

EE120 section 2, Spring 1991
Final
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Problem #1 (15%)

The input to an LTI is the sequence $x[n]$, and the system's impulse response is $h[n]$.

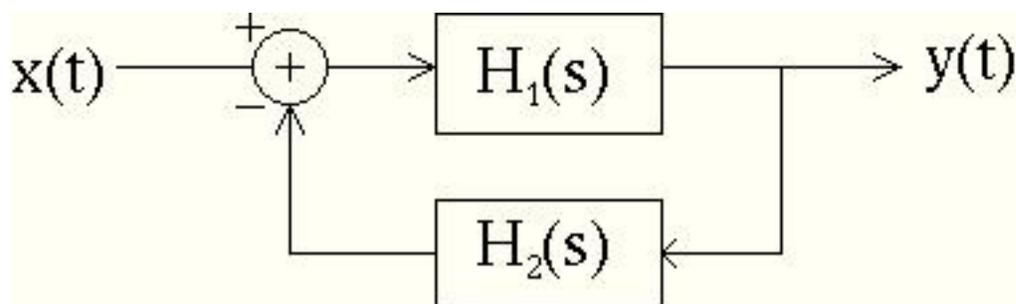
$$\text{Let } x[n] = a^{+n} u[n], \quad |a| < 1$$

$$\text{and } h[n] = b^{+n} u[n], \quad |b| < 1 .$$

Compute the output $y[n]$ directly in the time domain and then verify your result by computing $y[n]$ using Fourier transform techniques.

Problem #2 (20%)

Consider the feedback system as described below.



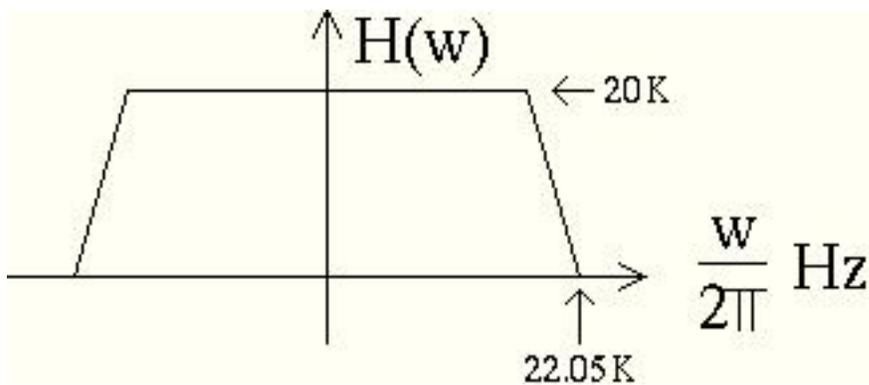
- Derive the closed-loop transfer function $H(s)$.
- Let $H_1(s) = K$ and $H_2(s) = 1/(s+1)$. For what real values of K (positive or negative) is the system stable?
- Calculate the impulse response $h(t)$ for $K = 2$.
- Calculate the step response for $K = 2$.

Problem #3 (20%)

A manufacturer of consumer electronics praises its CD player and claims that "...The higher the frequency used to resample a CD's digital signal, the smoother and more natural the recreated analog waveform will be. With 16 times oversampling ... a gently sloping analog filter can then be used in the final output stage, avoiding harsh phase distortion..."

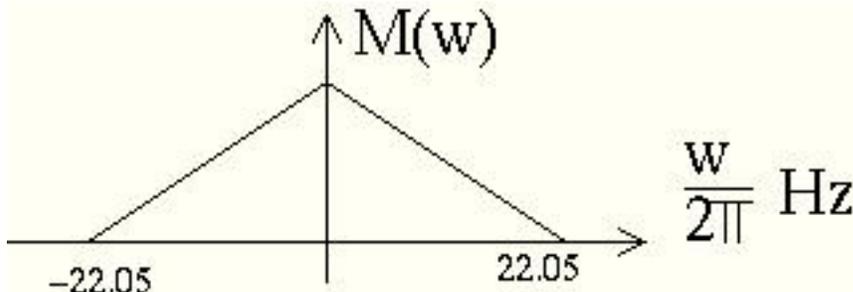
To check this claim:

- a. Assume that the overall audio system of the CD should have a flat frequency response between 2 and 20k Hz. Additional bandwidth of 2.05 kHz is required as a transition band between the passband and the stopband.



What is the standard (minimum) sampling frequency that is required for successful reproduction of any signal within that frequency band?

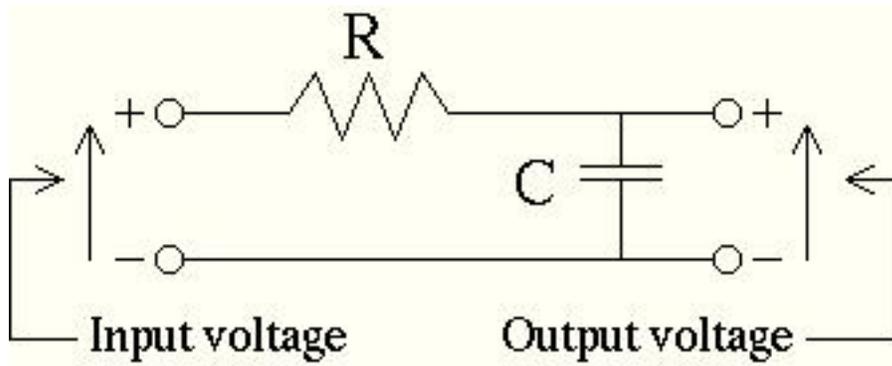
- b. Assume for simplicity that the music signal has a spectral density as shown below:



Sketch the spectral density of the sampled waveform. Mark all the relevant parameters.

- c. Now assume that the music signal is 16-times oversampled. Sketch the spectral density of the sampled waveform. Mark all relevant parameters.

- d. Assume that a simple RC low-pass filter is used to recover the analog music signal from its samples.



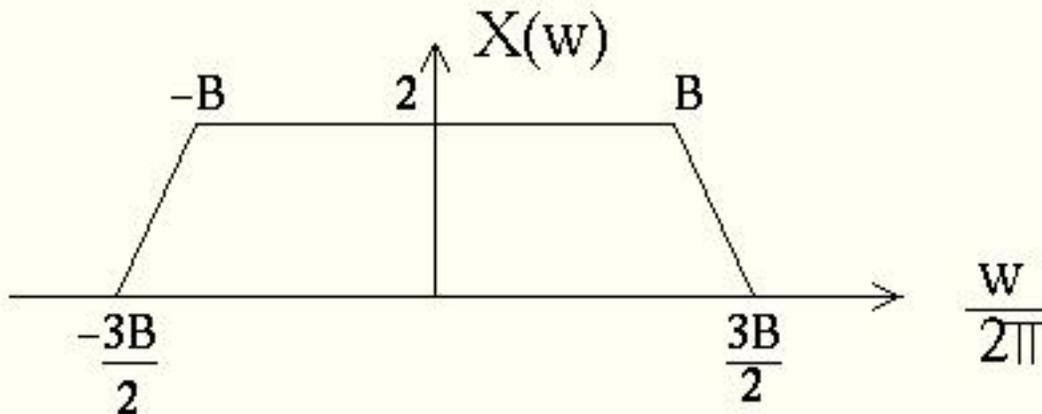
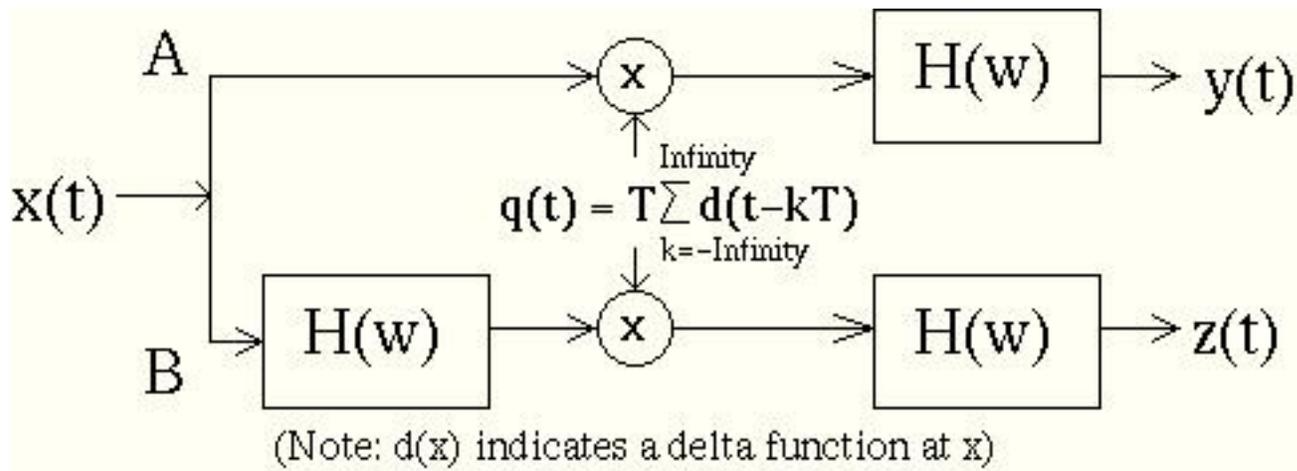
- (1) Derive the frequency response $H_{RC}(\omega)$ of this filter.
- (2) How much phase-shift is introduced by this filter at $\omega/2\pi = 20$ kHz when it is designed to have a 3dB attenuation at:
 - (a) Half the standard sampling frequency?
 - (b) Twice the standard sampling frequency?
 - (c) Eight times the standard sampling frequency? By how much does this filter attenuate signals at the actual sampling frequency?

Problem #4 (25%)

The signal $x(t)$ is passed through systems A and B as shown below. The Fourier transform of $x(t)$ is real and is also shown below. $H(\omega)$ is an ideal filter

$$H(\omega) = \begin{cases} 1, & |\omega| \leq 2\pi B \\ 0, & |\omega| > 2\pi B \end{cases}$$

and $2B = 1/T$.



a. Sketch and mark all the relevant parameters of the Fourier transforms of $y(t)$ and $z(t)$.

Calculate:

$$\text{b. } \epsilon\text{-B} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t) - z(t)|^2 dt$$

$$\text{c. } \epsilon\text{-A} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t) - y(t)|^2 dt$$

d. Explain the difference (if any) between epsilon-B and epsilon-A.

Problem #5 (20%)

Let an unmodulated carrier be $\cos(\omega_c t)$ and let the message signal $m(t)$ be restricted to the frequency band $|\omega| \leq 2\pi B$.

Write an expression for the modulated wave $x(t)$ for each of the following modulation methods:

- DSB-LC (conventional AM)
- DSB-SC
- SSB-LC
- SSB-SC
- PM
- FM

Explain and add definitions (if necessary) for the terms that are used in your expressions.

Each of the following statements may apply to one or more of the above-mentioned modulation methods.

- Requires synchronous demodulation for detection.
- High quality detection can be obtained with envelope demodulation.
- Is wasteful of power.
- Is wasteful of bandwidth.
- Requires nonlinear demodulation for proper detection.
- Useful where both power and bandwidth are at a premium.
- Modulated signal bandwidth is independent of the message magnitude.
- Allows an inexpensive receiver.
- Modulated signal bandwidth can be greater than $4B$.
- Is a nonlinear modulation method.

Make a table as shown below and mark the corresponding squares where a statement applies to a modulation method.

\	a	b	c	d	e	f
1	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	—	—	—	—	—	—
3	—	—	—	—	—	—
4	—	—	—	—	—	—
5	—	—	—	—	—	—
6	—	—	—	—	—	—

7	-	-	-	-	-	-
8	-	-	-	-	-	-
9	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	-	-	-	-	-	-

Note: a phrase like "epsilon-B" or "H-RC" indicates that "B" and "RC", for example, are subscripts.

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