

TABLE 3.5.1 The Particular Solution of $ay'' + by' + cy = g_i(t)$

$g_i(t)$	$Y_i(t)$
$P_n(t) = a_0t^n + a_1t^{n-1} + \dots + a_n$	$t^s(A_0t^n + A_1t^{n-1} + \dots + A_n)$
$P_n(t)e^{\alpha t}$	$t^s(A_0t^n + A_1t^{n-1} + \dots + A_n)e^{\alpha t}$
$P_n(t)e^{\alpha t} \begin{cases} \sin \beta t \\ \cos \beta t \end{cases}$	$t^s[(A_0t^n + A_1t^{n-1} + \dots + A_n)e^{\alpha t} \cos \beta t$ $+ (B_0t^n + B_1t^{n-1} + \dots + B_n)e^{\alpha t} \sin \beta t]$

Notes. Here s is the smallest nonnegative integer ($s = 0, 1,$ or 2) that will ensure that no term in $Y_i(t)$ is a solution of the corresponding homogeneous equation. Equivalently, for the three cases, s is the number of times 0 is a root of the characteristic equation, α is a root of the characteristic equation, and $\alpha + i\beta$ is a root of the characteristic equation, respectively.