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Quiz 6, Spring , 2013 – April 16

The quiz is worth 5 points. **Remove EVERYTHING from your desk except this quiz and a pen or pencil.** SHOW your work. Express your work in a neat and coherent manner. BOX your answer.

Find the Laplace transform of $f(t) = \cos^2 2t$.

Answer. Of course, we use $\cos^2 \theta = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2\theta)$. We have

$$\mathcal{L}(f(t)) = \mathcal{L}\left(\frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 4t)\right) = \frac{1}{2} (\mathcal{L}(1) + \mathcal{L}(\cos 4t)) = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{s} + \frac{s}{s^2 + 16} \right).$$