

Examples of Laplace Transform - Answers are provided at the end.

1. Find the integrals $\int_0^\infty 1 \times e^{-t} dt$, $\int_0^\infty 1 \times e^{-2t} dt$ and $\int_0^\infty 1 \times e^{-5t} dt$. Show that they all satisfy $\int_0^\infty 1 \times e^{-st} dt = \frac{1}{s}$,

2. By direct integration, find the Laplace Transforms of

- (a) 1
- (b) $5t$
- (c) e^{-6t}
- (d) $\sin t$

3. Using tables, find the Laplace Transforms of

- (a) $t^2 + 1$
- (b) $\cos 4t$
- (c) $\sinh 3t$
- (d) $7e^t - 5t^2$
- (e) $9e^{5t} + 5 \sin 3t$
- (f) $5e^{5t} \cos 6t$
- (g) $7 \sinh t - 3 \cosh t$
- (h) te^t

4. Using tables, find inverse Laplace Transforms of

- (a) $\frac{1}{s^6}$
- (b) $\frac{s+1}{s^2+1}$
- (c) $\frac{1}{s-3}$
- (d) $\frac{4}{s^2} - \frac{8}{s^2+4}$

5. By means of Partial Fractions, find the inverse Laplace Transforms of

- (a) $\frac{3s-1}{s^2-s}$
- (b) $\frac{6s^2+7s+6}{s^2(s+2)}$

$$(c) \frac{1+s+s^2}{s(s^2+1)}$$

$$(d) \frac{8s^2+s+18}{(s+1)(s^2+4)}$$

$$(e) \frac{s^2+5s+5}{s^3+4s^2+5s}$$

$$(f) \frac{7s^2+37s+70}{(s+1)(s^2+6s+13)}$$

6. Find the Inverse Laplace Transform of

$$\bar{f}(s) = \frac{5s^6 + 45s^5 + 139s^4 + 195s^3 + 282s^2 + 96s + 80}{s^2(s+1)(s^2+1)(s^2+4s+20)}$$

Hint, $\bar{f}(s)$ may be written as

$$\bar{f}(s) = \frac{A}{s} + \frac{B}{s^2} + \frac{C}{s+1} + \frac{Ds+E}{s^2+1} + \frac{Fs+G}{s^2+4s+20}$$

where $D = -1$, $E = 3$, $F = 1$ and $G = 22$.

Answers

1. $1, \frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{5}$.

2. $1/s ; 5/s^2 ; 1/(s+6) ; 1/(s^2+1)$

3. $2/s^3 + 1/s ; s/(16+s^2) ; 3/(s^2-9) ; 7/(s-1) - 10/s^3 ; 9/(s-5) + 15/(s^2+9) ; (5s-25)/(s^2+10s+61), (7-3s)/(s^2-1) ; 1/(s-1)^2$

4. $t^5/120 ; \sin t + \cos t ; e^{3t} ; 4t - 4 \sin 2t$

5. $1 + 2e^t ; 2 + 3t + 4e^{-2t} ; 1 + \sin t ; 5e^{-t} + 3 \cos 2t - \sin 2t ; 1 + e^{-2t} \sin t ; 5e^{-t} + 2e^{-3t} \cos 2t - \frac{1}{2}e^{-3t} \sin 2t$

6. $4t + 5e^{-t} + 3 \sin t - \cos t + e^{-2t} (\cos 4t + 5 \sin 2t)$