

Solution EEE201 Jan 2008

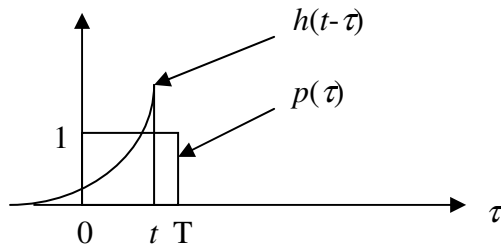
Q1)

a) The response is $y(t) = p(t) * h(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} p(\tau)h(t-\tau)d\tau$.

Alternatively evaluate $y(t) = h(t) * p(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau)p(t-\tau)d\tau$.

For $t < 0$, $p(\tau)h(t-\tau) = 0$.

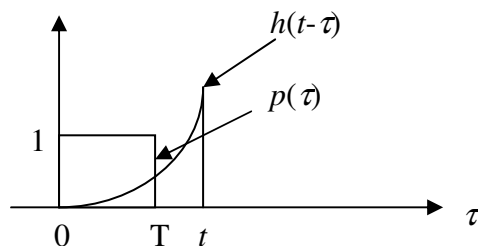
For $0 < t < T$,



We need to integrate from 0 to t .

$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} p(\tau)h(t-\tau)d\tau = \int_0^t \frac{1}{RC} e^{-(t-\tau)/RC} d\tau = \frac{RC}{RC} \left[e^{-(t-\tau)/RC} \right]_0^t = 1 - e^{-t/RC}$$

For $t \geq T$,

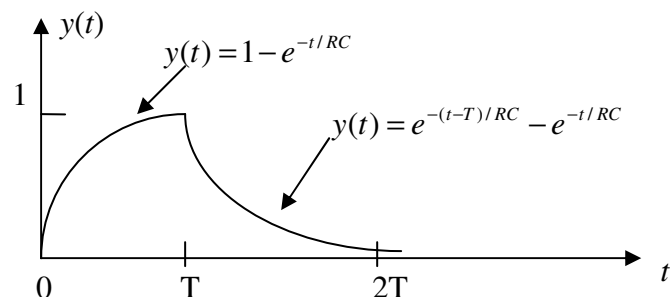


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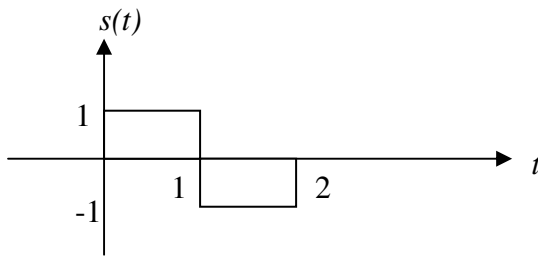
$$y(t) = \int_0^T \frac{1}{RC} e^{-(t-\tau)/RC} d\tau = \frac{RC}{RC} \left[e^{-(t-\tau)/RC} \right]_0^T = e^{-(t-T)/RC} - e^{-t/RC}$$

Therefore we have

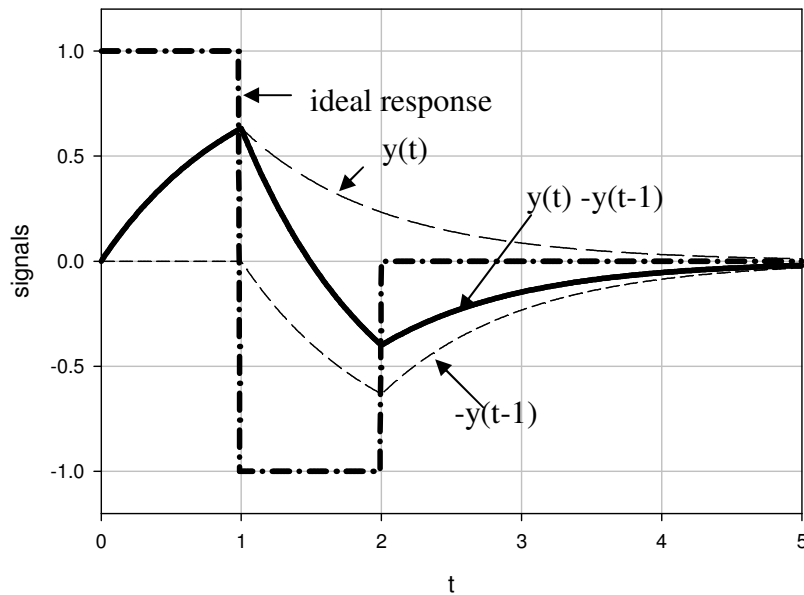
$$y(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 0 \\ 1 - e^{-t/RC} & 0 < t < T \\ e^{-(t-T)/RC} - e^{-t/RC} & t \geq T \end{cases}$$



Q1bi) The sequence “1 0” looks like



ii) The sequence can be written as $s(t) = p(t) - p(t-1)$. Since the system is LTI, the response is given by $r(t) = y(t) - y(t-1)$. Therefore we have



iii) The response $r(t)$ showed a severely distorted pulse shape due to very significant ISI. When the time constant is small, i.e $RC \ll 1$, the circuit has high bandwidth and the response $r(t)$ will approach that of the ideal response. When $RC \sim 1$ the circuit behaves like a low pass filter causing the distortion in the pulse shape and produces ISI. The peak at $t = 2s$ is significantly lower than -1 , potentially causing an error during decoding.

Q2)

a) i)

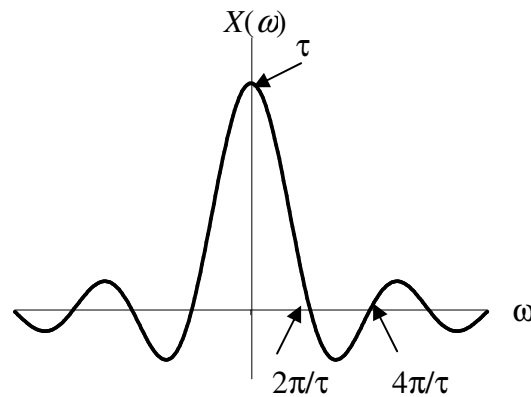
$$X(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt = \int_{-\tau/2}^{\tau/2} e^{-j\omega t} dt = \frac{1}{j\omega} \left[-e^{-j\omega t} \right]_{-\tau/2}^{\tau/2} = \frac{1}{j\omega} \left[e^{j\omega\tau/2} - e^{-j\omega\tau/2} \right] = 2 \frac{\sin(\omega\tau/2)}{\omega}$$

$$= \tau \frac{\sin(\omega\tau/2)}{(\omega\tau/2)}.$$

ii) The maximum value of $X(\omega)$ is τ when $\omega = 0$.

Using L'Hopital rule $\left. \frac{\sin(\omega\tau/2)}{(\omega\tau/2)} \right|_{\omega=0} = 1.$

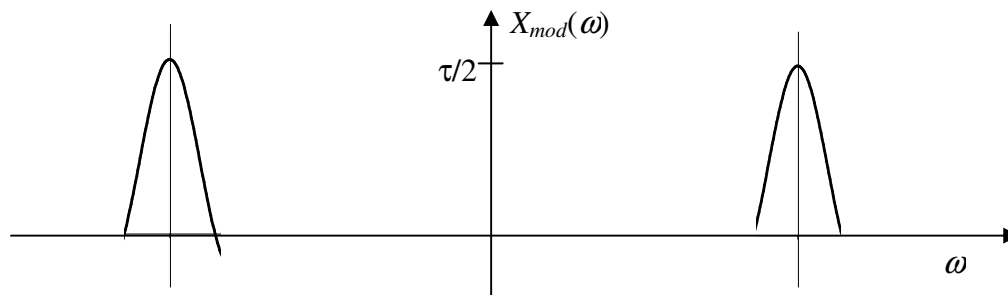
The nulls occur when $\sin(\omega\tau/2) = 0$ at $\omega = 2n\pi/\tau$, where $n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$



b) The modulated signal is given by $x_{mod}(t) = x(t)\cos(\omega_c t)$. Using Frequency shift property of FT

$$X_{mod}(\omega) = \frac{1}{2} [X(\omega + \omega_c) + X(\omega - \omega_c)] = \frac{1}{2} \left[\tau \frac{\sin((\omega + \omega_c)\tau/2)}{((\omega + \omega_c)\tau/2)} + \tau \frac{\sin((\omega - \omega_c)\tau/2)}{((\omega - \omega_c)\tau/2)} \right]$$

c) Ignoring spectrum above $2\pi/\tau$, we have

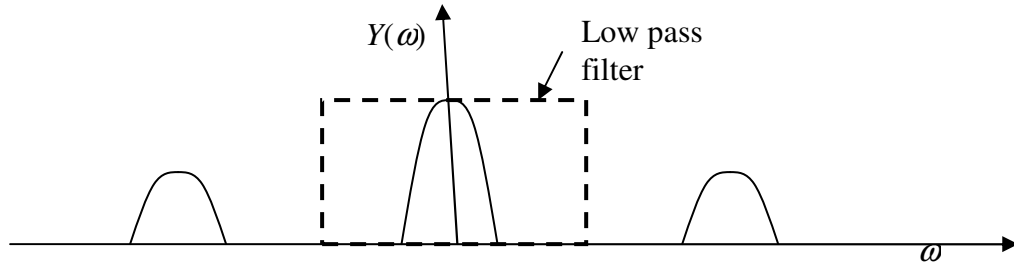


To demodulate using a synchronous demodulator, we multiply $x_{mod}(t)$ with $x_c(t)$.

$$y(t) = x_{mod}(t)x_c(t) = x_{mod}(t)\cos(\omega_c t)$$

$$Y(\omega) = \frac{1}{2} [X_{mod}(\omega + \omega_c) + X_{mod}(\omega - \omega_c)] = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{2} X(\omega + 2\omega_c) + X(\omega) + \frac{1}{2} X(\omega - 2\omega_c) \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} X(\omega) + \frac{1}{4} X(\omega + 2\omega_c) + \frac{1}{4} X(\omega - 2\omega_c)$$



The low pass filter bandwidth needs to be $\frac{2\pi}{\tau} < BW < 2\omega_c - \frac{2\pi}{\tau}$.

Q3) a) Poles = $-\zeta\omega_n \pm j\omega_d = -2 \pm j2$. Zero = -4.

$$H(s) = \frac{(s+4)}{(s+2+j2)(s+2-j2)} = \frac{(s+4)}{(s^2+2s-j2s+2s+4-j4+j2s+j4+4)} = \frac{(s+4)}{(s^2+4s+8)}$$

or

$$H(s) = \frac{(s+4)}{(s+2)^2 + 2^2}.$$

Therefore $N(s) = s+4$ and $D(s) = s^2 + 4s + 8$.

b) $H(s) = \frac{(s+4)}{s^2+4s+8}$, therefore we have, $2\zeta\omega_n = 4$ and $\omega_n = \sqrt{8}$.

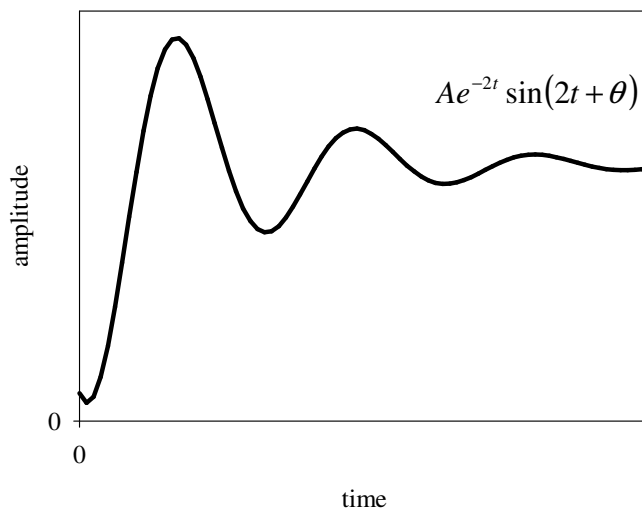
$$\zeta = \frac{2}{\omega_n} = \frac{2}{\sqrt{8}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}.$$

The unit step response is $Ae^{-\zeta\omega_n t} \sin(\omega_d t + \theta)$ where

$$\omega_d = \omega_n \sqrt{1-\zeta^2} = \sqrt{8} \sqrt{1-\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^2} = \sqrt{8} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}} = \sqrt{4} = 2 \text{ rad/s}.$$

c) The step response of the system is a sinusoidal oscillation with a frequency of $\omega_d = 2$ rad/s and amplitude modulated by a decaying exponential with a

time constant of $\tau = \frac{1}{\zeta\omega_n} = 1/2$ s.



When ω_i is doubled, the oscillation frequency increases to $2\omega_i$ and the time constant reduces to $\tau = \frac{1}{4} s$. Therefore the system response oscillates at a higher frequency and the amplitude of the oscillation decays faster.

d) If $x(t) = e^{-4t} \cdot u(t)$, $X(s) = \frac{1}{s+4}$. The Laplace Transform of the response is

$$Y(s) = X(s) \cdot H(s) \\ = \frac{s+4}{((s+2)^2 + 2^2)} \cdot \frac{1}{(s+4)} = \frac{1}{((s+2)^2 + 2^2)} = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{((s+2)^2 + 2^2)}$$

Therefore the system response when $x(t) = e^{-4t} \cdot u(t)$ is $y(t) = \frac{1}{2} e^{-2t} \cdot \sin(2t) \cdot u(t)$.

Q4 a) The signal has an odd symmetry. Therefore d.c and even terms are zero.

$$b_n = \frac{2}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} x(t) \sin(n\omega_0 t) dt = \frac{2}{T} \left[\int_{-T/2}^0 -A \sin(n\omega_0 t) dt + \int_0^{T/2} A \sin(n\omega_0 t) dt \right] \\ = \frac{2}{T} \left[\frac{A \cos(n\omega_0 t)}{n\omega_0} \right]_{-T/2}^0 + \frac{2}{T} \left[\frac{-A \cos(n\omega_0 t)}{n\omega_0} \right]_0^{T/2} \\ = \frac{2A}{n\omega_0 T} [1 - \cos(n\omega_0 T/2) - \cos(n\omega_0 T/2) + 1] = \frac{4A}{n\omega_0 T} [1 - \cos(n\omega_0 T/2)] \\ = \frac{4A}{n \left(\frac{2\pi}{T} \right) T} \left[1 - \cos \left(n \left(\frac{2\pi}{T} \right) \frac{T}{2} \right) \right] = \begin{cases} \frac{4A}{n\pi} & n = 1, 3, 5, \dots \text{odd} \\ 0 & n = 2, 4, 6, \dots \text{even} \end{cases}$$

b)

$$p(t) = \frac{4A}{\pi} \left[\sin(\omega_0 t) + \frac{1}{3} \sin(3\omega_0 t) + \frac{1}{5} \sin(5\omega_0 t) \right] = \frac{4}{\pi} \left[\sin(2\pi) + \frac{1}{3} \sin(6\pi) + \frac{1}{5} \sin(10\pi) \right]$$

c) The transfer function is $\frac{V_o(\omega)}{V_i(\omega)} = \frac{1/j\omega C}{1/j\omega C + R} = \frac{1}{1 + j\omega RC} = \frac{1}{1 + j\omega/\omega_c}$

where $\omega_c = 1/RC$.

d) i) To make sure that the magnitude of the 5th harmonic is > 69% of its value before filtering, $|H(10\pi)| > 0.69$.

$$\text{If } \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{10\pi}{\omega_c} \right)^2}} = 0.69, \text{ we have } 1 + \frac{100\pi^2}{\omega_c^2} = \frac{1}{0.69^2} \cdot \omega_c = 30 \quad RC = 1/30, C = 10\mu F.$$

After filtering the amplitude of the 5th harmonic = $0.69 \times 4/5\pi = 0.176$.

$$\text{ii) } |H(2\pi)| \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{2\pi}{30} \right)^2}} = 0.979, \quad |H(6\pi)| \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \left(\frac{6\pi}{30} \right)^2}} = 0.847$$

The amplitudes of the 1st and 3rd harmonics are $0.979 \times 4/\pi = 1.247$ and $0.847 \times 4/3\pi = 0.359$ respectively.

$$\text{Therefore the RMS value} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{1.247^2 + 0.359^2 + 0.176^2} = \frac{1.309}{\sqrt{2}} = 0.926$$