

7.4. Operational Properties II

Thm 1: If $\mathcal{L}(f(t)) = F(s)$ then $\mathcal{L}(t^n f(t))$
 $= (-1)^n \frac{d^n}{ds^n} F(s) \leftarrow (n\text{-th derivative of } F)$

Proof: Part integration exchanges: t^n for n -th derivative

Ex: $f(t) = t \sin(2t)$
 $\mathcal{L}(\sin(2t)) = \frac{2}{s^2 + 4}$

Applying Thm 1 for $n=1$, we have:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}(f(t)) &= (-1)^1 \frac{d}{ds} \left(\frac{2}{s^2 + 4} \right) = (-1) \frac{2(-2s)}{(s^2 + 4)^2} \\ &= \frac{4s}{(s^2 + 4)^2}.\end{aligned}$$

Ex: $f(t) = t e^{2t} \cos t$
 $\mathcal{L}(f(t)) = (-1) \frac{d}{ds} (\mathcal{L}(e^{2t} \cos t))$ (account for t)

$$\mathcal{L}(e^{2t} \cos t) = \mathcal{L}(\cos t) |_{s-2} = \frac{s}{s^2 + 1} |_{s-2} = \frac{s-2}{(s-2)^2 + 1}$$

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

Cor: $\mathcal{L}^{-1}(F(s)) = t^{-n} \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left((-1)^n \frac{d^n}{ds^n} F(s) \right)$
(If we know \mathcal{L}^{-1} of some derivative of F then

we can find \mathcal{L}^{-1} of F)

Ex: $F(s) = \ln\left(\frac{s+2}{s-5}\right)$, Find $\mathcal{L}^{-1}(F)$

Realize that $\frac{\partial F}{\partial s} = \frac{1}{s+2} - \frac{1}{s-5}$ (rational function)

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

Applying Cor we have,

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

Thm 2: If $\mathcal{L}(f(t)) = F(s)$ then $\mathcal{L}\left(\int_0^t f(\tau) d\tau\right) = \frac{F(s)}{s}$.

($\int_0^t f$ is like an anti-derivative of f)

Cor: $\int_0^t \mathcal{L}^{-1}(F(s)) d\tau = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left(\frac{F(s)}{s}\right)$.

Ex: $F(s) = \frac{1}{s(s-5)} = \frac{1/5}{s-5} - \frac{1/5}{s}$ (partial fraction)

Method 1: $\mathcal{L}^{-1}(F(s)) \stackrel{\text{Cor}}{=} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s} \cdot \frac{1}{s-5}\right)$

$$= \int_0^t \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s-5}\right) d\tau = \int_0^t e^{5\tau} d\tau$$

$$= \frac{e^{5\tau}}{5} \Big|_0^t = \frac{e^{5t} - 1}{5}$$

Method 2: $\mathcal{L}^{-1}(F(s)) \stackrel{\text{Partial fraction}}{=} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left(\frac{1/5}{s-5} - \frac{1/5}{s}\right)$

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

$$= \frac{e^{5t} - 1}{5}.$$

Convolutions:

Def: Given 2 functions $f(t)$ and $g(t)$ we define the convolution product $(f * g)(t) = \int_0^t f(\tau)g(t-\tau)d\tau$

Rule: $\int_0^t f(\tau)d\tau = f * \mathbf{1}$

Thm 3: (convolution and Laplace transform)

1. $(f * g)(t) = (g * f)(t)$
2. $\mathcal{L}(f * g) = \mathcal{L}(f) \cdot \mathcal{L}(g)!!!$
(\mathcal{L} transforms a complicated product to a simple one)

Ex: $\int_0^t f(\tau)d\tau = f * \mathbf{1}$

$$\mathcal{L}\left(\int_0^t f(\tau)d\tau\right) \stackrel{\text{Thm 3}}{=} \mathcal{L}(f) \cdot \mathcal{L}(\mathbf{1}) = \frac{F(s)}{s}$$

Cor: $\mathcal{L}^{-1}(F(s) \cdot G(s)) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}(F) * \mathcal{L}^{-1}(G).$

Ex: $F(s) = \frac{1}{s(s^2+1)} = \frac{1}{s} \cdot \frac{1}{s^2+1}$

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

By the Cor, $\mathcal{L}^{-1}(F(s)) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s}\right) * \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s^2+1}\right)$

$$= 1 * \sin = \int_0^t \sin \tau \, d\tau = -\cos \tau \Big|_0^t \\ = 1 - \cos t$$

Ex: $F(s) = \frac{1}{s^2(s^2+1)}$,

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

$$= 1 * (1 - \cos \tau) = \int_0^t (1 - \cos \tau) \, d\tau$$

$$= (t - \sin \tau) \Big|_0^t = \boxed{t - \sin t}$$

Ex: Solving an IVP:

$$y'' + y = 2 \cos t, \quad \underbrace{y(0) = 0}, \quad \underbrace{y'(0) = 0}$$

$$\mathcal{L}(y'' + y) = \mathcal{L}(2 \cos t)$$

$$\mathcal{L}(y) = Y, \quad \mathcal{L}(y'') = s^2 Y - s^1 y(0) - s^0 y'(0) \\ = s^2 Y \quad (y(0) = y'(0) = 0)$$

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

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

$$y = \mathcal{Y}^{-1}(Y) = \mathcal{Y}^{-1}\left(\frac{2s}{(s^2+1)(s^2+1)}\right)$$

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

$$= 2 \mathcal{Y}^{-1}\left(\frac{s}{s^2+1}\right) * \mathcal{Y}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s^2+1}\right)$$

$$= 2 \cos * \sin = 2 \int_0^t \sin(t-\tau) \cos \tau \, d\tau$$

Recall: $\sin(\alpha \pm \beta) = \sin \alpha \cos \beta \pm \sin \beta \cos \alpha$

$$\Rightarrow \sin \alpha \cos \beta = \frac{1}{2} (\sin(\alpha + \beta) + \sin(\alpha - \beta))$$

$$\rightarrow = 2 \frac{1}{2} \int_0^t \sin(t-\tau + \tau) + \sin(t-2\tau)$$

$$= \int_0^t [\sin t + \sin(t-2\tau)] \, d\tau$$

$$= (\sin t) \tau \Big|_0^t + \int_0^t \sin(t-2\tau) \, d\tau$$

$$= t \sin t + \int_0^t \sin(t-2\tau) \, d\tau$$

Change of variable: $u = t - 2\tau$, $du = -2 \, d\tau$

$$\int_0^t \sin(t-2\tau) d\tau = \int_t^{-t} \sin u \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) du$$

$$= +\frac{1}{2} \cos(u) \Big|_t^{-t} = 0.$$

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

Periodic functions: {NOT cover
7.5 (Dirac-Delta)}