

# VE216 Recitation Class

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## Recitation Class Arrangement

10:00 ~ 11:40

No.	Coverage	Date	Join Through
1	Chap.1	Mar.13, <del>Fri.</del>	Canvas (In-class)
2	Chap.2	Mar.19, <del>Thur.</del>	Zoom ID: 869-301-2154
3	Chap.3	Mar.26, Thur.	Zoom ID: 869-301-2154
4	Chap.4	Apr.2, Thur.	Zoom ID: 869-301-2154
5	Chap.6,7	Apr.9, Thur.	Zoom ID: 869-301-2154
6	Chap.8	Apr.16, Thur.	Zoom ID: 869-301-2154
7	Chap.9	Apr.24, Fri.	<u>Canvas</u> (In-class)

Table: RC Arrangement

- CHEN Ling, LI Zhipeng - Homework, Quiz
- ZHU Yilun - RC
- For zoom RC, I prefer:

Raise hand, then speak > public message > private message

# General Advice

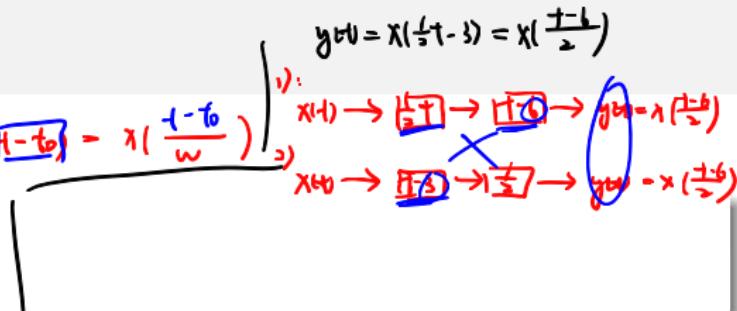
- To me, this course seems like an (Applied) Math course, therefore:
  - Don't get lost in Math, think about physical meaning
  - Live with ambiguousness, don't treat it as a "Theoretical" Math course
- The course "Signals and Systems" on MIT Open Courseware by Prof. Alan V. Oppenheim's is highly recommended
  - Personally, recommend Video Lecture > Textbook
- This course is inspiring because it provides a different view
  - When I first study this course, the application to Communication Systems is really fascinating to me. Chap. 8 FT
  - After working as TA and reviewed all the contents again, I realized that this course is full of brilliant ideas.
- **RL:** • I hope, at least, tell you the points that attracted me most
- Ever think of why this course is titled "Signals and Systems" ?



Study Signal 1st -

# Transformation of Signals

$$s(t) = x\left(\frac{t}{w}\right) \rightarrow y(t) = s(t-t_0) = x\left(\frac{t-t_0}{w}\right)$$



## Theorem (Time transformation)

- 1)  $x\left(\frac{t-t_0}{w}\right)$     2)  $x(at - b)$

For Graph:

- 1) First scale according to  $w$ , then shift according to  $t_0$
- 2) First time-delay by  $b$ , then time-scale by  $a$

Wait... The word “Transformation” sounds familiar?

Yes. Transformation of signals is performed by systems!

Think about the physical meaning: There are two systems, one can shift the time, another can scale the time. Different sequence of connection requires different specification of  $(w, t_0, a, b)$  to reach the same effect.

# Transformation of Signals

## Theorem (Amplitude transformation)

- 1) *Reversal*  $y(t) = -x(t)$
- 2) *Scaling*  $y(t) = \underline{ax}(t)$
- 3) *Shifting*  $y(t) = x(t) + b$

# General Transformation

$$y(t) = x\left(\frac{t}{\tau}\right)$$

- “Time” transformation:  $y(t) = x(g(t))$  -  $y(t) = x(\cos(t))$
- “Amplitude” transformation:  $y(t) = h(x(t))$  -  $y(t) = \sin(x(t))$

Consider:

$$y(t) = a \cdot x(t)$$

- 1)  $y(t) = x(t)$
- 2)  $y(t) = x(\sin(t))$
- 3)  $y(t) = \cos(x(t))$
- 4)  $y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{t/2} x(\tau) d\tau$

Question:

Think about whether the system that perform such transformation are:  
 “linear, stable; time-invariant, causal, memoryless” in general.

We will come back to these after going through the system properties.

# Even and Odd

Any signal 

Inspiring:

Theorem (Even and odd components)

$$x(t) = x_e(t) + x_o(t)$$

$$x_e(t) = \frac{1}{2}[x(t) + x(-t)], x_o(t) = \frac{1}{2}[x(t) - x(-t)]$$

# Energy and Power



- Do not cram. Remember with the help of graph. (Eg.: power consumed by a resistor)
- Average value:

$$A = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T x(t) dt \quad \approx \frac{\text{area / integral}}{\text{time}}$$

- Energy (remember the square):

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |V(t)|^2 dt$$

$$E = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt$$

↓  $\frac{\text{Energy}}{\text{time}}$ .

- Average power:

$$P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T |x(t)|^2 dt$$

- Energy Signal, Power Signal

$E < \infty$ .

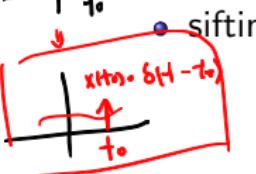
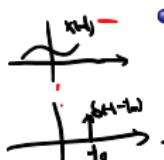
$E = \infty \quad P = \text{finite}$ .

# \* Singularity Functions

$$\text{rect}(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & -\frac{T}{2} \leq t \leq \frac{T}{2} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- Unit Step Function:  $u(t)$   "turn on" at  $t=0$
- Rectangle Function:  $\text{rect}\left(\frac{t-t_0}{T}\right)$  is centered at  $t_0$  and with width  $T$
- • Unit Impulse Function:  $\delta(t)$  - defined by property.

- sampling property — function



- sifting property — number

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

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)\delta(t-t_0)dt = x(t_0)$$

$$\delta(at) = \frac{1}{a}\delta(t)$$

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$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)\delta(t-t_0)dt = x(t_0)$$

$$\delta(at) = \frac{1}{a}\delta(t)$$

- Skill: Using these functions to represent piecewise functions — Q4,9

Systems.

$$\underline{x(t)} \rightarrow \boxed{\text{System}} \rightarrow \underline{y(t)}$$

conde:

$$y(t) = 2x(t) \rightarrow y(\underline{x(t)}) = 2\underline{x(t)}$$

$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t x(\tau) d\tau \quad ? \quad y(\underline{x(t)}) ?$$



- Transform the input signal to the output signal
- Transformation is more general than function composition (which is pointwise)
- • invertible system vs. bijective (ve203)
- • Understand the system in terms of input-output relation
- const. system  $y(t) = 0$  vs. "non-causal"  $y(t) = x(t+1) - x(t-1)$ ?

$$\begin{aligned} y(t+1) &= 0 \\ &= x(t+2) - x(t+1) \\ &\quad \downarrow \text{future} \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore y(t) = x(t+1) - x(t)$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} x(t) & \longrightarrow & \boxed{\text{System}} \\ \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \text{past} & & \text{future} \end{array} \quad y(t) = 0.$$

# Amplitude properties

$$\cancel{x(t) = 0} \quad \boxed{y(t)} \quad \cancel{x(t) \neq 0}$$

$$y(t) = 0 \quad \boxed{A}$$

$$X: \quad x(t) = 0 \quad \forall t \in \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow y(t) = 0 \quad \forall t \in \mathbb{R}$$

- linearity: zero in  $\rightarrow$  zero out
- stability: bounded in  $\rightarrow$  bounded out
- invertibility: each output signal correspond to only one input signal
- consider:  $y(t) = 2x(t) + 1$ ,  $y(t) = x^2(t)$  -  $x$  inv.

non-linear

$$\begin{array}{c} y(t) \\ \swarrow -x(t) \\ \searrow +x(t) \end{array}$$

## Time properties

<sup>Tough</sup> If the formula is given:  $y(t) = \underline{f(t)}$

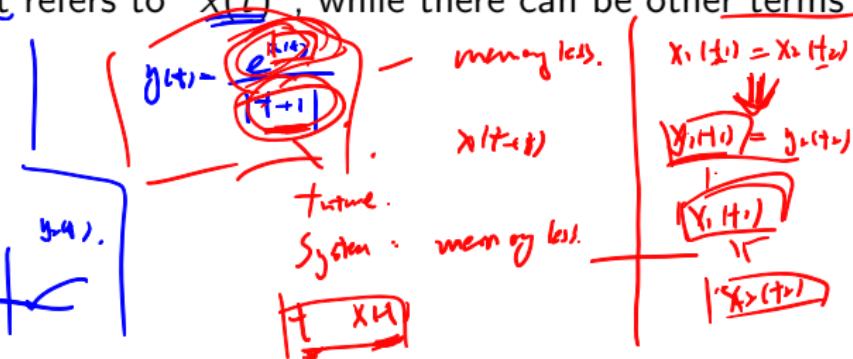
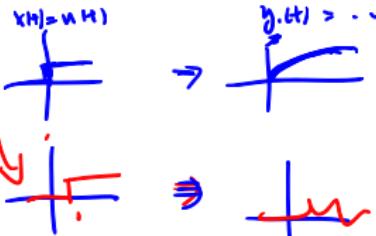
2. If only some input-output pairs are given:

$$\begin{cases} x(1) \rightarrow y(1) \\ x(2) \rightarrow y(2) \end{cases}$$

If  $x(t) = x_0$  &  $t \leq t_0$ ,  
then  $y(t_0) = y_0$   $\Rightarrow$   $y(t) = y_0$  &  $t \leq t_0$



- causality: output depends only on the "present" or "past" inputs
- memoryless: output depends only on the "present" input  $\underline{x(t)}$   $x(t)$   $\cancel{x(t-t)}$
- time invariant: if  $x(t) \rightarrow y(t)$ , then  $x(t - t_0) \rightarrow y(t - t_0)$   $x(t-t)$   $\cancel{x(t-t)}$
- Notice that the input refers to " $x(t)$ ", while there can be other terms relating to " $t$ "



## Exercise

$$y(t) = x(1-t).$$

delay input by 1  $\Rightarrow$  output delay is reversed  $\times \text{TI}$

$$t = -1 \quad y(-1) = x(1)$$

General Transform - Revisited  $y(t) = x(\underline{\sin(\omega t)})$

- “Time” transformation:  $y(t) = x(g(t))$   
— often lead to the violation of Time properties (TI, Casual)
- “Amplitude” transformation:  $y(t) = h(x(t))$   $y(t) = \sin(x(t))$   
— often lead to the violation of Amplitude properties (linear)

1) Guess the result

System $x(g(t))$	Time-Invariant	Causal	Linear	Stable
$y(t) = x(2-t)$	✗	✗	✓	✓
$y(t) = x(t/3)$	✗	✗	✓	✓
$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{t/2} x(\tau) d\tau$	✗	✗	✓	✗
$y(t) = \cos(x(t))$	✓	✓	✗	✓
$y(t) = h(x(t))$ $-1 \sim 1$				

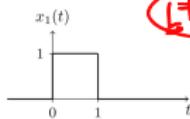
## Exercise

If a system is L & Causal  $\Rightarrow$  Then if  $x(t) = 0 \forall t \leq t_0$ , then  $y(t) = 0 \forall t \leq t_0$ .

$$\text{Linear: } x(t) \quad y(t)$$

## 2 - Different from HW1 Q11

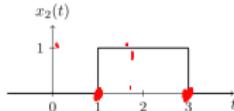
zero in  $\rightarrow$  zero out



L+ Causal:

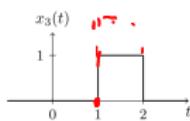


X(t) in

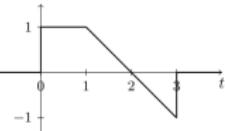


many less  $\rightarrow$  causal  
and weights  $\in$  Non-causal

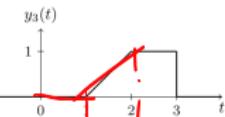
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• Is it causal?  $x_2(t) \text{ vs } x_3(t)$ .

Linear:  
• Is it linear? Maybe "zero in  $\rightarrow$  zero out" only  $x_2(t)$   
• If linear, is there other ways to determine causality?

Not causal ways.

## Exercise

$$x_4(t) = x_1(t) + 2 \cdot x_3(t)$$

$\Downarrow$

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$$y_4(t) = y_1(t) + 2 \cdot y_3(t)$$

Conti.

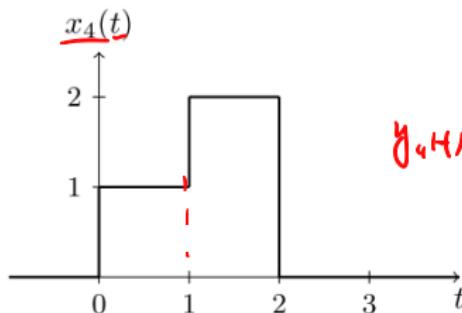
- If linear, what is the output of  $x_4(t)$  ?

$$x_4(t) = (x_1(t) + 2 \cdot x_3(t))$$

$$= (x_1(t+1) + x_3(t))$$

$\Downarrow$

$$y_4(t) = y_1(t+1) + y_3(t) ?$$



# Summary

$$\begin{array}{l} \cancel{x_1(t)} \rightarrow \boxed{[T]} \rightarrow \cancel{y_1(t)} \\ \cancel{x_2(t)} \rightarrow \boxed{[T]} \rightarrow \cancel{y_2(t)} \end{array}$$

L71, S.

- Maybe you were confused about so many concepts and feel boring.
- But at least I hope you could tell signal properties from system properties.  
Linn, 71...
- I would be glad if you can see the connection between signals and systems.  
time trans.  $\leftrightarrow$  system properties.
- ! • The first fascinating result will come soon, i.e., impulse response. hit!  
L71
- 2nd RC will be held next Thursday (via zoom, rather than canvas)  
homework

$$y(t) = T[x(t)] \xrightarrow{=} t \cdot \overline{x(t)}$$

NA).

" memo(j) wrt. input(xM)

x t.

The End

$$\begin{matrix} x \\ (-1, x(-1)) \\ y(1) \end{matrix}$$