

EE4015 Digital Signal Processing

Mid-Term Exam

Date: 8th November 2022 (Tuesday)

Answer ALL questions:

Question 1 [30 marks]

A discrete-time LTI system with input $x[n]$ and output $y[n]$ is described by the following relationship:

$$y[n] = 3x[n] + x[n - 1] - 3x[n - 2]$$

- (a) Is the system memoryless? Justify your answer. [3 marks]
- (b) Is the system causal? Justify your answer. [3 marks]
- (c) Is the system BIBO stable? Justify your answer. [3 marks]
- (d) Compute the impulse response $h[n]$ of the system. [3 marks]
- (e) Determine whether the system is an FIR system or an IIR system based on the impulse response $h[n]$. Justify your answer. [4 marks]
- (f) Is it a linear-phase system? Justify your answer based on the impulse response. [4 marks]
- (g) Compute $y[n]$ when $x[n] = \delta[n] + 2\delta[n - 1] + 3\delta[n - 2]$. [6 marks]
- (h) Determine and sketch the magnitude response $|H(e^{j\omega})|$ of the system. Based on the amplitude response, determine which type of frequency selective filter (lowpass, highpass, bandpass or bandstop) the system should belong to? [4 marks]

Question 2 [20 marks]

Consider a continuous-time (CT) signal $x(t)$ expressed as

$$x(t) = 2\cos(30\pi t) + 4\cos(80\pi t)$$

- (a) Determine the Nyquist frequency and Nyquist rate of the signal $x(t)$. [4 marks]
- (b) Determine the Continuous-Time Fourier Transform (CTFT) $X(j\Omega)$ of the signal $x(t)$.

[6 marks]

- (c) The signal $x(t)$ is sampled at 50Hz to become a Discrete-Time signal $x[n]$. Determine the mathematical expression of $x[n]$. [6 marks]
- (d) If we use an ideal anti-imaging lowpass reconstruction filter, what is the CT signal $y(t)$ that we can reconstruct from the sampled signal? [4 marks]

Question 3 [30 marks]

A causal LTI system is characterized by the following transfer function $H(z)$:

$$H(z) = \frac{1 - 0.24z^{-1}}{1 - 0.36z^{-2}}$$

- (a) Let the system input and output be $x[n]$ and $y[n]$, respectively. Write down the difference equation that relate $x[n]$ and $y[n]$. [4 marks]
- (b) Find all pole and zero locations of $H(z)$ and determine the stability of the system based on the region of convergence (ROC). [6 marks]
- (c) Based on the pole and zero locations of $H(z)$ to determine whether the inverse system with transfer function of $G(z) = 1/H(z)$ is exist or not. Explain your answer. [2 marks]
- (d) Determine the system impulse response $h[n]$. [8 marks]
- (e) Compute the system output $y[n]$ when the input is $x[n] = (0.24)^n u[n - 1]$ using z-transform. [5 marks]
- (f) Compute the system frequency response $H(e^{j\omega})$ and then determine its magnitude and phase responses. [5 marks]

Question 4 [20 marks]

The impulse response of a LTI discrete-time filter is:

$$h[n] = \begin{cases} \sin^2(\pi(n + 1)/4), & n = 0,1,2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- (a) Is the filter linear phase? Explain your answer. [6 marks]
- (b) Compute the filter output $y[n]$ when the input is $x[n] = u[n - 1]$. [6 marks]
- (c) Determine the Discrete Fourier transform (DFT) of $h[n]$. [8 marks]