16 Sampling

Recommended Problems

P16.1

The sequence $x[n] = (-1)^n$ is obtained by sampling the continuous-time sinusoidal signal $x(t) = \cos \omega_0 t$ at 1-ms intervals, i.e.,

$$\cos(\omega_0 nT) = (-1)^n, \quad T = 10^{-3} s$$

Determine three *distinct* possible values of ω_0 .

P16.2

Consider the system in Figure P16.2.



- (a) Sketch $X_p(\omega)$ for $-9\pi \le \omega \le 9\pi$ for the following values of ω_0 .
 - (i) $\omega_0 = \pi$
 - (ii) $\omega_0 = 2\pi$

(iii)
$$\omega_0 = 3\pi$$

(iv)
$$\omega_0 = 5\pi$$

(b) For which of the preceding values of ω_0 is $x_p(t)$ identical?

P16.3

In the system in Figure P16.3, x(t) is sampled with a periodic impulse train, and a reconstructed signal $x_r(t)$ is obtained from the samples by lowpass filtering.



The sampling period T is 1 ms, and x(t) is a sinusoidal signal of the form $x(t) = \cos(2\pi f_0 t + \theta)$. For each of the following choices of f_0 and θ , determine $x_r(t)$.

(a) f₀ = 250 Hz, θ = π/4
(b) f₀ = 750 Hz, θ = π/2
(c) f₀ = 500 Hz, θ = π/2

P16.4

Figure P16.4 gives a system in which the sampling signal is an impulse train with alternating sign. The Fourier transform of the input signal is as indicated in the figure.



- (a) For $\Delta < \pi/2\omega_M$, sketch the Fourier transform of $x_p(t)$ and y(t).
- (b) For $\Delta < \pi/2\omega_M$, determine a system that will recover x(t) from $x_p(t)$.
- (c) For $\Delta < \pi/2\omega_M$, determine a system that will recover x(t) from y(t).
- (d) What is the maximum value of Δ in relation to ω_M for which x(t) can be recovered from either $x_p(t)$ or y(t).

<u>P16.5</u>

Consider the system in Figure P16.5-1.



Figures P16.5-2 and P16.5-3 contain several Fourier transforms of x(t) and $x_r(t)$. For each input spectrum $X(\omega)$ in Figure P16.5-2, identify the correct output spectrum $X_r(\omega)$ from Figure P16.5-3.





P16.6

Suppose we sample a sinusoidal signal and then process the resultant impulse train, as shown in Figure P16.6-1.



The result of our processing is a value Q. As ω changes, Q may change. Determine which of the plots in Figures P16.6-2 and P16.6-3 are possible candidates for the variation of Q as a function of ω .





Optional Problems

<u>P16.7</u>

The sampling theorem as we have derived it states that a signal x(t) must be sampled at a rate greater than its bandwidth (or, equivalently, a rate greater than twice its highest frequency). This implies that if x(t) has a spectrum as indicated in Figure P16.7-1, then x(t) must be sampled at a rate greater than $2\omega_2$. Since the signal has most of its energy concentrated in a narrow band, it seems reasonable to expect that a sampling rate lower than twice the highest frequency could be used. A signal whose energy is concentrated in a frequency band is often referred to as a bandpass signal. There are a variety of techniques for sampling such signals, and these techniques are generally referred to as bandpass sampling.



To examine the possibility of sampling a bandpass signal at a rate less than the total bandwidth, consider the system shown in Figure P16.7-2. Assuming that $\omega_1 > (\omega_2 - \omega_1)$, find the maximum value of T and the values of the constants A, ω_a , and ω_b such that $x_r(t) = x(t)$.



P16.8

In Problem P16.7 we considered one procedure for bandpass sampling and reconstruction. Another procedure when x(t) is real consists of using complex modulation followed by sampling. The sampling system is shown in Figure P16.8-1.



With x(t) real and with $X(\omega)$ nonzero only for $\omega_1 < |\omega| < \omega_2$, the modulating frequency ω_0 is chosen as $\omega_0 = \frac{1}{2}(\omega_1 + \omega_2)$, and the lowpass filter $H_1(\omega)$ has cutoff frequency $\frac{1}{2}(\omega_2 - \omega_1)$.

- (a) For $X(\omega)$ as shown in Figure P16.8-2, sketch $X_p(\omega)$.
- (b) Determine the maximum sampling period T such that x(t) is recoverable from $x_p(t)$.
- (c) Determine a system to recover x(t) from $x_p(t)$.



P16.9

Given the system in Figure P16.9-1 and the Fourier transforms in Figure P16.9-2, determine A and find the maximum value of T in terms of W such that y(t) = x(t) if s(t) is the impulse train

$$s(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - nT)$$





P16.10

Consider the system in Figure P16.10-1.



Given the Fourier transform of $x_r(t)$ in Figure P16.10-2, sketch the Fourier transform of two different signals x(t) that could have generated $x_r(t)$.





Consider the system in Figure P16.11.



- (a) If $X(\omega) = 0$ for $|\omega| > W$, find the maximum value of T, W_c , and A such that $x_r(t) = x(t)$.
- (b) Let $X_1(\omega) = 0$ for $|\omega| > 2W$ and $X_2(\omega) = 0$ for $|\omega| > W$. Repeat part (a) for the following.
 - (i) $x(t) = x_1(t) * x_2(t)$
 - (ii) $x(t) = x_1(t) + x_2(t)$
 - (iii) $x(t) = x_1(t)x_2(t)$
 - (iv) $x(t) = x_1(10t)$