

### Exercise (1)

(1) Represent the following function using unit step functions. Find its Laplace transform

(a)  $t \quad (0 < t < 1)$

(b)  $\sin 3t \quad (0 < t < \pi)$

(c)  $\cos \pi t \quad (1 < t < 4)$

(2) Find inverse Laplace transform for the following function

(a)  $F(s) = \frac{se^{-s}}{s^2 + \omega^2}$

(b)  $F(s) = \frac{e^{-4s}}{s^2}$

(c)  $F(s) = \left( e^{-2\pi s} - e^{-8\pi s} \right) / (s^2 + 1)$

(d)  $F(s) = \left( \frac{e^{-2\pi s} - e^{-8\pi s}}{s} \right)$

(3) Using Laplace Transform solve the following differential Equation

(a)  $y'' + 2y' + 2y = 0, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 1$

(b)  $9y'' - 6y' + y = 0, \quad y(0) = 3, \quad y'(0) = 1$

### Answer Question (1)

(a)  $f(t) = t[1 - u(t - 1)] = t - tu(t - 1) = \frac{1}{s} - e^{-s} L\{t + 1\} = \frac{1}{s} - e^{-s} \left( \frac{1}{s^2} + \frac{1}{s} \right)$

(b)  $f(t) = \sin 3t [1 - u(t - \pi)] = \frac{3}{s^2 + 9} - e^{-\pi s} L\{\sin 3(t + \pi)\}$

$$= \frac{3}{s^2 + 9} - e^{-\pi s} L\{-\sin 3t\} = \frac{3}{s^2 + 9} + \frac{3}{s^2 + 9} e^{-\pi s} = 3 \left( \frac{1 + e^{-\pi s}}{s^2 + 9} \right)$$

(c)  $f(t) = \cos \pi t [u(t - 1) - u(t - 4)] = \cos \pi t u(t - 1) - \cos \pi t u(t - 4)$

$$= e^{-s} L\{\cos \pi(t + 1)\} - e^{-4s} L\{\cos \pi(t + 4)\} = e^{-s} L\{-\cos \pi t\} - e^{-4s} L\{\cos \pi t\}$$

$$= -e^{-s} \frac{s}{s^2 + \pi^2} - e^{-4s} \frac{s}{s^2 + \pi^2} = \frac{-s(e^{-s} + e^{-4s})}{s^2 + \pi^2}$$

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**Answer Question (2)**

$$(a) F(s) = \frac{se^{-s}}{s^2 + \omega^2} \quad \therefore f(t) = u(t-1)L^{-1}\left\{\frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2}\right\}_{t \rightarrow t-1} = u(t-1).\cos \omega(t-1)$$

$$(b) F(s) = \frac{e^{-4s}}{s^2} \quad \therefore f(t) = u(t-4)L^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2}\right\}_{t \rightarrow t-4} = u(t-4).(t-4)$$

$$(c) F(s) = \left(e^{-2\pi s} - e^{-8\pi s}\right) / (s^2 + 1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f(t) &= u(t-2\pi)L^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2 + 1}\right\}_{t \rightarrow t-2\pi} - u(t-8\pi)L^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2 + 1}\right\}_{t \rightarrow t-8\pi} \\ &= u(t-2\pi)\sin(t-2\pi) - u(t-8\pi)\sin(t-8\pi) = u(t-2\pi)\sin t - u(t-8\pi)\sin t \\ &= \sin t [u(t-2\pi) - u(t-8\pi)] \end{aligned}$$

$$(d) F(s) = \left(\frac{e^{-2\pi s} - e^{-8\pi s}}{s}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f(t) &= u(t-2\pi)L^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s}\right\}_{t \rightarrow t-2\pi} - u(t-8\pi)L^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s}\right\}_{t \rightarrow t-8\pi} \\ &= u(t-2\pi) - u(t-8\pi) \end{aligned}$$

**Answer Question (3)**

$$(a) y'' + 2y' + 2y = 0, \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 1$$

**Answer**

$$L\{y'' + 2y' + 2y\} = 0$$

$$s^2Y - sy(0) - y'(0) + 2(sY - y(0)) + 2Y = 0$$

$$s^2Y - \cancel{sy(0)} - 1 + 2(sY - \cancel{y(0)}) + 2Y = 0$$

$$Y = \frac{1}{s^2 + 2s + 2} \quad \text{and} \quad y(t) = L^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2 + 2s + 1 + 1}\right\} = L^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{(s+1)^2 + 1}\right\} = e^{-t} \sin t$$

$$(b) 9y'' - 6y' + y = 0, \quad y(0) = 3, \quad y'(0) = 1$$

$$L\{9y'' - 6y' + y\} = 0$$

$$9s^2Y - 9sy(0) - 9y'(0) - 6sY + 6y(0) + Y = 0$$

$$9s^2Y - 27s - 9 - 6sY + 18 + Y = 0$$

$$Y = \frac{27s - 9}{9s^2 - 6s + 1} = \frac{27s - 9}{(3s - 1)^2} = \frac{9}{(3s - 1)}$$

$$y(t) = L^{-1}\left\{\frac{9}{(3s - 1)}\right\} = L^{-1}\left\{\frac{3}{(s - 1/2)}\right\} = 3e^{\frac{1}{3}t}$$

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### Exersice (2)

(1) Find Laplace transform for the following

(a)  $f(t) = t \cosh \omega t$                       (b)  $f(t) = t \sinh \omega t$

(c)  $f(t) = t^2 \cosh \omega t$                       (d)  $f(t) = t^2 \sinh \omega t$

### Answer Question (1)

(a)  $L\{t \cosh \omega t\} = -\frac{d}{ds}L\{\cosh \omega t\} = -\frac{d}{ds} \frac{s}{s^2 - \omega^2} = \frac{\omega^2 + s^2}{(s^2 - \omega^2)^2}$

$$L\{t \cosh \omega t\} = \frac{1}{2}L\{t(e^{\omega t} + e^{-\omega t})\} = \frac{1}{2}L\{te^{\omega t}\} + \frac{1}{2}L\{te^{-\omega t}\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}L\{t\}_{s \rightarrow s - \omega} + \frac{1}{2}L\{t\}_{s \rightarrow s + \omega} = \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1}{(s - \omega)^2} + \frac{1}{(s + \omega)^2}\right) = \frac{\omega^2 + s^2}{(s^2 - \omega^2)^2}$$

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(b)  $L\{t \sinh \omega t\} = -\frac{d}{ds}L\{\sinh \omega t\} = -\frac{d}{ds} \frac{\omega}{s^2 - \omega^2} = \frac{2\omega s}{(s^2 - \omega^2)^2}$

$$L\{t \sinh \omega t\} = \frac{1}{2}L\{t(e^{\omega t} - e^{-\omega t})\} = \frac{1}{2}L\{te^{\omega t}\} - \frac{1}{2}L\{te^{-\omega t}\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} L\{t\}_{s \rightarrow s-\omega} - \frac{1}{2} L\{t\}_{s \rightarrow s+\omega} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{(s-\omega)^2} - \frac{1}{(s+\omega)^2} \right) = \frac{2\omega s}{(s^2 - \omega^2)^2}$$


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$$(c) L\{t^2 \cosh \omega t\} = \frac{d^2}{ds^2} L\{\cosh \omega t\} = \frac{d^2}{ds^2} \left( \frac{s}{s^2 - \omega^2} \right) = \frac{2s^3 + 6s\omega^2}{(s^2 - \omega^2)^3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} L\{t^2 \cosh \omega t\} &= \frac{1}{2} L\{t^2 (e^{\omega t} + e^{-\omega t})\} = \frac{1}{2} L\{t^2 e^{\omega t}\} + \frac{1}{2} L\{t^2 e^{-\omega t}\} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} L\{t^2\}_{s \rightarrow s-\omega} + \frac{1}{2} L\{t^2\}_{s \rightarrow s+\omega} \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{(s-\omega)^3} + \frac{1}{(s+\omega)^3} \right) = \frac{2s^3 + 6s\omega^2}{(s^2 - \omega^2)^3} \end{aligned}$$


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$$(c) L\{t^2 \sinh \omega t\} = \frac{d^2}{ds^2} L\{\sinh \omega t\} = \frac{d^2}{ds^2} \left( \frac{\omega}{s^2 - \omega^2} \right) = \frac{2\omega^3 + 6s\omega^2}{(s^2 - \omega^2)^3}$$

$$\begin{aligned} L\{t^2 \sinh \omega t\} &= \frac{1}{2} L\{t^2 (e^{\omega t} - e^{-\omega t})\} = \frac{1}{2} L\{t^2 e^{\omega t}\} - \frac{1}{2} L\{t^2 e^{-\omega t}\} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} L\{t^2\}_{s \rightarrow s-\omega} - \frac{1}{2} L\{t^2\}_{s \rightarrow s+\omega} \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{(s-\omega)^3} - \frac{1}{(s+\omega)^3} \right) = \frac{2\omega^3 + 6s\omega^2}{(s^2 - \omega^2)^3} \end{aligned}$$


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### Answer Question (2)

(2) Find the Laplace transform of the periodic function  $f(t)$ .

$$(a) f(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 < t < a \\ 0 & a < t < 2a \end{cases} \quad \text{period } 2a \quad \text{Ans. } \frac{1}{s(1 + e^{-as})}$$

$$\text{let } f_1(t) = u(t) - u(t-a) \quad L\{f_1(t)\} = \frac{1-e^{-as}}{s}$$

$$\therefore L\{f(t)\} = \frac{1}{1-e^{-2as}} \left( \frac{1-e^{-as}}{s} \right) = \frac{1}{(1+e^{-as})(1-e^{-as})} \left( \frac{1-e^{-as}}{s} \right) = \frac{1}{s(1+e^{-as})}$$


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$$(b) f(t) = f(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 < t < a \\ -1 & a < t < 2a \end{cases} \quad \text{period } 2a \quad \text{Ans. } \frac{(1-e^{-as})}{s(1+e^{-as})} = \frac{1}{s} \tanh \frac{as}{2}$$

$$\text{let } f_1(t) = u(t) - 2u(t-a) + u(t-2a) \quad \text{then } L\{f_1(t)\} = \frac{1-2e^{-as}+e^{-2as}}{s} = \frac{(1-e^{-as})^2}{s}$$

$$\therefore L\{f(t)\} = \frac{1}{1-e^{-2as}} \frac{(1-e^{-as})^2}{s} = \frac{1}{(1+e^{-as})(1-e^{-as})} \frac{(1-e^{-as})^2}{s} = \frac{(1-e^{-as})}{s(1+e^{-as})}$$


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$$(c) f(t) = f(t) = \begin{cases} t & 0 < t < a \\ 0 & a < t < 2a \end{cases} \quad \text{period } 2a$$

$$\text{let } f_1(t) = t[u(t) - u(t-a)]$$

$$L\{f_1(t)\} = \frac{1}{s^2} - e^{-as} L\{t+a\} = \frac{1}{s^2} - e^{-as} \left( \frac{1}{s^2} + \frac{a}{s} \right) = \frac{1-e^{-as} - ase^{-as}}{s^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore L\{f(t)\} &= \frac{1}{1-e^{-2as}} \left( \frac{1-e^{-as} - ase^{-as}}{s^2} \right) = \frac{1-e^{-as}}{s^2(1+e^{-as})(1-e^{-as})} - \frac{1}{1-e^{-2as}} \frac{ase^{-as}}{s^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{s^2(1+e^{-as})} - \frac{ae^{-as}}{s(1-e^{-2as})} \end{aligned}$$


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$$(d) f(t) = f(t) = \begin{cases} t & 0 < t < a \\ 2a-t & a < t < 2a \end{cases} \quad \text{period } 2a$$

$$\text{let } f_1(t) = tu(t) + (2a-2t)u(t-a) - (2a-t)u(t-2a)$$

$$= tu(t) - 2(t-a)u(t-a) + (t-2a)u(t-2a)$$

$$L\{f_1(t)\} = \frac{1}{s^2} - 2e^{-as}L\{t\} + e^{-2as}L\{t\} = \frac{1}{s^2}(1 - 2e^{-as} + e^{-2as}) = \frac{1}{s^2}(1 - e^{-as})^2$$

$$\therefore L\{f(t)\} = \left(\frac{1}{1 - e^{-2as}}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{s^2}(1 - e^{-as})^2 = \frac{1 - e^{-as}}{s^2(1 + e^{-as})} = \frac{1}{s^2} \tanh \frac{as}{2}$$

### Answer Question (3)

(3) Compute the Laplace transform of the function

$f(t) = u(t) - u(t-a) + u(t-2a) - u(t-3a) + \dots$  term by term and compare with **Question 2(a)**.

**Answer**

$$f(t) = u(t) - u(t-a) + u(t-2a) - u(t-3a) + \dots$$

$$L\{f(t)\} = L\{u(t) - u(t-a) + u(t-2a) - u(t-3a) + \dots\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s}(1 - e^{-as} + e^{-2as} - e^{-3as} + \dots) \quad \text{and} \quad L\{f(t)\} = \frac{1}{s} \left( \frac{1}{1 + e^{-as}} \right)$$

### Answer Question (4)

(4) Express the function in Question 1(b) as an infinite series of unit step functions and compute its Laplace transform term by term.

**Answer**

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 < t < a \\ -1 & a < t < 2a \end{cases} \quad \text{period } 2a$$

$$f(t) = u(t) - 2u(t-a) + 2u(t-2a) - 2u(t-3a) + \dots$$

$$L\{f(t)\} = \frac{1}{s}(1 - 2e^{-as} + 2e^{-2as} - 2e^{-3as} + \dots) = \frac{1}{s}(-1 + 2 - 2e^{-as} + 2e^{-2as} - 2e^{-3as} + \dots)$$

$$L\{f(t)\} = \frac{1}{s}(-1 + 2\{1 - e^{-as} + e^{-2as} - e^{-3as} + \dots\}) = \frac{1}{s} \left( \frac{2}{1 + e^{-as}} - 1 \right)$$

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

### Answer Question (5)

(5) Determine  $f(t) = L^{-1}\{F(s)\}$  where  $F(s) = \frac{1 - e^{-as}}{s(e^{as} + e^{-as})}$  by writing  $F(s)$  as an infinite series of exponential functions and computing the inverse term by term.

$$\begin{aligned} F(s) &= \frac{1 - e^{-as}}{s(e^{as} + e^{-as})} = \frac{1}{se^{as}} \frac{1 - e^{-as}}{(1 + e^{-2as})} = \frac{1}{s} (e^{-as} - e^{-2as}) (1 + e^{-2as})^{-1} \\ &= \frac{1}{s} (e^{-as} - e^{-2as}) (1 - e^{-2as} + e^{-4as} - e^{-6as} + e^{-8as} - e^{-10as} + \dots) \\ &= \frac{1}{s} (e^{-as} - e^{-3as} + e^{-5as} - e^{-7as} + e^{-9as} - e^{-11as} + \dots) \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{s} (e^{-2as} - e^{-4as} + e^{-6as} - e^{-8as} + e^{-10as} + \dots) \\ f(t) &= (u_a - u_{3a} + u_{5a} - \dots) - (u_{2a} - u_{4a} + u_{6a} - \dots) \end{aligned}$$

### **Exercise (3)**

(1) Use the convolution theorem to find the following

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a)} \quad & L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{(s-1)(s-2)}\right) & \text{(b)} \quad & L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s(s^2+1)}\right) & \text{(c)} \quad & L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s^2(s^2+1)}\right) \\ \text{(d)} \quad & L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s^2(s+4)^2}\right) & \text{(e)} \quad & L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{(s^2+1)^3}\right) \end{aligned}$$

### Answer Question (1)

$$\text{(a)} \quad L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{(s-1)(s-2)}\right) = e^t * e^{2t} = \int_0^t e^{(t-x)} e^{2x} dx = e^t \int_0^t e^x dx = e^t (e^t - 1)$$

$$\text{(b)} \quad L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s(s^2+1)}\right) = \int_0^t \sin(x) dx = -\cos(x) \Big|_0^t = 1 - \cos t$$

$$(c) L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s^2(s^2+1)}\right) = L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s^2} \cdot \frac{1}{(s^2+1)}\right) = t * \sin t = \int_0^t (t-x) \sin x dx$$

$$= \int_0^t t \sin x dx - \int_0^t x \sin x dx = [-t \cos x - (-x \cos x + \sin x)]_0^t$$

$$= t - \sin t$$

$$(d) L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s^2(s+4)^2}\right) = L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s^2} \cdot \frac{1}{(s+4)^2}\right) = t * te^{-4t}$$

$$= \int_0^x (t-x) \cdot xe^{-4x} dx = \int_0^x txe^{-4x} dx - \int_0^x x^2 e^{-4x} dx$$

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

### Answer Question (2)

(2) Use the convolution theorem to show that

$$(a) \int_0^t \cos x \sin(t-x) dx = \frac{1}{2} t \sin t$$

**Answer**

$$L\left\{\int_0^t \cos x \sin(t-x) dx\right\} = L\{\cos x\} \cdot L\{\sin x\} = \frac{s}{(s^2+1)^2} = -\frac{1}{2} \frac{d}{ds} \frac{1}{(s^2+1)}$$

$$\text{Then } \int_0^t \cos x \sin(t-x) dx = \frac{-1}{2} L^{-1}\left\{\frac{d}{ds} \frac{1}{(s^2+1)}\right\} = \frac{-1}{2} (-t) L^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{(s^2+1)}\right\} = \frac{t}{2} \sin t$$

(b)  $y(t) = \frac{1}{\omega} \int_0^t f(x) \sinh \omega(t-x) dx$  is a solution to the D.Eqn

$$y'' - \omega^2 y = f(t), \quad y(0) = y'(0) = 0$$



**Answer**

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{\omega} \int_0^t f(x) \sinh \omega(t-x) dx$$

$$s^2 Y(s) - \omega^2 Y(s) = F(s)$$

$$Y(s) = F(s) \frac{1}{s^2 - \omega^2} = \frac{1}{\omega} F(s) \cdot L\{\sinh \omega t\}$$

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{\omega} (f(t) * \sinh t) = \frac{1}{\omega} \int_0^t f(x) \sinh(t-x) dx$$

Which is a solution for the differential Equation

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**Answer Question (3)**

(3) Solve the following integral Equations

(a)  $y(t) = 1 + \int_0^t \cos x y(t-x) dx$

(b)  $y(t) = \sin t + \int_0^t e^x y(t-x) dx$

(c)  $y(t) = 1 + \int_0^t \sin x y(t-x) dx$

(d)  $te^{-at} = \int_0^t y(x) y(t-x) dx$

(e)  $y'(t) + \int_0^t y(t-x) dx = \cos t, y(0) = 0$

**Answer (a)** (a)  $y(t) = 1 + \int_0^t \cos(t-x) y(x) dx$

$$Y(s) = \frac{1}{s} + Y(s) \cdot \frac{s}{s^2 + 1} \quad \text{then } Y(s) = \frac{s^2 + 1}{s(s^2 - s + 1)} = \frac{A}{s} + \frac{Bs + C}{s^2 - s + 1}$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{s^2 + 1}{s(s^2 - s + 1)} = \frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{s^2 - s + 1} \quad \text{and } y(t) = 1 - \frac{2}{\sqrt{3}} e^{-t/2} \sin \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} t$$

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**Answer (b)** (b)  $y(t) = \sin t + \int_0^t e^{-x} y(t-x) dx$

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

$$Y = \frac{s-1}{(s^2+1)(s-2)} = \frac{As+B}{s^2+1} + \frac{C}{s-2} = \frac{1}{5} \left( \frac{-s+3}{s^2+1} + \frac{1}{s-2} \right)$$

$$Y = \frac{1}{5} \left( \frac{-s}{s^2+1} + \frac{3}{s^2+1} + \frac{1}{s-2} \right) \text{ then } y(t) = \frac{1}{5} \left( -\cos t + 3\sin t + e^{2t} \right)$$

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**Answer (c)** (c)  $y(t) = 1 + \int_0^t \sin x y(t-x) dx$

$$Y = \frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{s^2+1} Y \text{ then } Y = \frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{s^3} \text{ and } y(t) = 1 + \frac{1}{2} t^2$$

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**Answer (d)** (d)  $te^{-at} = \int_0^t y(x) y(t-x) dx$

Apply Laplace Transform for both sides we have

$$te^{-at} = \int_0^t y(x) y(t-x) dx$$

$$\frac{1}{(s+a)^2} = Y^2 \Rightarrow Y = \pm \frac{1}{s+a} \text{ hence } y(t) = \pm e^{-at}$$

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**Answer (e)** (e)  $y'(t) + \int_0^t y(t-x) dx = \cos t, y(0) = 0$

Apply Laplace Transform for both sides we have

$$sY - y(0) + \frac{1}{s}Y = \frac{s}{s^2 + 1} \quad \Rightarrow \quad (s^2 + 1)Y = \frac{s^2}{(s^2 + 1)}$$

$$Y = \frac{s^2}{(s^2 + 1)^2} \text{ hence } y(t) = \cos t * \cos t = \int_0^t \cos x \cos(t - x) dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t (\cos(2x - t) + \cos t) dx = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} \sin(2x - t) + x \cos t \right)_0^t \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2} \sin t + t \cos t - \frac{1}{2} \sin t \right) = \frac{1}{2} t \cos t \end{aligned}$$

### Answer Question (4)

(4) Solve the following initial value problems by using Laplace transform

(a)  $y' - y = \cos t, \quad y(0) = 1$

(b)  $y' + y = t^2 e^t, \quad y(0) = 2$

(c)  $y'' + 4y = \sin t, \quad y(0) = 1, y'(0) = 0$

(d)  $y'' - 2y' - 3y = te^t, \quad y(0) = 2, y'(0) = 1$

(e)  $y'' + y' = f(t), \quad y(0) = 1, y'(0) = -1$

**Answer (a)** (a)  $y' - y = \cos t, \quad y(0) = 1$

$$sY(s) - y(0) - Y(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + 1}$$

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

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

$$y(t) = e^t * \sin t + e^t = \int_0^t e^{(t-x)} \sin x dx + e^t = \frac{-1}{2}(\cos t + \sin t) + \frac{1}{2}e^t + e^t$$

**Answer (b)** (b)  $y' + y = t^2 e^t$ ,  $y(0) = 2$

$$sY(s) - y(0) + Y(s) = \frac{2}{(s-1)^3}$$

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

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

**Answer (c)** (c)  $y'' + 4y = \sin t$ ,  $y(0) = 1$ ,  $y'(0) = 0$

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

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

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

**For**  $\frac{1}{(s^2 + 4)(s^2 + 1)} = \frac{Ax + B}{(s^2 + 1)} + \frac{Cx + D}{(s^2 + 4)} = \frac{1}{3} \left[ \frac{1}{(s^2 + 1)} - \frac{1}{(s^2 + 4)} \right]$

**Then**  $Y(s) = \frac{1}{3} \left[ \frac{1}{(s^2 + 1)} - \frac{1}{(s^2 + 4)} \right] + \frac{s}{(s^2 + 4)}$

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{3} \sin t - \frac{1}{6} \sin 2t + \cos 2t$$

**Answer (d)** (d)  $y'' - 2y' - 3y = te^t$ ,  $y(0) = 2$ ,  $y'(0) = 1$

$$s^2Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) - 2[sY(s) - y(0)] - 3Y(s) = \frac{1}{s-1}$$

$$s^2Y(s) - 2s - 1 - 2[sY(s) - 2] - 3Y(s) = \frac{1}{s-1}$$

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

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

$$= \frac{7/8}{(s - 3)} + \frac{11/8}{(s + 1)} + \frac{-1/4}{(s - 1)}$$

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{8} \left( 7e^{3t} + 11e^{-t} - 2e^t \right)$$

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**Answer (e)** (e)  $y'' + y' = f(t)$ ,  $y(0) = 1$ ,  $y'(0) = -1$

$$s^2 Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) + [sY - y(0)] = F(s)$$

$$s^2 Y(s) - s + sY = F(s)$$

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

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