

MTH 204  
Quiz 6  
9 Mar 2007

Name: Key  
Section: B or C (circle one)

Read the directions carefully.

Write neatly in pencil and **show all your work**  
**(you will only get credit for what you put on paper)**.

You may use your homework solutions.

The back page contains the table of Laplace transforms.

If you get stuck, feel free to ask me for help.

**LEAD: Thursdays, 5:00 - 7:00 PM**  
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**Exam 3: 23 March**  
**Sections 4.6 -**

Find the inverse Laplace transform  $F(s) = \frac{6}{s^5} + \frac{2s+3}{s^3 - 2s^2 + 4s - 8}$ .

$$\frac{2s+3}{s^2(s-2)+4(s-2)} = \frac{2s+3}{(s-2)(s^2+4)} = \frac{A}{s-2} + \frac{Bs+C}{s^2+4}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2s+3 = A(s^2+4) + Bs(s-2) + C(s-2)$$

$$s=2 \Rightarrow 7 = 8A \Rightarrow A = \frac{7}{8}$$

$$s=0 \Rightarrow 3 = \frac{7}{8}(4) - 2C \Rightarrow C = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$s=-2 \Rightarrow -1 = \frac{7}{8}(8) + 8B + \frac{1}{4}(-4) \Rightarrow B = -\frac{7}{8}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)\} = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{6}{s^5} + \frac{7}{s-2} - \frac{7}{8} \frac{s-\frac{1}{4}}{s^2+4}\right\}$$

$$= 6 \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\left(\frac{4!}{4!}\right)\left(\frac{1}{s^{4+1}}\right)\right\} + \frac{7}{8} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s-2}\right\} - \frac{7}{8} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s}{s^2+4}\right\} + \frac{1}{4} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\left(\frac{2}{2}\right)\left(\frac{1}{s^2+4}\right)\right\}$$

$$= \frac{6}{4!} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{4!}{s^{4+1}}\right\} + \frac{7}{8} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s-2}\right\} - \frac{7}{8} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s}{s^2+4}\right\} + \frac{1}{4(2)} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2}{s^2+4}\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} t^4 + \frac{7}{8} e^{2t} - \frac{7}{8} \cos(2t) + \frac{1}{8} \sin(2t).$$