



- Answer all the following questions
- Illustrate your answers with sketches when necessary

- No. of questions : 4
- Total Mark: **210 Marks**

Model Answer

Question (1) Systems and LTI [80 Marks]:

1. Which of the following system is linear?

[30 Marks]

a) Differentiator $y[n] = dx[n]/dn$

Answer

$$\text{For } x_1[n] : y_1[n] = \frac{dx_1[n]}{dn}$$

$$\text{For } x_2[n] : y_2[n] = \frac{dx_2[n]}{dn}$$

$$\text{For } x_1[n] + x_2[n] : y'[n] = \frac{d\{x_1[n] + x_2[n]\}}{dn} = \frac{dx_1[n]}{dn} + \frac{dx_2[n]}{dn} \\ = y_1[n] + y_2[n]$$

Therefore, the differentiator is a linear system.

b) Amplifier $y[n] = 5x[n]$

Answer

$$\text{For } x_1[n] : y_1[n] = 5x_1[n]$$

$$\text{For } x_2[n] : y_2[n] = 5x_2[n]$$

$$\text{For } x_1[n] + x_2[n] :$$

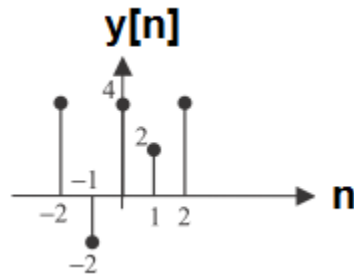
$$y'[n] = 5\{x_1[n] + x_2[n]\} = 5x_1[n] + 5x_2[n] = y_1[n] + y_2[n]$$

Therefore, the amplifier is a linear system.

2. The output $h[k]$ of a DT LTI system in response to a unit impulse function $\delta[k]$ is shown in Figure. Find the output for the following input:

$$x[k] = \delta[-k] + \delta[k] + \delta[k-1]$$

[30 Marks]

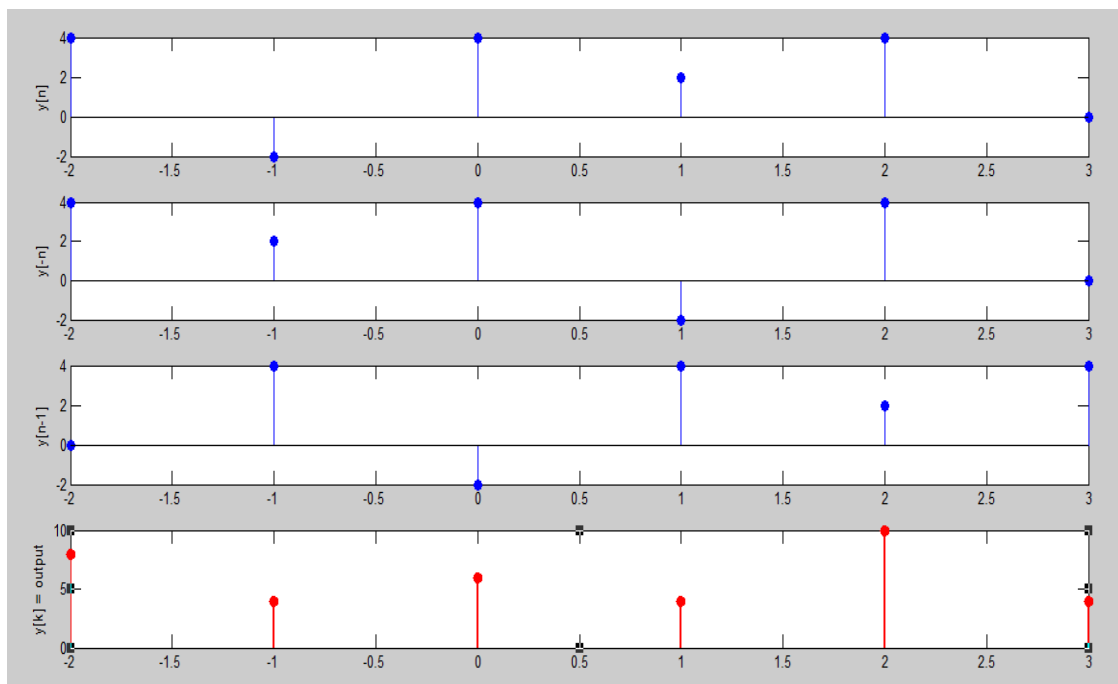


Answer

- The given figure is the response of the system to an impulse function $\delta[k]$
- Using the linearity and shift properties of the given LTI system, we can find the output as a combination of the shifted versions of the given output:

$$Y[k] = y[-n] + y[n] + y[n-1] = [8 \quad 4 \quad 6 \quad 4 \quad 10 \quad 4]$$

The combination is given in the next figure



It can be solved using convolution too

3. Describe in details the structure of the LTI systems for both Infinite-Length and Finite-Length Signals, and what is the type of the discrete -system matrix (H). [20 Marks]

Answer

LTI Systems are Toeplitz Matrices (Infinite-Length Signals) (1)

- For an LTI system with infinite-length signals

$$h_{n,m} = h_{n+q,m+q} \quad \forall q \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\mathbf{H} = \begin{bmatrix} \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \cdots & h_{-1,-1} & h_{-1,0} & h_{-1,1} & \cdots \\ \cdots & h_{0,-1} & h_{0,0} & h_{0,1} & \cdots \\ \cdots & h_{1,-1} & h_{1,0} & h_{1,1} & \cdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \cdots & h_{0,0} & h_{-1,0} & h_{-2,0} & \cdots \\ \cdots & h_{1,0} & h_{0,0} & h_{-1,0} & \cdots \\ \cdots & h_{2,0} & h_{1,0} & h_{0,0} & \cdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

- Entries on the matrix diagonals are the same – **Toeplitz matrix**

LTI Systems are Circulant Matrices (Finite-Length Signals) (1)

- For an LTI system with length-*N* signals

$$h_{n,m} = h_{(n+q)_N,(m+q)_N} \quad \forall q \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} h_{0,0} & h_{0,1} & h_{0,2} & \cdots & h_{0,N-1} \\ h_{1,0} & h_{1,1} & h_{1,2} & \cdots & h_{1,N-1} \\ h_{2,0} & h_{2,1} & h_{2,2} & \cdots & h_{2,N-1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ h_{N-1,0} & h_{N-1,1} & h_{N-1,2} & \cdots & h_{N-1,N-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} h_{0,0} & h_{N-1,0} & h_{N-2,0} & \cdots & h_{1,0} \\ h_{1,0} & h_{0,0} & h_{N-1,0} & \cdots & h_{2,0} \\ h_{2,0} & h_{1,0} & h_{0,0} & \cdots & h_{3,0} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ h_{N-1,0} & h_{N-2,0} & h_{N-3,0} & \cdots & h_{0,0} \end{bmatrix}$$

- Entries on the matrix diagonals are the same + circular wraparound – **circulant matrix**

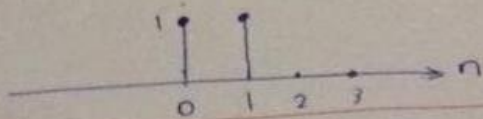
Question (2) Convolution [25 Marks]:

- a) Find $y[n] = x[n]*h[n]$, where:
 $x[n] = u[n] - u[n-2]$ and
 $h[n] = u[n] - u[n-4]$
- b) Determine the convolution duration.

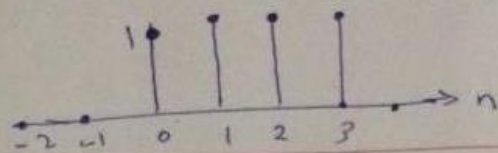
Answer

- The length of signals:
 $N_x = 2$
 $N_h = 4$
 $N_y = \text{convolution duration} = N_x + N_h - 1$
 $= 2 + 4 - 1 = 5 \text{ samples}$
- By applying convolution:
First flip $x[n]$ and shift as in the following figures:

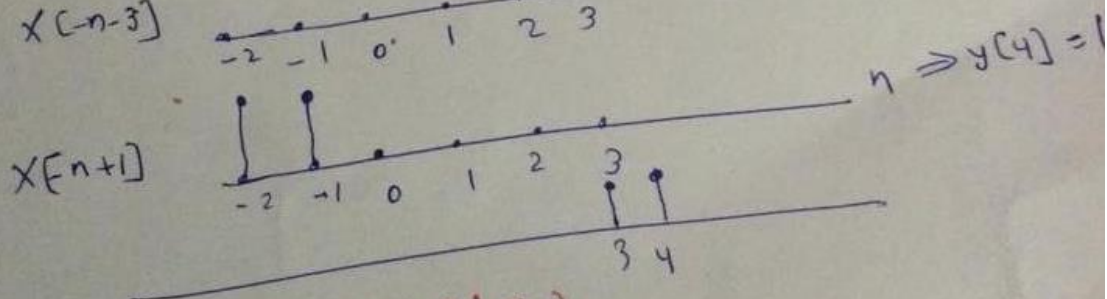
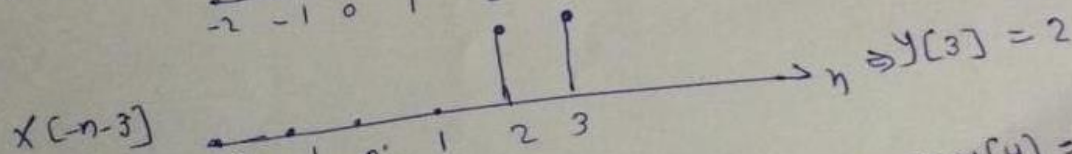
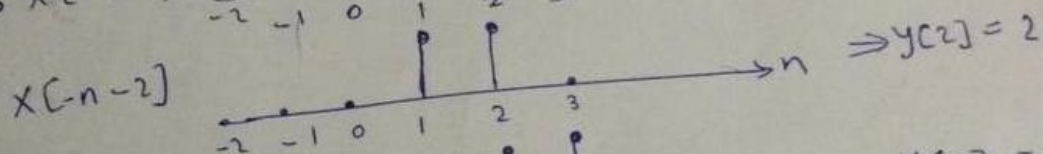
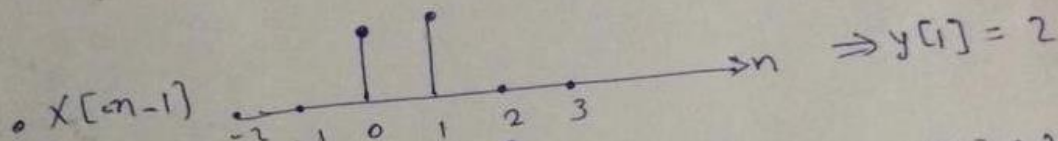
• $X[n] = u[n] - u[n-3]$



• $h[n] = u[n] - u[n-4]$



• $X[-n]$



$X[n] * h[n] = \sum X[n-k] h[k]$

$y[n] = [1 \ 2 \ 2 \ 2 \ 1]$

