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**ECE 366 EXAM 1**  
**October 10, 2008**

- No textbooks, notes or HW solutions.
- You are allowed to use one page of notes.
- Calculators are allowed.
- Exam is 50 minutes.
- To maximize your score on this exam, read the questions carefully and write legibly. For those problems that allow partial credit, show your work clearly.
- Good luck.

1. [40] Answer the following short answer questions. Show work to get partial credit.

a) [18] Determine whether the following systems are linear, time-invariant and causal.

System	Linear	Time-Invariant	Causal
$y(t) = \sin(x(t))$	No	Yes	Yes
$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t x(2\tau) d\tau$	Yes	No	No
$y(t) = x(t)u(t)$	Yes	No	Yes

$$H(j) = \frac{1}{j+2}$$

b) [7] For a LTI system with transfer function  $H(s) = \frac{1}{s+2}$ , what is the zero-state response if the input is  $x(t) = 3 + \cos(t)$ ?

$$y(t) = 3H(0) + |H(j)| \cos\left(t + \angle H(j)\right)$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} \cos\left(t - \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)\right)$$

$|H(j)| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}$   
 $\angle H(j) = -\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)$

d) [5] Evaluate  $\int_{-\infty}^2 \cos(2t-5)\delta(t-3)dt$

$$\int_{-\infty}^2 \cos(1)\delta(t-3)dt = 0$$

e) [5] Determine whether the signal  $x(t) = 2 + 3\cos(4\pi t + \pi/3) + 5\sin(2t)$  is periodic or not. If periodic, determine the period.

$$T_{0,1} = \frac{2\pi}{4\pi} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$T_{0,2} = \frac{2\pi}{2} = \pi \quad \frac{T_{0,1}}{T_{0,2}} = \frac{1}{2\pi}$$

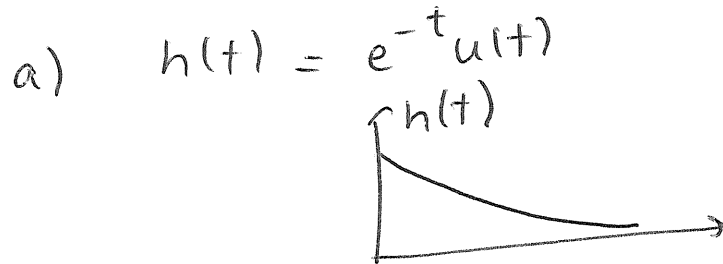
Not periodic

f) [5] Determine whether the signal  $x(t) = \cos(t)u(t)$  is an energy or power signal.

Power signal.

2. [30] Consider the cascade (in series) connection of two LTI systems with impulse responses  $h_1(t), h_2(t)$ , respectively. Assume that  $h_1(t) = e^{-(t+2)}u(t+2)$  and  $h_2(t) = \delta(t-2)$ .

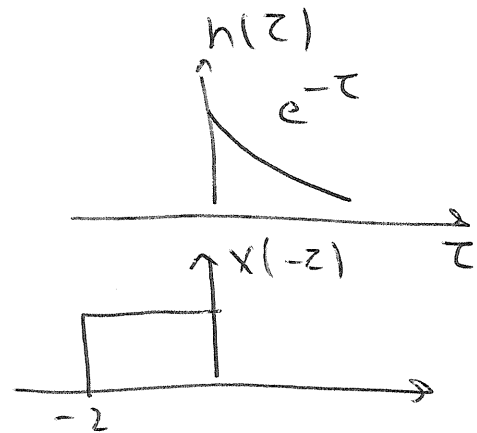
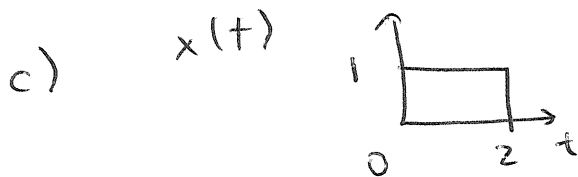
- [8] Find and sketch the impulse response of the total system.
- [8] Determine whether the system is memoryless, causal and stable.
- [14] Assume that an input signal  $x(t) = u(t) - u(t-2)$  is applied to this system, find the zero-state response  $y(t)$ . Use convolution to receive full credit.



b) Not memoryless

causal

$$\int_0^{\infty} e^{-t} dt = -e^{-t} \Big|_0^{\infty} = 1 < \infty \text{ stable}$$



for  $t < 0$  no overlap  $y(t) = 0$

$0 \leq t < 2$  partial overlap  $\int_0^t e^{-\tau} d\tau = -e^{-\tau} \Big|_0^t = -e^{-t} + 1$

$t \geq 2$  full overlap  $\int_{t-2}^t e^{-\tau} d\tau = -e^{-\tau} \Big|_{t-2}^t = -e^{-t} + e^{-(t-2)}$

Extra Page for Question 2:

$$y(t) = [1 - e^{-t}] [u(t) - u(t-2)] \\ + [e^{-(t-2)} - e^{-t}] [u(t-2)]$$

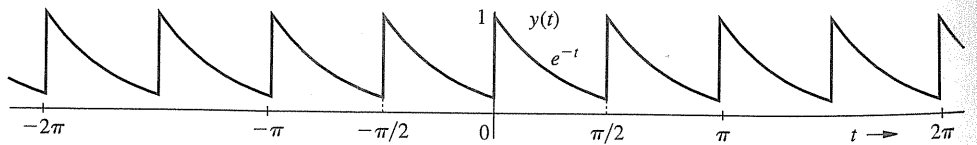
$$t-2 \geq 0 \\ t \geq 2$$

3. [30] For the following periodic signal:

a) [3] What is the fundamental frequency and period of this signal?

b) [15] Find the exponential Fourier series coefficients for this signal.

c) [12] Sketch the magnitude and phase spectrum for this signal for  $k = -3, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3$ . Label your axes.



$$a) T_0 = \pi/2$$

$$\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T_0} = 4 \text{ rad/sec}$$

$$b) C_k = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{T_0} x(t) e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} e^{-t} e^{-jk4t} dt = \frac{2}{\pi} \frac{e^{-(1+j4k)t}}{-(1+j4k)} \Big|_0^{\pi/2}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \frac{e^{-(1+j4k)\pi/2} - 1}{-(1+j4k)} = \frac{2}{\pi} \frac{e^{-\pi/2} (e^{-j2\pi k} - 1)}{-(1+j4k)}$$

$$C_k = \frac{2}{\pi} \frac{1 - e^{-\pi/2}}{1 + j4k} = \frac{0.504}{1 + j4k}$$

$$c) |C_k| = \frac{0.504}{\sqrt{1 + 16k^2}}$$

$$\angle C_k = -\tan^{-1}(4k)$$

