Differential Equations I for Students of Engineering Sciences

Sheet 7, Exercise class

To shorten the notation we employ the Doetsch symbol:

$$F(s) := \mathscr{L}f(s) := \int_0^\infty e^{-st} f(t) dt \iff f(t) \circ - \bullet F(s)$$

The following correspondences or relations for $\text{Re}\left(s\right) > \gamma$, which were either proved in the lecture or could be proved completely analogously to the lectures procedure, may be used. We always have $f(t)=0, \forall t<0$.

$f(t), t \ge 0$	F	γ
1 i.e. $h_0(t)$	$\frac{1}{s}$	0
$h_a(t)$	$e^{-as}\frac{1}{s}$	0
$t^n, n \in \mathbb{N}$	$\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}$	0
$e^{at}, a \in \mathbb{C}$	$\frac{1}{s-a}$	$\operatorname{Re}\left(a\right)$
$e^{at}\sin(\omega t), \omega \in \mathbb{R}$	$\frac{\omega}{(s-a)^2 + \omega^2}$	0
$e^{at}\cos(\omega t), \omega \in \mathbb{R}$	$\frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2 + \omega^2}$	0

 $h_a(t)$ for $a \ge 0$ is defined as follows:

$$h_a(t) := \begin{cases} 1 & t \ge a \ge 0, \\ 0 & t < a. \end{cases}$$

If $f(t) \circ - \bullet F(s)$, then the following shifting theorems hold.

I) $h_a(t)f(t-a)$ \longrightarrow $e^{-sa}F(s)$

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$$II) \qquad e^{at} f(t) \qquad \circ - \bullet \quad F(s-a)$$

$$a \in \mathbb{C}$$

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Exercise 1:

a) Which is the algebraic equation resulting from Laplace transformation of the initial value problem

$$u'' - 2u' + u = \sin(4t) + 2te^{-t}$$
, for $t > 0$, $u(0) = 1$, $u'(0) = 0$?

Please justify your answer by intermediate computations.

Compute the solution of the algebraic equation.

b) Let $F(s) = \frac{1}{s(s+1)^2}$ be the Laplace transform of the function

$$f: \mathbb{R}_0^+ \to \mathbb{R}, \quad f: t \mapsto f(t).$$

Determine f(t).

Exercise 2:

a) For the following matrices \boldsymbol{A} analyse the stability of the stationary point $(0,0)^T$ of the linear system $\boldsymbol{u}'(t) = A \boldsymbol{u}(t)$.

$$\mathbf{i)} \ \ A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ -1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}, \qquad \quad \mathbf{ii)} \ \ A = \begin{pmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ -1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}, \qquad \quad \mathbf{iii)} \ \ A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

b) Consider the following linear system

$$\dot{\boldsymbol{u}}\left(t\right) = \begin{pmatrix} -3 & 0 & 3 \\ -1 & -\gamma & 1 \\ 3 & 0 & -3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \boldsymbol{u}\left(t\right).$$

Determine the stability behaviour of the stationary point $(0,0,0)^T$ depending on the parameter $\gamma \in \mathbb{R}$.

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