

Section 7.4

Operational Properties II

Formulas to know

Derivatives of Transforms

If $F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}$ and $n=1, 2, 3, \dots$ then

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

Example (#2 from book)

$$\mathcal{L}\{t^3 e^t\} \quad F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{e^t\} = \frac{1}{s-1} = (s-1)^{-1}$$

↑
third derivative
of transform

$$\frac{d}{ds} (F(s)) = -1 (s-1)^{-2}$$

$$\frac{d^2}{ds^2} (F(s)) = 2(s-1)^{-3}$$

$$\frac{d^3}{ds^3} (F(s)) = -6(s-1)^{-4}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{t^3 e^t\} = (-1)^3 \frac{d^3}{ds^3} F(s)$$

$$= (-1) \left(\frac{-6}{(s-1)^4} \right) = \boxed{\frac{6}{(s-1)^4}}$$

* watch out for negative signs. *

practice problems

$$① \mathcal{L}\{t \sin 3t\}$$

$$② \mathcal{L}\{te^{2t} \cos 3t\}$$

$$③ \mathcal{L}\{te^{-t}\}$$

$$④ \mathcal{L}\{t^2 e^{2t}\}$$

$$⑤ \mathcal{L}\{t^2 \cos 2t\}$$

$$⑥ \mathcal{L}\{te^{-t} \sin^2 t\}$$

answers

$$① \frac{6s}{(s^2+9)^2}, s>0$$

$$② \frac{(s^2-4s-5)}{(s^2-4s+13)^2}, s>0$$

$$③ \frac{1}{(s+1)^2}$$

$$④ \frac{2}{(s-2)^3}$$

$$⑤ \frac{(2s^3-24s)}{(s^2+4)^3}, s>0$$

$$⑥ \frac{2(3s^2+6s+7)}{(s+1)^2(s^2+2s+5)^2}, s>0$$

The convolution theorem

$$f * g = \int_0^t f(\tau)g(t-\tau) d\tau$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{f * g\} = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} \mathcal{L}\{g(t)\} = F(s) G(s)$$

when $f(t)$ and $g(t)$ are piecewise continuous functions

Example (#20 book)

$$\mathcal{L}\{t^2 * te^t\}$$

$$= \mathcal{L}\{t^2\} \cdot \mathcal{L}\{te^t\}$$

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

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

Example (#22 book)

$$\mathcal{L}\{e^{at} * \sin t\}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{e^{at}\} \cdot \mathcal{L}\{\sin t\}$$

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

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

Example (#24 book)

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{\int_0^t \cos \tau d\tau\right\}$$

recall

$$f*g = \int_0^t f(\tau)g(t-\tau)d\tau = \frac{s}{s^2+1} \cdot \frac{1}{s}$$

$$\text{let } g(t-\tau) = 1 \quad f(\tau) = \cos \tau$$

$$= \boxed{\frac{1}{s^2+1}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{so } \mathcal{L}\left\{\int_0^t \cos \tau d\tau\right\} &= \mathcal{L}\{\cos t * 1\} \\ &= \mathcal{L}\{\cos t\} \cdot \mathcal{L}\{1\} \end{aligned}$$

Example (#26 from book)

$$\mathcal{L} \left\{ \int_0^t \alpha \sin \tau d\tau \right\}$$

notice both parts
involve τ

$$\mathcal{L} \left\{ \int_0^t f(\tau) g(t-\tau) d\tau \right\} = \mathcal{L} \{ 1 * (tsint) \}$$

$$\downarrow \qquad \downarrow$$

$$\tau \sin \tau$$

$$1$$

uses the
derivative
of a transform

$$f \mathcal{L} \{ 1 \} \cdot \mathcal{L} \{ tsint \} = \frac{1}{s} \cdot \left(-\frac{d}{ds} \frac{1}{s^2 + 1} \right)$$

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

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

Example (#30 from book)

$$\boxed{\mathcal{L}\left\{ t + \int_0^t \tau e^{-\tau} d\tau \right\}}$$

derivative of a transform!

$$= -\frac{d}{ds} \mathcal{L}\left\{ \int_0^t \tau e^{-\tau} d\tau \right\}$$

another derivative
of a transform
similar to #26

$$= -\frac{d}{ds} \left[\frac{1}{s} \cdot \frac{1}{(s+1)^2} \right] = \boxed{\frac{3s+1}{s^2(s+1)^3}}$$

Example

(# 32 from book)

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

Convolution!

recall

$$\mathcal{L}\{f*g\} = \mathcal{L}\{f\} \cdot \mathcal{L}\{g\}$$

$$\text{so } f * g = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{ \mathcal{L}\{f\} \cdot \mathcal{L}\{g\} \right\}$$

$$= t * e^t$$

$$= \int_0^t \tau \cdot e^{t-\tau} d\tau =$$

Integration
by parts

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \int_0^t \tau e^{t-\tau} d\tau + \boxed{D} \quad \boxed{I} e^{t-\tau} \\
 & - \Big| -e^{t-\tau} \Big|_0^t \\
 & = -\tau e^{t-\tau} - e^{t-\tau} \Big|_0^t \\
 & = (-te^{t-t} - e^{t-t}) - (0 - e^{t-0}) \\
 & = (-te^0 - e^0) - (-e^t) \\
 & = \boxed{-t - 1 + e^t}
 \end{aligned}$$

Alternate approach for #3a

$$\text{using } \mathcal{L} \left\{ \int_0^t f(\tau) d\tau \right\} = \frac{F(s)}{s} = \frac{1}{s} F(s)$$

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

$$\text{so } \mathcal{L} \{ f(t) \} = \frac{1}{s(s-1)}$$

$$f(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s(s-1)} \right\} = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{A}{s} + \frac{B}{s-1} \right\}$$

practice problems

Solve each equation

$$\textcircled{1} \quad y' - 5y = e^{-2t} \quad y(0) = 1$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad y' - 4y = \cos at \quad y(0) = -2$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad y'' + 2y' + 2y = \cos at \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = 0$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad y'' + 3y' + 5y = e^{-t} + t \quad y(0) = -1, \quad y'(0) = 0$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad y' - y = t^2 e^{-at} \quad y(0) = 0$$

$$\textcircled{6} \quad y'' + y' + 2y = e^{-t} \cos at, \quad y(0) = 1, \quad y'(0) = -1$$

answers

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{(s+3)}{(s-5)(s+2)}$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad \frac{1}{(s-1)(s+2)^2}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \frac{(-2s^2 + s - 8)}{(s-4)(s^2 + 4)}$$

$$\textcircled{6} \quad \frac{(-2s^2 + 9s - 12)}{(s-2)(s^2 - 4s + 5)}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \frac{s^3 + 2s^2 + 5s + 8}{(s^2 + 4)(s^2 + 2s + 2)}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad \frac{(6s^2 + 8s + 5)}{s^2(s+1)(s^2 + 3s + 5)}$$

practice problems

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

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

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{e^{-\pi s}}{s^3+s} \right\}$$

answers

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{1}{54} (2 - 2e^{-3t} - 6t + 9t^2)$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad (1 + \cos t) u(t - \pi)$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \frac{1}{10} (2e^{-t} - 2\cos at + \sin at)$$