

Math 2250-1  
Tues 11/8

Session to go over last spring's  
midterm exam is  
today 4-5:30 pm  
WEB L102

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Complete pages 3-4 of Monday's notes.

then,

exercise 1 Use Laplace transform and partial fractions to solve

for  $x(t)$ :

$$\begin{cases} x''(t) + 4x(t) = 8te^{2t} \\ x(0) = 0 \\ x'(0) = 1 \end{cases}$$

use this example to make sure  
you understand partial fractions.  
we'll check our work on Maple

### Laplace transforms and partial fractions

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> with(inttrans);  
[addtable, fourier, fouriercos, fouriersin, hankel, hilbert, invfourier, invhilbert, invlaplace,  
 invmellin, laplace, mellin, savetable]  
> X := s -> 8 / ((s^2 + 4) * (s - 2)^2) + 1 / (s^2 + 4);  
X := s -> 8 / ((s^2 + 4) * (s - 2)^2) + 1 / (s^2 + 4)  
> invlaplace(X(s), s, t);  
1/2 cos(2 t) + 1/2 sin(2 t) + 1/2 e^{2 t} (2 t - 1)  
> convert(X(s), parfrac, s);  
1/2 s / (s^2 + 4) + 1 / ((s - 2)^2) - 1 / (2 (s - 2))
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notice how the Laplace transform table  
is constructed to make use of partial fraction  
decomposition terms.

exercise 2 Use the table to compute

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{3s-6}{s^2+2s+5} - \frac{7}{s^2+2s+1} + \frac{5}{(s^2+1)^2} + \frac{4s}{(s-2)^2} \right\} (t)$$

# Table of Laplace Transforms

This table summarizes the general properties of Laplace transforms and the Laplace transforms of particular functions derived in Chapter 10.

Function	Transform	Function	Transform
$f(t)$	$F(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f(t) dt$	$e^{at}$	$\frac{1}{s-a}$
$af(t) + bg(t)$	$aF(s) + bG(s)$	$t^n e^{at}$	$\frac{n!}{(s-a)^{n+1}}$
$f'(t)$	$sF(s) - f(0)$	$\cos kt$	$\frac{s}{s^2 + k^2}$
$f''(t)$	$s^2 F(s) - sf(0) - f'(0)$	$\sin kt$	$\frac{k}{s^2 + k^2}$
$f^{(n)}(t)$	$s^n F(s) - s^{n-1} f(0) - \dots - f^{(n-1)}(0)$	$\cosh kt$	$\frac{s}{s^2 - k^2}$
$\int_0^t f(\tau) d\tau$	$\frac{F(s)}{s}$	$\sinh kt$	$\frac{k}{s^2 - k^2}$
$e^{at} f(t)$	$F(s-a)$	$e^{at} \cos kt$	$\frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2 + k^2}$
	$e^{-as} F(s)$	$e^{at} \sin kt$	$\frac{k}{(s-a)^2 + k^2}$
	$F(s)G(s)$	$\frac{1}{2k^3}(\sin kt - kt \cos kt)$	$\frac{1}{(s^2 + k^2)^2}$
$tf(t)$	$-F'(s)$	$\frac{t}{2k} \sin kt$	$\frac{s}{(s^2 + k^2)^2}$
$t^n f(t)$	$(-1)^n F^{(n)}(s)$	$\frac{1}{2k}(\sin kt + kt \cos kt)$	$\frac{s^2}{(s^2 + k^2)^2}$
$\frac{f(t)}{t}$	$\int_s^{\infty} F(\sigma) d\sigma$		$\frac{e^{-as}}{s}$
$f(t)$ , period $p$	$\frac{1}{1-e^{-ps}} \int_0^p e^{-st} f(t) dt$		$e^{-as}$
1	$\frac{1}{s}$	$(-1)^n \lfloor t/a \rfloor$ (square wave)	$\frac{1}{s} \tanh \frac{as}{2}$
$t$	$\frac{1}{s^2}$	$\lfloor \frac{t}{a} \rfloor$ (staircase)	$\frac{e^{-as}}{s(1-e^{-as})}$
$t^n$	$\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}$		
	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{s}}$		
$t^a$	$\frac{\Gamma(a+1)}{s^{a+1}}$		