

## Problem Sheet 4 Solutions

### Ques.1

- a)  $x(\tau_2 - \tau_1 - t)$
- b)  $x(-(-t - \tau_2) - \tau_1)$
- c) Trapezoid with base  $3T/2$ .

### Ques.2

$$x[n] = \delta[n] + 2\delta[n-1] - \delta[n-3]$$

$$h[n] = 2\delta[n+1] + 2\delta[n-1]$$

$$x[n] = \{1, 2, 0, -1\}$$

$$h[n] = \{2, 0, 2\}$$

a)  $y_1[n] = x[n] * h[n]$

$$y_1[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k]h[n-k]$$

$$y_1[n] = \sum_{k=0}^3 x[k]h[n-k]$$

For

$$y_1[-2] = \sum_{k=0}^3 x[k]h[-2-k] = 0$$

$$y_1[-1] = \sum_{k=0}^3 x[k]h[-1-k] = 2$$

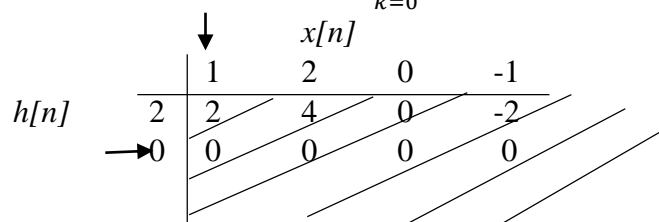
$$y_1[0] = \sum_{k=0}^3 x[k]h[-k] = 4$$

$$y_1[1] = \sum_{k=0}^3 x[k]h[1-k] = 2$$

$$y_1[2] = \sum_{k=0}^3 x[k]h[2-k] = 2$$

$$y_1[3] = \sum_{k=0}^3 x[k]h[3-k] = 0$$

$$y_1[4] = \sum_{k=0}^3 x[k]h[4-k] = -2$$



$$2 \quad 2 \quad 4 \quad 0 \quad -2$$

$$y_1[n] = \{2, 4, 2, 2, 0, -2\}$$



b)  $y_2[n] = x[n+2] * h[n]$

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$$y_2[n] = x[n] * \delta[n+2] * h[n]$$

$$y_2[n] = x[n] * h[n] * \delta[n+2]$$

$$y_2[n] = y_1[n] * \delta[n+2]$$

$$y_2[n] = y_1[n+2]$$

c)  $y_3[n] = x[n] * h[n+2]$

$$y_3[n] = x[n] * h[n+2]$$

$$y_3[n] = x[n] * h[n] * \delta[n+2]$$

$$y_3[n] = y_1[n] * \delta[n+2]$$

$$y_3[n] = y_1[n+2]$$

### Ques.3

a) False To prove  $x[n] * \{h[n]g[n]\} = \{x[n] * h[n]\}g[n]$   
 LHS= $x[n] * \{h[n]g[n]\}$

$$= \sum x[k]h[n-k]g[n-k]$$

RHS= $\{x[n] * h[n]\}g[n]$

$$= \sum x[k]h[n-k]\}g[n]$$

LHS  $\neq$  RHS

Counter example assume  $g[n] = \delta[n]$

b) True  $y(t) = x(t) * h(t)$  then  $y(2t) = 2x(t) * h(2t)$

$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau)h(t-\tau)d\tau$$

$$y(2t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau)h(2t-\tau)d\tau$$

Put  $\hat{t} = \tau/2 \quad d\hat{t} = d\tau/2$

$$y(2t) = 2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(2\hat{t})h(2t-2\hat{t})d\hat{t}$$

$$y(2t) = 2x(t) * h(2t)$$

In general prove that

$$y(at) = |a|x(at) * h(at)$$

c) True

$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau)h(t-\tau)d\tau$$

$$y(-t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau)h(-t-\tau)d\tau$$

Assume  $-\tau = \tau$

$$y(-t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(-\tau)h(-t+\tau)d\tau$$

$$y(-t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(-\tau)h(-(t-\tau))d\tau$$

But  $x(-\tau) = x(\tau)$  &  $h[-(t-\tau)] = h(t-\tau)$

$$y(-t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau)h(t-\tau)d\tau = y(t)$$

Hence  $y(t)$  is even signal.

d)  $y(t) = x(t) * h(t)$

$$E_V\{y(t)\} = x(t) * E_V\{h(t)\} + E_V\{x(t)\} * h(t)$$

If this is true,

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) * \left[ \frac{h(t)}{2} \right] + \frac{[x(-t) * h(-t)]}{2} \\ = \frac{[x(t) * h(t)]}{2} + x(t) * \left[ \frac{h(-t)}{2} \right] + x(t) * \left[ \frac{h(t)}{2} \right] + \frac{[x(-t) * h(t)]}{2} \end{aligned}$$

This is equivalent to condition:

$$E_V\{x(t)\} * h(t) - O_d\{x(t)\} * h(-t) = 0.$$

If we have a purely even signal, this reduces to  $E_V\{x(t)\} * h(t) = 0$ , which is definitely not true.

#### Ques.4

$\widetilde{x}_1(t)$  &  $\widetilde{x}_2(t)$  is periodic  $T = T_0$

a)  $\widetilde{y}(t) = \widetilde{x}_1(t) \otimes \widetilde{x}_2(t)$

$$\widetilde{y}(t) = \int_0^{T_0} \widetilde{x}_1(\tau) \widetilde{x}_2(t-\tau)d\tau$$

If  $\widetilde{y}(t)$  is periodic with  $T = T_0$ , then  $\widetilde{y}(t) = \widetilde{y}(t + T_0)$ .

$$\widetilde{y}(t + T_0) = \int_0^{T_0} \widetilde{x}_1(\tau) \widetilde{x}_2(t + T_0 - \tau) d\tau = \int_0^{T_0} \widetilde{x}_1(\tau) \widetilde{x}_2(t - \tau) d\tau = \widetilde{y}(t)$$

Hence proved.

b)  $\widetilde{y}_a(t) = \int_a^{a+T_0} \widetilde{x}_1(\tau) \widetilde{x}_2(t-\tau) d\tau$

Let  $a = kT_0 + b$   $0 \leq b \leq T_0$

$$\widetilde{y}_a(t) = \int_{kT_0+b}^{kT_0+b+T_0} \widetilde{x}_1(\tau) \widetilde{x}_2(t-\tau) d\tau$$

where  $k$  is integer.

Let  $\lambda + kT_0 = \tau$ , then

$$\begin{aligned} \widetilde{y}_a(t) &= \int_b^{b+T_0} \widetilde{x}_1(\lambda + kT_0) \widetilde{x}_2(t - \lambda - kT_0) d\tau = \int_b^{b+T_0} \widetilde{x}_1(\tau) \widetilde{x}_2(t - \tau) d\tau \\ \widetilde{y}_a(t) &= \int_b^{T_0} \widetilde{x}_1(\tau) \widetilde{x}_2(t - \tau) d\tau + \widetilde{y}_a(t) + \int_{T_0}^{b+T_0} \widetilde{x}_1(\tau) \widetilde{x}_2(t - \tau) d\tau \end{aligned}$$

Substitute  $\lambda + T_0 = \tau$  in second term,

$$\int_{T_0}^{b+T_0} \widetilde{x}_1(\tau) \widetilde{x}_2(t-\tau) d\tau = \int_0^b \widetilde{x}_1(\tau) \widetilde{x}_2(t-\tau) d\tau$$

$$\widetilde{y}_a(t) = \int_b^{T_0} \widetilde{x}_1(\tau) \widetilde{x}_2(t-\tau) d\tau + \int_0^b \widetilde{x}_1(\tau) \widetilde{x}_2(t-\tau) d\tau$$

$$\widetilde{y}_a(t) = \int_0^{T_0} \widetilde{x}_1(\tau) \widetilde{x}_2(t-\tau) d\tau$$

$$\widetilde{y}_a(t) = \widetilde{y}(t)$$

Hence proved.

**Ques.5**

a)  $\varphi[n] = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u[n]$

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

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

$$\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \{u[n] - u[n-1]\} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{for } n \neq 0 \\ 1 & \text{for } n = 0 \end{cases}$$

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

So

$$\delta[n] = \varphi[n] - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \varphi[n-1]$$

In general

$$x[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k] \delta[n-k]$$

$$= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k] \left\{ \varphi[n-k] - \frac{1}{2} \varphi[n-k-1] \right\}$$

Thus,  $x[n] = x[n] * \varphi[n] - \frac{1}{2} x[n] * \varphi[n-1] = x[n] * \varphi[n] * \delta[n] - \frac{1}{2} x[n] * \varphi[n] * \delta[n-1]$

$$\delta[n-1] = \left( x[n] * \delta[n] - \frac{1}{2} x[n] * \delta[n-1] \right) * \varphi[n] = \left( x[n] - \frac{1}{2} x[n-1] \right) * \varphi[n]$$

$$= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \left( x[k] - \frac{1}{2} x[k-1] \right) \varphi[n-k].$$

Thus,  $x[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k \varphi[n-k]$  where  $a_k = x[k] - \frac{1}{2} x[k-1]$ .

b)

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k r[n-k], \text{ where } a_k = x[k] - \frac{1}{2} x[k-1].$$

c)  $y[n] = x[n] * h[n]$

$$\begin{aligned}\delta[n] &= \varphi[n] - \frac{1}{2}\varphi[n-1] \\ h[n] &= r[n] - \frac{1}{2}r[n-1] \\ &= \Psi[n] * r[n]\end{aligned}$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}\Psi[n] &= \delta[n] - \frac{1}{2}\delta[n-1] \\ y[n] &= x[n] * \Psi[n] * r[n]\end{aligned}$$

d) Already shown that

$$\begin{aligned}h[n] &= r[n] - \frac{1}{2}r[n-1] \\ \Psi[n] * \varphi[n] &= \left[\delta[n] - \frac{1}{2}\delta[n-1]\right] * \varphi[n] = \varphi[n] - \frac{1}{2}\varphi[n-1] = \delta[n].\end{aligned}$$

### Ques.6

a) Received signal is delayed and attenuated.

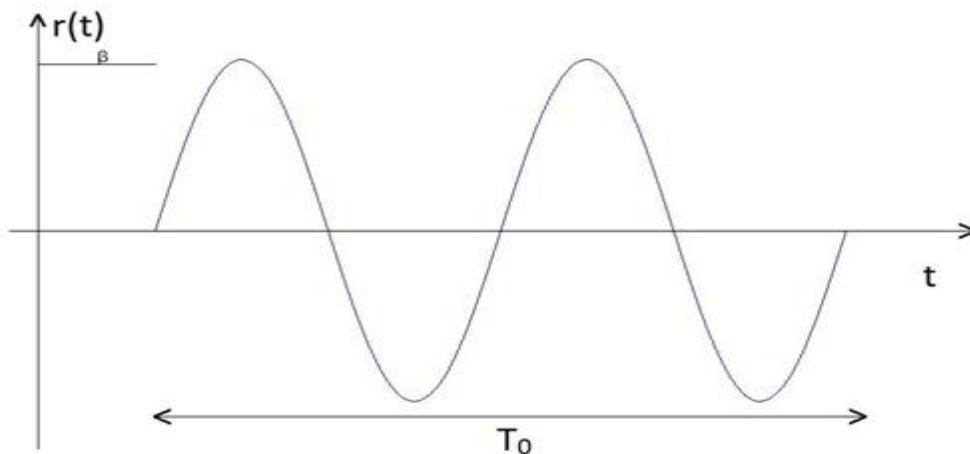
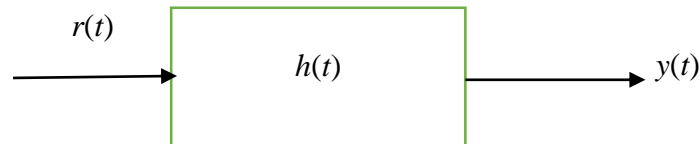
So,  $r(t) = \alpha \sin(\omega_c t - \beta)$

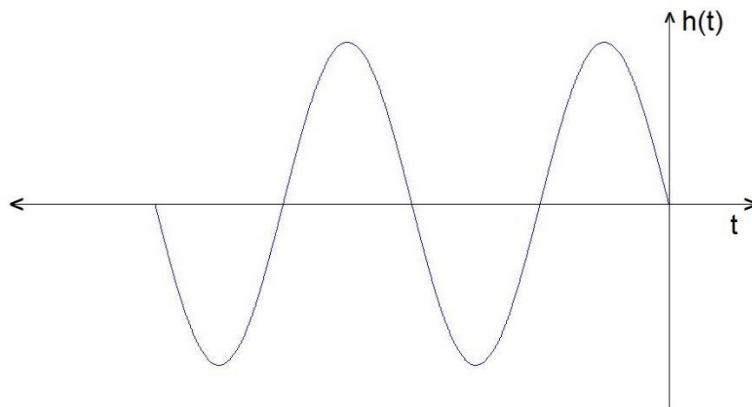
where  $\alpha$  is attenuating factor and  $\beta$  is delay

$$\begin{aligned}x(t) * h(t) &= x(t) * \alpha \delta(t - \beta) \\ &= \alpha x(t - \beta) \\ &= \alpha \sin(\omega_c t - \beta)\end{aligned}$$

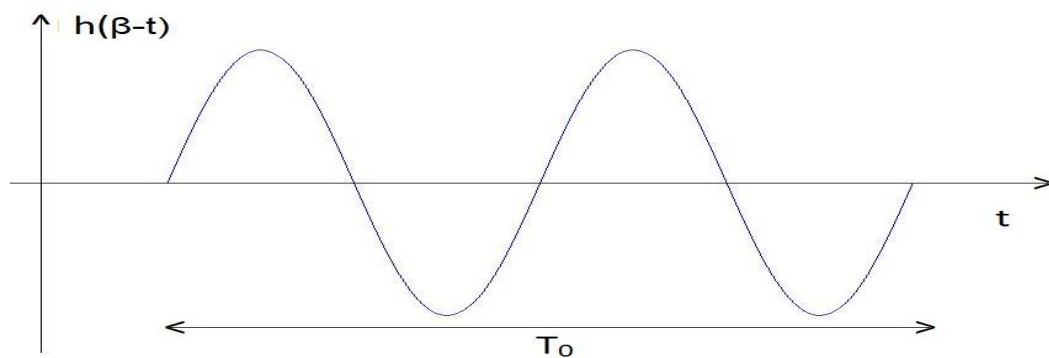
Hence  $h(t) = \alpha \delta(t - \beta)$  is the correct impulse response.

b) Matched filter is commonly used for detecting signals in the presence of noise. Matched filter response is the time-reversed version of the transmitted signal. Let us investigate what happens when the reflected signal passes through a matched filter.



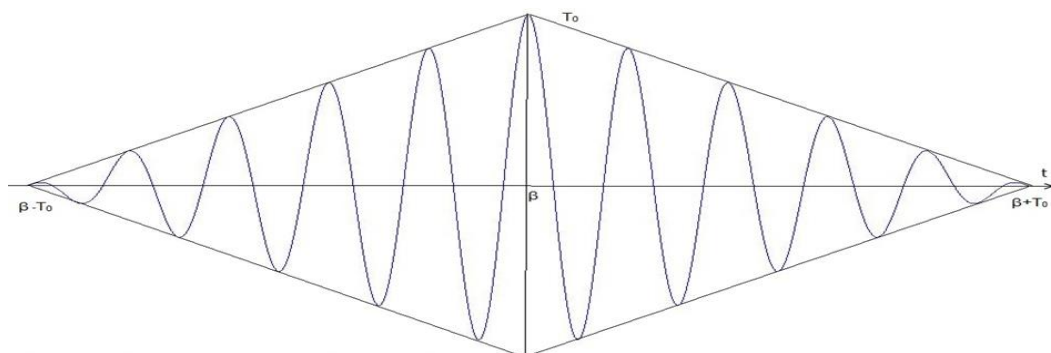


For convolution, we take the reversed version of the impulse response and shift it through various  $t$ .



It is intuitively clear that the output will be maximum when  $h(t)$  is reversed and shifted by  $\beta$ , because it leads to maximum overlap. Thus, by detecting the time at which output becomes maximum, we calculate  $\beta$ .

$y(t)$  can also be computed analytically.



**Ques.7**

a)

$$w[n] = \frac{1}{2}w[n-1] + x[n]$$

$$y[n] = \alpha y[n-1] + \beta w[n]$$

$$w[n] = \frac{1}{\beta} \{y[n] - \alpha y[n-1]\} \dots \dots (1)$$

$$\frac{1}{2}w[n-1] = \frac{1}{2\beta} \{y[n-1] - \alpha y[n-2]\} \dots \dots (2)$$

From (1) and (2)

$$w[n] - \frac{1}{2}w[n-1] = \frac{y[n]}{\beta} - \left(\alpha + \frac{1}{2}\right) \frac{y[n-1]}{\beta} + \frac{\alpha y[n-2]}{2\beta}$$

$$y[n] = \beta x[n] - \frac{\alpha}{2}y[n-2] + \left(\alpha + \frac{1}{2}\right)y[n-1]$$

Thus  $\beta = 1$  and  $\alpha = \frac{1}{4}$ 

b)

$$w[n] = \frac{1}{2}w[n-1] + x[n]$$

Evaluate the impulse response

$$w[0] = \frac{1}{2}w[-1] + \delta[0]$$

 $w[-1] = 0$  {System is causal LTI}

$$w[0] = \delta[0] = 1$$

$$w[1] = \frac{1}{2}w[0] = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$w[2] = \frac{1}{4}w[0] = \frac{1}{4}$$

 $\vdots$ 

Thus

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

$$h_1[n] = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u[n]$$

Similarly

$$\begin{aligned}
 h_2[n] &= \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n u[n] \\
 h[n] &= h_1[n] * h_2[n] \\
 &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k u[k] \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{n-k} u[n-k] \\
 &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{n-k} \\
 h[n] &= \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{2n} [2^{n+1} - 1]u[n]
 \end{aligned}$$

### Ques.8

- a) True

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |h(t)| dt = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{KT}^{KT+T} |h(t)| dt = \infty$$

- b) False

$$\begin{aligned}
 h(t) &= \delta(t - 1) \\
 h^{-1}(t) &= \delta(t + 1)
 \end{aligned}$$

$h^{-1}(t)$  is non causal system.

- c) False. Suppose  $h[n] = u[n]$  then

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |h[k]| = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} 1 = \infty$$

- d) False if  $h[n] = \infty$  then the system is unstable.  
 e) False.  $h(t) = u(t)$  then

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |h(t)| dt = \int_0^{\infty} dt = \infty$$

- f) False

$$\begin{aligned}
 h_1(t) &= \delta(t + 1) \\
 h_2(t) &= \delta(t - 1) \\
 h(t) &= h_1(t) * h_2(t) = \delta(t)
 \end{aligned}$$

which is not causal.

- g) False

$s(t)$  will always integrate to (+/-) infinity (i.e.,  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} s(t) dt = \infty$ ) whenever  $h(t)$  has non-zero mean. For stability,  $h(t)$  should be absolutely integrable and it can have non-zero mean. For example,  $h(t) = \text{rect}(t)$  corresponds to a stable signal but its step-response will integrate to infinity.

- h) Of course, a causal system only respond after an input is applied. Thus,  
 $s[n] = 0$  For  $n < 0$



**Ques.9**

$$h(t) = \{ \{ h_1 * h_2 + h_2 * h_2 - h_2 * h_1 \} * h_1 + h_1^{-1} \} * h_2^{-1}$$

$$h(t) = \{ h_1 + h_2 - h_3 \} * h_1 + h_1^{-1} * h_2^{-1}$$

$$h(t) = h_2 * h_1 + h_1^{-1} * h_2^{-1}$$

**Ques.10**

$$(D^2 + 3D + 2)y(t) = Dx(t)$$

Solution using polynomials:

$$Y + 3AY + 2A^2Y = AX$$

$$\frac{Y}{X} = \frac{A}{1 + 3A + 2A^2} = \frac{A}{(1 + 2A)(1 + A)} = \frac{1}{1 + A} - \frac{1}{1 + 2A}$$

$$\frac{Y}{X} = \frac{1}{A} \left( \frac{A}{1 + A} - \frac{A}{1 + 2A} \right)$$

Thus,

$$h(t) = \frac{d}{dt} ((e^{-t} - e^{-2t})u(t)) = (e^{-2t} - e^{-t})u(t).$$

**Ques.11**

$$y[n] = (1 - R)^2 \{ e^{\beta n} u[n] * e^{\alpha n} u[n] \} \text{ where } R \text{ is the unit-delay operator}$$

$$y[n] = (1 - R)^2 \frac{\{ e^{\beta(n+1)} - e^{\alpha(n+1)} \}}{e^{\beta} - e^{\alpha}} u[n]$$

$$y[n] = \frac{\{ e^{\beta(n+1)} - e^{\alpha(n+1)} \}}{e^{\beta} - e^{\alpha}} u[n] - 2 \frac{\{ e^{\beta n} - e^{\alpha n} \}}{e^{\beta} - e^{\alpha}} u[n - 1] + \frac{\{ e^{\beta(n-1)} - e^{\alpha(n-1)} \}}{e^{\beta} - e^{\alpha}} u[n - 2]$$

**Ques.12**

$$\text{In the first system, } Y = X + 0.5RY + 0.4RY = X + 0.9RY$$

$$\text{In the second system, } Y = X + p_o RY \text{ Hence, } p_o = 0.9$$

$$\text{The impulse response of the system } h[n] = 0.9^n u[n], \text{ and hence } \sum_{n=0}^{+\infty} |0.9^n| = \frac{1}{1-0.9} = 10.$$

The impulse response is absolutely summable and hence the system is stable.

**Ques.13**

Method 1:

$$Y = 2X + 3RX - R^2Y$$

$$\frac{Y}{X} = \frac{2 + 3R}{1 + R^2}$$

$$\frac{Y}{X} = \frac{1 + \frac{3}{2}j}{1 + jR} + \frac{1 - \frac{3}{2}j}{1 - jR}$$

$$h[n] = \left(1 + \frac{3}{2}j\right)(-j)^n u[n] + \left(1 - \frac{3}{2}j\right)(j)^n u[n]$$

Hence,  $A = 1 - \frac{3}{2}j$  and  $B = 1 + \frac{3}{2}j$

Method 2: Assuming  $h[n] = (Az_1^n + Bz_2^n)u[n]$

Thus,  $(Az_1^n + Bz_2^n)u[n] = 2\delta[n] + 3\delta[n-1] - (Az_1^{n-2} + Bz_2^{n-2})u[n-2]$

For  $n = 0$ ,  $A + B = 2$  (Eq. 1)

For  $n = 1$ ,  $Az_1 + Bz_2 = 3$  (Eq. 2)

Substituting  $z_1 = j$  and  $z_2 = -j$  in Eq. 1 and Eq. 2, we get  $A = 1 - \frac{3}{2}j$  and  $B = 1 + \frac{3}{2}j$