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Quiz n° 5

- Please email your solution to angela.pasquale@univ-lorraine.fr or angela.pasquale@georgiatech-metz.fr by 12:15 pm (Atlanta time). Write "Quiz 5" in the subject. Double check that your file is readable and complete.
- You can write your solution on the same pdf I sent you, for instance if you have a tablet or you can print it. If you need extra space, add as many pages as needed. Otherwise, please write your solutions on blank paper. You do not need to copy the questions, just clearly mark the number of the exercise and separate the different exercises with a horizontal line.
- Show your work and justify your answers. Please organize your work clearly, neatly, and legibly. Identify your answers.
- The solution of this quiz must be your own. Do not show, discuss or compare your solution with anybody else.
- A table of Laplace transforms is at the end of this file. You can use the table on your textbook if you prefer.
- During the time interval from the release time and submission deadline, I will be online. If you have questions about the quiz, you can send me email messages.
- Maximum: 20 points.

(0) Formulas 15. and 16. in Table 5.3.1 are not in the program this semester. You will not find them here or in the final exam.

SOME IMPORTANT REMARKS:

(1) In general, $\mathcal{L}\{fg\} \neq \mathcal{L}\{f\}\mathcal{L}\{g\}$

EX: $f=g=1$ (the constant function), then $fg=1$

$$\mathcal{L}\{1\}(s) = \frac{1}{s} \quad (\text{for } s > 0). \text{ So } \mathcal{L}\{1 \cdot 1\} = \mathcal{L}\{1\} = \frac{1}{s} \text{ whereas } \mathcal{L}\{1\}\mathcal{L}\{1\} = \frac{1}{s} \cdot \frac{1}{s} = \frac{1}{s^2} \quad (\text{for } s > 0)$$

In particular, to compute $\mathcal{L}\{u_c(t)f(t-c)\}$, you must use 13. in the table of Laplace transforms (Table 5.3.1). This is NOT equal to $\mathcal{L}\{u_c(t)\}\mathcal{L}\{f(t-c)\}$

(2) In general, $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{FG\} \neq \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F\}\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{G\}$.

EX $F(s)=G(s)=\frac{1}{s}$ for $s > 0$. Then $(FG)(s) = F(s)G(s) = \frac{1}{s^2}$

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{FG\} = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2}\right\} = t \quad (\text{see 2. in Table 5.3.1})$$

$$\text{whereas } \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F\}\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{G\} = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s}\right\}\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s}\right\} = 1 \cdot 1 = 1 \quad (\text{see 1. in Table 5.3.1})$$

In particular, to compute $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F\}$ where F is a product of the form $F(s) = \frac{1}{as+b} \cdot \frac{1}{cs+d}$

you must make a partial fraction decomposition to rewrite F as a linear combination

$$F(s) = \frac{A}{as+b} + \frac{B}{cs+d} \text{ and hence use the linearity of } \mathcal{L}^{-1} \text{ to have } \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F\} = A\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{as+b}\right\} + B\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{cs+d}\right\}$$

(which can be computed from Table 5.3.1 as $\frac{1}{as+b} = \frac{1}{a(s+b/a)}$. Similar argument applies when $as+b$ is replaced e.g. by s^2+a A suitable partial fraction decomposition is needed.

Exercise 1 (4+6 points) .

(a) Write the following function using the unit step function

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} t^2 & \text{if } 0 \leq t < \pi \\ \cos(2t) & \text{if } \pi \leq t < 2\pi \\ 0 & \text{if } t \geq 2\pi \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(t) &= t^2 u_{0\pi}(t) + \cos(2t) u_{\pi,2\pi}(t) \\ &= t^2 (u_0(t) - u_\pi(t)) + \cos(2t) (u_\pi(t) - u_{2\pi}(t)) \\ &= t^2 u_0(t) + (\cos(2t) - t^2) u_\pi(t) - \cos(2t) u_{2\pi}(t) \\ &= t^2 + (\cos(2t) - t^2) u_\pi(t) - \cos(2t) u_{2\pi}(t), \text{ for } t \geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

(b) Find the Laplace transform of the function f in (a).

We rewrite the expression for f found in (a) as

$$f(t) = t^2 + f_1(t-\pi) u_\pi(t) - f_2(t-2\pi) u_{2\pi}(t)$$

where $f_1(t-\pi) = \cos(2t) - t^2$, i.e. $f_1(t) = \underbrace{\cos(2(t+\pi)) - (t+\pi)^2}_{\cos(2t+2\pi) = \cos(2t)}$

and $f_2(t-2\pi) = \cos(2t)$, i.e. $f_2(t) = \cos(2(t+2\pi)) = \cos(2t)$

Recall that $\mathcal{L}\{u_c(t) f(t-c)\}(s) = e^{-cs} \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s)$ for all s where $\mathcal{L}\{f\}(s)$ is defined

Hence:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{f\}(s) &= \mathcal{L}\{t^2\}(s) + \mathcal{L}\{u_\pi(t) f_1(t-\pi)\}(s) - \mathcal{L}\{u_{2\pi}(t) f_2(t-2\pi)\}(s) \\ &= \frac{2}{s^3} + e^{-\pi s} \mathcal{L}\{f_1\}(s) - e^{-2\pi s} \mathcal{L}\{f_2\}(s) \quad [if \ s > 0] \\ &= \frac{2}{s^3} + e^{-\pi s} \left[\mathcal{L}\{\cos(2t)\}(s) - \mathcal{L}\{\underbrace{(t+\pi)^2}_{t^2+2\pi t+\pi^2}\}(s) \right] - e^{-2\pi s} \mathcal{L}\{\cos(2t)\}(s) \\ &= \frac{2}{s^3} + \left(e^{-\pi s} - e^{-2\pi s} \right) \frac{s}{s^2+4} - e^{-\pi s} \left(\frac{2}{s^3} + \frac{2\pi}{s^2} + \frac{\pi^2}{s} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Elementary Laplace transforms.

	$f(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)\}$	$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}$	Notes
1.	1	$\frac{1}{s}, \quad s > 0$	Sec. 5.1; Ex. 4
2.	e^{at}	$\frac{1}{s-a}, \quad s > a$	Sec. 5.1; Ex. 5
3.	$t^n, \quad n = \text{positive integer}$	$\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}, \quad s > 0$	Sec. 5.2; Cor. 5.2.5
4.	$t^p, \quad p > -1$	$\frac{\Gamma(p+1)}{s^{p+1}}, \quad s > 0$	Sec. 5.1; Prob. 37
5.	$\sin at$	$\frac{a}{s^2 + a^2}, \quad s > 0$	Sec. 5.1; Ex. 7
6.	$\cos at$	$\frac{s}{s^2 + a^2}, \quad s > 0$	Sec. 5.1; Prob. 22
7.	$\sinh at$	$\frac{a}{s^2 - a^2}, \quad s > a $	Sec. 5.1; Prob. 19
8.	$\cosh at$	$\frac{s}{s^2 - a^2}, \quad s > a $	Sec. 5.1; Prob. 18
9.	$e^{at} \sin bt$	$\frac{b}{(s-a)^2 + b^2}, \quad s > a$	Sec. 5.1; Prob. 23
10.	$e^{at} \cos bt$	$\frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2 + b^2}, \quad s > a$	Sec. 5.1; Prob. 24
11.	$t^n e^{at}, \quad n = \text{positive integer}$	$\frac{n!}{(s-a)^{n+1}}, \quad s > a$	Sec. 5.2; Prob. 8
12.	$u_c(t)$	$\frac{e^{-cs}}{s}, \quad s > 0$	Sec. 5.5; Eq. (4)
13.	$u_c(t)f(t-c)$	$e^{-cs}F(s)$	Sec. 5.5; Eq. (6)
14.	$e^{ct}f(t)$	$F(s-c)$	Sec. 5.2; Thm. 5.2.1
15.	$\int_0^t f(t-\tau)g(\tau) d\tau$	$F(s)G(s)$	Sec. 5.6; Thm. 5.8.3
16.	$\delta(t-c)$	e^{-cs}	Sec. 5.7; Eq. (14)
17.	$f^{(n)}(t)$	$s^n F(s) - s^{n-1}f(0) - \dots - f^{(n-1)}(0)$	Sec. 5.2; Cor. 5.2.3
18.	$t^n f(t)$	$(-1)^n F^{(n)}(s)$	Sec. 5.2; Thm. 5.2.4