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## Topic: Laplace Transform

Laplace Transform: In order to transform a given function of time  $f(t)$  into its corresponding Laplace transform firstly multiply by  $f(t)$  by  $e^{-st}$ ,  $s$  being a complex number ( $s = \sigma + j\omega$ ). Integrate this product w.r.t. time with limits as zero and infinity. This integration results in Laplace transform of  $f(t)$ , which is denoted by  $F(s)$  or  $\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}$ . The mathematical expression for Laplace Transform is:

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = F(s)$$

$$t \geq 0$$

$$F(s) = \int_0^{\infty} f(t) \cdot e^{-st} \cdot dt$$

The term Laplace transform of " $f(t)$ " is used for the letter  $F(s)$ .

The time function  $f(t)$  is obtained back from the Laplace transform by a process called "Inverse Laplace transformation" and denoted by  $L^{-1}$  thus.

$$L^{-1}[L f(t)] = L^{-1}[F(s)] = f(t)$$

The time function  $f(t)$  and its Laplace transform  $F(s)$  are a transform pair.

example 1 (1) Laplace transform of  $e^{at}$ .

$$L e^{at} = \int_0^{\infty} e^{at} \cdot e^{-st} dt.$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} e^{(a-s)t} dt = \frac{1}{s-a}$$

$$L e^{at} = \frac{1}{(s-a)}$$

$f(t)$  $F(s) = \mathcal{L}(f(t))$  $s(t)$ 

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 $u(t)$  $\frac{1}{s}$  $u(t - T)$  $\frac{1}{s} e^{-sT}$  $t$  $\frac{1}{s^2}$  $\frac{t^2}{2}$  $\frac{1}{s^3}$  $t^n$  $\frac{\mathcal{L}n}{s^{n+1}}$  $e^{-at}$  $\frac{1}{s+a}$

8  $e^{at}$

$$\frac{1}{s-a}$$

9  $t e^{-at}$

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

10  $t e^{at}$

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

$\sin \omega t$

$$\frac{\omega}{s^2 + \omega^2}$$

$\cos \omega t$

$$\frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2}$$

$e^{-at} \sin \omega t$

$$\frac{\omega}{(s+a)^2 + \omega^2}$$

$\sinh at$

$$\frac{a}{s^2 - a^2}$$