

Engineering Math Final Examination

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1. (8%) Given the Gamma Function,  $\Gamma(n) = \int_0^\infty x^{n-1} e^{-x} dx$ , show

that  $\Gamma(n+1) = n!$  for positive integers  $n$ . (hint:  $\Gamma(1) = 1$ )

$$\text{first show } \frac{\Gamma(n+1)}{\Gamma(n)} = n \frac{\int_0^\infty x^n e^{-x} dx}{\int_0^\infty x^{n-1} e^{-x} dx}$$

$$\int \frac{1}{n} \frac{d}{dx} (x^n e^{-x}) = \frac{1}{n} (n x^{n-1} e^{-x} - x^n e^{-x}) = x^{n-1} e^{-x} - \frac{1}{n} x^n e^{-x}$$

2. (8%) Assume that  $\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = F(s)$  and  $F(s)$  is

differentiable for 2 times. Show that  $\mathcal{L}\{t^2 f(t)\} = \frac{d^2}{ds^2} F(s)$ .

$$\frac{d}{ds} \int_0^\infty f(t) e^{-st} dt$$

$$\text{first show } \mathcal{L}\{t f(t)\} = (-1) \frac{d}{ds} F(s)$$

$$= \int_0^\infty \left( \frac{d}{ds} e^{-st} \right) f(t) dt = \int_0^\infty (-t e^{-st}) f(t) dt = - \int_0^\infty t f(t) e^{-st} dt$$

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

$$e^{-ts} \int t^a dt = \frac{a!}{s^{a+1}}$$

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

3. (6%) Find  $\mathcal{L}\left\{\int_0^t e^{-3x} \cos 2x dx\right\} = \frac{1}{3} F(s)$

$$\mathcal{L}\{t f(t)\} = \int_0^\infty \frac{t f(t) e^{-st}}{u} \frac{d}{ds}$$

$$= \frac{t f(t)}{-s} e^{-st} + \int_0^\infty [f(t) + t f'(t)] e^{-st} dt$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{t\} = \int_0^\infty \frac{t e^{-st}}{u} \frac{d}{ds} = -t e^{-st} + \int_0^\infty e^{-st} dt = -t e^{-st} - e^{-st}$$

$$= e^{-st} (-t-1)$$

$$= \int_0^\infty e^{-st} dt$$

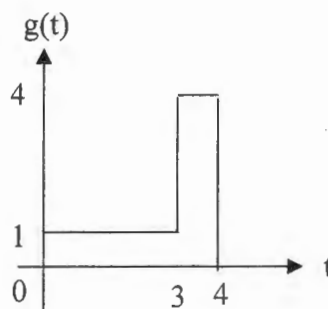
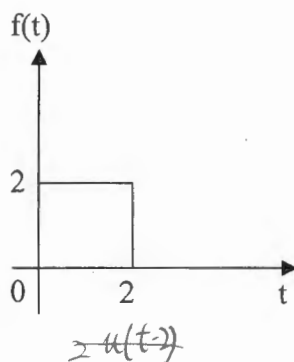
$$\mathcal{L}\left\{\int_0^t f(\tau) d\tau\right\} = \frac{F(s)}{s} \mathcal{L}\{1\}$$

4. (10%) Given  $\mathcal{L}\{\cos^3 t\} = A$ , find  $\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{\sin^3 t}{-3\sqrt{t^2}}\right\} = \mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{\sin^3 t}{-t^{\frac{3}{2}}}\right\}$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{\cos^3 t\} &= A \\ \Rightarrow \mathcal{L}\left\{\int_0^t \cos^3 \tau d\tau\right\} &= (-1) \mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{t^{\frac{1}{2}} \sin t^{\frac{1}{2}}}{(t^{\frac{1}{2}})^3}\right\} \end{aligned}$$

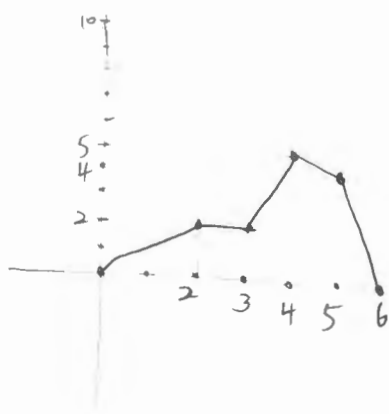
5. (15%)  $f(t)$  and  $g(t)$  are shown below, find  $f(t) * g(t)$

by using the Laplace Transform method. Also show the waveform result of  $f(t) * g(t)$ .



$$\int_0^{\infty} t e^{-st} dt$$

$\infty \left(\frac{1}{s^2}\right) \cdot 2$

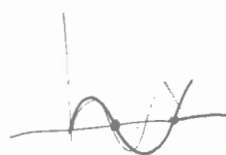


$$\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = \int_0^{\infty} f(t) e^{-st} dt$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L}\{e^t\} = \int_0^{\infty} e^{t(1-s)} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{1-s} (e^{t(1-s)}) \Big|_0^{\infty}$$

$$= \frac{0-1}{1-s} = \frac{1}{s-1} \text{ for } s > 1$$



6. (6%) Draw the figures of  $u(t-\pi)\sin(t)$ ,  $u(t+\pi)\sin(t)$ , and  $u(t-\pi)\sin(t-\pi)$  for  $-2\pi \leq t \leq 2\pi$ . Please label all the necessary values.

$$\cos\left(t^{\frac{2}{3}}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{\sin t}{t^{\frac{2}{3}}}\right\}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{t\} = \frac{2}{s^2} \quad \int_0^\infty t e^{-st} dt = -te^{-st} + \int e^{-st} dt = -te^{-st} - \frac{e^{-st}}{s} \Big|_0^\infty = \frac{1}{s^2}$$

$$\int_0^\infty f(t) e^{-st} dt$$

7. (7%) Assume that  $\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = F(s)$  and  $a > 0$ , show that

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(at)\} = \frac{1}{a} F\left(\frac{s}{a}\right) \quad \int_0^\infty f(t) e^{-st} dt \quad \int_0^\infty f(at) e^{-st} dt$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{f(at)\} &= \int_0^\infty f(at) e^{-st} dt \\ &= \left[ t \left( \frac{1}{s} \right) e^{-st} \right]_0^\infty + \frac{1}{s} \int_0^\infty e^{-st} dt \\ &= 0 + \frac{1}{s^2} (e^{-st}) \Big|_0^\infty = \frac{1}{s^2} \end{aligned}$$

8. (10%) Find the Maclaurin series of the general solution of

$$y'' - 2y' + x^2 y = x \quad \text{with } a_0 = y(0), \quad a_1 = y'(0). \quad \text{Also show}$$

the recurrence relation and the first 5 terms (from  $a_0$  to  $a_4$ )

of solution.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{\sin at\} &= \frac{a}{s^2 + a^2} \\ \sin t &= \frac{1}{s^2 + 1} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{1}{a \left( \left( \frac{s}{a} \right)^2 + 1 \right)} &= \frac{a}{s^2 + a^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &2 \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \\ &\left( \frac{2}{3} \right)^3 \\ &= \frac{-2 \times 3^2}{48 \times 3} \\ &= \frac{-9}{2} \end{aligned}$$

9. (15%)  $3x' - y = 2t$ ,  $x' + y' - y = 0$ ,  $x(0) = y(0) = 0$ , solve

$x(t), y(t)$  by using the Laplace Transform method.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3s & -1 \\ s & s-1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X(s) \\ Y(s) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{s^2} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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

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

$$-\frac{1}{2} e^{\frac{2}{3}t} + t + \frac{1}{2}$$

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10. (15%) Find the Fourier series of the non-periodic function

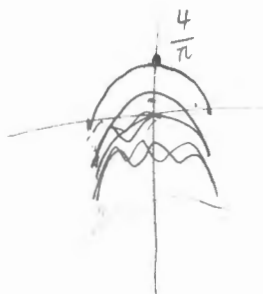
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x & -\pi \leq x < 0 \\ -x & 0 \leq x < \pi \end{cases}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos nx + b_n \sin nx)$$

$$\frac{\sin nx}{n} = \frac{\cos nx + 1}{n}$$

$$-15 + 1.3$$

$$\frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{4}{\pi} \cos x$$



$$\int_{-\pi}^0 -x dx = \left( -\frac{x^2}{2} \right) \Big|_{-\pi}^0 = \frac{\pi^2}{2}$$

$$\int_0^{\pi} x dx = \left( \frac{x^2}{2} \right) \Big|_0^{\pi} = \frac{\pi^2}{2}$$

HAVE A NICE VACATION !!!