

Today

- Intro to Laplace transforms
- A bunch of examples
- Solving ODEs (that we already know how to solve) using Laplace transforms

Laplace transforms - intro (6.1)

- Motivation for Laplace transforms:

- We know how to solve $ay'' + by' + cy = g(t)$ when $g(t)$ is polynomial, exponential, trig.
- In applications, $g(t)$ is often “piece-wise continuous” meaning that it consists of a finite number of pieces with jump discontinuities in between. For example,

$$g(t) = \begin{cases} \sin(\omega t) & 0 < t < 10, \\ 0 & t \geq 10. \end{cases}$$

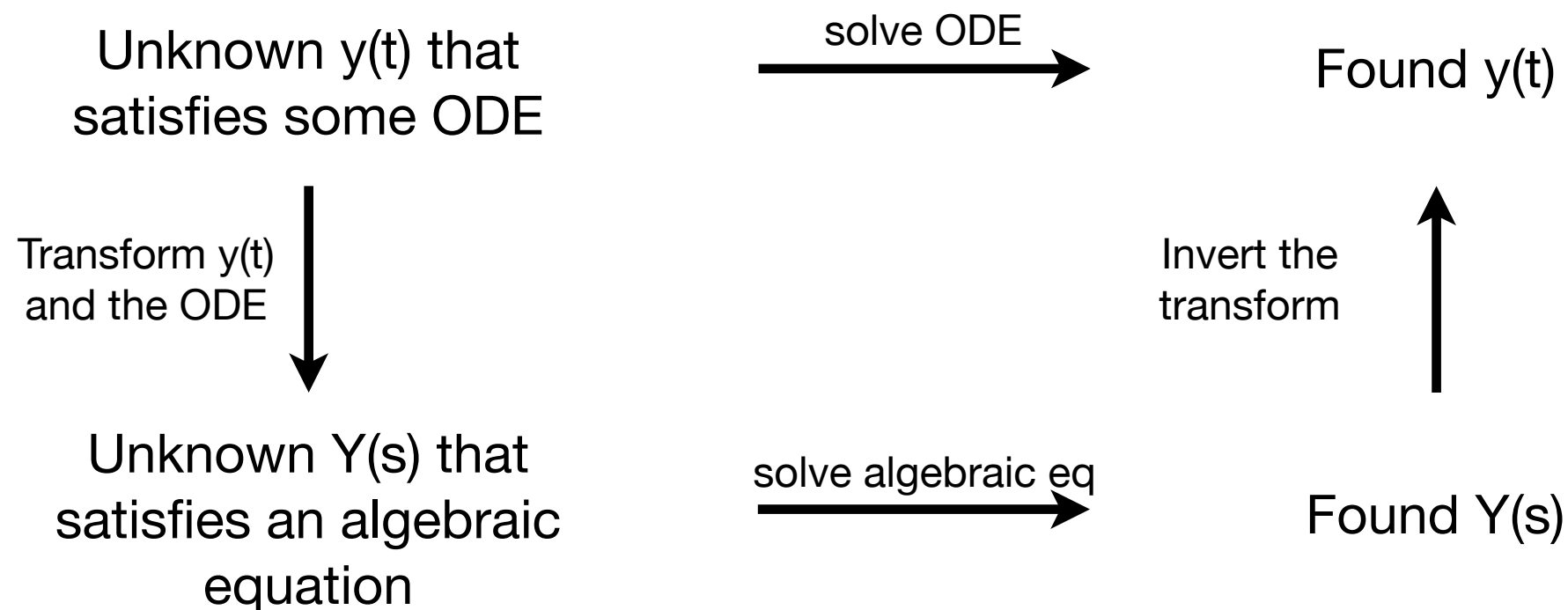
- These can be handled by previous techniques (modified) but it isn't pretty (solve from $t=0$ to $t=10$, use $y(10)$ as the IC for a new problem starting at $t=10$).

Include physics example
(LRC with on/off switch)

Laplace transforms - intro (6.1)

- Instead, we use Laplace transforms.

- Idea:



- Laplace transform of $y(t)$: $\mathcal{L}\{y(t)\} = Y(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} y(t) dt$

Laplace transforms - examples (6.1)

- What is the Laplace transform of $y(t) = 3$?

$$\mathcal{L}\{y(t)\} = Y(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} 3 \, dt$$

$$= -\frac{3}{s} e^{-st} \Big|_0^{\infty}$$

$$= \lim_{A \rightarrow \infty} -\frac{3}{s} e^{-st} \Big|_0^A$$

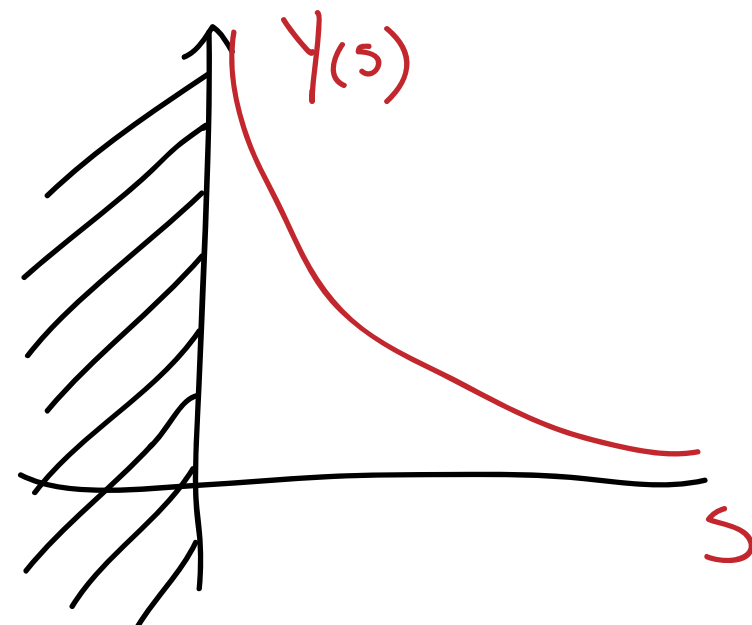
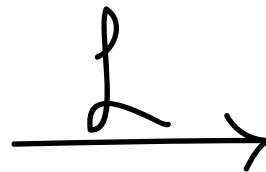
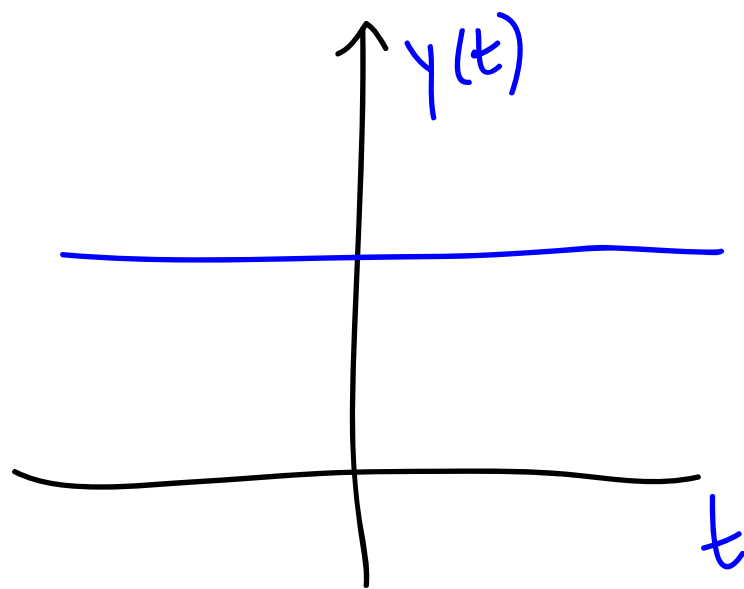
$$= -\frac{3}{s} \left(\lim_{A \rightarrow \infty} e^{-sA} - 1 \right)$$

$$= \frac{3}{s} \quad \text{provided } s > 0 \text{ and does not} \\ \text{exist otherwise.}$$

Laplace transforms - examples (6.1)

- What is the Laplace transform of $y(t) = 3$?

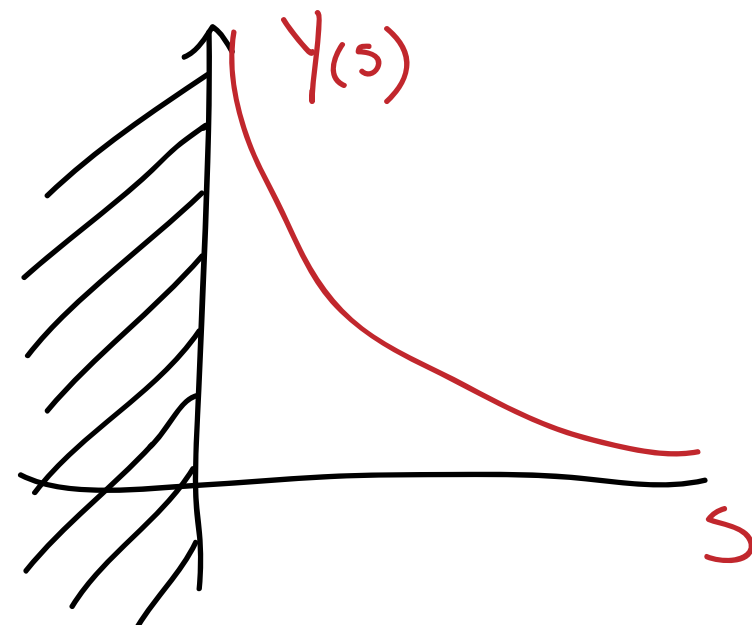
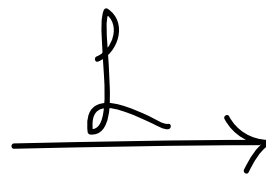
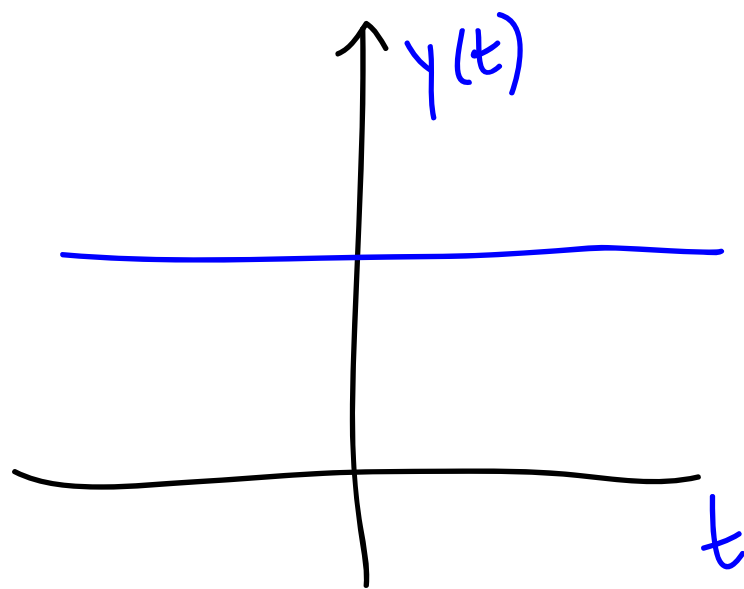
$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{y(t)\} = Y(s) &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} 3 \, dt \\ &= \frac{3}{s} \quad \text{provided } s > 0 \text{ and does not} \\ &\quad \text{exist otherwise.}\end{aligned}$$



Laplace transforms - examples (6.1)

- What is the Laplace transform of $y(t) = C$?

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{y(t)\} = Y(s) &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} C \, dt \\ &= \frac{C}{s} \quad \text{provided } s > 0 \text{ and does not} \\ &\quad \text{exist otherwise.}\end{aligned}$$



Laplace transforms - examples (6.1)

- What is the Laplace transform of $y(t) = e^{6t}$?

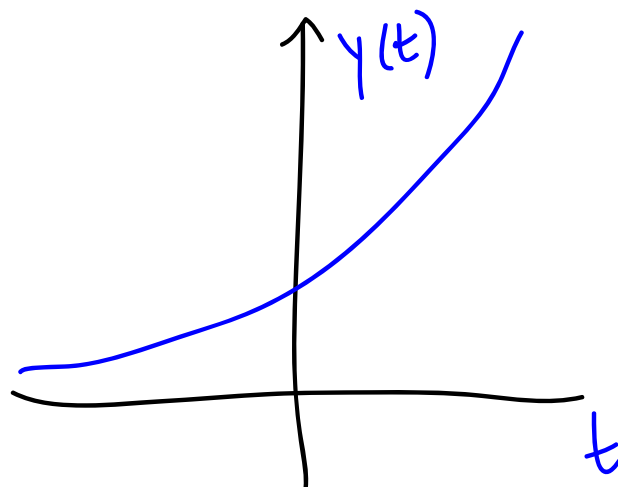
$$\mathcal{L}\{y(t)\} = Y(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} e^{6t} dt$$

(A) $Y(s) = \frac{1}{s-6} \quad s > 0$

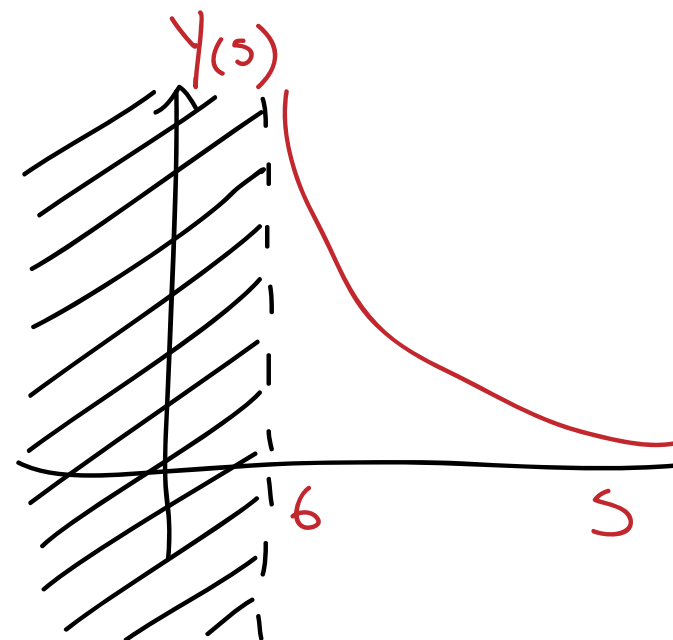
★(C) $Y(s) = \frac{1}{s-6} \quad s > 6$

(B) $Y(s) = \frac{1}{6-s} \quad s > 6$

(D) $Y(s) = \frac{1}{6-s} \quad s > 0$

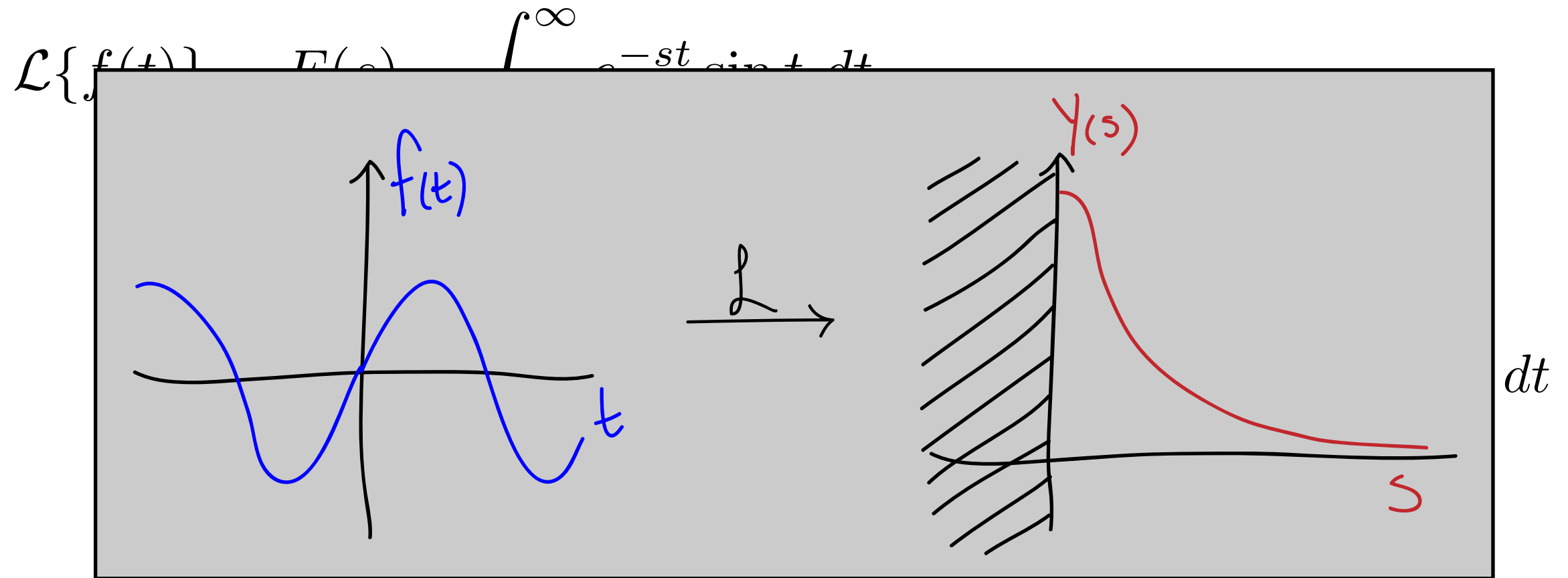


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Laplace transforms - examples (6.1)

- What is the Laplace transform of $f(t) = \sin t$?



$$= 1 - s \left(e^{-st} \sin t \Big|_0^{\infty} + s \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} \sin t \, dt \right)$$

$$= 1 - s^2 F(s) \quad s > 0$$

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{1 + s^2} \quad s > 0$$

$$(1 + s^2)F(s) = 1$$

Laplace transforms - examples (6.1)

- What is the Laplace transform of $h(t) = \sin(\omega t)$? ($\omega > 0$)

$$\mathcal{L}\{h(t)\} = H(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} \sin(\omega t) dt \quad \begin{array}{l} u = \omega t \\ du = \omega dt \end{array}$$

$$\star \text{ (A) } H(s) = \frac{\omega}{\omega^2 + s^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} H(s) &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-s \frac{u}{\omega}} \sin u \frac{du}{\omega} \\ &= \frac{1}{\omega} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\frac{s}{\omega} u} \sin u du \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{(B) } H(s) = \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{s}{\omega}\right)^2}$$

$$\text{(C) } H(s) = \frac{1}{\omega} \frac{1}{1 + s^2}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\omega} F\left(\frac{s}{\omega}\right)$$

$$\text{(D) } H(s) = \frac{1}{1 + s^2}$$

(E) Huh?

$$= \frac{1}{\omega} \frac{1}{1 + \left(\frac{s}{\omega}\right)^2} \quad s > 0$$

Laplace transforms - examples (6.1)

- What is the Laplace transform of $g(t) = \cos t$?
- Could calculate directly but note that $g(t) = f'(t)$ where $f(t) = \sin t$.

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

$$G(s) = \mathcal{L}\{\cos t\} = \frac{s}{1 + s^2}$$

$$G(s) = \mathcal{L}\{g(t)\} = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} g(t) dt$$

Add sketch.

$$\mathcal{L}\{f'(t)\} = sF(s) - f(0) - \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f(t) dt$$

$$= -f(0) + sF(s) \quad s > 0$$

$$= -0 + s \frac{1}{1 + s^2} = \frac{s}{1 + s^2}$$

Laplace transforms - examples (6.1)

- What is the Laplace transform of $h(t) = f(\omega t)$ if $\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = F(s)$?
- Recall two examples back:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{h(t)\} &= H(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f(\omega t) dt \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-s \frac{u}{\omega}} f(u) \frac{du}{\omega} \\ &= \frac{1}{\omega} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-\frac{s}{\omega} u} f(u) du \\ &= \frac{1}{\omega} F\left(\frac{s}{\omega}\right)\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}u &= \omega t \\ du &= \omega dt\end{aligned}$$

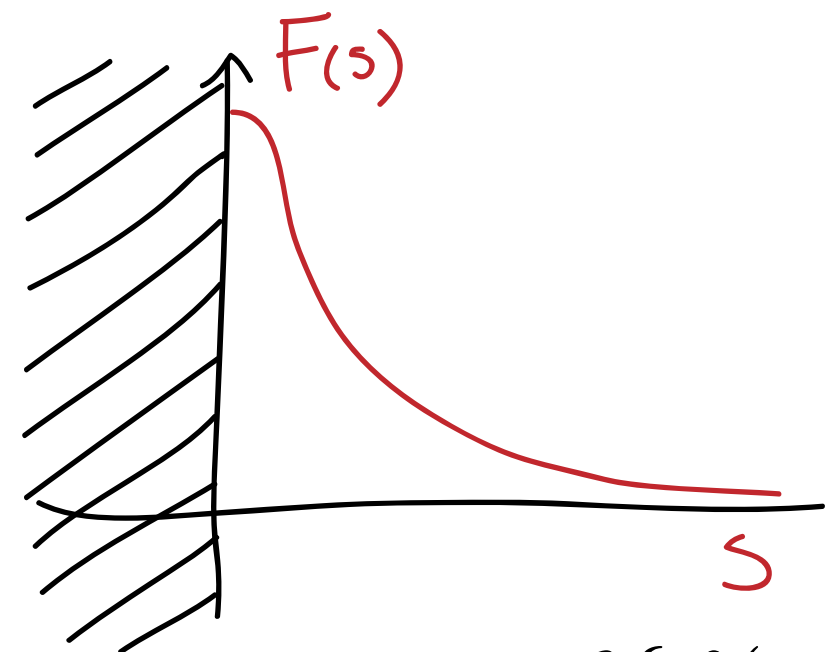
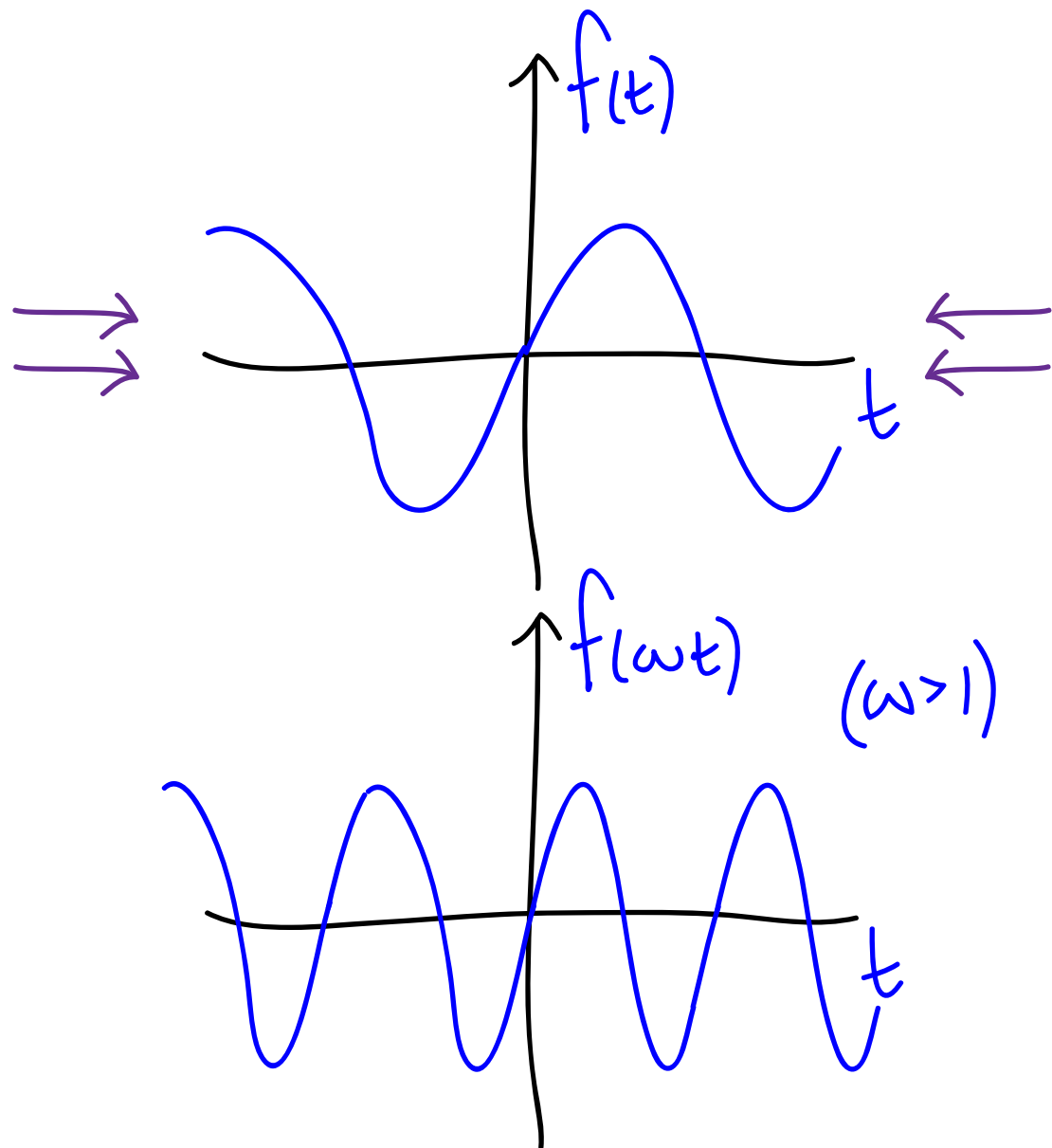
$$\mathcal{L}\{\cos t\} = \frac{s}{1 + s^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{\cos(\omega t)\} &= \frac{1}{\omega} \frac{\frac{s}{\omega}}{1 + \left(\frac{s}{\omega}\right)^2} \\ &= \frac{s}{\omega^2 + s^2}\end{aligned}$$

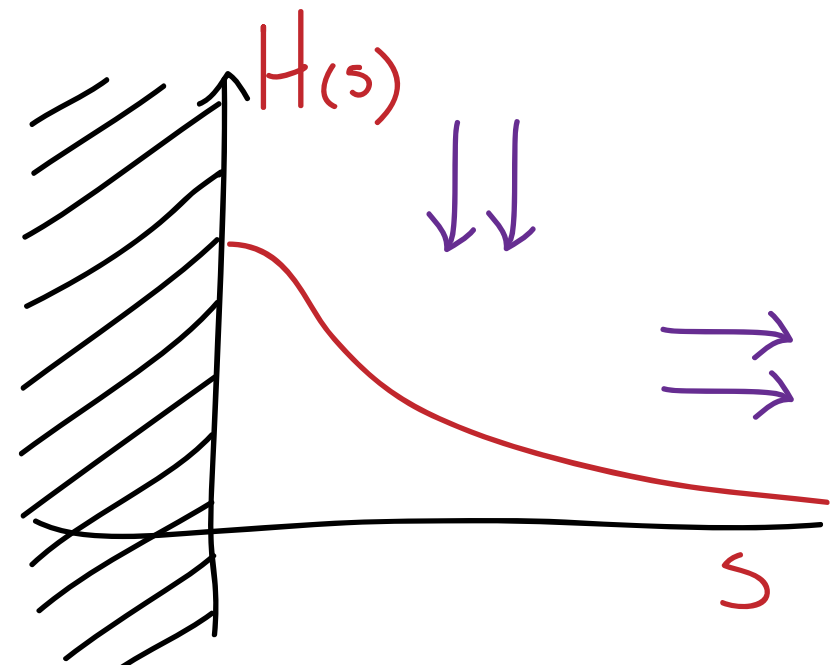
Laplace transforms - examples (6.1)

- What is the Laplace transform of $f(\omega t)$ if $\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = F(s)$?

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(\omega t)\} = \frac{1}{\omega} F\left(\frac{s}{\omega}\right)$$



Sketch graph of $\mathcal{L}\{f(\omega t)\}$.



Laplace transforms - examples (6.1)

- What is the Laplace transform of $k(t) = e^{at} f(t)$ if $\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = F(s)$?

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{k(t)\} &= K(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} e^{at} f(t) dt \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-(s-a)t} f(t) dt \\ &= F(s-a)\end{aligned}$$

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

$$\mathcal{L}\{e^{-3t} \cos t\} =$$

$$(A) \quad \frac{s}{1+(s+3)^2}$$

$$(B) \quad \frac{1}{1+(s+3)^2}$$

$$\star (C) \quad \frac{s+3}{s^2+6s+10}$$

$$(D) \quad \frac{1}{s^2+6s+10}$$

Solving IVPs using Laplace transforms (6.2)

- Solve the equation $ay'' + by' + cy = 0$ using Laplace transforms.

- Recall that $\mathcal{L}\{f'(t)\} = sF(s) - f(0)$.

- Applying this to f'' , we find that

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}\{f''(t)\} &= s\mathcal{L}\{f'(t)\} - f'(0) \\ &= s(sF(s) - f(0)) - f'(0) \\ &= s^2F(s) - sf(0) - f'(0)\end{aligned}$$

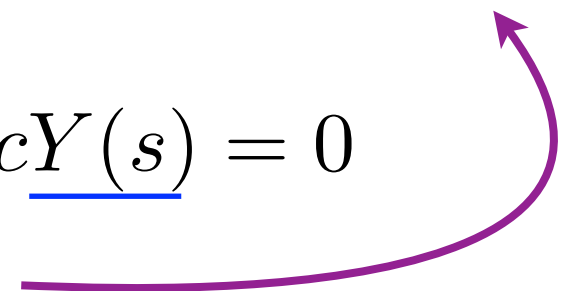
- Transforming both sides of the equation,

$$\mathcal{L}\{ay'' + by' + cy\} = 0 \qquad Y(s) = \frac{asy(0) + ay'(0) + by(0)}{as^2 + bs + c}$$

$$a\underline{\mathcal{L}\{y''\}} + b\underline{\mathcal{L}\{y'\}} + c\underline{\mathcal{L}\{y\}} = 0$$

$$a(\underline{s^2Y(s) - sy(0) - y'(0)}) + b(\underline{sY(s) - y(0)}) + c\underline{Y(s)} = 0$$

$$(as^2 + bs + c)Y(s) = asy(0) + ay'(0) + by(0)$$



Solving IVPs using Laplace transforms (6.2)

- Solve the equation $y'' + 4y = 0$ with initial conditions $y(0)=1$, $y'(0)=0$ using Laplace transforms.

$$\begin{aligned} Y(s) &= \frac{(as + b)y(0) + ay'(0)}{as^2 + bs + c} \\ &= \frac{s}{s^2 + 4} \end{aligned}$$

- To find $y(t)$, we have to invert the transform. What $y(t)$ would have $Y(s)$ as its transform?
- Recall that $\mathcal{L}\{\cos(\omega t)\} = \frac{s}{\omega^2 + s^2}$. So $y(t) = \cos(2t)$.

Solving IVPs using Laplace transforms (6.2)

- Solve the equation $y'' + 6y' + 13y = 0$ with initial conditions $y(0)=1$, $y'(0)=0$ using Laplace transforms.

$$Y(s) = \frac{(as + b)y(0) + ay'(0)}{as^2 + bs + c} \rightarrow Y(s) = \frac{s + 6}{s^2 + 6s + 13}$$

- To find $y(t)$, we have $\lambda = \frac{-6 \pm i\sqrt{52 - 36}}{2} = -3 \pm 2i$ would have $Y(s)$ as its transform?

$$\mathcal{L}\{\cos(\omega t)\} = \frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{\sin(\omega t)\} = \frac{\omega}{s^2 + \omega^2}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{e^{at} f(t)\} = F(s - a)$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{e^{-3t} \cos t\} = \frac{s + 3}{1 + (s + 3)^2}$$

$$Y(s) = \frac{s + 3}{s^2 + 6s + 9 + 4}$$

$$= \frac{s + 3}{(s + 3)^2 + 4} + \frac{3}{(s + 3)^2 + 4}$$

$$= \frac{s + 3}{(s + 3)^2 + 4} + \frac{3}{2} \frac{2}{(s + 3)^2 + 4}$$

$$y(t) = e^{-3t} \cos(2t) + \frac{3}{2} e^{-3t} \sin(2t)$$

Solving IVPs using Laplace transforms (6.2)

- What is the transformed equation for the IVP

$$y' + 6y = e^{2t}$$
$$y(0) = 2$$

(A) $Y'(s) + 6Y(s) = \frac{1}{s+2}$

(E) Explain, please.

$$\mathcal{L}\{y'(t)\} = sY(s) - 2$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{6y(t)\} = 6Y(s)$$

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

(C) $sY(s) - 2 + 6Y(s) = \frac{1}{s+2}$

$$\mathcal{L}\{e^{2t}\} = \int_0^{\infty} e^{(2-s)t} dt$$

★(D) $sY(s) - 2 + 6Y(s) = \frac{1}{s-2}$

$$\mathcal{L}\{f'(t)\} = sF(s) - f(0)$$

Solving IVPs using Laplace transforms (6.2)

- Find the solution to $y' + 6y = e^{2t}$, subject to IC $y(0) = 2$.

$$\begin{aligned} sY(s) - 2 + 6Y(s) &= \frac{1}{s-2} \\ Y(s) &= \left(2 + \frac{1}{s-2}\right) / (s+6) \\ &= \frac{2}{s+6} + \frac{1}{(s-2)(s+6)} \end{aligned}$$

$$y(t) = 2e^{-6t} + \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{(s-2)(s+6)}\right)$$

$$y(t) = 2e^{-6t} + \frac{1}{8}\mathcal{L}^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{s-2} - \frac{1}{s+6}\right)$$

$$y(t) = 2e^{-6t} + \frac{1}{8}e^{2t} - \frac{1}{8}e^{-6t}$$

$$\frac{1}{(s-2)(s+6)} = \frac{A}{s-2} + \frac{B}{s+6}$$

$$1 = A(s+6) + B(s-2)$$

$$(s=2) \quad 1 = 8A$$

$$(s=-6) \quad 1 = -8B$$

$$y(t) = \frac{15}{8}e^{-6t} + \frac{1}{8}e^{2t}$$

$$y_h(t) = Ce^{-6t}$$

$$C = \frac{15}{8} \quad y_p(t) = \frac{1}{8}e^{2t}$$