Assignment

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Question: For a real signal, which of the following is/are valid power spectral density/densities?

1)
$$s_X(w) = \frac{2}{9+w^2}$$

2)
$$s_X(w) = e^{-w^2} cos^2 w$$

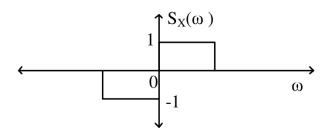


Fig. 3. Figure1

3)

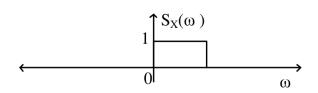


Fig. 4. Figure2

4)

Solution:

For a real signal, power spectral density(PSD)

should satisfy the following properties:

$$Im(s_X(w)) = 0 (1)$$

$$s_X(-w) = s_X(w) \tag{2}$$

Now, checking for option (1)

$$Im(\frac{2}{9+w^2}) = 0 (3)$$

(4)

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Also,

$$\frac{2}{9+w^2} = \frac{2}{9+(-w)^2} \tag{5}$$

So, it is a valid PSD Now, for option (2)

$$Im(e^{-w^2}cos^2w) = 0$$
 (6)

And,

$$e^{w^2}cos^2w = e^{(-w)^2}cos^2(-w)$$
 (7)

It is also a valid PSD.

Similarly, checking for (3) and option (4) doesn't satisfy the properties. So, it is not a valid PSD.

 \therefore Option (1) and (2) are correct.