

TMA4120 - Assignment 1

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6.1.1

$$\begin{aligned} f(t) &= 2t + 8 \\ \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s) &= 2 \cdot \mathcal{L}\{t\}(s) + 8 \cdot \mathcal{L}\{1\}(s) && \text{(Linearity)} \\ &= \frac{2}{s^2} + \frac{8}{s} \\ &= \frac{8s + 2}{s^2} \end{aligned}$$

6.1.12

From the graph we can obtain the following equation for f ;

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} t & 0 \leq t < 1 \\ 1 & 1 < t < 2 \\ 0 & t \geq 2. \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s) &= \mathcal{L}\{t[u(t) - u(t-1)]\} + \mathcal{L}\{u(t-1) - u(t-2)\} \\ &= \mathcal{L}\{tu(t)\} - \mathcal{L}\{tu(t-1)\} + \mathcal{L}\{u(t-1)\} - \mathcal{L}\{u(t-2)\} \\ &= \frac{1}{s^2} - \mathcal{L}\{[(t-1) + 1]u(t-1)\} + \frac{e^{-s}}{s} - \frac{e^{-2s}}{s} \\ &= \frac{1}{s^2} - \frac{e^{-s}}{s} - \frac{e^{-s}}{s^2} + \frac{e^{-s}}{s} - \frac{e^{-2s}}{s} \\ &= \frac{1}{s^2} - \frac{e^{-s}}{s^2} - \frac{e^{-2s}}{s} \end{aligned}$$

6.1.23

Given $\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}(s) = F(s)$ and a positive constant $c > 0$, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{f(ct)\}(s) &= \int_0^\infty e^{-st} f(ct) dt \\ &= \frac{1}{c} \int_0^\infty e^{-sx/c} f(x) dx, \quad x = ct, \quad dt = dx/c \\ &= \frac{1}{c} F(s/c)\end{aligned}$$

Using $\mathcal{L}\{\cos bt\}(s) = \frac{s}{s^2+b}$ we get

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{\cos \omega t\}(s) &= \frac{1}{\omega} \frac{s/\omega}{(s/\omega)^2 + 1} \\ &= \frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2}\end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}F(s) &= \frac{5s+1}{s^2-25} = \frac{5s+1}{(s+5)(s-5)} = \frac{A}{s+5} + \frac{B}{s-5} \rightarrow \frac{12}{5(s+5)} + \frac{13}{5(s-5)} \\ \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)\}(t) &= \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{12}{5(s+5)}\right\} + \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{13}{5(s-5)}\right\} \\ &= \frac{12}{5}e^{-5t} + \frac{13}{5}e^{5t} \\ &= \frac{1}{5}(12e^{-5t} + 13e^{5t})\end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}f(t) &= \sinh t \cos t \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(e^t - e^{-t}) \cos t \\ &= \frac{1}{2}e^t \cos t - \frac{1}{2}e^{-t} \cos t \\ \mathcal{L}\{f\} &= \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{L}\{e^t \cos t\} - \frac{1}{2}\mathcal{L}\{e^{-t} \cos t\} \\ &= \frac{1}{2}[F(s-1) - F(s+1)] \\ &= \frac{1}{2}\left[\frac{s-1}{(s-1)^2+1} - \frac{s+1}{(s+1)^2+1}\right]\end{aligned}$$

6.1.40

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

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F\} = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s-3}\right\} - \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s+1}\right\} = e^{3t} - e^{-t}$$

6.2.4

I wrote down the wrong values from the book so I will be solving the IVP $y'' + y' = 10e^{-t}$ with $y(0) = 0 = y'(0)$.

$$\mathcal{L} \text{ - transform: } \mathcal{L}\{y'' + y'\} = \mathcal{L}\{10e^{-t}\} \rightarrow s^2Y + sY = \frac{10}{s+1}$$

$$\text{Solve for } Y: Y = \frac{10}{s(s+1)^2} = \frac{A}{s} + \frac{B}{s+1} + \frac{C}{(s+1)^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Write as partial fraction: } (A+C)s^2 + (A+B+2C)s + C &= 10 \\ \rightarrow A &= -10, B = -10, C = 10 \\ \rightarrow Y &= \frac{10}{s} - \frac{10}{s+1} - \frac{10}{(s+1)^2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Inverse } \mathcal{L} \text{ -transform: } y = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{Y\} = -10e^{-t} - 10te^{-t} + 10 \text{ (from table.)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Control: } y(0) &= -10 - 0 + 10 = 0 \\ y' &= 10e^{-t} - 10e^{-t} + 10te^{-t} = 10te^{-t} \\ \rightarrow y'(0) &= 0 \\ y'' &= -10e^{-t} + 10e^{-t} + 10e^{-t} - 10te^{-t} \\ y'' &= 10e^{-t} - 10te^{-t} \\ \rightarrow y'' + y' &= 10e^{-t} \quad \text{Ok.} \end{aligned}$$

6.2.13

$$y' - 6y = 0, \quad y(-1) = 4$$

To solve this IVP, we introduce the variable $t_1 = t+1$ such that $y_1(t_1) = y(t)$.

$$\mathcal{L} \text{ - transform: } \mathcal{L}\{y'_1 - 6y_1\} = 0 \rightarrow sY_1 - 4 - 6Y_1 = 0$$

$$\text{Solve for } Y: Y_1 = \frac{4}{s-6}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Inverse } \mathcal{L} \text{ -transform: } y_1(t_1) &= \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{4}{s-6}\right\}(t_1) = 4e^{6t_1} \\ \rightarrow y(t) &= 4e^{6(t+1)} = 4e^{6t+6} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Control: } y(-1) &= 4e^0 = 4 \\ y' &= 24e^{6t+6} \\ \rightarrow y' - 6y &= 24e^{6t+6} - 24e^{6t+6} = 0 \quad \text{Ok.} \end{aligned}$$

6.3.8

The function

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} t^2 & 1 < t < 2 \\ 0 & \text{Otherwise} \end{cases}$$

can be written using the Heaviside-function as follows;

$$f(t) = t^2[u(t-1) - u(t-2)]$$

such that the leftmost part of the expression evaluates to zero if $t \notin (1, 2)$.

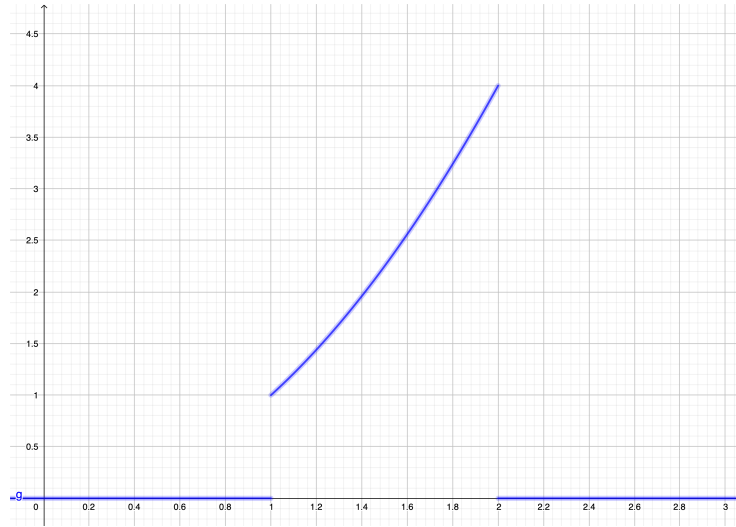


Figure 1: Plot of $f(t)$.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{f\} &= \mathcal{L}\{t^2[u(t-1) - u(t-2)]\} \\ &= \mathcal{L}\{[(t-1)^2 + 2(t-1) + 1]u(t-1)\} - \mathcal{L}\{[(t-2)^2 + 4(t-2) + 4]u(t-1)\} \\ &= \mathcal{L}\{(t-1)^2 u(t-1)\} + 2\mathcal{L}\{(t-1)u(t-1)\} + \mathcal{L}\{u(t-1)\} \\ &\quad - (\mathcal{L}\{(t-2)^2 u(t-2)\} + 4\mathcal{L}\{(t-2)u(t-2)\} + 4\mathcal{L}\{u(t-2)\}) \\ &= \frac{e^{-s}}{s^3}(s^2 + 2s + 2) - \frac{2e^{-2s}}{s^3}(2s^2 + 2s + 1) \end{aligned}$$

6.3.15

$$\begin{aligned} F(s) &= \frac{e^{-2s}}{s^6} = e^{-2s} \cdot \frac{5!}{s^{5+1}} \cdot \frac{1}{5!} \\ \rightarrow \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F\} &= u(t-2) \cdot (t-2)^5 \cdot \frac{1}{120} = \frac{(t-2)^5 u(t-2)}{120} \quad (\text{from table.}) \end{aligned}$$

6.3.25

We are solving the IVP

$$\begin{cases} y'' + y = 2t & 0 \leq t < 1 \\ 2 & t > 1 \end{cases}$$

with $y(0) = 0$, $y'(0) = -2$.

$$\mathcal{L} \text{ - transform: } \mathcal{L}\{y'' + y\} = \mathcal{L}\{2t\} \rightarrow s^2 Y + 2 + Y = \frac{2}{s^2}$$

$$\text{Solve for } Y: Y = \frac{2}{s^2(s^2+1)} - \frac{2}{s^2+1}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Write as partial fraction: } 2 &= As^3 + (B+C)s^2 + As + B \\ &\rightarrow A = 0, B = 2, C = -2 \\ &\rightarrow Y = \frac{2}{s^2} - \frac{4}{s^2+1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Inverse } \mathcal{L} \text{ -transform: } y &= \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{Y\} = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2}{s^2}\right\} - \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{4}{s^2+1}\right\} \\ y &= 2t - 4 \sin t \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Control: } y(0) &= 0 - 0 = 0 \\ y' &= 2 - 4 \cos t \\ &\rightarrow y'(0) = 2 - 4 = -2 \\ y'' &= 4 \sin t \\ &\rightarrow y'' + y = 4 \sin t + 2t - 4 \sin t = 2t \quad \text{Ok.} \end{aligned}$$

Hence,

$$y(t) = \begin{cases} 2t - 4 \sin t & 0 < t < 1 \\ 2 & t > 1. \end{cases}$$