

Name: _____

November 4th, 2015.
Math 2552; Sections L1 – L4.
Georgia Institute of Technology
Exam 2

I commit to uphold the ideals of honor and integrity by refusing to betray the trust bestowed upon me as a member of the Georgia Tech community. By signing my name below I pledge that I have neither given nor received help on this exam.

Pledged: _____

Problem	Possible Score	Earned Score
1	15	
2	18	
3	30	
4	25	
5	12	
Total	100	

Remember that you must **SHOW YOUR WORK** to receive credit!

Good luck!

Laplace transforms of some basic functions

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{1\} &= \frac{1}{s}; \quad s > 0 & \mathcal{L}\{\sin(kt)\} &= \frac{k}{s^2 + k^2}; \quad s > 0 & \mathcal{L}\{\cosh(kt)\} &= \frac{s}{s^2 - k^2}; \quad s > |k| \\ \mathcal{L}\{t^n\} &= \frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}; \quad s > 0 & \mathcal{L}\{\cos(kt)\} &= \frac{s}{s^2 + k^2}; \quad s > 0 & \mathcal{L}\{u_a(t)\} &= \frac{e^{-as}}{s}; \quad s > 0 \\ \mathcal{L}\{e^{kt}\} &= \frac{1}{s - k}; \quad s > k & \mathcal{L}\{\sinh(kt)\} &= \frac{k}{s^2 - k^2}; \quad s > |k| & \mathcal{L}\{\delta(t - t_0)\} &= e^{-st_0} \\ & & & & \mathcal{L}\{\delta(t)\} &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Inverse Laplace transforms of some basic functions

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s}\right\} &= 1 & \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2 + k^2}\right\} &= \frac{1}{k} \sin(kt) & \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s}{s^2 - k^2}\right\} &= \cosh(kt) \\ \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^n}\right\} &= \frac{1}{(n-1)!} t^{n-1} & \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{s}{s^2 + k^2}\right\} &= \cos(kt) & \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{e^{-as}}{s}\right\} &= u_a(t) \\ \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s - k}\right\} &= e^{kt} & \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s^2 - k^2}\right\} &= \frac{1}{k} \sinh(kt) & \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{e^{-st_0}\} &= \delta(t - t_0) \\ & & & & \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{1\} &= \delta(t) \end{aligned}$$

Properties of the Laplace and Inverse Laplace transform

Translation Theorem I:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{e^{kt} f(t)\} &= F(s - k) = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}|_{s \rightarrow s - k} \\ \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s - k)\} &= \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)|_{s \rightarrow s - k}\} = e^{kt} \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)\} = e^{kt} f(t) \end{aligned}$$

Translation Theorem II:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{f(t - a)u_a(t)\} &= e^{-as} F(s) = e^{-as} \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} \\ \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{e^{-as} F(s)\} &= f(t - a)u_a(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)\}|_{t \rightarrow t - a} u_a(t) \end{aligned}$$

Derivatives of Laplace Transforms:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{t^n f(t)\} &= (-1)^n \frac{d^n}{ds^n} F(s) \\ \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F^{(n)}(s)\} &= (-1)^n t^n f(t) \end{aligned}$$

Laplace Transform of Periodic Functions:

If $f(t)$ is piecewise continuous on $[0, \infty)$, of exponential order, and periodic with period T :

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = \frac{1}{1 - e^{-sT}} \int_0^T e^{-st} f(t) dt$$

Laplace Transforms of Derivatives:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{y'\} &= sY(s) - y(0) \\ \mathcal{L}\{y''\} &= s^2 Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0) \\ &\vdots \\ \mathcal{L}\{y^{(n)}(t)\} &= s^n Y(s) - s^{n-1} y(0) - s^{n-2} y'(0) - \dots - sy^{(n-2)}(0) - y^{(n-1)}(0) \end{aligned}$$

Convolution Theorem:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{f(t) \star g(t)\} &= F(s)G(s) = \mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} \mathcal{L}\{g(t)\} \\ \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)G(s)\} &= f(t) \star g(t) \end{aligned}$$

Dirac Delta Function:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\infty f(t) \delta(t - t_0) dt &= f(t_0) \\ (f \star \delta)(t) &= f(t) \end{aligned}$$

1. Consider the linear equation:

$$y^{(4)} - 7y'' - 18y = g(x).$$

The complementary solution is:

$$y_c = c_1 e^{3x} + c_2 e^{-3x} + c_3 \sin(\sqrt{2}x) + c_4 \cos(\sqrt{2}x).$$

For each of the functions $g(x)$ below, write down the correct guess for a particular solution y_p , if one were to use the method of Undetermined Coefficients to solve the equation:

a). $g(x) = x \sin(\sqrt{2}x)$.

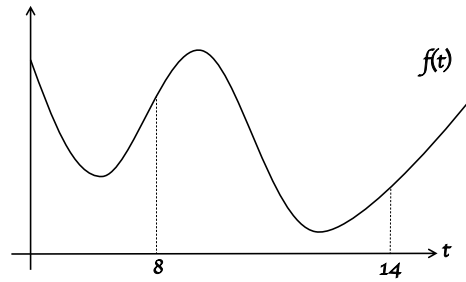
b). $g(x) = x^2 e^x$.

c). $g(x) = x^2 e^{3x}$.

d). $g(x) = e^{3x} \sin(\sqrt{2}x)$.

e). $g(x) = x + x e^{-3x}$.

2. Consider the function $f(t)$, for $t \in [0, \infty)$, graphed to the right. Match each of the following graphs (obtained by various translations and/or “turning off” of the graph of f) with the expressions below.



Place the number of the correct expression in the box under each graph.

1. $f(t)(1 - u_8(t))$

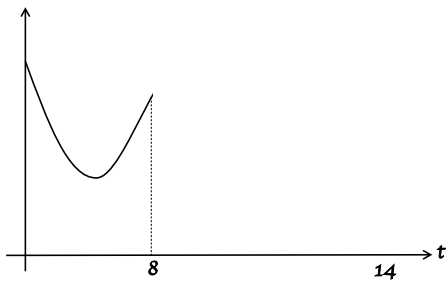
2. $f(t)(1 - u_8(t)) + f(t - 8)u_8(t)$

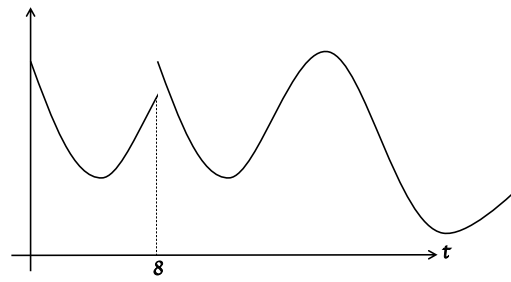
3. $f(t - 8)(u_8(t) - u_{14}(t))$

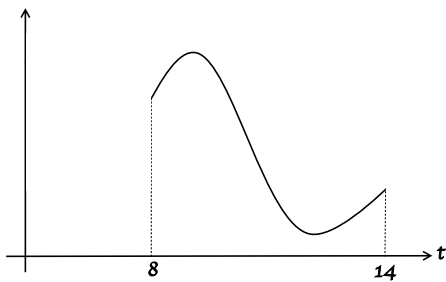
4. $f(t - 8)u_8(t)$

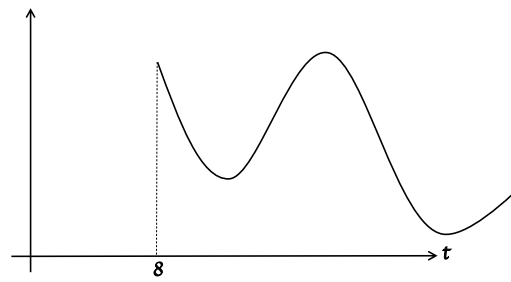
5. $f(t)(u_8(t) - u_{14}(t))$

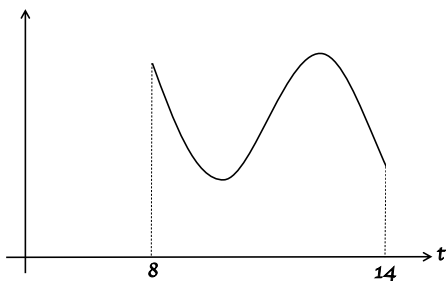
6. $f(t)u_8(t)$

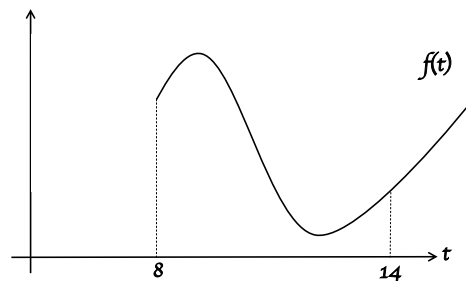












3. Compute the following:

a). $\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{s}{s^2 + 4s + 13} \right\}$

b). $\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{s - 3}{s^2 + 7} \right\}$

c). $\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{2s + 3}{s(s + 3)} \right\}$

d). $\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}$, where $f(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & 0 \leq t < 1 \\ t^2, & 1 \leq t < 2 \\ 0, & t \geq 2. \end{cases}$

e). $\mathcal{L}\{y(t)\}$, where $y(t)$ is the solution to the initial value problem:

$$y'' + 4y' + 6y = 1 + e^{-t}; \quad y(0) = y'(0) = 0.$$

4. Find the general solution to the differential equation:

$$y'' + 4y = \frac{1}{\cos(2x)}.$$

5. Find the Laplace transform of the periodic function $f(t)$, pictured below:

$f(t)$

