

# VE216 Recitation Class 10

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# Overview

## 1 Chapter 9: Laplace Transform

- Definition
- Study System Behavior
- Exercise

## 2 Conclusion

# Laplace Transform

- $s = \sigma + j\omega$ ,  $e^{st} = e^{\sigma t} \cdot e^{j\omega t}$ : decaying/growing term and periodic term
- LT Definition:

$$X(s) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-st} dt$$

Notice: ROC

Study system behavior

- Compare with FT:

$$X(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

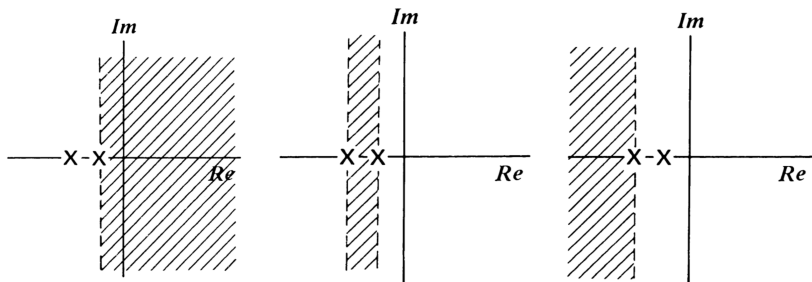
decompose signals; system as filters

# ROC

Definition: the subset of  $\mathbb{C}$  that  $X(s) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-st} dt < \infty$

Consider:

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



Different choice of ROC corresponds to different  $x(t)$ . - Quiz9  
(here,  $x(t)$  can be input/output signal, or the impulse response)

# LT - Study (rational) LTI System Behavior $H(s)$

- stable  $\iff$  ROC includes  $j\omega$  axis
- casual  $\iff$  ROC RHP
- casual and stable  $\iff$  all poles in the left half of s-plane
- Not stable if:  $H(s) = \frac{s^2+s+1}{s+1}$
- Differentiation: solve systems defined by diff. eqn.

$$\frac{d^n}{dt^n}x(t) \xleftrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} s^n X(s)$$

- Convolution: get output  $y(t)$

$$h(t) * x(t) \xleftrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} H(s)X(s)$$

- Block diagram: be able to read as well as draw - Quiz10

# Exercise: HW6 Q5

5. [10] A causal LTI system  $S$  with impulse response  $h(t)$  has its input  $x(t)$  and output  $y(t)$  related through a linear constant-coefficient differential equation of the form

$$\frac{d^3 y(t)}{dt^3} + (1 + \alpha) \frac{d^2 y(t)}{dt^2} + \alpha(\alpha + 1) \frac{dy(t)}{dt} + \alpha^2 y(t) = x(t)$$

(a) If

$$g(t) = \frac{dh(t)}{dt} + h(t)$$

,  
how many poles does  $G(s)$  have?

Hint: use long division

# Exercise: HW6 Q7

7. [10] A causal LTI system with impulse response  $h(t)$  has the following properties: 1. When the input to the system is  $x(t) = e^{2t}$  for all  $t$ , the output is  $y(t) = \frac{1}{6}e^{2t}$  for all  $t$ . 2. The impulse response  $h(t)$  satisfies the differential equation  $\frac{dh(t)}{dt} + 2h(t) = (e^{-4t})u(t) + bu(t)$ , where  $b$  is an unknown constant.

Determine the system function  $H(s)$  of the system, consistent with information above. There should be no unknown constants in your answer, that is, the constant  $b$  should not appear in the answer.

Hint: when input is an exponential signal

# Conclusion - for Chap. 9

- FS vs. FT vs. LT
- Focus on system prospective
- Practice on PFE, block diagram, etc



# Conclusion - for the course

- LTI system, impulse response, convolution - Foundation, Time domain
- Fourier Analysis - signal, system
- Filtering, Sampling, Communication - most interesting topics to me
- Laplace Transform - ROC, system, block diagram
- This course is one of the most inspiring course I have ever took, as it provides a sense of the strong connection between mathematics and the real world.
- And I join research group then.
- If you are interested in signal processing, consider taking: VE351; VE401, VE501; VE455, VE489; VV214/417

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