

$$\text{Solve } \ddot{x} + 3\dot{x} + 2x = t^2 e^{3t}$$

Reference:  
Lecture #6 Notes

LTI ODE  
(LINEAR TIME)  
INVARIANT

UNDET COEFFS.

$$x(t) = (at^2 + bt + c)e^{3t} \text{ works}$$

Exponential Shift Rule:

$$\text{SITUATION } [p(D)] x(t) = e^{rt} f(t) \quad (*)$$

$$[p(D) = D^2 + 3D + 2I \text{ in example}]$$

$$\text{Solution: solve } [p(D+rI)] u(t) = f(t) \Rightarrow u(t)$$

$$\text{Then } x(t) = e^{rt} u(t) \text{ solves } (*)$$

Proof:  $D = \frac{d}{dt}$

$$\begin{aligned} D(e^{rt} u) &= e^{rt} Du + r e^{rt} u \\ &= e^{rt} (Du + ru) \\ &= e^{rt} [D+rI] u(t) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} D^2(e^{rt} u(t)) &= D[D(e^{rt} u)] \\ &= D[e^{rt} (D+rI) u(t)] \\ &= e^{rt} (D^2 + rD) u(t) + r e^{rt} (D+rI) u(t) \\ &= e^{rt} [D^2 + 2rD + r^2 I] u(t) \\ &= e^{rt} (D+rI)^2 u(t) \end{aligned}$$

etc.

$$D^n(e^{rt} u(t)) = e^{rt} (D+rI)^n u(t)$$

Apply to  $x(t) = e^{rt} u(t)$  in  $(*)$

$$[P(D)](e^{rt} u(t)) = e^{rt} P(D+rI) u(t) = e^{rt} f(t)$$

$$\therefore [P(D+rI)] u(t) = f(t) \quad \neq$$

Solve this to get  $u(t)$ ,

$$\Rightarrow x(t) = e^{rt} u(t) \text{ solves } (*)$$

Ex: Solve  $\ddot{x} + 3\dot{x} + 2x = t^2 e^{3t}$

$$\swarrow \quad r=3 \quad f(t) = t^2$$

Focus on characteristic polynomial.

$$P(s) = s^2 + 3s + 2 = (s+2)(s+1)$$

$$P(s+3) = (s+5)(s+4) = s^2 + 9s + 20$$

$$P(D+rI) = D^2 + 9D + 20I$$

$$\text{Solve } \ddot{u} + 9\dot{u} + 20u = t^2$$

$$\textcircled{20} \quad u(t) = at^2 + bt + c$$

$$\textcircled{9} \quad \dot{u} = 2at + b$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \ddot{u} = 2a$$

$$\ddot{u} + 9\dot{u} + 20u = 20at^2 + (20b + 18a)t + (20c + 9b + 2a) = t^2$$

$$20a = 1 \quad \rightarrow a = \frac{1}{20}$$

$$18a + 20b = 0 \quad b = -\frac{9}{200}$$

$$2a + 9b + 20c = 0 \quad c = \frac{61}{4000}$$

$$u(t) = \frac{1}{20} t^2 - \frac{9}{200} t + \frac{61}{4000}$$

$$\text{Soln: } x(t) = e^{3t} \left( \frac{1}{20} t^2 - \frac{9}{200} t + \frac{61}{4000} \right)$$

Solve  $\ddot{x} + 3\dot{x} + 2x = e^{-t}$ . |  $r = -1$

$$p(s) = s^2 + 3s + 2 = (s+2)(s+1) = 0$$

$$s = -2, s = -1$$

ERF FAILS

RRF  $x_p(t) = \frac{te^{-t}}{p'(-1)} = te^{-t}$  ✓

$$p'(s) = 2s + 3 \quad p'(-1) = -2 + 3 = 1$$

$$r = -1 \quad p(s-1) = (s+1)s = s^2 + s$$

ESR Solve  $\ddot{u} + \dot{u} = 1$

undert coeff, or observe  $u(t) = t$

$$\therefore x(t) = u(t) \cdot e^{rt} = te^{-t} \quad \checkmark$$

method of LAST RESORT

VARIATION OF PARAMETERS

Already done for  $\frac{dx}{dt} + p(t)x = g(t)$

1st order

Solve homop  $\Rightarrow x(t) = c, x_h(t)$

"VARY THE PARAM" seek  $x_p(t) = v_1(t) x_h(t)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dv_1}{dt} = \frac{g(t)}{x_h(t)} \Rightarrow v_1(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow x_p(t) = v_1(t) x_h(t)$$

## Higher order versions

$$\text{Solve } \ddot{x} + p_1(t)\dot{x} + p_0(t)x = R(t)$$

$$\ddot{x} + p_1\dot{x} + p_0x = R$$

FIRST solve Homogeneous ODE  $\Rightarrow x_h(t) = C_1 x_1(t) + C_2 x_2(t)$

$$\text{Span} \left\{ x_1(t), x_2(t) \right\}$$

"VARY THE PARAMETERS"

$$\text{seek } x_p(t) = v_1 x_1 + v_2 x_2$$

$$v_1 = v_1(t)$$

$$v_2 = v_2(t)$$

$$\dot{x} = v_1 \dot{x}_1 + \dot{v}_1 x_1 + v_2 \dot{x}_2 + \dot{v}_2 x_2$$

$$\dot{x} = (v_1 \dot{x}_1 + v_2 \dot{x}_2) + (x_1 \dot{v}_1 + x_2 \dot{v}_2)$$

$$\text{Set } x_1 \dot{v}_1 + x_2 \dot{v}_2 = 0 \quad \text{Assume this!}$$

$$\ddot{x} = v_1 \ddot{x}_1 + \dot{v}_1 \dot{x}_1 + v_2 \ddot{x}_2 + \dot{v}_2 \dot{x}_2$$

$$\text{So } \ddot{x} + p_1 \dot{x} + p_0 x$$

$$= v_1 \ddot{x}_1 + \dot{v}_1 \dot{x}_1 + v_2 \ddot{x}_2 + \dot{v}_2 \dot{x}_2$$

$$+ p_1 (v_1 \dot{x}_1 + v_2 \dot{x}_2) + p_0 (v_1 x_1 + v_2 x_2)$$

$$= v_1 (\ddot{x}_1 + p_1 \dot{x}_1 + p_0 x_1) + v_2 (\ddot{x}_2 + p_1 \dot{x}_2 + p_0 x_2) + \dot{x}_1 \dot{v}_1 + \dot{x}_2 \dot{v}_2$$

$$= \boxed{\dot{x}_1 \dot{v}_1 + \dot{x}_2 \dot{v}_2 = R}$$

$$\begin{cases} x_1 \dot{v}_1 + x_2 \dot{v}_2 = 0 \\ \dot{x}_1 \dot{v}_1 + \dot{x}_2 \dot{v}_2 = R \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \\ \dot{x}_1 & \dot{x}_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{v}_1 \\ \dot{v}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ R \end{bmatrix}$$

WRONSKIAN MATRIX  $W(t)$

$$[W(t)] \begin{bmatrix} \dot{v}_1 \\ \dot{v}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ R \end{bmatrix}$$

2x2 matrix  $\Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \dot{v}_1 \\ \dot{v}_2 \end{bmatrix} = [W(t)]^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ R \end{bmatrix}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{bmatrix}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det} \begin{bmatrix} d & -b \\ -c & a \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det = ad - bc$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{v}_1 \\ \dot{v}_2 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{x_1 \dot{x}_2 - x_2 \dot{x}_1} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{x}_2 & -x_2 \\ -\dot{x}_1 & x_1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ R \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det[W(t)] = \frac{1}{x_1 \dot{x}_2 - x_2 \dot{x}_1} \begin{bmatrix} -x_2 R \\ x_1 R \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\frac{dv_1}{dt} = \frac{-x_2 R}{x_1 \dot{x}_2 - x_2 \dot{x}_1}$$

Solve  $\Rightarrow v_1(t), v_2(t)$

$$\frac{dv_2}{dt} = \frac{x_1 R}{x_1 \dot{x}_2 - x_2 \dot{x}_1}$$

$$x_p(t) = v_1(t)x_1(t) + v_2(t)x_2(t)$$

Generalizes to higher order.

3rd order

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \\ \dot{x}_1 & \dot{x}_2 & \dot{x}_3 \\ \ddot{x}_1 & \ddot{x}_2 & \ddot{x}_3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \dot{v}_1 \\ \dot{v}_2 \\ \dot{v}_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ R \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} v_1(t) \\ v_2(t) \\ v_3(t) \end{matrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_p(t) = v_1 x_1 + v_2 x_2 + v_3 x_3$$

and so on