This problem set covers the complex, frequency domain methods – Chapters 4 of the text and Lectures 16-27.

## 1. Given the following signal



- (a) determine the Laplace Transform, including the region-of-convergence, using the definition,
- (b) write the signal as a sum of simple signal models, and
- (c) using the table of known transforms, and/or the transform properties to determine the Laplace Transform of part b).
- 2. Use the definition of the Laplace Transform, the table of known transforms, and/or the transform properties to determine the transform of the following functions including their region-of-convergence:

(a) 
$$x_1(t) = tu(t) - tu(t-2) + 2u(t-2)$$

(b) 
$$x_2(t) = x_1(10t)$$

(c) 
$$x(t) = x'_1(t) + \int_{0^-}^t x_2(\tau) d\tau$$

(d)  $x(t) = te^{-t}\cos(2t)u(t)$ 

3. Using the table of known transforms and the transform properties to determine the Laplace transform of the following signals, expressing each as a single ratio of polynomials:

(a) 
$$x(t) = 2\delta(t) + te^{-t}u(t) + 4e^{-2t}u(t)$$
  
(b)  $x(t) = (1 - e^{-4t})u(t)$   
(c)  $x(t) = e^{-3t}(\cos(2\pi t) + \sin(2\pi t))u(t)$   
(d)  $x(t) = 10e^{-5t}\cos(\pi t + \pi/4)u(t)$   
(e)  $x(t) = (e^{-10t}(1 + 2t + 5t^2)u(t)$ 

- 4. Using the table of known transforms and the transform properties to determine the inverse Laplace transform assuming all are causal signals:
  - (a)  $X(s) = \frac{1}{s^2+5s+4}$ (b)  $X(s) = \frac{1}{s^3+9s^2+24s+16}$ (c)  $X(s) = \frac{5}{s^3+s^2+25s+25}$ (d)  $X(s) = \frac{s}{s^3+s^2+9s+9}$ (e)  $X(s) = \frac{s+3}{s^2+6s+45}$ (f)  $X(s) = \frac{6}{s^2+6s+45}$ (g)  $X(s) = \frac{s+6}{s^2+2s+26}$
- 5. Given a system described by the following differential equation

$$y'' + 9y' + 20y = x$$

where  $y'(0^-) = 0$  and  $y(0^-) = 2$ .

- (a) find the zero-input response in the Laplace domain
- (b) determine the Transfer Function of the system
- (c) determine the zero-state response for  $x(t) = e^{-t}u(t)$  in the Laplace domain.
- 6. Given a system described by the following differential equation

$$y'' + 2y' + 10y = x' + 3x$$

where  $y'(0^-) = 0$  and  $y(0^-) = 0$ .

- (a) determine the Transfer Function of the system
- (b) determine the total response when  $x(t) = (e^{-2t} + 2e^{-5t})u(t)$  in the time domain.

- 7. Given the circuit from problem set 2,
  - (a) transform the circuit into the Laplace domain assuming zero initial conditions
  - (b) determine the Transfer Function of the system in terms of  $R, C_1, C_2$  and L
  - (c) show the result in part b is the same as the Laplace Transform of the impulse response from PS2.



8. Consider the transfer function of a first-order low-pass filter

$$H(s) = \frac{K}{s+a}$$

for constants K > 0 and a > 0.

- (a) implement the transfer function as a block diagram in canonical form (Direct-Form II), in term of integrators, multipliers, and sums.
- (b) draw a circuit that implements part a and thus the transfer function in terms of op-amps, resistors, and capacitors.