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### Laplace Transformation

#### 1-1 INTRODUCTION:

**Laplace transforms** help in solving the differential equations with boundary values without finding the general solution and the values of the arbitrary constants. Laplace Transform used for **analog signals**

#### LAPLACE TRANSFORM

**Definition.** Let  $f(t)$  be function defined for all positive values of  $t$ , then.

$$F(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f(t) dt$$

The integral exists, is called the **Laplace Transform** of  $f(t)$ . It is denoted as

$$\mathcal{L}[f(t)] = F(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f(t) dt$$

**L** is called the Laplace transform operator

where **S** is a complex variable  $S = \sigma + j\omega$

#### 1.3 IMPORTANT FORMULAE

$$(1) \mathcal{L}(1) = \frac{1}{s} \quad (2) \mathcal{L}(t^n) = \frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}, \text{ when } n = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$(3) \mathcal{L}(e^{\alpha t}) = \frac{1}{s - \alpha} \quad \dots \dots s > 0$$

$$(4) \mathcal{L}(\cosh \alpha t) = \frac{s}{s^2 - \alpha^2}$$

$$(5) \mathcal{L}(\sinh \alpha t) = \frac{\alpha}{s^2 - \alpha^2}$$

$$(6) \mathcal{L} \sin(\alpha t) = \frac{\alpha}{s^2 + \alpha^2}$$

$$(7) \mathcal{L}(\cos \alpha t) = \frac{s}{s^2 + \alpha^2}$$



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$$1. \quad L(1) = \frac{1}{s}$$

**Proof.**  $L(1) = \int_0^\infty 1 \cdot e^{-st} dt = \left[ \frac{e^{-st}}{-s} \right]_0^\infty = -\frac{1}{s} \left[ \frac{1}{e^{st}} \right]_0^\infty = -\frac{1}{s} [0 - 1] = \frac{1}{s}$

Hence  $L(1) = \frac{1}{s}$

$$2. \quad L(t^n) = \frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}, \text{ where } n \text{ and } s \text{ are positive.}$$

**Ex. :**  $f(t)=t$

$$\mathcal{L}[f(t)] = F(s) = \int_0^\infty t \cdot e^{-st} dt$$

**By using part method** ( $\int u dv = uv - \int v du$ ),

Let  $u = t \quad dv = e^{-st} dt$

$$du = dt \quad v = \frac{1}{-s} e^{-st}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= t \cdot \frac{1}{-s} [e^{-st}]_0^\infty - \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{-s} e^{-st} dt = \left[ \frac{-t}{s} \cdot e^{-st} \right]_0^\infty + \frac{1}{s} \int_0^\infty e^{-st} dt \\ &= \frac{-t}{s} [e^{-st}]_0^\infty - \left[ \frac{1}{s^2} \cdot e^{-st} \right]_0^\infty \end{aligned}$$

So,  $\mathcal{L}[t] = \frac{1}{s^2}$

Derivative	Integral
(+) t	$e^{-st}$
(-) 1	$\frac{e^{-st}}{-s}$
(+) 0	$\frac{e^{-st}}{s^2}$

$0 \leq (\text{variable } t) < \infty$



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$$3. \quad L(e^{at}) = \frac{1}{s-a} \quad \text{where } s > a$$

**Proof.**  $L(e^{at}) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} \cdot e^{at} dt = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-(s-a)t} dt$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} e^{(-s+a)t} dt = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-(s-a)t} dt = \left[ \frac{e^{-(s-a)t}}{-(s-a)} \right]_0^{\infty} = -\frac{1}{s-a} \left[ \frac{1}{e^{(s-a)t}} \right]_0^{\infty}$$

$$= \frac{-1}{(s-a)} (0 - 1) = \frac{1}{s-a}$$

**Proved**

$e^{ix} = \cos x + i \sin x$	$e^{-ix} = \cos x - i \sin x$
$\sin x = \frac{e^{ix} - e^{-ix}}{2i}, \cos x = \frac{e^{ix} + e^{-ix}}{2}$	$\sinh x = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2}, \cosh x = \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2}$
$\sec(x) = 1 / (\cos(x))$	$\operatorname{cosec} x = 1 / \sin x.$
$\cot x = (\cos x) / (\sin x).$	$\tan x = \sin x / \cos x$

$$4. \quad L(\cosh at) = \frac{s}{s^2 - a^2}$$

**Proof.**  $L(\cosh at) = L\left[\frac{e^{at} + e^{-at}}{2}\right] \quad \left( \because \cosh at = \frac{e^{at} + e^{-at}}{2} \right)$

$$= \frac{1}{2} L(e^{at}) + \frac{1}{2} L(e^{-at})$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{s-a} + \frac{1}{s+a} \right] \quad \left[ L(e^{at}) = \frac{1}{s-a} \right] \quad \text{DAWAH.}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{s+a+s-a}{s^2-a^2} \right] = \frac{s}{s^2-a^2}$$

**Proved.**



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$$5. \quad L(\sinh at) = \frac{a}{s^2 - a^2}$$

**Proof.**  $L(\sinh at) = L\left[\frac{1}{2}(e^{at} - e^{-at})\right]$

$$= \frac{1}{2}[L(e^{at}) - L(e^{-at})] = \frac{1}{2}\left[\frac{1}{s-a} - \frac{1}{s+a}\right] = \frac{1}{2}\left[\frac{s+a-s+a}{s^2-a^2}\right]$$

$$= \frac{a}{s^2 - a^2}$$

**Proved.**

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$$6. \quad L(\sin at) = \frac{a}{s^2 + a^2}$$

**Proof.**  $L(\sin at) = L\left[\frac{e^{iat} - e^{-iat}}{2i}\right] \quad \left[ \because \sin at = \frac{e^{iat} - e^{-iat}}{2i} \right]$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2i}[L(e^{iat} - e^{-iat})] = \frac{1}{2i}[L(e^{iat}) - L(e^{-iat})] \\ &= \frac{1}{2i}\left[\frac{1}{s-ia} - \frac{1}{s+ia}\right] = \frac{1}{2i}\frac{s+ia-s+ia}{s^2+a^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2i}\frac{2ia}{s^2+a^2} = \frac{a}{s^2+a^2} \end{aligned}$$

**Proved**

$$7. \quad L(\cos at) = \frac{s}{s^2 + a^2}$$

**Proof.**  $L(\cos at) = L\left(\frac{e^{iat} + e^{-iat}}{2}\right) \quad \left[ \because \cos at = \frac{e^{iat} + e^{-iat}}{2} \right]$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2}[L(e^{iat} + e^{-iat})] = \frac{1}{2}[L(e^{iat}) + L(e^{-iat})] \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\left[\frac{1}{s-ia} + \frac{1}{s+ia}\right] = \frac{1}{2}\frac{s+ia+s-ia}{s^2+a^2} \quad \text{AUC-DAWAH} \\ &= \frac{s}{s^2 + a^2} \end{aligned}$$

**Proved**

BY using **direct** method from important formula find Laplace transform of

$$1+\cos 2t \text{ SOL// } L|1+\cos 2t| = L|1| + L|\cos 2t| = \frac{1}{s} + \frac{s}{s^2+2^2} = \frac{1}{s} + \frac{s}{s^2+4}$$



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**Example 1.** From the first principle, find the Laplace transform of  $(1 + \cos 2t)$ .

**Solution.** Laplace transform of  $(1 + \cos 2t)$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_0^\infty e^{-st} (1 + \cos 2t) dt = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} \left( 1 + \frac{e^{2it} + e^{-2it}}{2} \right) dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^\infty [2e^{-st} + e^{(-s+2i)t} + e^{(-s-2i)t}] dt = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{2e^{-st}}{-s} + \frac{e^{(-s+2i)t}}{-s+2i} + \frac{e^{(-s-2i)t}}{-s-2i} \right]_0^\infty \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \left( 0 + \frac{2}{s} \right) + \frac{1}{-s+2i} (0-1) + \frac{1}{-s-2i} (0-1) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{2}{s} + \frac{1}{s-2i} + \frac{1}{s+2i} \right] = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{2}{s} + \frac{2s}{s^2+4} \right] \end{aligned}$$

**Example 3:** Find ( L.T) for the following :

$$1-f(t)=K+\sin 3t - e^{2t}$$

**Solution** //

$$L|f(t)|=L|K|+L|\sin 3t|-L|e^{2t}|$$

$$F(s)=\frac{k}{s}+\frac{3}{s^2+3^2}-\frac{1}{s-2}$$

$$2- f(t) = \cosh 4t + \sinh 3t + 12$$

$$\begin{array}{ll} F(s) = & \text{Solution} \\ \frac{s}{s^2-4^2} + \frac{3}{s^2-3^2} + \frac{12}{s} & \end{array}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{s}{s^2-16} + \frac{3}{s^2-9} + \frac{12}{s}$$

**Laplace Transform Table**

$F(s) = L\{f(t)\}$	$f(t) = L^{-1}\{F(s)\}$
1	$\frac{1}{s}, s > 0$
$t^n, n > 0$	$\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}, s > 0$
$t^n e^{at}, n > 0$	$\frac{n!}{(s-a)^{n+1}}, s > a$
$e^{at}$	$\frac{1}{s-a}, s > a$
$\sin(at)$	$\frac{a}{s^2+a^2}, s > 0$
$t \sin(at)$	$\frac{2as}{(s^2+a^2)^2}, s > a$
$e^{at} \sin(bt)$	$\frac{b}{(s-a)^2+b^2}, s > a$
$\cos(at)$	$\frac{s}{s^2+a^2}, s > 0$
$t \cos(at)$	$\frac{s^2-a^2}{(s^2+a^2)^2}, s > a$
$e^{at} \cos(bt)$	$\frac{s-a}{(s^2-a^2)^2+b^2}, s > a$

**PROPERTIES OF LAPLACE TRANSFORMS****1/ Linearity property:**

If  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  any constants while  $f_1(t)$  and  $f_2(t)$  are functions with Laplace transformation then:

$$\mathcal{L}[c_1 f_1(t) + c_2 f_2(t)] = c_1 \mathcal{L}[f_1(t)] + c_2 \mathcal{L}[f_2(t)]$$

**2. Scaling Theorem**

$$\mathcal{L}\{K f(t)\} = K F(s)$$

...  $K$  is constant



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### 3. Real Differentiation

Let  $F(s)$  be the Laplace transform of  $f(t)$ . Then,

$$L\left\{\frac{d f(t)}{dt}\right\} = s F(s) - f(0^-)$$

where  $f(0^-)$  indicates value of  $f(t)$  at  $t = 0^-$  i.e. just before the instant  $t = 0$

The theorem can be extended for  $n^{\text{th}}$  order derivative as,

$$L\left\{\frac{d^n f(t)}{dt^n}\right\} = s^n F(s) - s^{n-1} f(0^-) - s^{n-2} f'(0^-) - \dots - f^{(n-1)}(0^-)$$

where  $f^{(n-1)}(0^-)$  is the value of  $(n-1)^{\text{th}}$  derivative of  $f(t)$  at  $t = 0^-$ .

i.e for  $n = 2$ ,  $L\left\{\frac{d^2 f(t)}{dt^2}\right\} = s^2 F(s) - s f(0^-) - f'(0^-)$

for  $n = 3$ ,  $L\left\{\frac{d^3 f(t)}{dt^3}\right\} = s^3 F(s) - s^2 f(0^-) - s f'(0^-) - f''(0^-)$  and so on.

$$L\{y'''\} = s^4 Y(s) - s^3 y(0) - s^2 y'(0) - s y''(0) - y'''(0)$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{f^{(n)}\right\} = s^n F(s) - s^{n-1} f(0) - s^{n-2} f'(0) - \dots - s f^{(n-2)}(0) - f^{(n-1)}(0)$$

### 4. Real Integration

If  $F(s)$  is the Laplace transform of  $f(t)$  then,

$$L\left\{\int_0^t f(t) dt\right\} = \frac{F(s)}{s}$$

### 5/Multiplication by $(t)$



$$\mathcal{L}\{t^n f(t)\} = (-1)^n \frac{d^n}{ds^n} F(s)$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\sin 3t) = \frac{3}{s^2 + 3^2}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\sin 3t) = \frac{3}{s^2 + 9}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(t \sin 3t) = (-1)^1 \frac{d}{ds} \left[ \frac{3}{s^2 + 9} \right]$$

$$\mathcal{L}(t \sin 3t) = - \left[ \frac{-3(2s)}{(s^2 + 9)^2} \right]$$

$$\mathcal{L}(t \sin 3t) = - \frac{-6s}{(s^2 + 9)^2}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(t \sin 3t) = \frac{6s}{(s^2 + 9)^2} \quad \text{answer}$$

## 6. Complex Translation

$$F(s - a) = L\{e^{at} f(t)\}$$

and

$$F(s + a) = L\{e^{-at} f(t)\}$$

$$F(s \mp a) = F(s)|_{s=s \mp a}$$

where  $F(s)$  is the Laplace transform of  $f(t)$ .



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With the help of this property, we can have the following important results :

$$(1) L(e^{at} t^n) = \frac{n!}{(s-a)^{n+1}} \quad [L(t^n) = \frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}]$$

$$(2) L(e^{at} \cosh bt) = \frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2 - b^2}$$

$$(3) L(e^{at} \sinh bt) = \frac{b}{(s-a)^2 - b^2}$$

$$(4) L(e^{at} \sin bt) = \frac{b}{(s-a)^2 + b^2}$$

$$(5) L(e^{at} \cos bt) = \frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2 + b^2}$$

### 7. Real Translation (Shifting Theorem)

This theorem is useful to obtain the Laplace transform of the shifted or delayed function of time.

If  $F(s)$  is the Laplace transform of  $f(t)$  then the Laplace transform of the function delayed by time  $T$  is,

$$L\{f(t-T)\} = e^{-Ts} F(s)$$

### 8. Initial Value Theorem

The Laplace transform is very useful to find the initial value of the time function  $f(t)$ . Thus if  $F(s)$  is the Laplace transform of  $f(t)$  then,

$$f(0^+) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0^+} f(t) = \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} s F(s)$$

### 9. Final Value Theorem

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} f(t) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s F(s)$$

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$$G(s) = \int_0^\infty f(\tau) e^{-s(a+\tau)} dt = e^{-as} \int_0^\infty e^{-s\tau} \cdot f(\tau) dt = e^{-as} F(s)$$


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**Ex.10: The L.T of  $f(t - \frac{\pi}{4})$  when  $f(t) = t \sin 2t$ .**

$$\text{Sol. } \mathcal{L}[f(t)] = \mathcal{L}[t \sin 2t] = \frac{4s}{(s^2+4)^2}$$

$$\text{now, } \mathcal{L}\left[f\left(t - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right] = e^{-\frac{\pi}{4}s} \cdot \frac{4s}{(s^2+4)^2}$$

Laplace of  $t \sin at$   
 $= \frac{2as}{(s^2+a^2)^2}$



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**Example 3.** Find the Laplace transform of  $\cos^2 t$ .

**Solution.**

$$\cos 2t = 2 \cos^2 t - 1$$

$$\therefore \cos^2 t = \frac{1}{2} [\cos 2t + 1]$$

$$\begin{aligned} L(\cos^2 t) &= L\left[\frac{1}{2}(\cos 2t + 1)\right] = \frac{1}{2}[L(\cos 2t) + L(1)] \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\left[\frac{s}{s^2 + (2)^2} + \frac{1}{s}\right] = \frac{1}{2}\left[\frac{s}{s^2 + 4} + \frac{1}{s}\right] \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

## EXAMPLE

$$f(t) = te^{-t} \cos 4t$$

$$\text{Let } g(t) = e^{-t} \cos 4t$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} G(s) &= \mathcal{L}\{e^{-t} \cos 4t\} \\ &= \frac{s+1}{(s+1)^2 + 16} \\ &= \frac{s+1}{s^2 + 2s + 17} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{d}{ds} \frac{s+1}{(s+1)^2 + 16} = -\frac{s^2 + 2s - 15}{(s^2 + 2s + 17)^2}$$

$$\text{So } \mathcal{L}\{t \cdot e^{-t} \cdot \cos 4t\} = \frac{s^2 + 2s - 15}{(s^2 + 2s + 17)^2}$$

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## IMPORTANT FORMULAE



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(1)  $L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s}\right) = 1$

(2)  $L^{-1} \frac{1}{s^n} = \frac{t^{n-1}}{(n-1)!}$

(3)  $L^{-1} \frac{1}{s-a} = e^{at}$

(4)  $L^{-1} \frac{s}{s^2-a^2} = \cosh at$

(5)  $L^{-1} \frac{1}{s^2-a^2} = \frac{1}{a} \sinh at$

(6)  $L^{-1} \frac{1}{s^2+a^2} = \frac{1}{a} \sin at$

(7)  $L^{-1} \frac{s}{s^2+a^2} = \cos at$

(8)  $L^{-1} F(s-a) = e^{at} f(t)$

(9)  $L^{-1} \frac{1}{(s-a)^2+b^2} = \frac{1}{b} e^{at} \sin bt$

(10)  $L^{-1} \frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2+b^2} = e^{at} \cos bt$

(11)  $L^{-1} \frac{1}{(s-a)^2-b^2} = \frac{1}{b} e^{at} \sinh bt$

(12)  $L^{-1} \frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2-b^2} = e^{at} \cosh bt$

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(13)  $L^{-1} \frac{1}{(s^2+a^2)^2} = \frac{1}{2a^3} (\sin at - at \cos at)$

(14)  $L^{-1} \frac{s}{(s^2+a^2)^2} = \frac{1}{2a} t \sin at$

(15)  $L^{-1} \frac{s^2-a^2}{(s^2+a^2)^2} = t \cos at$

(16)  $L^{-1} (1) = \delta(t)$

(17)  $L^{-1} \frac{s^2}{(s^2+a^2)^2} = \frac{1}{2a} [\sin at + at \cos at]$

## partial fractions.

## case/1

$$\frac{3x^2 - 5x - 52}{(x+2)(x-4)(x+5)} = \frac{A}{x+2} + \frac{B}{x-4} + \frac{C}{x+5}$$

$$\frac{1}{(x+1)(x+1)(x+2)} = \frac{1}{(x+1)^2(x+2)} = \frac{A}{x+1} + \frac{B}{(x+1)^2} + \frac{C}{x+2}$$



## case/2

## case/3

$$\frac{1}{(x^2 - x + 1)(x^2 - x + 2)} = \frac{Ax + B}{x^2 - x + 1} + \frac{Cx + D}{x^2 - x + 2}$$

## case/4

$$\frac{1}{(x^2 - x + 1)^2(x^2 - x + 2)} = \frac{Ax + B}{x^2 - x + 1} + \frac{Cx + D}{(x^2 - x + 1)^2} + \frac{Ex + F}{x^2 - x + 2}$$

Ex.: If  $F(s) = \frac{10s}{s^2+4} - \frac{3}{s^2+16}$ . Find  $f(t)$ .

Sol.  $F(s) = 10 \cdot \frac{s}{s^2+2^2} - 3 \cdot \frac{1}{s^2+4^2}$

$$\frac{1}{s^2 + 4^2} = \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{4}{s^2 + 4^2}$$

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$$F(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}[10 \cdot \frac{s}{s^2+2^2} - 3 \cdot \frac{1}{4} \cdot \frac{4}{s^2+4^2}] = 10 \cos 2t - \frac{3}{4} \sin 4t$$

Ex.: If  $F(s) = \frac{2}{s+2}$ . Find  $f(t)$ .

Sol.  $F(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}[F(s)] = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{2}{s+2}\right] = 2 \cdot e^{-2t}$



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**Example :**  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{3}{s} + \frac{4s+1}{s^2+16}\right\}$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{3}{s}\right\} + \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{4s}{s^2+4^2}\right\} + \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2+4^2}\right\} \\&= 3\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s}\right\} + 4\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s}{s^2+4^2}\right\} + \frac{1}{4}\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{4}{s^2+4^2}\right\} \\&= 3 + 4\cos 4t + \frac{1}{4}\sin 4t\end{aligned}$$

**Ex.:** If  $F(s) = \frac{1}{s^2-2s+5}$ . Find  $f(t)$

Sol.  $F(s) = \frac{1}{s^2-2s+5} = \frac{1}{s^2-2s+1+4} = \frac{1}{(s-1)^2+2^2}$

$$\therefore F(s) = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{(s-1)^2+2^2}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{(s-1)^2+2^2}\right] = \frac{1}{2} e^t \sin 2t$$


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**Example/** Find  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2}{s^2+6s+13}\right\}$

**Solution**

$$\frac{2}{s^2+6s+13} = \frac{2}{(s+3)^2+4} = \left[\frac{2}{s^2+2^2}\right]_{s \rightarrow s+3}$$

$$ax^2 + bx + c = 0$$

$$\left[\frac{b}{2}\right]^2$$

and, since  $2/(s^2+2^2) = \mathcal{L}\{\sin 2t\}$ , the shift theorem gives

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2}{s^2+6s+13}\right\} = e^{-3t} \sin 2t$$

### LAPLACE TRANSFORM OF THE DERIVATIVE OF $f(t)$

$$L[f'(t)] = s L[f(t)] - f(0) \quad \text{where } L[f(t)] = F(s).$$

**Examples:**



$$\mathcal{L}[f''(t)] = s[s\mathcal{L}[f(t)] - f(0)] - f'(0)$$

$$\mathcal{L}[f''(t)] = s^2 \mathcal{L}[f(t)] - sf(0) - f'(0)$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{y'''\} = s^3 Y(s) - s^2 y(0) - sy'(0) - y''(0)$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{y''''\} = s^4 Y(s) - s^3 y(0) - s^2 y'(0) - sy''(0) - y''(0)$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{f^{(n)}\} = s^n F(s) - s^{n-1} f(0) - s^{n-2} f'(0) - \dots - sf^{(n-2)}(0) - f^{(n-1)}(0)$$

**Example:**  $y'' - 6y' + 5y = 0$ ,  $y(0) = 1$ ,  $y'(0) = -3$

[Step 1] Transform both sides

$$\mathcal{L}\{y'' - 6y' + 5y\} = \mathcal{L}\{0\}$$

$$s^2 \mathcal{L}\{y\} - s y(0) - y'(0)) - 6(s \mathcal{L}\{y\} - y(0)) + 5\mathcal{L}\{y\} = 0$$

[Step 2] Simplify to find  $Y(s) = \mathcal{L}\{y\}$

$$s^2 \mathcal{L}\{y\} - s - (-3)) - 6(s \mathcal{L}\{y\} - 1) + 5\mathcal{L}\{y\} = 0$$

$$(s^2 - 6s + 5) \mathcal{L}\{y\} - s + 9 = 0$$

$$(s^2 - 6s + 5) \mathcal{L}\{y\} = s - 9$$

[Step 3] Find the inverse transform  $y(t)$

Use partial fractions to simplify,

$$Y(s) = \frac{s-9}{s^2-6s+5} = \frac{s-9}{(s-1)(s-5)} = \frac{A}{(s-1)} + \frac{B}{(s-5)} \quad /*(s-1)(s-5)$$

$s-9 = A(s-5) + B(s-1)$ ..... Equating the corresponding coefficients:

$$1 = A + B \quad \therefore A = 2$$

$$-9 = -5A - B \quad \therefore B = -1$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{2}{(s-1)} + \frac{-1}{(s-5)} \Rightarrow y(t) = 2e^t - e^{5t} \quad Answer$$

**Example:**  $y' + 2y = 4t e^{2t}$ ,  $y(0) = -3$ .

$$\mathcal{L}\{y' + 2y\} = \mathcal{L}\{4t e^{-2t}\}$$

$$(s\mathcal{L}\{y\} - y(0)) + 2\mathcal{L}\{y\} = \mathcal{L}\{4t e^{-2t}\} = \frac{4}{(s-2)^2}$$

$$(s+2)\mathcal{L}\{y\} + 3 = \frac{4}{(s-2)^2}$$



$$Y(s)(s+2) = \frac{4}{(s-2)^2} - 3$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{4}{(s+2)(s-2)^2} - \frac{3}{(s+2)} = \frac{-3s^2 + 12s - 8}{(s+2)(s-2)^2} = \frac{A}{(s+2)} + \frac{B}{(s-2)} + \frac{C}{(s-2)^2} \quad /*(s+2)(s-2)^2$$

$$Y(s) = -3s^2 + 12s - 8 = A((s-2)^2 + B(s-2)(s+2) + C(s+2)$$

$$\text{Let } s=0, -8 = 4A - 4B + 2C \quad \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } s=2, -3(2)^2 + 12(2) - 8 &= C(2+2) \\ -12 + 24 - 8 &= 4C \end{aligned}$$

$$4 = 4C \quad >>> C=1 \quad \dots\dots\dots\dots\dots(2)$$

$$\text{Let } s=-2, -3(-2)^2 + 12(-2) - 8 = A((-2-2)^2$$

$$-12 - 24 - 8 = 16A$$

$$-44 = 16A \quad \therefore A = \frac{-11}{4}$$

Substituting in (1) .....  $B = \frac{-1}{4}$

$$Y(S) = \frac{-11}{4(s+2)} + \frac{-1}{4(s-2)} + \frac{1}{(s-2)^2}$$

$$y(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{-11}{4(s+2)} \right| + \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{-1}{4(s-2)} \right| + \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{1}{(s-2)^2} \right|$$

$$y(t) = \frac{-11}{4} e^{-2t} - \frac{1}{4} e^{2t} + t e^{2t}$$

$$\text{NOTE} // \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{s}{(s-a)^2} \right| = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{s-a+a}{(s-a)^2} \right| = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2} \right| + \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{a}{(s-a)^2} \right| = [e^{at} + ate^{at}]$$

**Example.** Using Laplace transforms, find the solution of the(IVP) initial value problem?

$$y'' - y = e^{3t}, y(0)=0, y'(0)=0$$

**solution:**

$$s^2 Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) - Y(s) = \frac{1}{s-3}$$

$$s^2 Y(s) - Y(s) = \frac{1}{s-3}$$

$$Y(s)[s^2 - 1] = \frac{1}{s-3}$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{1}{(s-3)(s^2-1)} = \frac{A}{s-3} + \frac{BS+C}{s^2-1} \quad /*(s-3)(s^2-1)$$

$$1 = A(s^2 - 1) + (BS + C)(s - 3)$$

$$\text{Let } s=0 \quad \dots\dots\dots 1 = -A + (-3)C \quad \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

$$\text{Let } s=3 \quad \dots\dots\dots 1 = 8A \quad \therefore A = \frac{1}{8} \quad \text{FROM (1)} \quad \dots\dots\dots -3C = 1 + \frac{1}{8} = \frac{9}{8} \quad \therefore C = \frac{-3}{8}$$

$$1 = As^2 - A + Bs^2 - 3BS + CS - 3C$$

$$0 = A + B \quad \therefore B = -A = \frac{-1}{8}$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{1}{8(s-3)} - \frac{1}{8} \frac{s}{(s^2-1)} - \frac{3}{8} \frac{1}{(s^2-1)}$$



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$$\therefore y(t) = \frac{1}{8} e^{3t} - \frac{1}{8} \cosh t - \frac{3}{8} \sinh t$$

**Example**

Determine the form of a partial fraction expansion for the rational function

$$F(s) = \frac{2}{s^2 + 3s + 2}.$$

where N(s)=2 and D(s)= $s^2 + 3s + 2$ . If the denominator is factored the function may be written

$$F(s) = \frac{2}{s^2 + 3s + 2} = \frac{2}{(s+1)(s+2)}$$

and according to the rules above each of the two linear factors will introduce a single term into the partial fraction

$$F(s) = \frac{A_1}{s+1} + \frac{A_2}{s+2}$$

expansion

SOL//?????

**UNIT STEP FUNCTION**

$$u(t-a) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{when } t < a \\ 1 & \text{when } t \geq a \end{cases}$$

**NOTE:** Often the unit step function  $U_c(t)$  is also denoted as  $U(t-c)$ ,  $H_c(t)$ , or  $H(t-c)$ .

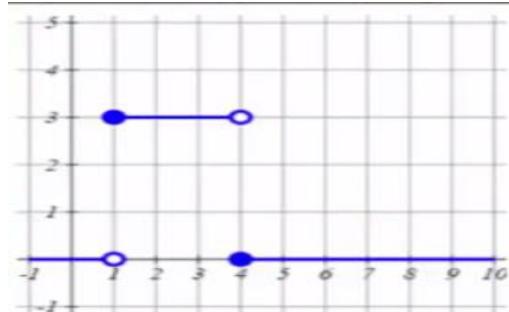
**THE LAPLACE TRANSFORM OF UNIT STEP FUNCTION:**

$$\mathcal{L}\{u_c(t)\} = \frac{e^{-cs}}{s}, \quad s > 0, \quad c \geq 0$$



$f(t)$	$F(s)$
$\delta(t)$	1
$u(t)$	$\frac{1}{s}$

## Writing a Function Using the Unit Step Function



**Heaviside Step Function**

$$u_c(t) = u(t - c) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } t < c \\ 1 & \text{if } t \geq c \end{cases}$$

The graph above can be written as  $y=f(t) U_{a(t)} + g(t) U_{b(t)}$

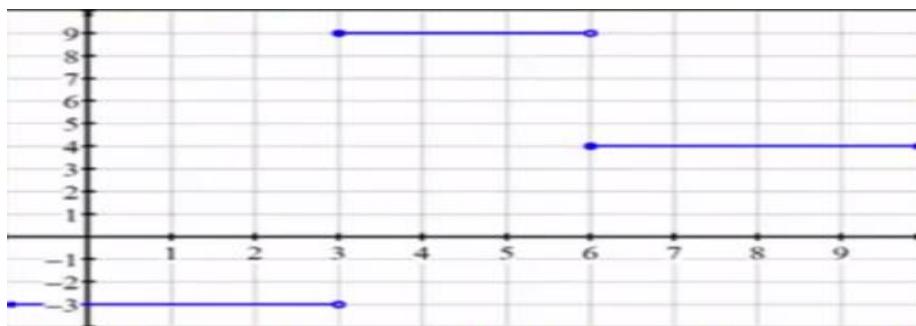
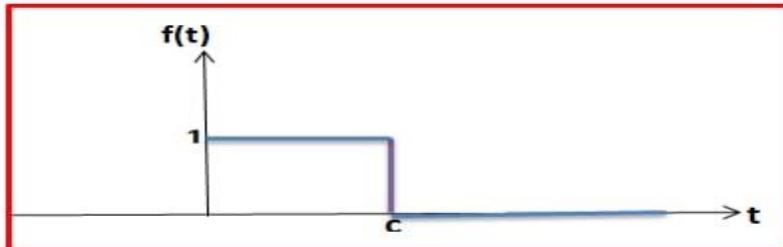
$$Y(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } t < 1 \\ 3 & \text{if } 1 \leq t < 4 \\ 0 & \text{if } t \geq 4 \end{cases}$$

$$Y(t) = 3[U_{1(t)} - U_{4(t)}]$$

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**EXAMPLE : Sketch the function  $f(t) = 1 - u_c(t)$ ?**

$$f(t) = 1 - \begin{cases} 0 & t < c \\ 1 & t \geq c \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 1 & t < c \\ 0 & t \geq c \end{cases}$$

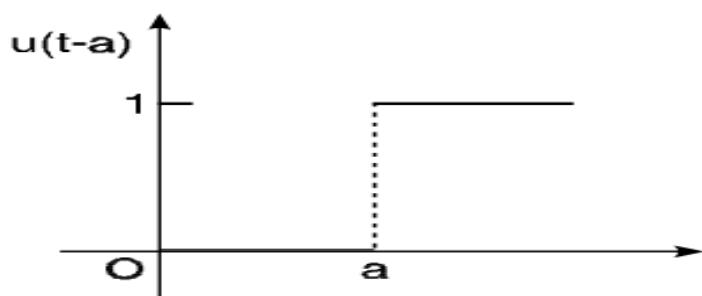


Write  $f(t) = \begin{cases} -3 & \text{if } t < 3 \\ 9 & \text{if } 3 \leq t < 6 \\ 4 & \text{if } t \geq 6 \end{cases}$  in terms of the unit step function.

$$f(t) = -3[1 - U_{3(t)}] + 9[U_{3(t)} - U_{6(t)}] + 4U_{6(t)}$$

$$f(t) = -3 + 3U_{3(t)} + 9U_{3(t)} - 9U_{6(t)} + 4U_{6(t)}$$

$$f(t) = -3 + 12U_{3(t)} - 5U_{6(t)}$$



where  $a \geq 0$ .



More specifically, the representation of a function

$$g(t) = \begin{cases} g_1(t) & 0 < t < t_1 \\ \vdots \\ g_k(t) & t_{k-1} < t < t_k \end{cases}$$

is

$$g(t) = g_1(t) + [g_2(t) - g_1(t)] u(t-t_1) + [g_3(t) - g_2(t)] u(t-t_2) + \dots + [g_k(t) - g_{k-1}(t)] u(t-t_{k-1}).$$

**Example .** Express the given function using unit step functions.

$$g(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & 0 < t < 1 \\ 2 & 1 < t < 2 \\ 1 & 2 < t < 3 \\ 3 & 3 < t \end{cases}.$$

**Solution.** We have  $g_1(t) = 0$ ,  $g_2(t) = 2$ ,  $g_3(t) = 1$ ,  $g_4(t) = 3$ . Thus

$$0 + (2-0)u(t-1) + (1-2)u(t-2) + (3-1)u(t-3)$$

$$g(t) = 2u(t-1) - u(t-2) + 2u(t-3).$$

**Example .** Express

$$g(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & 0 < t < 2 \\ t+1 & 2 < t \end{cases}$$

using unit jump function.

**Solution.** We have  $g(t) = (t+1)u(t-2)$ .

**Example /Express the following function in terms of units step functions and find its Laplace transform**



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$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 8, & t < 2 \\ 6, & t > 2 \end{cases}$$

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 8+0 & t < 2 \\ 8-2 & t > 2 \end{cases}$$

$$= 8 + \begin{cases} 0 & t < 2 \\ -2 & t > 2 \end{cases} = 8 + (-2) \begin{cases} 0, & t < 2 \\ 1, & t > 2 \end{cases}$$

$$= 8 - 2 u(t-2)$$

$$\mathcal{L}f(t) = 8 \mathcal{L}(1) - 2 \mathcal{L}u(t-2) = \frac{8}{s} - 2 \frac{e^{-2s}}{s}$$

**Example** Express the following function in terms of unit step function : and find its L.T

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} t-1 & 1 < t < 2 \\ 3-t & 2 < t < 3 \end{cases}$$

**Solution.**

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} t-1 & 1 < t < 2 \\ 3-t & 2 < t < 3 \end{cases}$$

$$= (t-1)[u(t-1)-u(t-2)] + (3-t)[u(t-2)-u(t-3)]$$

$$= (t-1)u(t-1) - (t-1)u(t-2) + (3-t)u(t-2) + (t-3)u(t-3)$$

$$= (t-1)u(t-1) - 2(t-2)u(t-2) + (t-3)u(t-3)$$

$$\mathcal{L}f(t) = \frac{e^{-s}}{s^2} - 2 \frac{e^{-2s}}{s^2} + \frac{e^{-3s}}{s^2}$$

**Ans.**

**Example** Find the Laplace Transform of  $t^2 u(t-3)$ .

**Solution.**

$$t^2 \cdot u(t-3) = [(t-3)^2 + 6(t-3) + 9]u(t-3)$$

$$= (t-3)^2 \cdot u(t-3) + 6(t-3) \cdot u(t-3) + 9u(t-3)$$

$$\mathcal{L}t^2 \cdot u(t-3) = \mathcal{L}(t-3)^2 \cdot u(t-3) + 6\mathcal{L}(t-3) \cdot u(t-3) + 9\mathcal{L}u(t-3)$$

$$= e^{-3s} \left[ \frac{2}{s^3} + \frac{6}{s^2} + \frac{9}{s} \right]$$

**Ans.**



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**ANOTHER WAY FOR SOLUTION:**

$$\begin{aligned} L[t^2 u(t-3)] &= e^{-3s} L[(t+3)^2] = e^{-3s} L[t^2 + 6t + 9] \\ &= e^{-3s} \left[ \frac{2}{s^3} + \frac{6}{s^2} + \frac{9}{s} \right] \end{aligned}$$

**Ans.**

<b>Example</b>	Find $f(t)$ given that	$F(s) = \frac{s^2 + 12}{s(s+2)(s+3)}$
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**SOLUTION**

$$\frac{s^2 + 12}{s(s+2)(s+3)} = \frac{A}{s} + \frac{B}{s+2} + \frac{C}{s+3}$$

$$A = sF(s) \Big|_{s=0} = \frac{s^2 + 12}{(s+2)(s+3)} \Big|_{s=0} = \frac{12}{(2)(3)} = 2$$

$$B = (s+2)F(s) \Big|_{s=-2} = \frac{s^2 + 12}{s(s+3)} \Big|_{s=-2} = \frac{4+12}{(-2)(1)} = -8$$

$$C = (s+3)F(s) \Big|_{s=-3} = \frac{s^2 + 12}{s(s+2)} \Big|_{s=-3} = \frac{9+12}{(-3)(-1)} = 7$$

Thus  $A = 2$ ,  $B = -8$ ,  $C = 7$ , and Eq. (15.9.1) becomes

$$F(s) = \frac{2}{s} - \frac{8}{s+2} + \frac{7}{s+3}$$

By finding the inverse transform of each term, we obtain

$$f(t) = 2u(t) - 8e^{-2t} + 7e^{-3t}, \quad t \geq 0.$$

**Example:** Express the following function in terms of unit step function : and find its Laplace transform?

$$y'' + y = u(t-3)y(0)=0, , , y'(0)=1$$

$$SOL/s^2 Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) + Y(s) = \frac{e^{-3s}}{s}$$



$$s^2Y(s) - 1 + Y(s) = \frac{e^{-3s}}{s}$$

$$(s^2 + 1)Y(s) = \frac{e^{-3s}}{s} + 1$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{e^{-3s}}{s(s^2 + 1)} + \frac{1}{(s^2 + 1)}$$

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

$$= (1-\cos t) = (1-\cos(t-3))$$

$$y(t) = u(t-3)[1-\cos(t-3)] + \sin t$$

**Example:** Express the following function in terms of unit step function and find its Laplace transform?

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{e^{-2s} - 3e^{-4s}}{s+2} \right|$$

SOL//

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{e^{-2s}}{s+2} \right| - \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{3e^{-4s}}{s+2} \right| = u(t-2)e^{-2(t-2)} - 3u(t-4)e^{-2(t-4)}$$

**Example:** Express the following function in terms of unit step function and find its Laplace transform?

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{3s - 15}{2s^2 - 4s + 10} \right|$$

$$\text{SOL/ } \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{3(s-5)}{2(s^2-2s+5)} \right|$$

$$\frac{3}{2} \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{(s-5)}{(s-1)^2 + 4} \right|$$



$$\frac{3}{2} \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left| \frac{(s-1)}{(s-1)^2 + 4) } \right| + \frac{3}{2} \mathcal{L}^{-1} | \frac{-4}{(s-1)^2 + 4) } |$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} e^t \cos 2t - 3e^t \sin 2t$$

## Delta function $\delta(t)$

What is the Delta Function?

1.  $\delta(x) = 0$  for all  $x \neq 0$ .
2. Sifting property:  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)\delta(x-a) dx = f(a)$
3. The delta function is used to model “instantaneous” energy transfers.
4.  $\mathcal{L}\{\delta(t-a)\} = e^{-as}$

$$\mathcal{L}(\delta(t)) = \int_{0^-}^{\infty} \delta(t)e^{-st} dt = e^{0 \cdot t} = 1.$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\delta(t-a)) = \int_{0^-}^{\infty} \delta(t-a)e^{-st} dt = e^{-sa}$$

$$\int_a^b f(t)\delta(t) dt = \begin{cases} f(0) & \text{if } (a, b) \text{ contains 0} \\ 0 & \text{if } [a, b] \text{ does not contain 0.} \end{cases}$$

$$\int_{-5}^5 3\delta(t) dt = 3, \quad \int_{-5}^{-3} 3\delta(t) dt = 0, \quad \int_{0^-}^{0^+} 3\delta(t) dt = 3, \quad \int_{0^+}^{\infty} 3\delta(t) dt = 0.$$



## Shifting by a

If we shift by  $a$  we have,  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t)\delta(t-a) dt = f(a)$ . More generally:

$$\int_c^d f(t)\delta(t-a) dt = \begin{cases} f(a) & \text{if } (c, d) \text{ contains } a \\ 0 & \text{if } [c, d] \text{ does not contain } a. \end{cases}$$

**Example . (Practice with  $\delta$ .)** Quickly cover up the answers on the left and try to evaluate each of the integrals on the right.

$$\int_{-1}^3 \delta(t)2e^{4t^2} dt = 2, \quad (\text{evaluate } 2e^{4t^2} \text{ at } t = 0)$$
$$\int_1^3 \delta(t)2e^{4t^2} dt = 0, \quad (0 \text{ is not in } [1,3])$$

$$\int_{0^-}^3 \delta(t)2e^{4t^2} dt = 2, \quad (\text{evaluate } 2e^{4t^2} \text{ at } t = 0)$$
$$\int_{0^-}^{\infty} \delta(t)2e^{-\tan^2(t^3)} dt = 2, \quad (\text{evaluate } 2e^{-\tan^2(t^3)} \text{ at } t = 0)$$

$$\int_{-1}^3 \delta(t-2)2e^{4t^2} dt = 2e^{16}, \quad (\text{evaluate } 2e^{2e^{4t^2}} \text{ at } t = 2)$$
$$\int_3^5 \delta(t-2)2e^{4t^2} dt = 0, \quad (2 \text{ is not in } [3,5])$$
$$\int_{0^-}^3 \delta(t-2)2e^{4t^2} dt = 2e^{16} \quad (\text{evaluate } 2e^{2e^{4t^2}} \text{ at } t = 2),$$

**Example** Determine  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s^2}{s^2+4}\right\}$ .

**Solution** Since

$$\frac{s^2}{s^2+4} = \frac{s^2+4-4}{s^2+4} = 1 - \frac{4}{s^2+4}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s^2}{s^2+4}\right\} = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{1\} - \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{4}{s^2+4}\right\}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s^2}{s^2+4}\right\} = \delta(t) - 2 \sin 2t$$



Two important properties of the delta function are

1.  $\delta(t - a) = 0$  for  $t \neq a$ ,
2.  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t) dt = 1$ .

## 1–1 EVALUATION OF INTEGRALS

We can evaluate number of integrals having lower limit (0 ) and upper limit( $\infty$ ) of Laplace transform.

Example:

Evaluate  $\int_0^{\infty} t e^{-3t} \sin t dt$ .

$$\begin{aligned}\int_0^{\infty} t e^{-3t} \sin t dt &= \int_0^{\infty} t e^{-st} \sin t dt \\&= L(t \sin t) = -\frac{d}{ds} \left( \frac{1}{s^2 + 1} \right) = \frac{2s}{(s^2 + 1)^2} \\&\text{WHEN } s=3 \\&= \frac{2 \times 3}{(3^2 + 1)^2} = \frac{6}{100} = \frac{3}{50}\end{aligned}$$

SOLVE THE EXAMPLES IN SAME SOLUTION ABOV

$\int_0^{\infty} t e^{-4t} \sin t dt$	<b>Ans.</b> $\frac{8}{289}$	$\int_0^{\infty} t e^{-2t} \cos t dt$	<b>ans</b> $\frac{7}{25}$
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**Example :** Find  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2+s-2}\right\}$

Let's check the list of basic transforms ... **Not found!**

Try **partial fraction decomposition**:  $\frac{1}{s^2+s-2} = \frac{A}{s+2} + \frac{B}{s-1}$

$$= \frac{As-A+Bs+2B}{(s-1)(s+2)} = \frac{(A+B)s-A+2B}{(s-1)(s+2)} = \frac{0s+1}{(s-1)(s+2)}$$

Solving the system  $A + B = 0$ ,  $-A + 2B = 1$  gives  $A = -\frac{1}{3}$ ,  $B = \frac{1}{3}$

Now we can find  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2+s-2}\right\}$  using linearity and basic formula

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2+s-2}\right\} &= -\frac{1}{3}\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s+2}\right\} + \frac{1}{3}\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s-1}\right\} \\ &= -\frac{1}{3}e^{-2t} + \frac{1}{3}e^t.\end{aligned}$$

**Example :** Find  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2}{(s-5)^3}\right\}$

**Partial fraction decomposition?** Nothing further to decompose.

**Does the function appear on the list?** No. But:

Two similar ones do:  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}\right\} = t^n$ ,  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s-a}\right\} = e^{at}$ .

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2}{(s-5)^3}\right\} = e^{5t}\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2}{s^3}\right\} = t^2e^{5t}.$$

**Example :** Find  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s}{s^2+2s+5}\right\}$

**Partial fractions?** The denominator is indecomposable.

**Does the function appear on the list?** Not quite.

$$\frac{s}{s^2+2s+5} = \frac{s}{(s+1)^2+2^2} \quad \text{This is similar to: } \frac{s}{s^2+2^2} = \mathcal{L}\{\cos 2t\}.$$



Here we use partial fraction

$$\frac{s+1}{(s-2)(s+2)} = \frac{A}{s-2} + \frac{B}{s+2}, \quad A = 3/4, \quad B = 1/4.$$

## PARTIAL FRACTIONS METHOD

Example Find the inverse Laplace transform of

$$F(s) = \frac{11s+7}{s^2-1} = \frac{11s+7}{(s-1)(s+1)} = \frac{A}{s-1} + \frac{B}{s+1}$$

Then  $A$  is found by substituting  $s = 1$  into

$$\frac{11s+7}{(s-1)(s+1)} = \frac{11+7}{2} = 9$$

and  $B$  is found by substituting  $s = -1$  into

$$\frac{11s+7}{(s-1)(s+1)} = \frac{-11+7}{-2} = 2.$$

This gives the partial fraction expansion, as before, as

$$F(s) = \frac{9}{s+1} + \frac{2}{s-1}.$$

**Example** . Find the inverse transforms of  $\frac{1}{s^2-5s+6}$ .

**Solution.** Let us convert the given function into partial fractions.

$$\begin{aligned} L^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{s^2-5s+6}\right] &= L^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{s-3} - \frac{1}{s-2}\right] \\ &= L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s-3}\right) - L^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s-2}\right) = e^{3t} - e^{2t} \end{aligned}$$

## 1. INVERSE LAPLACE TRANSFORM BY CONVOLUTION



$$\mathcal{L} \left\{ \int_0^t f_1(x) * f_2(t-x) dx \right\} = F_1(s) \cdot F_2(s) \quad \text{or} \quad \int_0^t f_1(x) \cdot f_2(t-x) dx = \mathcal{L}^{-1} [F_1(s) \cdot F_2(s)]$$

**Example (Convolution)** Find

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{(s-2)(s-3)} \right\}$$

using the convolution property:

$$\mathcal{L} \left\{ \int_0^t f(t)g(t-\tau)d\tau \right\} = F(s)G(s).$$

*Solution*

$$\frac{1}{(s-2)(s-3)} = \frac{1}{(s-2)} \frac{1}{(s-3)}.$$

Therefore, call

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{s-2}, \quad G(s) = \frac{1}{s-3}$$

$$f(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s-2} \right\} = e^{2t}$$

$$g(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s-3} \right\} = e^{3t}.$$

Then by the convolution rule



$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{(s-2)(s-3)} \right\} = \int_0^t e^{2\tau} e^{3(t-\tau)} d\tau.$$

This integral is an integral over the variable  $\tau$ .  $t$  is a constant as far as the integration process is concerned. We can use the properties of powers to separate out the terms in  $\tau$  and the terms in  $t$ , giving

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{(s-2)(s-3)} \right\} &= e^{3t} \int_0^t e^{-\tau} d\tau = e^{3t} \left[ \frac{e^{-\tau}}{-1} \right]_0^t \\ &= e^{3t}(-e^{-t} + 1)\end{aligned}$$

## INVERSION FORMULA FOR THE LAPLACE TRANSFORM

$f(x) = \text{sum of the residues of } e^{sx} F(s) \text{ at the poles of } F(s).$

Example: Obtain the inverse Laplace transform of  $\frac{s+1}{s^2+2s}$

Solution: Let  $F(s) = \frac{s+1}{s^2+2s}$  .....(1)

$L^{-1} \left[ \frac{s+1}{s^2+2s} \right] = \text{Sum of the residues of } e^{st} \cdot \frac{s+1}{s^2+2s} \text{ at the poles.}$  ... (2)

The poles of (1) are determined by equating the denominator to zero, i.e.

$$s^2 + 2s = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad s(s+2) = 0 \quad \text{i.e. } s = 0, -2$$

There are two simple poles at  $s = 0$  and  $s = -2$ .

$$\text{Residue of } e^{st} \cdot F(s) \text{ (at } s = 0) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \left[ (s-0) \frac{e^{st} \cdot (s+1)}{s^2+2s} \right] = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \left[ \frac{e^{st}(s+1)}{(s+2)} \right] = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Residue of } e^{st} \cdot F(s) \text{ (at } s = -2) &= \lim_{s \rightarrow -2} \left[ \frac{(s+2)e^{st}(s+1)}{s(s+2)} \right] \\ &= \lim_{s \rightarrow -2} \left[ \frac{e^{st}(s+1)}{s} \right] = \frac{e^{-2t}(-2+1)}{-2} = \frac{e^{-2t}}{2}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Sum of the residue [at } s = 0 \text{ and } s = -2] = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{e^{-2t}}{2}$$

Putting the value of residues in (2) we get



$$L^{-1} \left[ \frac{s+1}{s^2 + 2s} \right] = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{e^{-2t}}{2}$$

## HEAVISIDE S Inverse Formula of $\frac{F(s)}{G(s)}$

If  $F(s)$  and  $G(s)$  be two polynomials in  $(s)$ . The degree of  $F(s)$  is less than that of

$G(s)$ . Let  $\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, \dots, \alpha_n$  be  $n$  roots of the equation  $G(s)=0$

Inverse Laplace formula of  $\frac{F(s)}{G(s)}$  is given by

$$L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F(s)}{G(s)} \right\} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{F(\alpha_i)}{G'(\alpha_i)} e^{\alpha_i t}$$

**Example** Find  $L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{2s^2 + 5s - 4}{s^3 + s^2 - 2s} \right\}$ .

**Solution.** Let  $F(s) = 2s^2 + 5s - 4$

and  $G(s) = s^3 + s^2 - 2s = s(s^2 + s - 2) = s(s+2)(s-1)$

$$G'(s) = 3s^2 + 2s - 2$$

$G(s) = 0$  has three roots, 0, 1, -2.

or  $\alpha_1 = 0, \alpha_2 = 1, \alpha_3 = -2$

By Heaviside's Inverse formula  $L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{F(s)}{G(s)} \right\} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{F(\alpha_i)}{G'(\alpha_i)} e^{\alpha_i t}$

$$= \frac{F(\alpha_1)}{G'(\alpha_1)} e^{\alpha_1 t} + \frac{F(\alpha_2)}{G'(\alpha_2)} e^{\alpha_2 t} + \frac{F(\alpha_3)}{G'(\alpha_3)} e^{\alpha_3 t} = \frac{F(0)}{G'(0)} e^0 + \frac{F(1)}{G'(1)} e^t + \frac{F(-2)}{G'(-2)} e^{-2t}$$

$$= \frac{-4}{-2} e^0 + \frac{3}{3} e^t + \frac{(-6)}{(6)} e^{-2t} = 2 + e^t - e^{-2t}$$

Using Heaviside's expansion formula, find the inverse Laplace transform of the following:

1.  $\frac{s - 1}{s^2 + 3s + 2}$       Ans.  $-2e^{-t} + 3e^{-2t}$

2.  $\frac{s}{(s - 1)(s - 2)(s - 3)}$       Ans.  $\frac{1}{2}e^t - 2e^{2t} + \frac{3}{2}e^{3t}$

### Example

A spring-mass system with mass (2), damping (4), and spring constant (10) is subject to a hammer blow at time ( $t = 0$ ): The blow imparts a total impulse of (1) to the system, which was initially at rest. Find the response of the system.

Solution: The situation is modeled by the initial value problem

$$2y'' + 4y' + 10y = \delta(t), \quad y(0) = 0, \quad y'(0) = 0.$$

Taking Laplace transform of both sides we find

$$2s^2Y(s) + 4sY(s) + 10Y(s) = 1.$$

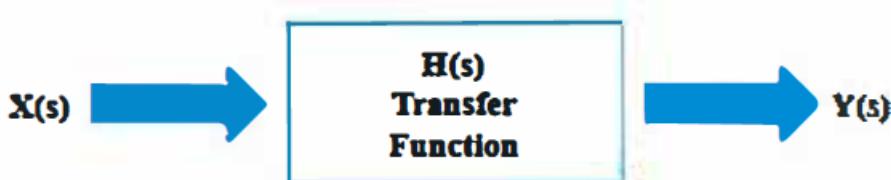
Solving for  $Y(s)$  we find

$$Y(s) = \frac{1}{2s^2 + 4s + 10}.$$

The impulsive response is

$$y(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\frac{1}{(s+1)^2 + 2^2}\right) = \frac{1}{4}e^{-2t} \sin 2t$$

The **Laplace transform** is designed to analyze a specific class of time domain **signals impulse responses** consisting of sinusoids and exponentials



$$Y(s) = H(s)X(s)$$



**EXAMPLE** Find the transfer function and impulse response of the system described by the following differential equation:

$$3\frac{dy}{dt} + 4y = f(t).$$

**Solution** To find the transfer function replace  $f(t)$  by  $\delta(t)$  and take the Laplace transform of the resulting equation assuming zero initial conditions:

$$3\frac{dy}{dt} + 4y = \delta(t).$$

Taking the Laplace transform of both sides of the equation we get

$$3(sY - y(0)) + 4Y = 1$$

As  $y(0) = 0$ ,

$$Y = \frac{1}{3s + 4} = H(s).$$

To find the impulse response function we take the inverse transform of the transfer function to find

$$h(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{3s + 4} \right\} = e^{\frac{-4t}{3}}.$$

**EXAMPLE** The impulse response of a system is known to be  $h(t) = e^{3t}$

Find the response of the system to an input of  $f(t) = 6 \cos(2t)$  given zero initial conditions.

**Solution Method 1.** We can take Laplace transforms and use

$Y(s) = H(s)F(s)$ . In this case



$$h(t) = e^{3t} \Leftrightarrow H(s) = \mathcal{L}\{e^{3t}\} = \frac{1}{s-3}$$

$$f(t) = 6\cos(2t) \Leftrightarrow F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{6\cos(2t)\} = \frac{6s}{4+s^2}$$

Hence

$$Y(s) = H(s)F(s) = \frac{6s}{(s-3)(4+s^2)}.$$

As we want to find  $y(t)$ , we use partial fractions:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{6s}{(s-3)(4+s^2)} &= \frac{6s}{(s-3)(s+j2)(s-j2)} \\ &= \frac{18}{13(s-3)} + \frac{3}{(j2-3)(s-j2)} \\ &\quad - \frac{3}{(j2+3)(s+j2)} \quad (\text{using the 'cover up' rule}) \\ &= \frac{18}{13(s-3)} - \frac{3(6s-8)}{13(s^2+4)} \\ &= \frac{18}{13(s-3)} - \frac{18s}{13(s^2+4)} + \frac{12}{13} \frac{2}{(s^2+4)}. \end{aligned}$$

We can now take the inverse transform to find the system response:

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{Y(s)\} \\ &= \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{18}{13(s-3)} - \frac{18s}{13(s^2+4)} + \frac{12}{13} \frac{2}{(s^2+4)} \right\} \\ &= \frac{18}{13} e^{3t} - \frac{18}{13} \cos(2t) + \frac{12}{13} \sin(2t). \end{aligned}$$

Alternative method. Find  $y(t)$  by taking the convolution of  $f(t)$  with the impulse response function

$$y(t) = f(t) * h(t) = (6\cos(2t)) * (e^{3t})$$



By definition of convolution

$$(6 \cos(2t)) * (e^{3t}) = \int_0^t 6 \cos(2\tau) e^{3(t-\tau)} d\tau.$$

As this is a real integral we can use the trick of writing  $\cos(2\tau) = \operatorname{Re}(e^{j2\tau})$  to make the integration easier. So we find

$$\begin{aligned} I &= \int_0^t 6 e^{j2\tau} e^{3(t-\tau)} d\tau \\ &= 6 e^{3t} \int_0^t e^{\tau(j2-3)} d\tau \\ &= 6 e^{3t} \left[ \frac{e^{\tau(j2-3)}}{j2-3} \right]_0^t \\ &= 6 e^{3t} \left( \frac{e^{t(j2-3)}}{j2-3} - \frac{1}{j2-3} \right) \\ &= \frac{6 e^{3t} (-j2-3)(e^{-3t}(\cos(2t) + j \sin(2t)) - 1)}{4+9}. \end{aligned}$$

Taking the real part of this result we get the system response as

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^t 6 \cos(2\tau) e^{3(t-\tau)} d\tau &= \frac{6}{13}(-3 \cos(2t) + 2 \sin(2t)) + \frac{18}{13} e^{3t} \\ &= -\frac{18}{13} \cos(2t) + \frac{12}{13} \sin(2t) + \frac{18}{13} e^{3t} \end{aligned}$$

which confirms the result of the first method.

**Example** A system transfer function is known to be

$$H(s) = \frac{1}{3s+1}$$

then find the steady state response to the following:



(a)  $f(t) = e^{j2t}$  ;

(b)  $f(t) = 3 \cos(2t)$ .

*Solution* (a) The steady state response to a single frequency  $e^{j\omega t}$  is given  $H(j\omega)e^{j\omega t}$ . Here  $f(t) = e^{j2t}$ , so in this case  $\omega = 2$  and  $H(s)$  is given as  $1/(3s + 1)$ . Hence we get the steady state response as

$$H(j2)e^{j2t} = \frac{1}{3(j2) + 1}e^{j2t} = \frac{e^{j2t}}{1 + j6} = \frac{(1 - j6)e^{j2t}}{37}$$

(b) Using  $(1/2)(H(j\omega)e^{j\omega t} + H(-j\omega)e^{-j\omega t})$

as the response to  $\cos(\omega t)$  and substituting for  $H$  and  $\omega = 2$  gives

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{(1 - j6)e^{j2t}}{37} + \frac{(1 + j6)}{37}e^{-j2t} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{74}((1 - j6)(\cos(2t) + j \sin(2t)) \\ &\quad + (1 + j6)(\cos(2t) - j \sin(2t))) \\ &= \frac{1}{37}(\cos(2t) + 6 \sin(2t)). \end{aligned}$$

### Example

Find the **impulse response** of a system with a transfer function

$$H(s) = \frac{2}{(s + 1)(s + 2)}$$

Solution: The impulse response is the inverse Laplace transform of the transfer function  $H(s)$ :



$$\begin{aligned} h(t) &= \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{H(s)\} \\ &= \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2}{(s+1)(s+2)}\right\} \\ &= \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2}{s+1}\right\} - \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2}{s+2}\right\} \\ &= 2e^{-t} - 2e^{-2t} \end{aligned}$$

## APPLICATION TO CIRCUITS

**EXAMPLE.** A RESISTANCE  $R$  IN SERIES WITH INDUCTANCE  $L$  IS CONNECTED WITH E.M.F.  $E(t)$ . THE CURRENT  $i$  IS GIVEN BY

$$L \frac{di}{dt} + Ri = E(t)$$

If the switch is connected at  $t = 0$  and disconnected at  $t = a$ , find the current  $i$  in terms of  $t$ .

**Solution.** Conditions under which current  $i$  flows are  $i = 0$  at  $t = 0$ ,

$$E(t) = \begin{cases} E, & 0 < t < a \\ 0, & t > a \end{cases}$$

Given equation is                   $L \frac{di}{dt} + Ri = E(t) \dots\dots(1)$

Taking Laplace transform of (1), we get

$$L[\bar{i} - i(0)] + R\bar{i} = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} E(t) dt$$

Note: Instead of  $\bar{i}$  we can use  $I(s)$

$$L\bar{i} + R\bar{i} = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} E(t) dt$$

$$[i(0) = 0]$$



$$(Ls + R) \bar{i} = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} \cdot E dt = \int_0^a e^{-st} E dt + \int_a^\infty e^{-st} E dt$$

$$= E \left[ \frac{e^{-st}}{-s} \right]_0^a + 0 = \frac{E}{s} [1 - e^{-as}] = \frac{E}{s} - \frac{E}{s} e^{-as}$$

$$\bar{i} = \frac{E}{s(Ls + R)} - \frac{Ee^{-as}}{s(Ls + R)}$$

$$i = L^{-1} \left[ \frac{E}{s(Ls + R)} \right] - L^{-1} \left[ \frac{Ee^{-as}}{s(Ls + R)} \right] \quad \dots(2)$$

$$L^{-1} \left[ \frac{E}{s(Ls + R)} \right] = \frac{E}{L} L^{-1} \left[ \frac{1}{s \left( s + \frac{R}{L} \right)} \right] \text{ (Resolving into partial fractions)}$$

$$= \frac{E}{L} \frac{L}{R} L^{-1} \left| \frac{1}{s} - \frac{1}{s + \frac{R}{L}} \right| = \frac{E}{R} \left[ 1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} \right]$$

Now we have to find the value of  $L^{-1} \left[ \frac{E}{s(Ls + R)} \right]$

$$L^{-1} \left[ \frac{Ee^{-as}}{s(Ls + R)} \right] = \frac{E}{R} \left[ 1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}(t-a)} \right] u(t-a)$$

[By the second shifting theorem] On substituting the values of the inverse transforms in (2) we get

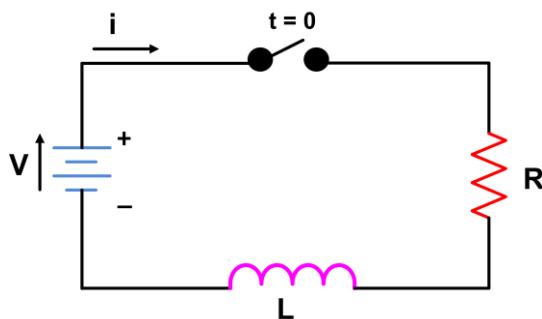
$$i = \frac{E}{R} \left[ 1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} \right] - \frac{E}{R} \left[ 1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}(t-a)} \right] u(t-a)$$

$$i = \frac{E}{R} \left[ 1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} \right] \quad \text{for } 0 < t < a, \quad [u(t-a) = 0]$$

$$i = \frac{E}{R} \left[ 1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} \right] - \frac{E}{R} \left\{ 1 - e^{-\frac{R}{L}(t-a)} \right\} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{for } t > a \\ [u(t-a) = 1] \end{matrix}$$

$$= \frac{E}{R} \left[ e^{-\frac{R}{L}(t-a)} - e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} \right] = \frac{E}{R} e^{-\frac{R}{L}t} \left[ e^{\frac{Ra}{L}} - 1 \right] \quad \text{Ans.}$$

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