

**ECE102, Spring 2021**

Signals &amp; Systems

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**Homework #1**

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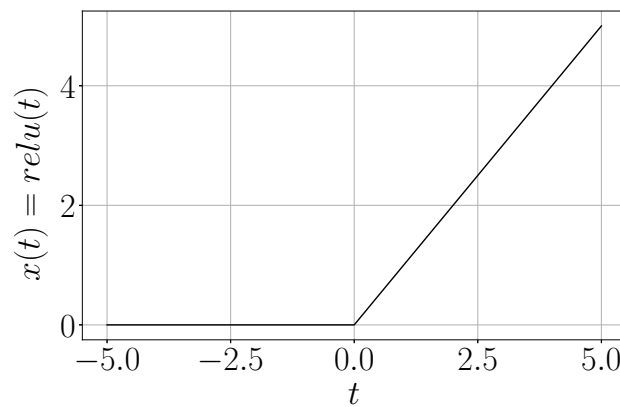
Due Friday, 9 Apr 2021, by 11:59pm to CCLE.

100 points total.

1. (10 points) **Even and odd parts.**

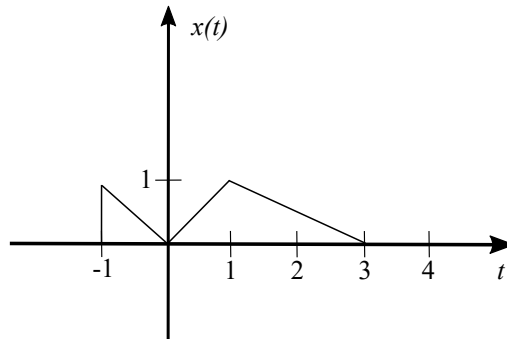
Sketch and write the even and odd components of the following signal:

$$x(t) = \text{relu}(t) = \begin{cases} t & t \geq 0 \\ 0 & t < 0 \end{cases}$$



2. (15 points) **Time scaling and shifting.**

(a) (10 points) Consider the following signal.

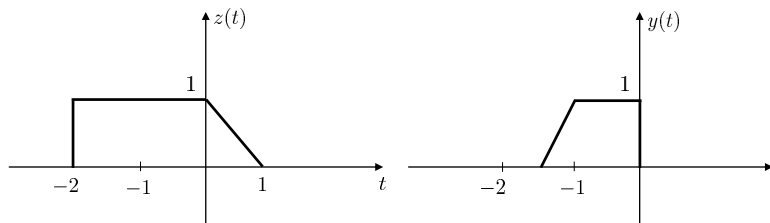


Sketch the following:

i.  $\frac{1}{2}x(-t/2)$

ii.  $x(-2t - 2)$

(b) (5 points) The figure below shows two signals:  $z(t)$  and  $y(t)$ . Express (i)  $y(t)$  in terms of  $z(t)$ , and (ii)  $z(t)$  in terms of  $y(t)$



3. (20 points) **Periodic signals.**

- (a) (15 points) For each of the following signals, determine whether it is periodic or not. If the signal is periodic, determine the fundamental period and frequency.

i.  $x_1(t) = \sin(5t/6 + \pi/3)$

ii.  $x_2(t) = \cos^2(3\pi t)$

iii.  $x_3(t) = x_1(t) + x_2(t)$

iv.  $x_4(t) = e^t x_1(t)$

v.  $x_5(t) = e^{j(\pi t + 1)} x_2(t)$

- (b) (5 points) A signal  $y(t)$  is periodic with period  $T_0$ , and is the sum of two other signals.

$$y(t) = x_1(t) + x_2(t)$$

Must  $x_1(t)$  and  $x_2(t)$  both be periodic?

What if  $y(t) = x_1(t) \times x_2(t)$ ?

4. (25 points) **Energy and power signals.**

- (a) (10 points) Determine whether the following signals are energy or power signals. If the signal is an energy signal, determine its energy. If the signal is a power signal, determine its power.

i.  $x(t) = e^{-|t|}$

ii.  $x(t) = 1 + e^{-|t|}$

- (b) (15 points) Show the following two properties:

- If  $x(t)$  is an even signal and  $y(t)$  is an odd signal, then  $x(t)y(t)$  is an odd signal;
- If  $z(t)$  is an odd signal, then for any  $\tau > 0$  we have:

$$\int_{-\tau}^{\tau} z(t) dt = 0$$

Use these two properties to show that the energy of  $x(t)$  is the sum of the energy of its even component  $x_e(t)$  and the energy of its odd component  $x_o(t)$ , i.e.,

$$E_x = E_{x_e} + E_{x_o}$$

Assume  $x(t)$  is a real signal.

5. (16 points) **Euler's identity and complex numbers.**

(a) (8 points) Use Euler's formula to prove the following identities:

- i.  $\cos^2(\theta) + \sin^2(\theta) = 1$
- ii.  $\cos(\theta + \psi) = \cos(\theta)\cos(\psi) - \sin(\theta)\sin(\psi)$

(b) (8 points)  $x(t) = (1 - \sqrt{3}j)e^{j(t+2)}$  and  $y(t) = \frac{1}{1+j}$ .

- i. Compute the real and imaginary parts of  $x(t)$  and  $y(t)$ .
- ii. Compute the magnitude and phase of  $x(t)$  and  $y(t)$ .

6. (14 points) **MATLAB tasks**

For this question, please include all relevant code in text format. For plots, please include axis labels and preferably include a grid.

(a) (5 points) **Task 1**

Plot the waveform

$$x(t) = e^{-t} \cos(2\pi t)$$

for  $-10 \leq t \leq 10$ , with a step size of 0.2.

(b) (4 points) **Task 2**

Create a function `relu(t)` that implements the function from Question 1. You will need to create a file called “relu.m” containing:

```
function out = relu(t)
out = 0; %replace this line with the appropriate implementation of the
%relu function.
end
```

Then plot the function for  $-5 \leq t \leq 5$ , with a step size of 0.1.

(c) (5 points) **Task 3**

Create functions `even(t, f)` and `odd(t, f)` that take inputs time `t` and function (handle) `f` that compute the respective even and odd parts of `f(t)` at points `t`.

For example, the square of a function could be implemented in a file `square.m` as:

```
function out = square(t, f)
out = f(t).^2;
end
```

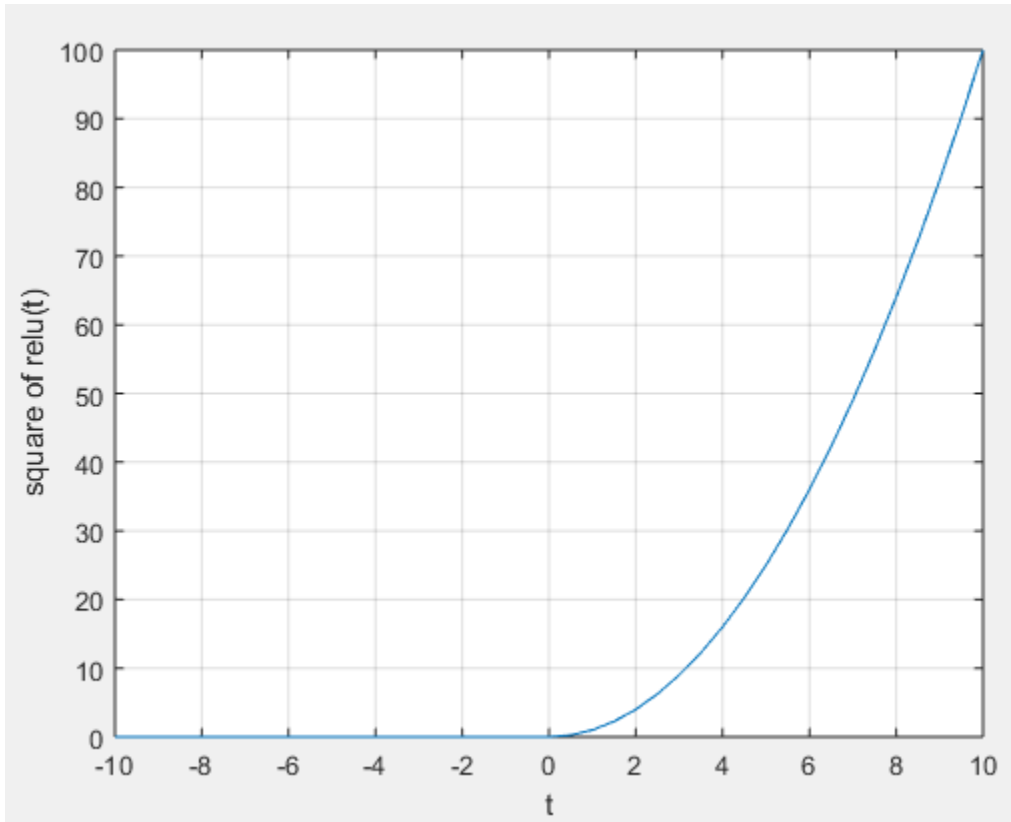
and run as:

```
t = -10:0.5:10;
```

```
y = square(t, @relu);
```

where `@relu` is called a function handle of the function `relu`, and is necessary for passing a function as input to another function.

Running `plot(t, y); grid;` yields the result:



For this question, plot the even and odd components of  $\text{relu}(t)$  for  $-5 \leq t \leq 5$ , with a step size of 0.1 using the functions `even(t, f)` and `odd(t, f)`. Feel free to also define and play around with arbitrary functions to look at their even and odd components.