

## Lecture 13

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Alternative way:

Compute  $(e^{-\alpha t} f(\frac{d}{dt}) e^{\alpha t})$   
as an operator.

Write:  $f(\frac{d}{dt}) = a_n (\frac{d}{dt} - \lambda_1) \cdot \dots \cdot (\frac{d}{dt} - \lambda_n)$

$$e^{-\alpha t} \left( \frac{d}{dt} - \lambda_i \right) e^{\alpha t} = e^{-\alpha t} \left( e^{\lambda_i t} \frac{d}{dt} e^{-\lambda_i t} \right) e^{\alpha t}$$

$$= \left( \frac{d}{dt} + (\alpha - \lambda_i) \right)$$

Now:  $e^{-\alpha t} f(\frac{d}{dt}) e^{\alpha t}$

$$= e^{-\alpha t} \left[ a_n \left( \frac{d}{dt} - \lambda_1 \right) \dots \left( \frac{d}{dt} - \lambda_n \right) \right] e^{\alpha t}$$

$$= a_n \left( e^{-\alpha t} \left( \frac{d}{dt} - \lambda_1 \right) e^{\alpha t} \right) \left( e^{-\alpha t} \left( \frac{d}{dt} - \lambda_2 \right) e^{\alpha t} \right) \dots$$

$$\dots \left( e^{-\alpha t} \left( \frac{d}{dt} - \lambda_n \right) e^{\alpha t} \right)$$

$$= a_n \left( \frac{d}{dt} + \alpha - \lambda_1 \right) \dots \left( \frac{d}{dt} + \alpha - \lambda_n \right)$$

- If we let  $g(r) = f(r+\alpha)$ .

We know  $e^{-\alpha t} f(\frac{d}{dt}) e^{\alpha t} = g(\frac{d}{dt})$

Come back to the original problem:

Want:

$$f\left(\frac{d}{dt}\right)(e^{\alpha t} Q_k(t)) = e^{\alpha t} P_k(t)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \left(e^{-\alpha t} f\left(\frac{d}{dt}\right) e^{\alpha t}\right)(Q_k(t)) = P_k(t).$$

$$\Leftrightarrow g\left(\frac{d}{dt}\right)(Q_k(t)) = P_k(t).$$

With:  $g(r) = \frac{f^{(n)}(\alpha)}{n!} r^n + \dots + f'(\alpha) r + f(\alpha)$

★ Back to the previous case!

If we take  $n=2$ :  $f(r) = ar^2 + br + c$

$$\begin{aligned} g(r) &= ar^2 + (2a\alpha + b)r + (\alpha^2 + b\alpha + c) \\ &= ar^2 + f'(\alpha)r + f(\alpha). \end{aligned}$$

Equation to solve:

$$a(j+2)(j+1)B_{j+2} + (j+1)f'(\alpha)B_{j+1} + f(\alpha)B_j = A_j$$

which is the equation we get when we talk about  $2^{\text{nd}}$  order equation.

Finally:  $r(t) = e^{\alpha t} \cos \mu t P_k(t)$ , or  $e^{\alpha t} \sin \mu t P_k(t)$

$$e^{\alpha t} \cos \mu t = \left( \frac{e^{\lambda t} + e^{\bar{\lambda} t}}{2} \right), \quad e^{\alpha t} \sin \mu t = \left( \frac{e^{\lambda t} - e^{\bar{\lambda} t}}{2i} \right)$$

then we only have to consider

$$r(t) = e^{\lambda t} P_k(t) \quad \text{with} \quad \lambda = \alpha + i\mu.$$

Letting:  $g(r) = f(r+\lambda)$  and we solve  
for  $g\left(\frac{d}{dt}\right)(Q_e(t)) = P_k(t).$

### § Variational of Parameter:

Equation:  $y^{(n)} + P_{n-1}(t)y^{(n-1)} + \dots + P_0(t)y = r(t), \dots \quad (**)$

Assume:  $y_1, \dots, y_n$  fundamental set of solutions to  
to homogeneous equation

Q: How to find a particular solution to  $(**)$ ?

Idea: Try  $Y(t) = u_1(t)y_1(t) + \dots + u_n(t)y_n(t)$ .  
and plug into  $(**)$ .

$$Y'(t) = u_1' y_1 + \dots + u_n' y_n + u_1 y_1' + \dots + u_n y_n'$$

Like in the case for 2<sup>nd</sup> order equation, we set

$$u_1' y_1 + \dots + u_n' y_n = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(t) = u_1 y_1 + \dots + u_n y_n$$

$$Y''(t) = u_1' y_1' + \dots + u_n' y_n' + u_1 y_1'' + \dots + u_n y_n''$$

$$\underline{\text{Set:}} \quad u_1' y_1' + \dots + u_n' y_n' = 0$$

$$Y^{(j)} = u_1 y_1^{(j)} + \dots + u_n y_n^{(j)}$$

$$Y^{(j+1)} = u_1' y_1^{(j)} + \dots + u_n' y_n^{(j)} + u_1 y_1^{(j+1)} + \dots + u_n y_n^{(j+1)}$$

$$\underline{\text{Set:}} \quad u_1' y_1^{(j)} + \dots + u_n' y_n^{(j)} = 0.$$

$$Y^{(n-1)} = u_1 y_1^{(n-1)} + \dots + u_n y_n^{(n-1)}$$

$$Y^{(n)} = u_1' y_1^{(n-1)} + \dots + u_n' y_n^{(n-1)} + u_1 y_1^{(n)} + \dots + u_n y_n^{(n)}$$

$$\text{Plug in } \star\star: Y^{(n)}(t) + P_{n-1}(t)Y^{(n-1)} + \dots + P_0(t)Y = r(t)$$

$$u_1 y^{(n-1)} + \dots + u_n y^{(n-1)} + u_1 (y^{(n)} + P_{n-1} y^{(n-1)} + \dots + P_0(t) y_1) \\ + u_2 (y^{(n)} + P_{n-1} y^{(n-1)} + \dots + P_0(t) y_2) \\ \vdots \\ + u_n (y^{(n)} + P_{n-1} y^{(n-1)} + \dots + P_0(t) y_n) \\ = r(t).$$

→ We get system of equation:

$$\left( \begin{array}{c} y_1, \dots, y_n \\ y'_1, \dots, y'_n \\ \vdots \\ y^{(n-1)}_1, \dots, y^{(n-1)}_n \end{array} \right) \left( \begin{array}{c} u'_1 \\ \vdots \\ u'_n \end{array} \right) = \left( \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ \vdots \\ r \end{array} \right)$$

$= M(t)$ .

$$\Rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{c} u \\ \vdots \\ u_n \end{array} \right)' = M(t)^{-1} \left( \begin{array}{c} 0 \\ \vdots \\ r \end{array} \right) = \left( \begin{array}{c} I_1(t) r(t) \\ \vdots \\ I_n(t) r(t) \end{array} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left( \begin{array}{c} u \\ \vdots \\ u_n \end{array} \right) = \int \left( \begin{array}{c} I_1(t) r(t) \\ \vdots \\ I_n(t) r(t) \end{array} \right) dt + \left( \begin{array}{c} c_1 \\ \vdots \\ c_n \end{array} \right)$$

Q: What is  $I_1(t), \dots, I_n(t)$ ?

$$I_i(t) = \frac{1}{\det M(t)} \det \left( \begin{array}{ccccc} y_1 & \dots & 0 & \dots & y_n \\ \vdots & & \vdots & & \vdots \\ y_1^{(n-1)} & \dots & 1 & \dots & y_n^{(n-1)} \end{array} \right)$$

i-th column

Formula:

$$Y(t) = y_1 \int \frac{I_1(t) r(t)}{W(t)} dt + \dots + y_n \int \frac{I_n(t) r(t)}{W(t)} dt$$

Rk: The ordering  $y_1, \dots, y_n$  in the above formula Need to agree with the ordering defining  $M(t)$ !

Eg.  $y^{(3)} + y^{(1)} = \frac{1}{\cos^2(t)}$  on  $I = \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$

Step 1: Solve homogeneous eqt,

$$y_1 = 1, y_2 = \cos t, y_3 = \sin(t).$$

Step 2: Find

$$M(t) = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 & y_2 & y_3 \\ y'_1 & y'_2 & y'_3 \\ y''_1 & y''_2 & y''_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \cos t & \sin t \\ 0 & -\sin t & \cos t \\ 0 & -\cos t & -\sin t \end{pmatrix}$$

$$W(t) \equiv 1$$

$$I_1(t) = \det \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \cos t & \sin t \\ 0 & -\sin t & \cos t \\ 1 & -\cos t & -\sin t \end{pmatrix} = 1$$

$$I_2(t) = \det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \sin t \\ 0 & 0 & \cos t \\ 0 & 1 & -\sin t \end{pmatrix} = -\cos t$$

$$I_3(t) = \det \begin{pmatrix} 1 & \cos t & 0 \\ 0 & -\sin t & 0 \\ 0 & -\cos t & 1 \end{pmatrix} = -\sin t.$$

$$\Rightarrow u_1 = \int \frac{1}{\cos^2 t} dt = \tan t$$

$$u_2 = \int \frac{-\cos t}{\cos^2 t} dt = -\log |\sec t + \tan t|$$

$$u_3 = \int \frac{-\sin t}{\cos^2 t} dt = -\sec(t)$$

Plug in:  $Y(t) = u_1 y_1 + u_2 y_2 + u_3 y_3$   
and get the solution!