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Exam #1

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**Prob. 1**

For the following problems, determine if  $x(t)$  or  $x[n]$  is periodic. Check the appropriate box and fill in other information as required. Determine the energy or power as directed.

(a) Let  $x[n] = -15.7 \cos(2n/3)$ . Is  $x[n]$  periodic?

Yes, it is periodic and the period,  $N = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$  .

No, it is not periodic.

Compute the total energy,  $E$  over the time interval  $0 \leq n \leq 2$  and average power,  $P$  over the time interval  $0 \leq n \leq 2$ .

(b) Let  $x(t) = \begin{cases} t, & -1 \leq t \leq 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$  . Is  $x(t)$  periodic?

Yes, it is periodic and the period,  $T = \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$  .

No, it is not periodic.

Compute the total energy over the infinite time interval,  $E_\infty$  and average power over the infinite time interval,  $P_\infty$ .

**Prob. 2**

For each of the following systems, check  the box if the system property is true and leave the box blank  if the system property is false.

You do *not* need to provide a proof or argument to support your choice.

(a) Let  $y(t) = x(t - 3.1) + 2.0$ .

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(b) Let  $y[n] = (-1)^n x[n]$ .

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**Prob. 2 (cont.)**

(c) Let  $y[n] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x[n+k]$ .

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(d) Let the system be described by its impulse response,  $h[n] = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u[-n]$ .

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(e) Let the system be described by its impulse response,  $h(t) = e^t u(-t-1) + e^{-t} u(t-1)$ .

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**Prob. 3**

Consider the DT system

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

(a) Determine the output signal,  $y[n]$  given the input signal,  $x[n] = u[n] - u[n - 5]$  for  $-3 \leq n \leq 8$  and fill in the table below.

$n$	$y[n]$
-3	
-2	
-1	
0	
1	
2	
3	
4	
5	
6	
7	
8	
9	

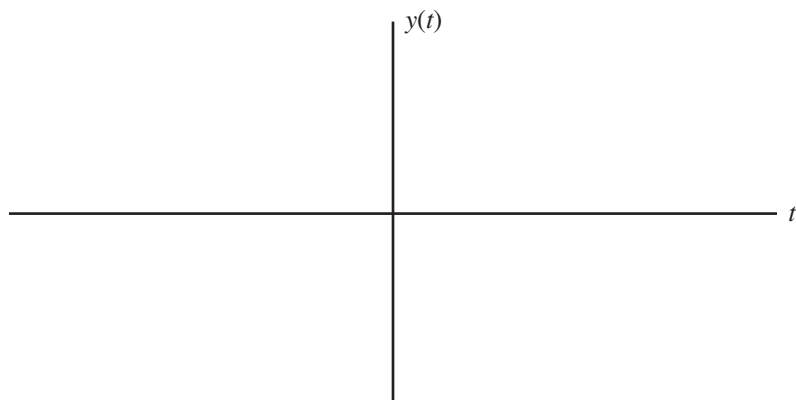
(b) Determine the impulse response,  $h[n]$  for the system.

**Prob. 4**

For the following systems characterized by their impulse response  $h(t)$ ,  $h[n]$  determine the output signal  $y(t)$ ,  $y[n]$  for the given input signal  $x(t)$ ,  $x[n]$  respectively by explicit convolution (graphical or analytical). *Carefully* graph the output (be sure to label critical  $x$ - and  $y$ -values).

(a) Let  $h(t) = u(t) - u(t - 2) + \delta(t - 4)$  and  $x(t) = u(t) - u(t - 1)$ .  $y(t) = ?$

Hint: Separate  $h(t)$  into  $h_1(t) = u(t) - u(t - 2)$  and  $h_2(t) = \delta(t - 4)$  connected in parallel. Then use p. 105 Figure 2.23(a) to find  $y(t)$ .



**Prob. 4 (cont.)**

(b) Let  $h[n] = \delta[n + 1] + 2\delta[n] + \delta[n - 1]$  and  $x[n] = u[n] - u[n - 5]$ .  $y[n] = ?$

