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**ECE 2026 — Spring 2023**  
**Quiz #3**

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Circle your recitation section:

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**PROB. Sp23-Q3.1.** An FIR filter is described by the difference equation:

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Match each input below to the value of  $\beta$  that results in a *zero* output ( $y[n] = 0$  for all  $n$ ).

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(A)  $x[n] = \sqrt{3}\cos(\pi(n - 1)/6 + \pi/3)$

$\beta = -4$

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$\beta = -\sqrt{12}$

(C)  $x[n] = \cos(0.75\pi(n - 1)) + \cos(1.25\pi(n + 1))$

$\beta = -\sqrt{8}$

(D)  $x[n] = \sqrt{3}\cos(17\pi(n - 1)/6 - \pi/3)$

$\beta = -2$

(E)  $x[n] = 2\sin^2(0.25\pi(n - 1) + \pi/3) - 1$

$\beta = 0$

(F)  $x[n] = \sqrt{12}(-1)^{n-4}$

$\beta = 2$

(G)  $x[n] = \sqrt{8}(je^{j\pi(n-1)/4} - je^{-j\pi(n-1)/4})$

$\beta = \sqrt{8}$

(H)  $x[n] = \sqrt{12}\cos(2\pi(n - 1)/3 + 5\pi/6)$

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(I)  $x[n] = 4\cos^2(0.25\pi n + \pi/5) + 4\sin^2(0.25\pi n + \pi/5)$

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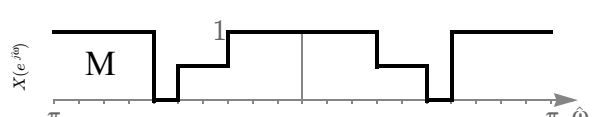
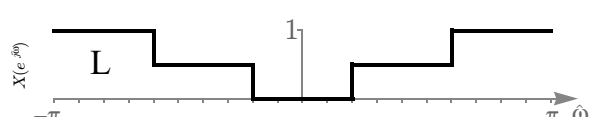
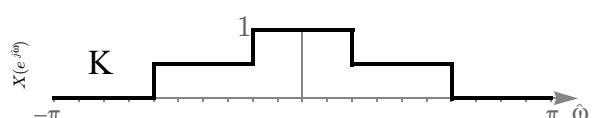
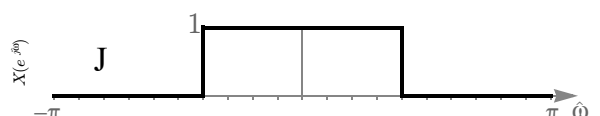
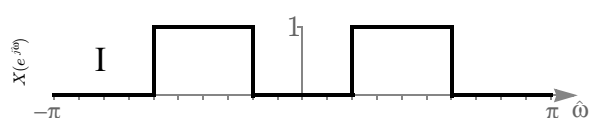
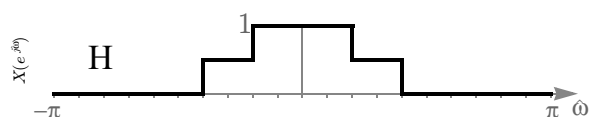
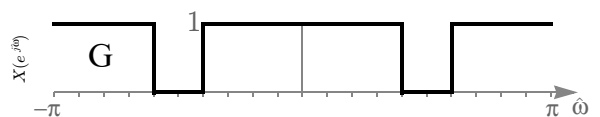
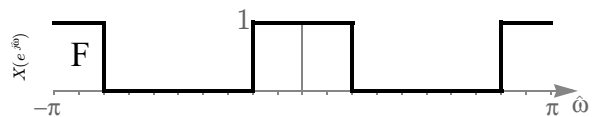
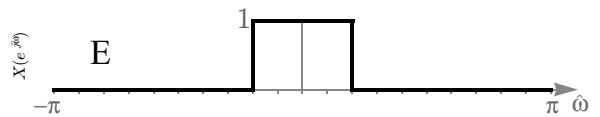
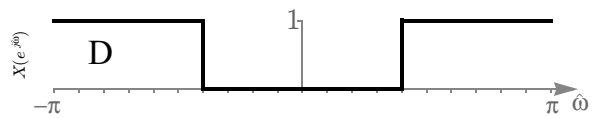
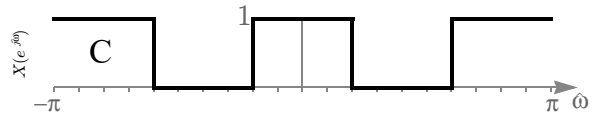
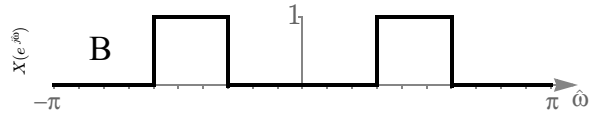
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$$\text{when } \beta = -4\cos(\hat{\omega}_0)$$

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(D) $x[n] = \sqrt{3}\cos(17\pi(n-1)/6 - \pi/3)$ $\hat{\omega}_0 = 5\pi/6$	B	$\beta = -2$	$\pi/3$
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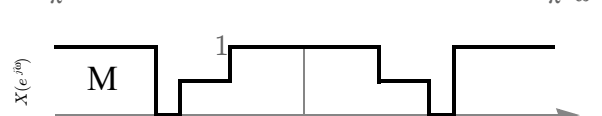
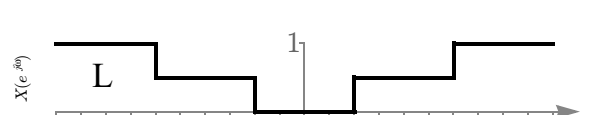
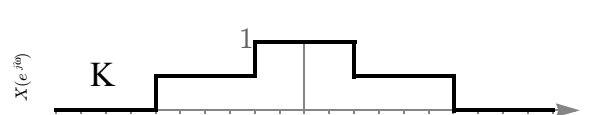
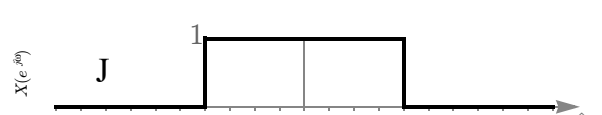
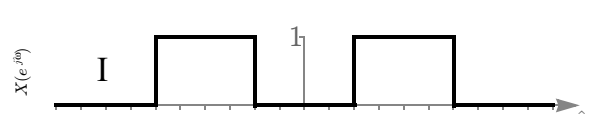
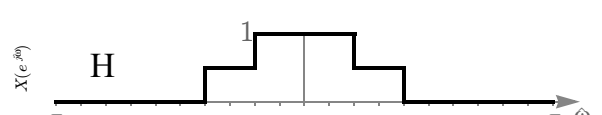
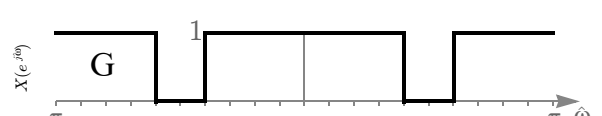
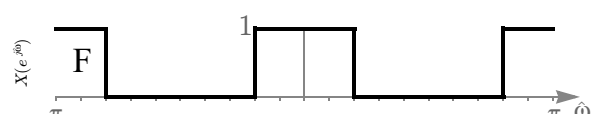
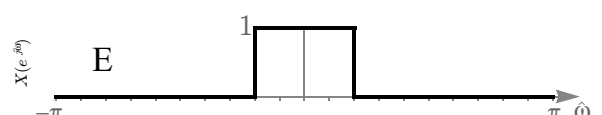
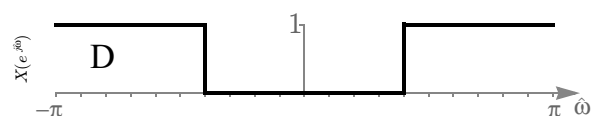
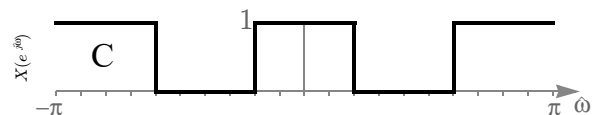
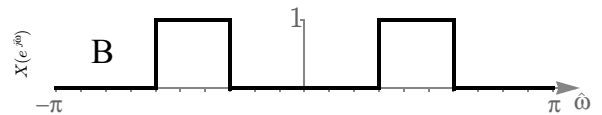
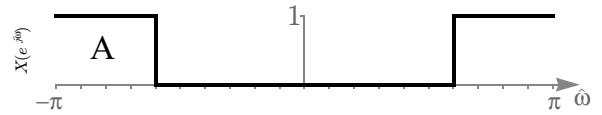
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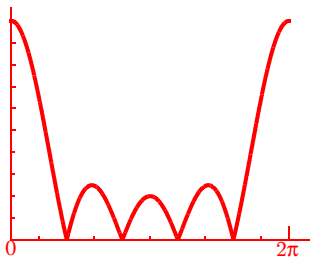
**PROB. Sp23-Q3.3.**

(a) The 2-point DFT of  $[x[0], x[1]] = [3, 4]$  is:

Sample  $3 + 4e^{-j\hat{\omega}}$  at:  $\hat{\omega} = 0 \Rightarrow X[0] = 7$   
 $\hat{\omega} = \pi \Rightarrow X[1] = -1$

$X[0]$	$X[1]$
7	-1

(b) Let  $X[k]$  be the  $k$ -th coefficient after taking the 1000-point DFT of  $[x[0], \dots, x[4]] = [1, 1, 1, 1, 1]$ . List *all* of the value(s) of  $k \in \{0, \dots, 999\}$ , if any, for which  $X[k] = 0$ :



$X[k] = 0$  when  $k \in \{ 200, 400, 600, 800 \}$

The DTFT  $e^{-2j\hat{\omega}} \frac{\sin(2.5\hat{\omega})}{\sin(0.5\hat{\omega})}$  is zero at 4 places, when  $\hat{\omega} \in \{0.4\pi, 0.8\pi, 1.2\pi, 1.6\pi\}$   
 $\Rightarrow$  After sampling at  $\hat{\omega} = k2\pi/1000$ , when  $k \in \{200, 400, 600, 800\}$

(c) If the 20-point DFT of  $[x[0], \dots, x[5]]$  satisfies  $X[k] = e^{-jk0.3\pi}(5 + 2\cos(0.2\pi k))$  for  $k \in \{0, \dots, 19\}$ , then:

$x[0]$	$x[1]$	$x[2]$	$x[3]$	$x[4]$	$x[5]$
0	1	0	5	0	1

Substitute  $\hat{\omega} = k2\pi/20 = k0.1\pi$

$$\Rightarrow X(e^{j\hat{\omega}}) = e^{-3j\hat{\omega}}(5 + 2\cos(2\hat{\omega})) = e^{-j\hat{\omega}} + 5e^{-3j\hat{\omega}} + e^{-5j\hat{\omega}}$$