

Code: A-06/C-04/T-04  
SYSTEMS

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Subject: SIGNALS &

Time: 3 Hours

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.
- 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 best alternative in the following: (2x10)**

- a. The LTI system represented by the characteristic equation  $s^2 - s + 3 = 0$  is
- (A) not stable.  
(B) stable.  
(C) marginally stable.  
(D) stable, or unstable depending on whether the system is causal or not.
- b. If a DTFS coefficient is a complex number, then there must be another DTFS coefficient for the same signal that is:
- (A) zero. (B)  $\infty$ .  
(C) a real number. (D) its complex conjugate.

- c. The condition:  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |h(t)| dt < \infty$  must be satisfied by a system that is :
- (A) memoryless. (B) BIBO stable.  
(C) causal. (D) invertible.
- d. The Fourier transform of a unit step function
- (A) does not exist. (B) is another unit step.  
(C) contains impulse functions. (D) is  $1/(j\omega)$ .

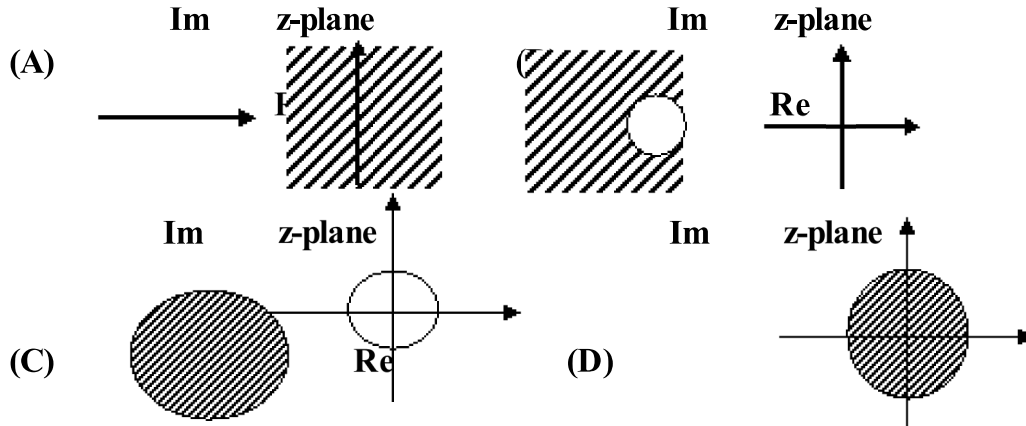
- e. The final value of  $x(t) \xleftrightarrow{\mathcal{L}} X(s) = \frac{5s+6}{s^3+6s^2+3s}$  is:
- (A) 2 (B) 1  
(C)  $\frac{5}{6}$  (D) 5

- f. Given the z-transform, the corresponding DTFT, if it exists, is obtained by replacing z by:
- (A)  $j\Omega$  (B)  $-j\Omega$   
(C)  $e^{+j\Omega}$  (D)  $e^{-j\Omega}$

- g. For a system with input  $x(n) = \delta(n-1)$  and impulse response  $h(n) = \delta(n+1)$ , the z-transform of the output is:

- (A) 0. (B) 1  
 (C) z. (D)  $z^{-1}$ .

h. Typical RoC (hatched part) of a 2-sided signal  $x(n)$  is given by:

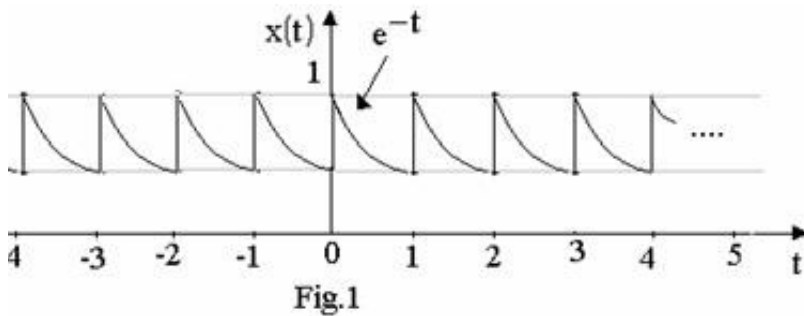


- i. A periodic signal  $x(n)$  of period  $N_1$  is added to another periodic signal of period  $N_2$ . Then the period of the resulting signal is, always,  
 (A)  $N_1 + N_2$  (B)  $N_1 N_2$   
 (C) LCM of  $N_1$  and  $N_2$  (D) GCD of  $N_1$  and  $N_2$
- j. The probability density function of a random variable  $X$  is  $ae^{-bx}u(x)$ . Then  
 (A)  $a$  and  $b$  can be arbitrary (B)  $a = b/2$   
 (C)  $a = b$  (D)  $a = 2b$

**Answer any FIVE Questions out of EIGHT Questions.**

**Each question carries 16 marks.**

**Q.2** a. Find the Fourier series representation of the signal  $x(t)$  shown in Fig.1. Sketch the magnitude and phase spectra. (12)



b. Determine the step-response  $s(t)$  of the LTI system characterized by the impulse response  $h(t) = t.u(t)$ . (4)

**Q.3** a. Determine the time domain signal  $x(t)$  whose FT is shown in Fig.2. (12)

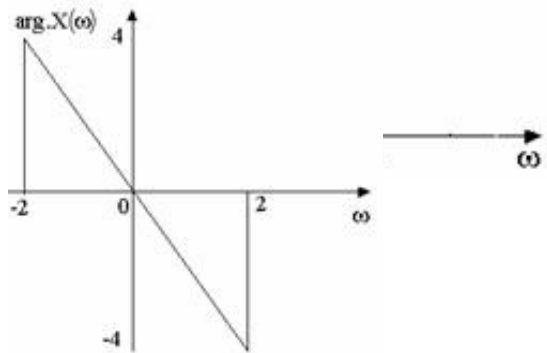


Fig.2

b. With reference to Fig.3, express  $x(t)$  in terms of  $g(t)$ . (4)

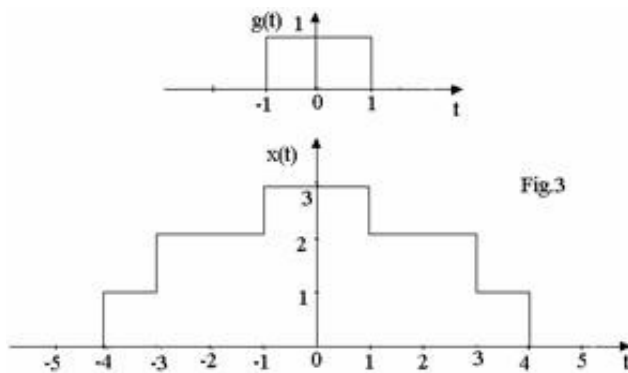


Fig.3

Q.4 a. Given  $x(n) \xleftrightarrow{\text{DTFT}} X(\Omega)$  (Fig.4), evaluate the following, without explicitly computing  $x(n)$ :

(i)  $x(0)$       (ii)  $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n)$       (iii)  $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n)e^{jn\pi/4}$  (12)

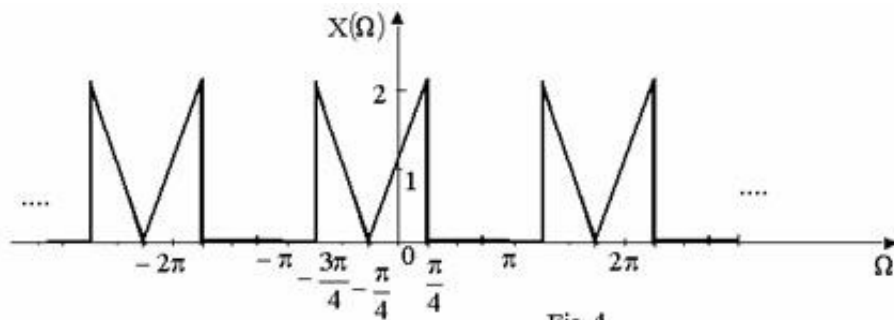


Fig.4

b. Find the DTFS of the signal  $x(n) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{4}n\right)$ . (4)

**Q.5** a. For the LTI system described by the impulse response  $h(t) = \delta(t) - 2e^{-2t}u(t)$ , determine and sketch the frequency response. Name the type of filter the system represents. (8)

b. Find :

(i) the continuous-time signal  $x(t)$ , given

$$x(t) \stackrel{\text{FT}}{\leftrightarrow} X(\omega) = \frac{5j\omega + 2}{5(j\omega)^2 + 12j\omega + 4}. \quad (4)$$

(ii)  $X(\Omega)|_{\Omega=0}$ , given  $x(n) = \left[ 2\left(-\frac{1}{4}\right)^n + \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n \right] u(n) \stackrel{\text{DTFT}}{\leftrightarrow} X(\Omega)$ . (4)

**Q.6** a. Show that Laplace transform converts time differentiation into multiplication by  $s$  and integration into division by  $s$ . Consider zero initial conditions. Hence, find  $\mathcal{L}\{\cos \omega t\}$ , given

$$\mathcal{L}\{\sin \omega t\} = F(s) = \frac{\omega}{s^2 + \omega^2}. \quad (8)$$

b. Evaluate:

(i)  $X(s)$  for all  $s$  and RoC, given  $x(t) = -e^{-at}u(-t) \stackrel{\mathcal{L}}{\leftrightarrow} X(s)$ .

(ii)  $y(t)|_{t=0}$ , given  $Y(s) = X(s+1)$  and  $\cos(2t)u(t) \stackrel{\mathcal{L}}{\leftrightarrow} X(s)$ . (4+4)

**Q.7** a. Use power-series expansion to determine the time-domain signal  $x(n)$ , given:

$$x(n) \stackrel{z}{\leftrightarrow} X(z) = \frac{1}{1-z^{-2}} \text{ for the two cases:}$$

(i)  $|z| > 1$  (causal), (ii)  $|z| < 1$  (noncausal) (8)

b. Determine:

(i) the  $z$ -transform of  $x(n - n_0)$ , starting from the definition.

(ii) The input to the system, using  $z$ -transforms, given output  $y(n) = \delta(n-2)$  and impulse

$$\text{response } h(n) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u(n). \quad (4+4)$$

$$x(n) \stackrel{z}{\leftrightarrow} X(z) = \frac{10}{1 + \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}}.$$

**Q.8** a. Consider . For the two cases:

(i)  $|z| > \frac{1}{2}$  and (ii)  $|z| < \frac{1}{2}$ , without explicitly computing  $x(n)$ , determine whether the DTFT of the corresponding time-signal exists. Identify the DTFT if it exists.

(8)

b. Calculate:

(i) the Nyquist rate and Nyquist interval for the signal  $x(t) = \text{sinc}(200t)$ .

(ii) the mean values  $\bar{X}$  and mean-square value  $\overline{X^2}$ , given the probability density function

$$f_X(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{a}, & a < x \leq 2a \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad (4+4)$$

**Q.9** a. Define the term spectral density and determine its relation with the auto-correlation function. (4)

b. Determine the convolution of the sequence  $\{0, 0, \dots, 0, 1, 1, 1, \dots \text{ to } \infty\}$  with

the sequence  $\{0, 0, \dots, 0, 1, 1, 0, 0, \dots \text{ to } \infty\}$ .

c. A stationary random process has an autocorrelation function of the form:  $R_X(\tau) = 4e^{-2|\tau|} - e^{-4|\tau|}$ . Find the spectral density  $S_X(\omega)$  of this process and its value when  $\omega = 0$ . (8)