

## EEE 391: Basics of Signals and Systems

### Assignment 2

Due:

1)

a) Determine the z-transforms of the following two signals. Note that the z-transforms for both have the same algebraic expression and differ only in the ROC.

i)  $x_1[n] = (1/2)^n u[n]$

ii)  $x_2[n] = -(1/2)^n u[-n - 1]$

b) Sketch the pole-zero plot and ROC for each signal in part (a).

c) Repeat parts (a) and (b) for the following two signals:

i)  $x_3[n] = 2u[n]$

ii)  $x_4[n] = -(2)^n u[-n - 1]$

2) The frequency response of a linear time-invariant filter is given by the formula

$$H(e^{jw}) = (1 + e^{-jw})(1 - e^{j2\pi/3} e^{-jw})(1 + e^{-j2\pi/3} e^{-jw})$$

a) Write the difference equation that gives the relation between the input  $x[n]$  and the output  $y[n]$ .

b) What is the output if the input is  $x[n] = \delta[n]$ ?

c) If the input is of the form  $Ae^{j\theta} e^{jwn}$ , for what values of  $-\pi \leq w \leq \pi$  will  $y[n] = 0$  for all  $n$ ?

3) For each of the following z-transforms determine the inverse z-transform.

a)  $X(z) = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}}, \quad |z| > \frac{1}{2}$

b)  $X(z) = \frac{1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}}{1 - \frac{1}{4}z^{-2}}, \quad |z| > \frac{1}{2}$

c)  $X(z) = \frac{1 - az^{-1}}{z^{-1} - a}, \quad |z| > \left|\frac{1}{a}\right|$

4) Consider a signal  $y[n]$  which is related to two signals  $x_1[n]$  and  $x_2[n]$  by  
$$y[n] = x_1[n + 3] * x_2[-n + 1]$$

where

$$x_1[n] = (1/2)^n u[n] \text{ and } x_2[n] = (1/3)^n u[n]$$

Given that

$$(\text{z-transform}) \quad a^n u[n] \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1 + az^{-1}}, \quad |z| > |a|$$

use properties of z-transform to determine the z-transform  $Y(z)$  of  $y[n]$ .

5) A particular causal LTI system is described by the difference equation

$$y[n] - \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} y[n - 1] + \frac{1}{4} y[n - 2] = x[n] - x[n - 1]$$

a) Find the impulse response of this system.

b) Sketch the log magnitude and the phase of the frequency response of the system.

- 6) Let  $x(t)$  be a signal with Nyquist rate  $w_0$ . Determine the Nyquist rate for each of the following signals:
- $x(t) + x(t - 1)$
  - $\frac{dx(t)}{dt}$
  - $x^2(t)$
  - $x(t)\cos w_0 t$
- 7) Given that  $x(t)$  has the Fourier transform  $X(jw)$ , express the Fourier transforms of the signals listed below in terms of  $X(jw)$ .
- $x_1(t) = x(1 - t) + x(-1 - t)$
  - $x_2(t) = x(3t - 6)$

- 8) Given an IIR filter defined by the difference equation

$$y[n] = \frac{1}{2}y[n - 1] + x[n]$$

- When the input to the system is a unit step sequence,  $u[n]$  determine the functional form of the output signal  $y[n]$ . Use the inverse z- transform method. Assume that the output signal  $y[n]$  is zero for  $n < 0$ .
- Find the output when  $x[n]$  is a complex exponential that starts at  $n = 0$ :

$$x[n] = e^{j\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)n}u[n]$$

- From (b), identify the steady state component of the response, and compare its magnitude and phase to the frequency response at  $w = \frac{\pi}{4}$ .