

### Section 6.2

1. Write the function as

$$\frac{3}{s^2 + 4} = \frac{3}{2} \frac{2}{s^2 + 4}.$$

Hence  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}[Y(s)] = \frac{3}{2} \sin 2t$ .

3. Using *partial fractions*,

$$\frac{2}{s^2 + 3s - 4} = \frac{2}{5} \left[ \frac{1}{s - 1} - \frac{1}{s + 4} \right].$$

Hence  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}[Y(s)] = \frac{2}{5}(e^t - e^{-4t})$ .

5. Note that the denominator  $s^2 + 2s + 5$  is *irreducible* over the reals. Completing the square,  $s^2 + 2s + 5 = (s + 1)^2 + 4$ . Now convert the function to a *rational function* of the variable  $\xi = s + 1$ . That is,

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

We know that

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left[ \frac{2\xi}{\xi^2 + 4} \right] = 2 \cos 2t.$$

Using the fact that  $\mathcal{L}[e^{at}f(t)] = \mathcal{L}[f(t)]_{s \rightarrow s-a}$ ,

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left[ \frac{2s + 2}{s^2 + 2s + 5} \right] = 2e^{-t} \cos 2t.$$

6. Using *partial fractions*,

$$\frac{2s - 3}{s^2 - 4} = \frac{1}{4} \left[ \frac{1}{s - 2} + \frac{7}{s + 2} \right].$$

Hence  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}[Y(s)] = \frac{1}{4}(e^{2t} + 7e^{-2t})$ . Note that we can also write

$$\frac{2s - 3}{s^2 - 4} = 2 \frac{s}{s^2 - 4} - \frac{3}{2} \frac{2}{s^2 - 4}.$$

8. Using *partial fractions*,

$$\frac{8s^2 - 4s + 12}{s(s^2 + 4)} = 3 \frac{1}{s} + 5 \frac{s}{s^2 + 4} - 2 \frac{2}{s^2 + 4}.$$

Hence  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}[Y(s)] = 3 + 5 \cos 2t - 2 \sin 2t$ .

9. The denominator  $s^2 + 4s + 5$  is *irreducible* over the reals. Completing the square,  $s^2 + 4s + 5 = (s + 2)^2 + 1$ . Now convert the function to a *rational function* of the variable  $\xi = s + 2$ . That is,

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

We find that

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{5}{\xi^2 + 1} - \frac{2\xi}{\xi^2 + 1}\right] = 5 \sin t - 2 \cos t.$$

Using the fact that  $\mathcal{L}[e^{at}f(t)] = \mathcal{L}[f(t)]_{s \rightarrow s-a}$ ,

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{1 - 2s}{s^2 + 4s + 5}\right] = e^{-2t}(5 \sin t - 2 \cos t).$$

10. Note that the denominator  $s^2 + 2s + 10$  is *irreducible* over the reals. Completing the square,  $s^2 + 2s + 10 = (s + 1)^2 + 9$ . Now convert the function to a *rational function* of the variable  $\xi = s + 1$ . That is,

$$\frac{2s - 3}{s^2 + 2s + 10} = \frac{2(s + 1) - 5}{(s + 1)^2 + 9}.$$

We find that

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{2\xi}{\xi^2 + 9} - \frac{5}{\xi^2 + 9}\right] = 2 \cos 3t - \frac{5}{3} \sin 3t.$$

Using the fact that  $\mathcal{L}[e^{at}f(t)] = \mathcal{L}[f(t)]_{s \rightarrow s-a}$ ,

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{2s - 3}{s^2 + 2s + 10}\right] = e^{-t}\left(2 \cos 3t - \frac{5}{3} \sin 3t\right).$$

12. Taking the Laplace transform of the ODE, we obtain

$$s^2 Y(s) - s y(0) - y'(0) + 3[s Y(s) - y(0)] + 2 Y(s) = 0.$$

Applying the *initial conditions*,

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

Solving for  $Y(s)$ , the transform of the solution is

$$Y(s) = \frac{s + 3}{s^2 + 3s + 2}.$$

Using *partial fractions*,

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

Hence  $y(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}[Y(s)] = 2e^{-t} - e^{-2t}$ .

13. Taking the Laplace transform of the ODE, we obtain

$$s^2 Y(s) - s y(0) - y'(0) - 2[s Y(s) - y(0)] + 2 Y(s) = 0.$$

Applying the *initial conditions*,

$$s^2 Y(s) - 2s Y(s) + 2 Y(s) - 1 = 0.$$

Solving for  $Y(s)$ , the transform of the solution is

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

Since the denominator is *irreducible*, write the transform as a function of  $\xi = s - 1$ . That is,

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

First note that

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{\xi^2 + 1}\right] = \sin t.$$

Using the fact that  $\mathcal{L}[e^{at} f(t)] = \mathcal{L}[f(t)]_{s \rightarrow s-a}$ ,

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{s^2 - 2s + 2}\right] = e^t \sin t.$$

Hence  $y(t) = e^t \sin t$ .

15. Taking the Laplace transform of the ODE, we obtain

$$s^2 Y(s) - s y(0) - y'(0) - 2[s Y(s) - y(0)] - 2 Y(s) = 0.$$

Applying the *initial conditions*,

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

Solving for  $Y(s)$ , the transform of the solution is

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

Since the denominator is *irreducible*, write the transform as a function of  $\xi = s - 1$ . Completing the square,

$$\frac{2s - 4}{s^2 - 2s - 2} = \frac{2(s - 1) - 2}{(s - 1)^2 - 3}.$$

First note that

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{2\xi}{\xi^2 - 3} - \frac{2}{\xi^2 - 3}\right] = 2 \cosh \sqrt{3} t - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \sinh \sqrt{3} t.$$

Using the fact that  $\mathcal{L}[e^{at} f(t)] = \mathcal{L}[f(t)]_{s \rightarrow s-a}$ , the solution of the IVP is

$$y(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{2s - 4}{s^2 - 2s - 2}\right] = e^t \left(2 \cosh \sqrt{3} t - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} \sinh \sqrt{3} t\right).$$

16. Taking the Laplace transform of the ODE, we obtain

$$s^2 Y(s) - s y(0) - y'(0) + 2[s Y(s) - y(0)] + 5 Y(s) = 0.$$

Applying the *initial conditions*,

$$s^2 Y(s) + 2s Y(s) + 5 Y(s) - 2s - 3 = 0.$$

Solving for  $Y(s)$ , the transform of the solution is

$$Y(s) = \frac{2s + 3}{s^2 + 2s + 5}.$$

Since the denominator is *irreducible*, write the transform as a function of  $\xi = s + 1$ . That is,

$$\frac{2s + 3}{s^2 + 2s + 5} = \frac{2(s + 1) + 1}{(s + 1)^2 + 4}.$$

We know that

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{2\xi}{\xi^2 + 4} + \frac{1}{\xi^2 + 4}\right] = 2 \cos 2t + \frac{1}{2} \sin 2t.$$

Using the fact that  $\mathcal{L}[e^{at} f(t)] = \mathcal{L}[f(t)]_{s \rightarrow s-a}$ , the solution of the IVP is

$$y(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{2s + 3}{s^2 + 2s + 5}\right] = e^{-t} \left(2 \cos 2t + \frac{1}{2} \sin 2t\right).$$

17. Taking the Laplace transform of the ODE, we obtain

$$s^4 Y(s) - s^3 y(0) - s^2 y'(0) - s y''(0) - y'''(0) - 4[s^3 Y(s) - s^2 y(0) - s y'(0) - y''(0)] + 6[s^2 Y(s) - s y(0) - y'(0)] - 4[s Y(s) - y(0)] + Y(s) = 0$$

Applying the *initial conditions*,

$$s^4 Y(s) - 4s^3 Y(s) + 6s^2 Y(s) - 4s Y(s) + Y(s) - s^2 + 4s - 7 = 0.$$

Solving for the transform of the solution,

$$Y(s) = \frac{s^2 - 4s + 7}{s^4 - 4s^3 + 6s^2 - 4s + 1} = \frac{s^2 - 4s + 7}{(s - 1)^4}.$$

Using *partial fractions*,

$$\frac{s^2 - 4s + 7}{(s - 1)^4} = \frac{4}{(s - 1)^4} - \frac{2}{(s - 1)^3} + \frac{1}{(s - 1)^2}.$$

Note that  $\mathcal{L}[t^n] = (n!)/s^{n+1}$  and  $\mathcal{L}[e^{at} f(t)] = \mathcal{L}[f(t)]_{s \rightarrow s-a}$ . Hence the solution of the IVP is

$$y(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left[ \frac{s^2 - 4s + 7}{(s - 1)^4} \right] = \frac{2}{3} t^3 e^t - t^2 e^t + t e^t.$$

18. Taking the Laplace transform of the ODE, we obtain

$$s^4 Y(s) - s^3 y(0) - s^2 y'(0) - s y''(0) - y'''(0) - Y(s) = 0.$$

Applying the *initial conditions*,

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

Solving for the transform of the solution,

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

By inspection, it follows that  $y(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left[ \frac{s}{s^2 - 1} \right] = \cosh t$ .

19. Taking the Laplace transform of the ODE, we obtain

$$s^4 Y(s) - s^3 y(0) - s^2 y'(0) - s y''(0) - y'''(0) - 4Y(s) = 0.$$

Applying the *initial conditions*,

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

Solving for the transform of the solution,

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

It follows that  $y(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left[ \frac{s}{s^2 + 2} \right] = \cos \sqrt{2} t$ .

20. Taking the Laplace transform of both sides of the ODE, we obtain

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

Applying the *initial conditions*,

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

Solving for  $Y(s)$ , the transform of the solution is

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

Using *partial fractions* on the first term,

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

First note that

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left[ \frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2} \right] = \cos \omega t \quad \text{and} \quad \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left[ \frac{s}{s^2 + 4} \right] = \cos 2t.$$

Hence the solution of the IVP is

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

21. Taking the Laplace transform of both sides of the ODE, we obtain

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

Applying the *initial conditions*,

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

Solving for  $Y(s)$ , the transform of the solution is

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

Using *partial fractions* on the first term,

$$\frac{s}{(s^2 - 2s + 2)(s^2 + 1)} = \frac{1}{5} \left[ \frac{s - 2}{s^2 + 1} - \frac{s - 4}{s^2 - 2s + 2} \right].$$

Thus we can write

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

For the *last term*, we note that  $s^2 - 2s + 2 = (s - 1)^2 + 1$ . So that

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

We know that

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left[ \frac{2\xi}{\xi^2 + 1} - \frac{1}{\xi^2 + 1} \right] = 2 \cos t - \sin t.$$

Based on the *translation property* of the Laplace transform,

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

Combining the above, the solution of the IVP is

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

23. Taking the Laplace transform of both sides of the ODE, we obtain

$$s^2 Y(s) - s y(0) - y'(0) + 2[s Y(s) - y(0)] + Y(s) = \frac{4}{s + 1}.$$

Applying the *initial conditions*,

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

Solving for  $Y(s)$ , the transform of the solution is

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

First write

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

We note that

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left[ \frac{4}{\xi^3} + \frac{2}{\xi} + \frac{1}{\xi^2} \right] = 2t^2 + 2 + t.$$

So based on the *translation property* of the Laplace transform, the solution of the IVP is