

## Solution to Assignment 7

### 7.1 Exercise 7.4 of Boulet's book.

Use the unilateral Laplace transform to compute the output response  $y(t)$  to the input  $x(t) = \cos(10t)u(t)$  of the following causal LTI differential system with initial conditions

$$y(0^-) = 1, \quad \frac{dy(0^-)}{dt} = 1:$$

$$\frac{d^2 y(t)}{dt^2} + 5 \frac{dy(t)}{dt} + 6y(t) = x(t).$$

*Answer:*

Let us transform this differential equation:

$$s^2 \mathcal{Y}(s) - sy(0^-) - \frac{dy(0^-)}{dt} + 5s\mathcal{Y}(s) - 5y(0^-) + 6\mathcal{Y}(s) = \mathcal{X}(s)$$

Using the initial conditions and simplifying, we obtain:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{Y}(s) &= \frac{1}{s^2 + 5s + 6} \mathcal{X}(s) + \frac{s + 6}{s^2 + 5s + 6} \\ &= \frac{1}{(s + 3)(s + 2)} \mathcal{X}(s) + \frac{s + 6}{(s + 3)(s + 2)} \end{aligned}$$

But  $\mathcal{X}(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 + 100}$ ,  $\text{Re}\{s\} > 0$ , thus

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{Y}(s) &= \frac{s}{\underbrace{(s + 3)(s + 2)(s^2 + 100)}_{\text{Re}\{s\} > 0}} + \frac{s + 6}{\underbrace{(s + 3)(s + 2)}_{\text{Re}\{s\} > -2}} \\ &= \frac{s^3 + 6s^2 + 101s + 600}{(s + 3)(s + 2)(s^2 + 100)}, \quad \text{Re}\{s\} > 0 \\ &= \frac{A}{s + 2} + \frac{B}{s + 3} + \frac{Cs + 10D}{s^2 + 100} \\ &= \frac{3.9808}{\underbrace{s + 2}_{\text{Re}\{s\} > -2}} - \frac{2.9725}{\underbrace{s + 3}_{\text{Re}\{s\} > -3}} - \frac{0.0083s}{\underbrace{s^2 + 100}_{\text{Re}\{s\} > 0}} + \frac{10(0.00441)}{\underbrace{s^2 + 100}_{\text{Re}\{s\} > 0}} \end{aligned}$$

Finally, we use Table D.4 of Laplace transform pairs to get

$$y(t) = [3.9808e^{-2t} - 2.9725e^{-3t} - 0.0083 \cos 10t + 0.00441 \sin 10t]u(t).$$

## 7.2 Exercise 7.8 of Boulet's book

Consider the causal differential system described by:

$$\frac{1}{2} \frac{d^2 y(t)}{dt^2} + \frac{dy(t)}{dt} + 2y(t) = -\frac{dx(t)}{dt} - x(t),$$

with initial conditions  $\frac{dy(0^-)}{dt} = 1$ ,  $y(0^-) = 2$ . Suppose that this system is subjected to the input signal  $x(t) = u(t)$ . Give the transfer function of the system and specify its ROC. Compute the steady-state response  $y_{ss}(t)$  and the transient response  $y_{tr}(t)$  for  $t \geq 0$ .

*Answer:*

Let's take the unilateral Laplace transform on both sides of the differential equation.

$$\left[ s^2 \mathbf{y}(s) - s y(0^-) - \frac{dy(0^-)}{dt} \right] + 2 \left[ s \mathbf{y}(s) - y(0^-) \right] + 4 \mathbf{y}(s) = -2s \mathcal{X}(s) - 2 \mathcal{X}(s)$$

Collecting the terms containing  $\mathbf{y}(s)$  on the left-hand side and putting everything else on the right-hand side, we can solve for  $\mathbf{y}(s)$ .

$$(s^2 + 2s + 4) \mathbf{y}(s) = -2s \mathcal{X}(s) - 2 \mathcal{X}(s) + s y(0^-) + 2 y(0^-) + \frac{dy(0^-)}{dt}$$

$$\mathbf{y}(s) = \underbrace{\frac{-2(s+1)\mathcal{X}(s)}{s^2 + 2s + 4}}_{\text{zero-state resp.}} + \underbrace{\frac{(s+2)y(0^-) + \frac{dy(0^-)}{dt}}{s^2 + 2s + 4}}_{\text{zero-input resp.}}$$

The transfer function is  $\frac{-2(s+1)}{s^2 + 2s + 4}$  and since the system is causal, the ROC is an open RHP to the right of the rightmost pole. The poles are  $p_{1,2} = -1 \pm j\sqrt{3}$ . Therefore, the ROC is  $\text{Re}\{s\} > -1$ . The unilateral LT of the input is given by

$$\mathcal{X}(s) = \frac{1}{s}, \quad \text{Re}\{s\} > 0,$$

thus,

$$\mathbf{y}(s) = \underbrace{\frac{-2(s+1)}{(s^2 + 2s + 4)s}}_{\substack{\text{Re}\{s\} > 0 \\ \text{zero-state resp.}}} + \underbrace{\frac{2s+5}{s^2 + 2s + 4}}_{\substack{\text{Re}\{s\} > -1 \\ \text{zero-input resp.}}} = \frac{2s^2 + 3s - 2}{(s^2 + 2s + 4)s}$$

Let's compute the overall response:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{Y}(s) &= \frac{2s^2 + 3s - 2}{(s^2 + 2s + 4)s}, \quad \text{Re}\{s\} > 0 \\
 &= \frac{A\sqrt{3} + B(s+1)}{\underbrace{(s+1)^2 + 3}_{\text{Re}\{s\} > -1}} + \frac{C}{\underbrace{s}_{\text{Re}\{s\} > 0}} \\
 &= \frac{A\sqrt{3} + B(s+1)}{\underbrace{(s+1)^2 + 3}_{\text{Re}\{s\} > -1}} - \frac{0.5}{\underbrace{s}_{\text{Re}\{s\} > 0}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Let  $s = -1$  to compute  $\frac{-3}{-3} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}A + \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow A = \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}$ , then multiply both sides by  $s$  and let  $s \rightarrow \infty$

to get  $B = 2.5$ :

$$\mathcal{Y}(s) = \frac{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}(\sqrt{3}) + 2.5(s+1)}{\underbrace{(s+1)^2 + 3}_{\text{Re}\{s\} > -1}} - \frac{0.5}{\underbrace{s}_{\text{Re}\{s\} > 0}}$$

Notice that the second term  $-\frac{0.5}{s}$  is the steady-state response, and thus  $y_{ss}(t) = -0.5u(t)$ .

Taking the inverse Laplace transform using the table yields

$$y_{tr}(t) = \left[ \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} e^{-t} \sin(\sqrt{3}t) + \frac{5}{2} e^{-t} \cos(\sqrt{3}t) \right] u(t).$$

7.3 Consider the system characterized by the differential Eq.

$$\frac{d^3 y(t)}{dt^3} + 6 \frac{d^2 y(t)}{dt^2} + 11 \frac{dy(t)}{dt} + 6y(t) = x(t)$$

- (a) Determine the zero-state response of the system for the input  $x(t) = e^{-4t}u(t)$ .  
 (b) Determine the zero-input response of the system for  $t > 0^-$ , given that

$$y(0^-) = 1,$$

$$\left. \frac{dy(t)}{dt} \right|_{t=0^-} = -1$$

$$\left. \frac{d^2 y(t)}{dt^2} \right|_{t=0^-} = 1$$

- (c) Determine the output of the system when the input and the initial conditions are the same as given in (a) and (b).  
 (d) Indicate the transient response and steady-state response of the output obtained in (c)

Answer:

Taking the unilateral LT on both sides of the Eq, we get:

$$s^3Y(s) - s^2y(0^-) - sy'(0^-) - y''(0^-) + 6s^2Y(s) - 6sy(0^-) - 6y'(0^-) + 11sY(s) - 11y(0^-) + 6Y(s) = X(s) \quad (\text{A 7.3})$$

(a) For the zero-state response, all initial conditions  $y^{(n)}(0^-)=0$ ,  $n=0, 1, 2$ .

Taking the unilateral LT of  $x(t)$ :

$$X(s) = \frac{1}{s+4} \quad \text{Re}\{s\} > -4$$

$$\text{Then, } Y(s)[s^3 + 6s^2 + 11s + 6] = \frac{1}{s+4}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Y(s) &= \frac{1}{(s^3 + 6s^2 + 11s + 6)(s+4)} = \frac{1}{(s+1)(s+2)(s+3)(s+4)} \\ &= \frac{A}{s+1} + \frac{B}{s+2} + \frac{C}{s+3} + \frac{D}{s+4} \\ &= \frac{\frac{1}{6}}{s+1} + \frac{-\frac{1}{2}}{s+2} + \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{s+3} + \frac{-\frac{1}{6}}{s+4} \end{aligned}$$

Taking the inverse unilateral Laplace transform of the partial fraction expansion, we get

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{6}e^{-t}u(t) - \frac{1}{2}e^{-2t}u(t) + \frac{1}{2}e^{-3t}u(t) - \frac{1}{6}e^{-4t}u(t)$$

(b) For the zero-input response,  $X(s)=0$ . From Eq. (A7.3), we get

$$Y(s) = \frac{s^2 + 5s + 6}{[s^3 + 6s^2 + 11s + 6]} = \frac{1}{s+1}$$

Taking the inverse unilateral Laplace transform of the above Eq., we get

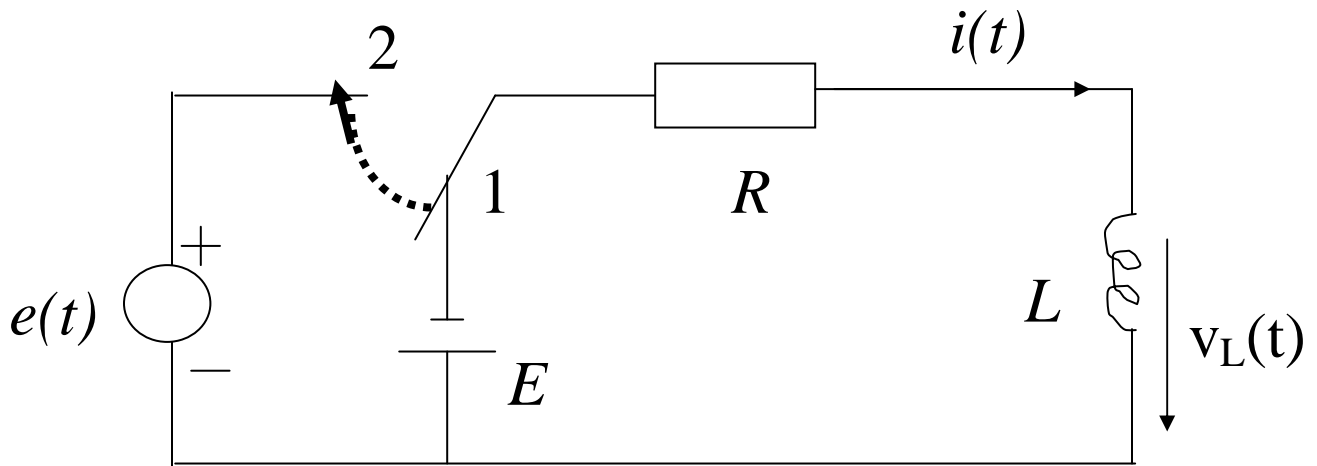
$$y(t) = e^{-t}u(t)$$

(c) The total response is

$$y(t) = \frac{7}{6}e^{-t}u(t) - \frac{1}{6}e^{-4t}u(t) + \frac{1}{2}e^{-2t}u(t) - \frac{1}{2}e^{-3t}u(t)$$

(d) According to Boulet's book, the response determined by the input pole is the steady response. In this case, however, the response corresponding to the input pole ( $s = -4$ ) is  $(-1/6)e^{-4t}u(t)$ , which is transient. Another book mentioned that if the input pole is in the left half  $s$ -plane, the corresponding response is transient. The total response is transient.

7.4 Determine the signal  $i(t)$ , the current in the following circuit, using the unilateral Laplace transform. At time  $t=0$ , the switch is turned on 2 from 1, and the voltage source  $e(t) = Ae^{j\omega_0 t} u(t)$ . Please indicate the transient response, steady-state response, zero-input response, zero-state responses of  $i(t)$ .



Answer:

Write the differential Eq. about  $i(t)$ :

$$L \frac{di(t)}{dt} + Ri(t) = Ae^{j\omega_0 t} u(t)$$

and taking unilateral LT on both sides:

$$L[sI(s) - i(0^-)] + RI(s) = \frac{A}{s - j\omega_0}, \quad ROC \in \text{Re}\{s\} > 0$$

Then

$$I(s)[Ls + R] = \frac{A}{s - j\omega_0} + Li(0^-)$$

$$I(s) = \frac{1/L}{s + R/L} \left\{ \frac{A\omega_0}{s - j\omega_0} + Li(0^-) \right\}$$

$$I(s) = \frac{A\omega_0}{L} \left[ \frac{C_1}{s + R/L} + \frac{C_2}{s - j\omega_0} \right] + \frac{i(0^-)}{s + R/L}, \quad ROC \in \text{Re}\{s\} > 0$$

where

$$C_1 = \frac{1}{s + R/L} \frac{1}{s - j\omega_0} (s + R/L) \Big|_{s = -R/L} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{-R}{L}\right) - j\omega_0} = \frac{L}{-R - j\omega_0 L}$$

$$C_2 = \frac{1}{s + R/L} \frac{1}{s - j\omega_0} (s - j\omega_0) \Big|_{s = j\omega_0} = \frac{1}{j\omega_0 + R/L} = \frac{L}{j\omega_0 L + R}$$

Take inverse LT of I(s):

$$i(t) = \frac{A\omega_0}{-R - j\omega_0 L} e^{-Rt/L} u(t) + \frac{A\omega_0}{R + j\omega_0 L} e^{j\omega_0 t} u(t) + i(0^-) e^{-Rt/L} u(t)$$

Where  $i(0^-) = -E/R$ .

The second term is the steady-state response (determined by the input pole).

The last term is the zero-input response (for  $A=0$ ).

The sum of the first and the last terms is the transient response (determined by system poles)

The sum of the first and the second terms is the zero-state response (for  $i(0^-)=0$ ).