

EE 637 Final
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Instructions:

- This is a 120 minute exam containing **five** problems.
- Each problem is worth 20 points for a total score of 100 points
- You may **only** use your brain and a pencil (or pen) to complete this exam.
- You **may not** use your book, notes, or a calculator, or any other electronic or physical device for communicating or accessing stored information.

Good Luck.

Fact Sheet

- Function definitions

$$\text{rect}(t) \triangleq \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } |t| < 1/2 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\Lambda(t) \triangleq \begin{cases} 1 - |t| & \text{for } |t| < 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{sinc}(t) \triangleq \frac{\sin(\pi t)}{\pi t}$$

- CTFT

$$X(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) e^{-j2\pi f t} dt$$

$$x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f) e^{j2\pi f t} df$$

- CTFT Properties

$$x(-t) \stackrel{CTFT}{\Leftrightarrow} X(-f)$$

$$x(t - t_0) \stackrel{CTFT}{\Leftrightarrow} X(f) e^{-j2\pi f t_0}$$

$$x(at) \stackrel{CTFT}{\Leftrightarrow} \frac{1}{|a|} X(f/a)$$

$$X(t) \stackrel{CTFT}{\Leftrightarrow} x(-f)$$

$$x(t) e^{j2\pi f_0 t} \stackrel{CTFT}{\Leftrightarrow} X(f - f_0)$$

$$x(t) y(t) \stackrel{CTFT}{\Leftrightarrow} X(f) * Y(f)$$

$$x(t) * y(t) \stackrel{CTFT}{\Leftrightarrow} X(f) Y(f)$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) y^*(t) dt = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f) Y^*(f) df$$

- CTFT pairs

$$\text{sinc}(t) \stackrel{CTFT}{\Leftrightarrow} \text{rect}(f)$$

$$\text{rect}(t) \stackrel{CTFT}{\Leftrightarrow} \text{sinc}(f)$$

For $a > 0$

$$\frac{1}{(n-1)!} t^{n-1} e^{-at} u(t) \stackrel{CTFT}{\Leftrightarrow} \frac{1}{(j2\pi f + a)^n}$$

- CSFT

$$F(u, v) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) e^{-j2\pi(ux+vy)} dx dy$$

$$f(x, y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(u, v) e^{j2\pi(ux+vy)} du dv$$

- DTFT

$$X(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n) e^{-j\omega n}$$

$$x(n) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} X(e^{j\omega}) e^{j\omega n} d\omega$$

- DTFT pairs

$$a^n u(n) \stackrel{DTFT}{\Leftrightarrow} \frac{1}{1 - ae^{-j\omega}}$$

- Rep and Comb relations

$$\text{rep}_T[x(t)] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(t - kT)$$

$$\text{comb}_T[x(t)] = x(t) \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - kT)$$

$$\text{comb}_T[x(t)] \stackrel{CTFT}{\Leftrightarrow} \frac{1}{T} \text{rep}_{\frac{1}{T}}[X(f)]$$

$$\text{rep}_T[x(t)] \stackrel{CTFT}{\Leftrightarrow} \frac{1}{T} \text{comb}_{\frac{1}{T}}[X(f)]$$

- Sampling and Reconstruction

$$y(n) = x(nT)$$

$$Y(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} X\left(\frac{\omega - 2\pi k}{2\pi T}\right)$$

$$s(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} y(k) \delta(t - kT)$$

$$S(e^{j\omega}) = Y(e^{j\omega T})$$

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Problem 1.(20pt)

Consider a color imaging device that takes input values of (r, g, b) and produces output (X, Y, Z) values given by

$$\begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \\ Z \end{bmatrix} = A \begin{bmatrix} r^\alpha \\ g^\alpha \\ b^\alpha \end{bmatrix} .$$

where

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ g & h & i \end{bmatrix} .$$

- a) Calculate the white point of the device in chromaticity coordinates.
- b) Determine the chromaticity coordinates of the three primaries associated with the r , g , and b components.
- c) What is the gamma of the device?

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Problem 2.(20pt)

Let X be a scalar random variable and Z be a $M \times 1$ random vector. Assume that X and Z are zero mean with

$$\begin{aligned} b &= E[XZ] \\ R &= E[ZZ^t] . \end{aligned}$$

Further define the estimator

$$\hat{X} = \theta Z$$

where θ is a $1 \times M$ parameter vector.

- a) **Derive** an expression for the value of θ that results in the minimum mean squared error **linear** estimator of X given Z .
- b) What estimator always results in the minimum mean squared error estimate of X given Z ?
- c) Is the minimum mean squared error estimator of X always a linear function of Z ? Justify your answer.
- d) What estimator, $\hat{X} = T(Z)$, minimizes the following expression?

$$E[|X - \hat{X}|]$$

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Problem 3.(20pt)

Consider the 1-D error diffusion algorithm specified by the equations

$$\begin{aligned}b_n &= Q(y_n) \\e_n &= y_n - b_n \\y_n &= x_n + e_{n-1}\end{aligned}$$

where x_n is the input, b_n is the output, and $Q(\cdot)$ is a binary quantizer with the form

$$Q(y) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } y > 0.5 \\ 0 & \text{if } y \leq 0.5 \end{cases}.$$

where we assume that $e_0 = 0$ and the algorithm is run for $n \geq 1$.

Furthermore, define $d_n = x_n - b_n$.

- Draw a flow diagram for this algorithm. Make sure to label all the signals in the flow diagram using the notation defined above.
- Calculate b_n for $n = 1$ to 10 when $x_n = 0.25$ and $e_0 = 0$.
- Calculate an expression for d_n in terms of the quantization error e_n .
- Calculate an expression for $\sum_{n=1}^N d_n$ in terms of the quantization error e_n .
- What does the result of part d) above tell you about the output of error diffusion?

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Problem 4.(20pt)

Consider a discrete-time random process X_n with i.i.d. samples that are Gaussian with mean 0 and variance $\sigma^2 > 0$.

The rate distortion relation for this source is then given by

$$\begin{aligned} R(\Delta) &= \max \left\{ \frac{1}{2} \log_2 \left(\frac{\sigma^2}{\Delta^2} \right), 0 \right\} \\ D(\Delta) &= \min \left\{ \sigma^2, \Delta^2 \right\} \end{aligned}$$

- a) Plot the minimum possible rate (y-axis) versus distortion (x-axis) required to code this source when $\sigma^2 = 1$.
- b) Explain the meaning of the distortion-rate function.
- c) How many bits per sample are required in order to achieve zero distortion?
- d) How many bits per sample are required in order to achieve a distortion of $D = \sigma^2$?
- e) Let $\{X_n\}_{n=1}^N$ be a set of independent Gaussian random variables each with zero mean and variance σ_n^2 where $\sigma_{n-1}^2 \geq \sigma_n^2$. Write an expression for the rate and distortion.
- f) Calculate the distortion-rate function for a Gaussian vector X with mean zero and covariance $R = E\Lambda E^t$ where $EE^t = I$ and Λ is diagonal?

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Problem 5.(20pt)

Let $x(t) = \text{sinc}(at)$ for some positive constant a , and let $y(n) = x(nT)$ where $f_s = 1/T$ is the sampling frequency of the system. Further assume that a has units of sec^{-1} , T has units of sec , and f_s has units of $\text{Hz} = \text{sec}^{-1}$.

- a) Calculate $X(f)$, the CTFT of $x(t)$.
- b) What is the cutoff frequency of $X(f)$ in Hz ? (Your answer will be in terms of a .)
- c) Calculate $Y(e^{j\omega})$, the DTFT of $y(n)$.
- d) Calculate f_q , the Nyquist sampling frequency for the signal. (Your answer will be in terms of a .)
- e) Sketch the function $Y(e^{j\omega})$ on the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$ when $f_s = (3/2)f_q$.
- f) Sketch the function $Y(e^{j\omega})$ on the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$ when $f_s = (2/3)f_q$.

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