

## LAPLACE TRANSFORMS OF INTEGRALS

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If  $L\{f(t)\} = \phi(s)$ , then  $L\{ \int_0^t f(u) du \} = \frac{1}{s} \phi(s)$

**Proof:** By Definition of Laplace transform,

$$L\left\{ \int_0^t f(u) du \right\} = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} \left| \int_0^t f(u) du \right| dt$$

Integrating by parts

$$= \left| \int_0^t f(u) du \cdot \left( \frac{-e^{-st}}{s} \right) \right|_0^\infty - \int_0^\infty \left( \frac{-e^{-st}}{s} \right) \frac{d}{dt} \int_0^t f(u) du dt$$

$$\text{But } \frac{d}{dt} \int_0^t f(u) du = f(t)$$

$$\therefore L\left\{ \int_0^t f(u) du \right\} = 0 + \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{s} \cdot e^{-st} f(t) dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{s} \cdot L\{f(t)\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s} \phi(s) \quad \text{Since } \phi(s) = L\{f(t)\}$$

$$\therefore L\left\{ \int_0^t f(u) du \right\} = \frac{1}{s} L\{f(t)\}$$

**Corollary:** The above result can be generalized as follows

$$L\left\{ \int_0^t \int_0^t \dots \int_0^t f(u) (du)^n \right\} = \frac{1}{s^n} L\{f(t)\}$$

Ex :- Find the Laplace Transform of  $\int_0^t \sin 2u du$

Solution :-  $L\{\sin 2t\} = \frac{2}{s^2 + 4} = \phi(s) \quad (\text{say})$

$$\therefore L\left\{ \int_0^t \sin 2u du \right\} = \frac{1}{s} \phi(s) = \frac{2}{s(s^2 + 4)}$$

Ex-2 Find Laplace Transform of  $\int_0^t u e^{3u} \cos^2 2u du$

Solution  $\cos^2 2u = \frac{1 + \cos 4u}{2}$

$$\therefore L\{\cos^2 2u\} = \frac{1}{2} L\{1 + \cos 4u\} = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{s} + \frac{s}{s^2 + 16} \right]$$

$$\therefore L\{u \cos^2 2u\} = -\frac{d}{ds} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{s} + \frac{s}{s^2 + 16} \right] \right] \quad (\text{multiplication by } u)$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{-1}{s^2} + \frac{(s^2 + 16) \cdot (1) - s(2s)}{(s^2 + 16)^2} \right]$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{-1}{s^2} + \frac{16 - s^2}{(s^2 + 16)^2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{s^2} + \frac{s^2 - 16}{(s^2 + 16)^2} \right]$$

$$\therefore L\left\{ e^{3u} u \cos^2 2u \right\} = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{(s+3)^2} + \frac{(s+3)^2 - 16}{[(s+3)^2 + 16]^2} \right] \quad [\text{First shifting theorem}]$$

$$\therefore L \left[ e^{-3u} u \cos^2 2u \right] = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{(s+3)^2} + \frac{(s+3) - 10}{[(s+3)^2 + 16]^2} \right] \quad [\text{First shifting theorem}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{(s+3)^2} + \frac{s^2 + 6s - 7}{(s^2 + 6s + 25)^2} \right] = \phi(s) \quad (\text{say})$$

$$\therefore L \left[ \int_0^t e^{-3u} u \cos^2 2u \, du \right] = \frac{1}{s} \phi(s) \quad [\text{Laplace Transform of integral}]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2s} \left[ \frac{1}{(s+3)^2} + \frac{s^2 + 6s - 7}{(s^2 + 6s + 25)^2} \right]$$

Ex-3 Find Laplace Transform of  $t \int_0^t e^{-4u} \sin 3u \, du$

Solution :-  $L[\sin 3u] = \frac{3}{s^2 + 9}$

$$L[e^{-4u} \sin 3u] = \frac{3}{(s+4)^2 + 9} \quad [\text{By First shifting theorem}]$$

$$\therefore L \left[ \int_0^t e^{-4u} \sin 3u \, du \right] = \frac{1}{s} \cdot \frac{3}{(s+4)^2 + 9} \quad [\text{Laplace Transform of integral}]$$

$$\therefore L \left[ t \int_0^t e^{-4u} \sin 3u \, du \right] = (-1) \frac{d}{ds} \left[ \frac{3}{s^3 + 8s^2 + 25s} \right]$$

$$= \frac{3(3s^2 + 16s + 25)}{(s^3 + 8s^2 + 25s)^2}$$

Ex-4 Find Laplace Transform of  $e^t \int_0^t e^u \cosh u \, du$

Solution :-  $L[\cosh u] = \frac{s}{s^2 - 1}$

$$L[e^u \cosh u] = \frac{s-1}{(s-1)^2 - 1} = \frac{s-1}{s^2 - 2s + 1 - 1} = \frac{s-1}{s(s-2)} \quad [\text{First shifting theorem}]$$

$$L \left[ \int_0^t e^u \cosh u \, du \right] = \frac{1}{s} \cdot \frac{s-1}{s(s-2)} = \frac{s-1}{s^2(s-2)} \quad [\text{Laplace of integral}]$$

$$L \left[ e^t \int_0^t e^u \cosh u \, du \right] = \frac{(s+1)-1}{(s+1)^2[(s+1)-2]} = \frac{s}{(s+1)^2(s-1)}$$

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~~Ex-5~~ Find Laplace Transform of  $\cosh t \int_0^t e^u \cosh u \, du$

~~Solution~~  $L[\cosh u] = \frac{s}{s^2 - 1}$

$$L[e^u \cosh u] = \frac{s-1}{(s-1)^2 - 1} = \frac{s-1}{s^2 - 2s + 1 - 1} = \frac{s-1}{s(s-2)}$$

$$L\left[\int_0^t e^u \cosh u \, du\right] = \frac{1}{s} \cdot \frac{s-1}{s(s-2)} = \frac{s-1}{s^2(s-2)}$$

$$L\left[\cosh t \int_0^t e^u \cosh u \, du\right] = \frac{1}{2} L\left[e^t \int_0^t e^u \cosh u \, du + e^{-t} \int_0^t e^u \cosh u \, du\right]$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{s-2}{(s-1)^2(s-3)} + \frac{s}{(s+1)^2(s-1)} \right]$$

Ex-6 Find  $L[\operatorname{erf} \sqrt{t}]$

Solution :- we have  $\operatorname{erf}(u) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^u e^{-u^2} \, du$

Hence,  $\operatorname{erf}(\sqrt{t}) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^{\sqrt{t}} e^{-u^2} \, du$

Now put  $u^2 = v$

$\therefore u = \sqrt{v} \Rightarrow du = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{v}} \, dv$

u	0	$\sqrt{t}$
v	0	v

$$\therefore \operatorname{erf} \sqrt{t} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^t e^{-v} \cdot \frac{1}{2\sqrt{v}} \, dv = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^t e^{-v} v^{-1/2} \, dv$$

Now,  $L[v^{-1/2}] = \frac{\Gamma(1/2)}{s^{1/2}} = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{s^{1/2}}$

$$-L\left[\frac{1}{\sqrt{s}}\right] = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{s}}$$

$$\therefore L\left[e^{-v} v^{-1/2}\right] = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{\sqrt{s+1}}$$

$$\therefore L\left[\int_0^t e^{-v} v^{-1/2} dv\right] = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{s\sqrt{s+1}}$$

$$\therefore L\left[\operatorname{erf}\sqrt{t}\right] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} L\left[\int_0^t e^{-v} v^{-1/2} dv\right] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{s\sqrt{s+1}}$$

$$\therefore L\left[\operatorname{erf}\sqrt{t}\right] = \frac{1}{s\sqrt{s+1}}$$

Ex-7 Find  $L\left[\int_0^t \int_0^t t \cdot \sin t (dt)^2\right]$

Solution  $\therefore L[\sin t] = \frac{1}{s^2+1}$

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

$$L\left[\int_0^t \int_0^t t \sin t (dt)^2\right] = \frac{1}{s^2} \cdot \frac{2s}{(s^2+1)^2} = \frac{2}{s(s^2+1)^2}$$