

## LAPLACE TRANSFORMS

The transformation

$$T \{ f(t) \} = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(t) \cdot K(s, t) dt = F(s)$$

is called “Integral Transform”. Here  $K(s,t)$  is the Kernel function.

$$T \{ f(t) \} = F(s)$$

For Fourier transform, the kernel function is

$$K(s, t) = \begin{cases} 0 & , \quad t < 0 \\ e^{-2\pi i st} \quad (i = \sqrt{-1}) & , \quad t \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

For Laplace transform, the kernel function is

$$K(s, t) = \begin{cases} 0 & , \quad t < 0 \\ e^{-st} & , \quad t \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

$$L \{ f(t) \} = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(t) \cdot K(s, t) dt$$

$$L \{ f(t) \} = \int_{-\infty}^0 f(t) \cdot 0 dt + \int_0^{+\infty} f(t) \cdot e^{-st} dt$$

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

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

## LAPLACE TRANSFORM OF FUNDAMENTAL FUNCTIONS

| $f(t)$            | $L\{f(t)\} = F(s)$   |
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| $f(t) = C$        | $L\{C\} = \frac{C}{s}$ ( $C \in R$ )   |
| $f(t) = e^{at}$   | $L\{e^{at}\} = \frac{1}{s - a}$  |
| $f(t) = t^n$      | $L\{t^n\} = \int_0^{\infty} t^n e^{-st} dt = \frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}$ , ( $n \in N^+$ ) |
| $f(t) = \sin kt$  | $L\{\sin(kt)\} = \frac{k}{s^2 + k^2}$ , ( $k \in R$ )                              |
| $f(t) = \cos kt$  | $L\{\cos(kt)\} = \frac{s}{s^2 + k^2}$ , ( $k \in R$ )                              |
| $f(t) = \sinh kt$ | $L\{\sinh(kt)\} = \frac{k}{s^2 - k^2}$ , ( $k \in R$ )                             |
| $f(t) = \cosh kt$ | $L\{\cosh(kt)\} = \frac{s}{s^2 - k^2}$ , ( $k \in R$ )                             |

## PROPERTIES OF LAPLACE TRANSFORMS

### 1. Linearity

$$L\{C_1 \cdot f_1(t) + C_2 \cdot f_2(t)\} = L\{C_1 \cdot f_1(t)\} + L\{C_2 \cdot f_2(t)\} = C_1 \cdot L\{f_1(t)\} + C_2 \cdot L\{f_2(t)\}$$

$$= C_1 \cdot F_1(s) + C_2 \cdot F_2(s)$$

**Ex.**  $L\{3t^2 - 4 \sin(3t) - 7e^{-2t} + 2 \cosh(t) + 5\}$

$$= \frac{6}{s^3} - \frac{12}{s^2 + 9} - \frac{7}{s + 2} + \frac{2s}{s^2 - 1} + \frac{5}{s}$$

**Ex.**  $f(t) = \sin(kt) \cdot \cos(kt)$

$$L\left\{\frac{1}{2} [\sin(2kt)]\right\} = \frac{1}{2} L\{\sin(2kt)\} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{2k}{s^2 + (2k)^2}$$

### 2. Shift

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

**Ex.**  $L \{ t \cdot e^t \}$

$$F(s) = L\{f(t)\} = L\{t\} = \frac{1}{s^2}$$

$$L\{t \cdot e^t\} = F(s-1) = \frac{1}{(s-1)^2}$$

**Ex.**  $L\{e^{3t} \cdot \sin(4t)\}$

$$L\{\sin(4t)\} = \frac{4}{s^2 + 16}$$

$$L\{e^{3t} \cdot \sin(4t)\} = \frac{4}{(s-3)^2 + 16} = \frac{4}{s^2 - 6s + 25}$$

**Ex.**  $L\{e^{-t} \cdot \cos(2t)\}$

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

$$L\{e^{-t} \cos(2t)\} = F(s+1) = \frac{s+1}{(s+1)^2 + 4}$$

**Ex.**  $h(t) = e^{2t} \cdot \sinh(3t)$

$$L\{\sinh(3t)\} = \frac{3}{s^2 - 3^2} = \frac{3}{s^2 - 9}$$

$$L\{h(t)\} = L\{e^{2t} \cdot \sinh(3t)\} = G(s-2) = \frac{5}{(s-2)^2 - 9}$$

### 3. Multiplication with $t^n$

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

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

**Ex.**  $L\{t^2 \cdot e^{2t}\}$

$$L\{e^{2t}\} = \frac{1}{s-2}$$

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

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

#### 4. Laplace Transforms of Derivatives

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

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

**Ex.**  $f(t) = \cos 3t$ ,  $L \{ f'(t) \}$

$$L \{ F'(t) \} = s F(s) - F(0), L \{ \cos 3t \} = \frac{s}{s^2 + 9}, F(0) = \cos 0 = 1$$

$$L \{ F'(t) \} = s \cdot \frac{s}{s^2 + 9} - 1 = \frac{s^2 - s^2 - 9}{s^2 + 9} = \frac{-9}{s^2 + 9}$$

**Ex.**  $L \{ (e^{2t} \sin 2t)'' \} = ?$

$$L \{ F''(t) \} = s^2 f(s) - s F(0) - F'(0)$$

$$L \{ (e^{2t} \sin 2t)'' \} = \frac{2}{(s-2)^2 + 4} = f(s) \quad F(0) = 0$$

$$F'(t) = 2e^{2t} \sin 2t + 2e^{2t} \cos 2t \quad F'(0) = 0$$

$$L \{ (e^{2t} \sin 2t)'' \} = s^2 \frac{2}{(s-2)^2 + 4} - 2 = \frac{2s^2 - 2s^2 + 8s - 16}{s^2 - 4s + 8} /$$

$$= \frac{8s - 16}{s^2 - 4s + 8}$$

## INVERSE LAPLACE TRANSFORMS

$$L^{-1} \{ F(s) \}$$

$$L \{ f(t) \} = F(s), \quad \Leftrightarrow \quad L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t)$$

## INVERSE LAPLACE TRANSFORM TABLE

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{s} \quad \text{ise} \quad L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) = 1$$

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{s^2} \quad \text{ise} \quad L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) = t$$

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{s^3} \quad \text{ise} \quad L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) = \frac{t^2}{2!}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{s^{n+1}} \quad (n \in N^+) \quad \text{ise} \quad L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) = \frac{t^n}{n!}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{s-a} \quad \text{ise} \quad L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) = e^{at}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{(s-a)^2} \quad \text{ise} \quad L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) = te^{at}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{(s-a)^3} \quad \text{ise} \quad L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) = \frac{1}{2!} t^2 e^{at}$$

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$$F(s) = \frac{1}{(s-a)^{n+1}} \quad \text{ise} \quad L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) = \frac{1}{n!} t^n e^{at}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + k^2} \quad \text{ise} \quad L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) = \frac{\sin(kt)}{k}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 + k^2} \quad \text{ise} \quad L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) = \cos(kt)$$

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 - k^2} \quad \text{ise} \quad L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) = \frac{\sinh(kt)}{k}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 - k^2} \quad \text{ise} \quad L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) = \cosh(kt)$$

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

$$\text{Ex. } L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{s}{s^2 - 9} \right\} = L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{s}{s^2 - 3^2} \right\} = \cosh(3t),$$

$$\text{Ex. } L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s+3} \right\} = e^{-3t}$$

## PROPERTIES OF INVERSE LAPLACE TRANSFORMS

### 1. Linearity

$$L^{-1} \{ c_1 f_1(s) + c_2 f_2(s) \} = c_1 L^{-1} \{ f_1(s) \} + c_2 L^{-1} \{ f_2(s) \}$$

$$= c_1 F_1(t) + c_2 F_2(t)$$

$$\text{Ex. } L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{4}{s-2} - \frac{3s}{s^2 + 16} + \frac{5}{s^2 + 4} \right\} = ? \quad 4L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s-2} \right\} - 3L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{s}{s^2 + 4^2} \right\} + 5L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s^2 + 4} \right\}$$

$$= 4e^{2t} - 3 \cos 4t + \frac{5}{2} \sin 2t$$

$$\text{Ex. } L \{ (\cos 3t - \sin 3t)^2 \} = ?$$

$$L \{ \cos^2 3t - 2 \cos 3t \sin 3t + \sin^2 3t \} = L \left\{ \underbrace{\cos^2 3t + \sin^2 3t}_1 - \underbrace{2 \cos 3t \sin 3t}_{\sin 6t} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s} - \frac{6}{s^2 + 36} = \frac{s^2 + 36 - 6s}{s(s^2 + 36)}$$

### 2. Shift

$$L^{-1} \{ f(s) \} = F(t) \text{ ist}$$

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

$$\text{Ex. } L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s^2 - 2s + 5} \right\} = ?$$

$$L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s^2 - 2s + 5} \right\} = L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{(s-1)^2 + 4} \right\} = \frac{e^t \sin 2t}{2}$$

### 3. Inverse Laplace Transform of Derived functions

$$L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) \quad \text{ise}$$

$$L^{-1} \{ F^{(n)}(s) \} = L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{d^n}{ds^n} [F(s)] \right\} = (-1)^n t^n f(t)$$

**Ex.**  $F(s) = \frac{-2s}{(s^2 + 1)^2}$

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

**Ex.**  $L \{ t^3 e^{2t} \} = ?$

$$L \{ e^{2t} \} = F(s) = \frac{1}{s-2}$$

$$L \{ t e^{2t} \} = -F'(s) = \frac{1}{(s-2)^2}$$

$$L \{ t^2 e^{2t} \} = -f''(s) = \frac{2}{(s-2)^3}$$

$$L \{ t^3 e^{2t} \} = -f'''(s) = \frac{6}{(s-2)^4}$$


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**Ex.**  $F(s) = \frac{2s^2 - 1}{(s^2 - s - 2)(s - 3)}$  ise  $L^{-1} \{ F(s) \} = f(t) = ?$

$$\frac{2s^2 - 1}{(s^2 - s - 2)(s - 3)} = \frac{A}{(s+1)} + \frac{B}{(s-2)} + \frac{C}{(s-3)}$$

$$2s^2 - 1 = As^2 - 5As + 6A + Bs^2 - 2Bs - 3B + Cs^2 - Cs - 2C$$

$$\begin{cases} A + B + C = 2 \\ -5A - 2B - C = 0 \\ 6A - 3B - 2C = 1 \end{cases} \quad \begin{aligned} A &= \frac{1}{12} & B &= -\frac{7}{3} & C &= \frac{17}{4} \end{aligned}$$

$$L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{\frac{1}{12}}{s+1} + \frac{\frac{-7}{3}}{s-2} + \frac{\frac{17}{4}}{s-3} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s+1} \right\} - \frac{7}{3} L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s-2} \right\} + \frac{17}{4} L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s-3} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{12} e^{-t} - \frac{7}{3} e^{2t} + \frac{17}{4} e^{3t}$$

**Ex.**  $f(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 - s + 1}$     is e                   $L^{-1} \{ f(s) \} = F(t) = ?$

$$\begin{aligned} &= L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{s - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}}{(s - \frac{1}{2})^2 + (\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2})^2} \right\} = L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{s - \frac{1}{2}}{(s - \frac{1}{2})^2 + (\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2})^2} \right\} + \frac{1}{2} L^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{(s - \frac{1}{2})^2 + (\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2})^2} \right\} \\ &= e^{\frac{1}{2}t} \cos \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}t + \frac{1}{2} e^{\frac{1}{2}t} \frac{\sin \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}t}{\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}} \\ &= e^{\frac{1}{2}t} \cos \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}t + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} e^{\frac{1}{2}t} \sin \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}t \\ &= e^{\frac{1}{2}t} \left( \cos \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}t + \frac{\sqrt{3}}{3} \sin \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}t \right) \end{aligned}$$