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 - a) If you were to use the above analog filter for the design of an oversampling A/D converter system, what is the **minimum** sampling frequency that you should choose?
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2. Indicate whether the following statements are true or false. If the statement is true, give a brief justification. If the statement is false, give a simple counter example or a clear reason.
- a) If a real-coefficient digital filter has a zero-phase frequency response, then it must be a non-causal filter.
True.
- b) All periodic continuous-time signals will remain periodic after sampling.
False. The sampled signal is periodic only if the ratio of the period of the original signal and the sampling period is a rational number.
- c) If a z-transform doesn't have a region of convergence on the Z-plane, then its time-domain sequence doesn't exist.
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- e) If N samples of the discrete-time Fourier transform of a discrete-time sequence $h(n)$ are taken at $2\pi k/N$, where $k=0, \dots, N-1$, then this set of samples represents the N -point discrete-Fourier transform of $h(n)$.
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- 1) What is the relationship between the Laplace transform and the Fourier transform of a continuous-time signal?
- 2) What is the relationship between the Z transform and the discrete-time Fourier transform (DTFT) of a discrete-time signal?
- 3) What is the relationship between the discrete Fourier transform (DFT) and DTFT of a finite-length discrete-time signal?

- 4) If an analog sinusoidal signal is input to a digital spectrum analyzer, which samples the analog signal and performs a DFT of the sampled sequence to display its frequency content, what do you expect to see at the display of the spectrum analyzer?
- 5) If an analog signal $x(t)$ has been sampled according to the Nyquist criterion to generate $x(n)$ where the samples are taken at $t = nT$, can you use a digital filter to generate $y(n)$ from $x(n)$, $y(n)$ being the sequence as if it had been generated by sampling $x(t)$ at $t = nT + 0.67T$?

1. For each of the following systems, determine whether the system is stable, causal, linear, and time invariant:

(a) $T(x(n)) = (\cos(\pi n))x(n)$

(b) $T(x(n)) = x(n^2)$

(c) $T(x(n)) = x(n) \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \delta(n-k)$

(d) $T(x(n)) = \sum_{k=n-1}^{\infty} x(k)$

(e) $T(x(n)) = n^3 x(n)$

a	Stable	Causal	Linear	Time-Invariant
b				
c				
d				
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2. If the Nyquist rate for $x_a(t)$ is W_s , what is the Nyquist rate for each of the following signals that are derived from $x_a(t)$?

(a) $\frac{dx_a(t)}{dt}$

(b) $x_a(2t)$

(c) $x_a^2(t)$

(d) $x_a(t)\cos(W_0 t)$

3. Consider the system shown in Figure 1, where

$$H(e^{j\omega}) = \begin{cases} 1, & |\omega| < \pi/L, \\ 0, & \pi/L < |\omega| \leq \pi. \end{cases}$$

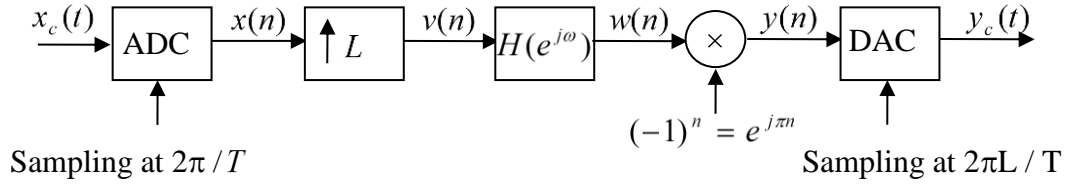


Figure 1

Sketch $Y_c(j\Omega)$ if $X_c(j\Omega)$ is as shown in Figure 2.

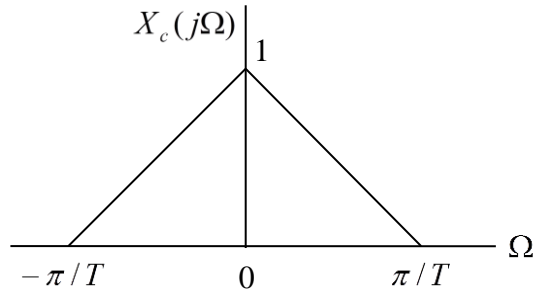


Figure 2