

QUESTION Find the solution of the differential equation

$$y'' + 2y' + 2y = 2x + 1 + e^x \cos x$$

which satisfies the boundary conditions $y = y' = 2$ at $x = 0$.

- (a) by using particular integral and complementary function,
- (b) by using Laplace transforms.

ANSWER $y'' + 2y' + 2y = 2x + 1 + e^x \cos x$, $y(0) = 2$, $y'(0) = 2$

(a) $m^2 + 2m + 2 = 0$, $(m+1)^2 = -1$, $m_1 = -1+i$, $m_2 = -1-i$

$$y_{CF} = C_1 e^{-x} \cos x + C_2 e^{-x} \sin x$$

$$y'' + 2y' + 2y = 2x + 1 \text{ try } y = Ax + B$$

$$2A + 2(Ax + B) = 2x + 1 \Rightarrow A = 1, B = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$y'' + 2y' + 2y = e^x \cos x = \operatorname{Re} e^{(1+i)x}$$

$$\text{Try } y = p(x)e^{(1+i)x}$$

$$(D+1-i)(D+1+i)p(x)e^{(1+i)x} = e^{(1+i)x}$$

$$\Rightarrow (D+2)(D+2+2i)p(x) = 1$$

$$p(x) = \frac{1}{D+2} \frac{1}{D+2+2i} = \frac{1}{4(1+i)} = \frac{1-i}{8}$$

$$y = \operatorname{Re} \frac{1-i}{8} e^{(1+i)x} = \frac{1}{8} e^x (\cos x + \sin x)$$

General solution:

$$Y = e^{-x}(C_1 \cos x + C_2 \sin x) + \frac{1}{8} e^x (\cos x + \sin x) + x - \frac{1}{2}$$

$$y(0) = C_1 + \frac{1}{8} - \frac{1}{2} = 2 \Rightarrow C_1 = \frac{16+4-1}{8} = \frac{19}{8}$$

$$y'(0) = C_2 - C_1 + \frac{1}{8}(1+1) + 1 = 2 \Rightarrow C_2 = \frac{19-2-8+16}{8} = \frac{25}{8}$$

(b) $(s^2 Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0)) + 2(sY(s) - y(0)) + 2Y(s) = \mathcal{L}(2x + 1 + e^x \cos x)$

$$(s^2 + 2s + 2)Y(s) = 2s + 6 + \frac{2}{s^2} + \frac{1}{s} + \frac{s-1}{(s-1)^2+1}$$

Use complex inversion formula ...