

- You have 50 minutes to work the following four problems.
 - Be sure to show all your work to obtain full credit.
 - The exam is closed book and closed notes.
 - Calculators are permitted.
1. (25 pts.) Let θ be a random variable that is uniformly distributed on the interval $(0, 2\pi)$.

- a. (7) Find the mean and variance of θ .

Now, let $X = e^{j\theta}$ be a new random variable, where θ is defined as before.

- b. (6) Find $E\{X\}$ and $E\{X|^2\}$, where $E\{\bullet\}$ denotes statistical expectation.

Next, let $Y = A_1 e^{j\theta_1} + A_2 e^{j\theta_2}$ be a new random variable, where θ_1 and θ_2 are both uniformly distributed on the interval $(0, 2\pi)$, A_1 and A_2 are identically distributed with mean 0 and variance σ_A^2 , and all four random variables θ_1 , θ_2 , A_1 , and A_2 are mutually independent.

- c. (6) Find $E\{Y\}$ and $E\{Y|^2\}$.

Finally, let X_n , $n = \dots, -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, \dots$, be a wide-sense stationary random process with mean zero and autocorrelation $r_{xx}[n] = E\{X_m X_{m+n}\}$. Define a new random process $Y(\omega)$, $-\pi \leq \omega \leq \pi$, according to

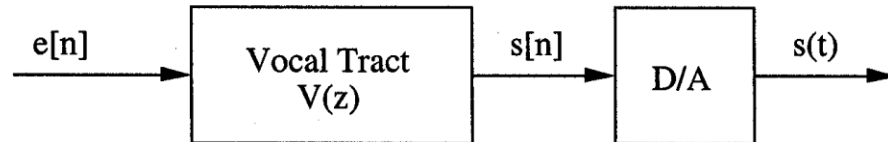
$$Y(\omega) = \sum_{n=-N}^N X_n e^{-j\omega n}$$

- d. (6) Find $E\{Y(\omega)|^2\}$. Simplify your answer as much as possible, and discuss the significance of your result.

2. (25 pts.) A voiced speech waveform has pitch 200 Hz, and three formant frequencies at 0.5 kHz, 2 kHz, and 4 kHz, which decrease in amplitude with increasing frequency.
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We will use the digital system shown below to synthesize this speech waveform,

where the excitation is given by $e[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta[n - Nk]$. Assume that the system operates at a 20 kHz sampling rate.



- (11) Specify the value for the parameter N and the approximate location of all poles and zeros for the vocal tract response.

3. (25 pts.) The short-time discrete-time Fourier transform of the signal $x[k]$ is defined according to the equation

$$X(\omega, n) = \sum_k x[k]w[n-k]e^{-j\omega k},$$

Assume that we have a rectangular window

$$w[n] = \begin{cases} 1, & |n| < 10 \\ 0, & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

and that our signal is given by

$$x[n] = \begin{cases} \cos(\pi n / 3), & |n| < 100 \\ 0, & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

Find an exact expression for $X(\omega, n)$ for the following cases:

- (8) $|n| < 90$
- (8) $|n| = 100$
- (1) $|n| > 110$
- (8) Based on your answers above, approximately sketch the complete spectrogram for all n .

4. (25 pts.) We observe the following 3 point signal $x[n]$:

n	0	1	2
$x[n]$	0	1	3

We wish to fit a straight line of the form $\hat{x}[n] = a_0 + a_1 n$ to these data points, where the coefficients a_0 and a_1 are chosen to minimize the mean-squared error

$$\varepsilon = \sum_{n=0}^2 |\hat{x}[n] - x[n]|^2$$

- a) (20) Find the optimal values for a_0 and a_1 .
- b) (5) Find the value of the mean-squared error ε for the choice of a_0 and a_1 given by your answer to part b).

