

Continued from last time!

8. Initial and final values

- Given the pair: $f(t) \leftrightarrow F(s)$

we are interested in finding $f(0^+) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0^+} f(t)$ and $f(\infty) = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} f(t)$ once $F(s)$ is known.

- These limiting values provide useful checks for our calculations!

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{df}{dt}\right\} = sF(s) - f(0^-)$$

Skip this in class

$$= \int_{0^-}^{\infty} \frac{df}{dt} e^{-st} dt = \int_{0^-}^{0^+} \frac{df}{dt} e^{-st} dt + \int_{0^+}^{+\infty} \frac{df}{dt} e^{-st} dt$$

$$= \int_{0^-}^{0^+} df + \int_{0^+}^{+\infty} \frac{df}{dt} e^{-st} dt = f(0^+) - f(0^-) + \int_{0^+}^{+\infty} \frac{df}{dt} e^{-st} dt$$

$$\Rightarrow sF(s) = f(0^+) + \int_{0^+}^{\infty} \frac{df}{dt} e^{-st} dt \quad (1)$$

- Now, let $s \rightarrow \infty$ in (1) to get: $\lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} f(0^+) = f(0^+) = \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} sF(s) \quad (2)$

a result referred to as "initial value theorem"!

- Now, let $s \rightarrow 0$ to get:

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} [sF(s) - f(0^-)] &= \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \left[\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{df}{dt}\right\} \right] = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} \int_{0^-}^{+\infty} \frac{df}{dt} e^{-st} dt = \\ &= \int_{0^-}^{+\infty} \frac{df}{dt} e^{0t} dt = \int_{0^-}^{+\infty} df = f(+\infty) - f(0^-) \quad (3) \end{aligned}$$

- From (3), where $\lim_{s \rightarrow 0} f(0^-) = f(0^-)$, we get:

$$f(+\infty) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} s \cdot F(s) \quad (4) \text{ referred to as the } \underline{\text{"final value theorem"}}!$$

Example

Find Laplace transform of: $f(t) = (5 + 6te^{-3t} - 4e^{-t} \cos 2t) \cdot u(t)$
then use initial and final value theorems to check your results!

- Use Laplace transform pairs (last lecture + table from textbook) to find:

$$F(s) = \frac{5}{s} + \frac{6}{(s+3)^2} - \frac{4(s+1)}{(s+1)^2 + 2^2}$$

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by
linearity

$$\Rightarrow sF(s) = \frac{s^4 + 18s^3 + 82s^2 + 234s + 225}{s^4 + 8s^3 + 26s^2 + 48s + 45}$$

- check: $f(0^+) = 5 + 6 \times 0 - 4e^0 \cos 0 = 1$
 $\lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} sF(s) = \frac{s^4}{s^4} = 1 \Rightarrow f(0^+) = \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} sF(s) = 1$

- check: $f(\infty) = 5 + 0 + 0 = 5$
 $\lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sF(s) = \frac{225}{45} = 5 \Rightarrow f(\infty) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sF(s) = 5$

both checks are in agreement!

5 The inverse Laplace transform

- In circuit analysis, when applying Laplace transform, we may get rational functions of s, expressed as ratios of two polynomials:

$$F(s) = \frac{N(s)}{D(s)} = \frac{a_m s^m + a_{m-1} s^{m-1} + \dots + a_1 s + a_0}{b_n s^n + b_{n-1} s^{n-1} + \dots + b_1 s + b_0}$$

roots are zeros
roots are poles

- Coeff: $\left\{ \begin{matrix} a_i, i=1,2,\dots,m \\ b_k, k=1,2,\dots,n \end{matrix} \right\}$ are real.

- Roots of $D(s)=0$ are called the poles of $F(s)$
- Roots of $N(s)=0$ are called the zeros of $F(s)$

- If $b_k \geq 0, k=1,2,\dots,n$ then, the poles lie in the left half of the s plane or at most on the imaginary axis.
Obs: we'll revisit this later!

- $F(s)$ is said to be proper if $m < n$ and to be improper if $m \geq n$.

- Our goal in this section is to find:

$$f(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)\} = ?$$

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from eq. (5).

a) Real and distinct poles

- In this case denominator can be factored as:

$$F(s) = \frac{N(s)}{(s-p_1)(s-p_2)\dots(s-p_n)} \quad (6)$$

p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n are the poles.

- If $F(s)$ is proper, then it's possible to express it as a "partial fraction expansion"

$$F(s) = \frac{A_1}{s-p_1} + \frac{A_2}{s-p_2} + \dots + \frac{A_n}{s-p_n} \quad (7)$$

A_1, A_2, \dots, A_n are suitable coefficients called the residues of $F(s)$

- If we knew $A_k, k=1, \dots, n$ we could exploit linearity to write property:

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s-a}\right\} = e^{-at} \cdot u(t) \quad (8)$$

to get:

$$f(t) = (A_1 e^{p_1 t} + A_2 e^{p_2 t} + \dots + A_n e^{p_n t}) \cdot u(t) \quad (9)$$

where residues can be found as:

or: residue A_k of $F(s)$ at a simple pole real p_k is found by taking the product $(s-p_k)F(s)$ and evaluating it at $s=p_k$

$$A_k = (s-p_k) \cdot F(s) \Big|_{s=p_k} \quad (10)$$

Example Find $f(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)\}$, $F(s) = \frac{2s^2 + s - 3}{s(s^2 + 4s + 3)}$ (4)

$D(s) = s(s^2 + 4s + 3)$ has simple real roots, which are the poles:

$$P_1 = 0, P_2 = -1, P_3 = -3 \text{ i.e., } D(s) = s(s+1)(s+3)$$

$m=2, n=3 \Rightarrow F(s)$ is proper! so we can express it as:

$$F(s) = \frac{2s^2 + s - 3}{s(s+1)(s+3)} = \frac{A_1}{s} + \frac{A_2}{s+1} + \frac{A_3}{s+3}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} A_1 &= sF(s) \Big|_{s=0} = \frac{2s^2 + s - 3}{(s+1)(s+3)} \Big|_{s=0} = \frac{2 \cdot 0^2 + 0 - 3}{(0+1)(0+3)} = -1 \\ A_2 &= sF(s) \Big|_{s=-1} = \frac{2s^2 + s - 3}{s(s+3)} \Big|_{s=-1} = 1 \\ A_3 &= sF(s) \Big|_{s=-3} = \frac{2s^2 + s - 3}{s(s+1)} \Big|_{s=-3} = 2 \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow F(s) = -\frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{s+1} + \frac{2}{s+3}$$

Therefore: $f(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{-\frac{1}{s}\right\} + \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{1}{s+1}\right\} + \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{2}{s+3}\right\}$

$$f(t) = -1 \cdot u(t) + 1e^{-t} \cdot u(t) + 2e^{-3t} \cdot u(t)$$

$$\boxed{f(t) = (-1 + e^{-t} + 2e^{-3t}) \cdot u(t)}$$

- Final checks:

$$f(0^+) = 2 = \lim_{s \rightarrow \infty} sF(s) \quad !$$

$$f(\infty) = -1 = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sF(s) \quad !$$

} which further corroborates our results!