

# ECE 4213/5213

## Test 1

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Name: SOLUTION

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**Directions:** This test is open book. You may also use a calculator, a clean copy of the course notes, and a clean copy of the formula sheet from the course web site. Other materials are not allowed. You have 75 minutes to complete the test. All work must be your own.

**Students enrolled for undergraduate credit:** work any four problems. Each problem counts 25 points. Below, circle the numbers of the four problems you wish to have graded.

**Students enrolled for graduate credit:** work all five problems. Each problem counts 20 points.

SHOW ALL OF YOUR WORK for maximum partial credit!

**GOOD LUCK!**

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SCORE:

1. (25/20) \_\_\_\_\_

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TOTAL (100):

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*On my honor, I affirm that I have neither given nor received inappropriate aid in the completion of this test.*

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1. 25/20 pts. A discrete-time LTI system  $H$  has impulse response  $h[n]$  given by

$$h[n] = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u[n-1].$$

The system input is given by

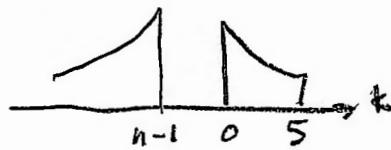
$$x[n] = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n (u[n] - u[n-6]) = \begin{cases} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n, & 0 \leq n \leq 5, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Use time domain convolution to find the system output  $y[n]$ .

$$y[n] = x[n] * h[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k] h[n-k]$$

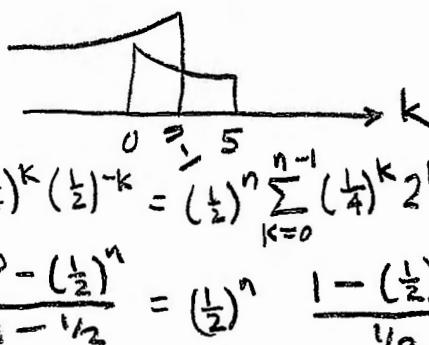
case I)  $n-1 < 0 : n < 1$

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} 0 = 0$$



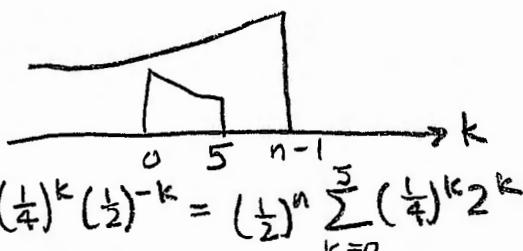
case II)  $n-1 \geq 0 \text{ and } n-1 \leq 5$

$$\begin{aligned} y[n] &= \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^k \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-k} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^k \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-k} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^k 2^k \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^0 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \frac{1 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n}{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= 2 \left[ \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n - \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n \right] \end{aligned}$$



case III)  $n-1 \geq 5 : n \geq 6$

$$\begin{aligned} y[n] &= \sum_{k=0}^5 \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^k \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-k} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \sum_{k=0}^5 \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^k \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-k} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \sum_{k=0}^5 \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^k 2^k \\ &= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \sum_{k=0}^5 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^0 - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^6}{1 - \frac{1}{2}} = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \frac{1 - \frac{1}{64}}{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= 2 \cdot \frac{63}{64} \cdot \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n = \frac{63}{32} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \end{aligned}$$

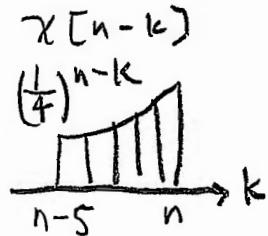
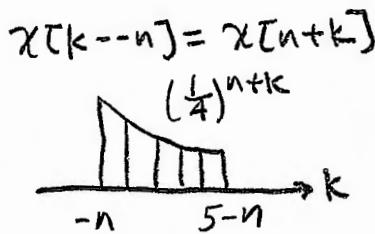
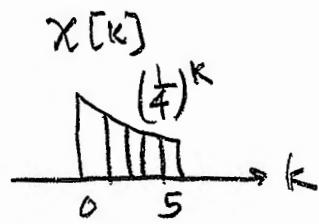
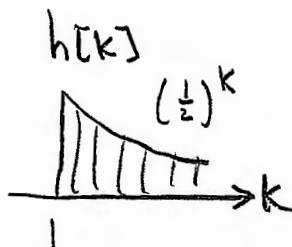


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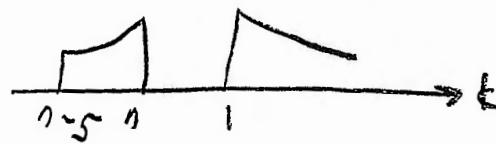
$$y[n] = \begin{cases} 0, & n < 1 \\ 2 \left[ \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n - \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n \right], & 1 \leq n \leq 5 \\ \frac{63}{32} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n, & n \geq 6 \end{cases}$$

OTHER WAY:  $y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} h[k]x[n-k]$

More Workspace for Problem 1...

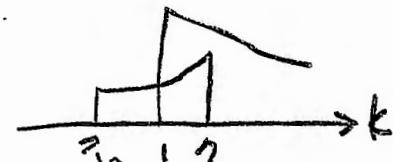


case I)  $n < 1$



$$y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} 0 = 0$$

case II)  $n \geq 1$  and  $n-5 < 1$



$$\begin{aligned} y[n] &= \sum_{k=1}^n (\frac{1}{2})^k (\frac{1}{4})^{n-k} = (\frac{1}{4})^n \sum_{k=1}^n (\frac{1}{2})^k (\frac{1}{4})^{-k} \\ &= (\frac{1}{4})^n \sum_{k=1}^n (\frac{1}{2})^k 4^k = (\frac{1}{4})^n \sum_{k=1}^n 2^k = (\frac{1}{4})^n \frac{2^1 - 2^{n+1}}{1-2} \\ &= (\frac{1}{4})^n [2^{n+1} - 2] = 2(\frac{1}{4})^n [2^n - 1] \\ &= 2[(\frac{1}{4})^n 2^n - (\frac{1}{4})^n] = 2[(\frac{1}{2})^n - (\frac{1}{4})^n] \end{aligned}$$

case III)  $n \geq 6$



$$\begin{aligned} y[n] &= \sum_{k=n-5}^n (\frac{1}{2})^k (\frac{1}{4})^{n-k} \\ &= (\frac{1}{4})^n \sum_{k=n-5}^n (\frac{1}{2})^k (\frac{1}{4})^{-k} = (\frac{1}{4})^n \sum_{k=n-5}^n (\frac{1}{2})^k 4^k \\ &= (\frac{1}{4})^n \sum_{k=n-5}^n 2^k = (\frac{1}{4})^n \frac{2^{n-5} - 2^{n+1}}{1-2} = (\frac{1}{4})^n [2^1 2^n - \frac{1}{32} 2^n] \\ &= 2^n (\frac{1}{4})^n [2 - \frac{1}{32}] = (\frac{1}{2})^n [\frac{64 - 1}{32}] = \frac{63}{32} (\frac{1}{2})^n \end{aligned}$$

All Together:  $y[n] = \begin{cases} 0 & , n < 1 \\ 2[(\frac{1}{2})^n - (\frac{1}{4})^n] & , 1 \leq n < 6 \\ \frac{63}{32} (\frac{1}{2})^n & , n \geq 6 \end{cases}$

2. 25/20 pts. The input  $x[n]$  and output  $y[n]$  of a discrete-time system  $H$  are related by

$$y[n] = x[2 - n] + 1.$$

(a) 6/5 pts. Is the system  $H$  linear? Justify your answer.

Let  $x_1[n] = 0 \forall n \rightarrow y_1[n] = 1 \forall n$

Let  $x_2[n] = 0 \forall n \rightarrow y_2[n] = 1 \forall n$

Let  $a=2$  and  $b=3$ .

Let  $x_3[n] = ax_1[n] + bx_2[n] = 0 \forall n \rightarrow y_3[n] = 1 \forall n$ .

But  $ay_1[n] + by_2[n] = 2y_1[n] + 3y_2[n] = 2+3 = 5 \quad \forall n \neq y_3[n]$ .

Since  $ay_1[n] + by_2[n] \neq y_3[n]$ ,

the system is NOT LINEAR.

Problem 2, cont...

- (b) 6/5 pts. Is the system  $H$  causal? Justify your answer.

Let  $x[n]$  be the input signal.

When  $n=0$ , we have:

$$y[0] = x[2] + 1$$

which depends on the future input  $x[2]$ .

Therefore, the system is NOT CAUSAL

- (c) 6/5 pts. Is the system  $H$  BIBO stable? Justify your answer.

Let  $x[n]$  be a bounded input signal.

Then  $\exists B \in \mathbb{R}$ ,  $B > 0$ , such that  $|x[n]| \leq B \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} |y[n]| &= |x[2-n] + 1| \\ &\leq |x[2-n]| + 1 \\ &\leq B + 1 < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

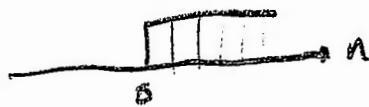
Therefore,  $y[n]$  is bounded by  $B+1$  and every bounded input signal produces a bounded output signal.

Therefore, the system IS BIBO STABLE.

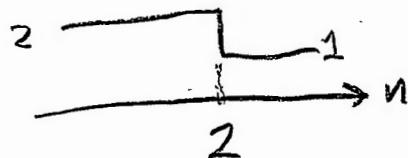
Problem 2, cont...

(d) 7/5 pts. Is the system  $H$  time invariant? Justify your answer.

Let  $x_1[n] = u[n]$



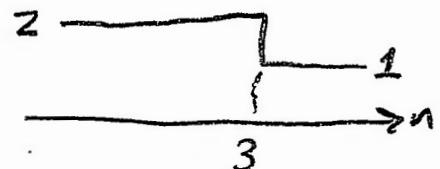
Then  $y_1[n] = x[2-n] + 1$   
 $= u[2-n] + 1$



Let  $n_0 = 1$ . Then  $y_1[n-n_0] = y_1[n-1] = u[2-\theta] \Big|_{\theta=n_0} + 1$

$$= u[2-(n-1)] + 1$$

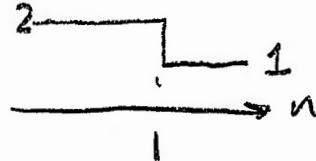
$$= u[3-n] + 1$$



Now let  $x_2[n] = x_1[n-n_0] = x_1[n-1] = u[n-1]$



$$\begin{aligned} y_2[n] &= x_2[2-n] + 1 = u[\theta-1] \Big|_{\theta=2-n} + 1 \\ &= u[2-n-1] + 1 \\ &= u[1-n] + 1 \end{aligned}$$



Since  $y_2[n] \neq y_1[n-n_0]$ ,

the system is NOT TIME INVARIANT

3. 25/20 pts. The input  $x[n]$  and output  $y[n]$  of a discrete-time LTI system  $H$  are related by

$$y[n] = \frac{1}{4}x[n] + \frac{1}{2}x[n-1] + x[n-2] + \frac{1}{2}x[n-3] + \frac{1}{4}x[n-4].$$

Find the system group delay  $\tau_g$ .

$$\text{DTFT: } Y(e^{j\omega}) = X(e^{j\omega}) \left[ \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega} + e^{-j2\omega} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-j3\omega} + \frac{1}{4}e^{-j4\omega} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} H(e^{j\omega}) &= \frac{Y(e^{j\omega})}{X(e^{j\omega})} = \left[ \frac{1}{4} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega} + e^{-j2\omega} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-j3\omega} + \frac{1}{4}e^{-j4\omega} \right] \\ &= \left[ \frac{1}{4}e^{j2\omega} + \frac{1}{2}e^{j\omega} + 1 + \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega} + \frac{1}{4}e^{-j2\omega} \right] e^{-j2\omega} \\ &= \underbrace{\left[ 1 + \cos\omega + \frac{1}{2}\cos 2\omega \right]}_{|H(e^{j\omega})|} \underbrace{e^{-j2\omega}}_{\arg H(e^{j\omega})} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Spectral phase} = \arg H(e^{j\omega}) = \Theta(\omega) = -2\omega$$

$$\text{group delay} = \tau_g = -\frac{d}{d\omega}\Theta(\omega) = 2$$

$\boxed{\tau_g = 2}$

4. 25/20 pts. The input  $x[n]$  and output  $y[n]$  of a discrete-time LTI system  $H$  are related by

$$y[n] - \frac{10}{3}y[n-1] + y[n-2] = x[n] - \frac{1}{2}x[n-1].$$

- (a) 5/4 pts. Find the transfer function  $H(z)$  and give a pole zero plot.

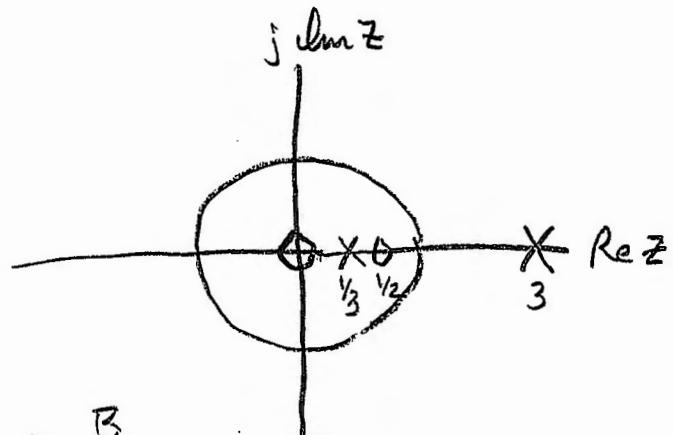
$$z: Y(z) \left[ 1 - \frac{10}{3}z^{-1} + z^{-2} \right] = X(z) \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1} \right]$$

$$H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = \frac{1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}}{1 - \frac{10}{3}z^{-1} + z^{-2}} = \underline{\underline{\frac{1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}}{(1 - \frac{1}{3}z^{-1})(1 - 3z^{-1})}}}$$

$$H(z) \frac{z^2}{z^2} = \frac{z(z - \frac{1}{2})}{(z - \frac{1}{3})(z - 3)}$$

$$\text{zeros: } z = 0, z = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{poles: } z = \frac{1}{3}, z = 3$$



PFE:

$$H(\theta) = \frac{1 - \frac{1}{2}\theta}{(1 - \frac{1}{3}\theta)(1 - 3\theta)} = \frac{A}{1 - \frac{1}{3}\theta} + \frac{B}{1 - 3\theta}$$

$$A = \left. \frac{1 - \frac{1}{2}\theta}{1 - 3\theta} \right|_{\theta=3} = \frac{1 - \frac{3}{2}}{1 - 9} = \frac{-\frac{1}{2}}{-8} = \frac{1}{16}$$

$$B = \left. \frac{1 - \frac{1}{2}\theta}{1 - \frac{1}{3}\theta} \right|_{\theta=\frac{1}{3}} = \frac{1 - \frac{1}{6}}{1 - \frac{1}{9}} = \frac{\frac{5}{6}}{\frac{8}{9}} = \frac{9}{8} \cdot \frac{5}{6} = \frac{3 \cdot 5}{2 \cdot 8} = \frac{15}{16}$$

$$H(z) = \frac{\frac{1}{16}}{1 - \frac{1}{3}z^{-1}} + \frac{\frac{15}{16}}{1 - 3z^{-1}}$$

Problem 4, cont...

- (b) 10/8 pts. Assume that the system  $H$  is causal. Specify the ROC of  $H(z)$  and find the impulse response  $h[n]$ . For this assumption, is the system  $H$  BIBO stable?

$H$  causal means the ROC is exterior to the largest pole.

$$\boxed{\text{ROC: } |z| > 3}$$

Since the ROC does not contain the unit circle,

$H$  is not BIBO STABLE.

$$H(z) = \underbrace{\frac{1/16}{1 - \frac{1}{3}z^{-1}}}_{|z| > \frac{1}{3}} + \underbrace{\frac{15/16}{1 - 3z^{-1}}}_{|z| > 3}$$

Table:  $\underline{h[n] = \frac{1}{16} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n u[n] + \frac{15}{16} 3^n u[n]}$

Problem 4, cont...

- (c) 10/8 pts. Now assume instead that the system  $H$  is BIBO stable. Specify the ROC of  $H(z)$  and find the impulse response  $h[n]$ . For this assumption, is the system  $H$  causal?

$H$  stable means the ROC must include the unit circle.

$$\boxed{\text{ROC: } \frac{1}{3} < |z| < 3}$$

Since the ROC is annular,  $h[n]$  is two-sided and the system is not causal.

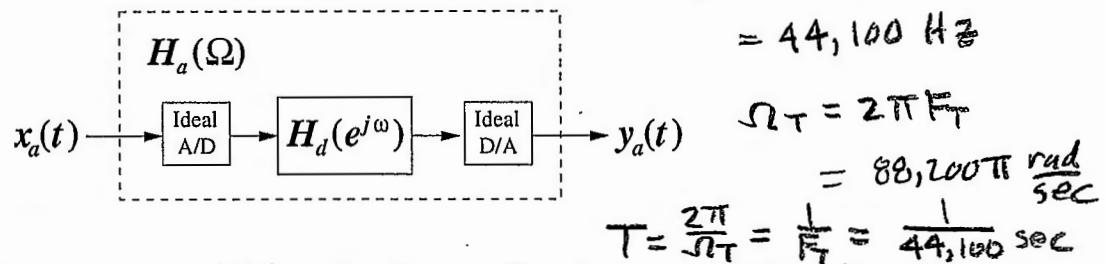
$$H(z) = \underbrace{\frac{1/16}{1 - \frac{1}{3}z^{-1}}}_{|z| > \frac{1}{3}} + \underbrace{\frac{15/16}{1 - 3z^{-1}}}_{|z| < 3}$$

Table: 
$$h[n] = \frac{1}{16} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n u[n] - \frac{15}{16} 3^n u[n-1]$$

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5. 25/20 pts. The continuous-time LTI system  $H_a(\Omega)$  shown in the figure below is implemented using an ideal A/D converter, a discrete-time LTI system  $H_d(e^{j\omega})$ , and an ideal D/A converter.



As in professional compact disc (CD) audio, the sampling frequency of the A/D and D/A converters is  $F_T = 44.1 \text{ kHz}$ . So  $\Omega_T = 88,200\pi \text{ rad/sec}$ . All input signals  $x_a(t)$  are bandlimited to  $|\Omega| < \Omega_T/2$  (this simply ensures that the overall structure shown in the figure will be an LTI system).

The impulse response of the continuous-time filter  $H_a$  is given by

$$h_a(t) = \frac{\sin 7000\pi t}{\pi t}.$$

- (a) 8/6 pts. Find the continuous-time frequency response  $H_a(\Omega)$ .

Table:  $\frac{\sin \omega t}{\pi t} \leftrightarrow \begin{cases} 1, & -\omega < \omega \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad \omega = 7000\pi$

$$H_a(\Omega) = \begin{cases} 1, & |\Omega| \leq 7000\pi \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 1, & -7000\pi \leq \Omega \leq 7000\pi \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- (b) 8/7 pts. Find the discrete-time frequency response  $H_d(e^{j\omega})$ .

$$\omega = \Omega T = \frac{\Omega}{44,100}$$

$$H_d(e^{j\omega}) = H_a\left(\frac{\omega}{T}\right), \quad |\omega| < \pi$$

$$H_d(e^{j\omega}) = \begin{cases} 1, & |\omega| \leq \frac{7000\pi}{44,100} \\ 0, & \frac{7000\pi}{44,100} \leq |\omega| < \pi \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 1, & -\frac{7000\pi}{44,100} \leq \omega \leq \frac{7000\pi}{44,100} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Problem 5, cont...

- (c) 9/7 pts. Find the discrete-time impulse response  $h_d[n]$ .

Table:  $h_d[n] = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{7000\pi}{44100} n\right)}{\pi n} = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{70\pi}{441} n\right)}{\pi n}$

