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## Tutorial Questions (Week 5)

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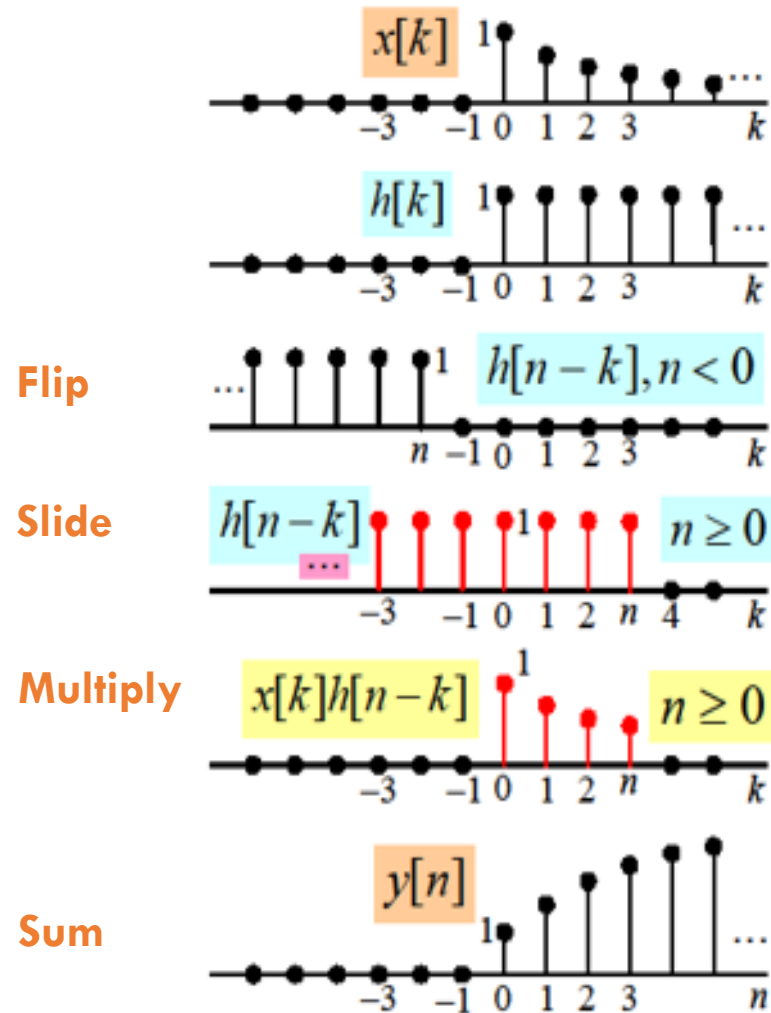
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# Example 1



$$\triangleright x[n] = a^n u[n]$$

$$\triangleright h[n] = u[n]$$

$$\triangleright y[n] = x[n] * h[n] ?$$

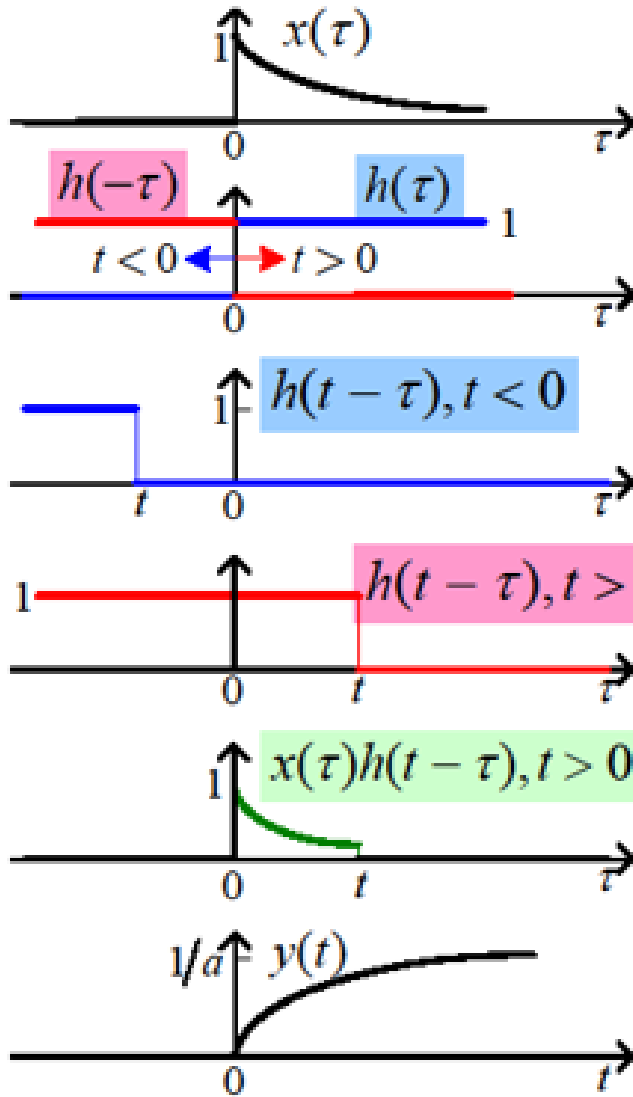
$$y[n] = \begin{cases} \frac{1-a^{n+1}}{1-a}, & n \geq 0 \\ 0, & n < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$h[n-k]$$

$$x[k]h[n-k] = \begin{cases} a^k, & 0 \leq k \leq n \\ 0, & k < 0, k > n \end{cases}$$

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k]h[n-k] = \sum_{k=0}^n a^k = \frac{1-a^{n+1}}{1-a}$$

## Example 2



$$x(t) = e^{-at}u(t)$$

$$h(t) = u(t)$$

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

$$y(t) = \begin{cases} \frac{1 - e^{-at}}{a}, & t \geq 0 \\ 0, & t < 0 \end{cases} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{1 - e^{-at}}{a} u(t)$$

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表 3.4 基本信号的卷积表

连续时间卷积积分			离散时间卷积和		
$x(t)$	$h(t)$	$x(t) * h(t)$	$x[n]$	$h[n]$	$x[n] * h[n]$
$x(t)$	$\delta(t)$	$x(t)$	$x[n]$	$\delta[n]$	$x[n]$
$x(t)$	$u(t)$	$\int_{-\infty}^t x(\tau) d\tau$	$x[n]$	$u[n]$	$\sum_{k=-\infty}^n x[k]$
$x(t)$	$\delta'(t)$	$x'(t)$	$x[n]$	$\Delta\delta[n]$	$x[n] - x[n-1]$
$u(t)$	$u(t)$	$tu(t)$	$u[n]$	$u[n]$	$(n+1)u[n]$
$e^{-at}u(t)$	$u(t)$	$\frac{1-e^{-at}}{a}u(t)$	$a^n u[n]$	$u[n]$	$\frac{1-a^{n+1}}{1-a}u[n]$
$\sin(\omega t)u(t)$	$u(t)$	$\frac{1-\cos(\omega t)}{\omega}u(t)$	$\sin(\Omega n)u[n]$	$u[n]$	
$\cos(\omega t)u(t)$	$u(t)$	$\frac{\sin(\omega t)}{\omega}u(t)$	$\cos(\Omega n)u[n]$	$u[n]$	
$e^{-at}u(t)$	$e^{-at}u(t)$	$te^{-at}u(t)$	$a^n u[n]$	$a^n u[n]$	$(n+1)a^n u[n]$
$e^{-at}u(t)$	$e^{-bt}u(t)$	$\frac{e^{-at}-e^{-bt}}{b-a}u(t)$	$a^n u[n]$	$b^n u[n]$	$\frac{b^{n+1}-a^{n+1}}{b-a}u[n]$

说明：表 3.4 中空着的卷积和运算结果，感兴趣的读者可自行补上。

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## □ Commutative property

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

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

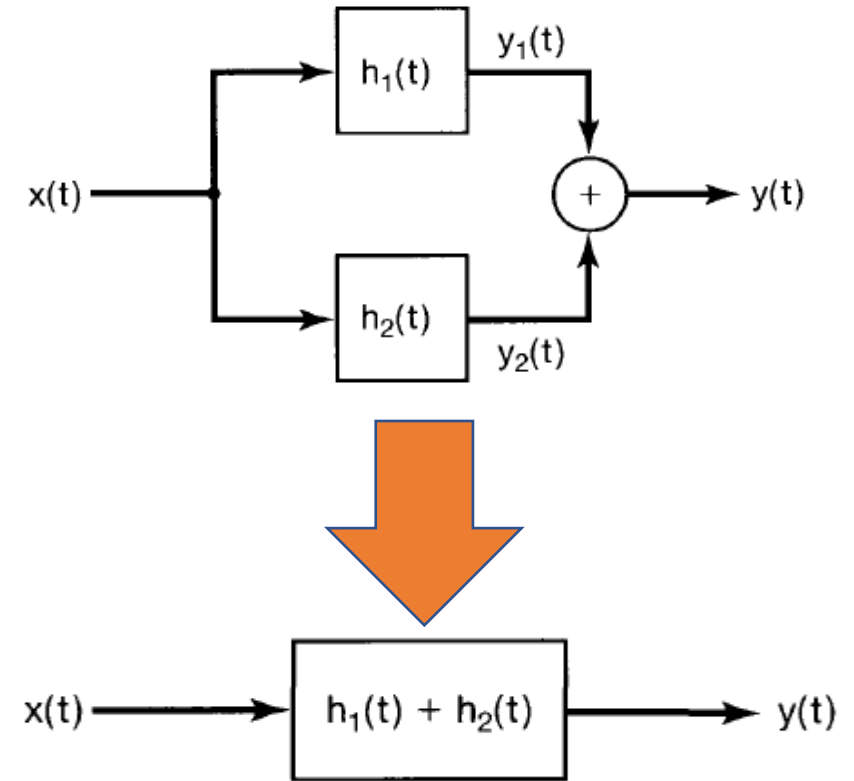
$$x[n] * h[n] = h[n] * x[n]$$

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

## □ Distributive property

$$x(t) * [h_1(t) + h_2(t)] = x(t) * h_1(t) + x(t) * h_2(t)$$

$$x[n] * \{h_1[n] + h_2[n]\} = x[n] * h_1[n] + x[n] * h_2[n]$$



## □ Associative property

$$[x(t) * h_1(t)] * h_2(t) = x(t) * [h_1(t) * h_2(t)]$$

$$\{x[n] * h_1[n]\} * h_2[n] = x[n] * \{h_1[n] * h_2[n]\}$$

## □ Time-invariant property (Collect the time shift)

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

$$x(t) * h(t - t_0) = y(t - t_0)$$

$$x(t - t_1) * h(t - t_2) = y(t - t_1 - t_2)$$

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

$$x[n] * h[n - m] = y[n - m]$$

$$x[n - m_1] * h[n - m_2] = y[n - m_1 - m_2]$$

## □ Difference property

$$\frac{d}{dt}[x(t) * h(t)] = x(t) * \frac{dh(t)}{dt} = \frac{dx(t)}{dt} * h(t) = \frac{dy(t)}{dt}$$

$$\nabla \{x[n] * h[n]\} = \nabla x[n] * h[n] = x[n] * \nabla h[n] = \nabla y[n]$$

## □ Integral property

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

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^n \{x[k] * h[k]\} = x[n] * \left\{ \sum_{k=-\infty}^n h[k] \right\} = \left\{ \sum_{k=-\infty}^n x[k] \right\} * h[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^n y[k]$$

□ For unit impulse/step signal

□ More unit impulse/step signals, more simple

$$x(t) * \delta(t) = x(t)$$

$$x(t) * \delta(t - t_0) = x(t - t_0)$$

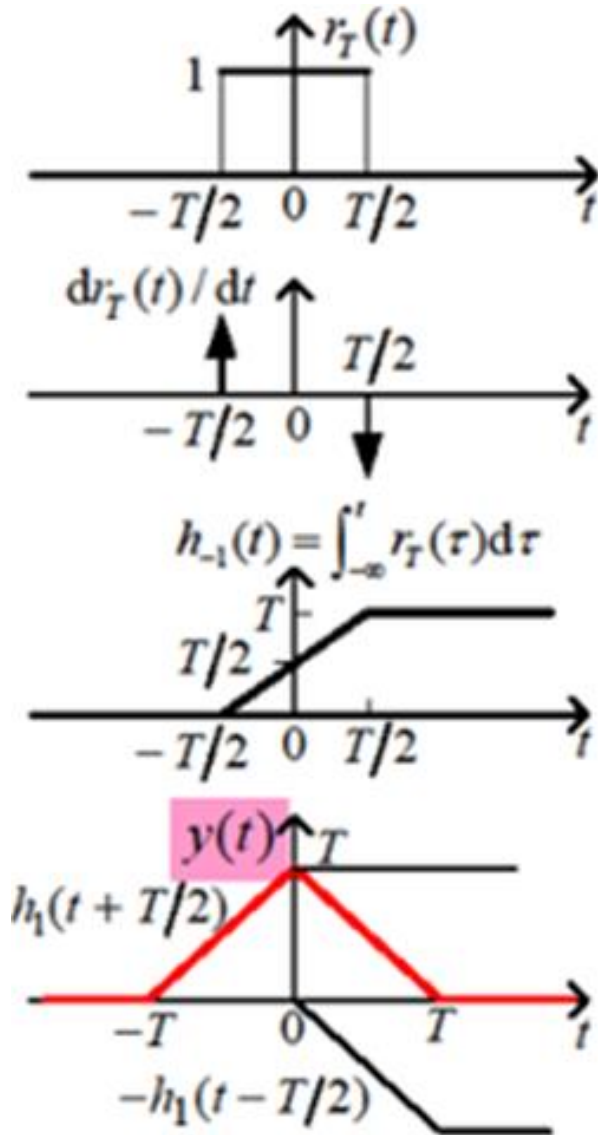
$$x(t) * u(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t x(\tau) d\tau$$

$$u(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t \delta(\tau) d\tau$$

$$x[n] * \delta[n] = x[n]$$

$$x[n] * \delta[n - m] = x[n - m]$$

$$x[n] * u[n] = \sum_{m=-\infty}^n x[m]$$

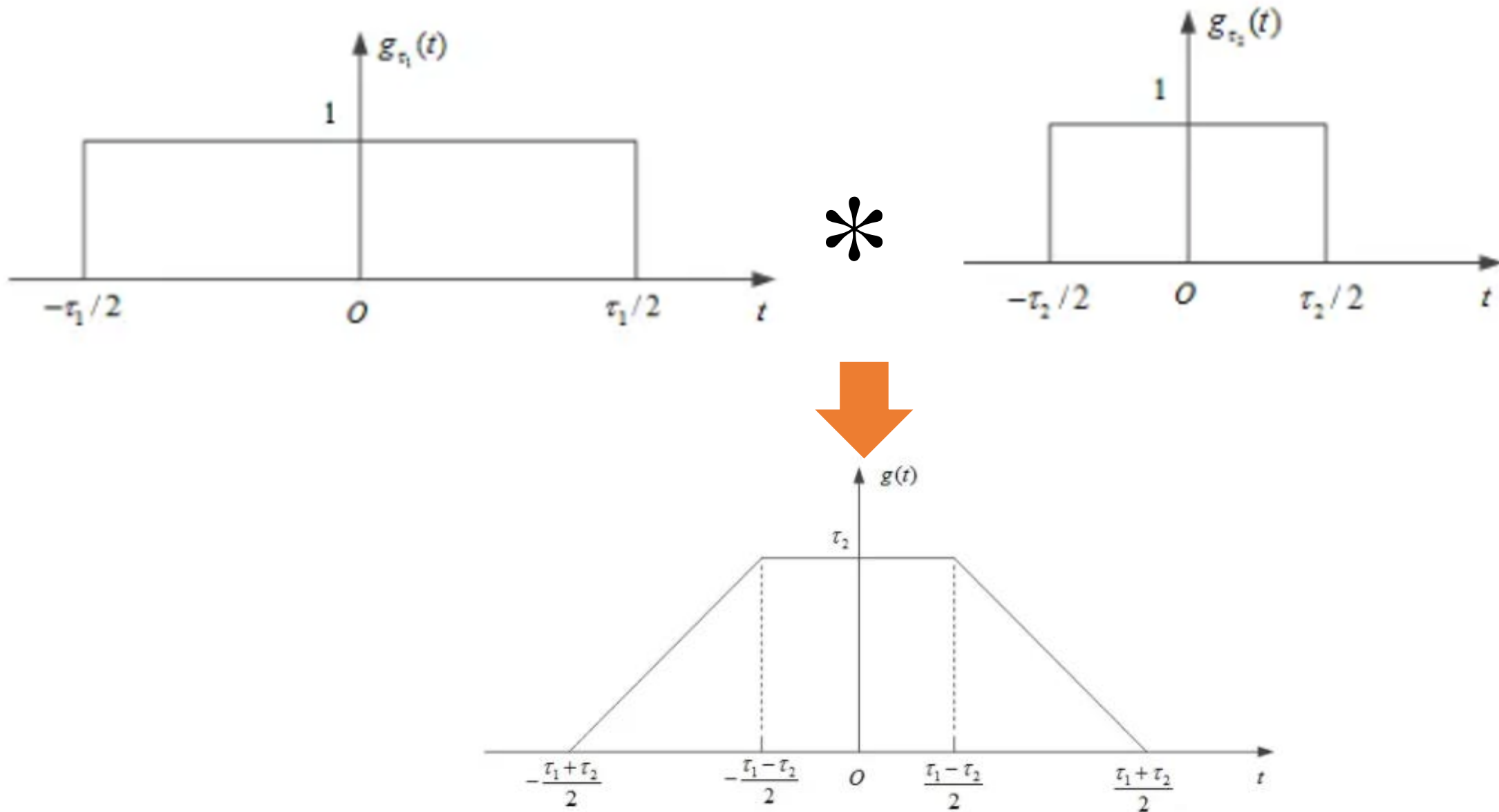


$$y(t) = r_T(t) * r_T(t) = \frac{d}{dt} r_T(t) * \int_{-\infty}^t r_T(\tau) d\tau$$

$$h_{-1}(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t r_T(\tau) d\tau$$

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= [\delta(t + T/2) - \delta(t - T/2)] * h_{-1}(t) \\ &= h_{-1}(t + T/2) - h_{-1}(t - T/2) \end{aligned}$$

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System properties:

- With memory or memoryless

$$y(n) = f(x(n))$$

- Invertible

For a system  $x \rightarrow y$ , if  $x_1 \neq x_2$ , then  $y_1 \neq y_2$

- Causal

... up to that time  $n$  ...

- Stable (BIBO)

either prove the system is stable, or find a specific counterexample

## LTI System properties:

- With memory or memoryless

- A linear, time-invariant, causal system is memoryless only

if  $h[n] = K\delta[n]$        $h(t) = K\delta(t)$

$$y[n] = Kx[n] \quad y(t) = Kx(t)$$

if  $K=1$  further, they are identity systems

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

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

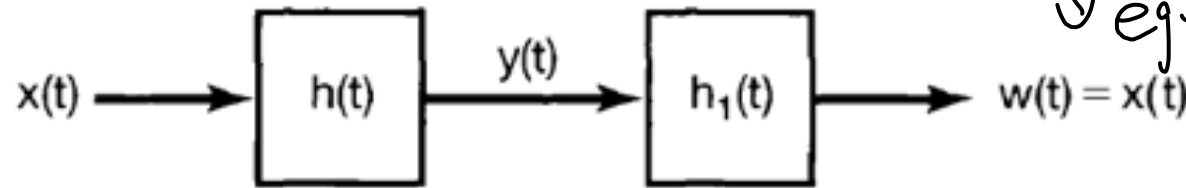
## LTI System properties:

- Invertible

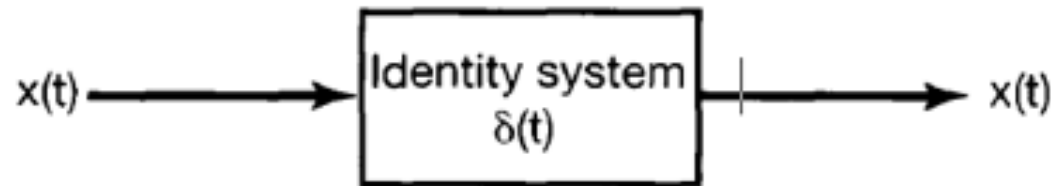
前提是逆系统存在

如果LTI可逆,一定能求  $|h_1(t) * h_2(t) = \delta(t)|$   
但不是所有的LTI都可逆

eg:  $h(t) = \frac{\sin \omega_c t}{\pi t}$



(a)



(b)

## LTI System properties:

- Causal

Causality: CT LTI system is causal  $\Leftrightarrow h(t) = 0$ , at  $t < 0$

- This is because that the input unit impulse function  $\delta(t)=0$  at  $t < 0$

As a result:

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

$t - \tau \geq 0$ , or  $\tau \leq t$

$y(t)$  only depends on  $x(\tau < t)$ .

## LTI System properties:

- Stable (BIBO)

**BIBO** Stability: CT LTI system is stable  $\Leftrightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |h(\tau)| d\tau < \infty$

→ Sufficient condition:

For  $|x(t)| \leq x_{\max} < \infty$ ,

Cauchy-Schwarz Inequation

$$|y(t)| = \left| \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(\tau) h(t - \tau) d\tau \right| \leq x_{\max} \left| \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} h(t - \tau) d\tau \right| < \infty.$$

→ Necessary condition:

Suppose  $\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |h(\tau)| d\tau = \infty$

Contradiction Case

Let  $x(t) = h^*(-t)/|h^*(-t)|$ , then  $|x(t)| \equiv 1$  bounded

$$\text{But } y(0) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(\tau) h(-\tau) d\tau = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{h^*(-\tau) h(-\tau)}{|h(-\tau)|} d\tau = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |h(-\tau)| d\tau = \infty$$

**2.20.** Evaluate the following integrals:

(a)  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u_0(t) \cos(t) dt$

(b)  $\int_0^5 \sin(2\pi t) \delta(t + 3) dt \stackrel{?}{=} 0$

(c)  $\int_{-5}^5 u_1(1 - \tau) \cos(2\pi\tau) d\tau$

$$u_{-k}(t) = \frac{t^{k-1}}{(k-1)!} u(t).$$

With this notation,  $u_k(t)$  for  $k > 0$  denotes the impulse response of a cascade of  $k$  differentiators,  $u_0(t)$  is the impulse response of the identity system, and, for  $k < 0$ ,  $u_k(t)$  is the impulse response of a cascade of  $|k|$  integrators. Furthermore, since a differentiator is the inverse system of an integrator,

$$u(t) * u_1(t) = \delta(t),$$

or, in our alternative notation,

$$u_{-1}(t) * u_1(t) = u_0(t). \quad (2.161)$$

2.20. (a)

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u_0(t) \cos(t) dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t) dt = 1$$

(b)

$$\int_0^5 \sin(2\pi t) \delta(t+3) dt = \sin(6\pi) = 0$$

(c) In order to evaluate the integral

$$\int_{-5}^5 u_1(1-\tau) \cos(2\pi\tau) d\tau,$$

consider the signal

$$x(t) = \cos(2\pi t)[u(t+5) - u(t-5)].$$

We know that

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dx(t)}{dt} &= u_1(t) * x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u_1(t-\tau) x(\tau) d\tau \\ &= \int_{-5}^5 u_1(t-\tau) \cos(2\pi\tau) d\tau \end{aligned}$$



Now,

$$\left. \frac{dx(t)}{dt} \right|_{t=1} = \int_{-5}^5 u_1(1-\tau) \cos(2\pi\tau) d\tau$$

which is the desired integral. We now evaluate the value of the integral as

$$\left. \frac{dx(t)}{dt} \right|_{t=1} = \sin(2\pi t)|_{t=1} = 0.$$

$$\int_{-5}^5 \delta'(1-\tau) \cos 2\pi\tau d\tau$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \underline{\underline{1-\tau=m, d\tau=-dm}} \\ \tau=1-m \end{array} \quad -\int_6^{-4} \delta'(m) \cos 2\pi(1-m) dm$$

$$= \int_{-4}^6 \cos 2\pi m d\delta(m)$$

$$= \cos 2\pi m \cdot \delta(m) \Big|_{-4}^6 - \int_{-4}^6 (-2\pi \sin 2\pi m) \delta(m) dm$$

$$= 0 + 0 \cdot \int_{-4}^6 \delta(m) dm = 0$$

**2.29.** The following are the impulse responses of continuous-time LTI systems. Determine whether each system is causal and/or stable. Justify your answers.

(a)  $h(t) = e^{-4t}u(t - 2)$

(b)  $h(t) = e^{-6t}u(3 - t)$

(c)  $h(t) = e^{-2t}u(t + 50)$

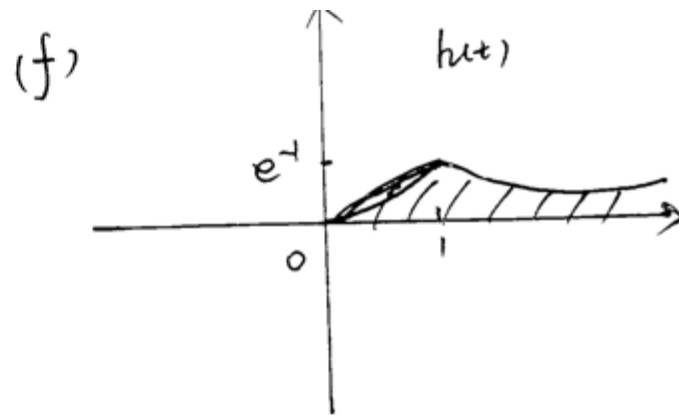
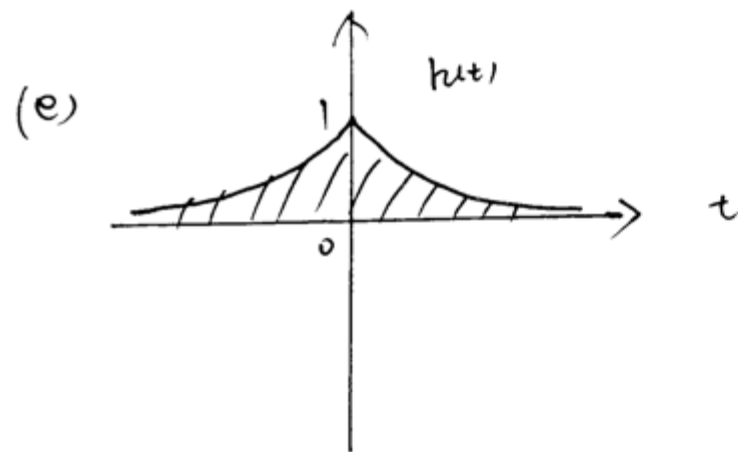
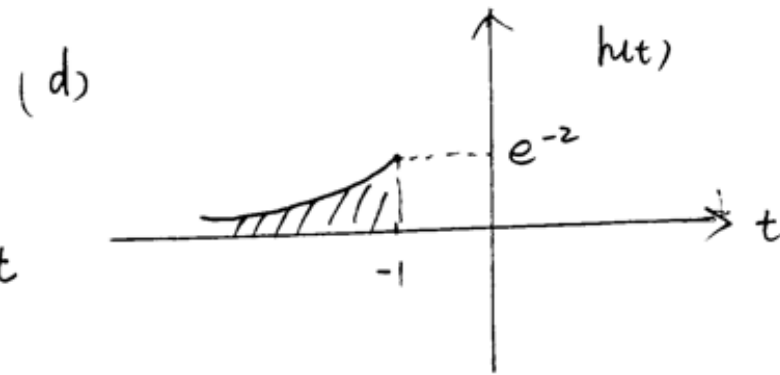
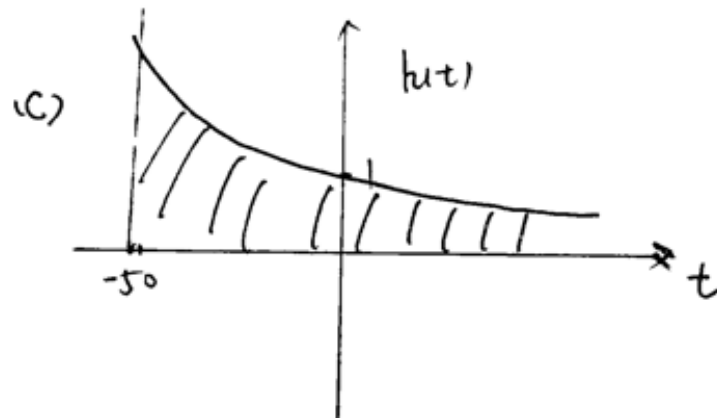
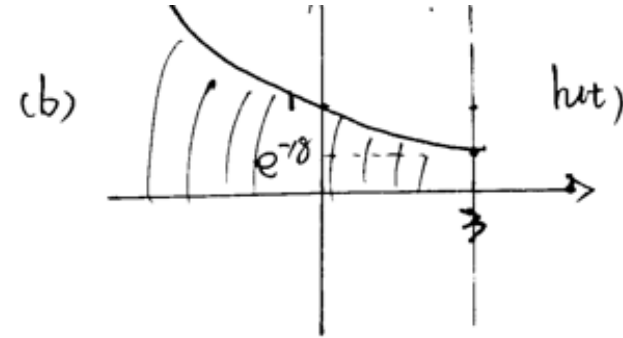
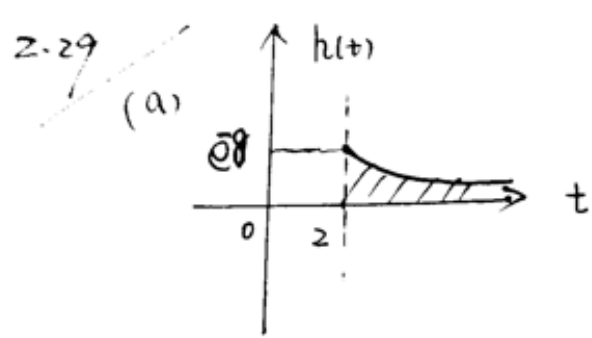
(d)  $h(t) = e^{2t}u(-1 - t)$

(a) Causal because  $h(t) = 0$  for  $t < 0$ . Stable because  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |h(t)| dt = e^{-8}/4 < \infty$ .

(b) Not causal because  $h(t) \neq 0$  for  $t < 0$ . Unstable because  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |h(t)| dt = \infty$ .

(c) Not causal because  $h(t) \neq 0$  for  $t < 0$ . a Stable because  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |h(t)| dt = e^{100}/2 < \infty$ .

(d) Not causal because  $h(t) \neq 0$  for  $t < 0$ . Stable because  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |h(t)| dt = e^{-2}/2 < \infty$ .



(g) 
$$\begin{cases} h_1(t) = 2e^{-t}u(t) \\ h_2(t) = -e^{(t-100)/100}u(t) \\ h(t) = h_1(t) + h_2(t) \end{cases}$$

(e)  $h(t) = e^{-6|t|}$

(f)  $h(t) = te^{-t}u(t)$

(g)  $h(t) = (2e^{-t} - e^{(t-100)/100})u(t)$

(e) Not causal because  $h(t) \neq 0$  for  $t < 0$ . Stable because  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |h(t)|dt = 1/3 < \infty$ .

(f) Causal because  $h(t) = 0$  for  $t < 0$ . Stable because  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |h(t)|dt = 1 < \infty$ .

(g) Causal because  $h(t) = 0$  for  $t < 0$ . Unstable because  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |h(t)|dt = \infty$ .

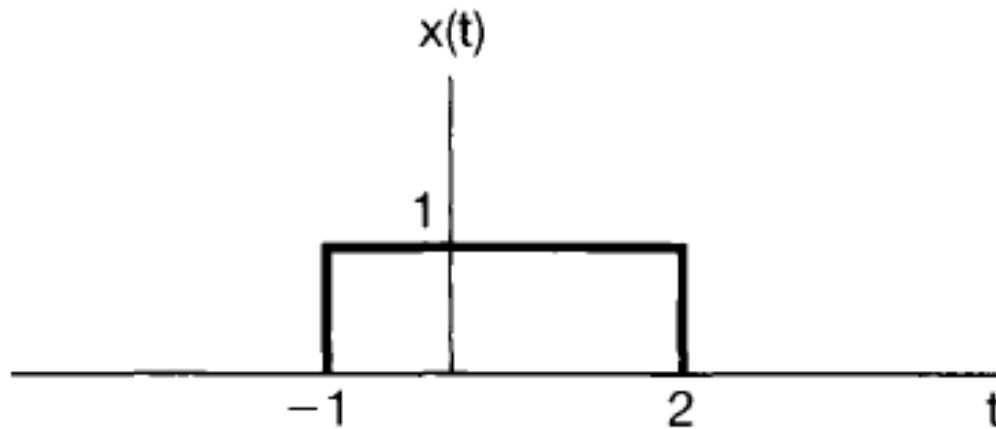
**2.40. (a)** Consider an LTI system with input and output related through the equation

$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t e^{-(t-\tau)} x(\tau - 2) d\tau. \quad = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-(t-\tau)} u(t-\tau) x(\tau-2) d\tau$$

What is the impulse response  $h(t)$  for this system?  $= x(t-2) * e^{-t} u(t)$

**(b)** Determine the response of the system when the input  $x(t)$  is as shown in Figure P2.40.

$$= x(t) * e^{-(t-2)} u(t-2)$$



**Figure P2.40**

2.40/a)

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

Please note that  $x(t) * h(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(\tau) h(t-\tau) d\tau$

$$\therefore y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{-(t-\tau)} u(t-\tau) x(\tau-2) d\tau$$

$$= x(t-2) * \boxed{e^{-t} u(t)} \Rightarrow \text{Note that it is not } h(t)!$$

$$= x(t) * \underbrace{e^{-(t-2)} u(t-2)}$$

LTII &  $h(t) = e^{-(t-2)} u(t-2) = e^{-t} u(t) * \delta(t-2)$



$$b) \quad x(t) = u(t+1) - u(t-2) = u(t) * [\delta(t+1) - \delta(t-2)]$$

$$\therefore y(t) = u(t) * [\delta(t+1) - \delta(t-2)] * e^{-t} u(t) * \delta(t-2)$$

Note  $e^{-at} u(t) * u(t) = \frac{1 - e^{-at}}{a} u(t)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \underbrace{u(t) * e^{-t} u(t)} * [\delta(t-1) - \delta(t-4)] \\
 &= (1 - e^{-t}) u(t) * [\delta(t-1) - \delta(t-4)] \\
 &= [1 - e^{-(t-1)}] u(t-1) - [1 - e^{-(t-4)}] u(t-4)
 \end{aligned}$$

**2.43.** One of the important properties of convolution, in both continuous and discrete time, is the associativity property. In this problem, we will check and illustrate this property.

**(a)** Prove the equality

$$[x(t) * h(t)] * g(t) = x(t) * [h(t) * g(t)] \quad (\text{P2.43-1})$$

by showing that both sides of eq. (P2.43-1) equal

$$\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(\tau) h(\sigma) g(t - \tau - \sigma) d\tau d\sigma.$$



2.43. (a) We first have

$$\begin{aligned} [x(t) * h(t)] * g(t) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) h(\sigma' - \tau) g(t - \sigma') d\tau d\sigma' \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) h(\sigma) g(t - \sigma - \tau) d\tau d\sigma \end{aligned}$$

Also,

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) * [h(t) * g(t)] &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t - \sigma') h(\tau) g(\sigma' - \tau) d\sigma' d\tau \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\sigma) h(\tau) g(t - \tau - \sigma) d\tau d\sigma \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) h(\sigma) g(t - \sigma - \tau) d\tau d\sigma \end{aligned}$$

The equality is proved.

①

$$[x(t) * h(t)] * g(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \left( \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(\tau) \underbrace{h(\sigma' - \tau)}_{f(\sigma')} d\tau \right) g(t - \sigma') d\sigma'$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(\tau) \cdot \left( \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} h(\sigma' - \tau) g(t - \sigma') d\sigma' \right) d\tau$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma' - \tau &= \sigma \\ \sigma' &= \sigma + \tau, d\sigma' = d\sigma \end{aligned} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(\tau) \cdot \left( \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} h(\sigma) g(t - \sigma - \tau) d\sigma \right) d\tau$$

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

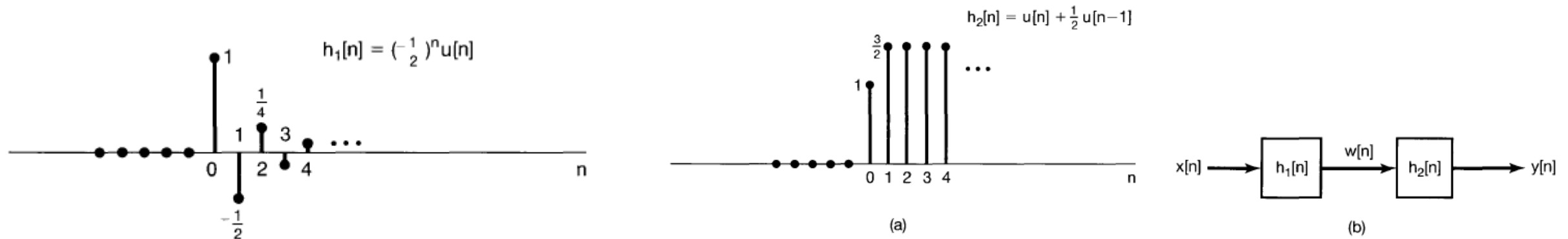
$$\begin{aligned}
 \textcircled{2} \quad x(t) * [h(t) * g(t)] &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(t-\sigma') \cdot \left( \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \overbrace{h(\tau) g(\sigma'-\tau)}^{f(\sigma')} d\tau \right) d\sigma' \\
 &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} h(\tau) \cdot \left( \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(t-\sigma') \cdot g(\sigma'-\tau) d\sigma' \right) d\tau
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \underline{\underline{t-\sigma' = \sigma, d\sigma' = -d\sigma}} \quad \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} h(\tau) \cdot \left( \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(\sigma) g(t-\sigma-\tau) d\sigma \right) d\tau \\
 \sigma' = t-\sigma
 \end{aligned}$$

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

Based on ① = ②, we complete the proof.

(b) Consider two LTI systems with the unit sample responses  $h_1[n]$  and  $h_2[n]$  shown in Figure P2.43(a). These two systems are cascaded as shown in Figure P2.43(b). Let  $x[n] = u[n]$ .



- Compute  $y[n]$  by first computing  $w[n] = x[n] * h_1[n]$  and then computing  $y[n] = w[n] * h_2[n]$ ; that is,  $y[n] = [x[n] * h_1[n]] * h_2[n]$ .
- Now find  $y[n]$  by first convolving  $h_1[n]$  and  $h_2[n]$  to obtain  $g[n] = h_1[n] * h_2[n]$  and then convolving  $x[n]$  with  $g[n]$  to obtain  $y[n] = x[n] * [h_1[n] * h_2[n]]$ .

The answers to (i) and (ii) should be identical, illustrating the associativity property of discrete-time convolution.

(b) (i) We first have

$$w[n] = u[n] * h_1[n] = \sum_{k=0}^n \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^k = \frac{2}{3} \left[1 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n+1}\right] u[n].$$

Now,

$$y[n] = w[n] * h_2[n] = (n+1)u[n].$$

(ii) We first have

$$g[n] = h_1[n] * h_2[n] = \sum_{k=0}^n \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^k + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^k = u[n]$$

Now,

$$y[n] = u[n] * g[n] = u[n] * u[n] = (n+1)u[n].$$

The same result was obtained in both parts (i) and (ii).



(c) Consider the cascade of two LTI systems as in Figure P2.43(b), where in this case

$$h_1[n] = \sin 8n$$

and

$$h_2[n] = a^n u[n], \quad |a| < 1,$$

and where the input is

$$x[n] = \delta[n] - a\delta[n-1].$$

Determine the output  $y[n]$ . (*Hint:* The use of the associative and commutative properties of convolution should greatly facilitate the solution.)

(c) Note that

$$x[n] * (h_2[n] * h_1[n]) = (x[n] * h_2[n]) * h_1[n].$$

Also note that

$$x[n] * h_2[n] = \alpha^n u[n] - \alpha^n u[n-1] = \delta[n].$$

Therefore,

$$x[n] * h_1[n] * h_2[n] = \delta[n] * \sin 8n = \sin 8n.$$

## Advanced Problems 2.47

**2.47.** We are given a certain linear time-invariant system with impulse response  $h_0(t)$ . We are told that when the input is  $x_0(t)$  the output is  $y_0(t)$ , which is sketched in Figure P2.47. We are then given the following set of inputs to linear time-invariant systems with the indicated impulse responses:

<i>Input <math>x(t)</math></i>	<i>Impulse response <math>h(t)</math></i>	
(a) $x(t) = 2x_0(t)$	$h(t) = h_0(t)$	(a) $y(t) = 2y_0(t)$ .
(b) $x(t) = x_0(t) - x_0(t - 2)$	$h(t) = h_0(t)$	(b) $y(t) = y_0(t) - y_0(t - 2)$ .
(c) $x(t) = x_0(t - 2)$	$h(t) = h_0(t + 1)$	(c) $y(t) = y_0(t - 1)$ .
(d) $x(t) = x_0(-t)$	$h(t) = h_0(t)$	(d) Not enough information.
(e) $x(t) = x_0(-t)$	$h(t) = h_0(-t)$	(e) $y(t) = y_0(-t)$ .
(f) $x(t) = x'_0(t)$	$h(t) = h'_0(t)$	(f) $y(t) = y_0''(t)$ .

[Here  $x'_0(t)$  and  $h'_0(t)$  denote the first derivatives of  $x_0(t)$  and  $h_0(t)$ , respectively.]

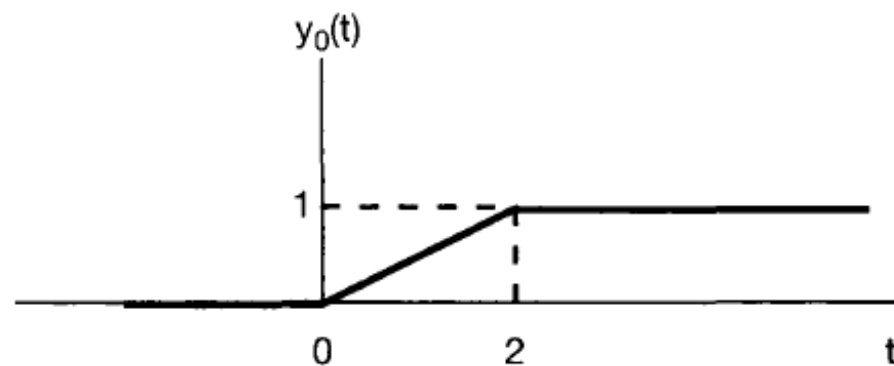


Figure P2.47

The signals for all parts of this problem are plotted in the Figure S2.47.

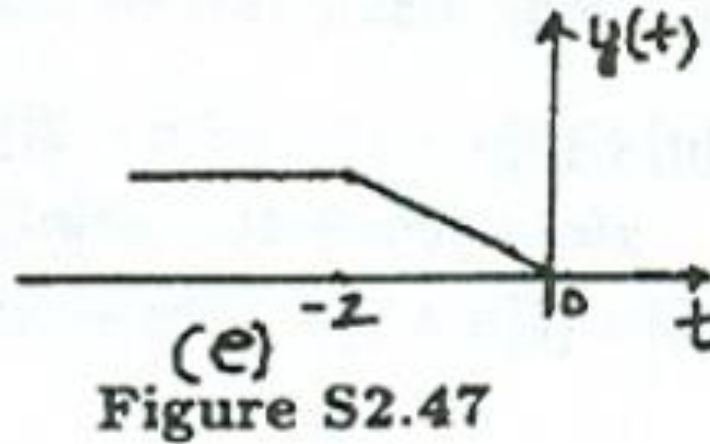
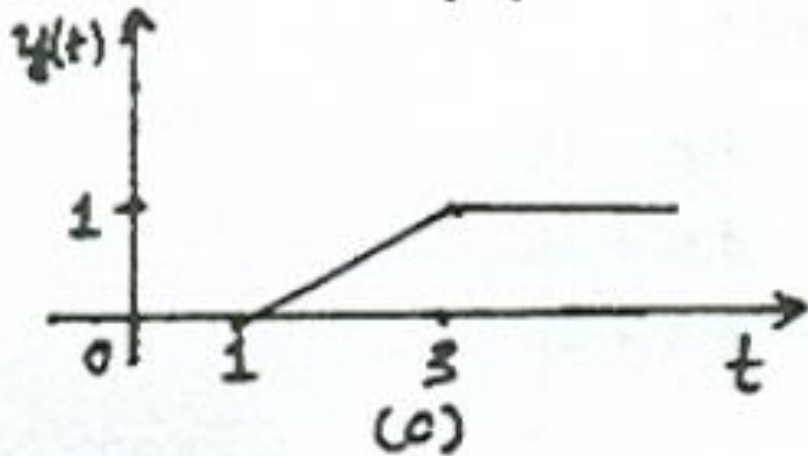
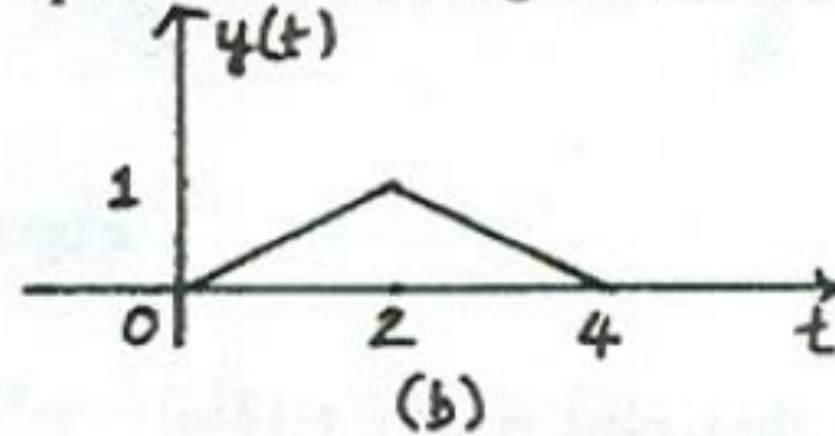
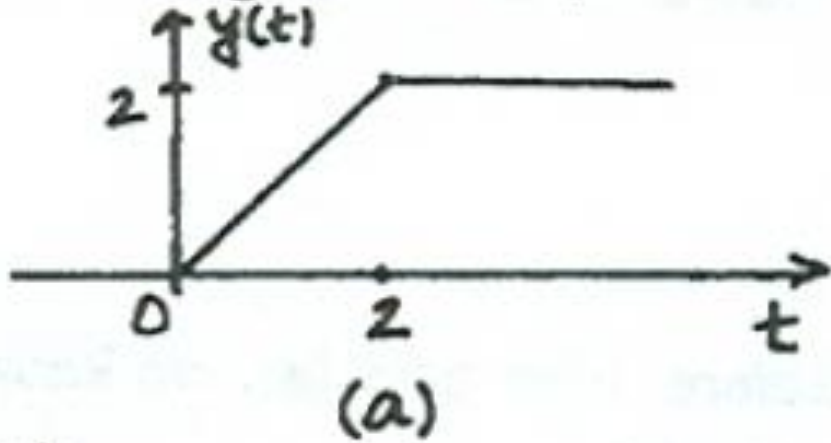
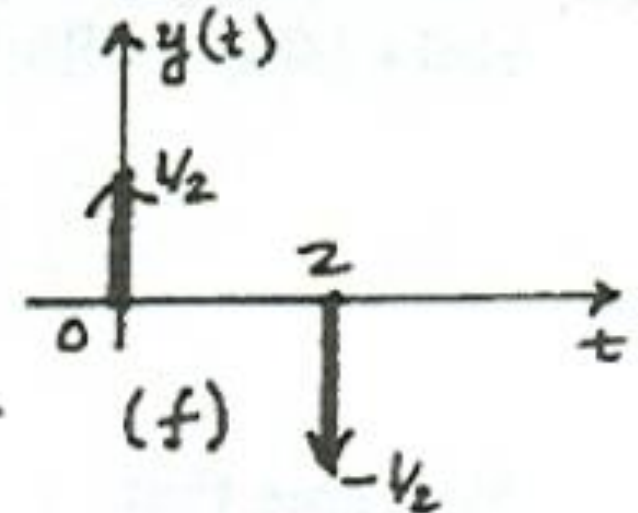


Figure S2.47







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