

One More Example

$$y'' + 9y = \cos 2t \quad y(0) = 0 \quad y'(0) = 0$$

Laplace Transform

$$s^2 Y + 9Y = \frac{s}{s^2 + 4}$$

$$(s^2 + 9)Y = \frac{s}{s^2 + 4}$$

$$Y = \frac{s}{(s^2 + 9)(s^2 + 4)}$$

Inverse Laplace Transform
Partial Fractions

$$\frac{s}{(s^2 + 9)(s^2 + 4)} = \frac{As + B}{s^2 + 9} + \frac{Cs + D}{s^2 + 4}$$

$$s = (As + B)(s^2 + 4) + (Cs + D)(s^2 + 9)$$

$$= As^3 + Bs^2 + 4As + 4B + Cs^3 + Ds^2 + 9Cs + 9D$$

$$s = (A + C)s^3 + (B + D)s^2 + (4A + 9C)s + (4B + 9D)$$

$$0s^3 + 0s^2 + 1s + 0 =$$

$$s = (A+C)s^3 + (B+D)s^2 + (4A+9C)s + (4B+9D)$$

$$A+C=0 \Rightarrow A=-C$$

$$B+D=0 \Rightarrow B=-D$$

$$4B+9D=0 \Rightarrow -4D+9D=0 \Rightarrow D=0 \Rightarrow B=0$$

$$4A+9C=1 \Rightarrow -4C+9C=1 \Rightarrow C=\frac{1}{5} \Rightarrow A=-\frac{1}{5}$$

$$Y(s) = -\frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+9} + \frac{1}{5} \frac{s}{s^2+4}$$

$$y(t) = -\frac{1}{5} \cos 3t + \frac{1}{5} \cos 2t$$

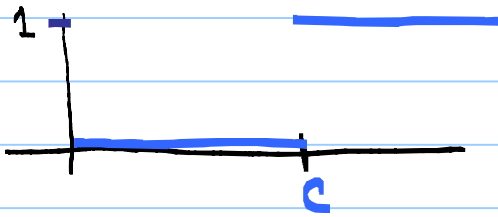
Alternatively

~~$$\begin{aligned} \frac{s}{(s^2+9)(s^2+4)} &= s \left(\frac{1}{(s^2+9)(s^2+4)} \right) = \\ &= s \left(\frac{A}{s^2+9} + \frac{C}{s^2+4} \right) \\ &= s \left(\frac{-1/5}{s^2+9} + \frac{1/5}{s^2+4} \right) \end{aligned}$$~~

↑ why

The Heaviside Function and Time Delay

$$u_c(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < c \\ 1 & t \geq c \end{cases}$$



Multiplying a function by $u_c(t)$ turns it on at time $t=c$. Multiplying by $(1-u_c(t))$ turns it off at $t=c$.

Example

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} t & 0 \leq t \leq 1 \\ e^{(t-1)} & 1 < t \end{cases}$$

f equals t until time 1, then it becomes e^{t-1}

$$f(t) = \underbrace{t \cdot (1 - u_1(t))}_{\text{turn off } t} + e^{(t-1)} \underbrace{u_1(t)}_{\text{turn on } e^{(t-1)}}$$

Example

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 6 & 0 \leq t \leq 1 \\ e^t & 1 < t \leq 2 \\ \frac{t-1}{2} & 2 < t \leq 3 \\ 4 & 3 < t \end{cases}$$

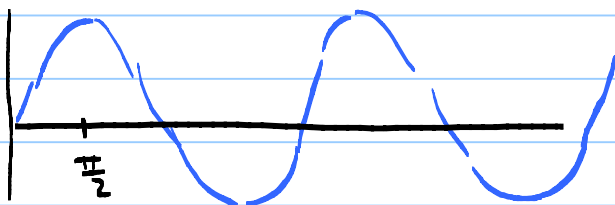
$$f(t) = 6(1 - u_1(t)) + e^t(u_1(t) - u_2(t)) + \left(\frac{t-1}{2}\right)(u_2(t) - u_3(t)) + 4u_3(t)$$

Turn on the 6 term Turn it off Turn on the e^t term Turn off the e^t term Turn on Turn off Turn on

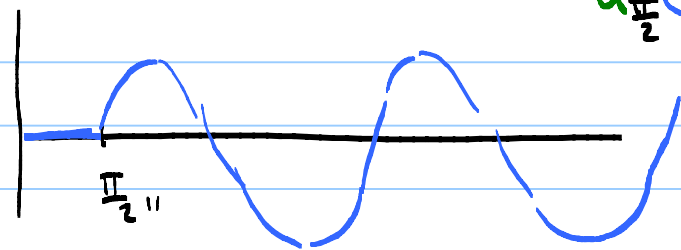
$$1 - u_1(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & t < 1 & \text{on} \\ 0 & t > 1 & \text{off} \end{cases}$$

$$(u_1(t) - u_2(t)) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 1 & \text{off} \\ 1 & 1 < t < 2 & \text{on} \\ 0 & 2 < t & \text{off} \end{cases}$$

Interpretation of u_c as a delay



$\sin t$



$u_{\frac{\pi}{2}}(t) \sin(t - \frac{\pi}{2}) =$ " $\sin t$ delayed by $\frac{\pi}{2}$ "

$$= \begin{cases} 0 & t < \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \sin(t - \frac{\pi}{2}) & \frac{\pi}{2} \leq t \end{cases}$$

Laplace Transform of u_c

$$\mathcal{L}\{u_c(t)y(t-c)\} = e^{-cs} Y(s) \quad \leftarrow \text{use this one for calculating inverse transform}$$

Alternatively,

$$\mathcal{L}\{u_c(t)y(t)\} = e^{-cs} \mathcal{L}\{y(t+c)\} \quad \leftarrow \text{use this one for calculating transform}$$

Calculating $\mathcal{L}\{u_c(t)\}$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{u_c(t)y(t)\} &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} u_c(t) y(t) dt \\ &= \int_c^{\infty} e^{-st} y(t) dt\end{aligned}$$

Change variables $t = \tau + c$

$$\begin{aligned}&= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-s(\tau+c)} y(\tau+c) d\tau \\ &= e^{-sc} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-s\tau} y(\tau+c) d\tau\end{aligned}$$

$$(1) \quad \mathcal{L}\{u_c(t)y(t)\} = e^{-sc} \mathcal{L}\{y(t+c)\}$$

To see the other formulation ($\mathcal{L}\{u_c(t)y(t-c)\} = e^{-cs} Y(s)$)

Define a new function $h(t) = y(t-c)$

then $y(t) = h(t+c)$ and (1) becomes

$$\mathcal{L}\{u_c(t)h(t+c)\} = e^{-sc} \mathcal{L}\{h(t)\} = e^{-cs} H(s)$$

Example 1

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & 0 \leq t \leq 1 \\ e^{t-1} & 1 < t \end{cases}$$

$$f(t) = u_1(t) e^{(t-1)}$$

$$F(s) = \mathcal{L}\{u_1(t) e^{(t-1)}\} = e^{-1s} \mathcal{L}\{e^t\} = e^{-s} \cdot \frac{1}{s-1}$$

Example 2

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & 0 \leq t \leq 2 \\ e^t & 2 < t \end{cases}$$

$$f(t) = u_2(t) e^t$$

$$\begin{aligned} F(s) &= \mathcal{L}\{u_2(t) e^t\} = e^{-2s} \mathcal{L}\{e^{t+2}\} \\ &= e^{-2s} \mathcal{L}\{e^2 \cdot e^t\} \\ &= e^{-2s} \cdot e^2 \mathcal{L}\{e^t\} \\ &= e^{-s+2} \cdot \frac{1}{s-1} \end{aligned}$$

Example 3

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} \sin t & 0 < t < \frac{\pi}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{\pi}{2} < t \end{cases}$$

$$f(t) = \sin t - u_{\frac{\pi}{2}}(t) \sin t$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{f\} = \mathcal{L}\{\sin t\} - \mathcal{L}\{u_{\frac{\pi}{2}}(t) \sin t\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s^2+1} - e^{-\frac{\pi}{2}s} \mathcal{L}\{\sin(t+\frac{\pi}{2})\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s^2+1} - e^{-\frac{\pi}{2}s} \mathcal{L}\{\cos t\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{s^2+1} - e^{-\frac{\pi}{2}s} \left(\frac{s}{s^2+1} \right)$$