Instructions. Answer each of the questions on your own paper. Put your name on each page of your paper. Be sure to show your work so that partial credit can be adequately assessed. *Credit will not be given for answers (even correct ones) without supporting work.* A table of Laplace transforms and the statement of the main partial fraction decomposition theorem have been appended to the exam.

1. [**24 Points**] Compute the Laplace transform of each of the following functions. You may use the attached tables, but be sure to identify which formulas you are using by citing the number(s) or name of the formula in the table.

   (a) $f_1(t) = e^{-3t}(t^2 - \cos(t/2))$

   (b) $f_2(t) = 7e^{2t} + 2te^{7t}$

   (c) $f_3(t) = e^{t/3}g(t)$ where $g(t)$ is the function with Laplace transform
   $$G(s) = \frac{2s^2+1}{s^4+4.}$$

2. [**9 Points**] Find the Laplace transform $Y(s)$ of the solution $y(t)$ of the initial value problem.
   $$3y'' - 5y' + 7y = 9te^{4t}, \qquad y(0) = 1,\ y'(0) = -2.$$
   Note that you are asked to find $Y(s)$, but *not* $y(t)$.

3. [**24 Points**] Compute the inverse Laplace transform of each of the following rational functions.

   (a) $F(s) = \dfrac{5}{3s+2}$

   (b) $G(s) = \dfrac{2+3s}{s^2+2s+1}$

   (c) $H(s) = \dfrac{s+8}{s^2+4s+13}$

4. [**28 Points**] Find the general solution of each of the following constant coefficient homogeneous differential equations.

   (a) $y'' + 11y' + 18y = 0$

   (b) $2y'' + 2y' + y = 0$

   (c) $4y'' + 12y' + 9y = 0$

   (d) $y^{(4)} - 16y = 0$

5. [**15 Points**] Find the general solution of the following differential equation:
   $$2y'' + 5y' + 2y = 2t + 1.$$
   You may use whatever method you prefer.

Laplace Transform Table

	$f(t)$	$\to$	$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}(s)$
1.	1	$\to$	$\dfrac{1}{s}$
2.	t^n	$\to$	$\dfrac{n!}{s^{n+1}}$
3.	e^{at}	$\to$	$\dfrac{1}{s-a}$
4.	$t^n e^{at}$	$\to$	$\dfrac{n!}{(s-a)^{n+1}}$
5.	$\cos bt$	$\to$	$\dfrac{s}{s^2+b^2}$
6.	$\sin bt$	$\to$	$\dfrac{b}{s^2+b^2}$
7.	$e^{at}\cos bt$	$\to$	$\dfrac{s-a}{(s-a)^2+b^2}$
8.	$e^{at}\sin bt$	$\to$	$\dfrac{b}{(s-a)^2+b^2}$
9.	$\frac{1}{2b^2}(\sin bt - bt\cos bt)$	$\to$	$\dfrac{b}{(s^2+b^2)^2}$
10.	$\frac{1}{2b}t\sin bt$	$\to$	$\dfrac{s}{(s^2+b^2)^2}$

Laplace Transform Principles

Linearity	$\mathcal{L}\{af(t)+bg(t)\}$	$=$	$a\mathcal{L}\{f\}+b\mathcal{L}\{g\}$
Input Derivative Principles	$\mathcal{L}\{f'(t)\}(s)$	$=$	$s\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}-f(0)$
	$\mathcal{L}\{f''(t)\}(s)$	$=$	$s^2\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}-sf(0)-f'(0)$
First Translation Principle	$\mathcal{L}\{e^{at}f(t)\}$	$=$	$F(s-a)$
Transform Derivative Principle	$\mathcal{L}\{-tf(t)\}(s)$	$=$	$\dfrac{d}{ds}F(s)$
The Dilation Principle	$\mathcal{L}\{f(bt)\}(s)$	$=$	$\dfrac{1}{b}\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}(s/b)$

Partial Fraction Expansion Theorems

The following two theorems are the main partial fractions expansion theorems, as presented in the text.

Theorem 1 (Linear Case). *Suppose a proper rational function can be written in the form*

$$\frac{p_0(s)}{(s-\lambda)^n q(s)}$$

and $q(\lambda) \neq 0$. *Then there is a unique number* A_1 *and a unique polynomial* $p_1(s)$ *such that*

$$\frac{p_0(s)}{(s-\lambda)^n q(s)} = \frac{A_1}{(s-\lambda)^n} + \frac{p_1(s)}{(s-\lambda)^{n-1} q(s)}. \tag{1}$$

The number A_1 *and the polynomial* $p_1(s)$ *are given by*

$$A_1 = \frac{p_0(\lambda)}{q(\lambda)} \qquad \textit{and} \qquad p_1(s) = \frac{p_0(s) - A_1 q(s)}{s-\lambda}. \tag{2}$$

Theorem 2 (Irreducible Quadratic Case). *Suppose a real proper rational function can be written in the form*

$$\frac{p_0(s)}{(s^2+cs+d)^n q(s)},$$

where s^2+cs+d *is an irreducible quadratic that is factored completely out of* $q(s)$. *Then there is a unique linear term* $B_1 s + C_1$ *and a unique polynomial* $p_1(s)$ *such that*

$$\frac{p_0(s)}{(s^2+cs+d)^n q(s)} = \frac{B_1 s + C_1}{(s^2+cs+d)^n} + \frac{p_1(s)}{(s^s+cs+d)^{n-1} q(s)}. \tag{3}$$

If $a+ib$ *is a complex root of* s^2+cs+d *then* $B_1 s + C_1$ *and the polynomial* $p_1(s)$ *are given by*

$$B_1(a+ib) + C_1 = \frac{p_0(a+ib)}{q(a+ib)} \qquad \textit{and} \qquad p_1(s) = \frac{p_0(s) - (B_1 s + C_1) q(s)}{s^2+cs+d}. \tag{4}$$