Final Exam

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1. Consider a continuous-time linear time-invariant (LTI) system with systems function

$$H(s) = \frac{s^2 - 2s + 1}{s^2 - s - 2}.$$

- (a) Plot the poles and zeros of H(s), and indicate all possible ROCs. (3%)
- (b) For each ROC identified in part (1), specify whether the associated system is stable and/or causal. (3%)
- (c) Determine the impulse response of the corresponding stable inverse system. (6%)
- 2. Let B(s) be the transfer function of a causal and stable Butterworth filter of order 3 and

$$B(s)B(-s) = \frac{1}{1 + (s/(j \cdot 3))^6}.$$

$$W \in \mathcal{S} \quad \text{for } M \in \mathbb{R}^3 \Big(\frac{2k+1}{2N} + \frac{\pi}{2} \Big)$$

$$B(s)B(-s) \cdot (4\%)$$

- (a) Plot the poles and zeros of B(s)B(-s). (4%)
- (b) Determine the transfer function B(s). (5%)
- (c) Plot the frequency response of the filter and indicate the 3-dB frequency. (3%)
- 3. Consider the following Laplace transform pair:

$$x(t) \leftarrow \frac{s}{(s+2)^2}$$
, Re $\{s\} > -2$

- (a) Determine the time-domain signal x(t). (7%)
- (b) Determine the Laplace transform of $\int_{0}^{t} x(3\tau) d\tau$. (7%)
- 4. Suppose we have two three-point sequences x[n] and h[n] as follows:

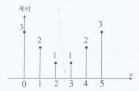
$$x[n] = h[n] = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 \le n \le 2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Two periodic sequences $\tilde{x}[n]$ and $\tilde{h}[n]$ are constructed from x[n] and h[n] in the following way:

$$\tilde{x}[n] = \sum_{r=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n+Nr], \ \tilde{h}[n] = \sum_{r=-\infty}^{\infty} h[n+Nr].$$

- (a) Let $\tilde{y}[n] = \tilde{x}[n] \circledast \tilde{h}[n]$ (periodic convolution). How should we choose N such that y[n] = x[n] * h[n] (linear convolution) is equal to $\tilde{y}[n]$ for $0 \le n \le N 1$. (3%)
- (b) Compute y[n] by using periodic convolution. (6%)
- (c) Describe how to compute y[n] via the discrete Fourier transform (DFT)? (5%)

5. Consider a discrete-time system with the following impulse response:



- (a) Determine the frequency response $H(e^{j\Omega})$ of the system. (6%)
- (b) Is this a linear-phase system? Justify your answer. (6%)
- 6. Consider a causal LTI system with impulse response h[n] and input x[n] given by

$$x[n] = (-1/3)^n u[n] - (1/2)^n u[-n-1]$$
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- (a) Determine the z-transform of x[n]. (5%)
- (b) If the output corresponding to the input x[n] is $y[n] = (-1/3)^n u[n]$, determine h[n]. (7%)
- 7. Consider the following z-transform pair:

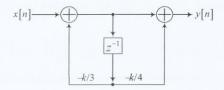
$$x[n] \leftarrow X(z) = \frac{z^{-2} + 2z^{-1} + 2}{z^{-1} + 1}$$
, ROC

- (a) Determine the right-sided sequence x[n] for this z-transform. (6%)
- (b) Determine the left-sided sequence x[n] for this z-transform. (6%)
- 8. Consider a discrete-time LTI system for which the input and the output x[n] and output y[n] are related by the linear constant-coefficient difference equation

$$y[n]+3y[n-1]=x[n]$$
, where $x[n]=(1/2)^nu[n]$ and $y[-1]=1$.

Determine the output y[n] by using the unilateral z-transform. (10%)

9. Consider a causal discrete-time system with input x[n] and output y[n], as shown below.





- (a) Find the corresponding system function and draw the pole-zero plot with ROC. (4%)
- (b) For what value of k is the system stable? (4%)
- (c) Determine y[n] for the case of k=1 and $x[n]=(2/3)^n$ for all n. (4%)

$$\frac{-14}{36} + \frac{5}{36} = \frac{-9}{36} = \frac{-1}{4}$$