

Lec 24 6.3 (Undetermined coeffs / Annihilators)

Soln: $(D+1)(D-1)y = 16e^{3x}$ ($Ly = F$)

$$y(x) = \underbrace{y_p(x)}_{\text{Particular}} + \underbrace{y_h(x)}_{\text{HOMO. solution } Ly_h = 0}$$

How to find PARTICULAR SOLUTIONS?

First:

$$P(D) = D+3 \quad Q(D) = D-1$$

$$P(D)Q(D)y = (D+3)(D-1)y = (D+3)(Dy-y) \\ = D^2y - Dy + 3Dy - 3y$$

$$= (D^2 - 4D - 3)y$$

$$Q(D)P(D)y \Downarrow$$

In other words $P(D)Q(D) = Q(D)P(D)$.

Polynomial differential operators COMMUTE

$$L = P(D)$$

$$P(D)y = \frac{dy}{dx} + 3y$$

Annihilator: $A(D)$. ($P(D)y = F$) ^{polynomial}

$$A(D)F = 0$$

Ex: $F = 16e^{3x}$ $A(D) = (D-3)$, $A(D)e^{3x} = 0$

Then if

$P(D)y = F$ WE MUST HAVE

$$A(D)P(D)y = A(D)F = 0 \quad [S(D)y = 0]$$

We know all solutions to this equation

$$\underbrace{(D-3)}_{A(D)} \underbrace{(D+1)(D-1)}_{P(D)} y = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x) = Ae^x + Be^{-x} + Ce^{3x}$$

Then for some A, B, C we can find a particular

solution of $P(D)y = F = 16e^{3x}$ $P(D)e^x = 0$ $P(D)e^{-x} = 0$

$$(D+1)(D-1)y = (D+1)(D-1)Ce^{3x}$$
$$= c(D+1)(3e^{3x} - e^{3x}) = c(D+1)2e^{3x}$$

$$= c(6e^{3x} + 2e^{3x}) = c8e^{3x} (= 16e^{3x} = F) \Rightarrow c8 = 16$$

$$\Rightarrow c = 2.$$

THUS $y_p(x) = 2e^{3x}$

GENERAL solution: $2e^{3x} + Ae^{-x} + Be^x$

To find particular solution find

$$A(D)F = 0.$$

$$(D-3)e^{3x} = 3e^{3x} - 3e^{3x} = 0$$

Once we find a particular solution we know it solves $A(D)P(D)y = 0$

$$\text{Aux: } S(x) = (x-3)'(x+1)'(x-1)'$$

Solving for c is the "undetermined coefficient" part.

Ex: Find an annihilator for $F(x) = 5\cos 2x$

Recall that if we have $y'' + \omega^2 y = 0$ its general solution is $A\cos \omega x + B\sin \omega x$.

So we should choose $A(D) = D^2 + 2^2$

Note: What kinds of F can I find annihilators for?

Then $A(D)F = 0 \Rightarrow F$ is a solution to a polynomial differential operator.

$\Rightarrow F$ must be a linear comb of

1) $x^r e^{kx}$ $r \geq 0, k \in \mathbb{R}$

2) $x^j e^{ax} \cos bx, x^j e^{ax} \sin bx$ $j \geq 0, b \in \mathbb{R}$

$A(D) = (D - k)^m$ annihilates for $m > r$
($m = r + 1$)

$A(D) = (D - a + bi)^m (D - a - bi)^m$ for $m > j$
($m = j + 1$)

Need $A(D)F = 0$

$$A(D) = (D^2 + 2^2)$$

We have solved linear homov. eqs with constant coeff ident

$$x^2 e^{3x}$$

$$A(D) = (D - 3)^3$$

Diagram showing arrows from $(D - 3)^3$ to e^{3x} , $x e^{3x}$, and $x^2 e^{3x}$.

$$A(D) = (D - \lambda)^m (D - \bar{\lambda})^m$$

Diagram showing arrows from $(D - \lambda)^m (D - \bar{\lambda})^m$ to $e^{a x} \cos bx$, $x e^{a x} \cos bx$, $x^m e^{a x} \cos bx$, $e^{a x} \sin bx$, and $x^m e^{a x} \sin bx$.

Ex: $(D-4)(D+1)y = 15e^{4x}$ $(D-4)e^{4x} = 0$

$A(D) = (D-4)$ $A(D)P(D) = (D-4)^2(D+1)$

has sol. $y = Ae^{4x} + Bxe^{4x} + Ce^{4x}$

$P(D)y = B(D+1)(e^{4x}) = B(5e^{4x}) = 15e^{4x}$

$\Rightarrow B=3$. $y_p = 3xe^{4x}$.

$A(D)$ and $P(D)$

Share an eigenvalue.

$P(D)y = F$ for appropriate A, B, C

$P(D)y = B(D-4)(D+1)(xe^{4x})$
 $= B(D+1)[e^{4x} + \cancel{4xe^{4x}} - \cancel{4xe^{4x}}]$

$A(D) = D^2 + \omega^2$

Ex: $y'' - y' - 2y = 10\sin x$ $y(0) = 0$ $y'(0) = 1$

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$(D^2 - D - 2) = P(D)$ $A(D) = (D^2 + 1)$

$= (D-2)(D+1)$

$[A(D)P(D)y = (D^2+1)(D-2)(D+1)y = 0$

has general solution

$y = A\cos x + B\sin x + \cancel{Ce^{2x}} + \cancel{De^{-x}}$

$P(D)y = A(-3\cos x + \sin x) + B(-3\sin x - \cos x)$
 $= F = 10\sin x$

$\cos x(-3A - B) + \sin x(A - 3B)$

$y_p = \cos x - 3\sin x$

$P(D)\cos x = (D^2 - D - 2)\cos x$

$= -\cos x + \sin x - 2\cos x$

$P(D)\sin x = -\sin x - \cos x - 2\sin x$

$-3A - B = 0$ $B = -3A$

$A - 3B = 10$ $A + 9A = 10 \Rightarrow A = 1$

$B = -3$

Ex: $F = [2e^x - 3x]$ Inhomogeneities that are linear combinations.

$$A_1 = D-1 \text{ annihilates } 2e^x$$

$$A_2 = D^2 \text{ " } -3x$$

$$\Rightarrow A = A_1 A_2 = (D-1)D^2 = D^3 - D^2$$

$$x e^{ax} (D-a)^2 = D^2$$

$$(D-1)D^2 [2e^x - 3x] = D^2(D-1)2e^x - (D-1)D^2 3x$$

$$\text{Ex: } F = x^4 e^{7x} + 5 \sin^5 x \quad (D^2 + \omega^2)$$

$$A = (D-7)^4 (D^2 + 4^2)$$

and so on.

Summary: (to find solutions to linear differential eqs with constant coeffs) ^{inhomo.}

- 0) See if F is in the right form
- 1) Find an appropriate annihilator $A(r)$ for F
- 2) Factor both $P(r)$ and $A(r)P(r)$
- 3) Find a general soln to $A(D)P(D)y = 0$

4) Remove solution terms that are common

with $P(D)y = 0$ obtain $y_t \rightarrow$ candidate particular solution.

5) Find constants in y_t by solving $P(D)y_t = F$

Ex

$$(D^2 - 4D + 5)y = 8x e^{2x} \cos x$$

$$P(D) = (D - \lambda)(D - \bar{\lambda}) \quad \lambda = 2 + i$$

$$A(D) = (D - 2 - i)^2 (D - 2 + i)^2$$

$$A(D) = (D - \lambda)^2 (D - \bar{\lambda})^2$$

Let's solve

$$A(D)P(D)y = 0 \quad (D - \lambda)^3 (D - \bar{\lambda})^3 y = 0$$

$$e^{2x} \cos x$$

$$e^{2x} \sin x$$

$$x e^{2x} \cos x$$

$$x e^{2x} \sin x$$

$$x^2 e^{2x} \cos x$$

$$x^2 e^{2x} \sin x$$

Next step: Find trial solution.

$$P(D)y_t = F$$

$$y_t = Ax e^{2x} \cos x + B x^2 e^{2x} \cos x$$

$$C x e^{2x} \sin x + F x^2 e^{2x} \sin x$$

$$P(x) = x^2 - 4x + 5$$

$$\frac{4 \pm \sqrt{16 - 20}}{2}$$

$$= \frac{4 \pm \sqrt{-4}}{2} = 2 \pm i$$

$$P(D)y = 0$$

$$e^{2x} \cos x$$

$$e^{2x} \sin x$$

$$\rightarrow (D - \lambda)(D - \bar{\lambda}) x e^{2x} \cos x$$

$$= (D^2 - (\lambda + \bar{\lambda})D + |\lambda|^2) x e^{2x} \cos x$$

$$= (D^2 - 4D + 5) x e^{2x} \cos x$$

$$D(x e^{2x} \cos x) = e^{2x} \cos x + 2x e^{2x} \cos x - x e^{2x} \sin x$$

$$D^2(x e^{2x} \cos x) = 2e^{2x} \cos x - 2x e^{2x} \sin x + 4x e^{2x} \cos x + 2e^{2x} \cos x - 2x e^{2x} \sin x - e^{2x} \sin x - 2x e^{2x} \sin x - x e^{2x} \cos x$$

$$= 4e^{2x} \cos x - 2e^{2x} \sin x - 4x e^{2x} \sin x + 3x e^{2x} \cos x$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathcal{D}^2 - 4\mathcal{D} + 5 &= \cancel{4e^{2x} \cos x} - \cancel{2e^{2x} \sin x} - \cancel{4xe^{2x} \sin x} + \cancel{3xe^{2x} \cos x} \\
 &= -\cancel{4e^{2x} \cos x} - \cancel{8xe^{2x} \cos x} + \cancel{4xe^{2x} \sin x} = -2e^{2x} \sin x \\
 &\quad \cancel{5xe^{2x} \cos x}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Find } \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{D})y_t = A(-2e^{2x} \sin x) + B(\dots) + C(\dots) + F(\dots) = 8xe^{2x} \cos x$$

Ex: $\underbrace{(D+1)(D^2+9)}_{P(D)} y = \underbrace{4x e^{-x}}_{A_1(D)} + 5 e^{2x} \cos x \quad A_2(D) = (D-2-i)(D-2+i)$
 $A_1(D) = (D+1)^2 = (D^2 - 4D + 5)$

$$A(D) = (D+1)^2 (D^2 - 4D + 5)$$

$$A(D)P(D)y = 0$$

and

$$P(D)y = 0$$

$$(D+1)^3 (D-\lambda)(D+\lambda) (D^2+9)y = 0$$

$$\begin{matrix} \searrow \\ \downarrow \\ \searrow \end{matrix} \begin{matrix} e^{-x} \\ \cos 3x \\ \sin 3x \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \swarrow & \downarrow & \searrow & \searrow \\ \cancel{c} x^{-1} e^{-x} & x^{2-x} & e^{2x} \cos x & e^{2x} \sin x \\ \cancel{x} e^{-x} & \cancel{x} e^{-x} & \cancel{\cos 3x} & \cancel{\sin 3x} \end{matrix}$$

$$y_t = A x e^{-x} + B x^2 e^{-x} + C e^{2x} \cos x + F e^{2x} \sin x$$

$$P(D)y_t = F$$

$$(D+1)(D^2+9)(x e^{-x}) = (D^2+9)(e^{-x} - x e^{-x} + x e^{-x}) \\ = e^{-x} + 9e^{-x} = 10e^{-x}$$

$$(D+1)(D^2+9)(x^2 e^{-x}) = (D^2+9)(2x e^{-x} - x^2 e^{-x} + x^2 e^{-x}) = (D^2+9)(2x e^{-x}) \\ = (D(2e^{-x} - 2x e^{-x}) + 18x e^{-x}) \\ = (-2e^{-x} - 2e^{-x} + 2x e^{-x} + 18x e^{-x}) \\ = -4e^{-x} + 20x e^{-x}$$

$$(D^2+9)(D+1) e^{2x} \cos x = (\dots)$$

$$e^{2x} \sin x = (\dots)$$

$$A(10e^{-x}) + B(-4e^{-x} + 20x e^{-x}) + C(\dots) + F(\dots) = 4x e^{-x} + 5e^{2x} \cos x$$

$$20B + \dots = 4$$



My notes on Dan's lecture.

Dan does a couple of computations

$$1) (D-s)^m (x^k e^{sx}) = 0 \quad \text{for } k < m$$

and

$$2) P(D) = \underbrace{Q(D)(D-s)^m}_{\text{commutation}} = (D-s)^m Q(D)$$

commutation.

The nite talks about annihilators.

$$Ly = F \quad L = P(D) \\ \underbrace{A(D)}_{\text{polynomial differential operator}} F = 0.$$

$$\frac{A(P)P(D)}{s(D)} y = A(D)F = 0$$

Any solution to $\frac{A(D)P(D)}{s(D)} y = 0$ can be found.

We can write a general solution. Thus we can write

$$y = Ae^{-\lambda_1 x} + Be^{-\lambda_2 x} + \dots$$

$$\text{Any } P(D)y = F \text{ must solve } s(D)y = 0$$

Thus for some constants A, B, \dots we can find

a particular solution to $P(D)y = F$.

Then we can use the methods of 6.2 to solve
for the general solution