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ECE 300
Signals and Systems

Exam 1
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Multiple Choice Questions (20 points, 2 points each)

1) For the system described by the differential equation $\dot{y}(t) - 2y(t) = x(t+1)$, the impulse response is

- a) $h(t) = e^{-2(t+1)}u(t)$ b) $h(t) = e^{2(t-1)}u(t+1)$ c) $h(t) = e^{-2(t+1)}u(t+1)$ **d) $h(t) = e^{2(t+1)}u(t+1)$**

$$\dot{h} - 2h = \delta(t+1)$$

$$\frac{d}{dt}(he^{-2t}) = e^{-2t}\delta(t+1) = e^2\delta(t+1)$$

$$h(t)e^{-2t} = \int_{-\infty}^t e^2\delta(\lambda+1)d\lambda = e^2u(t+1)$$

$h(t) = e^{2(t+1)}u(t+1)$

2) What is the period of the periodic signal $x(t) = \sin\left(\frac{1}{2}t + \pi\right) + e^{j\frac{t}{3}}$

- a) π b) 2π c) 6π **d) 12π** e) none of these

$$\frac{T}{2} = g(2\pi) \quad \frac{T}{3} = r(2\pi) \quad T = g(4\pi) = r(6\pi) \quad g, r \text{ integers}$$

$$g = 3 \quad r = 2 \quad \boxed{T = 12\pi}$$

3) The signal $x(t) = \cos(t)[u(t) - u(t-10)]$ is

- a) a power signal **b) an energy signal** c) neither a power nor energy signal

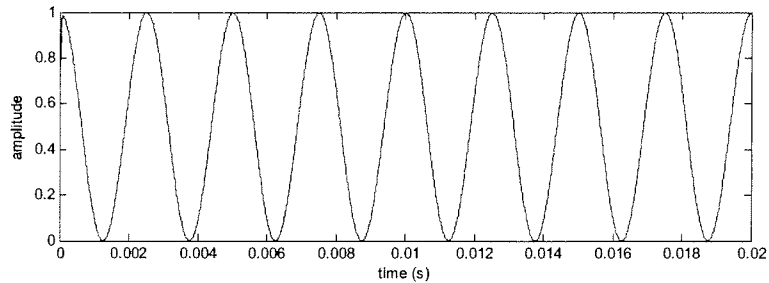
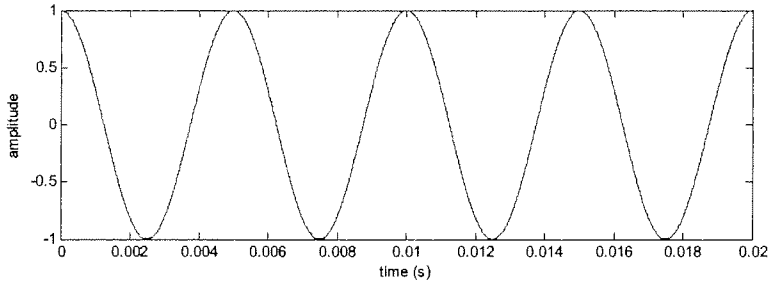
4) The signal $x(t) = 2e^{j3t}$ is

- a) a power signal** b) an energy signal c) neither a power nor energy signal

$$P_{\infty} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T |2e^{j3t}|^2 dt = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} 4 \cdot 2T = 4$$

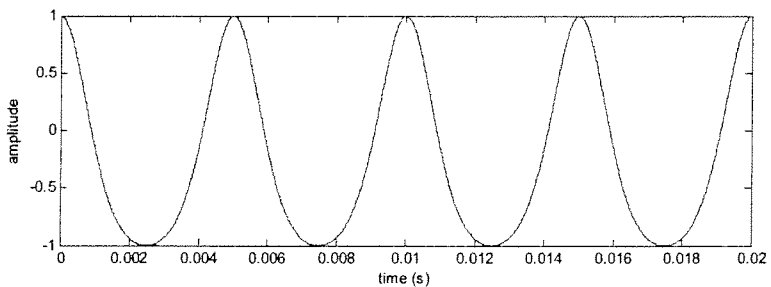
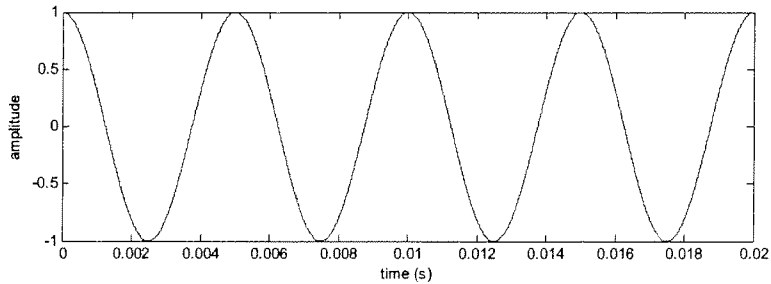
5) Consider a system with the following input (top panel) and output (bottom panel) . Is the system linear?

- a) Yes **(b) No** c) it is not possible to determine *input and output frequencies are not the same*

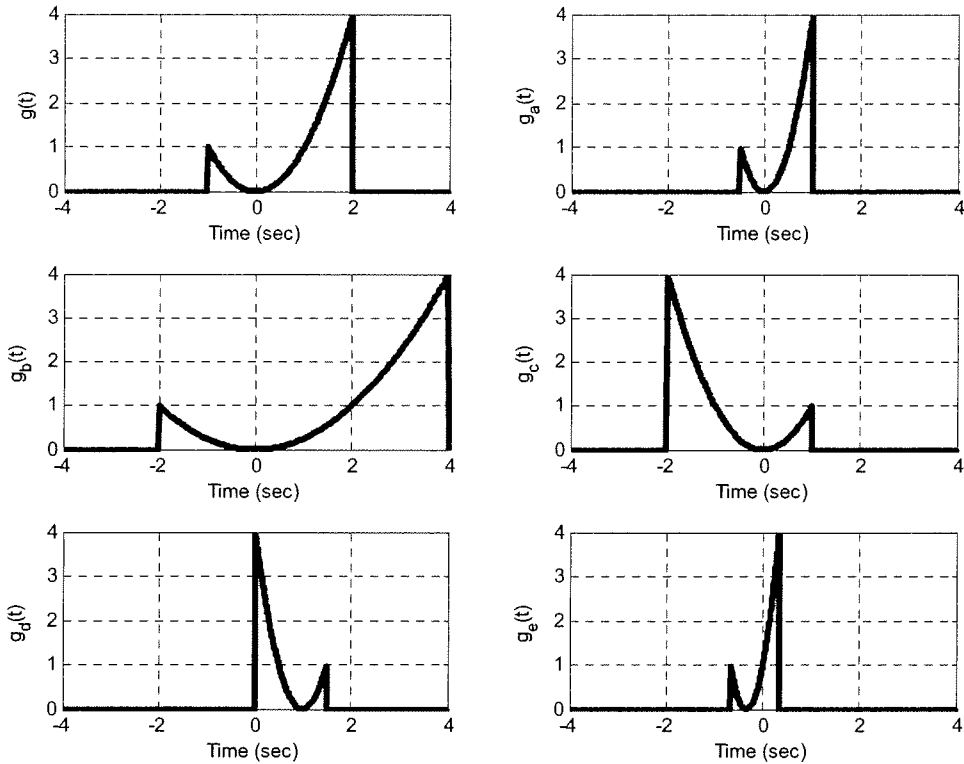


6) Consider a system with the following input (top panel) and output (bottom panel) . Is the system linear?

- a) Yes **(b) No** c) it is not possible to determine *output is not a cosine*



Problems 7-9 refer to the following signals. The original signal, $g(t)$, is in the upper left corner



7) Which signal best represents $g(-t)$?

- a) $g_a(t)$ b) $g_b(t)$ **c) $g_c(t)$** d) $g_d(t)$ e) $g_e(t)$

$$g(-1) = g(-t) \quad t = 1$$

$$g(2) = g(-t) \quad t = -2$$

8) Which signal best represents $g(2(1-t))$?

- a) $g_a(t)$ b) $g_b(t)$ c) $g_c(t)$ **d) $g_d(t)$** e) $g_e(t)$

$$g(-1) = g(2(1-t)) \quad -1 = 2(1-t) \quad t = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$g(2) = g(2(1-t)) \quad 2 = 2(1-t) \quad t = 0$$

9) Which signal best represents $g\left(\frac{t}{2}\right)$?

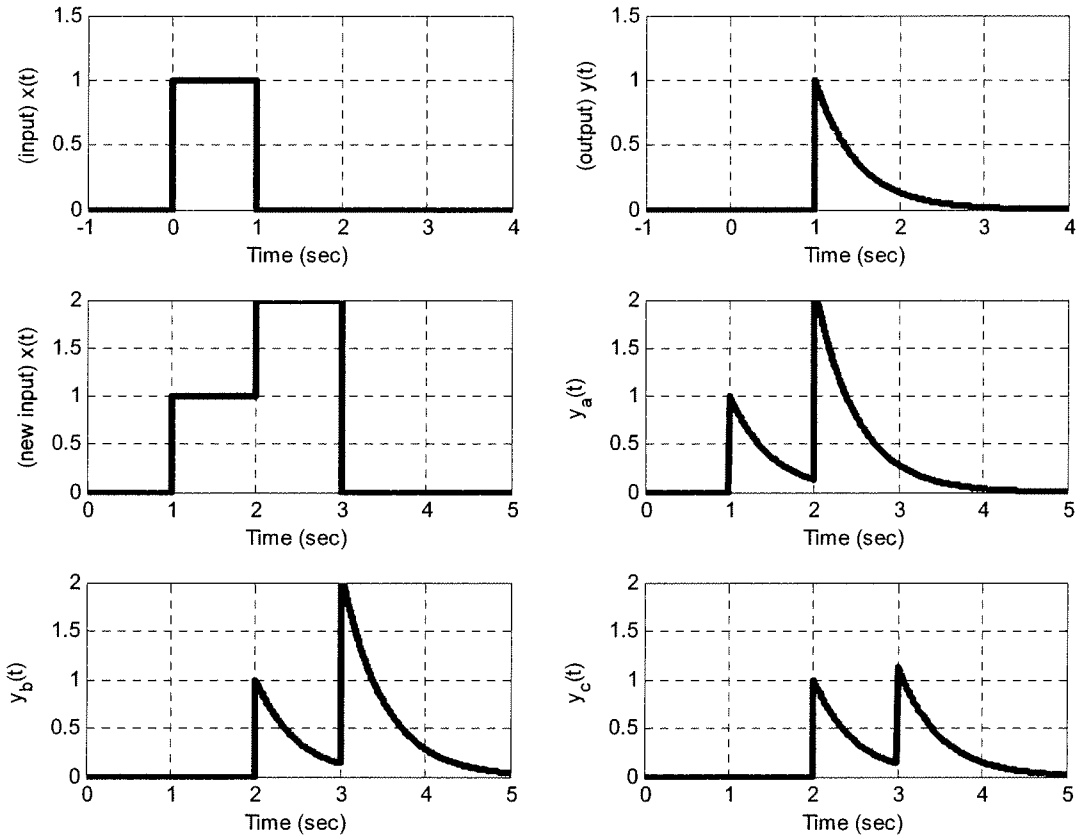
- a) $g_a(t)$ **b) $g_b(t)$** c) $g_c(t)$ d) $g_d(t)$ e) $g_e(t)$

$$g(-1) = g\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) \quad -1 = \frac{t}{2} \quad t = -2$$

$$g(2) = g\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) \quad 2 = \frac{t}{2} \quad t = 4$$

10) Consider an LTI system with known input $x(t)$ and corresponding output $y(t)$ shown in the top row in the figure below. Assume a new input to the system, shown in the left of the middle row. The output of this LTI system will be

- a) $y_a(t)$ **b) $y_b(t)$** c) $y_c(t)$ d) none of these



$$x(t) \rightarrow y(t)$$

$$x(t-1) + 2x(t-2) \rightarrow y(t-1) + 2y(t-2)$$

11. System Properties (25 points)

a) Fill in the following table with a Y (Yes) or N (No). Only your responses in the table will be graded, not any work. Assume $x(t)$ is the system input, $y(t)$ is the system output, and $h(t)$ is the impulse response for an LTI system. Also assume we are looking at all times (positive and negative times).

System	Linear ?	Time-Invariant?	Memoryless?	Causal?
$\dot{y}(t) + y(t) = x(t+1) + t$	N	N	N	N
$y(t) = x\left(\frac{t-1}{2}\right)$	Y	N	N	N

b) Determine whether or not the following system is linear and time-invariant. You will be graded on your procedure, not just the final answer. Be sure to show your work.

$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t (x(\lambda) + \lambda) d\lambda$$

Linearity

$$\begin{aligned} z_1 &= ay_1(t) + by_2(t) = a \int_{-\infty}^t (x_1(\lambda) + \lambda) d\lambda + b \int_{-\infty}^t (x_2(\lambda) + \lambda) d\lambda \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^t [ax_1(\lambda) + bx_2(\lambda) + \lambda(a+b)] d\lambda \end{aligned}$$

$$z_2 = \int_{-\infty}^t [ax_1(\lambda) + bx_2(\lambda) + \lambda] d\lambda$$

$z_1 \neq z_2$ so non-linear

Time Invariance

$$z_1 = \int_{-\infty}^t (x(\lambda - t_0) + \lambda) d\lambda = \int_{-\infty}^{t-t_0} (x(\sigma) + \sigma + t_0) d\sigma$$

$\sigma = \lambda - t_0$
 $d\sigma = d\lambda$

$$z_2 = y(t-t_0) = \int_{-\infty}^{t-t_0} (x(\lambda) + \lambda) d\lambda$$

$z_1 \neq z_2$ so NOT time-invariant

12. Impulse Response (25 points)

Consider the following system, composed of two subsystems each receiving $x(t)$ as their input. Assume both systems are initially at rest, both systems are causal.

- a) Determine the impulse response for each system given below

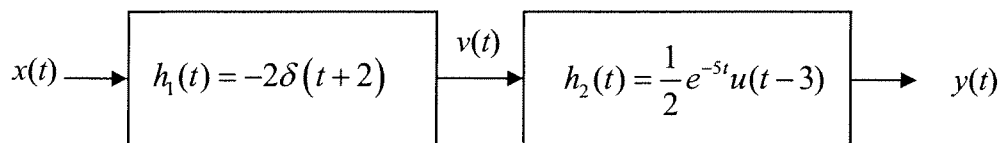
$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{t-3} x(\lambda - 1) d\lambda$$

$$h(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{t-3} \delta(\lambda - 1) d\lambda = \begin{cases} 0 & t-3 < 1 \\ 1 & t-3 \geq 1 \end{cases} = u(t-4)$$

$$y(t) = 4x(t-3)$$

$$h(t) = 4\delta(t-3)$$

- b) Determine the impulse response between input $x(t)$ and output $y(t)$



$$H(t) = h_1(t) * h_2(t) = \frac{1}{2} e^{-5t} u(t-3) * -2\delta(t+2)$$

$$= -1 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(\lambda+2) e^{-5(t-\lambda)} u(t-\lambda-3) d\lambda$$

$$= -e^{-5(t+2)} u(t-1) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(\lambda+2) d\lambda = \boxed{e^{-5(t+2)} u(t-1)}$$

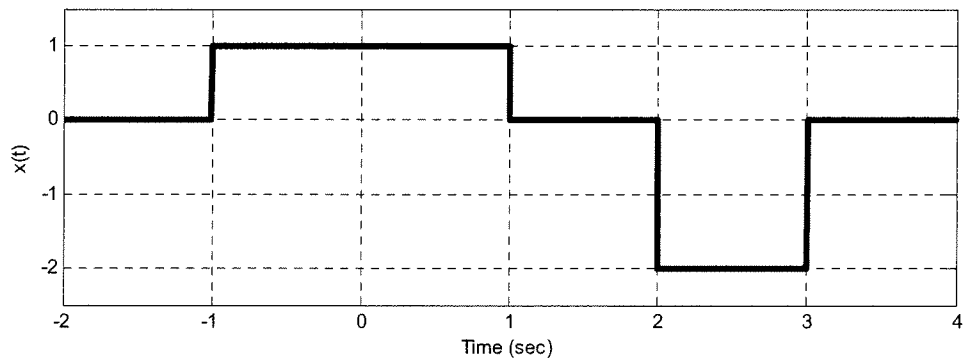
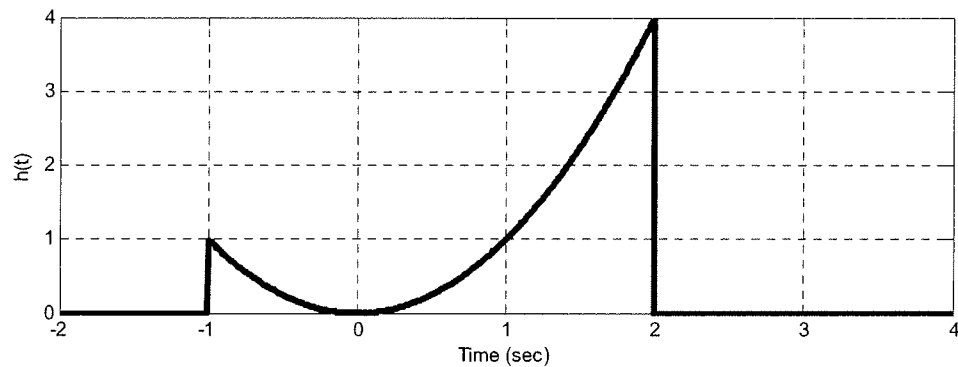
13. (30 points) Consider a causal linear time invariant system with impulse response

$$h(t) = t^2 [u(t+1) - u(t-2)]$$

The input to the system is

$$x(t) = u(t+1) - u(t-1) - 2u(t-2) + 2u(t-3)$$

These two functions are plotted below:



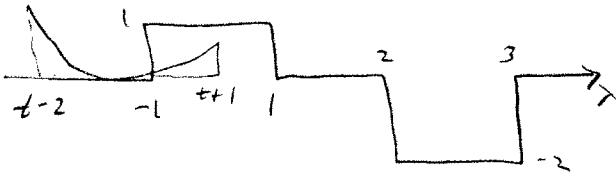
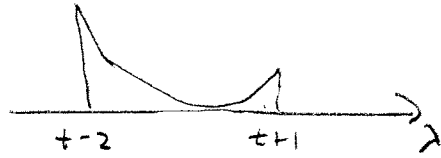
Using ***graphical convolution***, set up the integrals to determine the output $y(t)$. Specifically, you must

- Flip and slide $h(t)$
- Show graphs displaying $h(t - \lambda)$ relative to $x(\lambda)$ for each region of interest.
- Determine the ranges of t for which each part of your solution is valid.
- Set up any necessary integrals to compute $y(t)$. Your integrals must be complete and simplified as much as possible (no unit step functions)
- ***Do Not Evaluate the Integrals!!***

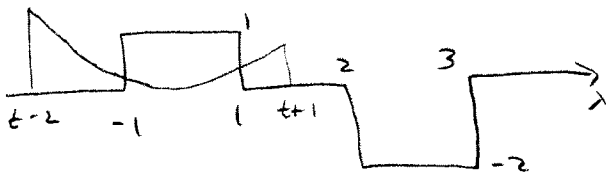
$$h(z) = h(t-\lambda) \quad z = t-\lambda \quad \lambda = t-z$$

$$h(-1) = h(t-\lambda) \quad -1 = t-\lambda \quad \lambda = t+1$$

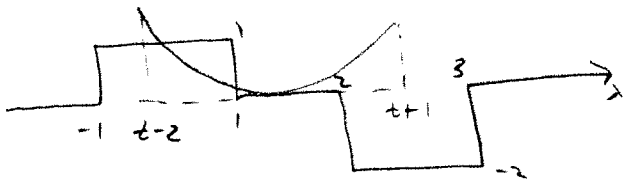
$$h(t-\lambda) = (t-\lambda)^2$$



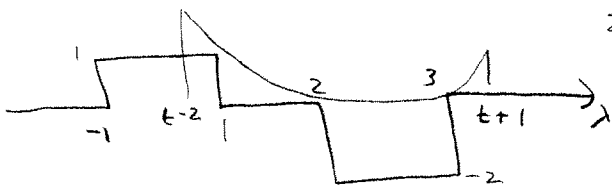
$$-2 \leq t \leq 0 \quad y(t) = \int_{-1}^{t+1} (t-\lambda)^2 (1) d\lambda$$



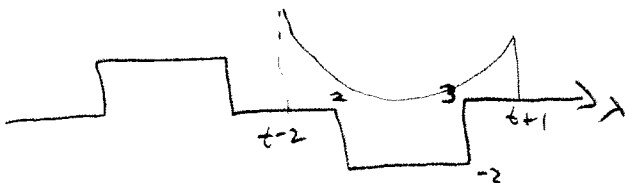
$$0 \leq t \leq 1 \quad y(t) = \int_{-1}^1 (t-\lambda)^2 (1) d\lambda$$



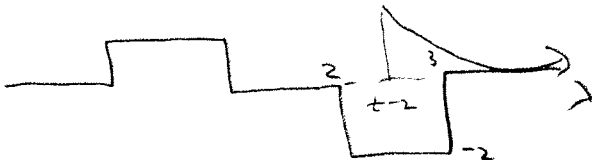
$$1 \leq t \leq 2 \quad y(t) = \int_{t-2}^1 (t-\lambda)^2 (1) d\lambda + \int_2^{t+1} (t-\lambda)^2 (-2) d\lambda$$



$$2 \leq t \leq 3 \quad y(t) = \int_{t-2}^1 (t-\lambda)^2 (1) d\lambda + \int_2^3 (t-\lambda)^2 (-2) d\lambda$$



$$3 \leq t \leq 4 \quad y(t) = \int_2^3 (t-\lambda)^2 (-2) d\lambda$$



$$4 \leq t \leq 5 \quad y(t) = \int_{t-2}^3 (t-\lambda)^2 (-2) d\lambda$$

$$y(t) = 0 \quad \text{for } t \leq -2 \quad \text{or} \quad t \geq 5$$