

# Solutions - Final Exam

## PROBLEM 1 (15 PTS)

- a) For the following Fourier Transform of a periodic signal: Determine the fundamental angular frequency and the Fourier series coefficients. Then determine the corresponding time-domain signal.

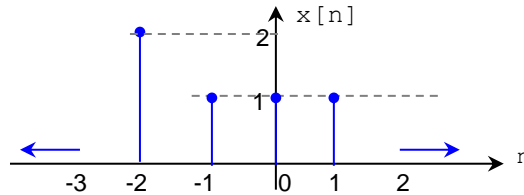
$$X(j\omega) = j\delta\left(\omega - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + 2\delta\left(\omega - \frac{\pi}{7}\right)$$

- b) Determine the Fourier Series, the fundamental angular frequency, and the Fourier Transform of the following signal:

$$x(t) = \cos(\pi t) + 3j\sin(2\pi t)$$

- c) Determine the Discrete Time Fourier Series and the fundamental angular frequency of the following signal (sketch one period of  $X[k]$ ). Then, determine the DTFT for one period (provide the equation and sketch it).

- i.  $x[n]$  with one period shown  $\Rightarrow$



- a)  $X(j\omega) = j\delta\left(\omega - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + 2\delta\left(\omega - \frac{\pi}{7}\right)$   
 $\frac{\pi}{3} = k_1\omega_0, \quad \frac{\pi}{7} = k_2\omega_0 \rightarrow \omega_0 = \frac{\pi}{3k_1} = \frac{\pi}{7k_2} \rightarrow 7k_2 = 3k_1 \rightarrow k_2 = 3, k_1 = 7 \Rightarrow \omega_0 = \frac{\pi}{21}$   
 $X(j\omega) = 2\pi \left\{ X[7]\delta\left(\omega - 7\frac{\pi}{21}\right) + X[3]\delta\left(\omega - 3\frac{\pi}{21}\right) \right\}$

Then:

$$X[k] = \begin{cases} \frac{j}{2\pi}, & k = 7 \\ \frac{1}{\pi}, & k = 3 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} X[k]e^{jk\omega_0 t} = \frac{j}{2\pi}e^{j\frac{\pi}{3}t} + \frac{1}{\pi}e^{j\frac{\pi}{7}t}$$

- b)  $x(t) = \cos(\pi t) + 3j\sin(2\pi t)$   
 $\pi T = 2\pi r, 2\pi T = 2\pi k \rightarrow T = 2r = k \rightarrow r = 1, k = 2 \Rightarrow T = 2, \omega_0 = \pi$   
 $x(t) = \frac{1}{2}e^{j\pi t} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\pi t} + \frac{3}{2}e^{j2\pi t} - \frac{3}{2}e^{-j2\pi t} = X[1]e^{j\pi t} + X[-1]e^{-j\pi t} + X[2]e^{j2\pi t} + X[-2]e^{-j2\pi t}$

Thus:

$$X[k] = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}, & k = \pm 1 \\ \frac{3}{2}, & k = 2 \\ -\frac{3}{2}, & k = -2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore X(j\omega) = \pi\delta(\omega - \pi) + \pi\delta(\omega + \pi) + 3\pi\delta(\omega - 2\pi) - 3\pi\delta(\omega + 2\pi)$$

- c) We first determine the DTFS:  $N = 4, \Omega_0 = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$X[k] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_N x[n]e^{-jk\Omega_0 n} = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n=-2}^1 x[n]e^{-jk\Omega_0 n} = \frac{1}{4} \left( 2e^{jk\pi} + e^{jk\frac{\pi}{2}} + 1 + e^{-jk\frac{\pi}{2}} \right)$$

$$X[k] = \frac{1}{4} \left( 2e^{jk\pi} + 2\cos\left(k\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 1 \right), \quad -2 \leq k \leq 1$$

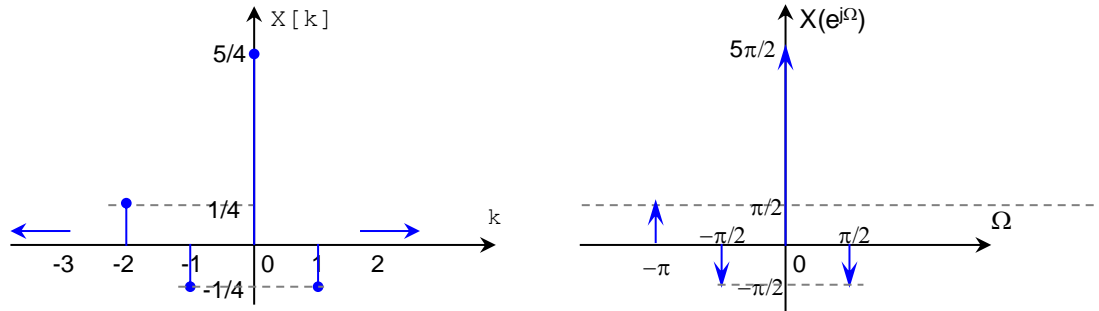
$$X[-2] = \frac{1}{4} \left( 2e^{-j2\pi} + 2\cos\left(-2\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 1 \right) = \frac{1}{4}, \quad X[-1] = \frac{1}{4} \left( 2e^{-j\pi} + 2\cos\left(-\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 1 \right) = -\frac{1}{4}$$

$$X[0] = \frac{1}{4}(2e^{-0} + 2\cos(0) + 1) = \frac{5}{4}, \quad X[1] = \frac{1}{4}\left(2e^{j\pi} + 2\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 1\right) = -\frac{1}{4}$$

Finally, over one period:

$$X(e^{j\Omega}) = 2\pi \sum_{k=-2}^2 X[k] \delta\left(\Omega - k\frac{\pi}{2}\right), \quad -\pi \leq k\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$X(e^{j\Omega}) = 2\pi \left\{ \frac{1}{4} \delta\left(\Omega + \pi\right) - \frac{1}{4} \delta\left(\Omega + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + \frac{5}{4} \delta(\Omega) - \frac{1}{4} \delta\left(\Omega - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) \right\}$$



### PROBLEM 2 (12 PTS)

Determine the Laplace transform (or Z transform) and the ROC for each of the following signals:

a)  $x(t) = e^{at}u(t - k)$ .

Use the definition of the Laplace Transform. Sketch the pole-zero plot. What is the condition on  $a$  for the Fourier Transform to exist?

b)  $x(t) = te^{at}u(t) + e^{at}u(t - 4) + u(t - 5) + 3\delta(t)$ .

c)  $x[n] = a^{|n|} + \delta[n]$ . What is the condition on  $a$  for the Z-transform to exist?

a)  $x(t) = e^{at}u(t - k)$

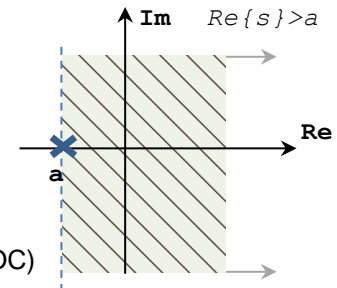
$$X(s) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-st} dt = \int_k^{\infty} e^{at}e^{-st} dt = \int_k^{\infty} e^{-(s-a)t} dt = -\frac{1}{s-a} e^{-(\sigma+j\omega-a)t} \Big|_k^{\infty}$$

$$X(s) = -\frac{1}{s-a} (e^{-(\sigma+j\omega-a)\infty} - e^{-(\sigma+j\omega-a)k}), \quad e^{j\omega(\pm\infty)} \leq 1$$

$X(s)$  is integrable if  $\sigma - a > 0 \rightarrow \text{Re}\{s\} > a$

$$\rightarrow X(s) = \frac{e^{ak}}{s-a} e^{-sk}, \quad \text{Re}\{s\} > a$$

For the FT to exist, we need  $a < 0$  (so that the  $j\omega$  axis is included in the ROC)



b)  $x(t) = te^{at}u(t) + e^{at}u(t - 4) + u(t - 5) + 3\delta(t)$

We know:

$$e^{at}u(t) \xleftrightarrow{L} \frac{1}{s-a}, \quad \text{ROC: } \text{Re}\{s\} > a \quad \Rightarrow \quad te^{at}u(t) \xleftrightarrow{L} \frac{1}{(s-a)^2}, \quad \text{ROC: } \text{Re}\{s\} > a$$

$$e^{at}u(t - 4) \xleftrightarrow{L} \frac{e^{4a}}{s-a}, \quad \text{ROC: } \text{Re}\{s\} > a$$

$$u(t - 5) \xleftrightarrow{L} \frac{1}{s} e^{-5s}, \quad \text{Re}\{s\} > 0 \quad \Bigg| \quad \delta(t) \xleftrightarrow{L} 1, \quad \text{ROC: } \forall s$$

$$\therefore X(s) = \frac{1}{(s-a)^2} + \frac{e^{4a}}{s-a} + \frac{1}{s} e^{-5s} + 3, \quad \text{Re}\{s\} > a \text{ for } a > 0, \quad \text{Re}\{s\} > 0 \text{ for } a < 0$$

c)  $x[n] = a^{|n|} + \delta[n] = a^n u[n] + a^{-n} u[-n - 1] + \delta[n] = a^n u[n] + (a^{-1})^n u[-n - 1] + \delta[n]$

We know:

$$a^n u[n] \xleftrightarrow{Z} \frac{z}{z-a}, \quad \text{ROC: } |z| > |a| \quad \Bigg| \quad (a^{-1})^n u[-n - 1] \xleftrightarrow{Z} -\frac{z}{z - \frac{1}{a}}, \quad \text{ROC: } |z| < \left|\frac{1}{a}\right|$$

$$\therefore X(z) = 1 + \frac{z}{z-a} - \frac{z}{z - \frac{1}{a}}, \quad |a| < |z| < \left|\frac{1}{a}\right|$$

For the Z-Transform to exist, we need  $|a| < 1$ .

**PROBLEM 3 (10 PTS)**

For an LTI system, we are given the Z-transform of the input and output signals:

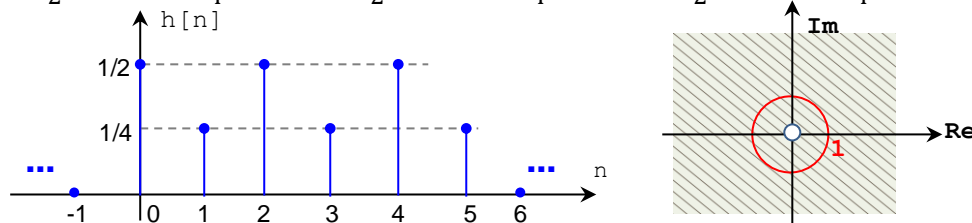
$$X(z) = \frac{1}{1 + z^{-2} + z^{-4}}, \quad Y(z) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4}z^{-1}$$

- Determine the impulse response  $h[n]$ . Sketch it. (7)
- Determine the DTFT of  $h[n]$ . (2)
- What is the region of convergence of  $H(z)$ ? Sketch the DTFT on the z-plane. (1)

a)  $H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4}z^{-1}}{\frac{1}{1 + z^{-2} + z^{-4}}} = \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4}z^{-1}\right)(1 + z^{-2} + z^{-4}) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2}z^{-2} + \frac{1}{2}z^{-4} + \frac{1}{4}z^{-1} + \frac{1}{4}z^{-3} + \frac{1}{4}z^{-5}$

$$H(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h[n]z^{-n} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4}z^{-1} + \frac{1}{2}z^{-2} + \frac{1}{4}z^{-3} + \frac{1}{2}z^{-4} + \frac{1}{4}z^{-5}$$

$$\rightarrow h[0] = \frac{1}{2}, \quad h[1] = \frac{1}{4}, \quad h[2] = \frac{1}{2}, \quad h[3] = \frac{1}{4}, \quad h[4] = \frac{1}{2}, \quad h[5] = \frac{1}{4}$$



b)  $H(e^{j\Omega}) = H(z)|_{z=e^{j\Omega}} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4}e^{-j\Omega} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-2j\Omega} + \frac{1}{4}e^{-3j\Omega} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-4j\Omega} + \frac{1}{4}e^{-5j\Omega}$

c)  $H(z)$  is undefined if  $z = 0$ . Thus, the ROC is the entire z-plane except for  $|z| = 0$ .

**PROBLEM 4 (15 PTS)**

- For the following Laplace Transform, determine all possible time-domain signals. Hint: First determine all possible ROCs. (8)

$$X(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 + (a+b)s + ab}, \quad a, b \in \mathcal{R}$$

- For the following Z-transform, determine  $h[n]$  (for  $a > 1$  and  $a < 1$ ) so that the DTFT exists. (7)

$$H(z) = \frac{z}{z-a} + \frac{z}{z-a^2}$$

a)

$$X(s) = \frac{s}{s^2 + (a+b)s + ab} = \frac{A}{s+a} + \frac{B}{s+b}, \quad A = \frac{a}{a-b}, \quad B = -\frac{b}{a-b}$$

We know:

$$e^{-at}u(t) \xleftrightarrow{L} \frac{1}{s+a}, \text{Re}\{s\} > -a \quad \text{or} \quad -e^{-at}u(-t) \xleftrightarrow{L} \frac{1}{s+a}, \text{Re}\{s\} < -a$$

$$e^{-bt}u(t) \xleftrightarrow{L} \frac{1}{s+b}, \text{Re}\{s\} > -b \quad \text{or} \quad -e^{-bt}u(-t) \xleftrightarrow{L} \frac{1}{s+b}, \text{Re}\{s\} < -b$$

Assuming  $a > b$ : Three possible ROCs:

$$\text{Re}\{s\} > -a \cap \text{Re}\{s\} > -b \rightarrow x(t) = Ae^{-at}u(t) + Be^{-bt}u(t)$$

$$\text{Re}\{s\} < -a \cap \text{Re}\{s\} < -b \rightarrow x(t) = -Ae^{-at}u(-t) - Be^{-bt}u(-t)$$

$$\text{Re}\{s\} > -a \cap \text{Re}\{s\} < -b \rightarrow x(t) = Ae^{-at}u(t) - Be^{-bt}u(-t)$$

b)  $H(z) = \frac{z}{z-a} + \frac{z}{z-a^2}$

We know:

$$a^n u[n] \xleftrightarrow{z} \frac{z}{z-a}, \text{ROC: } |z| > |a| \quad \left| \quad -a^n u[-n-1] \xleftrightarrow{z} \frac{z}{z-a}, \text{ROC: } |z| < |a|$$

Possible ROCs for  $H(z)$ :

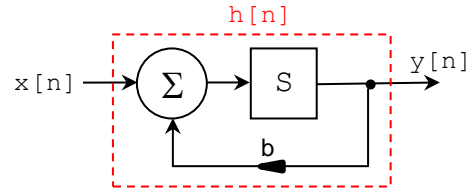
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For  $a > 1$ : We need the unit circle inside the ROC:  $\rightarrow \{|z| < |a| \cap |z| < |a^2|\} \equiv |z| < |a|$   
Thus:  $h[n] = -a^n u[-n - 1] + -a^{2n} u[-n - 1]$

For  $a < 1$ : We need the unit circle inside the ROC:  $\rightarrow \{|z| > |a| \cap |z| > |a^2|\} \equiv |z| > |a|$   
Thus:  $h[n] = a^n u[n] + a^{2n} u[n]$

**PROBLEM 5 (16 PTS)**

For the following LTI system with  $h[n]$  causal.



- a) Find the difference equation that relates  $y[n]$  and  $x[n]$ . (2)
- b) Determine  $H(z)$ , the ROC, and the pole-zero plot. (3)
- c) Determine the impulse response  $h[n]$ . (4)
- d) For the input  $x[n] = a^n u[-n]$ : (8)
  - i. Determine  $X(z)$ , the region of convergence, and the pole-zero plot.
  - ii. Determine  $y[n]$ . What is the condition on  $a$  and  $b$  so that the DTFT of  $y[n]$  exists?

- a)  $y[n] = x[n - 1] + by[n - 1]$
- b)

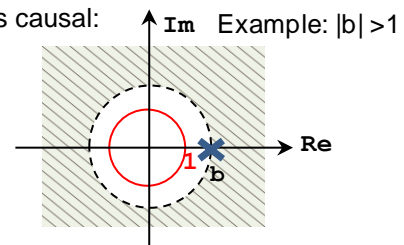
$$Y(z) = z^{-1}X(z) + bz^{-1}Y(z) \rightarrow H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = \frac{z^{-1}}{1 - bz^{-1}} = \frac{1}{z - b}$$

Here, we use a well-know transform along with the fact that  $h[n]$  is causal:

$$b^n u[n] \xleftrightarrow{z} \frac{z}{z - b}, \text{ROC: } |z| > |b|$$

$$\rightarrow b^{n-1} u[n - 1] \xleftrightarrow{z} \frac{z z^{-1}}{z - b} = \frac{1}{z - b}, \text{ROC: } |z| > |b|$$

$$\rightarrow H(z) = \frac{1}{z - b}, \text{ROC: } |z| > |b|$$



- c)  $h[n] = b^{n-1} u[n - 1]$

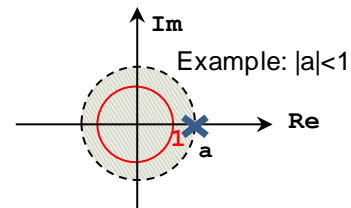
- d)  $x[n] = a^n u[-n]$ 

$$a^n u[-n - 1] \xleftrightarrow{z} -\frac{z}{z - a}, \text{ROC: } |z| < |a|$$

$$\rightarrow a^{n-1} u[-(n - 1) - 1] \xleftrightarrow{z} -\frac{z z^{-1}}{z - a} = \frac{1}{z - a}, \text{ROC: } |z| < |a|$$

$$\rightarrow a a^{n-1} u[-(n - 1) - 1] = a^n u[-n] \xleftrightarrow{z} -a \frac{1}{z - a}, \text{ROC: } |z| < |a|$$

$$\Rightarrow X(z) = -\frac{a}{z - a}, \text{ROC: } |z| < |a|$$



Now, to get  $y[n]$ :

$$Y(z) = H(z)X(z) = -\frac{a}{(z - b)(z - a)} = \frac{A}{z - b} + \frac{B}{z - a}, |b| < |z| < |a|$$

$$\rightarrow A = \frac{z}{b - a}, B = \frac{a}{a - b}$$

We know:

$$-a^n u[-n - 1] \xleftrightarrow{z} \frac{z}{z - a}, \text{ROC: } |z| < |a|$$

$$\rightarrow a^{n-1} u[-(n - 1) + 1] \xleftrightarrow{z} \frac{z z^{-1}}{z - a} = \frac{1}{z - a}, \text{ROC: } |z| < |a|$$

$$b^n u[n] \xleftrightarrow{z} \frac{z}{z - b}, \text{ROC: } |z| > |b|$$

$$\rightarrow b^{n-1} u[n - 1] \xleftrightarrow{z} \frac{z z^{-1}}{z - b} = \frac{1}{z - b}, \text{ROC: } |z| > |b|$$

$$\therefore y[n] = \frac{a}{b - a} b^{n-1} u[n - 1] - \frac{a}{a - b} a^{n-1} u[-n] = \frac{a}{b - a} (b^{n-1} u[n - 1] + a^{n-1} u[-n])$$

For the DTFT of  $y[n]$  to exist, the unit circle needs to be inside the ROC. Thus, we need:  $|b| < 1 < |a|$

PROBLEM 6 (10 PTS)

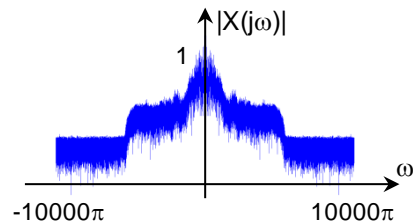
- For an LTI system with  $H(s) = \frac{s+5}{s}$ . Is the system stable?
- An LTI system has  $H(s)$ ,  $a < \text{Re}\{s\} < a^2$ . What is the condition on  $a$  so that the system is stable?
- For an LTI system with  $H(s) = \frac{1}{s+2} + \frac{3}{s-4}$ :
  - If the system is causal, determine the ROC. Does the FT of  $h(t)$  exist? Justify.
  - If the system is stable, determine the ROC. Is the system causal? Justify.
- $H(z) = \frac{z(z+1)}{(z-2)(z-\frac{1}{2})}$ . If  $h[n]$  is causal, is the system stable? Justify.
- Given that  $y[n] = 2u[n-3]$ ,  $x[n] = \delta[n] + \delta[n-1]$ . Is the system stable? Justify.

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- The system has a pole at  $s = 0$ . As a result, the  $j\omega$  axis (which is the FT) is not included. As the existence of the FT implies stability, the system is not stable.
  - We need the ROC to include the  $j\omega$  axis. For  $0 < a < 1$ , the ROC does not exist. For  $a > 1$ , the  $j\omega$  axis is not included. For  $a < 0$ , the  $j\omega$  axis is always included. Thus, we need  $a < 0$ .
  - $H(s) = \frac{1}{s+2} + \frac{3}{s-4}$ : There are three possible ROCs.  $\text{Re}\{s\} > 4$ ,  $\text{Re}\{s\} < -2$ ,  $-2 < \text{Re}\{s\} < 4$ 
    - If the system is causal, the ROC is to the right of the rightmost pole, i.e.,  $\text{Re}\{s\} > 4$ . The  $j\omega$  axis is not included. Thus, the FT of  $h(t)$  does not exist.
    - If the system is stable, the ROC has to include the  $j\omega$  axis. Thus:  $-2 < \text{Re}\{s\} < 4$ . Since the ROC is not to the right of the rightmost pole, the system is not causal.
  - If the system is causal, then the ROC is outside of the outermost pole, i.e.,  $z = 2$ . In this case, the unit circle is not included in the ROC, and thus the system is not stable.
  - $Y(z) = \frac{2zz^{-3}}{z-1} = \frac{2z^{-2}}{z-1}$ ,  $X(z) = 1 + z^{-1} = \frac{z+1}{z}$ ,  $\rightarrow H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = \frac{2z^{-2}}{(z-1)(z+1)}$ . There is a pole at  $z = 1$ . Thus, the system is not stable.

PROBLEM 7 (12 PTS)

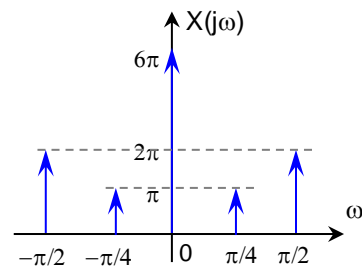
- For the following signal:  $x(t) = \text{Cos}\left(\frac{\pi}{4}t\right) + 2\text{Cos}\left(\frac{\pi}{2}t\right) + 3$  (6)
  - Determine the Fourier Series and the fundamental angular frequency. Determine the Fourier Transform and sketch it.
  - Sketch the FT of the sampled signal for  $T_s = 4$ ,  $T_s = 2$  secs. Indicate the cases that result in aliasing. What is the condition on  $T_s$  to avoid aliasing?

- For the following speech signal: (6)
  - Sketch the FT of the sampled signal for  $T_s = 0.05$ ,  $0.1$ , and  $0.2$ ms. What is the condition on  $T_s$  to avoid aliasing?
  - We want to transmit this signal over a channel that only allows frequencies from 200 Hz to 3.2KHz. Sketch the FT of the system that allows proper transmission of the given speech signal. For the new band-limited signal, what is the condition on  $T_s$  that avoids aliasing when sampling?



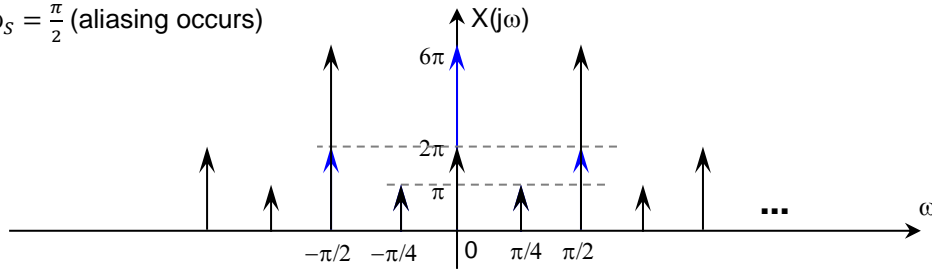
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- $x(t) = \text{Cos}\left(\frac{\pi}{4}t\right) + 2\text{Cos}\left(\frac{\pi}{2}t\right) + 3$   
 $\frac{\pi}{4}T = 2\pi r, \frac{\pi}{2}T = 2\pi k \rightarrow T = 8r = 4k \rightarrow r = 1, k = 2 \Rightarrow T = 8, \omega_0 = \frac{\pi}{4}$   
 $x(t) = \frac{1}{2}e^{j\frac{\pi t}{4}} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\frac{\pi t}{4}} + e^{j\frac{\pi t}{2}} + e^{-j\frac{\pi t}{2}}$   
 $x(t) = X[1]e^{j\pi t} + X[-1]e^{-j\pi t} + X[2]e^{j2\pi t} + X[-2]e^{-j2\pi t} + X[0]$   
 Thus:

$$X[k] = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}, & k = \pm 1 \\ 1, & k = \pm 2 \\ 3, & k = 0 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

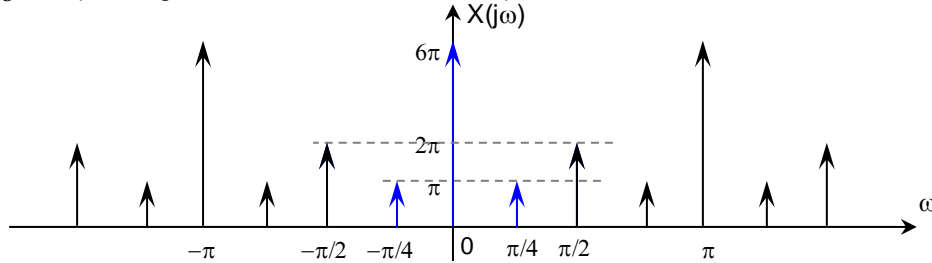


$$\therefore X(j\omega) = \pi\delta\left(\omega - \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + \pi\delta\left(\omega + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + 2\pi\delta\left(\omega - \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 2\pi\delta\left(\omega + \frac{\pi}{2}\right) + 6\pi\delta(\omega)$$

$T_S = 4 \rightarrow \omega_S = \frac{\pi}{2}$  (aliasing occurs)

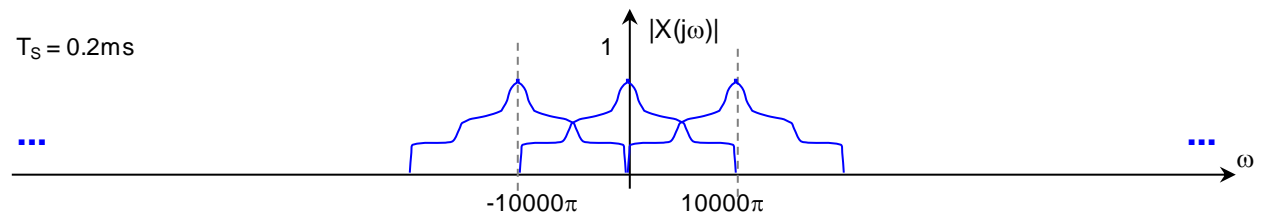
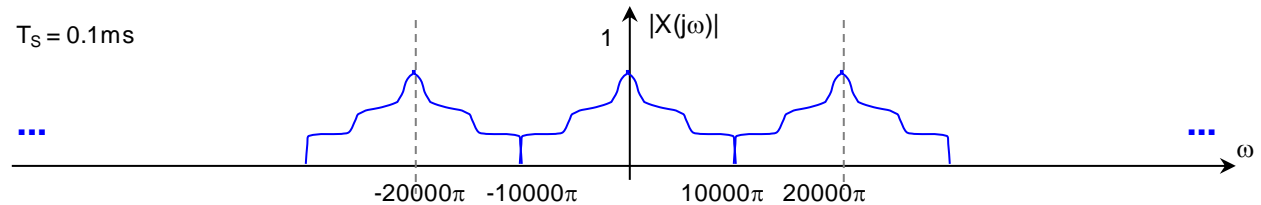
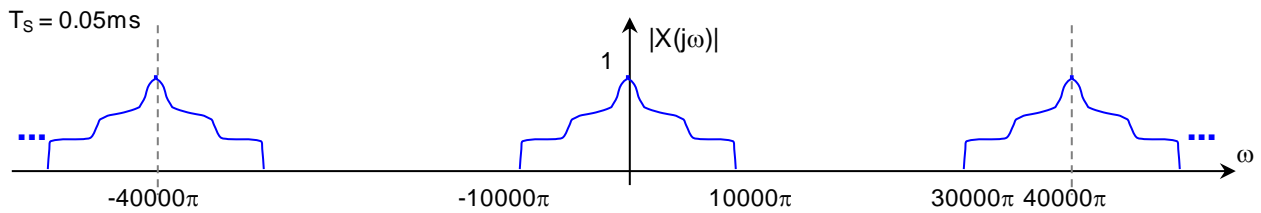


$T_S = 2 \rightarrow \omega_S = \pi$  (aliasing occurs, this is the limit case)



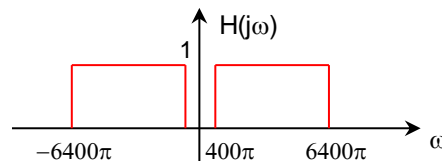
To avoid aliasing:  $\omega_S > 2\omega_m \rightarrow \omega_S > 2 \frac{\pi}{2} \rightarrow \frac{2\pi}{T_S} > \pi \rightarrow T_S < 2 \text{ secs}$

b)  $T_S = 0.05\text{ms} \rightarrow \omega_S = 40000\pi$ ,  $T_S = 0.1\text{ms} \rightarrow \omega_S = 20000\pi$ ,  $T_S = 0.2\text{ms} \rightarrow \omega_S = 10000\pi$



To avoid aliasing we need:  $\omega_S > 2\omega_m \rightarrow \omega_S > 2(10000\pi) \rightarrow \frac{2\pi}{T_S} > 20000\pi \rightarrow T_S < 0.1\text{ms}$

To allow transmission over a band of 200 - 3200Hz, i.e. from  $400\pi$  to  $6400\pi$ , we need the following filter:

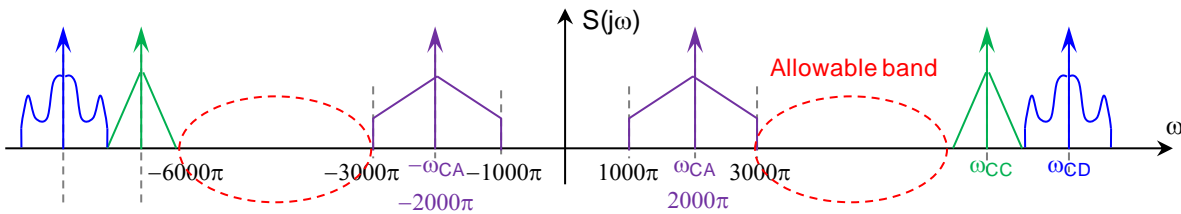
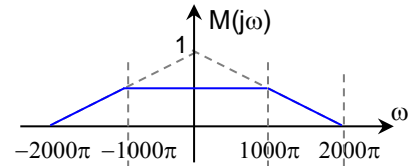


The new  $\omega_m = 6400\pi$ . Thus, the condition to avoid aliasing when sampling is:

$$\omega_S > 2\omega_m \rightarrow \omega_S > 2(6400\pi) \rightarrow \frac{2\pi}{T_S} > 12800\pi \rightarrow T_S < 0.15625\text{ms}$$

PROBLEM 8 (10 PTS)

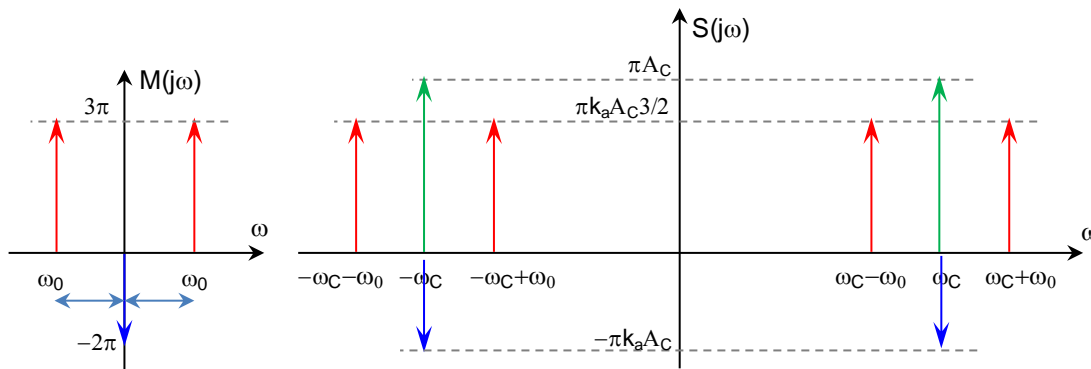
- c) For the following signal:  $m(t) = 3\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}t\right) - 1$  and for Full Amplitude modulation: (6)
- Get the Fourier series and the Fourier Transform of  $m(t)$ . Sketch the Fourier Transform of  $m(t)$  (the message) and of the modulated signal.
  - Provide an expression for the percentage of modulation based on  $k_a$ . What is condition on  $k_a$  to avoid over-modulation? Find the value of  $k_a$  that provides a % of modulation of 45%.
- d) The following signal needs to be transmitted alongside others (Full AM). However, there is only an allowable band for the signal. Thus, we need to filter some frequencies. (4)
- Sketch the FT of the system that filters these frequencies.
  - What is the carrier frequency (in Hz) that allows for this signal to be properly transmitted?
  - What is the condition on  $k_a$  to avoid over-modulation?



a)  $m(t) = 3\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}t\right) - 1 = \frac{3}{2}e^{j\frac{\pi}{6}t} + \frac{3}{2}e^{-j\frac{\pi}{6}t} - 1 = M[1]e^{j\frac{\pi}{6}t} + M[-1]e^{-j\frac{\pi}{6}t} + M[0], \omega_0 = \frac{\pi}{6}$

$$M[k] = \begin{cases} \frac{3}{2}, & k = \pm 1 \\ -1, & k = 0 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$M(j\omega) = 2\pi \left\{ \frac{3}{2} \delta\left(\omega - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) + \frac{3}{2} \delta\left(\omega + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) - \delta(\omega) \right\}$$

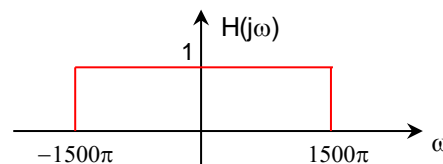


Percentage of modulation:  $\max|k_a m(t)| = |k_a| \max|m(t)| = |k_a|4$

To avoid over-modulation:  $|k_a|4 < 1 \rightarrow |k_a| < \frac{1}{4}$

For 45%:  $|k_a|4 = 0.45 \rightarrow |k_a| = 0.45/4$

- b) Allowable band:  $3000\pi$ . So,  $\omega_m = 1500\pi$ .  
Then, we need the following filter:



According to the graph, the carrier frequency should be:  $\omega_C = 4500\pi \rightarrow f_C = 2250\text{Hz}$ .

To avoid over-modulation:  $\max|k_a m(t)| < 1$

**BONUS PROBLEM (+ 10 PTS)**

- Using the definition, determine the Laplace Transform, the ROC and the pole-zero plot of the following signal:  $x(t) = e^{at}(u(t - T) - u(t))$ . (2)
- Demonstrate that if the ROC of the Z-transform of the impulse response of an LTI system contains the unit circle, then, the system is stable. (2)
- Consider a signal with Laplace Transform  $X(s) = \frac{1}{s + \frac{1}{2}}$ . Determine a different Laplace Transform  $X_1(s)$  and the corresponding time function  $x_1(t)$ , so that: (2)
 
$$|X_1(j\omega)| = |X(j\omega)|, \quad \text{but } x_1(t) \neq x(t)$$
- A pressure gauge, which can be modeled as an LTI system, has a time response to a unit impulse input given by  $(1 + e^{-t} - 6te^{-t})u(t)$ . For a certain unknown input  $x(t)$ , the output is observed to be  $(2 - 2e^{-t} + te^{-t})u(t)$ . For this observed measurement, determine the true pressure input to the gauge as a function of time. Assume that the input signal is right-sided. (4)

a)  $T > 0$ :

$$X(s) = - \int_0^T e^{at} e^{-st} dt = \frac{1}{s-a} e^{-(s-a)t} \Big|_0^T$$

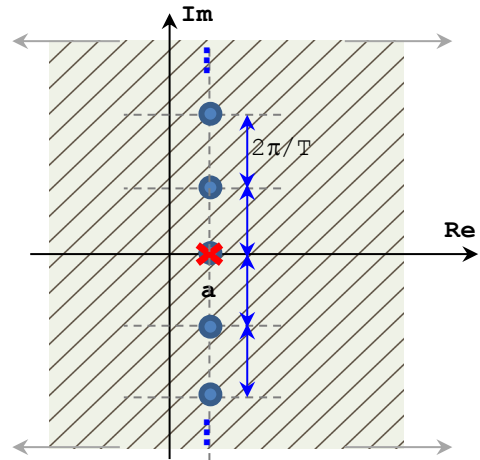
$$X(s) = \frac{1}{s-a} (e^{-(s-a)T} - 1), s \neq a$$

$$X(s) = \int_0^T e^{at} e^{-st} dt = \int_0^T 1 dt = T, s = a$$

Pole:  $s = a$

Zeros:  $(e^{-(s-a)T} - 1) = 0 \rightarrow -(s-a)T = j2\pi k$   
 $\rightarrow s = a - \frac{j2\pi k}{T}, k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$

There is one zero at  $s = a$ . As a result, there is pole-zero cancellation. Thus, the ROC is the entire s-plane.



b) If the ROC includes the unit circle, that means that the DTFT exists or converges.

Convergence of DTFT:  $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |h[n]| < \infty$

Definition of stability for LTI systems:  $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |h[n]| < \infty$

We notice that these two definitions are the same, therefore convergence of the DTFT of  $h[n]$  implies stability of the LTI system.

c)  $X(s) = \frac{1}{s + \frac{1}{2}} \rightarrow X(j\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega + \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{j\omega - \frac{1}{2}}{\omega^2 + \frac{1}{4}} \rightarrow |X(j\omega)| = \frac{\sqrt{\omega^2 + \frac{1}{2}}}{\omega^2 + \frac{1}{4}}$

$\rightarrow |X_1(j\omega)| = \frac{\sqrt{\omega^2 + \frac{1}{2}}}{\omega^2 + \frac{1}{4}}$ . This can correspond to:  $X_1(j\omega) = \frac{j\omega + \frac{1}{2}}{\omega^2 + \frac{1}{4}} = \frac{1}{j\omega - \frac{1}{2}} \rightarrow X_1(s) = \frac{1}{s - \frac{1}{2}}$

Now, we know that  $X_1 = \frac{1}{s - \frac{1}{2}}$ , ROC:  $Re\{s\} > \frac{1}{2}$  or  $Re\{s\} < \frac{1}{2}$ . For FT to exist, we need  $Re\{s\} < \frac{1}{2}$

Thus,  $x_1(t) = -e^{\frac{1}{2}t} u(-t)$

d)  $H(s) = \frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{s+1} - \frac{6}{(s+1)^2}, Y(s) = \frac{2}{s} - \frac{2}{s+1} + \frac{1}{(s+1)^2}$

$$\rightarrow X(s) = \frac{Y(s)}{H(s)} = \frac{\frac{2}{s} - \frac{2}{s+1} + \frac{1}{(s+1)^2}}{\frac{1}{s} + \frac{1}{s+1} - \frac{6}{(s+1)^2}} = \frac{2(s+1)^2 - 2s(s+1) + s}{(s+1)^2 + s(s+1) - 6s} = \frac{2s^2 + 4s + 2 - 2s^2 - 2s + s}{s^2 + 2s + 1 + s^2 + s - 6s}$$

$$\rightarrow X(s) = \frac{3s + 2}{2s^2 - 3s + 1} = \frac{3s + 2}{2(s-1)(s - \frac{1}{2})} = \frac{5}{s-1} - \frac{7}{2(s - \frac{1}{2})}$$

Since we know that  $x(t)$  is right-sided, then the ROC has to extend toward infinity.

$$e^t u(t) \xleftrightarrow{L} X(s) = \frac{1}{s-1}, \text{ ROC: } Re\{s\} > 1 \quad \Bigg| \quad e^{\frac{1}{2}t} u(t) \xleftrightarrow{L} X(s) = \frac{1}{s - \frac{1}{2}}, \text{ ROC: } Re\{s\} > \frac{1}{2}$$

Finally:  $x(t) = 5e^t u(t) - \frac{7}{2} e^{\frac{1}{2}t} u(t)$