

Example (#18) Determine $\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{e^{-s}(3s^2 - s + 2)}{(s-1)(s^2+1)} \right\}$

$$\frac{3s^2 - s + 2}{(s-1)(s^2+1)} = \frac{A}{s-1} + \frac{Bs+C}{s^2+1} \quad (\text{partial fractions})$$

$$3s^2 - s + 2 = A(s^2+1) + (Bs+C)(s-1).$$

$$s=1 \Rightarrow 4 = 2A, \quad A=2.$$

$$\text{Coeff of } s^2: \quad 3 = A + B = 2 + B, \quad B=1.$$

$$s=0 \Rightarrow 2 = A - C = 2 - C, \quad C=0.$$

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$$\frac{3s^2 - s + 2}{(s-1)(s^2+1)} = \frac{2}{s-1} + \frac{s}{s^2+1}$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{3s^2 - s + 2}{(s-1)(s^2+1)} \right\} = 2e^t + \cos t = f(t).$$

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

$$\text{Hence, } \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \frac{e^{-s}(3s^2 - s + 2)}{(s-1)(s^2+1)} \right\} = u(t-1)f(t-1)$$

$$= u(t-1) (2e^{t-1} + \cos(t-1)).$$