Homework 2

Question 1

Solve the following differential equations using classical methods. Assume zero initial conditions.

$$\frac{d^2x}{dt^2} + 6\frac{dx}{dt} + 20x = 5u(t)$$

Repeat the question using Laplace transform, assuming zero initial conditions.

Question 2

Find the transfer function, $G(s) = X_2(s)/F(s)$, for the system shown below:



Question 3

Represent the following transfer function in state space.

$$T(s) = \frac{s(s+2)}{(s+1)(s^2+2s+5)}$$

Questions 4

Find the transfer function $G(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{R(s)}$ for the following system represented in state space:

$$\dot{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ -3 & -2 & -5 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix} r$$
$$y = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}$$