

AMIETE – ET/CS/IT (OLD SCHEME)

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Subject: SIGNALS & SYSTEMS
Max. Marks: 100

NOTE: There are 9 Questions in all.

- Question 1 is compulsory and carries 20 marks. Answer to Q.1 must be written in the space provided for it in the answer book supplied and nowhere else.
- The answer sheet for the Q.1 will be collected by the invigilator after 45 Minutes of the commencement of the examination.
- Out of the remaining EIGHT Questions answer any FIVE Questions. Each question carries 16 marks.
- Any required data not explicitly given, may be suitably assumed and stated.

Q.1 Choose the correct or the best alternative in the following: (2×10)

- a. The Fourier transform of the exponential signal $e^{-j\omega t}$ is
- (A) a constant. (B) a rectangular gate.
(C) an impulse. (D) a series of impulses.
- b. The auto-correlation function of a rectangular pulse of duration T is
- (A) a rectangular pulse of duration T
(B) a rectangular pulse of duration 2T.
(C) a triangular pulse of duration T.
(D) a triangular pulse of duration 2T
- c. The system characterized by the equation $y(t) = ax(t) + b$ is
- (A) linear for any value of b. (B) linear if $b > 0$.
(C) linear if $b < 0$ (D) non-linear.
- d. For a random variable x having the PDF shown in the Fig.1, the mean and the variance are, respectively,

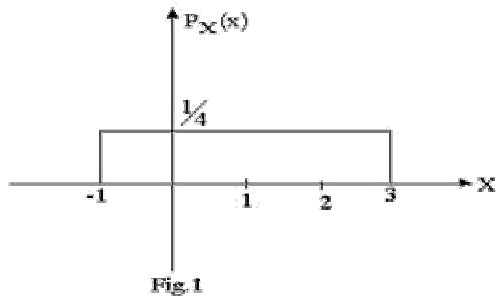


Fig.1

- (A) 1/2 and 2/3 (B) 1 and 4/3
(C) 1 and 2/3 (D) 2 and 4/3
- e. $\delta(at) = \frac{1}{a} \delta(t)$ is a property of the unit impulse $\delta(t)$ known as
- (A) Time-scaling property (B) Frequency- scaling property.
(C) Magnitude -scaling property (D) Frequency -selective property.

- f. The signal defined by the equation $u(t-a) = 0$ for $t < a$ and $u(t-a) = 1$ for $t \geq a$ is
- (A) unit step function (B) a pulse function
 (C) the ramp function (D) a shifted unit step function at $t = a$
- g. A function having frequency f is to be sampled. For the signal to be recovered from its samples, the sampling time T should be
- (A) $T = 1/(2f)$ (B) $T > 1/(2f)$
 (C) $T < 1/(2f)$ (D) $T \geq 1/(2f)$
- h. The function $(\sin x) / x$ is a
- (A) sine wave (B) inverse -sine wave
 (C) sinc function (D) Can't define
- i. If $f(t) = \delta(t-a)$, then $F(s)$ is equal to
- (A) 0 (B) 1
 (C) e^{as} (D) e^{-as}
- j. The discrete-time signal $x(n)$ shown Fig.2 is periodic with fundamental period

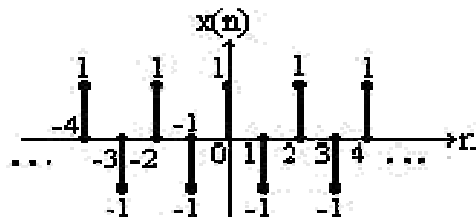


Fig. 2

- (A) 6 (B) 4
 (C) 2 (D) 0

**Answer any FIVE Questions out of EIGHT Questions.
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- Q.2** a. For the signal shown in Fig.3. Sketch (i) $x(t-2)$ (ii) $x(-t+2)$ (iii) $x(2t)$ (iv) $x(t/2)$ (8)

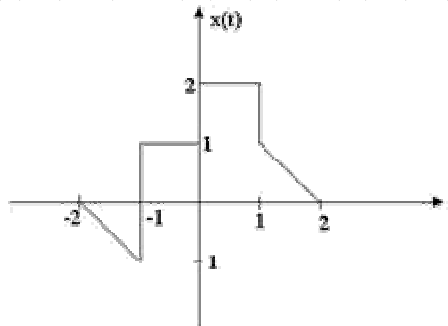


Fig.3

- b. Determine whether the system having input $x(t)$ and output $y(t)$ and described by relationship $y(t) = x(2t)$ is
 (i) memory-less, (ii) stable, (iii) causal (iv) linear and (v) time-invariant or not. (5)

- c. Differentiate between an Energy and a Power signal. (3)

- Q.3** a. Consider an LTI system with input $x(n)$ and the unit impulse response $h(n)$ specified as: $x(n) = 2^n u(-n)$ and $h(n) = u(n)$. Determine $y(n)$. (8)

- b. Consider the difference equation $y(n] - 0.5 y(n-1) = x(n)$. Obtain and plot $h(n)$ using only time domain methods. (5)

- c. State and prove commutative, associative and distributive properties of LTI systems. (3)

- Q.4** a. Determine the Fourier series expansion of the waveform $f(t)$ shown in Fig.4 in terms of sine and cosine functions. Sketch the magnitude and phase spectra. (10)

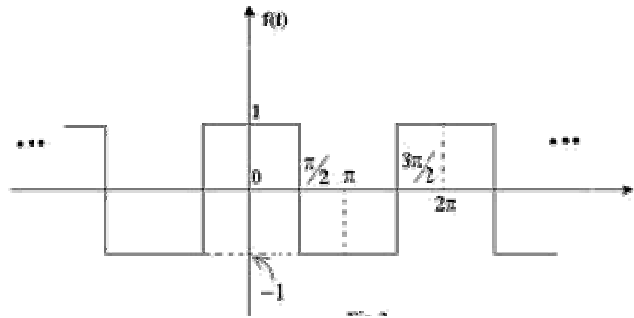


Fig. 4

- b. State and prove following properties of Continuous Time Fourier Series:
 (i) Differentiation (ii) Time scaling (iii) Time Reversal (6)

- Q.5** a. For the signal $x(n) = a^{|n|}$.
 (i) Plot the signal for $0 < a < 1$.
 (ii) Find Fourier Transform $X(e^{j\omega})$.
 (iii) Plot the resultant $X(e^{j\omega})$. (6)

- b. Consider a causal LTI system characterized by the difference equation $y(n] - 0.75 y(n-1) + 0.125 y(n-2) = x(n)$. Obtain $h(n)$.
 Also, find the output $y(n)$ if $x(n) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u(n)$. (10)

- Q.6** a. Explain the concept of
 (i) Non-linear phase (ii) Group delay (iii) Continuous-time ideal low pass filter (iv) First – order continuous –time system. (8)

- b. Define sampling and aliasing. For a signal $x(t)$, calculate Nyquist rate and Nyquist interval. $x(t) = 3\cos 50\pi t + 10 \sin 300\pi t - \cos 100\pi t$. (8)
- Q.7** a. Obtain Laplace Transform of the signal $x(t) = e^{-2t}u(t) + e^{-t} \cos 3t u(t)$. (8)
- b. Find the Laplace transform of $t \sin \omega_0 t u(t)$. (8)
- Q.8** a. Obtain z-transform for
 (i) $x(n) = a^n u(n)$
 (ii) $x(n) = -a^n u(-n-1)$. (4)
- b. Find the inverse Z – Transform of $x(z) = \frac{z}{(z-1)(z-2)(z-3)}$
 with ROC (i) $|z| > 3$ (ii) $|z| < 2$ (iii) $1 < |z| < 2$ (6)
- c. State and prove initial value and final value theorems for Laplace Transform. (6)
- Q.9** a. Write short notes on:
 (i) White noise (ii) Variance and Co-variance (8)
- b. A random variable $V = b + x$; where x is a Gaussian distributed random variable with mean 0 and variance σ^2 with ‘ b ’ a constant. Show that V is a Gaussian distributed random variable with mean b and variance σ^2 . (8)