Homework 1

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2.a

Theorem 1. The system L is not time invariant.

Proof. We can represent a time-delayed signal as a linear combination of the other 3 signals. We can represent the 3 input signals in a matrix

$$\boldsymbol{X} = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ -2 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \tag{1}$$

Then, we can find the linear combination necessary to create a time delayed signal (for example, $x_2[n-1]$) by solving the system of equations

$$\boldsymbol{X}\boldsymbol{a} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \tag{2}$$

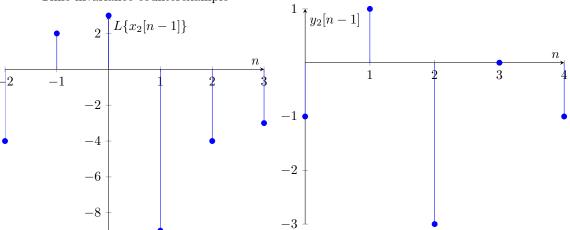
where we get $\boldsymbol{a} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{3}{2} & \frac{3}{2} & -2 \end{bmatrix}^{\mathsf{T}}$. Thus, we have

$$x_2[n-1] = -\frac{3}{2}x_1[n] + \frac{3}{2}x_2[n] - 2x_3[n]$$
(3)

Calculating $-\frac{3}{2}y_1[n] + \frac{3}{2}y_2[n] - 2y_3[n]$, we get the following plot:

Time invariance counterexample

Expected output signal



So the system is not time-invariant.

2.b

We can represent the delta function as

$$\delta[n] = \frac{1}{2}(x_1[n] - x_2[n] + 2x_3[n]) \tag{4}$$

Using the properties of linear systems, we can find the impulse response

$$h[n] = \frac{1}{2}(y_1[n] - y_2[n] + 2y_3[n])$$
(5)

which gives us the following plot:

Impulse response

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$$y[n] - ay[n-1] = x[n]$$
 (6)
 $y[0] = 1$ (7)

3.a

For the homogenuous solution, assume that $y_h[n] = A\lambda^n$. Then,

$$A\lambda^n - aA\lambda^{n-1} = 0 (8)$$

$$1 - a\lambda^{-1} = 0 \tag{9}$$

$$\implies \lambda = a \implies y_h[n] = Aa^n \tag{10}$$

Finding the particular solution,

3.b

3.c

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$$y[n] = h[n] * (\cos[\omega_0 n] x[n]) = \sum_{k \ge 0} \frac{1}{1+k} \cos[\omega_0 (n-k)] x[n-k]$$
 (12)

4.a

Theorem 2. The above system is not LTI.

Proof. Proving linearity, suppose we are given the system responses $x_1[n] \iff y_1[n]$ and $x_2[n] \iff y_2[n]$,

$$T\{ax_1[n] + bx_2[n]\} = \sum_{k \geqslant 0} \frac{1}{1+k} \cos^{\omega_0 n} (ax_1[n-k] + bx_2[n-k])$$
(13)

$$= a \sum_{k \ge 0} \frac{1}{1+k} \cos[\omega_0 n] x_1[n-k] + b \sum_{k \ge 0} \frac{1}{1+k} \cos[\omega_0 n] x_2[n-k]$$
 (14)

$$= ay_1[n] + by_2[n] \tag{15}$$

Consider the inputs $x[n] = \delta[n]$ and $n_0 = 1$,

$$T\{\delta[n]\} = h[n] * (\cos[\omega_0 n] \delta[n]) = \begin{cases} 0 & n < 0\\ \frac{1}{1+n} \cos[\omega_0 n] & n \ge 0 \end{cases}$$
 (16)

$$T\{\delta[n-1]\} = h[n-1] * (\cos[\omega_0 n - \omega_0]\delta[n-1])$$

$$\tag{17}$$

$$= h[n-2]\cos[\omega_0 n - \omega_0] = \begin{cases} 0 & n < 2\\ \frac{1}{n-1}\cos[\omega_0 n - \omega_0] & n \ge 2 \end{cases} \neq y[n-1]$$
 (18)

(19)

4.b

The system is not BIBO stable, since if $|x[n]| < B_x$, then

$$|y[n]| = \sum_{k \geqslant 0} \frac{1}{1+k} B_x \not< \infty \tag{20}$$

due to the divergence of the harmonic series.

4.c

The system is causal, since the summation in the convolution with h[n] only relies on past values of x[n].

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5.a

We can model the frequency response as

$$H(e^{j\omega}) = \operatorname{rect}\left(\frac{\omega}{\pi}\right)$$
 (21)

Finding the inverse Fourier transform,

$$h[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} H(e^{j\omega}) e^{j\omega n} d\omega$$
 (22)

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} e^{j\omega n} d\omega = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left. \frac{e^{j\omega n}}{jn} \right|_{-\frac{\pi}{2}}^{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$
 (23)

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi jn} \left(e^{j\frac{\pi}{2}n} - e^{-j\frac{\pi}{2}n} \right) = \frac{\sin\left[\frac{\pi}{2}n\right]}{\pi n} \tag{24}$$

5.b

The system is not causal, since $h[-1] = \frac{1}{\pi} \neq 0$.

5.c

$$\begin{array}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
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n & h[n] \\
0 & \frac{1}{\pi} \\
1 & \frac{1}{\pi} \\
3 & -\frac{1}{3\pi} \\
5 & \frac{1}{5\pi} \\
\vdots & \vdots
\end{array}$$
(25)

The system is BIBO stable, since

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |h[k]| = \frac{1}{\pi} + \frac{2}{\pi} \underbrace{\left(1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \cdots\right)}_{\frac{\pi}{4}} = \frac{1}{\pi} + \frac{1}{2} < \infty \tag{26}$$

where we use the evenness of the sinc function and the Leibniz formula for π .

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$$y[n] = \frac{1}{6} \sum_{k=0}^{5} x[n-k]$$
 (27)

6.a

$$T\{e^{j\omega n}\} = \frac{1}{6} \sum_{k=0}^{5} e^{j\omega(n-k)}$$
 (28)

$$= \frac{1}{6} \sum_{k=0}^{5} e^{j\omega n} e^{-j\omega k} = e^{j\omega n} \left(\frac{1}{6} \sum_{k=0}^{5} e^{-j\omega k} \right)$$
 (29)

$$\implies H(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1}{6} \sum_{k=0}^{5} e^{-j\omega k} \tag{30}$$

Using Equation 2.123 from Oppenheim & Schafer with $M_2=5,$

$$H(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1}{6} \frac{\sin(3\omega)}{\sin(\frac{\omega}{2})} e^{-j\frac{5}{2}\omega}$$
(31)

$$|H(e^{j\omega})| = \frac{1}{6} \left| \frac{\sin(3\omega)}{\sin\left(\frac{\omega}{2}\right)} \right| \tag{32}$$

$$\angle H(e^{j\omega}) = \angle \sin(3\omega) - \angle \sin\left(\frac{\omega}{2}\right) - \frac{5}{2}\omega$$
 (33)

The zero crossings are $\omega = \frac{k\pi}{3}$ for $k \in \mathbb{Z}$.

Magnitude of Frequency Response

