

# HW8 Solution ECE 503 Fall 2017

## Problem 1

- (a) Since  $\sin \tau$  is odd, it is NOT a valid correlation function.
- (b) Since the Fourier transform of  $\cos \tau$  is  $[\delta(f - 1) + \delta(f + 1)]/2$ , which is real, even, and nonnegative,  $\cos \tau$  IS a valid correlation function.
- (c) Since the Fourier transform of  $e^{-\tau^2/2}$  is  $\sqrt{2\pi} e^{-(2\pi f)^2/2}$ , which is real, even, and nonnegative,  $e^{-\tau^2/2}$  IS a valid correlation function.
- (d) Since the Fourier transform of  $e^{-|\tau|}$  is  $2/[1 + (2\pi f)^2]$ , which is real, even, and nonnegative,  $e^{-|\tau|}$  IS a valid correlation function.
- (e) Since the value of  $\tau^2 e^{-|\tau|}$  at  $\tau = 0$  is less than the value for other values of  $\tau$ ,  $\tau^2 e^{-|\tau|}$  is NOT a valid correlation function.
- (f) Since the Fourier transform of  $I_{[-T, T]}(\tau)$  is  $(2T) \sin(2\pi T f)/(2\pi T f)$  is not non-negative,  $I_{[-T, T]}(\tau)$  is NOT a valid correlation function.

## Problem 2

First consider the mean function,

$$\mathbb{E}[q(t+T)] = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} q(t+\theta) d\theta = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_t^{t+T_0} q(\tau) d\tau = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} q(\tau) d\tau,$$

where we have used the fact that since  $q$  has period  $T_0$ , the integral of  $q$  over any interval of length  $T_0$  yields the same result. The second thing to consider is the correlation function. Write

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbb{E}[q(t_1+T)q(t_2+T)] &= \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} q(t_1+\theta)q(t_2+\theta) d\theta \\ &= \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_2}^{t_2+T_0} q(t_1+\tau-t_2)q(\tau) d\tau \\ &= \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} q([t_1-t_2]+\tau)q(\tau) d\tau, \end{aligned}$$

where we have used the fact that as a function of  $\tau$ , the product  $q([t_1-t_2]+\tau)q(\tau)$  has period  $T_0$ . Since the mean function does not depend on  $t$ , and since the correlation function depends on  $t_1$  and  $t_2$  only through their difference,  $X_t$  is WSS.

## Problem 3

$$(a) \quad S_X(f) = \sqrt{2\pi} e^{-(2\pi f)^2/2}.$$

$$(b) \quad S_X(f) = \pi e^{-2\pi|f|}.$$

## Problem 4

Since  $R_X(\tau) = 1/(1 + \tau^2)$ , we have from the transform table that  $S_X(f) = \pi e^{-2\pi|f|}$ . Similarly, since  $h(t) = 3 \sin(\pi t)/(\pi t)$ , we have from the transform table that  $H(f) = 3I_{[-1/2, 1/2]}(f)$ . We can now write

$$S_Y(f) = |H(f)|^2 S_X(f) = 9I_{[-1/2, 1/2]}(f) \cdot \pi e^{-2\pi|f|} = 9\pi e^{-2\pi|f|} I_{[-1/2, 1/2]}(f).$$

## Problem 5

Let  $S_0(f)$  denote the Fourier transform of  $R_0(\tau)$ , and let  $S(f)$  denote the Fourier transform of  $R(\tau)$ .

(a) The derivation in the text showing that the transform of a correlation function is real and even uses only the fact that correlation functions are real and even. Hence,  $S_0(f)$  is real and even. Furthermore, since  $R$  is the convolution of  $R_0$  with itself,  $S(f) = S_0(f)^2$ , which is real, even, and nonnegative. Hence,  $R(\tau)$  is a correlation function.

(b) If  $R_0(\tau) = I_{[-T, T]}(\tau)$ , then

$$S_0(f) = 2T \frac{\sin(2\pi T f)}{2\pi T f} \quad \text{and} \quad S(f) = 2T \cdot 2T \left[ \frac{\sin(2\pi T f)}{2\pi T f} \right]^2.$$

Hence,  $R(\tau) = 2T \cdot (1 - |\tau|/(2T)) I_{[-2T, 2T]}(\tau)$ .

## Problem 6

First note that since  $R_X(\tau) = e^{-\tau^2/2}$ ,  $S_X(f) = \sqrt{2\pi}e^{-(2\pi f)^2/2}$ .

(a)  $S_{XY}(f) = H(f)^* S_X(f) = [e^{-(2\pi f)^2/2}]^* \sqrt{2\pi}e^{-(2\pi f)^2/2} = \sqrt{2\pi}e^{-(2\pi f)^2}$ .

(b) Writing

$$S_{XY}(f) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sqrt{2\pi} \sqrt{2} e^{-(\sqrt{2})^2 (2\pi f)^2 / 2},$$

we have from the transform table that

$$R_{XY}(\tau) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} e^{-(\tau/\sqrt{2})^2 / 2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} e^{-\tau^2/4}.$$

(c) Write

$$E[X_{t_1} Y_{t_2}] = R_{XY}(t_1 - t_2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} e^{-(t_1 - t_2)^2 / 4}.$$

(d)  $S_Y(f) = |H(f)|^2 S_X(f) = e^{-(2\pi f)^2} \cdot \sqrt{2\pi} e^{-(2\pi f)^2/2} = \sqrt{2\pi} e^{-3(2\pi f)^2/2}$ .

(e) Writing

$$S_Y(f) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \sqrt{2\pi} \sqrt{3} e^{-(\sqrt{3})^2 (2\pi f)^2 / 2},$$

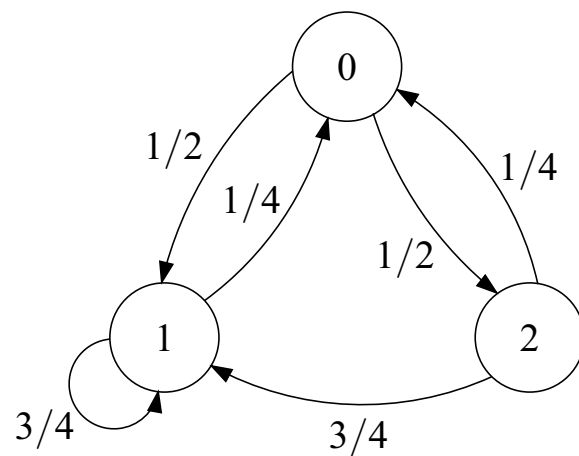
we have from the transform table that

$$R_Y(\tau) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} e^{-(\tau/\sqrt{3})^2 / 2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} e^{-\tau^2/6}.$$

## Problem 7

(a)

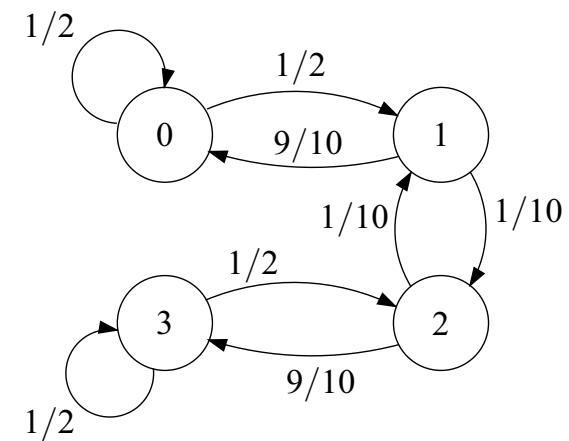
The state transition diagram is



The stationary distribution is  $\pi_0 = 1/5$ ,  $\pi_1 = 7/10$ ,  $\pi_2 = 1/10$ .

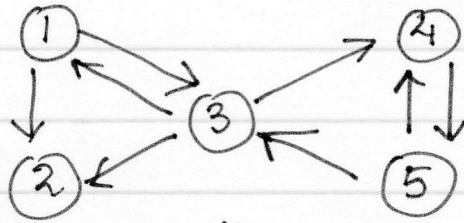
(b)

The state transition diagram is

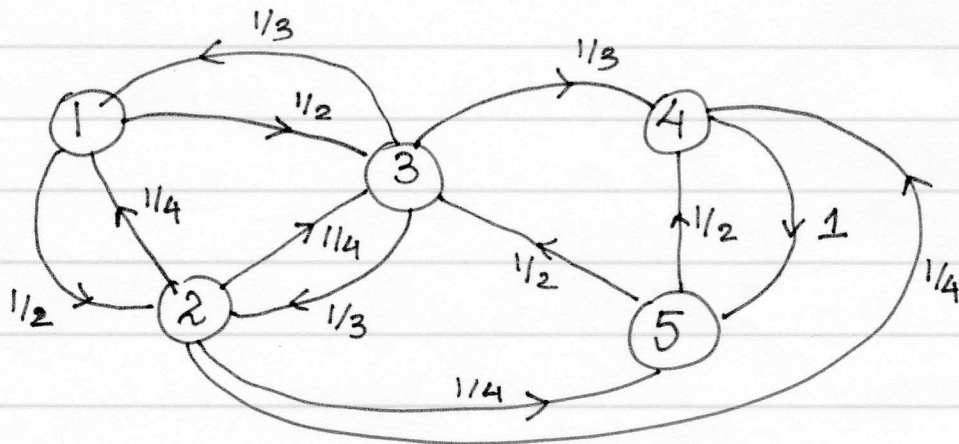


The stationary distribution is  $\pi_0 = 9/28$ ,  $\pi_1 = 5/28$ ,  $\pi_2 = 5/28$ ,  $\pi_3 = 9/28$ .

8 "Web-page" problem.



⇓ State transition diagram.



⇒

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/4 & 0 & 1/4 & 1/4 & 1/4 \\ 1/3 & 1/3 & 0 & 1/3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/2 & 1/2 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

(b) The MC is irreducible;

$$C = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$$

↑  
single communicating class.

The MC is aperiodic

Period of State 1:

$$1 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 1 \quad 2\text{-steps}$$

$$1 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 1 \quad 3\text{-steps}$$

$$\text{GCD}(2, 3) = 1 \Rightarrow \underline{\text{Period} = 1}$$



Aperiodic

⇒ MC has a unique limiting state probability distribution, which is independent of initial probability.

$$\pi = \pi P$$



Solving  $\pi = \pi P$

$$\pi_1 = \frac{\pi_2}{4} + \frac{\pi_3}{3} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\pi_2 = \frac{\pi_1}{2} + \frac{\pi_3}{3} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\pi_3 = \frac{\pi_1}{2} + \frac{\pi_2}{4} + \frac{\pi_5}{2} \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$\pi_4 = \frac{\pi_2}{4} + \frac{\pi_3}{3} + \frac{\pi_5}{2} \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

$$\pi_5 = \frac{\pi_2}{4} + \pi_4 \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

From (1) and (2),  $\pi_1 - \pi_2 = \frac{\pi_2}{4} - \frac{\pi_1}{2}$   
 $\Rightarrow \frac{3}{2}\pi_1 = \frac{5}{4}\pi_2 \Rightarrow \pi_2 = \frac{12}{10}\pi_1$

From (1),

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\pi_2 = \frac{6}{5}\pi_1}$$

$$\pi_3 = 3\pi_1 - \frac{3}{4}\pi_2 = 3\left(1 - \frac{1 \times 6}{4 \times 5}\right)\pi_1$$

$$= 3\left(1 - \frac{3}{10}\right)\pi_1 = \frac{21}{10}\pi_1 \Rightarrow \boxed{\pi_3 = \frac{21}{10}\pi_1}$$

From (3),

$$\pi_5 = 2\pi_3 - \pi_1 - \frac{\pi_2}{2}$$

$$= \frac{(2 \times 21 - 10 - 6)}{10}\pi_1$$

$$\pi_5 = \frac{(42 - 16)}{10}\pi_1 = \frac{26}{10}\pi_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\pi_5 = \frac{26}{10}\pi_1}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{and } \pi_4 &= \pi_5 - \frac{\pi_2}{4} = \frac{26\pi_1}{10} - \frac{1}{4} \times \frac{3}{5} \pi_1 \\
 &= \left( \frac{26}{10} - \frac{3}{10} \right) \pi_1 \\
 &= \frac{23}{10} \pi_1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi_2 = \frac{12}{10} \pi_1$$

$$\pi_3 = \frac{21}{10} \pi_1$$

$$\pi_4 = \frac{23}{10} \pi_1$$

$$\pi_5 = \frac{26}{10} \pi_1$$

$$\text{and also } \pi_1 + \pi_2 + \pi_3 + \pi_4 + \pi_5 = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi_1 \left( \frac{10}{10} + \frac{12}{10} + \frac{21}{10} + \frac{23}{10} + \frac{26}{10} \right) = 1$$

$$\pi_1 = 10/92$$

$$\pi_2 = \frac{12}{10} \times \frac{10}{92} = \frac{12}{92}$$

$$\pi_3 = \frac{21}{92}$$

$$\pi_4 = \frac{23}{92}$$

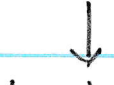
$$\pi_5 = \frac{26}{92}$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi_1 = \frac{10}{92}$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi_5 > \pi_4 > \pi_3 > \pi_2 > \pi_1$$

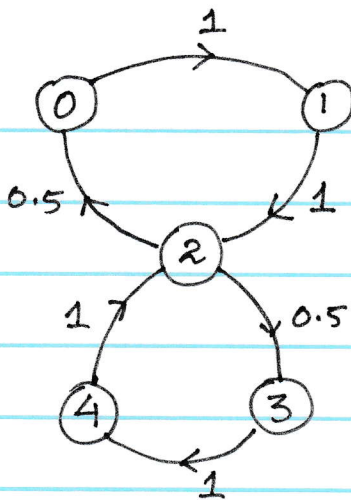


Most  
important



Least  
Important

9 (i)



$$P = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/2 & 0 & 0 & 1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

This is irreducible (paths from  $i \rightarrow j$  and  $j \rightarrow i$ )  
 & a single communicating class.

Period of state 0:

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} 0 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 0 \quad 3\text{-steps} \\ 0 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 0 \quad 6\text{-steps} \end{array} \right\} \text{GCD} = 3$$

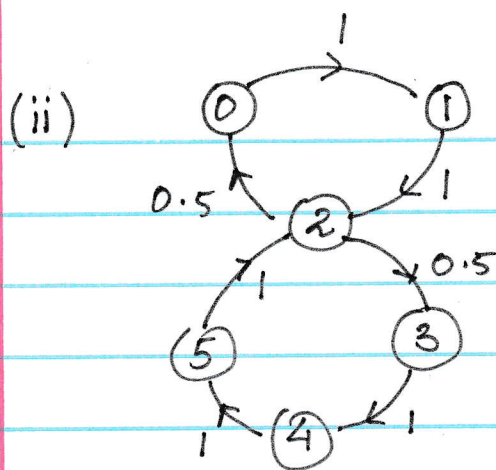
$\Rightarrow$  ~~aperiodic~~ **PERIODIC**

(unique)

$$\pi = \pi P \Rightarrow \pi = \begin{bmatrix} 1/6 & 1/6 & 1/3 & 1/6 & 1/6 \end{bmatrix}$$

Note: This M.C. converges to above  $\pi$   
 as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ .





$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/2 & 0 & 0 & 1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

MC is irreducible.

Period of 0:

$$0 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{3-steps}$$

$$0 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 4 \rightarrow 5 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{7-steps}$$

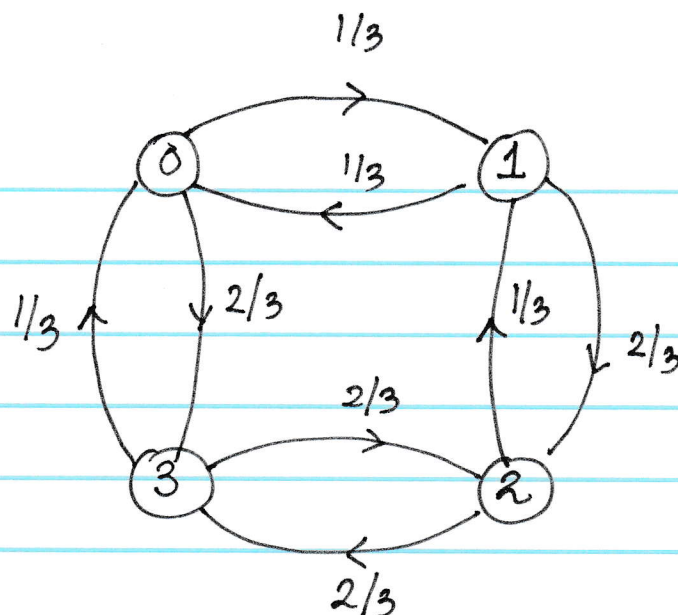
$$\text{GCD}(3, 7) = 1$$

$\Rightarrow$  Aperiodic

Solving  $\pi = \pi P \Rightarrow \pi = \left[ \frac{1}{7} \quad \frac{1}{7} \quad \frac{2}{7} \quad \frac{1}{7} \quad \frac{1}{7} \quad \frac{1}{7} \right]$

$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} p(n) = \pi$  & does not depend on  $p(0)$ .

(iii)



$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1/3 & 0 & 1/3 \\ 1/3 & 0 & 2/3 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/3 & 0 & 2/3 \\ 1/3 & 0 & 2/3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

MC is irreducible.

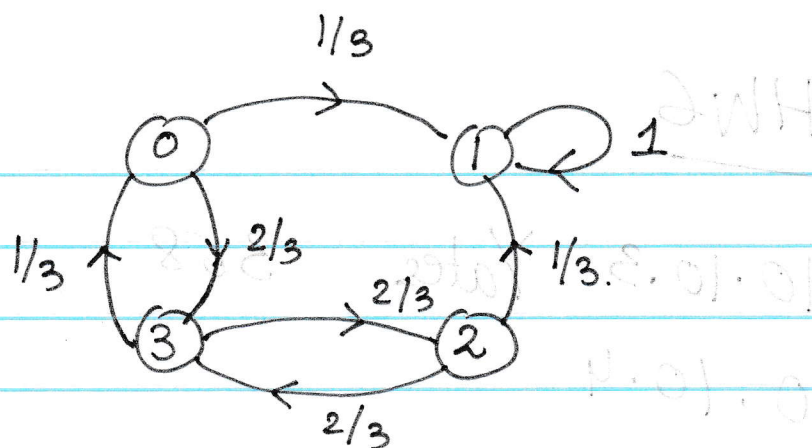
Period of state 0:  $0 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 0$  2-steps }  $\text{GCD} = 2$   
 $0 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 0$  4-steps }  
 $\vdots$   
(all other paths are multiples of 2)

Periodic

$$\pi = \pi P \Rightarrow \pi = \begin{bmatrix} 1/6 & 1/6 & 1/3 & 1/3 \end{bmatrix}$$

↑  
(unique)

(iv).



$$P = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1/3 & 0 & 2/3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/3 & 0 & 2/3 \\ 1/3 & 0 & 2/3 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

MC is reducible.

$$C_1 = \{1\} ; \quad C_2 = \{0, 2, 3\}$$

Two communicating classes.

Solving  $\pi = \pi P$  has a unique solution

$$\pi = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$   
 $\pi_0 \quad \pi_1 \quad \pi_2 \quad \pi_3$