

Math 2280-1  
 Tuesday December 2

by 7.4-7.5 Bonus day  
 (you only need to do Hw & be tested on 7.1-7.3)

Today we'll talk about  
 the translation theorem (2b),  
 the convolution theorem (3),

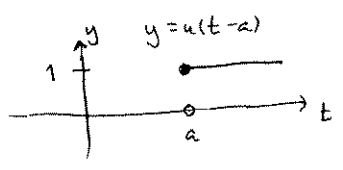
with applications which are "new"!!

(2b) The unit step function

$$u(t) := \begin{cases} 1 & t > 0 \\ 0 & t < 0 \end{cases}$$

So  $u(t-a) = \begin{cases} 1, & t-a > 0 \text{ (} t > a \text{)} \\ 0 & t < a \end{cases}$

turn forcing  
 functions on  
 and off!



$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{u(t-a)\}(s) &= \int_0^\infty e^{-st} u(t-a) dt \\ &= \int_0^a 0 + \int_a^\infty e^{-st} dt \\ &= \frac{e^{-st}}{-s} \Big|_a^\infty = \frac{e^{-as}}{s} \quad (s > 0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{u(t-a)f(t-a)\}(s) &= \int_0^\infty \dots dt = \int_a^\infty e^{-st} f(t-a) dt \quad \tilde{t} = t-a \\ &= \int_0^\infty e^{-s(\tilde{t}+a)} f(\tilde{t}) d\tilde{t} \\ &= e^{-as} \underbrace{\int_0^\infty e^{-s\tilde{t}} f(\tilde{t}) d\tilde{t}}_{F(s)} \blacksquare \end{aligned}$$

$f(t)$	$F(s)$
$f(t)$	$\int_0^\infty e^{-st} f(t) dt$
$c_1 f(t) + c_2 g(t)$	$c_1 F(s) + c_2 G(s)$
1	$1/s$
$t$	$1/s^2$
$t^n$	$n! / s^{n+1} \quad n \in \mathbb{N}$
$e^{at}$	$1/s-a$
$\cos kt$	$s / (s^2 + k^2)$
$\sin kt$	$k / (s^2 + k^2)$
$t^n e^{at}$	$n! / (s-a)^{n+1}$
$e^{at} \cos kt$	$(s-a) / ((s-a)^2 + k^2)$
$e^{at} \sin kt$	$k / ((s-a)^2 + k^2)$
$t \cos kt$	$(s^2 - k^2) / (s^2 + k^2)^2$
$t \sin kt$	$s / (s^2 + k^2)^2$
$\frac{1}{2k^3} (\sin kt - kt \cos kt)$	$\frac{1}{(s^2 + k^2)^3}$

(1a)  $\begin{cases} f'(t) & sF(s) - f(0) \\ f''(t) & s^2 F(s) - sf'(0) - f''(0) \\ f'''(t) & s^3 F(s) - s^2 f'(0) - sf''(0) - f'''(0) \\ \dots & \dots \\ \int_0^t f(\tau) d\tau & F(s)/s \end{cases}$

(1b)  $\begin{cases} t f(t) & -F'(s) \\ t^2 f(t) & F''(s) \\ t^n f(t) & (-D_s)^n F(s) \\ f(t)/t & \int_s^\infty F(\sigma) d\sigma \end{cases}$

we got this far  
 Monday.

(2a)  $e^{at} f(t) \rightarrow F(s-a)$   
 (2b)  $u(t-a)f(t-a) \rightarrow e^{-as} F(s)$

(3)  $(f * g)(t) = \int_0^t f(\tau)g(t-\tau) d\tau \rightarrow F(s)G(s)$

Example (p 484)

m = 32 lb (m = 1 slug), c = 0,

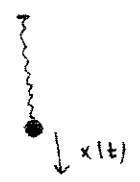
k = 4 lb/ft. mass initially at equilibrium (x(0) = 0, x'(0) = 0)

at t = 0 apply F(t) = cos 2t

at t = 2π force is turned off.

Solve IVP

$$\begin{cases} x'' + 4x = F(t) \\ x(0) = 0 \\ x'(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$



soln

$$s^2 X(s) - 0 - 0 + 4X(s) = F(s)$$

$$X(s)(s^2 + 4) = F(s)$$

$$X(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + 4} \left( \frac{s}{s^2 + 4} - e^{-2\pi s} \frac{s}{s^2 + 4} \right)$$

$$= \frac{s}{(s^2 + 4)^2} - e^{-2\pi s} \frac{s}{(s^2 + 4)^2}$$

Table!

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{4} t \sin 2t - u(t - 2\pi) \frac{1}{4} (t - 2\pi) \sin 2t$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{t}{4} \sin 2t & 0 \leq t < 2\pi \\ \frac{\pi}{2} \sin 2t & t \geq 2\pi \end{cases}$$

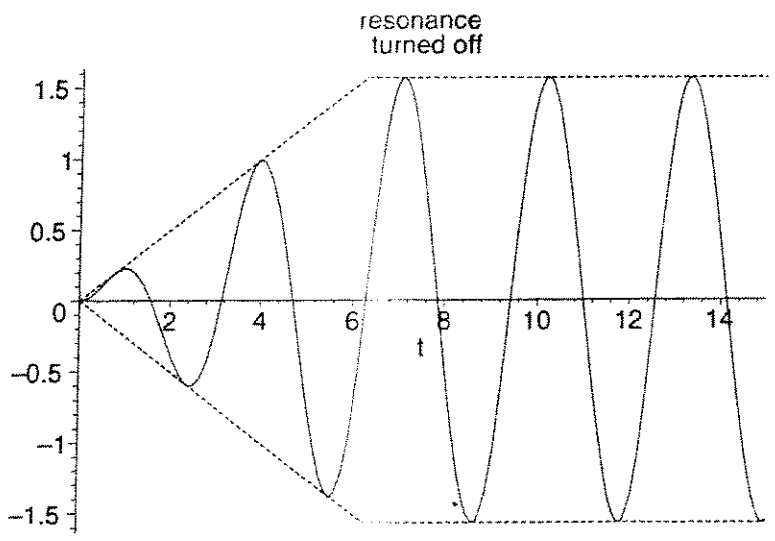
$$f(t) = \cos 2t (1 - u(t - 2\pi))$$

$$= \cos 2t - \cos 2t u(t - 2\pi)$$

$$= \cos 2t - \cos(2(t - 2\pi)) u(t - 2\pi)$$

$$F(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 + 4} - e^{-2\pi s} \frac{s}{s^2 + 4}$$

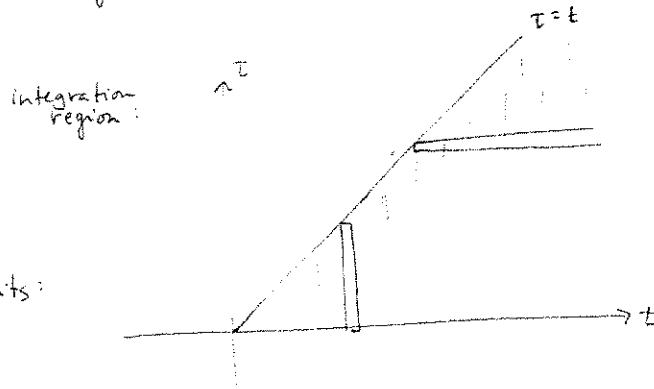
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[ > with(plots):
> plot1:=plot(.25*t*sin(2*t)-Heaviside(t-2*Pi)*(t-2*Pi)/4*sin(2*t),
t=0..15,color=black):
plot2:=plot(t/4,t=0..2*Pi,color=black,linestyle=2):
plot3:=plot(-t/4,t=0..2*Pi,color=black,linestyle=2):
plot4:=plot(Pi/2,t=2*Pi..15,color=black,linestyle=2):
plot5:=plot(-Pi/2,t=2*Pi..15,color=black,linestyle=2):
display({plot1,plot2,plot3,plot4,plot5},title='resonance
turned off');
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~~✗~~ yesterday  
 ③ today

proof of convolution theorem:  
 (is a good review of iterated integrals)

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L}\{f * g\}(s) &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-st} \left( \int_0^t f(\tau) g(t-\tau) d\tau \right) dt \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} \int_0^t e^{-st} f(\tau) g(t-\tau) d\tau dt \end{aligned}$$



interchange limits:

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_0^{\infty} \int_{\tau}^{\infty} e^{-st} f(\tau) g(t-\tau) dt d\tau \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} \int_{\tau}^{\infty} e^{-s\tau} f(\tau) e^{-s(t-\tau)} g(t-\tau) dt d\tau \quad (\text{pattern recognition}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-s\tau} f(\tau) \left[ \int_{\tau}^{\infty} e^{-s(t-\tau)} g(t-\tau) dt \right] d\tau \\ &\quad \begin{array}{l} \tilde{t} = t - \tau \\ d\tilde{t} = dt \end{array} \\ &\quad \underbrace{\left[ \int_0^{\infty} e^{-s\tilde{t}} g(\tilde{t}) d\tilde{t} \right]}_{G(s)} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= G(s) \int_0^{\infty} e^{-s\tau} f(\tau) d\tau \\ &= G(s) F(s) \quad !! \end{aligned}$$

example: verify the theorem  
 for  $f(t) = \sin t$   
 $g(t) = \cos t$   
 (you may need trig id  
 $\sin^2 \tau = \frac{1 - \cos 2\tau}{2}$ )

Remark:  
 $f * g(t) = \int_0^t f(\tau) g(t-\tau) d\tau$   
 $= g * f(t)$   
 (by substituting  $\tilde{t} = t - \tau$ )



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Guess the resonance game, using convolution formula, section 7.4

```
> with(plots):with(inttrans):
#the Library inttrans includes Laplace
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We are considering the undamped forced harmonic oscillator

$$x''(t) + x(t) = f(t)$$

with initial data  $x(0)=\dot{x}(0)=0$ . When we take the Laplace transform of this equation we deduce

$$X(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + 1} F(s)$$

so that the convolution theorem implies  $x(t) = \sin * f(t)$ . Since the unforced system has a natural angular frequency  $\omega_0 = 1$ , we expect resonance when the forcing function has the corresponding period

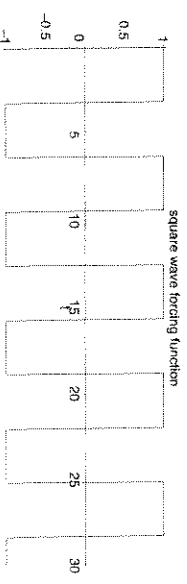
$2\pi = 2\pi$ . We will discover that there is a surprising possible error in our reasoning.

**Example 1:** A square wave forcing function with amplitude 1 and period  $2\pi$ . Let's talk about how we came up with the formula (which works until  $t = 11\pi$ ).

```
> f:=t->-1+2*sum((-1)^n*Heaviside(t-n*pi),n=0..10);
#Heaviside was an early user of the unit step function
#and so Maple names it after him
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$$f := t \rightarrow -1 + 2 \sum_{n=0}^{10} (-1)^n \text{Heaviside}(t - n\pi)$$

```
> plot(f(t),t=0..30,color=black,title='square wave forcing function');
```



```
> x:=t->int(sin(t-tau)*f(tau),tau=0..t);
#convolution formula for the solution
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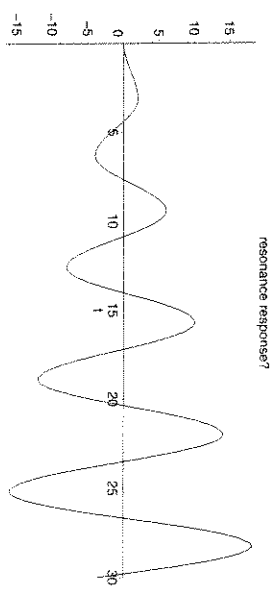
$$x := t \rightarrow \int_0^t \sin(t-\tau) f(\tau) d\tau$$

You actually could use the convolution formula to work out  $x(t)$  by hand, if you wished to do so!

```
> x(t): #you actually could work this out by hand!
-1-2 Heaviside(-3 pi)+2 Heaviside(t)-2 Heaviside(-3 pi) cos(t)-2 Heaviside(t) cos(t)
+2 Heaviside(-4 pi)-2 Heaviside(t-pi)-2 Heaviside(-4 pi) cos(t)-2 Heaviside(t-pi) cos(t)
-2 Heaviside(-5 pi)+2 Heaviside(t-2 pi)-2 Heaviside(-5 pi) cos(t)
-2 Heaviside(-2 pi) cos(t)+2 Heaviside(-6 pi)-2 Heaviside(t-3 pi) cos(t)
-2 Heaviside(-6 pi) cos(t)+2 Heaviside(-10 pi)-2 Heaviside(t-7 pi) cos(t)
-2 Heaviside(-10 pi) cos(t)-2 Heaviside(-7 pi) cos(t)+2 Heaviside(t-8 pi)
-2 Heaviside(-8 pi) cos(t)-2 Heaviside(t-9 pi)+cos(t)
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As expected (?), we get resonance.

```
> plot(x(t),t=0..30,color=black,title='resonance response?');
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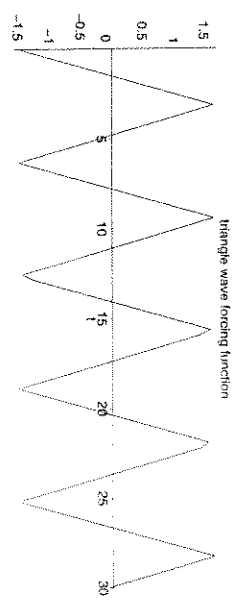


**Example 2:** triangle wave forcing function, same period.

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> g:=t->int(f(u),u=0..t)-1.5;
#this should be a triangle wave...
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$$g := t \rightarrow \int_0^t f(u) du - 1.5$$

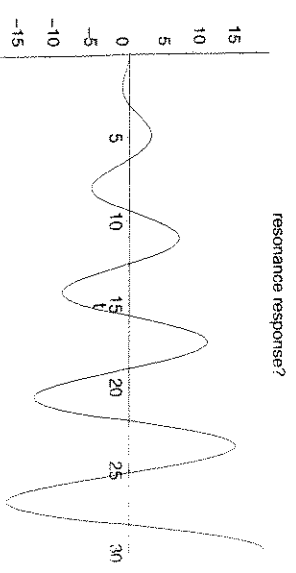
```
> plot(g(t),t=0..30,color=black, title='triangle wave forcing
function');
```



```
> y:=t->int(sin(t-tau)*g(tau),tau=0..t);
```

$$y := t \rightarrow \int_0^t \sin(t-\tau)g(\tau)dt$$

```
> plot(y(t),t=0..30,color=black, title='resonance response?');
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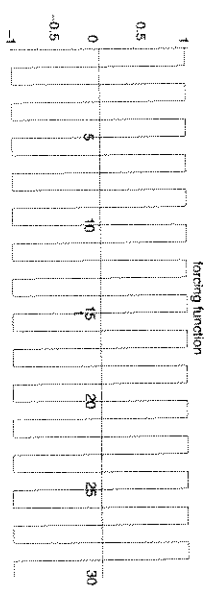


**Example 3:** Now let's force with a period which is not the natural one. This square wave has period 2.

```
> h:=t->-1+2*sum((-1)^n*Heaviside(t-n),n=0..30);
```

$$h := t \rightarrow -1 + 2 \sum_{n=0}^{30} (-1)^n \text{Heaviside}(t-n)$$

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> plot(h(t),t=0..30,color=black, title='forcing function');
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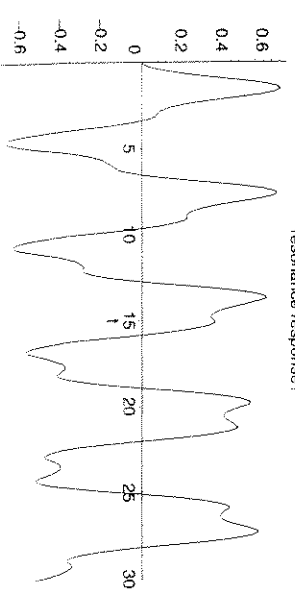


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> z:=t->int(sin(t-tau)*h(tau),tau=0..t);
```

```
plot(z(t),t=0..30,color=black,title='resonance response?');
```

$$z := t \rightarrow \int_0^t \sin(t-\tau)h(\tau)dt$$

resonance response?

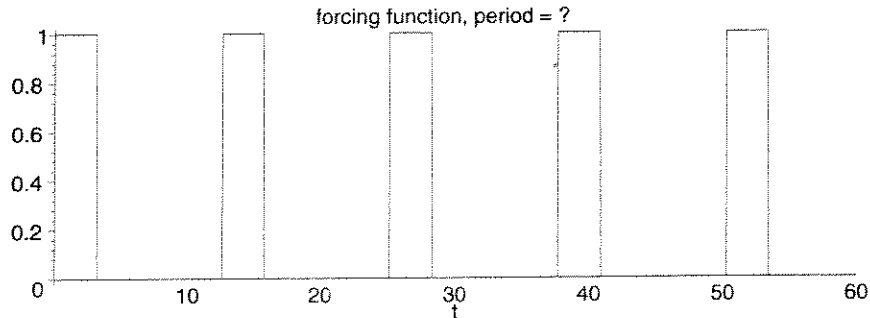


**Example 4:** A square wave which does not have the natural period, so we don't expect resonance?

```
> k:=t->sum(Heaviside(t-4*Pi*n)-Heaviside(t-4*Pi*n-Pi),
n=0..5);
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$$k := t \rightarrow \sum_{n=0}^5 (\text{Heaviside}(t - 4n\pi) - \text{Heaviside}(t - 4n\pi - \pi))$$

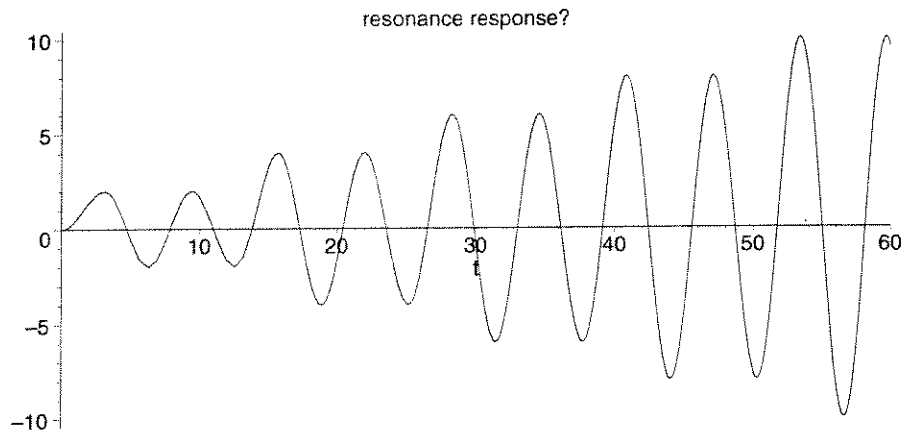
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> plot(k(t), t=0..60, color=black, title='forcing function, period =
?');
>
```



```
> w:=t->int(sin(t-tau)*k(tau), tau=0..t);
```

$$w := t \rightarrow \int_0^t \sin(t - \tau) k(\tau) d\tau$$

```
> plot(w(t), t=0..60, color=black, title='resonance response?');
```



Hey, what happened???? How do we need to modify our thinking if we force a system with something which is not sinusoidal, in terms of worrying about resonance?