

Solution

Worcester Polytechnic Institute — Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering
ECE2311 — Continuous-Time Signal and System Analysis — Term B'17

Homework 11: Due Tuesday, 12 December 2017 (3:00 P.M.)

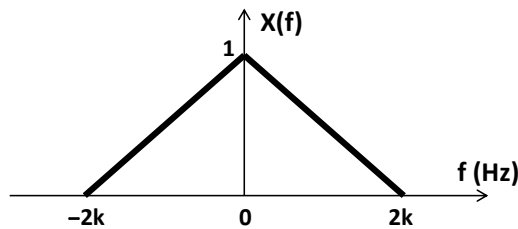
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General Reminders on Homework Assignments:

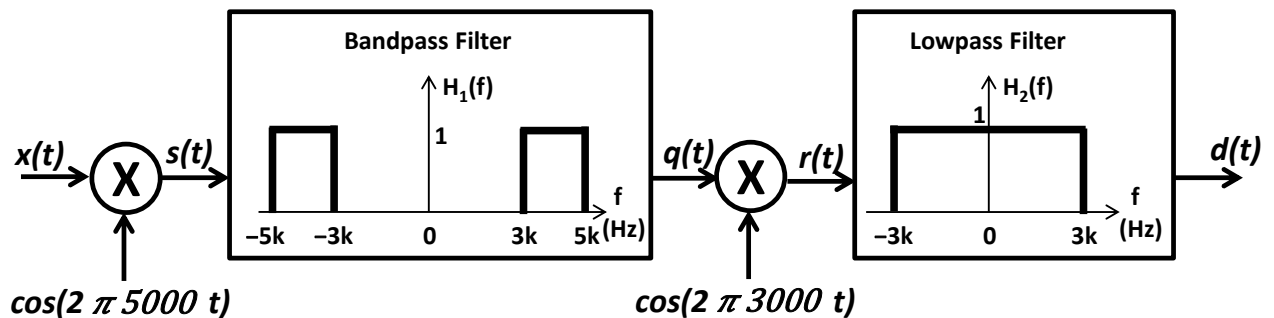
- Always complete the reading assignments *before* attempting the homework problems.
- Show all of your work. Use written English, where applicable, to provide a log or your steps in solving a problem. (For numerical homework problems, the writing can be brief.)
- A solution that requires physical units is *incorrect* unless the units are listed as part of the result.
- Get in the habit of underlining, circling or boxing your result.
- Always write neatly. Communication skills are essential in engineering and science. “If you didn’t write it, you didn’t do it!”

1) Sinusoidal Amplitude Modulation:

a) Consider the signal $x(t)$ with magnitude spectrum shown below:



Let $x(t)$ be processed through the system shown below to produce output signal $d(t)$. Draw the magnitude spectra of signals $s(t)$, $q(t)$, $r(t)$ and $d(t)$.

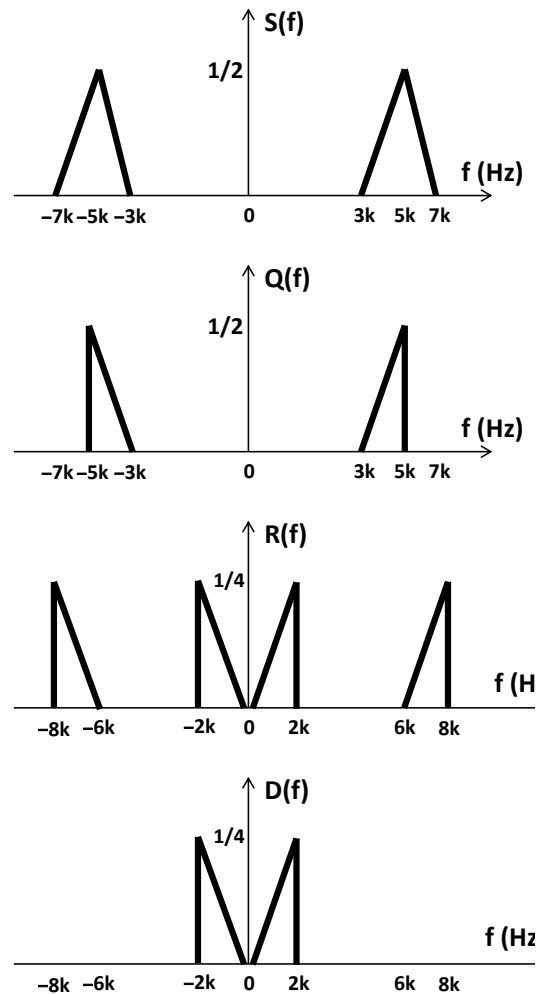


The first mixer creates two copies of the original magnitude spectrum, shifted by ± 5000 Hz and reduced in magnitude by half. The resulting $S(f)$ is shown to the right.

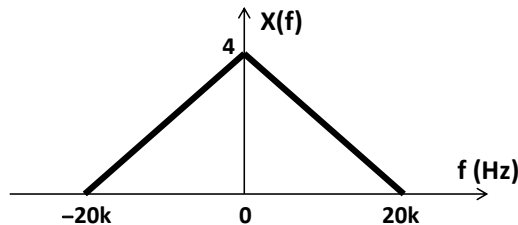
The bandpass filter removes the frequencies above 5k Hz in the modulated signal, producing $Q(f)$ shown to the right.

The second mixer shifts BOTH the positive and negative frequencies each by 3k Hz and reduces the magnitude in half. The resulting $R(f)$ is shown to the right.

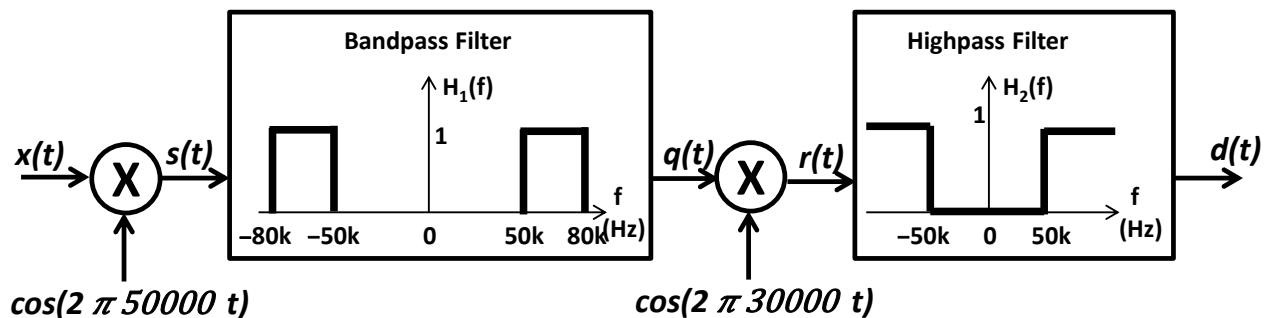
Finally, the lowpass filter eliminates the higher frequency portion, producing the final output $D(f)$.



b) Consider the signal $x(t)$ with magnitude spectrum shown below:



Let $x(t)$ be processed through the system shown below to produce output signal $d(t)$. Draw the magnitude spectra of signals $s(t)$, $q(t)$, $r(t)$ and $d(t)$.

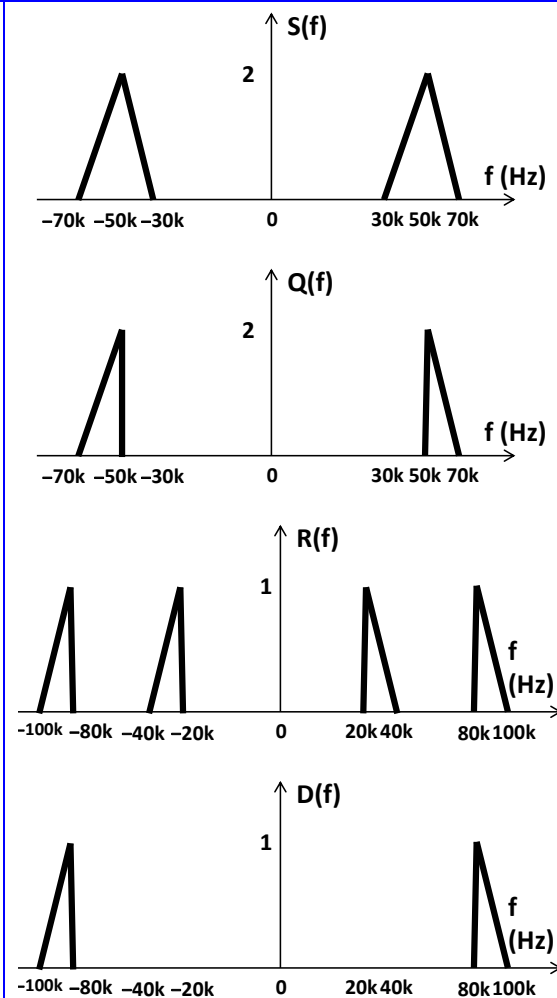


The first mixer creates two copies of the original magnitude spectrum, shifted by $\pm 50\text{k}$ Hz and reduced in magnitude by half. The resulting $S(f)$ is shown to the right.

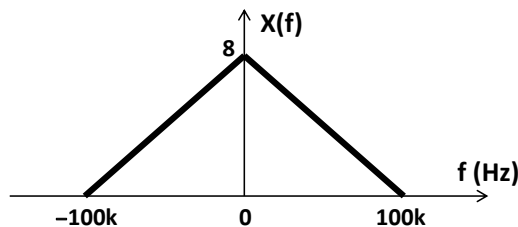
The bandpass filter removes the frequencies below 50k Hz in the modulated signal, producing $Q(f)$ shown to the right.

The second mixer shifts BOTH the positive and negative frequencies each by 30k Hz and reduces the power in half. The resulting $R(f)$ is shown to the right.

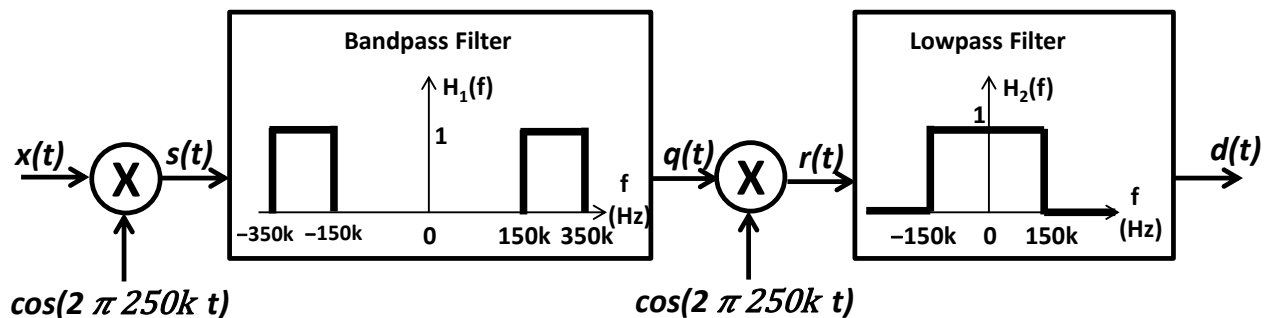
Finally, the highpass filter eliminates the lower frequency portion, producing the final output $D(f)$.



c) Consider the signal $x(t)$ with magnitude spectrum shown below:



Let $x(t)$ be processed through the system shown below to produce output signal $d(t)$. Draw the magnitude spectra of signals $s(t)$, $q(t)$, $r(t)$ and $d(t)$.

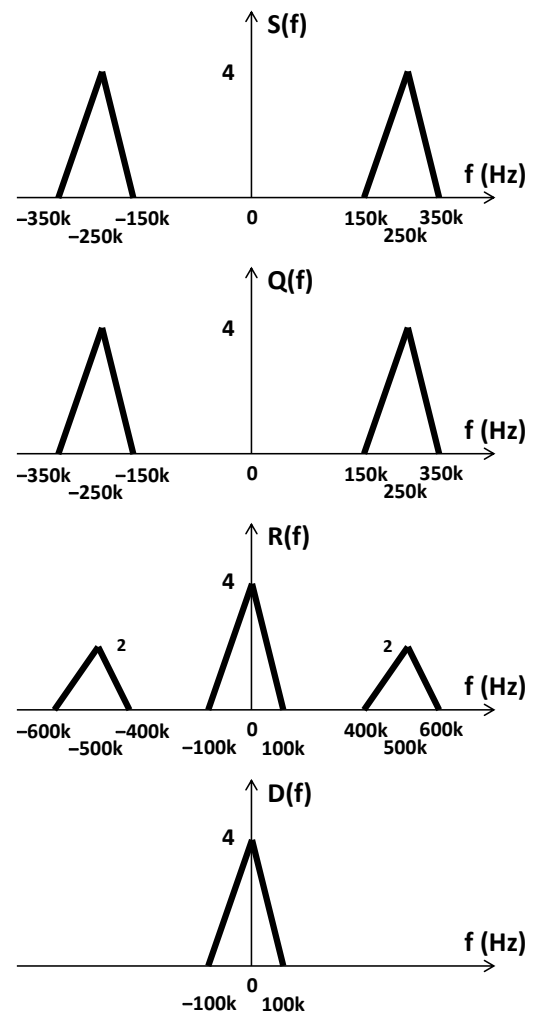


The first mixer creates two copies of the original magnitude spectrum, shifted by $\pm 250\text{k}$ Hz (thus, centered at $\pm 250\text{k}$ Hz) and reduced in magnitude by half. The resulting $S(f)$ is shown to the right.

The bandpass filter extends exactly over the bandwidth of the input signal (and has a pass band gain of 1), thus does not alter the signal. The magnitude spectrum of $Q(f)$ is shown to the right.

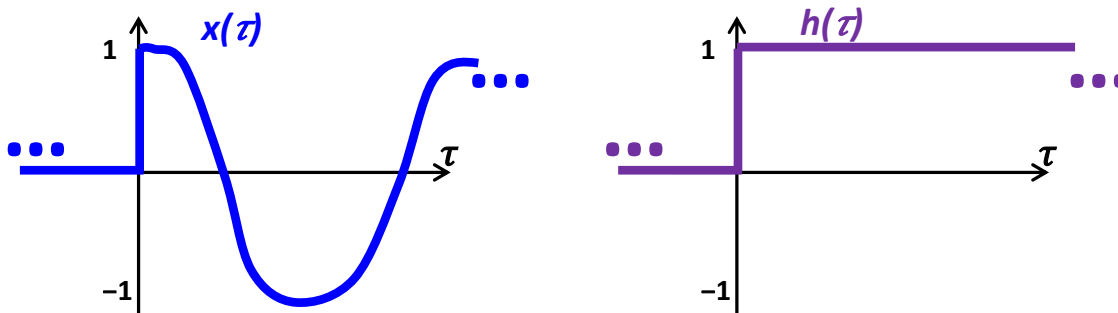
The second mixer shifts BOTH the positive and negative frequencies each by 250k Hz (so, each has one term re-centered at DC) and reduces the magnitude of each in half. Since the overlapping magnitudes at DC sum, the resulting $R(f)$ is shown to the right.

Finally, the lowpass filter eliminates the upper frequency portion, producing the final output $D(f)$.

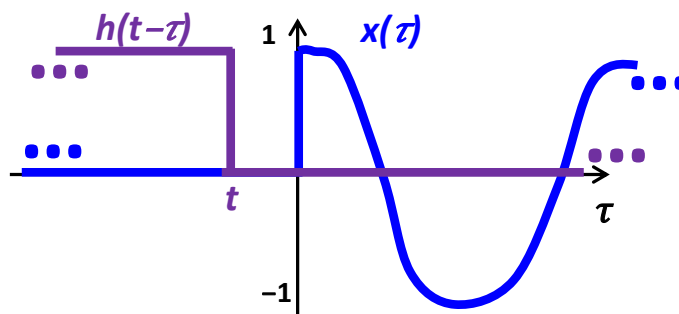


2) Convolution:

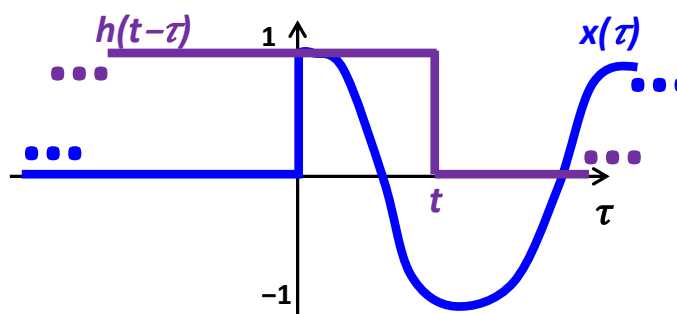
- Use direct integration of the convolution integral/graphical convolution to determine the convolution $y(t) = x(t) * h(t)$ if $x(t) = \cos(t) \mu(t)$ and $h(t) = \mu(t)$.



- For $t < 0$: No overlap. Convolution equals zero in this range.



- For $t \geq 0$: Partial overlap from the left.

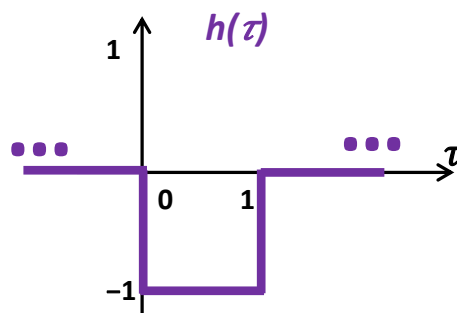
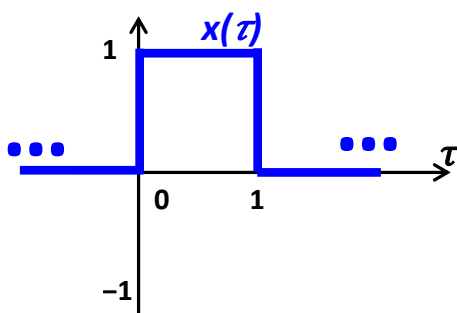


$$y(t) = \int_{\tau=0}^t \cos(\tau) \cdot 1 \, d\tau = \sin(\tau) \Big|_{\tau=0}^t = \sin(t) - \sin(0) = \sin(t)$$

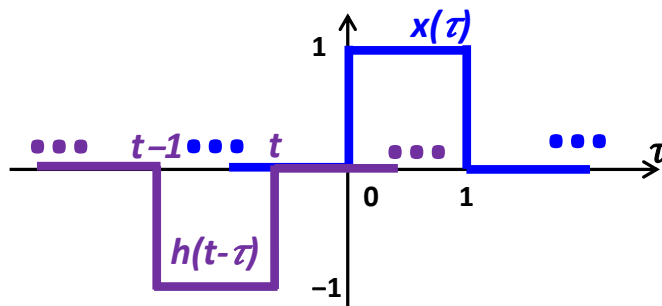
- Total Solution:**

$$y(t) = x(t) * h(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t < 0 \\ \sin(t), & t \geq 0 \end{cases} = \sin(t) \mu(t)$$

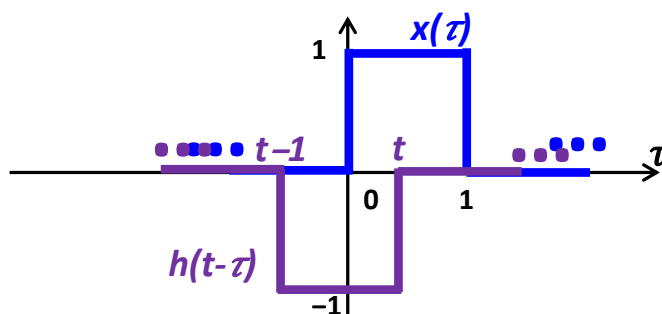
- b) Use direct integration of the convolution integral/graphical convolution to determine the convolution $y(t) = x(t) * h(t)$ if $x(t) = \mu(t) - \mu(t-1)$ and $h(t) = -\mu(t) + \mu(t-1)$.



- For $t < 0$: No overlap. Convolution equals zero in this range.

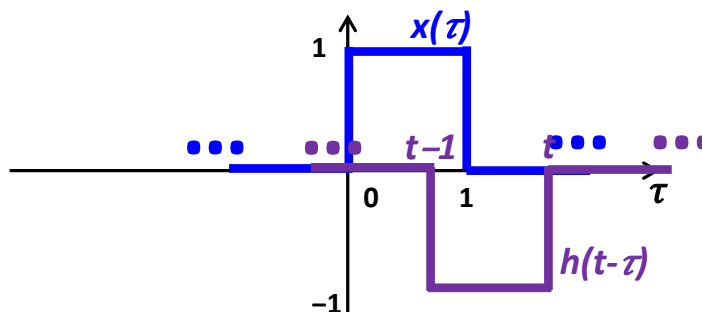


- For $0 \leq t \leq 1$: Partial overlap from the left.



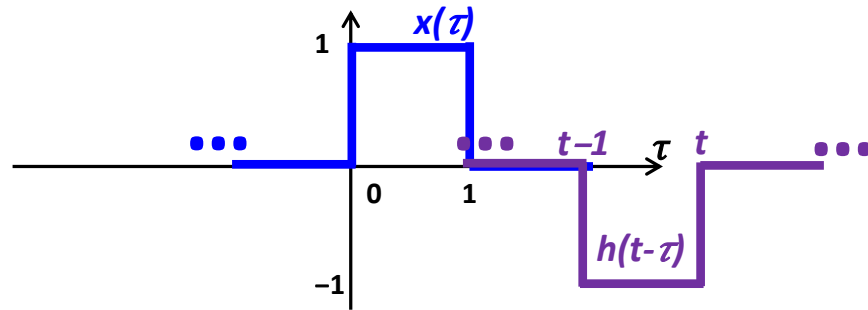
$$y(t) = \int_{\tau=0}^t 1 \cdot (-1) d\tau = -\tau \Big|_{\tau=0}^t = -t - (-0) = -t$$

- For $1 \leq t \leq 2$: Partial overlap from the right.



$$y(t) = \int_{\tau=t-1}^1 1 \cdot (-1) d\tau = -\tau \Big|_{\tau=t-1}^1 = -1 - (-(t-1)) = t-2$$

- For $t > 2$: No overlap. Convolution equals zero in this range.



- **Total Solution:**

$$y(t) = x(t) * h(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t < 0 \\ -t, & 0 \leq t \leq 1 \\ t-2, & 1 < t \leq 2 \\ 0, & t > 2 \end{cases}$$