

Lesson 37 Using Laplace Transform

Read 6.1 - 6.3

$$\mathcal{L}[\underbrace{f(t)}_{\substack{\text{function} \\ \text{on } t \geq 0}}] = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f(t) dt = F(s) \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{new function of } s \\ \text{defined for } s > M \\ \text{for some } M. \end{array}$$

$$\mathcal{L}[e^{at}] = \frac{1}{s-a} \quad \text{for } s > a.$$

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$f(t)$	$F(s)$
e^{at}	$\frac{1}{s-a} \quad (s > a)$
$\sin bt$	$\frac{b}{s^2 + b^2} \quad (s > 0)$
$\cos bt$	$\frac{s}{s^2 + b^2} \quad (s > 0)$
1	$1/s \quad (s > 0)$
t	$1/s^2 \quad (s > 0)$
t^n	$\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}} \quad (s > 0)$
$\sinh bt$	$\frac{b}{s^2 - b^2} \quad (s > b)$
$\cosh bt$	$\frac{s}{s^2 - b^2} \quad (s > b)$

EX: $\mathcal{L}[1] = \int_0^{\infty} 1 \cdot e^{-st} dt = \lim_{B \rightarrow \infty} \left[-\frac{1}{s} e^{-st} \right]_0^B$ critical that $s > 0$!

$$= 0 - \left(-\frac{1}{s}\right) = 1/s \quad \checkmark$$

EX: $\mathcal{L}[t^2] = \int_0^{\infty} \underbrace{t^2}_u \underbrace{e^{-st}}_{dv} dt$

$u = t^2 \quad du = 2t dt$
 $dv = e^{-st} dt \quad v = -\frac{1}{s} e^{-st}$

$$\int u dv = uv - \int v du = t^2 \left(-\frac{1}{s} e^{-st} \right) - \int \left(-\frac{1}{s} e^{-st} \right) (2t dt)$$

$$= -t^2 \frac{1}{s} e^{-st} + \frac{2}{s} \int t e^{-st} dt$$

$\uparrow$
 $s > 0$
 critical here.

integrate by parts
 again. $u = t$.

Note: The Lap. T. is a linear operator:

$$\mathcal{L}[c_1 f_1 + c_2 f_2] = c_1 F_1 + c_2 F_2$$

Fun thing: $\sinh bt = \frac{1}{2}(e^{bt} - e^{-bt})$

So $\mathcal{L}[\sinh bt] = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left[\frac{1}{s-b} - \frac{1}{s-(-b)} \right] \quad (s > b)$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2b}{s^2 - b^2} \quad \checkmark$$

EX: $\mathcal{L}[\sin bt] = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} \sin bt \, dt$ ← Integrate by parts twice. Solve for $\int$.

More fun: $\mathcal{L}[\sin bt] = \mathcal{L}\left[\frac{1}{2i} (e^{ibt} - e^{-ibt}) \right]$

$$= \frac{1}{2i} \left[\frac{1}{s-ib} - \frac{1}{s-(-ib)} \right] = \frac{b}{s^2 + b^2} !$$

Huge fact #1: $\mathcal{L}[f'(t)] = sF(s) - f(0)$

Why: $\mathcal{L}[f'(t)] = \int_0^\infty f'(t) e^{-st} \, dt$

$$\int \underbrace{e^{-st}}_u \underbrace{f'(t) dt}_{dv}$$

$$u = e^{-st} \\ dv = f'(t) dt$$

$$du = -s e^{-st} dt \\ v = \int f'(t) dt = \underline{\underline{f(t)}}$$

$$= uv - \int v du = e^{-st} \underbrace{f(t)} - \int f(t) (-s e^{-st} dt)$$

f Expo Type : $|f(t)| \leq M e^{kt}$

So $e^{-st} f(t) \rightarrow 0$ as $t \rightarrow \infty$ provided that $s > k$.

$$\text{So } \underbrace{\int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f'(t) dt}_{\mathcal{L}[f']} = \underbrace{\left[0 - e^{-s \cdot 0} f(0) \right]}_{-f(0)} + s \underbrace{\int_0^{\infty} f(t) e^{-st} dt}_{F(s)} \quad \checkmark$$

Repeat huge fact: $\mathcal{L}[f] = F$

$$\mathcal{L}[f'] = s F(s) - f(0)$$

$$\mathcal{L}[(f')'] = s \underbrace{\mathcal{L}[f']}_{s F(s) - f(0)} - f'(0) = s^2 F(s) - s f(0) - f'(0)$$

$$\mathcal{L}[f^{(n)}(t)] = s^n F(s) - s^{n-1} f(0) - s^{n-2} f'(0) - \dots - f^{(n-1)}(0)$$

EX: $y'' + 5y' + 6y = 0 \quad \begin{cases} y(0) = 3 \\ y'(0) = 5 \end{cases}$

$$\mathcal{L}[y(t)] = Y(s)$$

$$\mathcal{L}[y'(t)] = s Y(s) - \underbrace{y(0)}_3$$

$$\mathcal{L}[y''(t)] = s^2 Y(s) - s \underbrace{y(0)}_3 - \underbrace{y'(0)}_5$$

Hit ODE with $\mathcal{L}$: $\mathcal{L}[y'' + 5y' + 6y] = \mathcal{L}[0] = 0$

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

Algebra! $\rightarrow (s^2 Y - 3s - 5) + 5(sY - 3) + 6Y = 0$

$$(s^2 + 5s + 6)Y = 3s + 20$$

$$Y = \frac{3s+20}{s^2+5s+6} = \frac{3s+20}{(s+2)(s+3)} = \frac{A}{s+2} + \frac{B}{s+3}$$

Partial Fractions!

Mult. by denom $(s+2)(s+3)$: $3s+20 = A(s+3) + B(s+2)$
 $= \underbrace{(A+B)}_3 s + \underbrace{(3A+2B)}_{20}$

$$\begin{cases} A+B = 3 \\ 3A+2B = 20 \end{cases}$$

Cramer's Rule: $A = \frac{\det \begin{bmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 20 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}{\det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}} = \frac{-14}{(-1)} = 14$

$$B = \frac{\det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 3 & 20 \end{bmatrix}}{\det \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 3 & 2 \end{bmatrix}} = \frac{11}{(-1)} = -11$$

So $Y = \frac{14}{s+2} - \frac{11}{s+3}$
 $\uparrow \quad \quad \uparrow$
 $\frac{1}{s+2} = \mathcal{L}[e^{-2t}] \quad \frac{1}{s+3} = \mathcal{L}[e^{-3t}]$

Read off: $y = 14e^{-2t} - 11e^{-3t}$

Another way to think: $y = \mathcal{L}^{-1}[Y] = 14 \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{s+2}\right] - 11 \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{s+3}\right]$

Dealing with $\frac{As+B}{as^2+bs+c}$ $\leftarrow$ from initial conditions
 $\leftarrow$ characteristic poly

Cases: 1) $as^2+bs+c = a(s-r_1)(s-r_2) \leftarrow$ partial fractions

2) $as^2+bs+c = a(s-r)^2$

3) $as^2 + bs + c$ has complex roots. Complete the square!

Completing square: $as^2 + bs + c = a \left(s^2 + \underbrace{\frac{b}{a}}_B s + \underbrace{\frac{c}{a}}_C \right)$

$$s^2 + Bs + C = \left(s + \underbrace{\frac{B}{2}}_{\frac{1}{2}B} \right)^2 + \left(C - \frac{B^2}{4} \right)$$