

UNIVERSITY OF BUEA  
MID-SEMESTER EXAMINATION

MONTH: February

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INSTRUCTION: Answer ALL questions

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COURSE TITLE: Signals and Systems

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

1. The following questions concern the function  $x(n]$  given as

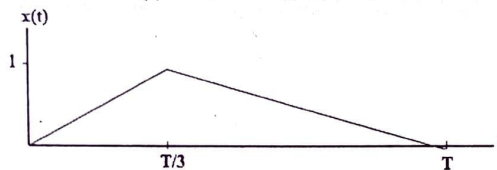
$$x(n) = 2 \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\right) [u(n+3) - u(n-4)]$$

Sketch  $x(n]$  and hence sketch the following functions

- $x_1(n) = x[n+2] + x[-1-n]$
- $x_2(n) = x[3n]\delta[n-1]$
- $x_3(n) = x_e(n)$  where  $x_e(n)$  is the even function of  $x(n]$

(10 marks)

2. Use the sketch of  $x(t)$  below to answer the following questions

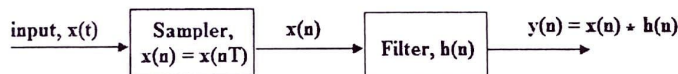


Sketch the following functions

- $x_1(t) = x[t+T] + x[-T-t]$
- $x_2(t) = \frac{1}{2} x(t)u(t) + x(-t)u(t)$
- $x_3(t) = x_o(t)$  where  $x_o(t)$  is the odd function of  $x(t)$

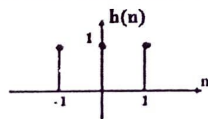
(6 marks)

3. A periodic signal  $x(t)$  is first sampled to obtain  $x(n]$  before being fed into a filter with impulse response  $h(n]$



The periodic signal  $x(t) = \sin 2\pi t$  is sampled using the rate  $f = 4\text{Hz}$ . (Note that  $T = 1/f$ )

- Deduce the discrete-time signal in two periods
- Hence, use discrete-time convolution to deduce output,  $y(n]$  for an impulse response given as



(9 marks)

4. Consider the linear shift-invariant system characterized by the second-order linear constant coefficient difference equation

$$y(n) = 2y(n-1) - y(n-2) + x(n) - 2x(n-1) + x(n-2)$$

- Draw the corresponding block diagram of the system
- Determine if the system is memoryless, causal and stable

(2 marks)

(3 marks)