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Assignment 9

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Papoulis Chapter 9 problem 9.9

Show that the process $x(t) = c\omega(t)$ is WSS iff $E(c) = 0$ and $\omega(t) = e^{j(\omega t + \theta)}$

Solution

A stochastic process $x(t)$ is called wide-sense stationary if its mean is constant and $R_x(t_1, t_2) = R_x(T)$, where $T = t_1 - t_2$.

$$\eta_c = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$\implies \eta_{x(t)} = \eta_c e^{j(\omega t + \theta)} = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$R_{xx}(t + \tau, t) = \sigma_c^2 e^{j\omega\tau} \quad (3)$$

Hence $x(t)$ is WSS, Now lets prove the converse:

$\eta_x(t) = \eta_c w(t)$ is independent of t ; hence $\eta_c = 0$. The function $R_x(t_1, t_2) = \sigma_c^2 w(t_1)w^*(t_2)$ depends only on $\tau = t_1 - t_2$; Hence $\omega(t + \tau)\omega^*(t) = g(\tau)$, with $\tau = 0$ this yields

$$|\omega(t)|^2 = g(0) = \text{constant} \quad (4)$$

$$\omega(t + \tau)\omega^*(t) = a^2 e^{j[\phi(t+\tau) - \phi(t)]} \quad (5)$$

Hence the difference $\phi(t + \tau) - \phi(t)$ depends only on τ

From this it follows that, if $\phi(t)$ is continuous then, $\phi(t)$ is a linear function of t . Assuming $\phi(t)$ to be differentiable we get

$$\phi'(t + \tau) = \phi'(t) \quad (6)$$

$$\text{putting } t=0 \quad (7)$$

$$\phi'(\tau) = \phi'(0) = \text{constant} \quad (8)$$