos(2(t - T)) \right)$$

For $t > T$ we have

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{4} \left(\cos(2t) - \cos(2t - 2T) \right)$$

To find the amplitude we expand

$$\cos(2t - 2T) = \cos(2T) \cos(2t) + \sin(2T) \sin(2t)$$

to write, for $t > T$,

$$y(t) = \frac{1 - \cos(2T)}{4} \cos(2t) - \frac{\sin(2T)}{4} \sin(2t)$$

and the amplitude is as given above.