

Laplace transform tables extracted from the final exam.

Mth 256 Exam

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**Instructions:**  $\implies$

If you do not read the instructions, then how will you know what to do? Read them now.

Be sure to write your name in the space above.

- You may use one  $8.5 \times 11$  inch note sheet prepared in advance. You may write on both sides of your note sheet.
- Note sheets may not be shared. If you do not bring a note sheet you will have to do without any help notes.
- You may not use any books, notebooks, additional note sheets nor note cards.
- You are expected to have a simple scientific calculator available for use on this test. Calculators and other equipment may not be shared.
- For multiple-choice problems place the letter corresponding to your answer in the box provided.
- Note that  $\log(x)$  means the natural logarithm of  $x$ .

Don't get nervous! The Laplace transform tables below are much more extensive than what you will need on this test.

Some Laplace exchange formulæ

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

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

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

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{f(t)}{t}\right\}(s) = \int_s^\infty F(r) dr \quad \left(\text{if } \frac{f(t)}{t} \text{ integrable at } 0\right)$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{\int_0^t f(r) dr\right\}(s) = \frac{F(s)}{s}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{df}{dt}\right\}(s) = sF(s) - f(0) \quad (\text{if } f \text{ cont. on } [0, \infty))$$

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{\frac{d^2f}{dt^2}\right\}(s) = s^2F(s) - sf(0) - f'(0) \quad (\text{if } f, f' \text{ cont. on } [0, \infty))$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{u(t-a)f(t-a)\}(s) = e^{-as}F(s) \quad (u = \text{unit step or Heaviside function})$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{f(at)\}(s) = \frac{1}{a}F\left(\frac{s}{a}\right).$$

If  $\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\}(s) = F(s)$  and  $\mathcal{L}\{g(t)\}(s) = G(s)$  then  $\mathcal{L}\{(f*g)(t)\}(s) = F(s)G(s)$  where  $f*g$  is defined by  $(f*g)(t) = \int_0^t f(t-r)g(r) dr$ .

## Some Laplace transforms

$$\mathcal{L}\{1\}(s) = \frac{1}{s}$$

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

$$\mathcal{L}\{t^n\}(s) = \frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}$$

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

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

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

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

$$\mathcal{L}\{e^{at} \cosh \nu t\}(s) = \frac{s-a}{(s-a)^2 - \nu^2}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{e^{at} \sinh \nu t\}(s) = \frac{\nu}{(s-a)^2 - \nu^2}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{\sqrt{t}\}(s) = \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2s^{3/2}}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{t^n e^{at}\}(s) = \frac{n!}{(s-a)^{n+1}}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{u(t-a)\}(s) = \frac{e^{-as}}{s} \quad (u = \text{unit step or Heaviside function})$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{\delta(t-a)\}(s) = e^{-as} \quad (\delta = \text{Dirac delta})$$

If  $f$  is periodic with period  $T > 0$  then  $\mathcal{L}\{f(t)\} = \frac{\int_0^T e^{-st} f(t) dt}{1 - e^{-sT}}$ .

$$\mathcal{L}\left\{1 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^k u(t-k)\right\}(s) = \frac{1}{s(1 + e^{-s})}$$

$$\mathcal{L}\{|\sin(t)|\}(s) = \frac{\coth\left(\frac{\pi s}{2}\right)}{1 + s^2}$$