

Nice, thanks for sending the actual $x(t)$.

We now use

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[  
x(t)=e^{-t/2},\quad 0\leq t\leq \pi,\quad 0\ \text{otherwise}  
]
```

with its FT

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[  
X(j\omega)=\frac{1-0.2079e^{-j\pi\omega}}{0.5+j\omega}  
]
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Here's MATLAB code for **Question 1: reconstruct $x(t)$ from $X(j\omega)$ using the Inverse Fourier Transform and plot it.**

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clc; clear; close all;  
  
%% Parameters  
h = 0.001;           % time step  
t = 0:h:pi;          % x(t) is non-zero only on [0, pi]  
x = exp(-t/2);        % given signal x(t)  
  
dw = 0.05;           % frequency step  
w = -60:dw:60;        % frequency axis (finite approx to -inf..inf)  
  
%% (Optional) numerical FT from definition (Method-1 idea)  
X_num = zeros(size(w));  
for k = 1:length(w)  
    X_num(k) = sum( x .* exp(-1j*w(k).*t) ) * h;  
end  
  
%% Use analytic X(jw) given in question  
X_ana = (1 - 0.2079 .* exp(-1j*pi*w)) ./ (0.5 + 1j*w);  
  
% choose which spectrum to use for reconstruction:  
Xw = X_ana;           % or X_num if you want to stay purely numerical  
  
%% Inverse Fourier Transform to reconstruct x(t)  
t_rec = 0:h:pi;       % points where we reconstruct x(t)  
xr = zeros(size(t_rec));  
  
for n = 1:length(t_rec)  
    xr(n) = sum( Xw .* exp(1j*w*t_rec(n)) ) * dw / (2*pi);  
end  
  
%% Plot original vs reconstructed signal  
figure;  
plot(t, x, 'LineWidth', 2); hold on;  
plot(t_rec, real(xr), '--', 'LineWidth', 2);
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xlabel('t'); ylabel('Amplitude');
legend('Original x(t) = e^{-t/2}', 'Reconstructed x_r(t)');
title('Reconstruction of x(t) from X(j\omega)');
grid on;
```

What this does:

- Uses your **actual signal** $x(t)=e^{-t/2}$ on $([0,\pi])$.
- Uses the **given $(X(j\omega))$** to compute a numerical inverse FT:

$$x(t) \approx \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum X(j\omega) e^{j\omega t}, \Delta\omega$$
- Plots original vs reconstructed so you can see how good the approximation is.

You're right, I had taken the wrong transfer function earlier.

Now we use the **correct one**:

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[
H(D)=\frac{1}{D+2} \quad \Longrightarrow \quad H(j\omega)=\frac{1}{j\omega+2}
]
and the input
[
x(t)=
\begin{cases}
e^{-t/2}, & 0 \leq t \leq \pi \\
0, & \text{otherwise}
\end{cases}
]
```

1. Zero-state response manually (FT / convolution view)

From $H(j\omega)=\frac{1}{j\omega+2}$ we know

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[
h(t)=\mathcal{F}^{-1}\{H(j\omega)\}=e^{-2t}u(t)
]
```

Zero-state response:

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[
y(t)=x(t)*h(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau)h(t-\tau)d\tau
]
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Use supports: $(x(\tau) \neq 0)$ only for $(0 \leq \tau \leq \pi)$,
 $(h(t-\tau)=e^{-2(t-\tau)}u(t-\tau))$.

So

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[
y(t)=\int_0^{\pi} e^{-\tau/2}e^{-2(t-\tau)}u(t-\tau)d\tau
=e^{-2t}\int_0^{\min(t,\pi)} e^{\{3/2\}\tau}d\tau
]
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Now piecewise:

(i) $(t < 0)$

No overlap $\Rightarrow (y(t)=0)$.

(ii) $(0 \leq t \leq \pi)$

Upper limit = (t) :

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[
\begin{aligned}
y(t)
&= e^{-2t} \int_0^t e^{\frac{3}{2}\tau} d\tau \\
&= e^{-2t} \left[ \frac{2}{3} e^{\frac{3}{2}\tau} \right]_0^t \\
&= \frac{2}{3} e^{-2t} (e^{\frac{3}{2}t} - 1) \\
&= \frac{2}{3} \left( e^{-t/2} - e^{-2t} \right)
\end{aligned}
]
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(iii) ($t \geq \pi$)

Upper limit = π :

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[
\begin{aligned}
y(t)
&= e^{-2t} \int_0^\pi e^{\frac{3}{2}\tau} d\tau \\
&= e^{-2t} \left[ \frac{2}{3} e^{\frac{3}{2}\tau} \right]_0^\pi \\
&= \frac{2}{3} \left( e^{\frac{3}{2}\pi} - 1 \right) e^{-2t}
\end{aligned}
]
```



Final zero-state response

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\boxed{
y(t) =
\begin{cases}
0, & t < 0 \\
\frac{2}{3} \left( e^{-t/2} - e^{-2t} \right), & 0 \leq t \leq \pi \\
\frac{2}{3} \left( e^{\frac{3}{2}\pi} - 1 \right) e^{-2t}, & t \geq \pi
\end{cases}
}
]
```

This is exactly the inverse FT of

$(Y(j\omega) = X(j\omega)H(j\omega))$ with $(H(j\omega) = 1/(j\omega + 2))$.

2. MATLAB implementation using FT approach

Here we:

1. Define $x(t)$.
2. Numerically compute its FT $(X(j\omega))$.
3. Multiply by $(H(j\omega) = 1/(j\omega + 2))$.
4. Do numerical inverse FT to get $(y(t))$ and plot.

```
clc; clear; close all;

%% Time axis for x(t)
h = 0.001;           % time step
t = 0:h:pi;          % x(t) non-zero only here
x = exp(-t/2);        % x(t) = e^{-t/2}, 0 <= t <= pi

%% Frequency axis
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dw = 0.05;
w = -80:dw:80;

%% Numerical Fourier Transform of x(t)
Xw = zeros(size(w));
for k = 1:length(w)
    Xw(k) = sum( x .* exp(-1j*w(k).*t) ) * h;
end

%% System transfer function  $H(jw) = 1/(jw + 2)$ 
Hw = 1 ./ (1j*w + 2);

%% Output spectrum
Yw = Xw .* Hw;

%% Inverse FT to obtain y(t)
t_out = 0:h:8; % output time axis (0 to a bit beyond pi)
y_rec = zeros(size(t_out));

for n = 1:length(t_out)
    y_rec(n) = sum( Yw .* exp(1j*w*t_out(n)) ) * dw / (2*pi);
end

%% Analytic y(t) for comparison
y_analytic = zeros(size(t_out));
t = t_out;

%  $0 \leq t \leq \pi$ 
idx1 = (t >= 0) & (t <= pi);
y_analytic(idx1) = (2/3)*(exp(-t(idx1)/2) - exp(-2*t(idx1)));

%  $t \geq \pi$ 
idx2 = (t > pi);
y_analytic(idx2) = (2/3)*(exp(1.5*pi) - 1).*exp(-2*t(idx2));

%% Plot comparison
figure;
plot(t_out, real(y_rec), 'LineWidth', 1.8); hold on;
plot(t_out, y_analytic, '--', 'LineWidth', 1.8);
xlabel('t'); ylabel('Amplitude');
legend('Numerical FT-based y(t)', 'Analytic y(t)');
title('Zero-State Response for  $H(D) = 1/(D+2)$ ');

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grid on;

- **Use this** for your Q2 answer (manual piecewise expression + MATLAB code).
 - This now matches the correct ($H(D)=1/(D+2)$), not the earlier wrong one.
- Alright — now solving **Q3 and Q4** from the same worksheet.

Question 3

Discuss/Evaluate/Comprehend how the Fourier spectrum modifies when the following properties are applied to the above rectangle signal (or any signal).

- Scalar addition
- Scalar multiplication
- Conjugation
- Addition of two time signals
- Time shifting
- Time scaling
- Frequency shifting
- Time convolution
- Frequency convolution

Let the basic Fourier transform pair be:

$$[x(t) \longleftrightarrow X(j\omega)]$$

(a) Scalar Addition

$$[x(t) + c \longleftrightarrow \quad X(j\omega) + 2\pi c\delta(\omega)]$$

Adding a DC term adds a **delta spike at $\omega=0$** .

(b) Scalar Multiplication

$$[a, x(t) \longleftrightarrow \quad aX(j\omega)]$$

Spectrum amplitude scales by the same constant.

(c) Conjugation

$$[x^*(t) \longleftrightarrow \quad X^*(-j\omega)]$$

Spectrum flips and conjugates.

(d) Addition of Two Signals

$$[x_1(t) + x_2(t) \longleftrightarrow X_1(j\omega) + X_2(j\omega)]$$

Spectrum adds pointwise.

(e) Time Shifting

$$[x(t-t_0) \longleftrightarrow \quad e^{-j\omega t_0} X(j\omega)]$$

Spectrum multiplied by **complex exponential phase shift**.

(f) Time Scaling

$$[x(at) \longleftrightarrow \quad \frac{1}{|a|} X\left(\frac{\omega}{a}\right)]$$

Compression in time \leftrightarrow expansion in frequency and vice-versa.

(g) Frequency Shifting

$$[e^{j\omega_0 t} x(t) \longleftrightarrow \quad X(j(\omega - \omega_0))]$$

Spectrum shifts left/right.

(h) Time Convolution

$$[x(t) * h(t) \quad \longleftrightarrow \quad X(j\omega)H(j\omega)]$$

Convolution in time becomes multiplication in frequency.

(i) Frequency Convolution

$$[x(t)h(t) \quad \longleftrightarrow \quad \frac{1}{2\pi} X(j\omega) * H(j\omega)]$$

Multiplication in time becomes convolution in frequency.

Question 4

Compute the Fourier Transform of the following signals and sketch the spectra:

unit triangle, unit half-triangle, unit rectangle, signum, sinc, cos(t) from 0 to $\pi/2$, sin(t) from 0 to π , and combinations

Below are the standard known results:

1. Unit Rectangle

$$[x(t)=1, \quad |t| \leq \frac{T}{2}]$$

$$[X(j\omega)=T, \quad \text{sinc}\left(\frac{\omega T}{2}\right)]$$

2. Unit Triangle

$$[\Lambda(t)=1-|t|, \quad |t| \leq 1]$$

$$[X(j\omega)=\text{sinc}^2\left(\frac{\omega}{2}\right)]$$

3. Half Triangle

$$[x(t)=t, \quad 0 \leq t \leq 1]$$

$$[X(j\omega)=\frac{1 - e^{-j\omega}}{(1+j\omega)^2}]$$

4. Signum Signal

$$[\text{sgn}(t)=\begin{cases} 1 & t > 0 \\ -1 & t < 0 \end{cases}]$$

$$[X(j\omega)=\frac{2}{j\omega}]$$

5. Sinc signal

$$[x(t)=\text{sinc}(t)=\frac{\sin(\pi t)}{\pi t}]$$

$$[X(j\omega)=\text{rect}\left(\frac{\omega}{2\pi}\right)]$$

6. cos(t) from (0) to ($\pi/2$)

$$[x(t)=\cos t \cdot u(t)u(\frac{\pi}{2}-t)]$$

$$[X(j\omega)=\frac{\omega \sin(\omega\pi/2) + \cos(\omega\pi/2)}{\omega^2 - 1}]$$

7. sin(t) from (0) to (π)

$$[X(j\omega)=\frac{\omega \cos(\omega\pi) - \sin(\omega\pi)}{\omega^2 + 1}]$$

8. Combination

If $x(t)=x_1(t)+x_2(t)$:

$$[X(j\omega)=X_1(j\omega)+X_2(j\omega)]$$

Would you like MATLAB code to plot all spectra?

I can generate:

Option A – Plot for rectangle, triangle, sinc, signum

Option B – Code for cos, sin limited-time signals

Option C – Full combined script

Just tell me:

A / B / C ?

Example:

give option C MATLAB

and I will produce clean plotting code for all signals.