



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

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

$$\mathcal{L}f(s) \cdot \mathcal{L}g(s) = \mathcal{L}(f * g)(s)$$

Similar to Fourier Transform: convolution in time domain

is multiplication in frequency domain (BZ 861)

• Analogy

$$F(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n \cdot x^n$$

$$G(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n \cdot x^n$$

$$F(x) \cdot G(x) = \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n \right) \left(\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} b_n x^n \right) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n x^n$$

$$c_n = \sum_{k=0}^n a_k \cdot b_{n-k} = \sum_{k=0}^n a(k) \cdot b(n-k)$$

$$\rightarrow (f * g)(t) = \int_0^t f(u) g(t-u) du$$

$$f * g = g * f$$

eg. $t^2 * t$

$$\int_0^t u^2 \cdot (t-u) du$$

$$= \left. \frac{u^3}{3} t \right|_0^t - \left. \frac{u^4}{4} \right|_0^t = \frac{t^4}{12}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} t^2 & * & t \\ \downarrow \mathcal{L} & & \downarrow \mathcal{L} \\ \frac{2!}{s^3} & \times & \frac{1!}{s^2} = \frac{2!}{s^5} \\ & & \uparrow \mathcal{L}^{-1} \\ & & \frac{t^4}{12} \end{array}$$

eg. $f * 1$

$$\int_0^t f(u) \cdot 1 dt = \int_0^t f(u) du$$

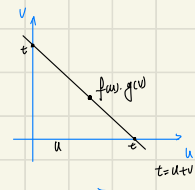
• Proof

$$\mathcal{L}f(s) \cdot \mathcal{L}g(s) = \int_0^{\infty} f(u) \cdot e^{-su} du \cdot \int_0^{\infty} g(v) \cdot e^{-sv} dv$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} \int_0^{\infty} f(u) \cdot g(v) \cdot e^{-s(u+v)} du dv$$

$$\stackrel{t=u+v}{=} \int_0^{\infty} \int_0^t f(u) g(t-u) e^{-st} du dt$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} \underbrace{\int_0^t f(u) g(t-u) du}_{(f * g)(t)} dt$$



$$\begin{array}{l} u = u \\ t = u + v \end{array}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} u \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u \\ t \\ v \end{bmatrix}$$

$$du dv = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} \cdot du dt = du dt$$

eg. Radioactive waste is dumped with rate $f(t)$

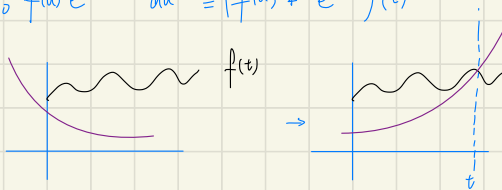
Radio decay: $A_t = A_0 e^{-kt}$

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{-----} \\ | \qquad | \\ u_i \quad u_{i+1} \end{array}$$

dumped $[u_i, u_{i+1}] \approx f(u_i) \cdot \Delta u$

By time t , the material dumped in $[u_i, u_{i+1}]$ $f(u_i) \cdot \Delta u \cdot e^{-k(t-u_i)}$

$$\int_0^t f(u) e^{-k(t-u)} du = (f * e^{-kt})(t)$$



when there's no decay $\int_0^t f(u) \cdot 1 dt = (f * 1)(t)$