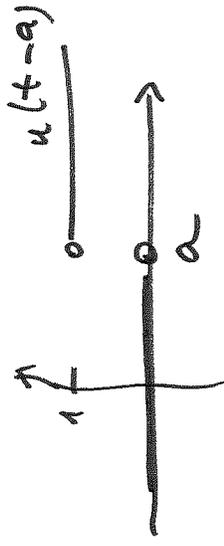


Recall $\mathcal{L}\{u(t-a)\} = \frac{e^{-as}}{s}$



Note $\mathcal{L}\{1\} = \frac{1}{s}$

$$\mathcal{L}\{u(t)\} = \mathcal{L}\{u(t-0)\} = \frac{e^{-a \cdot 0}}{s} = \frac{1}{s}$$

Which one is correct? Both.

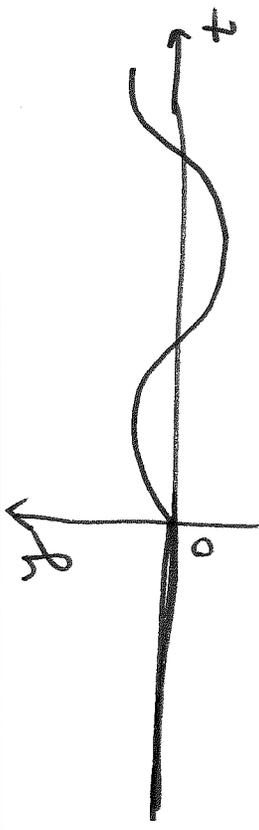
Recall that Laplace transform is defined for $t \geq 0$:

$$\mathcal{L}\{g(t)\} = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} g(t) dt$$

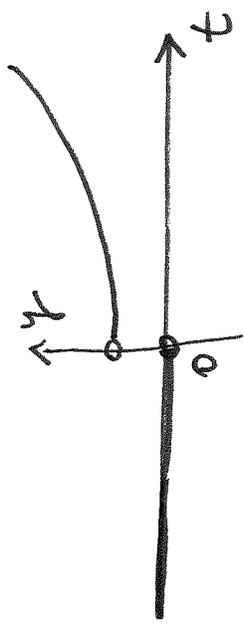
It seems that we can define the inverse Laplace transform for $t < 0$ anything we want. One can show that

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{\mathcal{L}\{g(t)\}\} = \begin{cases} g(t), & t \geq 0 \\ 0, & t < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s^2 + 1} \right\} = \begin{cases} 0, & t < 0 \\ \sin t, & t > 0 \end{cases}$$



$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{1}{s-1} \right\} = \begin{cases} 0, & t < 0 \\ e^t, & t > 0 \end{cases}$$



Transforms of Integrals (Section 7.2)

We know that $\int_0^t f(\xi) d\xi$ is a function of t .

Q How to find Laplace transform of $\int_0^t f(\xi) d\xi$ without evaluating the integral?

$$\text{Let } g(t) = \int_0^t f(\xi) d\xi \quad g(0) = 0$$

$$g'(t) = f(t) \quad \text{Let } G(s) = \mathcal{L}\{g(t)\}$$

us us

$$\mathcal{L}\{g'(t)\} = s \mathcal{L}\{g(t)\} - g(0) \Rightarrow G(s) = \frac{\mathcal{L}\{g'(t)\}}{s} = \frac{\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}}{s}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{\int_0^t f(\xi) d\xi\right\} = \frac{F(s)}{s}, \text{ where } F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}$$

$$\text{Ex } \mathcal{L}\left\{\int_0^t e^{-\xi} \sin 2\xi d\xi\right\} \equiv$$

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

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

$$a = -1$$

$$s \rightarrow s - (-1) = s+1$$

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

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

Ex Solve the following integro-differential equation

$$\frac{dy}{dt} - 3y + 2 \int_0^t y(\xi) d\xi = 6, \quad y(0) = 4$$

Apply Laplace transform to both sides of the equation.

$$\text{Let } Y(s) = \mathcal{L}\{y(t)\}. \quad \mathcal{L}\left\{\int_0^t y(\xi) d\xi\right\} = \frac{Y(s)}{s}$$

$$(sY(s) - y(0)) - 3Y(s) + 2 \frac{Y(s)}{s} = \frac{6}{s}$$

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

$$Y(s) = \frac{\frac{6}{s} + 4}{s - 3 + \frac{2}{s}} = \frac{4s + 6}{s^2 - 3s + 2} = \frac{4s + 6}{(s-1)(s-2)}$$

Partial
= fraction
decomposition

$$\therefore y(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{Y(s)\} = -10e^t + 14e^{2t}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{e^{at}\} = \frac{1}{s-a}$$

Convolution (Section 7.4)

$$\text{Ex } X(s) = \frac{s}{(s^2+1)^2} = \frac{s}{s^2+1} \cdot \frac{1}{s^2+1} = \mathcal{L}\{\cos t\} \cdot \mathcal{L}\{\sin t\}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{\cos t \cdot \sin t\} = \mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{1}{2} \sin 2t\right\} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{2}{s^2+2^2} = \frac{1}{s^2+4}$$

$$\therefore \mathcal{L}\{\cos t \cdot \sin t\} \neq \mathcal{L}\{\cos t\} \cdot \mathcal{L}\{\sin t\}$$

We need an operation that will give us product of Laplace transforms.

Def Convolution of two functions $f(t)$ and $g(t)$ is the function $h(t)$ defined by

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

$$\text{Ex } 1 * 1 = \int_0^t 1 \cdot 1 d\tau = \int_0^t d\tau = \tau \Big|_{\tau=0}^{\tau=t} = t$$

"f" "g"

$$\underline{\underline{\text{Ex}}}} \quad t^3 * t^2 = \int_0^t \tau^3 \cdot (t-\tau) d\tau = \int_0^t (t \cdot \tau^3 - \tau^4) d\tau =$$

$$= t \int_0^t \tau^3 d\tau - \int_0^t \tau^4 d\tau = t \cdot \frac{\tau^4}{4} \Big|_0^t - \frac{\tau^5}{5} \Big|_0^t =$$

$$= t \frac{t^4}{4} - \frac{t^5}{5} = \frac{t^5}{20}$$

Thm $f * g = g * f$, i.e.

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

Proof

$$\int_0^t f(\tau) g(t-\tau) d\tau = \int_{t-\tau=w}^{t-\tau=0} f(t-w) g(w) dw =$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} t-\tau=w \\ -d\tau = dw \\ \tau=0 \Rightarrow w=t \\ \tau=t \Rightarrow w=0 \end{array} \right\}$$

$$= \int_0^t g(\omega) f(t-\omega) d\omega = g(t) * f(t) \quad \square$$

$$\underline{\underline{\text{Thm}}}$$

$$(f * g) * h = f * (g * h)$$

$$\underline{\underline{\text{Thm}}}$$

$$f * (g + h) = f * g + f * h$$

$$\underline{\underline{\text{Convolution Thm}}}$$

$$\text{If } \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = F(s), \mathcal{L}\{g(t)\} = G(s)$$

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

$$\text{and } \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s) \cdot G(s)\} = f(t) * g(t)$$

Thus, the Laplace transform of $f * g$ is the product of $F(s)$ and $G(s)$.

* in time domain = \cdot in s domain

Ex Find $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2} F(s)\right\}$ if $F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}$

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

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2} \cdot F(s)\right\} = t * f(t) = \int_0^t \tau \cdot f(t-\tau) d\tau$$

If we knew $f(t)$, we would be able to evaluate the integral.

Ex Solve

$$y'' + y = f(t), \quad y(0) = 2, \quad y'(0) = Y$$

where $f(t)$ is some function of t .

Solution

Apply Laplace transform to both sides of DE.

$$\text{Let } Y(s) = \mathcal{L}\{y(t)\}, \quad F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}$$

$$s^2 Y(s) - s y(0) - y'(0) + Y(s) = F(s)$$

$$(s^2 + 1)Y(s) = F(s) + 2s + 4$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{F(s)}{s^2 + 1} + \frac{2s + 4}{s^2 + 1} = \frac{1}{s^2 + 1} \cdot F(s) + \frac{2s}{s^2 + 1} + \frac{4}{s^2 + 1}$$

$$y(t) = \underbrace{\sin t * f(t)} + 2 \cos t + 4 \sin t$$

$$\int_0^t \sin \tau \cdot f(t - \tau) d\tau$$

$$\therefore y(t) = \int_0^t \sin \tau \cdot f(t - \tau) d\tau + 2 \cos t + 4 \sin t$$