

Homework #3

Due May 11, 2018 at 09:00 A.M.:

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1. [20 points] (Problem 5.4, textbook pp. 370) When the input to an LTI system is

$$x(n) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u(n) + 2^n u(-n-1),$$

the output is

$$y(n) = 6\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u(n) - 6\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n u(n)$$

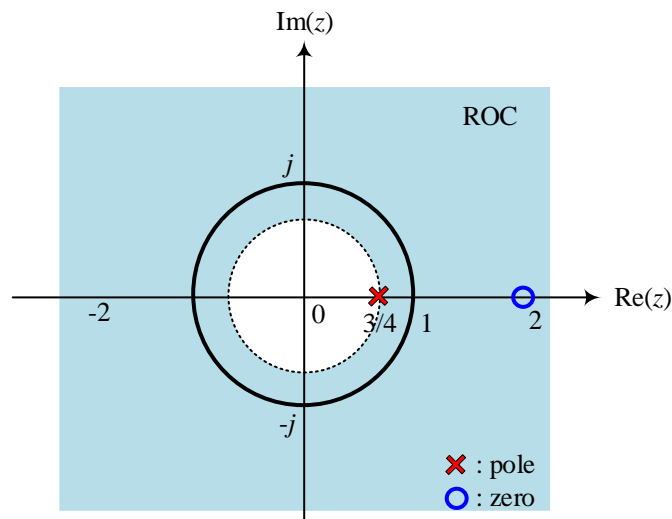
- (a) [5 points] Determine the system function $H(z)$ of the system. Plot the poles and zeros of $H(z)$, and indicate the ROC.

Solution)

$$X(z) = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}} - \frac{1}{1 - 2z^{-1}}, \quad \frac{1}{2} < |z| < 2$$

$$Y(z) = \frac{6}{1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}} - \frac{6}{1 - \frac{3}{4}z^{-1}}, \quad \frac{3}{4} < |z|$$

$$H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = \frac{-\frac{3}{2}z^{-1}}{\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}\right)\left(1 - \frac{3}{4}z^{-1}\right)} \cdot \frac{\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}\right)\left(1 - 2z^{-1}\right)}{-\frac{3}{2}z^{-1}} = \frac{1 - 2z^{-1}}{1 - \frac{3}{4}z^{-1}}, \quad \frac{3}{4} < |z|$$



- (b) [5 points] Determine the impulse response
- $h(n)$
- of the system for all values of
- n
- .

Solution)

$$H(z) = \frac{1-2z^{-1}}{1-\frac{3}{4}z^{-1}} = \frac{1}{1-\frac{3}{4}z^{-1}} - \frac{2z^{-1}}{1-\frac{3}{4}z^{-1}}, \quad \frac{3}{4} < |z|$$

$$\therefore h(n) = \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n u(n) - 2\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^{n-1} u(n-1)$$

- (c) [5 points] Write the difference equation that characterizes the system.

Solution)

$$H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = \frac{1-2z^{-1}}{1-\frac{3}{4}z^{-1}}, \quad \frac{3}{4} < |z|$$

$$Y(z) - \frac{3}{4}z^{-1}Y(z) = X(z) - 2z^{-1}X(z)$$

$$\therefore y(n) = \frac{3}{4}y(n-1) + x(n) - 2x(n-1)$$

- (d) [5 points] Is the system stable? Is it causal?

Solution)

Since the pole $p = \frac{3}{4}$ is located inside the unit circle with ROC $\frac{3}{4} < |z|$, the system is stable and causal.

2. [20 points] Consider the following notch filter:

$$H(z) = \frac{b_0(1 - e^{j\omega_0}z^{-1})(1 - e^{-j\omega_0}z^{-1})}{(1 - re^{j\omega_0}z^{-1})(1 - re^{-j\omega_0}z^{-1})}$$

- (a) [5 points] Let
- $r = 0.75$
- and
- $\omega_0 = \pi/3$
- . Find
- b_0
- such that
- $|H(e^{j\pi})| = |H(e^{-j\pi})| = 1$
- .

Solution) $e^{j\pi} = e^{-j\pi} = -1$

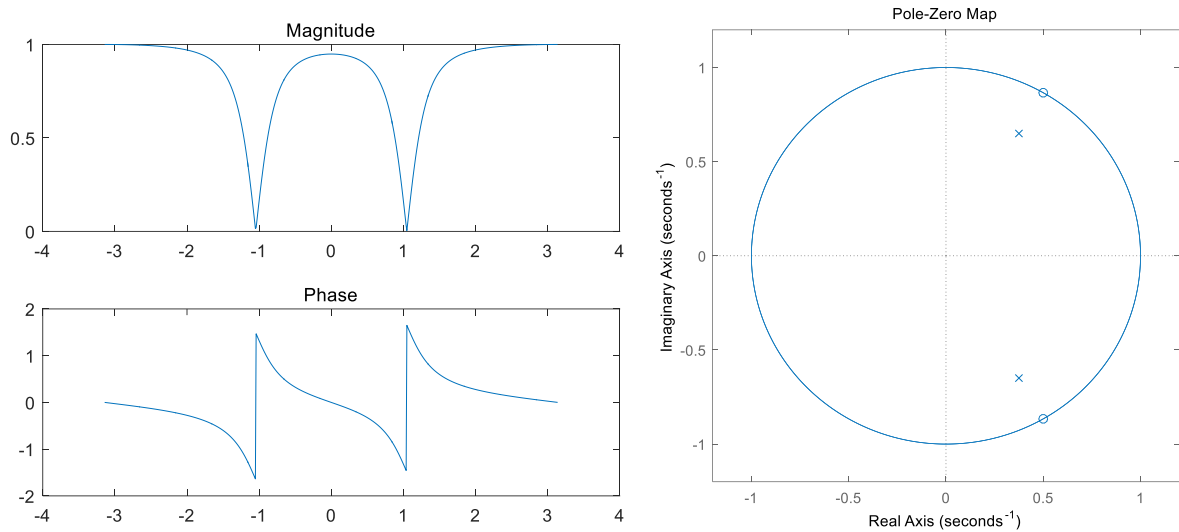
$$H(e^{j\pi}) = \frac{b_0(1 - e^{j\omega_0}e^{-j\pi})(1 - e^{-j\omega_0}e^{-j\pi})}{(1 - re^{j\omega_0}e^{-j\pi})(1 - re^{-j\omega_0}e^{-j\pi})} = \frac{b_0(1 + e^{j\omega_0})(1 + e^{-j\omega_0})}{(1 + re^{j\omega_0})(1 + re^{-j\omega_0})} = \frac{b_0(2 + 2\cos\omega_0)}{1 + 2r\cos\omega_0 + r^2}$$

$$= \frac{b_0\left(2 + 2\cos\frac{\pi}{3}\right)}{1 + 2(0.75)\cos\frac{\pi}{3} + (0.75)^2} = \frac{3b_0}{1 + 0.75 + (0.75)^2} = \frac{48}{37}b_0$$

$$\therefore b_0 = \pm \frac{37}{48} = \pm 0.7708$$

- (b) [5 points] Use Matlab to plot the magnitude response $|H(e^{j\omega})|$ and the phase response $\angle H(e^{j\omega})$ for the range $-\pi \leq \omega \leq \pi$. Plot the poles and zeros for $H(z)$ using Matlab.

Solution)



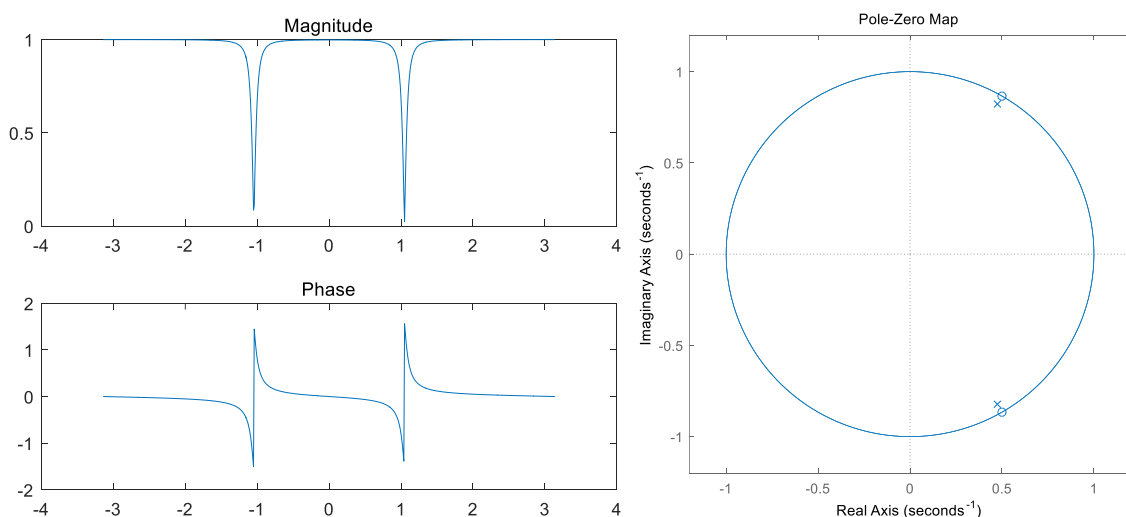
- (c) [5 points] Now, let $r = 0.95$ and $\omega_0 = \pi/3$. Find b_0 such that $|H(e^{j\pi})| = |H(e^{-j\pi})| = 1$.

Solution)

$$\begin{aligned}
 H(e^{j\pi}) &= \frac{b_0(1 - e^{j\omega_0}e^{-j\pi})(1 - e^{-j\omega_0}e^{-j\pi})}{(1 - re^{j\omega_0}e^{-j\pi})(1 - re^{-j\omega_0}e^{-j\pi})} = \frac{b_0(1 + e^{j\omega_0})(1 + e^{-j\omega_0})}{(1 + re^{j\omega_0})(1 + re^{-j\omega_0})} = \frac{b_0(2 + 2\cos\omega_0)}{1 + 2r\cos\omega_0 + r^2} \\
 &= \frac{b_0\left(2 + 2\cos\frac{\pi}{3}\right)}{1 + 2(0.95)\cos\frac{\pi}{3} + (0.95)^2} = \frac{3b_0}{1 + 0.95 + (0.95)^2} = \frac{1200}{1141}b_0 \\
 \therefore b_0 &= \pm \frac{1141}{1200} = \pm 0.9508
 \end{aligned}$$

- (d) [5 points] Use Matlab to plot the magnitude response $|H(e^{j\omega})|$ and the phase response $\angle H(e^{j\omega})$ for the range $-\pi \leq \omega \leq \pi$. Plot the poles and zeros for $H(z)$ using Matlab.

Solution)



3. [30 points] (Similar to Problem 5.23, textbook pp. 377) Consider a causal linear time-invariant system with system function

$$H(z) = \frac{(1 - a^{-1}z^{-1})(1 - ja^{-1}z^{-1})(1 + ja^{-1}z^{-1})}{(1 - az^{-1})(1 - jaz^{-1})(1 + jaz^{-1})}$$

where a is real.

- (a) [5 points] Write the difference equation that relates the input and the output of this system.

Solution)

$$H(z) = \frac{(1 - a^{-1}z^{-1})(1 - ja^{-1}z^{-1})(1 + ja^{-1}z^{-1})}{(1 - az^{-1})(1 - jaz^{-1})(1 + jaz^{-1})} = \frac{1 - a^{-1}z^{-1} + a^{-2}z^{-2} - a^{-3}z^{-3}}{1 - az^{-1} + a^2z^{-2} - a^3z^{-3}} = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)}$$

$$Y(z) - az^{-1}Y(z) + a^2z^{-2}Y(z) - a^3z^{-3}Y(z) = X(z) - a^{-1}z^{-1}X(z) + a^{-2}z^{-2}X(z) - a^{-3}z^{-3}X(z)$$

$$\therefore y(n) = ay(n-1) + a^2y(n-2) - a^3y(n-3) + x(n) - a^{-1}x(n-1) + a^{-2}x(n-2) - a^{-3}x(n-3)$$

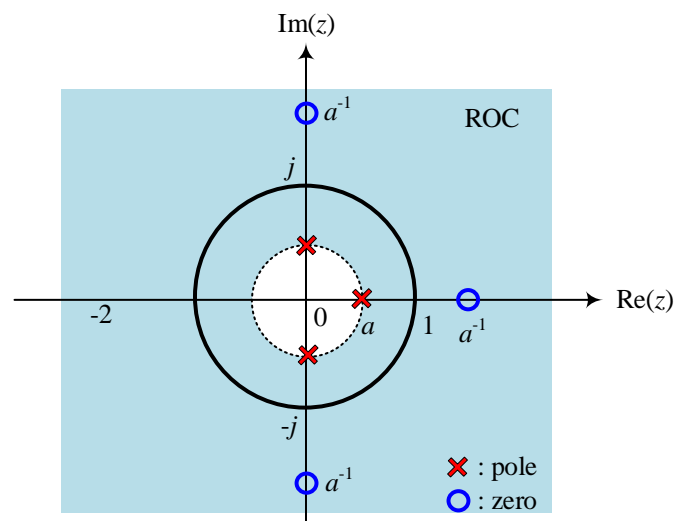
- (b) [5 points] For what range of values of a is the system stable?

Solution)

The causal system is stable for $|a| < 1$ where the poles are located inside the unit circle in the z -plane.

- (c) [5 points] For $a = 1/2$, plot the pole-zero diagram using Matlab and shade the region of convergence.

Solution)



(d) [5 points] Find the impulse response $h(n)$ for the system.

Solution)

$$H(z) = \frac{(1 - a^{-1}z^{-1})(1 - ja^{-1}z^{-1})(1 + ja^{-1}z^{-1})}{(1 - az^{-1})(1 - jaz^{-1})(1 + jaz^{-1})} = \frac{A_1}{1 - az^{-1}} + \frac{A_2}{1 - jaz^{-1}} + \frac{A_3}{1 + jaz^{-1}}$$

$$A_1 = (1 - az^{-1})H(z)\Big|_{z=a} = \frac{(1 - ja^{-2})(1 + ja^{-2})}{(1 - j)(1 + j)} = \frac{1 + a^{-4}}{2}$$

$$A_2 = (1 - jaz^{-1})H(z)\Big|_{z=ja} = \frac{(1 - j^{-1}a^{-2})(1 + a^{-2})}{(1 - j^{-1})(1 + 1)} = (1 + a^{-2}) \frac{(1 + a^{-1}) - j(1 - a^{-1})}{4}$$

$$A_3 = (1 + jaz^{-1})H(z)\Big|_{z=ja} = A_2^* = (1 + a^{-2}) \frac{(1 + a^{-1}) + j(1 - a^{-1})}{4}$$

We know that $Z^{-1} \left\{ \frac{A_k}{1 - p_k z^{-1}} + \frac{A_k^*}{1 - p_k^* z^{-1}} \right\} = 2|A_k| r_k^n \cos(\beta_k n + \alpha_k) u(n).$

$$|A_2| = \frac{(1 + a^{-2})}{4} \sqrt{(1 + a^{-1})^2 + (1 - a^{-1})^2} = \frac{(1 + a^{-2})}{4} \sqrt{2(1 + a^{-2})} = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{4} (1 + a^{-2})^{\frac{3}{2}}$$

$$\angle A_2 = -\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1 - a^{-1}}{1 + a^{-1}} \right), \quad p_2 = ja = ae^{j\frac{\pi}{2}}, \quad p_3 = p_2^* = ae^{-j\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

$$h(n) = \left(\frac{1 + a^{-4}}{2} \right) a^n u(n) + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} (1 + a^{-2})^{\frac{3}{2}} a^n \cos \left(\frac{\pi}{2} n - \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{1 - a^{-1}}{1 + a^{-1}} \right) \right) u(n)$$

(e) [5 points] Show that the system is an all-pass system, i.e., that the magnitude of the frequency response is a constant. Also, specify the value of the constant.

Solution)

We plug $z = 1$ into $H(z)$.

$$\begin{aligned} H(z)\Big|_{z=1} &= \frac{(1 - a^{-1}z^{-1})(1 - ja^{-1}z^{-1})(1 + ja^{-1}z^{-1})}{(1 - az^{-1})(1 - jaz^{-1})(1 + jaz^{-1})}\Bigg|_{z=1} \\ &= \frac{(1 - a^{-1})(1 - ja^{-1})(1 + ja^{-1})}{(1 - a)(1 - ja)(1 + ja)} = \frac{(1 - a^{-1})(1 + a^{-2})}{(1 - a)(1 + a^2)} \\ &= \frac{-a^{-3}(1 - a)(1 + a^2)}{(1 - a)(1 + a^2)} = -\frac{1}{a^3} \end{aligned}$$

(f) [5 points] Plot the magnitude and phase responses of $H(e^{j\omega})$ with $a = 1/2$ for $-\pi \leq \omega \leq \pi$ using Matlab.

Solution)

4. [15 points] (Problem 5.40, textbook pp. 383) Consider a stable LTI system given by

$$H(z) = \frac{(1-9z^{-2})\left(1+\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)}{\left(1-\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)}$$

- (a) [5 points] $H(z)$ can be expressed as a cascade of a minimum-phase system $H_{\min}(z)$ and a unity-gain all-pass system $H_{ap}(z)$. Determine a choice for $H_{\min}(z)$ and $H_{ap}(z)$, and specify whether or not they are unique up to a scale factor.

Solution)

$$\begin{aligned} H(z) &= \frac{(1-9z^{-2})\left(1+\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)}{\left(1-\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)} = \frac{\left(1+\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)(1-3z^{-1})(1+3z^{-1})}{\left(1-\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)} = \frac{\left(1+\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)^2 (1-3z^{-1})(1+3z^{-1})}{\left(1-\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)\left(1+\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)} \\ &= \underbrace{9\left(1+\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)^2}_{=H_{\min}(z)} \cdot \underbrace{\frac{1}{9} \frac{(1-3z^{-1})(1+3z^{-1})}{\left(1-\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)\left(1+\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)}}_{=H_{ap}(z)} \\ \therefore H_{\min}(z) &= 9\left(1+\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)^2, \text{ and } H_{ap}(z) = \frac{1}{9} \frac{(1-3z^{-1})(1+3z^{-1})}{\left(1-\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)\left(1+\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)}. \end{aligned}$$

- (b) [5 points] Is the minimum-phase system $H_{\min}(z)$ an FIR system? Explain.

Solution)

Yes, it is an FIR filter because $H_{\min}(z)$ has its pole at the origin $z=0$ and has a finite impulse response with length 3 as $h_{\min}(n) = 9 + 6\delta(n-1) + \delta(n-2)$.

- (c) [5 points] Is the minimum-phase system $H_{\min}(z)$ a generalized linear-phase system? If not, can $H(z)$ be represented as a cascade of a generalized linear-phase system $H_{lin}(z)$ and an all-pass system $H_{ap2}(z)$? If your answer is yes, determine $H_{lin}(z)$ and $H_{ap2}(z)$. If your answer is no, explain why such representation does not exist.

Solution)

$H_{\min}(z)$ is not a linear phase system because $h_{\min}(n)$ is not symmetric nor anti-symmetric. However, if we formulate $H(z)$ slightly in a different way, we can obtain the product of $H_{lin}(z)$ and $H_{ap2}(z)$ as follows:

$$H(z) = \frac{(1-9z^{-2})\left(1+\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)}{\left(1-\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)} = \frac{\left(1+\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)(1-3z^{-1})(1+3z^{-1})}{\left(1-\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)} = \underbrace{3\left(1+\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)(1+3z^{-1})}_{=H_{lin}(z)} \cdot \underbrace{\frac{1}{3} \frac{(1-3z^{-1})}{\left(1-\frac{1}{3}z^{-1}\right)}}_{=H_{ap2}(z)}$$

5. [15 points] (Problem 5.53, textbook pp. 389) Consider the LTI system whose system function is given by

$$H(z) = (1 - 0.9e^{j0.6\pi}z^{-1})(1 - 0.9e^{-j0.6\pi}z^{-1})(1 - 1.25e^{j0.8\pi}z^{-1})(1 - 1.25e^{-j0.8\pi}z^{-1})$$

- (a) [5 points] Determine all causal system functions that results in the same frequency-response magnitude as $H(z)$ and for which the impulse responses are real valued and of the same length as the impulse response associated with $H(z)$. (There are four different such systems.) Identify which system function is minimum phase and which to within a time shift, is maximum phase.

Solution)

$$H(z) = (1 - 0.9e^{j0.6\pi}z^{-1})(1 - 0.9e^{-j0.6\pi}z^{-1})(1 - 1.25e^{j0.8\pi}z^{-1})(1 - 1.25e^{-j0.8\pi}z^{-1})$$

$$H_1(z) = (0.9)^2(1.25)^2 \left(1 - \frac{1}{0.9}e^{j0.6\pi}z^{-1}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{0.9}e^{-j0.6\pi}z^{-1}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{1.25}e^{j0.8\pi}z^{-1}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{1.25}e^{-j0.8\pi}z^{-1}\right)$$

$$H_2(z) = (0.9)^2 \left(1 - \frac{1}{0.9}e^{j0.6\pi}z^{-1}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{0.9}e^{-j0.6\pi}z^{-1}\right) (1 - 1.25e^{j0.8\pi}z^{-1})(1 - 1.25e^{-j0.8\pi}z^{-1})$$

$$H_3(z) = (1.25)^2 (1 - 0.9e^{j0.6\pi}z^{-1})(1 - 0.9e^{-j0.6\pi}z^{-1}) \left(1 - \frac{1}{1.25}e^{j0.8\pi}z^{-1}\right) \left(1 - \frac{1}{1.25}e^{-j0.8\pi}z^{-1}\right)$$

- (b) [5 points] Determine the impulse responses for the system functions in part (a).

Solution)

$$H(z) = 1 + 2.5788z^{-1} + 3.4975z^{-2} + 2.5074z^{-3} + 1.2656z^{-4}$$

$$\therefore h(n) = \delta(n) + 2.5788\delta(n-1) + 3.4975\delta(n-2) + 2.5074\delta(n-3) + 1.2656\delta(n-4)$$

$$H_1(z) = 1.2656 + 2.5074z^{-1} + 3.4975z^{-2} + 2.5788z^{-3} + z^{-4}$$

$$\therefore h_1(n) = 1.2656\delta(n) + 2.5074\delta(n-1) + 3.4975\delta(n-2) + 2.5788\delta(n-3) + \delta(n-4)$$

$$H_2(z) = 0.81 + 2.1945z^{-1} + 3.3906z^{-2} + 2.8917z^{-3} + 1.5625z^{-4}$$

$$\therefore h_2(n) = 0.81\delta(n) + 2.1945\delta(n-1) + 3.3906\delta(n-2) + 2.8917\delta(n-3) + 1.5625\delta(n-4)$$

$$H_3(z) = 1.5625 + 2.8917z^{-1} + 3.3906z^{-2} + 2.1945z^{-3} + 0.81z^{-4}$$

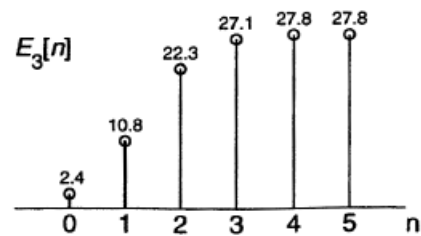
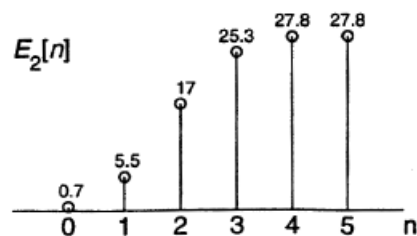
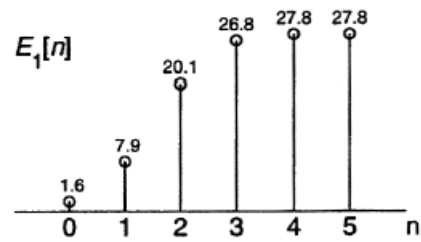
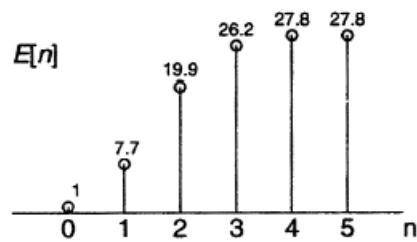
$$\therefore h_3(n) = 1.5625\delta(n) + 2.8917\delta(n-1) + 3.3906\delta(n-2) + 2.1945\delta(n-3) + 0.81\delta(n-4)$$

- (c) [5 points] For each of the sequences in part (b), compute and plot the quantity $E(n) = \sum_{m=0}^n h^2(m)$ for $0 \leq n \leq 5$. Indicate explicitly which plot corresponds to the minimum-phase system.

Solution)

(c)

n	$E(n)$	$E_1(n)$	$E_2(n)$	$E_3(n)$
0	1.0	1.6	0.7	2.4
1	7.7	7.9	5.5	10.8
2	19.9	20.1	17.0	22.3
3	26.2	26.8	25.3	27.1
4	27.8	27.8	27.8	27.8
5	27.8	27.8	27.8	27.8



The plot of $E_3[n]$ corresponds to the minimum phase sequence.