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QUIZ #1

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$x_2(t) = 2u(t-10)$	$y_2(t) = 4e^{-2(t-12)}u(t-12)$

Circle One: A B C D

(b) System # 2

<i>Input</i>	<i>Output</i>
$x_1(t) = u(t)$	$y_1(t) = 10[u(t-5) - u(t-6)]$
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(c) System # 3

<i>Input</i>	<i>Output</i>
$x_1(t) = \cos(5t)$	$y_1(t) = 5 \sin(5t)$
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(d) System # 4

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Problem Q1.2:

(5 pts each) The four parts of this problem are unrelated to each other.

(a) Simplify the expression $\{t^2[u(t+1) \times \delta(t-2)]\} * u(t-3) =$

(b) Simplify the expression $\int_{-\infty}^t \cos(0.5\pi\tau) \sum_{k=0}^3 \delta(\tau - k) d\tau =$

(c) Find $X(j\omega)$, the Fourier transform of $x(t) = 4e^{-(t-1)}u(t-1) \cos(10t)$.

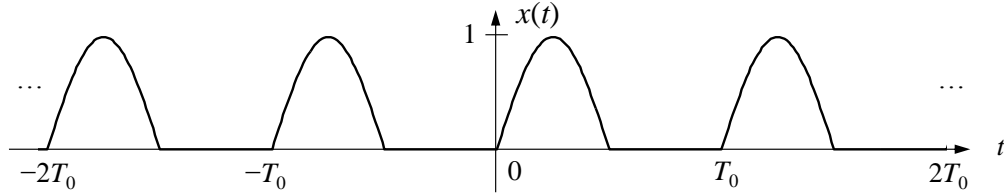
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(20 pts) Find and accurately sketch $y(t) = x(t) * h(t)$ where $x(t) = (1 - t)[u(t) - u(t - 2)]$ and $h(t) = u(t - 1) - u(t - 7)$. For full credit (and maximum partial credit), you need to find equations for $y(t)$ in each region as well as include a plot of $y(t)$ showing its correct shape with correct horizontal and vertical axis labels. Intermediate plots are also strongly recommended. **You must show your work to get full credit.** *Hint: If you find yourself doing a lot of algebra, STOP! It isn't necessary.*

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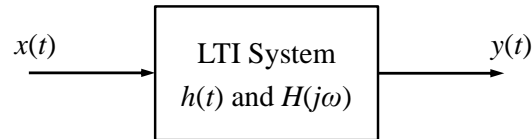
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Problem Q1.5:

Consider the general LTI system shown below with impulse response $h(t)$, frequency response $H(j\omega)$, input $x(t)$ and output $y(t)$. The impulse response is $h(t) = \frac{\sin(2t)}{\pi t} \times \cos(10t)$.



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If LTI, $-2(t-11)$
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 Not time-invariant

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If LTI,
 $y_2(t) = 20[u(t-15) - u(t-16)]$
 could be LTI

(c) System # 3

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Circle One: **(A)** B C D

Sinusoid in \rightarrow Sinusoid out
 could be LTI

(d) System # 4

Input	Output
$x_1(t) = \cos(5t)$	$y_1(t) = 20 \cos(5t) + \sin(10t)$
$x_2(t) = \cos(10t)$	$y_2(t) = 10 \sin(10t) + \cos(20t)$

Circle One: A **(B)** C D

Sinusoid in \rightarrow 2 sinusoids out

Not linear, could be
 Time-invariant

Problem Q1.2:

(5 pts each) The four parts of this problem are unrelated to each other.

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 $= 4\delta(t-2) * u(t-3)$
 $= 4u(t-5)$

(b) Simplify the expression $\int_{-\infty}^t \cos(0.5\pi\tau) \sum_{k=0}^3 \delta(\tau-k) d\tau = \int_{-\infty}^t \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\tau\right) [\delta(\tau) + \delta(\tau-1) + \delta(\tau-2) + \delta(\tau-3)] d\tau$
 $= \int_{-\infty}^t [1\delta(\tau) + 0\delta(\tau-1) - 1\delta(\tau-2) + 0\delta(\tau-3)] d\tau$
 $= u(t) - u(t-2)$

(c) Find $X(j\omega)$, the Fourier transform of $x(t) = 4e^{-(t-1)}u(t-1)\cos(10t) = \tilde{x}(t)\cos(10t)$

$$\tilde{x}(j\omega) = \frac{4e^{-j\omega}}{1+j\omega}$$

use modulation property

$$X(j\omega) = \frac{2e^{-j(\omega+10)}}{1+j(\omega+10)} + \frac{2e^{-j(\omega-10)}}{1+j(\omega-10)}$$

(d) Find $x(t)$, the inverse Fourier transform of $X(j\omega) = 1 - [u(\omega+5) - u(\omega-5)]$. (Note that this is a perfect high pass filter with $\omega_c = 5$.)

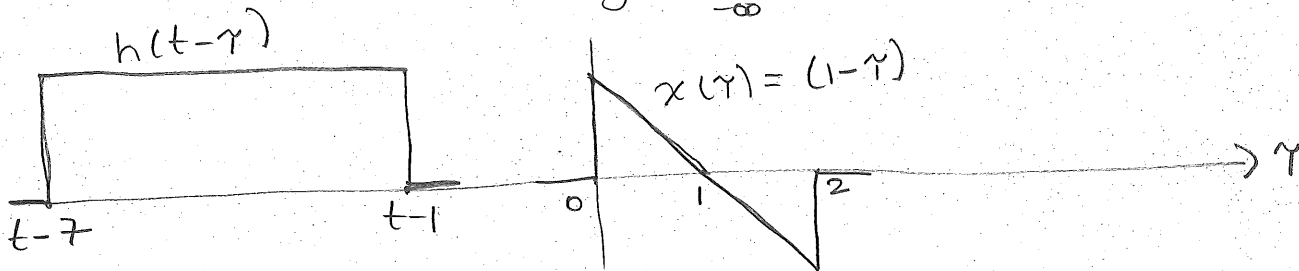
$$x(t) = \delta(t) - \frac{\sin(5t)}{\pi t}$$

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(20 pts) Find and accurately sketch $y(t) = x(t) * h(t)$ where $x(t) = (1-t)[u(t) - u(t-2)]$ and $h(t) = u(t-1) - u(t-7)$. For full credit (and maximum partial credit), you need to find equations for $y(t)$ in each region as well as include a plot of $y(t)$ showing its correct shape with correct horizontal and vertical axis labels. Intermediate plots are also strongly recommended. **You must show your work to get full credit.** Hint: If you find yourself doing a lot of algebra, STOP! It isn't necessary.

Flip $h(t)$

$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) h(t-\tau) d\tau$$



Region I. $t < 1$, $y(t) = 0$

Region II. $1 \leq t < 3$ (partial overlap)

$$y(t) = \int_0^{t-1} (1-\tau) d\tau = \left(\tau - \frac{\tau^2}{2} \right) \Big|_0^{t-1} = (t-1) - \frac{(t-1)^2}{2} = -\frac{t^2}{2} + 2t - \frac{3}{2} = -\frac{1}{2}(t-1)(t-3)$$

Region III. $3 \leq t < 7$ (full overlap)

$y(t) = 0$ (positive & negative pieces of $x(\tau)$ cancel out)

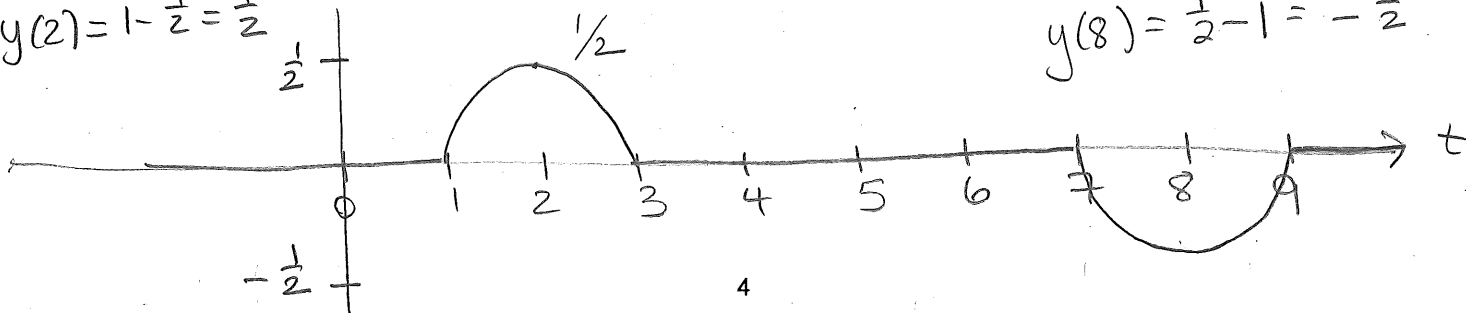
Region IV. $7 \leq t < 9$ (partial overlap)

$$y(t) = \int_{t-7}^2 (1-\tau) d\tau = \left(\tau - \frac{\tau^2}{2} \right) \Big|_{t-7}^2 = 2 - \frac{2^2}{2} - (t-7) + \frac{(t-7)^2}{2} = \frac{(t-7)^2}{2} - (t-7) = \frac{t^2}{2} - 8t + \frac{63}{2} = \frac{1}{2}(t-7)(t-9)$$

Region V. $t \geq 9$, $y(t) = 0$

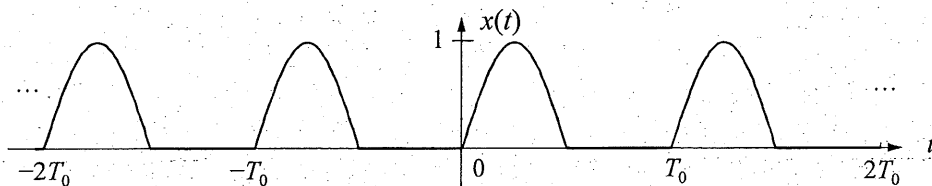
$$y(2) = 1 - \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$y(8) = \frac{1}{2} - 1 = -\frac{1}{2}$$



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(a) (5 pts) Determine which, if any, Fourier coefficients of $x_a(t)$ are zero. Hint: $e^{j\pi k} = (-1)^k = e^{-j\pi k}$

$$a_0 \neq 0$$

$$a_{\pm 1} \neq 0$$

$$a_{\text{even } k} = \frac{2}{2\pi(1 - k^2)} \neq 0$$

$$a_{\text{odd } k \neq \pm 1} = 0$$

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$$b_k = a_k e^{-j\frac{2\pi k}{T_0} \cdot \frac{T_0}{2}} = a_k e^{-j\pi k}$$

$$b_0 = a_0$$

$$b_1 = -a_1 = \frac{j}{4}$$

$$b_{-1} = -a_{-1} = -\frac{j}{4}$$

$$b_{\text{even } k} = a_{\text{even } k}$$

$$b_{\text{odd } k \neq \pm 1} = 0$$

$$\text{all } b_k = a_k$$

$$\text{except}$$

$$b_{\pm 1} = -a_{\pm 1}$$

(c) (5 pts) Now let $x_c(t) = x_a(t) - x_b(t)$. Find the Fourier coefficients c_k of $x_c(t)$. Be sure to simplify your answer as much as possible. Now which coefficients are non-zero? Why?

$$c_k = a_k - b_k \quad \text{All } c_k = 0 \text{ except } k = \pm 1$$

$$c_1 = -\frac{j}{4} - \frac{j}{4} = -\frac{j}{2}$$

$$c_{-1} = \frac{j}{4} + \frac{j}{4} = \frac{j}{2}$$

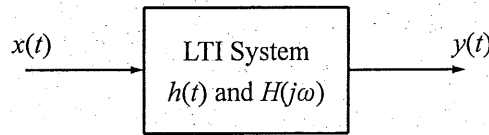
these are the only non-zero coefficients because $x_c(t) = \sin(\omega_0 t)$

$$x_c(t) = -\frac{j}{2} e^{j\omega_0 t} + \frac{j}{2} e^{-j\omega_0 t}$$

$$= \frac{e^{j\omega_0 t} - e^{-j\omega_0 t}}{2j} = \sin(\omega_0 t)$$

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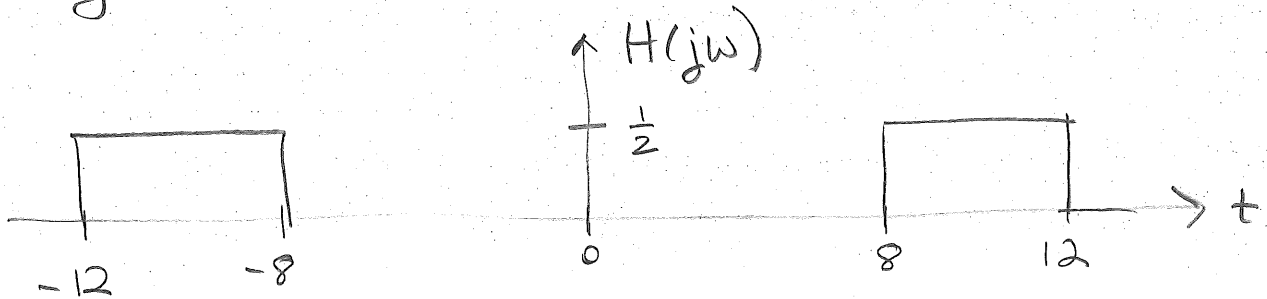
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$$h(t) = \tilde{h}(t) \cos(10t)$$

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{1}{2} \tilde{H}(\omega + 10) + \frac{1}{2} \tilde{H}(\omega - 10)$$

$$\tilde{H}(j\omega) = u(\omega + 2) - u(\omega - 2)$$

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{1}{2} [u(\omega + 12) - u(\omega + 8)] + \frac{1}{2} [u(\omega - 8) + u(\omega - 12)]$$



- (b) (10 pts) Find the output $y(t)$ for $x(t) = 5 \cos(t) + 10 \cos(9t + \pi/4) - 2\delta(t - 3)$.

$$y(t) = 5 \underbrace{|H(j1)|}_{0} \cos(t + \underbrace{\angle H(j1)}_{-2h(t-3)}) + 10 \underbrace{|H(j9)|}_{1/2} \cos(9t + \pi/4 + \underbrace{\angle H(j9)}_{0})$$

$$y(t) = 5 \cos(9t + \pi/4) - \frac{2 \sin(2(t-3))}{\pi(t-3)} \cos(10(t-3))$$