

# Laplace Transform of Diff EQs

$N^{\text{th}}$  order circuit with sinusoidal input described by ( $M \leq N$  for causality)

$$b_N \frac{d^N}{dt^N} v_o(t) + \dots + b_1 \frac{d}{dt} v_o(t) + b_0 v_o(t) = a_M \frac{d^M}{dt^M} v_i(t) + \dots + a_1 \frac{d}{dt} v_i(t) + a_0 v_i(t)$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^N b_i \frac{d^i}{dt^i} v_o(t) = \sum_{i=0}^M a_i \frac{d^i}{dt^i} v_i(t)$$

Then the Laplace transform of the circuit, neglecting initial conditions, is

$$\mathcal{L} \left\{ \sum_{i=0}^N b_i \frac{d^i}{dt^i} v_o(t) \right\} = \mathcal{L} \left\{ \sum_{i=0}^M a_i \frac{d^i}{dt^i} v_i(t) \right\}$$
$$\sum_{i=0}^N b_i s^i V_o(s) = \sum_{i=0}^M a_i s^i V_i(s)$$

Initial conditions  
if we replace  $s \rightarrow j\omega$   
in  $H(s)$   
we get  $H(j\omega)$ , the  
frequency response

Rearranging:

$$\frac{V_o(s)}{V_i(s)} = \overset{\text{Transfer function}}{H(s)} = \frac{\sum_{i=0}^M a_i s^i}{\sum_{i=0}^N b_i s^i}$$

# Laplace Circuit Solution Algorithm

1. Transform all sources, signals into Laplace Domain
2. Transform circuit components (including initial conditions) into Laplace Domain
3. Solve the circuit using 201 techniques

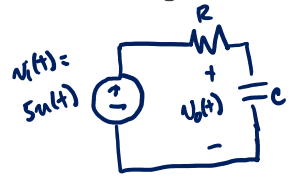
$$V_o(s) = H(s)V_i(s) = \frac{\sum_{i=0}^M a_i s^i}{\sum_{i=0}^N b_i s^i} V_i(s) + H_2(s) V_{i_2}(s) + H_3(s) V_{i_{c1}}(s) + \dots$$

*if multiple inputs*

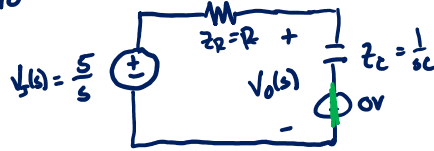
*if any initial conditions*

4. Inverse Laplace Transform to get back to time domain

# Example Laplace Circuit Analysis



$v_o(t) @ t \leq 0$  is zero



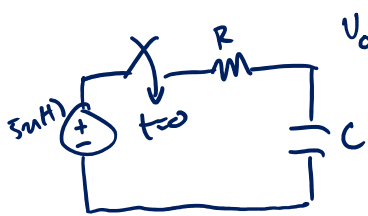
$v_o(t) = (5 - 5e^{-\frac{t}{RC}})u(t)$

$$V_o(s) = V_i(s) \frac{Z_C}{Z_C + Z_R} = \frac{5}{s} \frac{\frac{1}{sC}}{\frac{1}{sC} + R} = \frac{5}{s} \frac{\frac{1}{RC}}{\frac{1}{RC} + s}$$

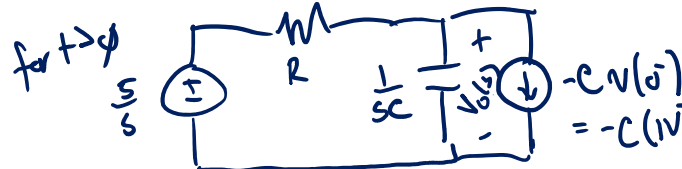
$$v_o(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{V_o(s)\} = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{A}{s} + \frac{B}{\frac{1}{RC} + s}\right\} = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{5}{s} + \frac{-5}{\frac{1}{RC} + s}\right\}$$

PFE (more review coming)

$$v(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{5}{s}\right\} + \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{-5}{\frac{1}{RC} + s}\right\} = \boxed{5u(t) - 5e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}u(t)}$$



$v_o(t) = 1V$  for  $t \leq 0$



$$V_o(s) = \frac{5}{s} \left( \frac{\frac{1}{sC}}{R + \frac{1}{sC}} \right) + \underbrace{-(-c)(R \parallel \frac{1}{sC})}_{= -C(1V) = -C} \rightarrow C \left( \frac{1}{R + sC} \right) = \cancel{C} \frac{\cancel{1/C}}{\frac{1}{RC} + s} = \frac{1}{RC + s}$$

$$v_o(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{V_o(s)\} = \underline{5u(t)} - \underline{5e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}u(t)} + \underline{e^{-\frac{t}{RC}}u(t)}$$

# Inverse Transforms

1. solve Laplace domain circuit (for each input/IC source) to get some  $V_o(s) = H(s)V_i(s)$

$$v_o(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{V_o(s)\} = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{H(s)V_i(s)\}$$

Transfer function  $\uparrow$   
circuit solution  $\uparrow$   
 $\mathcal{L}\{v_i(t)\}$

this will look like  $v_o(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{\sum_{i=0}^m a_i s^i}{\sum_{i=0}^n b_i s^i}\right\}$   
some ratio of polynomials of  $s$   
usually, we'll need to factor  $V_o(s)$  & do PFE

ex/  $V_o(s) = \frac{10}{s^2 + 4s + 4} = \frac{10}{(s+2)(s+2)} = \frac{10}{(s+2)^2} \rightarrow v_o(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left\{\frac{10}{(s+2)^2}\right\} = 10te^{-2t}u(t)$

Factor 2<sup>nd</sup> order polynomial w/ quadratic formula  
 $as^2 + bs + c = 0 \rightarrow r_{1,2} = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a}$   
 $a(s-r_1)(s-r_2) = 0$

ex/  $I_o(s) = \frac{5s+1}{s+1} \rightarrow$  if  $M \geq N$  (if highest exponent of  $s$  in numerator  $\geq$  same in denom)  
Use polynomial long division first

$$I_0(s) = \frac{5s+1}{s+1}$$
$$= 5 + \frac{-4}{s+1}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} s \\ s+1 \overline{) 5s+1} \\ \underline{-5s-5} \\ -4 \end{array}$$

Remainder

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ 5 + \frac{-4}{s+1} \right\} =$$

$$5\delta(t) - 4e^{-t}u(t) = i_0(t)$$

# Transfer Functions

$$H(s) = \frac{\sum_{i=0}^M a_i s^i}{\sum_{i=0}^N b_i s^i} = \frac{(s - z_1)(s - z_2) \cdots (s - z_M)}{(s - p_1)(s - p_2) \cdots (s - p_N)}$$

*factor* (green arrow pointing to the fraction)  
*polynomial form* (green text under the numerator)  
*factored pole/zero form* (green text under the denominator)

roots of numerator,  $z_i$ , are called zeros  
- values of  $s$  at which  $H(s) = \emptyset$

roots of denominator,  $p_i$ , are called poles  
- values of  $s$  near which  $H(s) \rightarrow \infty$

if all  $a_i$  are real, then all  $z_i$  are either real or complex conjugate pairs  
same is true for  $b_i$  &  $p_i$   
Both true for models of real circuits

Poles define the terms in  $H(s) \rightarrow$  which become terms in  $\mathcal{L}^{-1}\{V_s(s) \cdot H(s)\}$   
zeros come into play in determining residues

# Partial Fraction Expansion / Decomposition $M < N$ (otherwise do long division first)

$$\frac{\sum_{i=0}^M a_i s^i}{\sum_{i=0}^N b_i s^i} = \frac{(s-z_1)(s-z_2)\cdots(s-z_M)}{(s-p_1)(s-p_2)\cdots(s-p_N)} \stackrel{\text{PFE}}{=} \frac{k_1}{(s-p_1)} + \frac{k_2}{(s-p_2)} + \cdots + \frac{k_N}{(s-p_N)}$$

polynomial form      factored pole-zero form      Partial Fraction Expansion

$k_i$  are called "residues"

if all  $p_i$  are real & distinct &  $M > N$

→ then find  $k_i$  by "coverup" method → multiply both sides by  $(s-p_i)$  then evaluate at  $s=p_i$

ex for  $k_2$

$$\frac{(s-z_1)(s-z_2)\cdots(s-z_M)}{(s-p_1)(s-p_2)\cdots(s-p_N)} \Big|_{s=p_2} = \frac{k_1 \cancel{(s-p_2)}}{(s-p_1)} + \frac{k_2 \cancel{(s-p_1)}}{\cancel{(s-p_2)}} + \cdots + \frac{k_N \cancel{(s-p_2)}}{(s-p_N)} \Big|_{s=p_2}$$

$$\frac{4(s+2)}{s^2+4s+3} \stackrel{\text{factor}}{=} \frac{4(s+2)}{(s+1)(s+3)} \stackrel{\text{PFE}}{=} \frac{k_1}{s+1} + \frac{k_2}{s+3} = \frac{2}{s+1} + \frac{2}{s+3}$$

$$k_1 = \frac{4(s+2)}{(s+3)} \Big|_{s=-1} = 2 = k_1$$

$$k_2 = \frac{4(s+2)}{(s+1)} \Big|_{s=-3} = 2 = k_2$$

$$f(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\{F(s)\} = 2e^{-t}u(t) + 2e^{-3t}u(t)$$