

3.4. Application to differential equations. Let

$$\frac{d^n x}{dt^n} + a_1 \frac{d^{n-1} x}{dt^{n-1}} + \dots + a_{n-1} \frac{dx}{dt} + a_n x = f(t), \quad (1)$$

be a linear differential equation with constant coefficients, valid for $t > 0$. Suppose we want a solution of this equation satisfying the conditions :

$$x = x_0, \quad \frac{dx}{dt} = x_1, \quad \frac{d^2 x}{dt^2} = x_2, \quad \dots, \quad \frac{d^{n-1} x}{dt^{n-1}} = x_{n-1}, \quad (2)$$

when $t = 0$.

Multiply both sides of (1) by e^{-st} and integrate each term with respect to t from 0 to ∞ . Then, using the result of § 3.3 and transposing the terms with minus sign to the right, we get

$$\begin{aligned} (s^n + a_1 s^{n-1} + a_2 s^{n-2} + \dots + a_{n-1} s + a_n) \bar{x} \\ = \bar{f}(s) + (s^{n-1} + a_1 s^{n-2} + \dots + a_{n-2} s + a_{n-1}) x_0 \\ + (s^{n-2} + a_1 s^{n-3} + \dots + a_{n-2}) x_1 \\ + (s^{n-3} + a_1 s^{n-4} + \dots + a_{n-3}) x_2 \\ + \dots + (s + a_1) x_{n-2} + x_{n-1}, \end{aligned} \quad (3)$$

where $\bar{x}$ denotes the Laplace transform of x and $\bar{f}(s)$ that of $f(t)$.

Dividing by $(s^n + a_1 s^{n-1} + \dots + a_n)$, we get $\bar{x}$ as a known function of s . Resolving this into partial fractions and taking its inverse, we get x as a function of t . This will be a solution of (1) satisfying the initial conditions (2).

Equation (3) is called the 'subsidiary equation'. If the given differential equation is written as

$$(D^n + a_1 D^{n-1} + \dots + a_{n-1} D + a_n) x = f(t),$$

the left-hand side of the subsidiary equation is obtained by replacing D by s and x by $\bar{x}$. The first term on the right is $\bar{f}(s)$, the transform of $f(t)$. The remaining terms on the right-hand side are terms in $x_0, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{n-1}$

multiplied by polynomials in s . These polynomials are obtained by dividing

$$s^n + a_1 s^{n-1} + \dots + a_{n-1} s + a_n$$

(i.e. the factor multiplying $\bar{x}$ on the left) successively by $s, s^2, s^3, \dots, s^n$, and dropping off any negative powers of s .

Ex. 1. Solve the equation

$$(D^2 - 2D + 2)x = 0, \quad x_0 = x_1 = 1. \quad [\text{Banaras, 1971}]$$

On Laplace transformation the given equation becomes

$$\begin{aligned} (s^2 - 2s + 2)\bar{x} &= 0 + (s-2)x_0 + x_1 \\ &= (s-2) + 1 = s-1. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore
$$\bar{x} = \frac{s-1}{s^2-2s+2} = \frac{s-1}{(s-1)^2+1}.$$

On inversion, we get

$$x = e^t \cos t.$$

Ex. 2. Solve the equation

$$(D-1)(D-2)(D-3)x = 5, \quad x_0 = 0, \quad x_1 = 1, \quad x_2 = 0.$$

The left-hand side is $(D^3 - 6D^2 + 11D - 6)x$; so transformation gives

$$\begin{aligned} (s-1)(s-2)(s-3)\bar{x} &= \frac{5}{s} + (s^2 - 6s + 11)x_0 + (s-6)x_1 + x_2 \\ &= \frac{5}{s} + (s-6) = \frac{s^2 - 6s + 5}{s}. \end{aligned}$$

Therefore
$$\begin{aligned} \bar{x} &= \frac{s^2 - 6s + 5}{s(s-1)(s-2)(s-3)} \\ &= \frac{5}{s(-6)} + \frac{0}{s-1} + \frac{(-3)}{(-2)(s-2)} + \frac{(-4)}{6(s-3)}, \end{aligned}$$

on breaking into partial fractions. Inversion gives

$$x = \frac{3}{2}e^{2t} - \frac{2}{3}e^{3t} - \frac{5}{6}.$$

Examples 2.6

Q.No.1

The given equation is

$$(D^2 + 3D + 2)x = 0, \quad x|_{t=0} = x_0, \quad Dx|_{t=0} = x_1 \quad \text{at } t=0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

The Laplace transform of (1) gives

$$(s^2 + 3s + 2)\bar{x} = (s+3)x_0 + x_1$$

$$\therefore \bar{x} = \frac{(s+3)x_0 + x_1}{(s^2 + 3s + 2)} = \frac{(s+3)x_0 + x_1}{(s+1)(s+2)}$$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{2x_0 + x_1}{s+1} - \frac{x_0 + x_1}{s+2}$$

partial fraction

$$\therefore L^{-1}(\bar{x}) = L^{-1}\left\{\frac{2x_0 + x_1}{s+1}\right\} - L^{-1}\left\{\frac{x_0 + x_1}{s+2}\right\}$$

$$x = (2x_0 + x_1)e^{-t} - (x_0 + x_1)e^{-2t}$$

This is the required solution of (1)

Q.No.2

$$(D^2 - 3D + 2)x = e^{at}, \quad a \neq 1, 2, \quad x|_{t=0} = x_0, \quad Dx|_{t=0} = x_1 \quad \text{at } t=0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

The Laplace transform of equation (1) gives

$$(s^2 - 3s + 2)\bar{x} = \frac{1}{s-a} + (s-3)x_0 + x_1$$

$$\therefore \bar{x} = \frac{1}{(s-a)(s^2 - 3s + 2)} + \frac{(s-3)x_0 + x_1}{(s^2 - 3s + 2)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(s-a)(s-1)(s-2)} + \frac{(s-3)x_0 + x_1}{(s-1)(s-2)}$$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{(s-a)(a-1)(a-2)} + \frac{1}{(a-1)(s-1)} - \frac{1}{(a-2)(s-2)}$$

$\frac{-2x_0 + x_1}{s-1}$
 $\frac{x_0 - x_1}{s-2}$

$$L^{-1}\{\bar{x}\} = L^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{(s-a)(a-1)(a-2)} + \frac{1}{(a-1)(s-1)} - \frac{1}{(a-2)(s-2)} + \frac{2x_0 + x_1}{s-1} - \frac{x_0 + x_1}{s-2}\right\}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{(a-1)(a-2)} e^{at} + \frac{1}{(a-1)} e^t - \frac{1}{(a-1)} e^{2t} + (2\eta_0 + \eta_1) e^t - (\eta_0 + \eta_1) e^{2t}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{(a-1)(a-2)} e^{at} + \left(2\eta_0 + \eta_1 + \frac{1}{(a-1)}\right) e^t - \left(\eta_0 + \eta_1 + \frac{1}{a-2}\right) e^{2t}$$

which is the required solution of (1)

Q. NO. 3 $(D^2 - 3D + 2)x = 1 - e^{2t}$, $\eta_0 = 1, \eta_1 = 0$ — (1)

The Laplace transform of (1) gives

$$(s^2 - 3s + 2)\bar{x} = \frac{1}{s} - \frac{1}{s-2} + (s-3)\eta_0 + \eta_1$$

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

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

$$= \frac{s^3 - 5s^2 + 6s - 2}{s(s-2)}$$

$$\therefore \bar{x} = \frac{s^3 - 5s^2 + 6s - 2}{s(s-1)(s-2)^2}$$

$$= \frac{A}{s} + \frac{B}{s-1} + \frac{C}{(s-2)^2} + \frac{D}{(s-2)}$$

$$B=0, C=-1, A=\frac{1}{2} \checkmark$$

Multiplying both sides by s and letting $s \rightarrow \infty$, we have

$$1 = \frac{1}{2} + D \text{ or } D = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore \bar{x} = \frac{1}{2s} + \frac{0}{s-1} + \frac{1}{(s-2)^2} + \frac{1}{2(s-2)}$$

$$\therefore \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{\bar{x}\} = \frac{1}{2} + t e^{2t} + \frac{1}{2} e^{2t}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2} + \left(t + \frac{1}{2}\right) e^{2t}$$

this is the required solution.

Q. NO. 10

$$(D^2 - D - 2)x = 20 \sin 2t, \quad x_0 = -1, \quad x_1 = 2 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

The Laplace transform of (1) given

$$(s^2 - s - 2)\bar{x} = \frac{20 \times 2}{s^2 + 4} + (s-1)x_0 + x_1$$

$$= \frac{40}{s^2 + 4} + (s-1)(-1) + 2$$

$$= \frac{40}{s^2 + 4} - (s-1) + 2 = \frac{40}{s^2 + 4} - (s-3)$$

$$\therefore \bar{x} = \frac{40}{(s+1)(s-2)} + \frac{(s-1)}{(s-2)} + \frac{2}{(s^2 - s - 2)}$$

$$= \frac{40 - (s^3 - 4s - s^2 - 4) + 2s^2 + 8}{s^2 + 4}$$

$$= \frac{40 - s^3 + 4s + s^2 + 4 + 2s^2 + 8}{s^2 + 4} = \frac{40 + (s^2 + 4)(s-3)}{s^2 + 4}$$

$$\therefore \bar{x} = \frac{40 + (s^2 + 4)(s-3)}{(s^2 + 4)(s^2 - s - 2)} = \frac{40 + (s^2 + 4)(s-3)}{(s+1)(s-2)(s^2 + 4)}$$

$$= \frac{A}{s+1} + \frac{B}{s-2} + \frac{Cs+D}{s^2+4}$$

$$A = \frac{60}{-15} = -4, \quad B = 2$$

Put. ~~$s=2$ and $s=-1$~~ we get ~~$4 = -4 + 2 + C$ and $-13/2 = -4 - 1 + D/4$~~

To determine C and D
multiply by s^2+4 on both sides and
put $s=2i$

we get $C=1$ and $D=-6$

Hence

$$\bar{x} = -\frac{4}{s+1} + \frac{2}{s-2} + \frac{s-6}{s^2+4}$$

Taking inverse Laplace transform we get,

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{\bar{x}\} = -4\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s+1}\right\} + 2\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s-2}\right\} + \frac{1}{4}\left[\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s}{s^2+4}\right\} - 6\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2+4}\right\}\right]$$

$$x = -4e^{-t} + 2e^{2t} + \frac{1}{4}\left[\cos 2t - \frac{6}{2}\sin 2t\right]$$

$$x = -4e^{-t} + 2e^{2t} + \frac{1}{4}\left[\cos 2t - 3\sin 2t\right]$$

this is the required solution of equation (1)

Q.No.13 $(D^3 - D)x = 2 \cos t$, $x_0 = 3, x_1 = 2, x_2 = 1$ — (1)

The Laplace transform of the equation (1) gives

$$(s^3 - s)\bar{x} = \frac{2s}{s^2 + 1} + (s^2 - 1)x_0 + sx_1 + x_2$$

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

$$\therefore \bar{x} = \frac{2s}{(s^2 + 1)(s^3 - s)} + \frac{3}{s} + \frac{2s}{s(s^2 - 1)} + \frac{1}{s(s^2 - 1)}$$

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

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

(by inspection)

Taking inverse Laplace transform we get

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{\bar{x}\} = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2 - 1}\right\} - \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2 + 1}\right\} + 3\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s}\right\} + 2\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2 - 1}\right\} + \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s}{s^2 - 1}\right\} - \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s}\right\}$$

$$x = \sinh t - \cosh t + 3 + 2 \sinh t + \cosh t - 1$$

$$x = 3 \sinh t + \cosh t - \cosh t + 2$$

which is the required solution of the given equation (1)

Q.No.14

$$(D^3 - D^2 + 4D - 4)x = 68e^t \sin 2t, x_0 = 1, x_1 = -19, x_2 = -37$$
 — (1)

The Laplace transform of (1) gives

$$(s^3 - s^2 + 4s - 4)\bar{x} = 68 \frac{2}{(s-1)^2 + 2^2} + (s^2 - s + 4)x_0 + (s-1)x_1 + x_2$$

$$\left(\text{since } \mathcal{L}\{e^{at} \sin bt\} = \frac{b}{(s-a)^2 + b^2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{136}{(s-1)^2 + 4} + (s^2 - s + 4)(1) + (s-1)(-19) - 37$$

$$= \frac{136}{(s-1)^2 + 4} + s^2 - s + 4 - 19s + 19 - 37 = \frac{136}{(s-1)^2 + 4} + s^2 - 20s - 14$$

$$= \frac{136 + (s^2 - 20s + 5)(s^2 - 20s - 14)}{(s^2 - 20s + 5)}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\therefore \bar{x} &= \frac{136 + (s^2 - 2s + 5)(s^2 - 20s - 14)}{(s^2 - 2s + 5)(s^3 - s^2 + 4s - 4)} \\ &= \frac{136 + (s^2 - 2s + 5)(s^2 - 20s - 14)}{(s-1)(s^2 + 4)(s^2 - 2s + 5)} \\ &= \frac{A}{s-1} + \frac{Bs+C}{s^2+4} + \frac{Ds+E}{s^2-2s+5}\end{aligned}$$

$A = 1/5$, and for obtaining the constants B and C , multiplying both sides by s^2+4 and put $s^2 = -4$, then we get

$$\frac{136 + (-2s+1)(-20s-18)}{(s-1)(-2s+1)} = Bs+C$$

$$136 + 40s^2 + 36s - 20s - 18 = (Bs+C)(-2s^2+3s-1)$$

$$136 - 18 + 6s - 18 = (Bs+C)(3s+7)$$

$$6s - 42 = 3Bs^2 + 7Bs + 3Cs + 7C$$

$$6s - 42 = -12B + 7Bs + 3Cs + 7C$$

$$7B + 3C = 6 \quad \text{--- (2)} \quad \text{and} \quad -12B + 7C = -42 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

solving (2) and (3) we get

$$B = 14/5, \quad C = -6/5$$

Now for obtaining the constant D , multiplying (1) by s and let $s \rightarrow \infty$, then we get $D = -2$

Also put $s=0$ in (1), then we get

$$E = -14$$

Hence,

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{5(s-1)} + \frac{14s-6}{5(s^2+4)} + \frac{-2s-14}{s^2-2s+5}$$

$$\text{or } \bar{x} = \frac{1}{5} \left[\frac{1}{s-1} + \frac{14s}{s^2+4} - \frac{6}{s^2+4} \right] - 2 \left\{ \frac{s-1}{(s-1)^2+4} + \frac{s}{(s-1)^2+4} \right\} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Now taking the inverse Laplace transform of (4) we get —

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{\bar{x}\} = \frac{1}{5} \left[\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s-1}\right\} + 14 \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s}{s^2+4}\right\} - 6 \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2}{2(s^2+4)}\right\} \right] \\ - 2 \left[\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s-1}{(s-1)^2+4}\right\} + 4 \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2}{(s-1)^2+4}\right\} \right]$$

$$x = \frac{1}{5} \left[e^t + 14 \cos 2t - 3 \sin 2t \right] - 2 \left[e^t \cos 2t + 4 e^t \sin 2t \right]$$

$$x = \frac{1}{5} \left[e^t + 14 \cos 2t - 3 \sin 2t \right] - 2 e^t \left[\cos 2t + 4 \sin 2t \right]$$

which is the required solution of the given equation (1).

Q.No. 16 $(D^4-1)x=1, \quad x_0=x_1=x_2=x_3=0 \quad \text{--- (1)}$

The Laplace transform of (1) gives

$$(s^4-1)\bar{x} = \frac{1}{s} + s^3x_0 + s^2x_1 + sx_2 + x_3$$

$$= \frac{1}{s}$$

$$\therefore \bar{x} = \frac{1}{s(s^4+1)} = \frac{1}{s(s^2-1)(s^2+1)} = \frac{s}{s^2(s^2-1)(s^2+1)}$$

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

on breaking into partial fractions linear in s^2 .

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

Now taking inverse Laplace transform we get.

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{\bar{x}\} = \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s}{s^2-1}\right\} - \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s}\right\} + \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s}{s^2+1}\right\}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2} \cosh t - 1 + \frac{1}{2} \cos t = \frac{1}{2} (\cosh t + \cos t) - 1$$

is the required solution of (1).

Q.No. 17

$$(D^3-2D^2+5D)x=0, \quad x=0, Dx=1, \text{ at } t=0, x=1, \text{ at } t=\pi/8. \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

The Laplace transform of (1) gives

$$(s^3-2s^2+5s)\bar{x} = 0 + (s^2-2s+5)x_0 + (s-2)x_1 + x_2$$

$$(s^3 - 2s^2 + 5s) \bar{x} = (s^2 - 2s + 5)x_0 + (s-2)x_1 + x_2$$

$$\therefore \bar{x} = \frac{s-2+x_2}{s(s^2-2s+5)}$$

$$= \frac{A}{s} + \frac{Bs+C}{s^2-2s+5}$$

$$A = \frac{x_2-2}{5}$$

Multiplying both sides by s and let $s \rightarrow \infty$, then

$$\bar{x} = \frac{s-2+x_2}{5s} + \frac{Bs+C}{s^2-2s+5} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$0 = \frac{x_2-2}{5} + B \Rightarrow B = -\frac{x_2-2}{5}$$

$$\text{or } B = \frac{2-x_2}{5} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Put $s=1$ in (1), we have

$$\frac{x_2-1}{4} = \frac{x_2-2}{5} + \frac{(2-x_2)+5C}{40}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= A + \frac{-5A+C}{4} \\ (x_2-1) &= 4A + 5A + C \\ C &= (x_2-1) + A = (x_2-1) + \frac{x_2-2}{5} \\ &= \frac{5x_2-5+x_2-2}{5} = \frac{6x_2-7}{5} \end{aligned}$$

$$5(x_2-1) = 4(x_2-2) + (2-x_2) + 5C$$

$$5x_2-5-4x_2+8-2+x_2=5C$$

$$2x_2+1=5C \Rightarrow C = \frac{(2x_2+1)}{5}$$

Hence

$$\bar{x} = \frac{x_2-2}{5s} + \frac{\frac{1}{5}(2-x_2)s + \frac{1}{5}(2x_2+1)}{(s^2-2s+5)}$$

$$= \left(\frac{x_2-2}{5}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{s} + \frac{(2-x_2)s + (2x_2+1)}{5(s^2-2s+5)}$$

$$\bar{x} = \left(\frac{x_2-2}{5}\right) \frac{1}{s} + \frac{(2-x_2)(s-1)}{5\{(s-1)^2+4\}} + \frac{x_2+3}{5\{(s-1)^2+4\}}$$

$$\therefore \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{\bar{x}\} = \left(\frac{x_2-2}{5}\right) \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s}\right\} + \left(\frac{2-x_2}{5}\right) \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s-1}{(s-1)^2+4}\right\}$$

$$x = \left(\frac{x_2-2}{5}\right)x_1 + \left(\frac{2-x_2}{5}\right)e^t \cos 2t + \left(\frac{x_2+3}{10}\right)e^t \sin 2t$$

$$\text{or } \bar{x} = \frac{1}{5} \left[(x_1 - 2) + (2 - x_1) e^{t \cos 2t} + \frac{1}{2} (x_1 + 3) e^{t \sin 2t} \right] \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Also $x=1$ at $t = \pi/8$

Put $x=1$ $t = \pi/8$ in (4) we get.

$$1 = \frac{1}{5} \left[(x_2 - 2) + (2 - x_2) e^{\pi/8 \cos \pi/4} + \frac{1}{2} (x_2 + 3) e^{\pi/8 \sin \pi/4} \right]$$

$$1 = \frac{1}{5} \left[(x_2 - 2) + (2 - x_2) e^{\pi/8 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} + \frac{1}{2} (x_2 + 3) e^{\pi/8 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \left[(x_2 - 2) + \frac{1}{2} (4 - 2x_2 + x_2 + 3) e^{\pi/8 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} \right]$$

$$1 = \frac{1}{5} \left[(x_2 - 2) + \frac{1}{2} (7 - x_2) e^{\pi/8 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} \right]$$

$$10 = 2x_2 - 2 + (7 - x_2) e^{\pi/8 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}$$

$$10 = 2x_2 + 7 e^{\pi/8 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} - e^{\pi/8 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} x_2$$

$$= (2 - e^{\pi/8 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}) x_2 + 7 e^{\pi/8 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}$$

$$10 - 7 e^{\pi/8 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}} =$$

$$7(2 - e^{\pi/8 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}) = (2 - e^{\pi/8 \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}}) x_2$$

$$\therefore x_2 = 7$$

Now put the value of x_2 in (4) we get. the final solution of (1).

$$x = \frac{1}{5} \left[5 + (2 - 7) e^{t \cos 2t} + \frac{1}{2} (7 + 3) e^{t \sin 2t} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \left[5 - 5 e^{t \cos 2t} + 5 e^{t \sin 2t} \right]$$

$$x = (1 - e^{t \cos 2t} + e^{t \sin 2t})$$

Q.No. 18 $\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + 9y = \cos 2t$, $y(0) = 1$, $y(\pi/2) = -1$

$$\text{or } (D^2 + 9)y = \cos 2t, \quad y_0 = 1 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

The Laplace transform of (1) gives

$$(s^2 + 9)\bar{y} = \frac{s}{s^2 + 2^2} + s y_0 + y_1$$

$$(s^2+9)\bar{y} = \frac{s}{s^2+4} + s+1+y_1$$

$$= \frac{s}{s^2+4} + s + y_1.$$

$$\text{or } \bar{y} = \frac{s}{(s^2+4)(s^2+9)} + \frac{s}{s^2+9} + \frac{y_1}{s^2+9}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \left(\frac{s}{s^2+4} - \frac{s}{s^2+9} \right) + \frac{s}{s^2+9} + \frac{y_1}{s^2+9}$$

Taking the inverse Laplace trans forms ^(my inspection) we get

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{\bar{y}\} = \frac{1}{5} \left[\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{ \frac{s}{s^2+4} - \frac{s}{s^2+9} \right\} \right] + \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{ \frac{s}{s^2+9} \right\} + \frac{y_1}{5} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{ \frac{3}{s^2+9} \right\}$$

$$y = \frac{1}{5} [\cos 2t - \cos 3t] + \cos 3t + \frac{1}{3} y_1 \sin 3t$$

$$y = \frac{1}{5} (\cos 2t + 4 \cos 3t) + \frac{1}{3} y_1 \sin 3t \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

But, $y = -1$ at $t = \pi/2$, so put $y = -1$ and $t = \pi/2$ in (2) we get

$$-1 = \frac{1}{5} (\cos \pi + 4 \cos 3\pi/2) + \frac{1}{3} y_1 \sin 3\pi/2$$

$$-1 = \frac{1}{5} (-1 + 4 \times 0) + \frac{1}{3} y_1 (-1)$$

$$\text{Simplify: } +1 = -1/5 - 1/3 y_1 \Rightarrow \left(\frac{1}{5} + \frac{1}{3} y_1 \right)$$

$$15 = 3 + 5y_1 \Rightarrow \underline{y_1 = 12/5}$$

Put the value of y_1 in (2) we get the final solution of the given equation. (1)

$$y = \frac{1}{5} (\cos 2t + 4 \cos 3t) + \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{12}{5} \sin 3t$$

$$y = \frac{1}{5} (\cos 2t + 4 \cos 3t) + \frac{4}{5} \sin 3t$$

Q.No. 19 $y'' + 2y' + 5y = e^t \sin t$, $y(0) = 0$, $y'(0) = 1$
 or $(D^2 + 2D + 5)y = e^t \sin t$, $y(0) = 0$, $y'(0) = 1$ — (1)

The Laplace transforms of (1) gives

$$(s^2 + 2s + 5)\bar{y} = \frac{1}{(s+1)^2 + 1} + (s+2)y_0 + 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{s^2 + 2s + 2} + 1$$

$$\therefore \bar{y} = \frac{1}{(s^2 + 2s + 2)(s^2 + 2s + 5)} + \frac{1}{(s^2 + 2s + 5)}$$

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

$$\bar{y} = \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{1}{(s+1)^2 + 1} - \frac{2}{2(s+1)^2 + 2^2} \right] + \frac{1}{2} \frac{2}{(s+1)^2 + 2^2} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Taking the inverse Laplace transforms of (2) we get,

$$y = \frac{1}{3} \left[e^t \sin t - \frac{1}{2} e^t \sin 2t \right] + \frac{1}{2} e^t \sin 2t$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} e^t \sin t - \frac{1}{6} e^t \sin 2t + \frac{1}{2} e^t \sin 2t$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} e^t \sin t - \frac{1}{6} (e^t \sin 2t - 3e^t \sin 2t)$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} e^t \sin t - \frac{1}{6} (-2e^t \sin 2t)$$

$$y = \frac{1}{3} e^t (\sin t + \sin 2t) \text{ is the required solution of (1)}$$

Q.No. 20

$$y''' + 2y'' - y' - 2y = 0, \quad y(0) = y'(0) = 0, \quad y''(0) = 6$$

$$\text{or } (D^3 + 2D^2 - D - 2)y = 0, \quad y_0 = 0, \quad y_1 = 0, \quad y_2 = 6 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Laplace transforms of (1) gives

$$(s^3 + 2s^2 - s - 2)\bar{y} = 0 + (s^2 + 2s - 1)y_0 + (s+2)y_1 + y_2$$

$$= 0 + 0 + 0 + 6$$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{6}{s^3 + 2s^2 - s - 2} = \frac{6}{(s^2 - 1)(s+2)} = \frac{6}{(s-1)(s+1)(s+2)}$$

$$= \frac{A}{s-1} + \frac{B}{s+1} + \frac{C}{s+2} \quad \text{by partial fraction.}$$