Solution Section 2.8 – Basic Properties of the Laplace Transform

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform and defined the time domain of $y(t) = t^2 + 4t + 5$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}(t^2 + 4t + 5)(s) = \mathcal{L}(t^2)(s) + 4 \mathcal{L}(4t)(s) + 5 \mathcal{L}(1)(s)$$

$$= \frac{2!}{s^3} + 4\frac{1}{s^2} + 5\frac{1}{s}$$

$$= \frac{2}{s^3} + \frac{4}{s^2} + \frac{5}{s}$$

$$= \frac{2 + 4s + 5s^2}{s^3}$$

$$s > 0$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform and defined the time domain of $y(t) = -2\cos t + 4\sin 3t$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}(-2\cos t + 4\sin 3t)(s) = -2\mathcal{L}(\cos t)(s) + 4\mathcal{L}(\sin 3t)(s)$$

$$= -2\frac{s}{s^2 + 1} + 4\frac{3}{s^2 + 9}$$

$$= \frac{-2s(s^2 + 9) + 12(s^2 + 1)}{(s^2 + 1)(s^2 + 9)}$$

$$= \frac{-2s^3 - 18s + 12s^2 + 12}{(s^2 + 1)(s^2 + 9)}$$

$$= \frac{-2s^3 + 12s^2 - 18s + 12}{(s^2 + 1)(s^2 + 9)} \quad s > 0$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform and defined the time domain of $y(t) = 2\sin 3t + 3\cos 5t$

$$\mathcal{L}(2\sin 3t + 3\cos 5t)(s) = 2\mathcal{L}(\sin 3t)(s) + 3\mathcal{L}(\cos 5t)(s)$$

$$= 2\frac{3}{s^2 + 9} + 3\frac{s}{s^2 + 25}$$

$$= \frac{6s^2 + 150 + 3s^3 + 27s}{\left(s^2 + 9\right)\left(s^2 + 25\right)}$$

$$= \frac{3s^3 + 6s^2 + 27s + 150}{\left(s^2 + 9\right)\left(s^2 + 25\right)} \quad (s > 0)$$

Find the Laplace transform and defined the time domain of $f(t) = 2t^4$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}(2t^4)(s) = 2\mathcal{L}(t^4)(s)$$

$$= 2\frac{4!}{s^5}$$

$$= \frac{48}{s^5} \qquad s > 0$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform and defined the time domain of $f(t) = t^5$ **Solution**

$$\mathcal{L}\left(t^{5}\right)(s) = \frac{5!}{s^{5}}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of f(t) = 4t - 10

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{4t - 10\}$$
$$= \frac{4}{s^2} - \frac{10}{s}$$
$$= \frac{4 - 10s}{s^2}$$

Find the Laplace transform of f(t) = 7t + 3

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{7t + 3\}$$

$$= \frac{7}{s^2} + \frac{3}{s}$$

$$= \frac{7 + 3s}{s^2}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = 3t^4 - 2t^2 + 1$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{3t^4 - 2t^2 + 1\right\}$$
$$= \frac{72}{s^4} - \frac{4}{s^3} + \frac{1}{s}$$
$$= \frac{s^3 - 4s + 72}{s^4}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = (t+1)^3$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = \mathcal{L}\{t^3 + 3t^2 + 3t + 1\}$$

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

$$= \frac{s^3 + 3s^2 + 6s + 6}{s^4}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = (2t-1)^3$

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{8t^3 - 12t^2 + 6t - 1\right\}$$
$$= \frac{48}{s^4} - \frac{24}{s^3} + \frac{6}{s^2} - \frac{1}{s}$$

$$=\frac{48-24s+6s^2-s^3}{s^4}$$

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = (t-1)^4$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{t^4 - 4t^3 + 6t^2 - 4t + 1\right\}(s)$$

$$= \frac{4!}{s^5} - \frac{24}{s^4} + \frac{12}{s^3} - \frac{4}{s^2} + \frac{1}{s}$$

$$= \frac{s^4 - 4s^3 + 12s^2 - 24s + 24}{s^5}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = t^2 + 6t - 3$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = \mathcal{L}\{t^2 + 6t - 3\}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{2}{s^3} + \frac{6}{s^2} - \frac{3}{s}$$

$$= \frac{2s^2 + 6s - 3}{s^3}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = -4t^2 + 16t + 9$

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = \mathcal{L}\{-4t^2 + 16t + 9\}$$

$$F(s) = -\frac{8}{s^3} + \frac{16}{s^2} + \frac{9}{s}$$

$$= \frac{9s^2 + 16s - 8}{s^3}$$

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = 3t^2 - e^{2t}$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{3t^2 - e^{2t}\right\}(s)$$

$$= \frac{6}{s^3} - \frac{1}{s-2}$$

$$= \frac{-s^3 + 6s - 12}{s^3(s-2)}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = t^2 - e^{-9t} + 9$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{t^2 - e^{-9t} + 9\right\}(s)$$

$$= \frac{2}{s^3} - \frac{1}{s+9} + \frac{9}{s}$$

$$= \frac{-s^3 + 9s^2 + 2s + 18}{s^3(s+9)}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = 6e^{-3t} - t^2 + 2t - 8$ **Solution**

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{6e^{-3t} - t^2 + 2t - 8\right\}(s)$$

$$= \frac{6}{s+3} - \frac{1}{s^3} + \frac{2}{s^2} - \frac{8}{s}$$

$$= \frac{6s^3 - s - 3 + 2s^2 + 2s - 8s^3 - 24s^2}{s^3(s+3)}$$

$$= \frac{-2s^3 - 22s^2 + s - 3}{s^3(s+3)}$$

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = 5 - e^{2t} + 6t^2$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{5 - e^{2t} + 6t^2\right\}(s)$$

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

$$= \frac{5s^2 - s^3 + 12s - 24}{s^3(s-2)}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = t^2 e^{2t}$

Solution

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

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{t^2 e^{2t}\right\}(s) = (-1)^2 Y''(s)$$

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

$$= -\frac{(-1)2(s-2)}{(s-2)^4}$$

$$= \frac{2}{(s-2)^3}$$
OR Using Laplace Transform table

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = e^{-2t} (2t + 3)$

$$f(t) = 2t + 3 \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} F(s) = 2\frac{1}{s^2} + 3\frac{1}{s}$$
$$= \frac{2+3s}{s^2}$$
$$\mathcal{L}\left\{e^{-2t}\left(2t+3\right)\right\} = Y(s+2)$$
$$= \frac{2+3(s+2)}{\left(s+2\right)^2}$$

$$=\frac{3s+8}{\left(s+2\right)^2}$$

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = e^{-t}(t^2 + 3t + 4)$

Solution

$$y(t) = t^{2}e^{-t} + 3te^{-t} + 4e^{-t}$$

$$Y(s) = \mathcal{L}(t^{2}e^{-t})(s) + 3\mathcal{L}(te^{-t})(s) + 4\mathcal{L}(e^{-t})(s)$$

$$= \frac{2!}{(s+1)^{3}} + 3\frac{1}{(s+1)^{2}} + 4\frac{1}{s+1}$$

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

$$= \frac{2+3s+3+4s^{2}+8s+4}{(s+1)^{3}}$$

$$= \frac{4s^{2}+11s+9}{(s+1)^{3}} \quad (s>0)$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = 1 + e^{4t}$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{f(t)\right\} = \mathcal{L}\left\{1 + e^{4t}\right\}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{s-4}$$

$$= \frac{2s-4}{s^2 - 4s}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $y(t) = e^{2t} \cos 2t$

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

$$y(t) = e^{2t} \cos 2t \xrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} Y(s) = F(s-2)$$

$$Y(s) = F(s-2)$$

$$= \frac{s-2}{(s-2)^2 + 4}$$

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

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = t^3 - te^t + e^{4t} \cos t$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}\left(e^{at}\cos\omega t\right) = \frac{s-a}{\left(s-a\right)^2 + \omega^2} \qquad \mathcal{L}\left(t^n e^{-at}\right)(s) = \frac{n!}{\left(s+a\right)^{n+1}}$$

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{t^3 - te^t + e^{4t}\cos t\right\}$$

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

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = t^2 - 3t - 2e^{-t} \sin 3t$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{t^2 - 3t - 2e^{-t}\sin 3t\right\} \qquad \qquad \mathcal{L}\left(e^{at}\sin \omega t\right) = \frac{\omega}{(s-a)^2 + \omega^2}$$
$$= \frac{6}{s^3} - \frac{3}{s^2} - \frac{6}{(s+1)^2 + 9}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = \sin^2 t$

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

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{s} - \frac{s}{s^2 + 4} \right)$$
$$= \frac{4}{2s\left(s^2 + 4\right)}$$

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = e^{7t} \sin^2 t$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{e^{7t}\sin^2 t\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{L}\left\{e^{7t} - e^{7t}\cos 2t\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1}{s-7} - \frac{s-7}{(s-7)^2 + 4}\right)$$

$$= \frac{2}{(s-7)((s-7)^2 + 4)}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = t \sin^2 t$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{t\sin^2 t\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{L}\left\{t - t\cos 2t\right\}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left(t\cos \omega t\right) = \frac{s^2 - \omega^2}{\left(s^2 + \omega^2\right)^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\frac{1}{s^2} - \frac{1}{2}\frac{s^2 - 4}{\left(s^2 + 4\right)^2}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = \cos^3 t$

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{\cos^3 t\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L} \left\{ \cos t \left(1 + \cos 2t \right) \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L} \left\{ \cos t + \cos t \cos 2t \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L} \left\{ \cos t + \frac{1}{2} \cos 3t + \frac{1}{2} \cos t \right\}$$

$$= \mathcal{L} \left\{ \frac{3}{4} \cos t + \frac{1}{4} \cos 3t \right\}$$

$$= \frac{3s}{4(s^2 + 1)} + \frac{s}{4(s^2 + 9)}$$

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Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = te^{-t} \sin 2t$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{te^{-t}\sin 2t\right\}$$

$$= \frac{4(s+1)}{\left((s+1)^2 + 4\right)^2}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = e^{2t} \cos 5t$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{e^{2t}\cos 5t\right\}$$

$$= \frac{s-2}{(s-2)^2 + 25}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{e^{-at}\cos \omega t\right\} = \frac{s+a}{(s+a)^2 + \omega^2}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = t^2 + e^t \sin 2t$

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{t^2 + e^t \sin 2t\right\}$$

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

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{e^{at} \sin \omega t\right\} = \frac{\omega}{(s-a)^2 + \omega^2}$$

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = e^{-t} \cos 3t + e^{6t} - 1$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{e^{-t}\cos 3t + e^{6t} - 1\right\} \qquad \qquad \mathcal{L}\left\{e^{-at}\cos \omega t\right\} = \frac{s+a}{(s+a)^2 + \omega^2}$$
$$= \frac{s+1}{(s+1)^2 + 9} + \frac{1}{s-6} + \frac{1}{s}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = e^{-2t} \sin 2t + t^2 e^{3t}$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{e^{at}\sin\omega t\right\} = \frac{\omega}{\left(s-a\right)^2 + \omega^2}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left(t^n e^{-at}\right)(s) = \frac{n!}{\left(s+a\right)^{n+1}}$$

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{e^{-2t}\sin 2t + t^2 e^{3t}\right\}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\left(s+2\right)^2 + 4} + \frac{2}{\left(s-3\right)^3}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = 2t^2e^{-2t} - t + \cos 4t$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{2t^{2}e^{-2t} - t + \cos 4t\right\} \qquad \mathcal{L}\left(t^{n}e^{-at}\right)(s) = \frac{n!}{(s+a)^{n+1}}$$
$$= \frac{4}{(s+2)^{3}} - \frac{1}{s} - \frac{4}{s^{2} + 4}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = t \sin 3t$

$$f(t) = \sin 3t - \frac{\mathcal{L}}{s^2 + 9}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{t \sin 3t\}(s) = -Y'(s)$$
Using Derivative of a Laplace Transform Proposition

$$= -\frac{3(-2s)}{\left(s^2 + 9\right)^2}$$
$$= \frac{6s}{\left(s^2 + 9\right)^2}$$

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = t^2 \cos 2t$

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

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{t^2 \cos 2t\right\}(s) = (-1)^2 Y''(s) \qquad Using Derivative of a Laplace Transform Proposition$$

$$= (Y'(s))'$$

$$= \frac{d}{ds} \left[\frac{(s^2 + 4)(1) - s(2s)}{(s^2 + 4)^2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{d}{ds} \left[\frac{4 - s^2}{(s^2 + 4)^2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{-2s(s^2 + 4)^2 - (4 - s^2)(2)(2s)(s^2 + 4)}{(s^2 + 4)^4}$$

$$= (s^2 + 4) \frac{-2s(s^2 + 4) - 4s(4 - s^2)}{(s^2 + 4)^4}$$

$$= \frac{-2s^3 - 8s - 16s + 4s^3}{(s^2 + 4)^3}$$

$$= \frac{2s^3 - 24s}{(s^2 + 4)^3}$$

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Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = (1 + e^{-t})^2$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{1 + 2e^{-t} + e^{-2t}\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s} + \frac{2}{s+1} + \frac{1}{s+2}$$

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

$$= \frac{4s^2 + 8s + 2}{s(s+1)(s+2)}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = (1 + e^{2t})^2$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{1 + 2e^{2t} + e^{4t}\right\}$$
$$= \frac{1}{s} + \frac{2}{s-2} + \frac{1}{s-4}$$
$$= \frac{4s^2 - 16s + 8}{s(s-2)(s-4)}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = (e^t - e^{-t})^2$

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{e^{2t} - 2 + e^{-2t}\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s-2} - \frac{2}{s} + \frac{1}{s+2}$$

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

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

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = 4t^2 - 5\sin 3t$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{f\left(t\right)\right\} = \mathcal{L}\left\{4t^2 - 5\sin 3t\right\}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{2}{s^3} - \frac{15}{s^2 + 9}$$
$$= \frac{-15s^3 + 2s^2 + 18}{s^5 + 9s^3}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = \cos 5t + \sin 2t$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = \mathcal{L}\{\cos 5t + \sin 2t\}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 + 25} + \frac{2}{s^2 + 4}$$
$$= \frac{s^3 + 2s^2 + 4s + 50}{\left(s^2 + 4\right)\left(s^2 + 25\right)}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = e^{3t} \sin 6t - t^3 + e^t$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{e^{3t}\sin 6t - t^3 + e^t\right\}$$
$$= \frac{6}{(s-3)^2 + 36} - \frac{6}{s^4} + \frac{1}{s-1}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left(e^{at}\sin\omega t\right) = \frac{\omega}{\left(s-a\right)^2 + \omega^2}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = t^4 + t^2 - t + \sin \sqrt{2}t$

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{t^4 + t^2 - t + \sin\sqrt{2}t\right\}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left(e^{at}\sin\omega t\right) = \frac{\omega}{\left(s-a\right)^2 + \omega^2}$$

$$= \frac{24}{s^5} + \frac{2}{s^3} - \frac{1}{s^2} + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{s^2 + 2}$$

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = t^4 e^{5t} - e^t \cos \sqrt{7}t$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}\left(t^{n}e^{-at}\right)(s) = \frac{n!}{(s+a)^{n+1}}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left(e^{at}\cos\omega t\right) = \frac{s-a}{(s-a)^{2}+\omega^{2}}$$

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{t^{4}e^{5t} - e^{t}\cos\sqrt{7}t\right\}$$

$$= \frac{24}{(s-5)^{5}} - \frac{s-1}{(s-1)^{2}+7}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = e^{-2t} \cos \sqrt{3}t - t^2 e^{-2t}$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}(t^n e^{-at})(s) = \frac{n!}{(s+a)^{n+1}} \qquad \mathcal{L}(e^{at}\cos\omega t) = \frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2 + \omega^2}$$

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{e^{-2t}\cos\sqrt{3}t - t^2e^{-2t}\}$$

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

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = 6e^{-5t} + e^{3t} + 5t^3 - 9$

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{f(t)\right\} = \mathcal{L}\left\{6e^{-5t} + e^{3t} + 5t^3 - 9\right\}$$
$$F(s) = \frac{6}{s+5} + \frac{1}{s-3} + \frac{5}{s^4} - \frac{9}{s}$$

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = 4\cos 4t - 9\sin 4t + 2\cos 10t$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{f(t)\right\} = \mathcal{L}\left\{4\cos 4t - 9\sin 4t + 2\cos 10t\right\}$$

$$F(s) = 4\frac{s}{s^2 + 4^2} - 9\frac{4}{s^2 + 4^2} + 2\frac{s}{s^2 + 10^2}$$
$$= \frac{4s}{s^2 + 16} - \frac{36}{s^2 + 16} + \frac{2s}{s^2 + 100}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = 3\sinh 2t + 3\sin 2t$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = \mathcal{L}\{3\sinh 2t + 3\sin 2t\}$$

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

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = e^{3t} + \cos 6t - e^{3t} \cos 6t$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{f(t)\right\} = \mathcal{L}\left\{e^{3t} + \cos 6t - e^{3t} \cos 6t\right\}$$

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{s-3} + \frac{s}{s^2 + 36} - \frac{s-3}{(s-3)^2 + 36}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = t \cosh 3t$

$$f(t) = \cosh 3t - \mathcal{L}$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 - 9}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = \mathcal{L}\{t\cosh 3t\}$$

$$F(s) = -Y'(s)$$

$$= -\frac{s^2 - 9 - 2s^2}{\left(s^2 - 9\right)^2}$$

$$= \frac{s^2 + 9}{\left(s^2 - 9\right)^2}$$

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = t^2 \sin 2t$

Solution

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

$$Y'(s) = -\frac{4s}{\left(s^2 + 4\right)^2}$$

$$Y''(s) = -4\frac{s^2 + 4 - 4s^2}{\left(s^2 + 4\right)^3} = \frac{12s^2 - 16}{\left(s^2 + 4\right)^3} \qquad \left(U^m V^n\right)' = U^{m-1} V^{n-1} \left(mU'V + nUV'\right)$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{f(t)\right\} = \mathcal{L}\left\{t^2 \sin 2t\right\}$$

$$F(s) = (-1)^2 Y''(s)$$

$$= \frac{12s^2 - 16}{\left(s^2 + 4\right)^3}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = \sinh kt$

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{\sinh kt\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{L}\left\{e^{kt} - e^{-kt}\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1}{s-k} - \frac{1}{s+k}\right)$$

$$= \frac{k}{s^2 - k^2}$$

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = \cosh kt$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{\cosh kt\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{L}\{e^{kt} + e^{-kt}\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1}{s-k} + \frac{1}{s+k}\right)$$

$$= \frac{s}{s^2 - k^2}$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = e^t \sinh kt$

Solution

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{e^{t} \sinh kt\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{L}\left\{e^{t}\left(e^{kt} - e^{-kt}\right)\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{L}\left\{e^{(k+1)t} - e^{-(k-1)t}\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1}{s - (k+1)} - \frac{1}{s + (k-1)}\right)$$

Exercise

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = e^{-t} \cosh kt$

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\left\{e^{-t}\cosh kt\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{L}\left\{e^{-t}\left(e^{kt} + e^{-kt}\right)\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{L}\left\{e^{(k-1)t} + e^{-(k-1)t}\right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1}{s-(k-1)} + \frac{1}{s+(k-1)}\right)$$

Transform the initial value problem into an algebraic equation involving $\mathcal{L}(y)$. Solve the resulting equation for the Laplace transform of y.

$$y' + 2y = t \sin t$$
, with $y(0) = 1$

Solution

Let
$$Y(s) = \mathcal{L}(y)(s)$$
, then

Left side;

$$\mathcal{L}(y'+2y)(s) = s\mathcal{L}(y)(s) - y(0) + 2\mathcal{L}(y)(s)$$
$$= sY(s) - 1 + 2Y(s)$$
$$= (s+2)Y(s) - 1$$

Right side;
$$f(t) = \sin t - \mathcal{L}$$

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

$$\mathcal{L}\{t \sin t\}(s) = -F'(s)$$

$$= \frac{2s}{\left(s^2 + 1\right)^2}$$
Using Derivative of a Laplace Transform Proposition

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

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

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

Exercise

Transform the initial value problem into an algebraic equation involving $\mathcal{L}(y)$. Solve the resulting equation for the Laplace transform of y.

$$y' - y = t^2 e^{-2t}$$
, with $y(0) = 0$

Let
$$Y(s) = \mathcal{L}(y)(s)$$
, then

Left side;
$$\mathcal{L}(y'+2y)(s) = s\mathcal{L}(y)(s) - y(0) + 2\mathcal{L}(y)(s)$$
$$= sY(s) - Y(s)$$
$$= (s-1)Y(s)$$

Right side;
$$f(t) = e^{2t} - \mathcal{L}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{t^2 e^{2t}\right\}(s) = (-1)^2 Y''(s) \qquad \text{Using Laplace Transform table}$$

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

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

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

Transform the initial value problem into an algebraic equation involving \mathcal{L}_y). Solve the resulting equation for the Laplace transform of y.

$$y'' + y' + 2y = e^{-t}\cos 2t$$
, with $y(0) = 1$ and $y'(0) = -1$

$$\mathcal{L}(y'' + y' + 2y)(s) = \mathcal{L}(e^{-t}\cos 2t)$$

$$s^{2}\mathcal{L}(y)(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) + s \mathcal{L}(y)(s) - y(0) + 2 \mathcal{L}(y)(s) = \frac{s+1}{(s+1)^{2} + 4}$$

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

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

$$(s^{2} + s + 2)Y(s) = \frac{s+1}{s^{2} + 2s + 5} + s$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{s+1}{(s^{2} + 2s + 5)(s^{2} + s + 2)} + \frac{s}{s^{2} + s + 2}$$

$$= \frac{s+1 + s(s^{2} + 2s + 5)}{(s^{2} + 2s + 5)(s^{2} + s + 2)}$$

$$= \frac{s+1 + s^{3} + 2s^{2} + 5s}{(s^{2} + 2s + 5)(s^{2} + s + 2)}$$

$$= \frac{s^{3} + 2s^{2} + 6s + 1}{(s^{2} + 2s + 5)(s^{2} + s + 2)}$$

Transform the initial value problem into an algebraic equation involving $\mathcal{L}(y)$. Solve the resulting equation for the Laplace transform of y.

$$y' - 5y = e^{-2t}$$
, with $y(0) = 1$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}(y'-5y)(s) = \mathcal{L}(e^{-2t})(s)$$

$$\mathcal{L}(y')(s) - 5 \mathcal{L}(y)(s) = \frac{1}{s+2}$$

$$s\mathcal{L}(y)(s) - y(0) - 5 \mathcal{L}(y)(s) = \frac{1}{s+2}$$
Let $Y(s) = \mathcal{L}(y)(s)$, then
$$sY(s) - 1 - 5Y(s) = \frac{1}{s+2}$$

$$(s-5)Y(s) = \frac{1}{s+2} + 1$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{1}{(s-5)(s+2)} + \frac{1}{(s-5)}$$

$$= \frac{1+s+2}{(s-5)(s+2)}$$

$$= \frac{s+3}{(s-5)(s+2)}$$

Exercise

Transform the initial value problem into an algebraic equation involving $\mathcal{L}(y)$. Solve the resulting equation for the Laplace transform of y.

$$y' - 4y = \cos 2t$$
, with $y(0) = -2$

$$\mathcal{L}(y'-4y)(s) = \mathcal{L}(\cos 2t)(s)$$

$$\mathcal{L}(y')(s) - 4 \mathcal{L}(y)(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 + 4}$$

$$s \mathcal{L}(y)(s) - y(0) - 4 \mathcal{L}(y)(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 + 4}$$
Let $Y(s) = \mathcal{L}(y)(s)$, then
$$sY(s) + 2 - 4Y(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 + 4}$$

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

$$Y(s) = \frac{s}{(s-4)(s^2+4)} - \frac{2}{s-4}$$
$$= \frac{s-2s^2-8}{(s-4)(s^2+4)}$$
$$= \frac{-2s^2+s-8}{(s-4)(s^2+4)}$$

Transform the initial value problem into an algebraic equation involving $\mathcal{L}(y)$. Solve the resulting equation for the Laplace transform of y.

$$y'' + 2y' + 2y = \cos 2t$$
; with $y(0) = 1$ and $y'(0) = 0$

Solution

$$\mathcal{L}(y'' + 2y' + 2y)(s) = \mathcal{L}(\cos 2t)(s)$$
Let $Y(s) = \mathcal{L}(y)(s)$, then
$$s^{2}Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) + 2(sY(s) - y(0)) + 2Y(s) = \frac{s}{s^{2} + 4}$$

$$s^{2}Y(s) - s + 2sY(s) - 2 + 2Y(s) = \frac{s}{s^{2} + 4}$$

$$\left(s^{2} + 2s + 2\right)Y(s) = \frac{s}{s^{2} + 4} + s + 2$$

$$= \frac{s + s^{3} + 2s^{2} + 4s + 8}{s^{2} + 4}$$

$$= \frac{s^{3} + 2s^{2} + 5s + 8}{s^{2} + 4}$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{s^{3} + 2s^{2} + 5s + 8}{\left(s^{2} + 4\right)\left(s^{2} + 2s + 2\right)}$$

Exercise

Transform the initial value problem into an algebraic equation involving $\mathcal{L}(y)$. Solve the resulting equation for the Laplace transform of y.

$$y'' + 3y' + 5y = t + e^{-t}$$
; with $y(0) = -1$ and $y'(0) = 0$

$$\mathcal{L}(y'' + 3y' + 5y)(s) = \mathcal{L}(t)(s) + \mathcal{L}(e^{-t})(s)$$

$$s^{2}Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) + 3(sY(s) - y(0)) + 5Y(s) = \frac{1}{s^{2}} + \frac{1}{s+1}$$

$$s^{2}Y(s) + s + 3(sY(s) + 1) + 5Y(s) = \frac{s+1+s^{2}}{s^{2}(s+1)}$$

$$s^{2}Y(s) + s + 3sY(s) + 3 + 5Y(s) = \frac{s+1+s^{2}}{s^{2}(s+1)}$$

$$\left(s^{2} + 3s + 5\right)Y(s) = \frac{s+1+s^{2}}{s^{2}(s+1)} - s - 3$$

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

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

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

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

$$Y(s) = \frac{-s^{4} + 4s^{3} + 4s^{2} + s + 1}{s^{2}(s+1)(s^{2} + 3s + 5)}$$