

FORMULA SHEET FOR THE FINAL EXAM, MATH 421

Laplace Transform

Function	Laplace transform
$f(t)$	$\mathcal{L}(f(t)) = F(s) = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} f(t) dt$
$af(t) + bg(t)$	$aF(s) + bG(s)$
t^n for a nonnegative integer n	$\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}$
e^{at}	$\frac{1}{s - a}$
$\sin(kt)$	$\frac{k}{s^2 + k^2}$
$\cos(kt)$	$\frac{s}{s^2 + k^2}$
$e^{at} f(t)$	$F(s - a)$
$f(t - a)\mathcal{U}(t - a)$	$e^{-as} F(s)$
$g(t)\mathcal{U}(t - a)$	$e^{-as} \mathcal{L}(g(t + a))$
$f'(t)$	$sF(s) - f(0)$
$f''(t)$	$s^2 F(s) - sf(0) - f'(0)$
$f^{(n)}(t)$	$s^n F(s) - s^{n-1} f(0) - \cdots - f^{(n-1)}(0)$
$\int_0^t f(w) dw$	$\frac{F(s)}{s}$
$(f * g)(t) = \int_0^t f(t - \tau)g(\tau)d\tau$	$F(s)G(s)$
$\delta(t - a)$	e^{-as}
$t^n f(t)$	$(-1)^n \frac{d^n}{ds^n} F(s)$
$f(t + T) = f(t)$ (periodic)	$\frac{1}{1 - e^{-sT}} \int_0^T e^{-st} f(t) dt$

Trigonometric Formulas

$$\begin{aligned}\sin(A + B) &= \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B \\ \cos(A + B) &= \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B\end{aligned}$$

Fourier Series

For $f(x)$ defined on $[-L, L]$, the Fourier series of $f(x)$ is

$$\frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) + b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right).$$

Fourier Coefficients

$$\begin{aligned}a_n &= \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx, \\ b_n &= \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx.\end{aligned}$$

Orthogonality

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{-L}^L \sin\left(\frac{m\pi x}{L}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx &= \begin{cases} 0 & m \neq n, \\ L & m = n, \end{cases} \\ \int_{-L}^L \cos\left(\frac{m\pi x}{L}\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx &= \begin{cases} 0 & m \neq n, \\ L & m = n \neq 0, \\ 2L & m = n = 0, \end{cases} \\ \int_{-L}^L \cos\left(\frac{m\pi x}{L}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx &= 0.\end{aligned}$$