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# Math Background - from Spanne's 'blixkurs'

- $\int_C f(z)dz$ ,  $C : \{z(t), t \in [a, b]\}$ ,  $\int_a^b f(z) \frac{dz}{dt} dt$ ,
- **important example**:  $f(z) = \frac{1}{z-p}$ , with  $C : \{z(t) = p + re^{it}, t \in [0, 2\pi]\}$
- $f(z)$  analytic, closed curve, Cauchy's integral theorem:  
different paths same integral, **deformation of integration path**
- $\int_C \frac{f(z)}{z-p} dz = f(p)2\pi i$ , **Cauchy's integral formula**
- $\{p_k\}_1^n$  poles to  $f(z)$  inside C, then  $\int_C = \int_{C_1} + \dots + \int_{C_n}$ ,  
 $\text{Res}_{z=p_k} f(z) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{C_k} f(z)dz$ , **residue calculus**

# Laplace transform

- Double vs single sided Laplace
- Strip of definition. Different for different signals
- Transfer functions. How do we handle different strips of definition?
- Use one sided transforms + analytic continuation
- Makes it possible to also analyse unstable causal systems

# Laplace transform - definition - convergence

*Double-sided:* Consider time functions  $f(t)$ ,  $-\infty < t < \infty$

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

Converges in strip  $\Omega : \alpha < \operatorname{Re} s < \beta$ ,  $F(s)$  analytic in  $\Omega$ .

$e^{-\alpha t} f(t) \rightarrow 0$ ,  $t \rightarrow \infty$ , och  $e^{-\beta t} f(t) \rightarrow 0$ ,  $t \rightarrow -\infty$ .

Ex  $\alpha < 0$  and  $\beta > 0$  requires exponential convergence for both  $t \rightarrow \infty$  and  $t \rightarrow -\infty$ .

*Single-sided:* Consider  $f(t)$ ,  $0 \leq t < \infty$

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

Converges in half plane  $\Omega : \alpha < \operatorname{Re} s$ ,  $F(s)$  analytic in  $\Omega$ .

$e^{-\alpha t} f(t) \rightarrow 0$ ,  $t \rightarrow \infty$ , note  $\alpha > 0$  allows  $f(t) \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $t \rightarrow \infty$ .

# Laplace transform - example

$$f(t) = e^{2t}, t \geq 0, \quad F = \mathcal{L}_I\{f\}, \quad F(s) = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_0^T e^{2t} e^{-st} dt$$

$$F(s) = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \left[ \frac{1}{2-s} e^{(2-s)t} \right]_0^T = \frac{1}{2-s} \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \left\{ e^{(2-s)T} - 1 \right\}$$

$$\lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} e^{(2-s)T} = 0, \quad \operatorname{Re} s > 2$$

So

$$F(s) = \frac{1}{s-2}, \quad \operatorname{Re} s > 2$$

Extend domain of definition with analytic continuation to  $\mathbb{C} - \{s = 2\}$ , only possible such function is  $F(s) = \frac{1}{s-2}$

Nice video about analytic continuation:

[www.youtube.com/watch?v=sD0NjbwqlYw&t=3s](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sD0NjbwqlYw&t=3s)

# Transfer functions for causal systems

Weight function

$$y(t) = \int_0^t h(t - \tau)u(\tau)d\tau = \int_0^t h(\tau)u(t - \tau)d\tau$$

$$h(\tau), \quad 0 \leq \tau < \infty$$

$$G(s) = (\mathcal{L}_I h)(s)$$

$$Y(s) = G(s)U(s)$$

# Laplace transform relations

$$\mathcal{L}_I(f') = sF(s) - f(0)$$

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_I\left(\frac{df}{dt}\right) &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} \frac{df}{dt} dt \quad (*) \\ &= s \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} f(t) dt + \left[ e^{-st} f(t) \right]_{t=0}^{\infty} = \\ &= sF(s) - f(0)\end{aligned}$$

(If both integrals converge and if  $e^{-st} f(t) \rightarrow 0$  as  $t \rightarrow \infty$ ).



# Quiz

What is  $\mathcal{L}_I(f'')$ ?

- a  $s^2 F(s) - f(0)$
- b  $s^2 F(s) - f'(0)$
- c  $s^2 F(s) - sf(0) - f'(0)$
- d  $s^2 F(s) - sf'(0) - f(0)$

# Final Value Theorem - sketch

When  $s \rightarrow 0$  in (\*) we get

$$\int_0^{\infty} \frac{df}{dt} dt = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sF(s) - f(0)$$

If the limit value  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} f(t)$  exists, then this can be written

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} f(t) - f(0) = \lim_{s \rightarrow 0} sF(s) - f(0)$$

which is the final value theorem

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# Initial and Final-value theorems - rational $F$

**Initial Value Theorem** Assume the Laplace transform  $F(s)$  is rational and strictly proper. Then

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow +0} f(t) = \lim_{s \rightarrow +\infty} sF(s)$$

**Final Value Theorem.** Assume that  $F(s)$  is rational and all poles to  $sF(s)$  have negative real part, then

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow +\infty} f(t) = \lim_{s \rightarrow +0} sF(s)$$

Sketch for rational  $F(s)$ : The theorem is true if  $F(s) = (s - p)^k$  (check). Write  $F$  as a sum of such terms.

# Proof slightly more general final value theorem

$$\text{Om } \frac{f(t)}{e^{at} t^k} \rightarrow C \in \mathbb{R} \text{ då } t \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\text{så är } g(t) := \frac{f(t)}{e^{at} t^k} \text{ begränsad för stort } t$$

$$F(s) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} e^{at} t^k g(t) dt = \left[ \begin{array}{l} x = (s-a)t \\ s > a \\ s \text{ reell} \end{array} \right]$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} \frac{x^k}{(s-a)^k} g\left(\frac{x}{s-a}\right) \frac{dx}{s-a}$$

$$\lim_{\substack{s \rightarrow a^+ \\ s > a}} (s-a)^{k+1} F(s) = \lim_{s \rightarrow a^+} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} x^k g\left(\frac{x}{s-a}\right) dx$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} g(t) \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} x^k dx$$

$$= \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} \frac{f(t)}{e^{at} t^k} \Gamma(k+1) \quad \text{Kraav: } k+1 > 0$$

# Transients and initial conditions

$$\begin{aligned}\dot{x} &= Ax + Bu, & x(0) &= x_0 \\ y &= Cx + Du\end{aligned}$$

Laplace transform gives

$$sX(s) - x_0 = AX(s) + BU(s)$$

$$X(s) = (sI - A)^{-1}(BU(s) + x_0)$$

$$Y = \underbrace{[C(sI - A)^{-1}B + D]}_{G(s)} U(s) + C(sI - A)^{-1}x_0$$

## Example: Sinusoidal input signal

$$\dot{x} = -x + u \quad x(0) = x_0 \quad u(t) = \sin t$$

gives after Laplace transform

$$sX(s) - x(0) = -X(s) + U(s), \quad U(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + 1}$$

Solving for  $X$  gives

$$\begin{aligned} X(s) &= \frac{1}{s+1}(U(s) + x_0) = \frac{1}{s+1} \left( \frac{1}{s^2+1} + x_0 \right) \\ &= \frac{0.5 - 0.5s}{s^2+1} + \frac{0.5 + x_0}{s+1} \end{aligned}$$

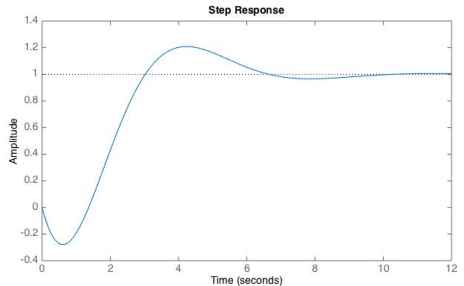
Invers transformation (table) gives

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{2} \sin t - \frac{1}{2} \cos t + \left(x_0 + \frac{1}{2}\right)e^{-t}$$



# Laplace transform in Matlab (or Maple)

```
>> s=tf('s')
>> G = (1-s)/(s^2+s+1)
G =
    -s + 1
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    s^2 + s + 1
>> step(G)
```



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```
>> clear s
>> syms s t x0

>> ilaplace((1-s)/(s^2+s+1))
ans =
-exp(-t/2)*(cos((3^(1/2)*t)/2) - 3^(1/2)*sin((3^(1/2)*t)/2))

>> ilaplace((0.5-0.5*s)/(s^2+1) + (0.5+x0)/(s+1))
ans =
sin(t)/2 - cos(t)/2 + exp(-t)*(x0 + 1/2)

>> latex(ans)
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$$\frac{\sin(t)}{2} - \frac{\cos(t)}{2} + e^{-t} \left( x_0 + \frac{1}{2} \right)$$

# A sliding block - where will it stop?

A block is sliding according to

$$\ddot{y}(t) + c\dot{y}(t) = 0 \quad (1)$$

with start in position  $y(0) = a$  and speed  $\dot{y}(0) = b$ . Determine  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} y(t)$ .

Laplace transform of (1) gives

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# Roots and stability

Want to solve the differential equation

$$y^n + a_1 y^{n-1} + \dots + a_{n-1} y' + a_n y = 0$$

Characteristic polynomial

$$a(s) = s^n + a_1 s^{n-1} + \dots + a_{n-1} s + a_n = 0$$

If  $a(\alpha) = 0$  then  $y(t) = Ce^{\alpha t}$  is a solution to the differential equation

The general solution is

$$y(t) = \sum_k C_k(t) e^{\alpha_k t}$$

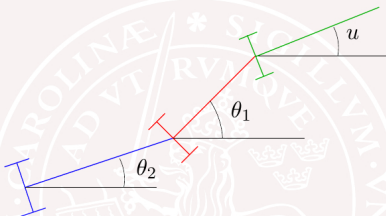
where  $C_k(t)$  is a polynomial of degree  $m - 1$  if  $\alpha_k$  is a root of mult.  $m$

$y(t) \rightarrow 0$  if all roots are in the open left half plane

# Eigenvalues - stability

$$G(s) = C(sI - A)^{-1}B = \frac{1}{\det(sI - A)} C \operatorname{adj}(sI - A) B$$

Eigenvalues:  $\det(sI - A) = 0$ .



$$\begin{bmatrix} \dot{\theta}_1 \\ \dot{\theta}_2 \end{bmatrix} = v \begin{bmatrix} -2 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \theta_1 \\ \theta_2 \end{bmatrix} + v \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} u$$

How do the eigenvalues depend on speed  $v$ ?

# Frequency analysis

- Frequency curves

$$u(t) = \sin \omega t, y(t) = A(\omega) \sin(\omega t + \varphi(\omega))$$

$$A(\omega) = |G(i\omega)|, \varphi(\omega) = \arg G(i\omega)$$

- Representation of  $G(s)$  and  $G(i\omega)$
  - Nyquist diagram - complex number  $G(i\omega)$
  - Bode diagram –  $|G(i\omega)|$  and  $\arg G(i\omega)$
- $$G = G_1 G_2 G_3 G_4 \dots$$

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