

Homework #2

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1. What is the inverse Laplace transform of the following functions?

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

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

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

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

(e) $F(s) = \frac{s^2 + 2s + 12}{s(s^2 + 4s + 5)}$.

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

2. Use the time-shifting property to obtain the inverse transform of

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

3. Find the solution of the following differential equations:

(a) $\ddot{x} + \dot{x} + x = \cos 2t$, $x(0) = 0$, $\dot{x}(0) = 0$.

(b) $\ddot{x} + 4x = t$, $x(0) = 0$, $\dot{x}(0) = 0$.

(c) $\ddot{x} + 4x = t$, $x(0) = 0$, $\dot{x}(2) = 1$.