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FINAL EXAM

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- Closed book, but one page ($8\frac{1}{2}'' \times 11''$) of HAND-WRITTEN notes (original only) permitted. OK to write on both sides. A calculator is permitted. **TEAR OFF LAST PAGE OF FOURIER TRANSFORM TABLES.**
- JUSTIFY your reasoning CLEARLY to receive any partial credit.
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- You must write your answer in the space provided on the exam paper itself.
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Problem spr-01-F.1:

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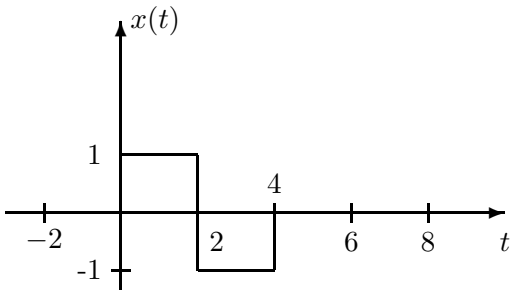

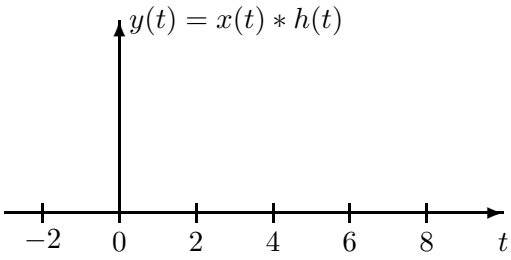

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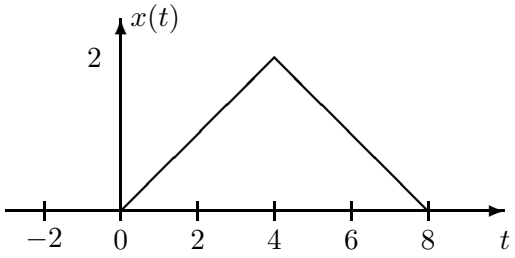

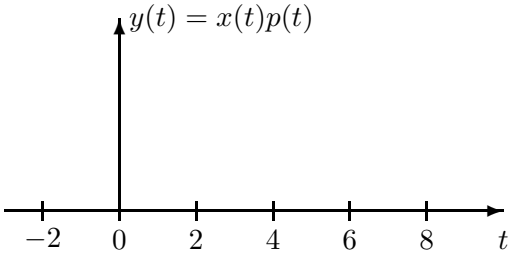

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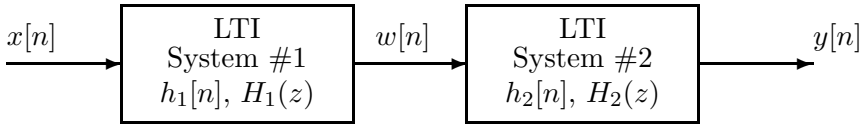


The systems are defined by the following:

$$H_1(z) = (1 + 2z^{-2}) \quad \text{and} \quad h_2[n] = (0.9)^{n-1}u[n-1].$$

(a) If the input to the first system is

$$x[n] = \delta[n] + \delta[n-1] - 2\delta[n-2],$$

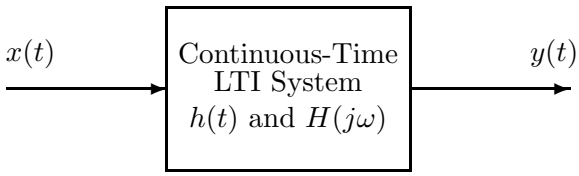
determine the output, $w[n]$, of the **first** system.

$w[n] =$

(b) Determine the system function $H(z)$ of the overall system.

$H(z) =$

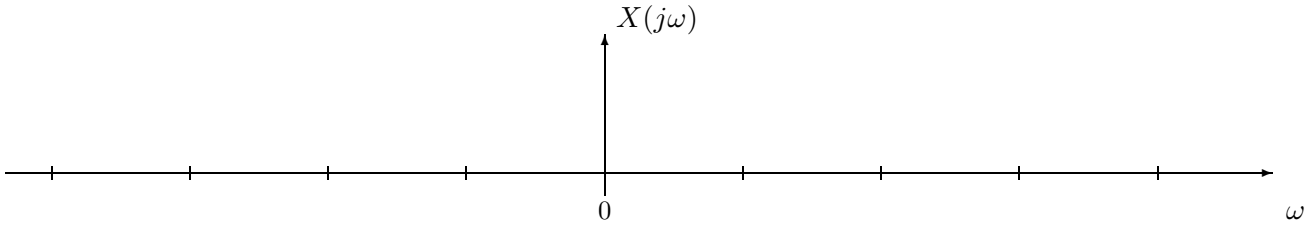
Problem spr-01-F.3:



The periodic input to the above system is defined by the equation:

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-4}^{4} a_k e^{j50\pi kt}, \quad \text{where} \quad a_k = \begin{cases} \dfrac{1}{\pi|k|} & k \neq 0 \\ 2 & k = 0 \end{cases}.$$

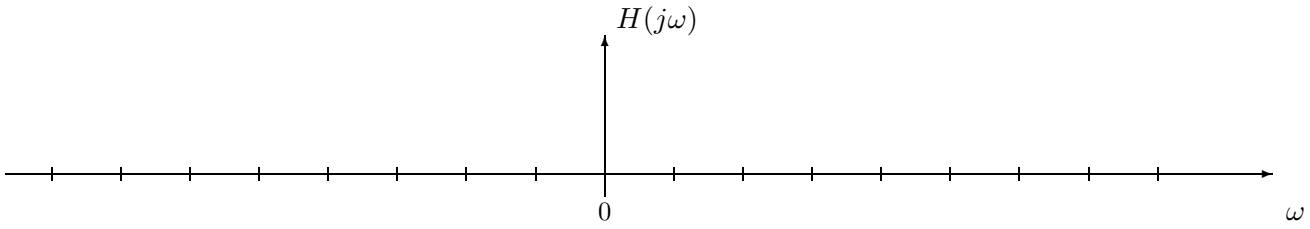
(a) Determine the Fourier transform of the periodic signal $x(t)$. Give a formula and then plot it on the graph below. Label your plot carefully to receive full credit.



(b) The frequency response of the LTI system is given by the following equation:

$$H(j\omega) = \begin{cases} 0 & |\omega| < 125\pi \\ 1 & |\omega| \geq 125\pi \end{cases}.$$

Plot this function on the graph below using the same frequency scale as the plot in part (a). *Note carefully what type of filter (i.e., lowpass, bandpass, highpass) this is.*

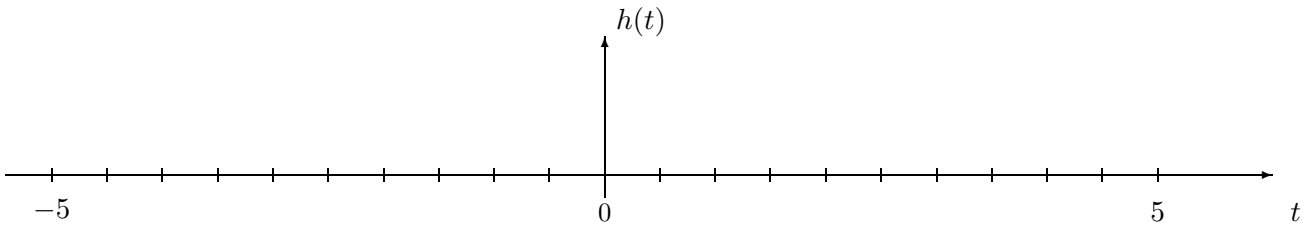


(c) Write an equation for $y(t)$. In order to get full credit you must simplify it to include only cosine functions.

Problem spr-01-F.4:
A linear time-invariant system has impulse response

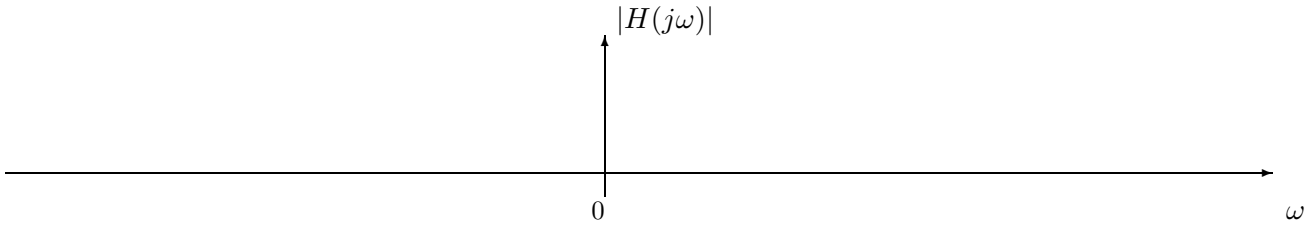
$$h(t) = 100\frac{\sin(0.5\pi(t-1))}{\pi(t-1)}.$$

(a) Sketch $h(t)$ very carefully on the graph below for the indicated range of values of t. Label the maximum value and the points where $h(t) = 0$.



(b) Determine the frequency response $H(j\omega)$ of this system.

(c) Then plot $|H(j\omega)|$ for this system on the graph below. Label your plot carefully to receive full credit.



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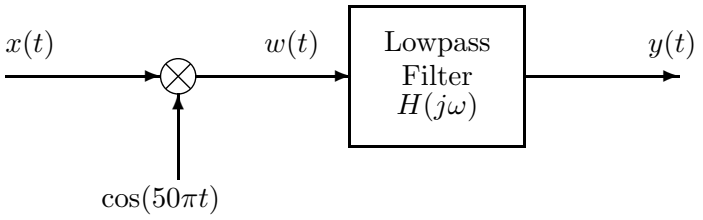


In the above modulation/filtering system, assume that the input signal $x(t)$ has a bandlimited Fourier transform, $X(j\omega)$, as depicted in Figure A below.

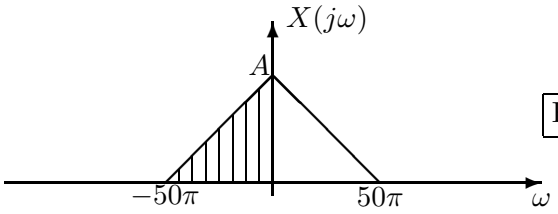
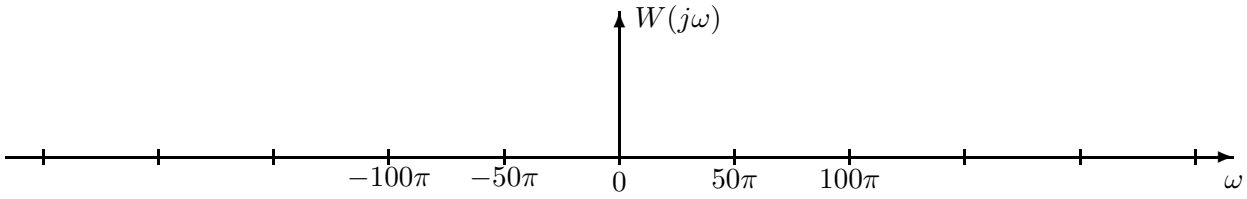


Figure A

(a) First give the general equation that expresses $W(j\omega)$, the Fourier transform of $w(t) = x(t)\cos(50\pi t)$, in terms of $X(j\omega)$.

$W(j\omega) =$ _____

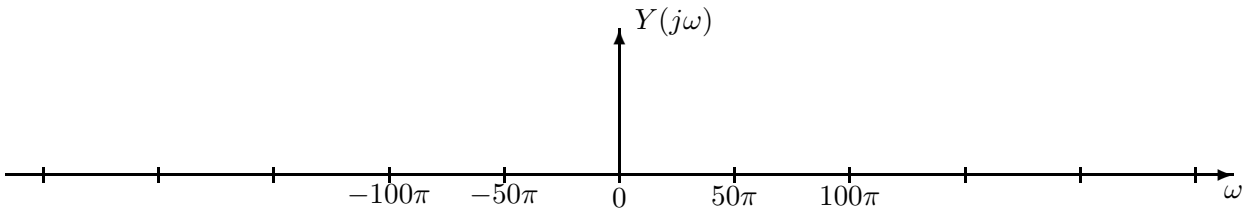
(b) Now **carefully** plot the Fourier transform $W(j\omega)$ for the specific input $x(t)$ whose Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$ is given above in Figure A. *Note that the negative frequency portion of the Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$ is shaded. Mark the corresponding region or regions in your plot of $W(j\omega)$, and be sure to carefully label both amplitudes and frequencies.*



(c) The frequency response of the lowpass filter is

$$H(j\omega) = \begin{cases} 2 & |\omega| \leq 50\pi \\ 0 & |\omega| > 50\pi \end{cases}$$

Plot the Fourier transform $Y(j\omega)$ below for the $X(j\omega)$ given in Figure F.5 above. *Be sure to carefully label both amplitudes and frequencies and be sure to shade the region corresponding to the negative frequencies of the input.*



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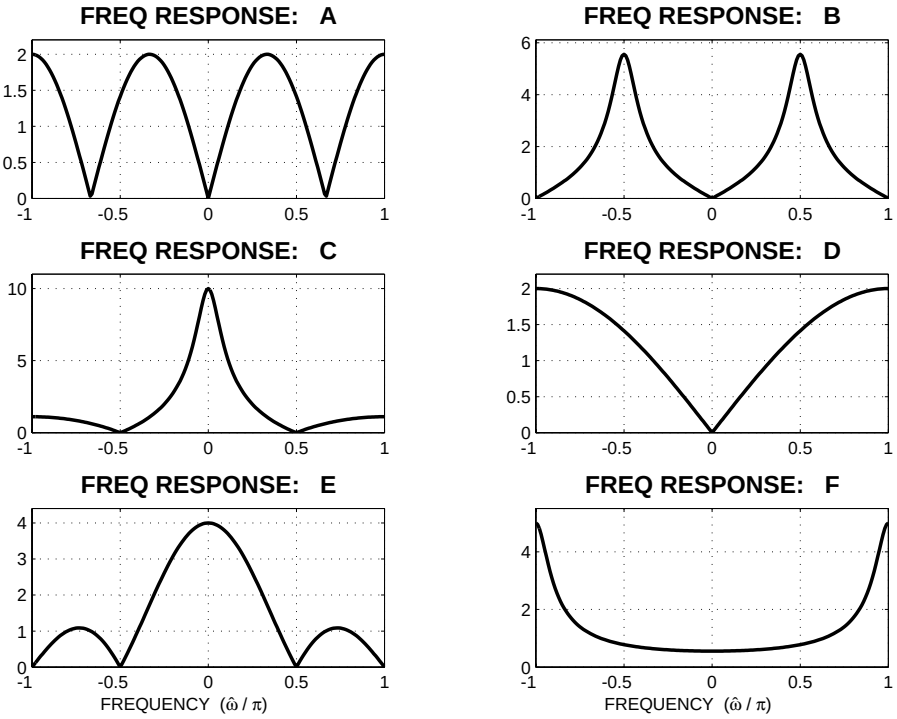


For each of the frequency response plots (A, B, C, D, E, F), determine which one of the following systems (specified by either an $H(z)$, a difference equation, or a MATLAB statement) matches the frequency response (magnitude only). *There is only ONE correct match per graph.* NOTE: The discrete-time frequency axis is **normalized**; it is $\hat{\omega}/\pi$.

$\mathcal{S}_1$: $y[n] = -0.8y[n-1] + x[n]$

$\mathcal{S}_2$: `H=freqz([1,0,1],[1,0,0.64],omega)`

$\mathcal{S}_3$: $H(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{3} z^{-k}$

$\mathcal{S}_4$: $H(z) = \dfrac{1+z^{-2}}{1-0.8z^{-1}}$

$\mathcal{S}_5$: $H(z) = 1 + 0.64z^{-2}$

$\mathcal{S}_6$: $H(z) = \dfrac{1-z^{-2}}{1+0.64z^{-2}}$

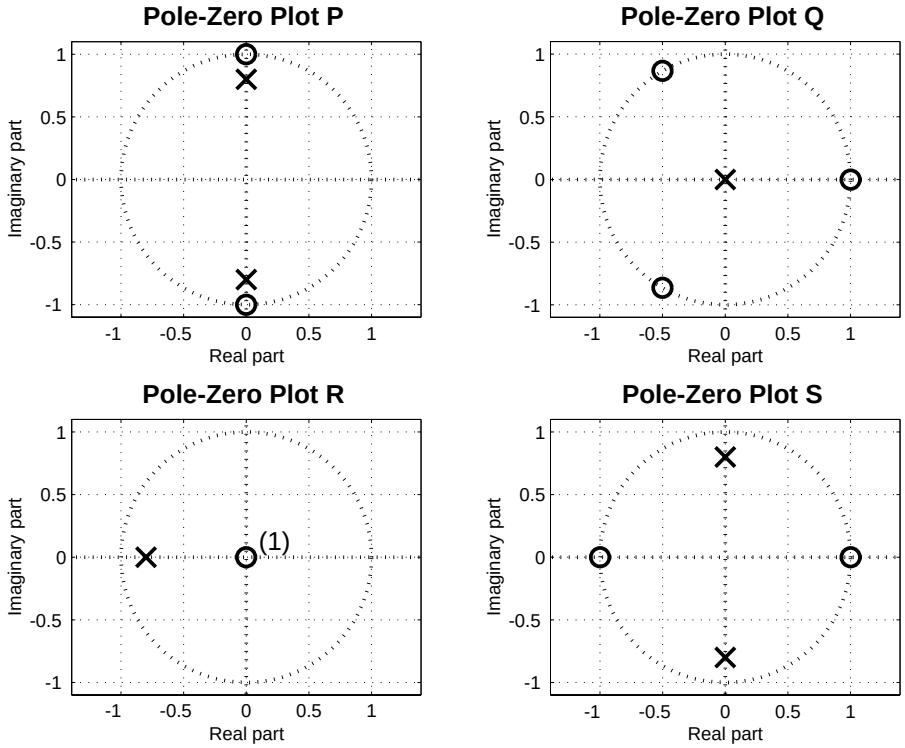
$\mathcal{S}_7$: $y[n] = x[n] - x[n-1]$

$\mathcal{S}_8$: $H(z) = 1 - z^{-3}$

Mark your answer in the following table:

FREQUENCY RESPONSE	SYSTEM ($\mathcal{S}_\#$)	FREQUENCY RESPONSE	SYSTEM ($\mathcal{S}_\#$)
A		B	
C		D	
E		F	

Problem spr-01-F.7:



For each of the pole-zero plots (P, Q, R, S), determine which one of the following systems (specified by either an impulse response $h[n]$, a difference equation, or a MATLAB statement) matches the pole-zero plot. *There is only ONE correct match per plot.*

$\mathcal{S}_1$: $h[n] = \delta[n] + 0.8\delta[n-1]$

$\mathcal{S}_2$: $h[n] = (-0.8)^n u[n]$

$\mathcal{S}_3$: $y[n] = -0.64y[n-2] + x[n] + x[n-2]$

$\mathcal{S}_4$: $y[n] = x[n] - x[n-3]$

$\mathcal{S}_5$: y=filter([1,1,1,1],1,x)

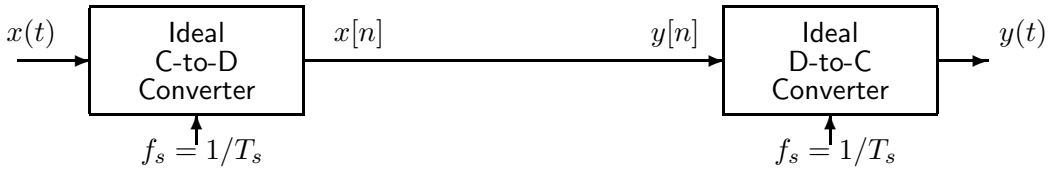
$\mathcal{S}_6$: $y[n] = -0.64y[n-2] + x[n] - x[n-2]$

$\mathcal{S}_7$: $h[n] = (-0.8)^n u[n] - (0.8)^n u[n]$

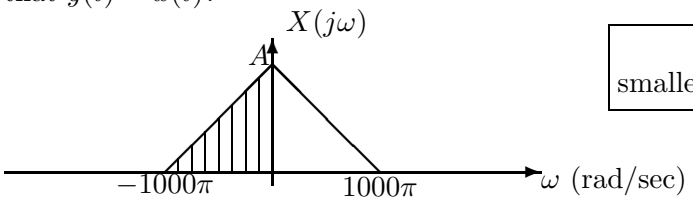
Mark your answer in the following table:

POLE-ZERO PLOT	SYSTEM ($\mathcal{S}_\#$)	POLE-ZERO PLOT	SYSTEM ($\mathcal{S}_\#$)
P		Q	
R		S	

Problem spr-01-F.8:
Consider the following system for sampling and reconstruction of a continuous-time signal:



(a) Assume that the input signal $x(t)$ has a bandlimited Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$ as depicted below. For this input signal, what is the *smallest* value of the sampling frequency f_s such that $y(t) = x(t)$?

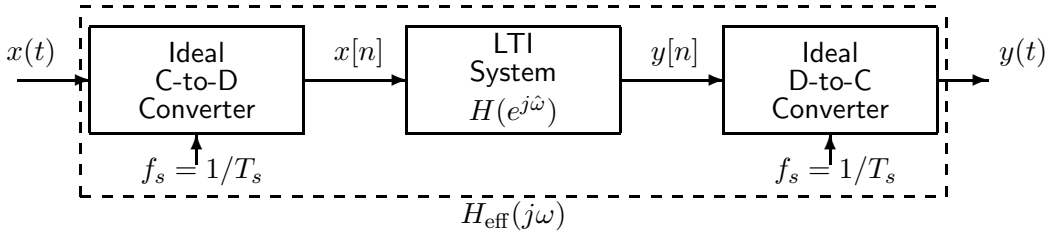


smallest $f_s =$ _____ samples/sec

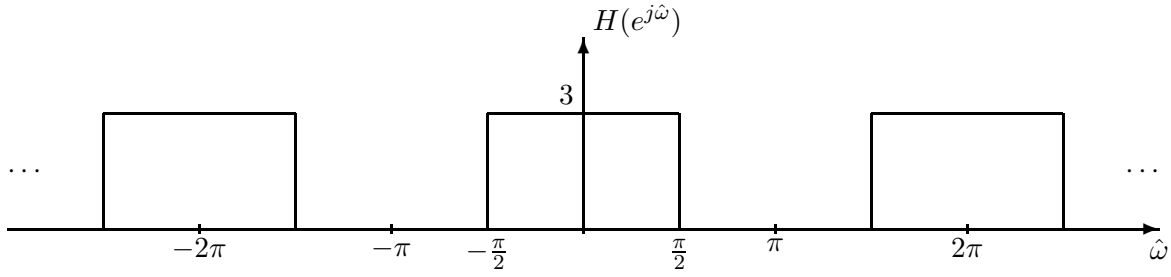
(b) In this part, the input signal is $x(t) = 20 + 20\cos(1000\pi t + \pi/5)$. If the sampling rate is $f_s = 800$ samples/sec, what is the corresponding output $y(t)$?

$y(t) =$

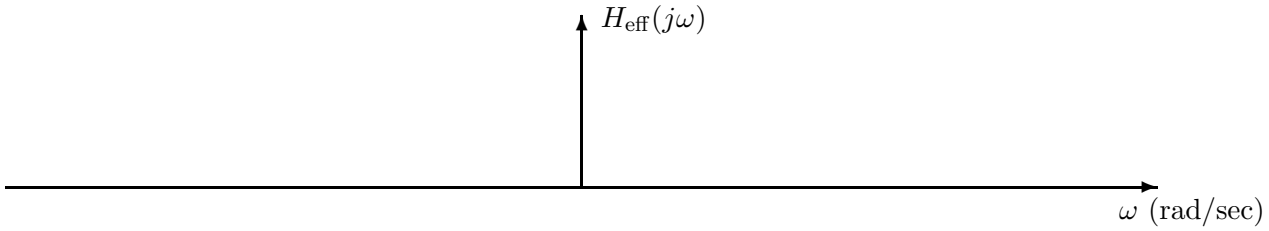
Problem spr-01-F.9:
Consider the following system for discrete-time filtering of a continuous-time signal:



(a) Assume that the discrete-time system has frequency response $H(e^{j\hat{\omega}})$ defined by the following plot of $H(e^{j\hat{\omega}})$ versus normalized frequency $\hat{\omega}$:



If $\boxed{f_s = 400 \text{ samples/sec}}$, make a carefully labeled plot below of $H_{\text{eff}}(j\omega)$, the effective frequency response of the overall system, versus frequency in rads/sec.



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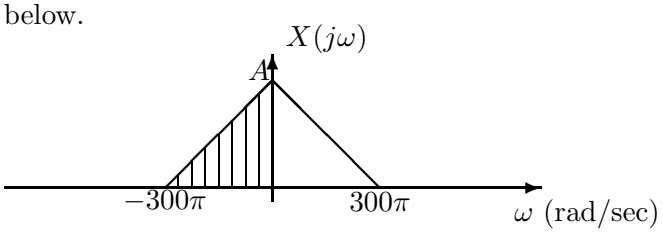

For the system in part (a), what is the smallest sampling rate such that the input signal passes through the lowpass filter unaltered; i.e., what is the minimum f_s such that $Y(j\omega) = X(j\omega)$?

smallest $f_s =$ _____ samples/sec

Table of Fourier Transform Pairs		
Signal Name	*Time-Domain:* $x(t)$	*Frequency-Domain:* $X(j\omega)$
Right-sided exponential	$e^{-at}u(t) \quad (a > 0)$	$\frac{1}{a+j\omega}$
Left-sided exponential	$e^{bt}u(-t) \quad (b > 0)$	$\frac{1}{b-j\omega}$
Square pulse	$[u(t+T/2) - u(t-T/2)]$	$\frac{\sin(\omega T/2)}{\omega/2}$
"sinc" function	$\frac{\sin(\omega_0 t)}{\pi t}$	$[u(\omega+\omega_0) - u(\omega-\omega_0)]$
Impulse	$\delta(t)$	1
Shifted impulse	$\delta(t-t_0)$	$e^{-j\omega t_0}$
Complex exponential	$e^{j\omega_0 t}$	$2\pi\delta(\omega-\omega_0)$
General cosine	$A\cos(\omega_0 t + \phi)$	$\pi A e^{j\phi}\delta(\omega-\omega_0) + \pi A e^{-j\phi}\delta(\omega+\omega_0)$
Cosine	$\cos(\omega_0 t)$	$\pi\delta(\omega-\omega_0) + \pi\delta(\omega+\omega_0)$
Sine	$\sin(\omega_0 t)$	$-j\pi\delta(\omega-\omega_0) + j\pi\delta(\omega+\omega_0)$
General periodic signal	$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t}$	$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} 2\pi a_k \delta(\omega - k\omega_0)$

Table of Fourier Transform Properties		
Property Name	*Time-Domain* $x(t)$	*Frequency-Domain* $X(j\omega)$
Linearity	$ax_1(t) + bx_2(t)$	$aX_1(j\omega) + bX_2(j\omega)$
Conjugation	$x^*(t)$	$X^*(-j\omega)$
Time-Reversal	$x(-t)$	$X(-j\omega)$
Scaling	$x(at)$	$\frac{1}{\lvert a\rvert}X(j(\omega/a))$
Delay	$x(t-t_d)$	$e^{-j\omega t_d}X(j\omega)$
Modulation	$x(t)e^{j\omega_0 t}$	$X(j(\omega-\omega_0))$
Modulation	$x(t)\cos(\omega_0 t)$	$\frac{1}{2}X(j(\omega-\omega_0)) + \frac{1}{2}X(j(\omega+\omega_0))$
Differentiation	$\frac{dx^k(t)}{dt^k}$	$(j\omega)^k X(j\omega)$
Convolution	$x(t) * h(t)$	$X(j\omega)H(j\omega)$
Multiplication	$x(t)p(t)$	$\frac{1}{2\pi}X(j\omega) * P(j\omega)$

Table of z-Transform Pairs		
Signal Name	*Time-Domain:* $x[n]$	z*-Domain:* $X(z)$
Impulse	$\delta[n]$	1
Shifted impulse	$\delta[n-n_0]$	z^{-n_0}
Right-sided exponential	$a^n u[n]$	$\dfrac{1}{1-az^{-1}}$
General cosine	$r^n \cos(\hat{\omega}_0 n)$	$\dfrac{1-r\cos(\hat{\omega}_0)z^{-1}}{1-2r\cos(\hat{\omega}_0)z^{-1}+r^2z^{-2}}$

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Property Name	*Time-Domain* $x[n]$	z*-Domain* $X(z)$
Linearity	$ax_1[n]+bx_2[n]$	$aX_1(z)+bX_2(z)$
Delay	$x[n-n_d]$	$z^{-n_d}X(z)$
Convolution	$x[n]*h[n]$	$X(z)H(z)$

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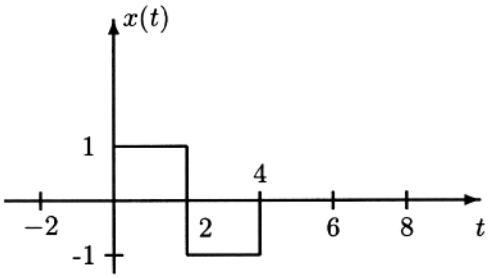
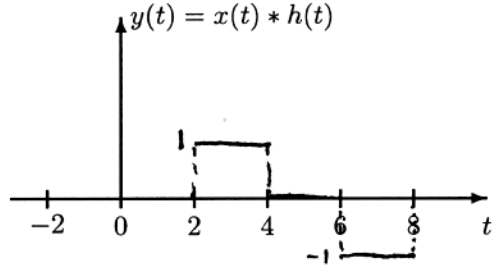
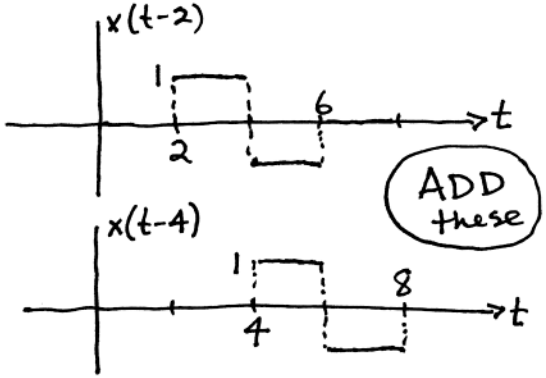


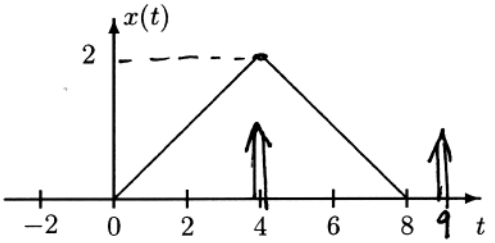


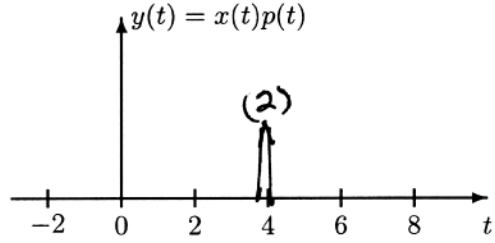


$y(t) = x(t-2) + x(t-4)$

$$y(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & 2 \le t \le 4 \\ -1 & 6 \le t \le 8 \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

(b) Determine the simplest form for $w(t) = x(t)p(t)$ when $p(t) = \delta(t-4) + \delta(t-9)$ and plot $w(t)$ on the graph on the right. *First write the simplified equation for $w(t)$ in the space below the graph. Then plot $w(t)$.*





$$w(t) = x(t)\left[\delta(t-4) + \delta(t-9)\right]$$
$$= x(4)\delta(t-4) + x(9)\delta(t-9)$$
$$= 2\delta(t-4) + 0$$

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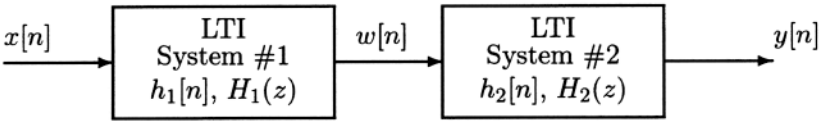


The systems are defined by the following:

$$H_1(z) = (1 + 2z^{-2}) \quad \text{and} \quad h_2[n] = (0.9)^{n-1}u[n-1].$$

(a) If the input to the first system is

$$x[n] = \delta[n] + \delta[n-1] - 2\delta[n-2],$$

determine the output, $w[n]$, of the **first** system.

$X(z) = 1 + z^{-1} - 2z^{-2}$

$W(z) = H_1(z)X(z) = (1+2z^{-2})(1+z^{-1}-2z^{-2})$

$= 1 + z^{-1} + 0z^{-2} + 2z^{-3} - 4z^{-4}$

$w[n] = \delta[n] + \delta[n-1] + 2\delta[n-3] - 4\delta[n-4]$

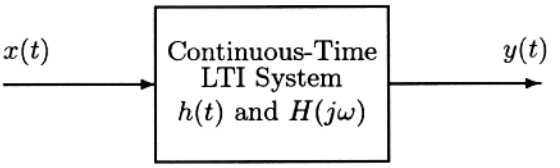
(b) Determine the system function $H(z)$ of the overall system.

$H(z) = H_1(z)H_2(z) = (1+2z^{-2})\left(\frac{z^{-1}}{1-0.9z^{-1}}\right)$

$H_2(z) = z^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{1-0.9z^{-1}}\right)$

$$H(z) = \frac{z^{-1} + 2z^{-3}}{1 - 0.9z^{-1}}$$

Problem spr-01-F.3:



The periodic input to the above system is defined by the equation:

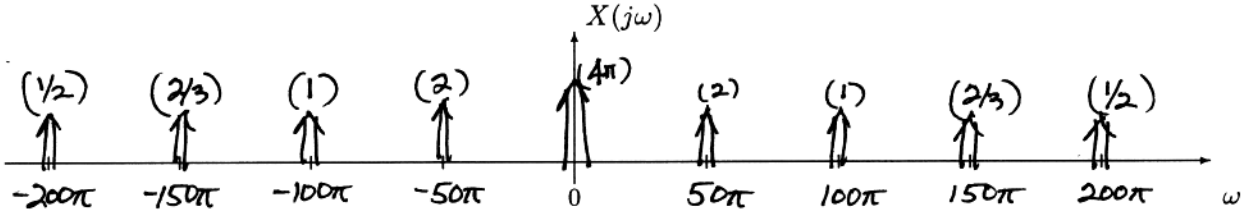
$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-4}^{4} a_k e^{j50\pi kt}, \quad \text{where} \quad a_k = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\pi|k|} & k \neq 0 \\ 2 & k = 0 \end{cases}$$

$a_1 = 1/\pi$
$a_2 = 1/2\pi$
$a_3 = 1/3\pi$
$a_4 = 1/4\pi$

(a) Determine the Fourier transform of the periodic signal $x(t)$. Give a formula and then plot it on the graph below. Label your plot carefully to receive full credit.

$\omega_0 = 50\pi$ rad/s

$$X(j\omega) = \sum_{k=-4}^{4} 2\pi a_k \delta(\omega - 50\pi k)$$

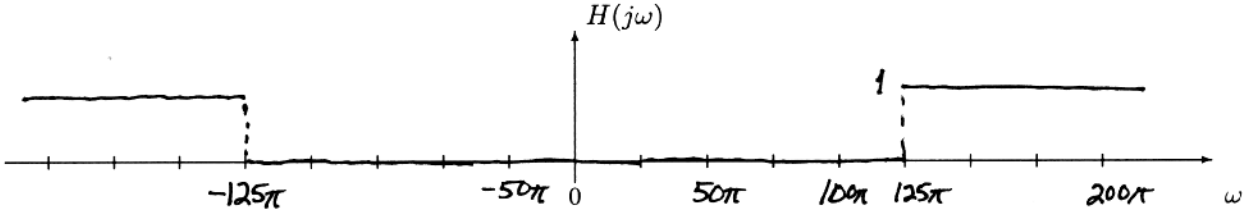


(b) The frequency response of the LTI system is given by the following equation:

$$H(j\omega) = \begin{cases} 0 & |\omega| < 125\pi \\ 1 & |\omega| \geq 125\pi \end{cases}$$

Highpass

Plot this function on the graph below using the same frequency scale as the plot in part (a). *Note carefully what type of filter (i.e., lowpass, bandpass, highpass) this is.*



(c) Write an equation for $y(t)$. In order to get full credit you must simplify it to include only cosine functions.

$$Y(j\omega) = H(j\omega)X(j\omega) = \frac{2}{3}\delta(\omega - 150\pi) + \frac{2}{3}\delta(\omega + 150\pi) + \frac{1}{2}\delta(\omega - 200\pi) + \frac{1}{2}\delta(\omega + 200\pi)$$

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{3\pi}e^{j150\pi t} + \frac{1}{3\pi}e^{-j150\pi t} + \frac{1}{4\pi}e^{j200\pi t} + \frac{1}{4\pi}e^{-j200\pi t}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3\pi}\cos(150\pi t) + \frac{1}{2\pi}\cos(200\pi t)$$

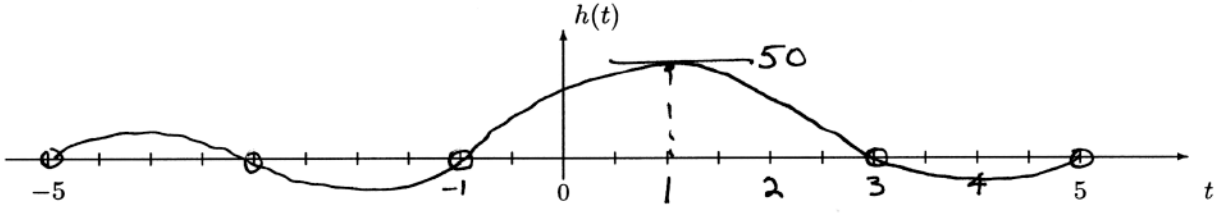
Problem spr-01-F.4:
A linear time-invariant system has impulse response

$$h(t) = 100\frac{\sin(0.5\pi(t-1))}{\pi(t-1)}.$$

(a) Sketch $h(t)$ very carefully on the graph below for the indicated range of values of t. Label the maximum value and the points where $h(t) = 0$.

At $t=1$ $h(1) = 100\frac{0.5\pi}{\pi} = 50$

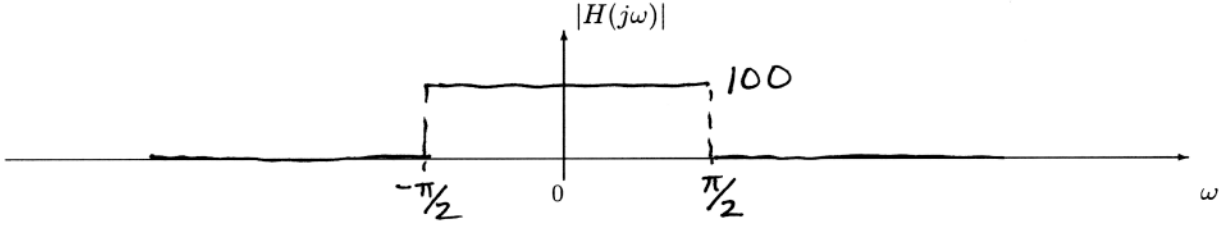
Zeros spaced by:
$0.5\pi t = \pi k \Rightarrow t = 2k$



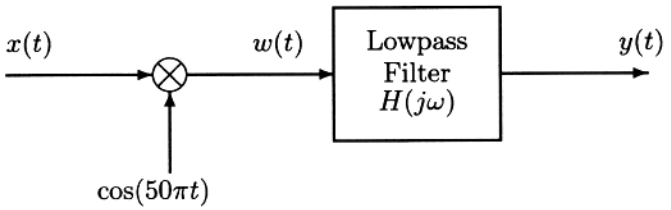
(b) Determine the frequency response $H(j\omega)$ of this system.

$$H(j\omega) = 100e^{-j\omega}\left[u(\omega+0.5\pi) - u(\omega-0.5\pi)\right].$$

(c) Then plot $|H(j\omega)|$ for this system on the graph below. Label your plot carefully to receive full credit.



Problem spr-01-F.5:



In the above modulation/filtering system, assume that the input signal $x(t)$ has a bandlimited Fourier transform, $X(j\omega)$, as depicted in Figure A below.

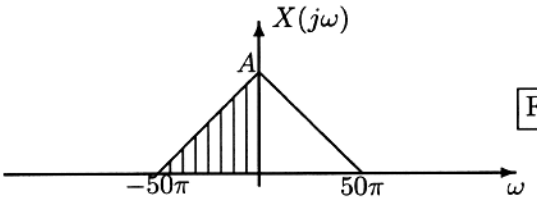
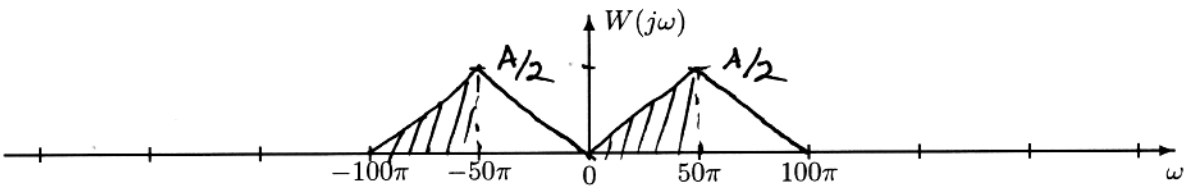


Figure A

(a) First give the general equation that expresses $W(j\omega)$, the Fourier transform of $w(t) = x(t)\cos(50\pi t)$, in terms of $X(j\omega)$.

$W(j\omega) =$ $\frac{1}{2}X(j(\omega-50\pi)) + \frac{1}{2}X(j(\omega+50\pi))$

(b) Now **carefully** plot the Fourier transform $W(j\omega)$ for the specific input $x(t)$ whose Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$ is given above in Figure A. *Note that the negative frequency portion of the Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$ is shaded. Mark the corresponding region or regions in your plot of $W(j\omega)$, and be sure to carefully label both amplitudes and frequencies.*

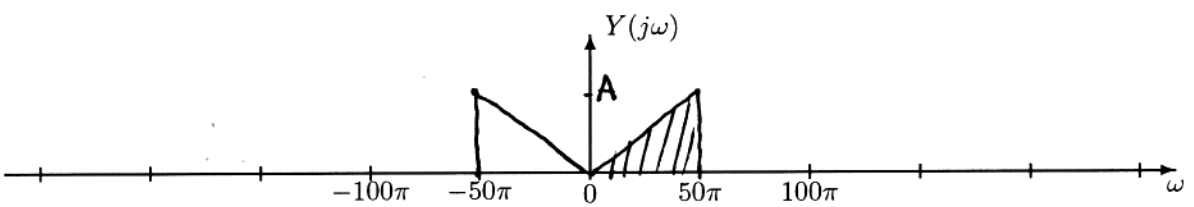


(c) The frequency response of the lowpass filter is

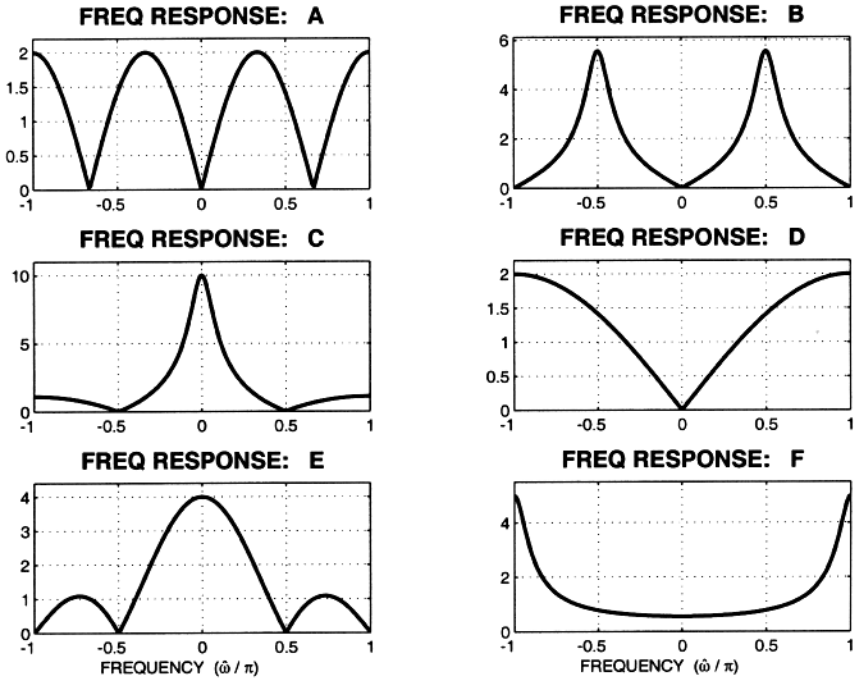
$$H(j\omega) = \begin{cases} 2 & |\omega| \le 50\pi \\ 0 & |\omega| > 50\pi \end{cases}$$

Lowpass

Plot the Fourier transform $Y(j\omega)$ below for the $X(j\omega)$ given in Figure F.5 above. *Be sure to carefully label both amplitudes and frequencies and be sure to shade the region corresponding to the negative frequencies of the input.*



Problem spr-01-F.6:



For each of the frequency response plots (A, B, C, D, E, F), determine which one of the following systems (specified by either an $H(z)$, a difference equation, or a MATLAB statement) matches the frequency response (magnitude only). *There is only ONE correct match per graph.* NOTE: The discrete-time frequency axis is **normalized**; it is $\hat{\omega}/\pi$.

$\mathcal{S}_1$: $y[n] = -0.8y[n-1] + x[n]$

$\mathcal{S}_2$: `H=freqz([1,0,1],[1,0,0.64],omega)`

$\mathcal{S}_3$: $H(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{3} z^{-k}$

$\mathcal{S}_4$: $H(z) = \dfrac{1+z^{-2}}{1-0.8z^{-1}}$

$\mathcal{S}_5$: $H(z) = 1 + 0.64z^{-2}$

$\mathcal{S}_6$: $H(z) = \dfrac{1-z^{-2}}{1+0.64z^{-2}}$

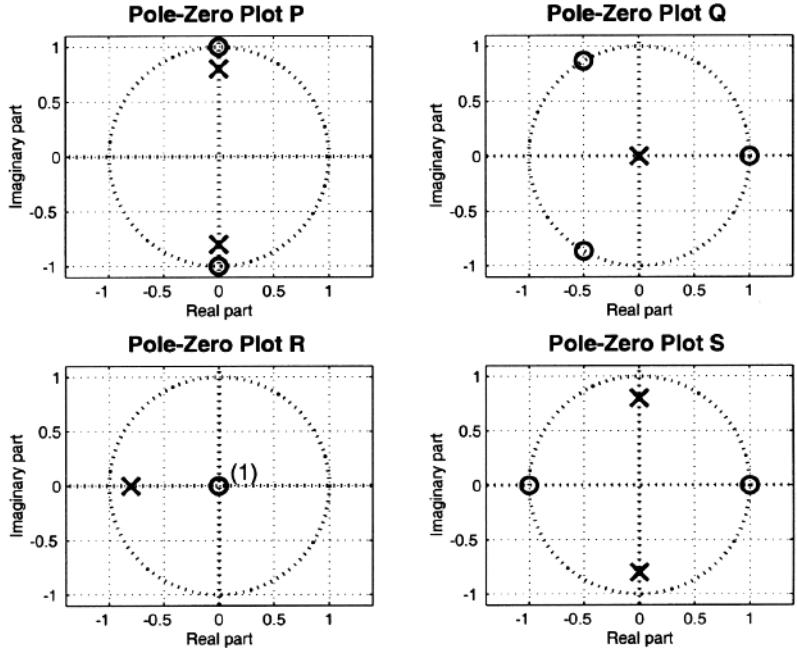
$\mathcal{S}_7$: $y[n] = x[n] - x[n-1]$

$\mathcal{S}_8$: $H(z) = 1 - z^{-3}$

Mark your answer in the following table:

FREQUENCY RESPONSE	SYSTEM ($\mathcal{S}_\#$)	FREQUENCY RESPONSE	SYSTEM ($\mathcal{S}_\#$)
A	$\mathcal{S}_8$ 8	B	$\mathcal{S}_6$ 6
C	$\mathcal{S}_4$ 4	D	$\mathcal{S}_7$ 7
E	$\mathcal{S}_3$ 3	F	$\mathcal{S}_1$ 1

Problem spr-01-F.7:



For each of the pole-zero plots (P, Q, R, S), determine which one of the following systems (specified by either an impulse response $h[n]$, a difference equation, or a MATLAB statement) matches the pole-zero plot. *There is only ONE correct match per plot.*

$\mathcal{S}_1$: $h[n] = \delta[n] + 0.8\delta[n-1]$

$\mathcal{S}_2$: $h[n] = (-0.8)^n u[n]$

$\mathcal{S}_3$: $y[n] = -0.64y[n-2] + x[n] + x[n-2]$

$\mathcal{S}_4$: $y[n] = x[n] - x[n-3]$

$\mathcal{S}_5$: y=filter([1,1,1,1],1,x)

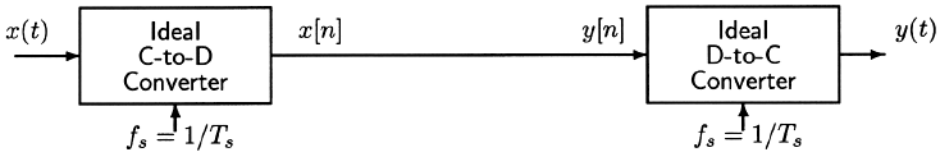
$\mathcal{S}_6$: $y[n] = -0.64y[n-2] + x[n] - x[n-2]$

$\mathcal{S}_7$: $h[n] = (-0.8)^n u[n] - (0.8)^n u[n]$

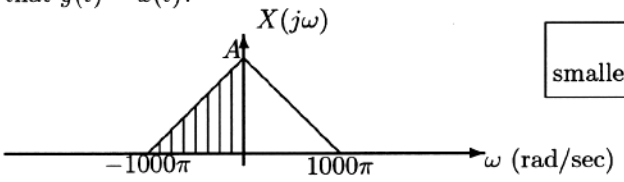
Mark your answer in the following table:

POLE-ZERO PLOT	SYSTEM ($\mathcal{S}_\#$)	POLE-ZERO PLOT	SYSTEM ($\mathcal{S}_\#$)
P	$\mathcal{S}_3$ 3	Q	$\mathcal{S}_4$ 4
R	$\mathcal{S}_2$ 2	S	$\mathcal{S}_6$ 6

Problem spr-01-F.8:
Consider the following system for sampling and reconstruction of a continuous-time signal:



(a) Assume that the input signal $x(t)$ has a bandlimited Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$ as depicted below. For this input signal, what is the *smallest* value of the sampling frequency f_s such that $y(t) = x(t)$?



smallest $f_s =$ 1000 samples/sec

$f_s \geq 2f_{MAX} = 2\left(\frac{1000\pi}{2\pi}\right)$

$= 1000$ Hz

(b) In this part, the input signal is $x(t) = 20 + 20\cos(1000\pi t + \pi/5)$. If the sampling rate is $f_s = 800$ samples/sec, what is the corresponding output $y(t)$?

$x[n] = 20 + 20\cos\left(1000\pi\frac{n}{800} + \pi/5\right)$

$= 20 + 20\cos(1.25\pi n + \pi/5)$

$= 20 + 20\cos(-0.75\pi n + \pi/5)$

$= 20 + 20\cos(0.75\pi n - \pi/5)$

Convert back to ω in rad/s

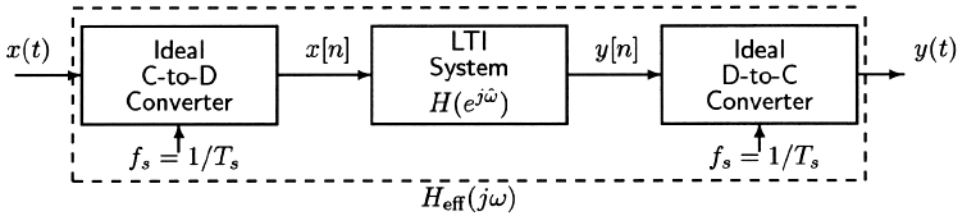
$\omega = 0.75\pi f_s$

$= 600\pi$ rad/s

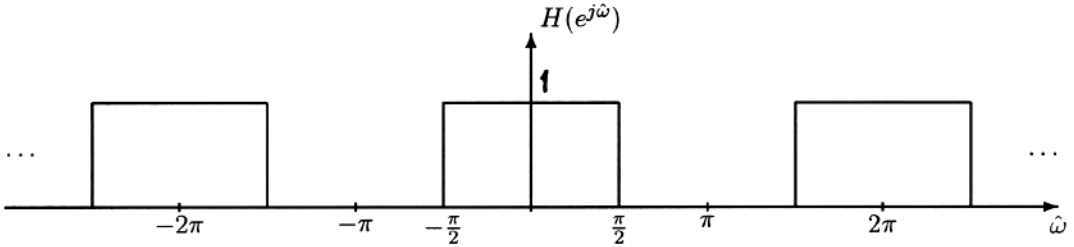
$y(t) = 20 + 20\cos(600\pi t - \pi/5)$

Problem spr-01-F.9:

Consider the following system for discrete-time filtering of a continuous-time signal:



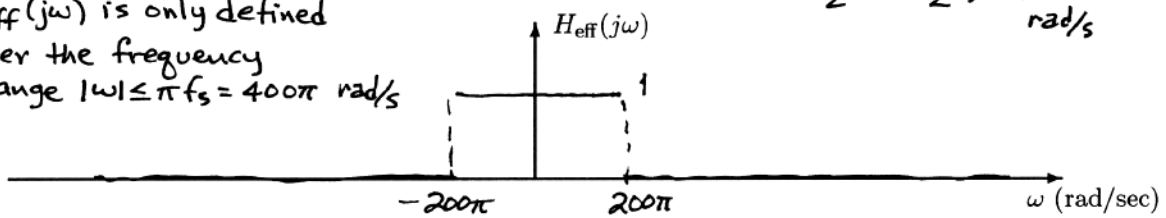
(a) Assume that the discrete-time system has frequency response $H(e^{j\hat{\omega}})$ defined by the following plot of $H(e^{j\hat{\omega}})$ versus normalized frequency $\hat{\omega}$:



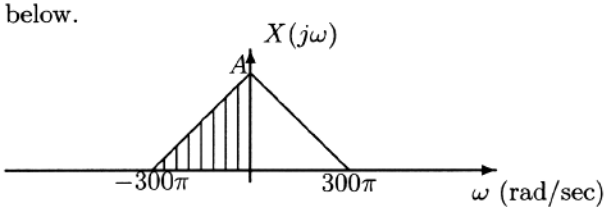
If $\boxed{f_s = 400 \text{ samples/sec}}$, make a carefully labeled plot below of $H_{\text{eff}}(j\omega)$, the effective frequency response of the overall system, versus frequency in rads/sec.

$\frac{\pi}{2} \rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2} f_s = 200\pi$ rad/s

$H_{\text{eff}}(j\omega)$ is only defined over the frequency range $|\omega| \le \pi f_s = 400\pi$ rad/s



(b) Assume that the input signal $x(t)$ has a bandlimited Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$ as depicted below.



$\omega = 300\pi$ rad/s maps to $\hat{\omega} = 300\pi/f_s$

Need $\frac{300\pi}{f_s} \le \pi/2$

$f_s \ge 600$ Hz

For the system in part (a), what is the smallest sampling rate such that the input signal passes through the lowpass filter unaltered; i.e., what is the minimum f_s such that $Y(j\omega) = X(j\omega)$?

$\boxed{\text{smallest } f_s = \underline{\quad 600 \quad} \text{ samples/sec}}$