

# EE150 -Signals and Systems, Fall 2024

## Homework Set #7

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### Problem 1 (20 pt)

1. Determine the **unilateral Laplace transform** of each of the following signals, and specify the corresponding regions of convergence:

(a)  $x(t) = e^{-2t}u(t+1) + e^{-4t}u(t)$       (b)  $x(t) = \delta(t+2) + \delta(t) + e^{-3(t+2)}u(t+2)$

2. Determine the **Laplace transform** and the associated region of convergence for each of the following functions of time:

(a)  $x(t) = te^{-3|t|}$       (b)  $x(t) = \delta(2t) + u(2t) + e^{-5t}\sin(5t)u(t)$

### Problem 2 (10 pt)

Consider a signal  $y(t)$  obtained by convolving two signals  $x_1(t-3)$  and  $x_2(-t+2)$

$$y(t) = x_1(t-3) * x_2(-t+2)$$

where  $x_1(t) = e^{-2t}u(t)$  and  $x_2(t) = e^{-3t}u(t)$

use properties of the Laplace transform to determine the Laplace transform  $Y(s)$  of  $y(t)$ .

### Problem 3 (20 pt)

Consider a continuous-time LTI system for which the input  $x(t)$  and output  $y(t)$  are related by the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2y(t)}{dt^2} - 2\frac{dy(t)}{dt} - 3y(t) = x(t)$$

Let  $X(s)$  and  $Y(s)$  denote Laplace transforms of  $x(t)$  and  $y(t)$ , respectively, and let  $H(s)$  denote the Laplace transform of  $h(t)$ , the system impulse response.

(a) Determine  $H(s)$  as a ratio of two polynomials in  $s$ . Sketch the pole-zero pattern of  $H(s)$ .

(b) Determine  $h(t)$  for each of the following cases:

1. The system is stable.

2. The system is causal.
3. The system is neither stable nor causal

**Problem 4** (15 pt)

Suppose we are given the following information about a causal and stable LTI system  $S$  with impulse response  $h(t)$  and a rational system function  $H(s)$ :

1.  $H(1) = 0.1$ .
2. When the input is  $u(t)$ , the output is absolutely integrable.
3. When the input is  $tu(t)$ , the output is not absolutely integrable.
4. The signal  $\frac{d^2h(t)}{dt^2} + \frac{4dh(t)}{dt} + 5h(t)$  is of finite duration.
5.  $H(s)$  has exactly one zero at infinity.

Determine  $H(s)$  and its region of convergence.

**Problem 5** (15 pt)

The system function of a continuous system is

$$H(s) = \frac{2s + 4}{s^3 + 3s^2 + 5s + 3}$$

Try to draw the direct, cascaded and parallel block diagrams respectively

**Problem 6** (20 pt)

Consider the system  $S$  characterized by the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2y(t)}{dt^2} + 5\frac{dy(t)}{dt} + 6y(t) = x(t)$$

- (a) Determine the zero-state response of this system for the input  $x(t) = e^{-4t}u(t)$ .
- (b) Determine the zero-input response of the system for  $t > 0$ , given that

$$y(0^-) = -2 \quad \frac{dy(t)}{dt}\bigg|_{t=0^-} = 1$$

- (c) Determine the output of  $S$  when the input is  $x(t) = e^{-4t}u(t)$  and the initial conditions are the same as those specified in part (b).