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PROBLEM STATEMENT

Let $x_1(t) = u(t + 1.5) - u(t - 1.5)$ and $x_2(t)$ is shown in the figure below. For $y(t) = x_1(t) * x_2(t)$, the $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y(t) dt$ is ______.

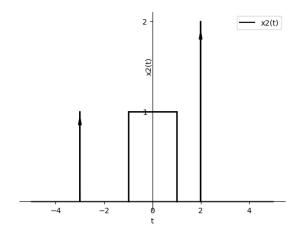


Fig. 1. Figure

SOLUTION

INPUT PARAMETERS

Input Parameters		
Function	Expression	Description
$x_1(t)$	u(t+1.5) - u(t-1.5)	Step function with delay and width parameters.
$X_1(f)$		Fourier Transform of $x_1(t)$.
$x_2(t)$	$\delta(t+3) + \operatorname{rect}\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) + 2\delta(t-2)$	Impulse function followed by a rectangle and two impulses.
$X_2(f)$		Fourier Transform of $x_2(t)$.

$$x_1(t) = u(t+1.5) - u(t-1.5) \tag{1}$$

$$x_1(t) = \text{rect}\left(\frac{t}{3}\right) \tag{2}$$

(3)

The Fourier Transform of $rect(\frac{t}{a})$:

$$\operatorname{rect}\left(\frac{t}{a}\right) \stackrel{\mathcal{F}}{\longleftrightarrow} a \times \sin(2\pi f \frac{a}{2}) \tag{4}$$

where
$$\operatorname{rect}\left(\frac{t}{a}\right) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } |t| < \frac{a}{2} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
 (5)

$$X_1(f) = 3\operatorname{sinc}(1.5 \cdot 2\pi f)$$
 (6)

$$x_2(t) = \delta(t+3) + \text{rect}\left(\frac{t}{2}\right) + 2\delta(t-2)$$

$$X_2(f) = e^{3j \cdot 2\pi f} + 2\text{sinc}(2\pi f) + 2e^{-2j \cdot 2\pi f}$$
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$$y(t) = x_1(t) * x_2(t) (9)$$

$$y(t) = \text{rect}\left(\frac{t+3}{3}\right) + 2\text{rect}\left(\frac{t-2}{3}\right) + (t+2.5)u(t+2.5) + (t-2.5)u(t-2.5)$$
 (11)

$$-(t+0.5)u(t+0.5) - (t-0.5)u(t-0.5)$$
(12)

$$Y(f) = X_1(f) \cdot X_2(f) \tag{13}$$

$$= 3\operatorname{sinc}(1.5 \cdot 2\pi f) \cdot (e^{3j \cdot 2\pi f} + 2\operatorname{sinc}(2\pi f) + 2e^{-2j \cdot 2\pi f})$$
(14)

$$Y(0) = 3\operatorname{sinc}(0) \cdot (e^{0} + 2\operatorname{sinc}(0) + 2e^{0})$$
(15)

$$= 3 \cdot (1 + 2 + 2) \tag{16}$$

$$= 15 \tag{17}$$

Therefore, the value of $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y(t) dt$ is 15

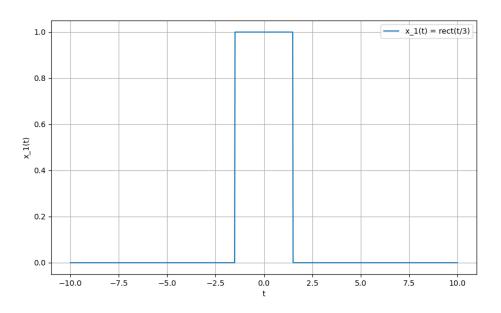


Fig. 2. Graph of $x_1(t) = \text{rect}\left(\frac{t}{3}\right)$

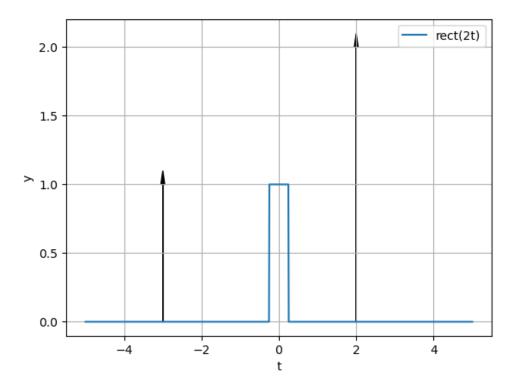


Fig. 3. Graph of $x_2(t) = \delta(t+3) + \text{rect}(2t) + 2\delta(t-2)$

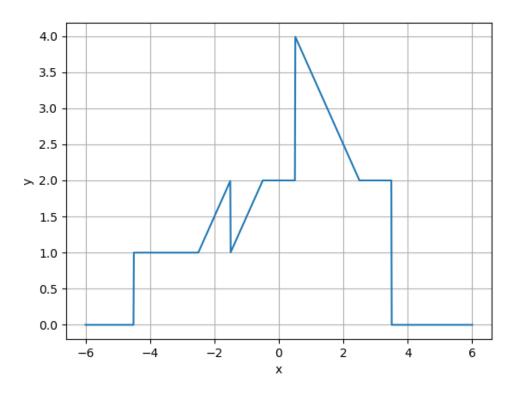


Fig. 4. Graph of y(t)