EEE 431: Telecommunications 1

Quiz 3

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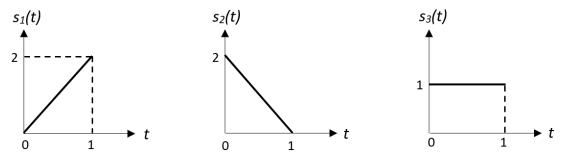
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Problem 1. Let s(t) denote a rectangular pulse defined as follows: s(t) = 2 if $t \in [0, 1]$ and s(t) = 0 otherwise. We define a random process as X(t) = As(t) + W(t), where A is equal to 3 or -3 with equal probabilities (i.e., 1/2 each), and W(t) is a zero-mean white Gaussian noise process with a power spectral density of $S_W(f) = 0.5$ for all f. It is assumed that A and W(t) are independent for all t.

- (a) Find the autocorrelation function of X(t), that is, $R_X(t_1, t_2)$, in its simplest form.
- **(b)** Is X(t) WSS? Why or why not? (please justify your answer)
- (c) Calculate the mean and variance of X(0.5).
- (d) Calculate covariance of X(0.5) and X(0.75), i.e., Cov(X(0.5), X(0.75)). (e) Let Y be defined as $Y = \int_0^1 As(t-0.25)X(t)dt$. Specify (completely) the probability distribution of Y.

Problem 2. (a) For the following signals, find a set of orthonormal basis functions (both write down their mathematical expressions and plot them), and express each signal as a vector in the corresponding signal space.



- (b) Suppose that these signals are equally likely and sent towards a receiver over an additive white Gaussian noise channel with spectral density level of $N_0/2$. Show the structure of the optimal receiver with all the details, and provide the mathematical expression for the maximum likelihood (ML) decision rule at this receiver in its simplest form.
 - (c) Find the exact probability of error for the optimal receiver in Part b).
 - (d) Calculate the union bound on the probability of error.

