

1. **15 points** Find the FT of  $x$ , and sketch the real and imaginary parts of  $X(\omega)$ , where

$$\forall t, x(t) = \prod(t) * \prod(t) * \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - 8n)$$

Here  $\prod(t) = 1$  for  $|t| \leq \frac{1}{2}$  and 0, else. In your sketch carefully mark the relevant frequencies and magnitudes.

2. 15 points

(a) Find and sketch the FT of

$$x(t) = \left[ \frac{\sin \pi t}{\pi t} \right]^2 e^{-j2\pi \times 10t}.$$

(b) Use Parseval's theorem to find the energy in the signal  $x$ ,  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} [x(t)]^2 dt$ .

- 3. 10 points** The following statements are either TRUE or FALSE. If you believe a statement is true, outline a BRIEF PROOF. If you believe it is false, provide a BRIEF COUNTEREXAMPLE.
- (a) If  $x(t), t \in \text{Reals}$ , is a real valued signal, its Fourier transform  $X(f), f \in \text{Reals}$ , is also real valued.
  - (b) If  $x(t), y(t), t \in \text{Reals}$ , are real-valued signals and  $(x * y)(t) = 0, \forall t \in \text{Reals}$ , then either  $x$  or  $y$  is identically zero.
  - (c) If  $x(t), t \in \text{Reals}$ , is a real-valued, baseband signal with bandwidth  $W$  Hz, then the signal  $y, y(t) = 2x^2(t) + 3x^4(t), t \in \text{Reals}$ , has bandwidth at most  $4W$  Hz.
  - (d) If  $x(t), t \in \text{Reals}$  is a real-valued, band-limited signal with bandwidth  $W$  Hz, then the signal  $y(t) = x, t \in \text{Reals}$ , has a bandwidth  $W^2$  Hz.
  - (e) If  $x, y$  are real-valued signals with bandwidth  $W_x, W_y$  Hz, respectively, then a the signal  $x + y$  has bandwidth  $W_x + W_y$  Hz.

4. **15 points** The following statements are either TRUE or FALSE. If you believe a statement is true, outline a BRIEF PROOF. If you believe it is false, provide a BRIEF COUNTEREXAMPLE.
- (a) The system that takes as input a signal  $m$  and produces its Hilbert transform  $\hat{m}$  as output is an LTI system.
  - (b) The SSB-USB modulator which takes as input a signal  $m(t), t \in \text{Reals}$ , and produces as output the modulated signal  $x(t), t \in \text{Reals}$ , is a linear system.
  - (c) The narrow-band FM system which takes as input the continuous-time signal  $m$  and produces as output the modulated signal  $x$ , is a linear system.
  - (d) The AM-DSB modulator is a time-invariant system.
  - (e) The signal  $\forall t, x(t) = \cos(2\pi f_c t + \cos(2\pi f_m t))$  ( $f_m \neq 0$ ) has infinite bandwidth.
  - (f) Is it possible to recover the signals  $A$  and  $\theta$  from the narrowband signal  $\forall t, x(t) = A(t) \cos(2\pi f_c t + \theta(t))$ .

5. **20 points** Figure 1 is a block diagram of vestigial sideband (VSB) modulation/demodulation.

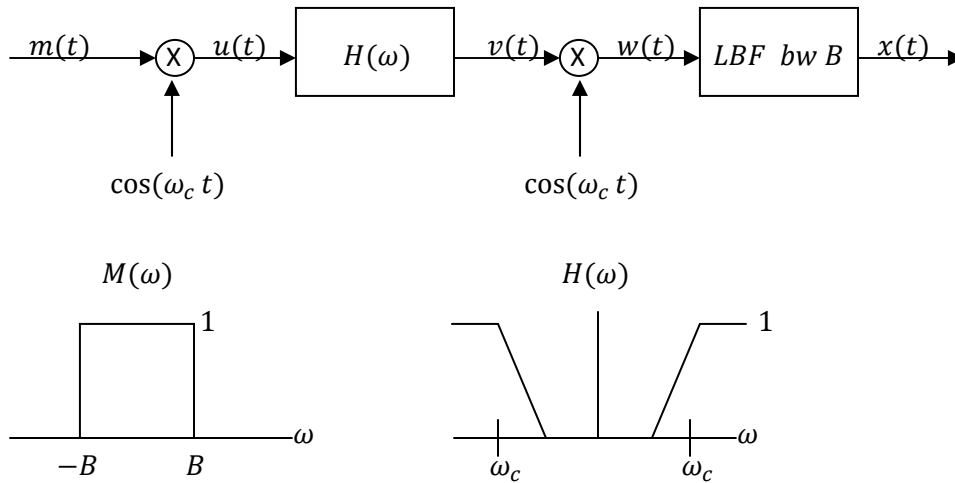


Figure 1: The VSB modulation-demodulation scheme of problem 5

The baseband signal  $m$  has FT  $M$  as shown, with bandwidth  $B$  rad/sec. It modulates the carrier  $\cos(\omega_c t)$  ( $\omega_c \gg B$ ) to produce the signal  $u$ , which is passed through the VSB filter, whose frequency response  $H(\omega)$  is shown. The result is the transmitted signal  $v$ . The coherent receiver multiplies  $v$  by the carrier to produce  $w$ , which is then passed through a low pass filter (LPF) (with bandwidth  $B$ ) to obtain the signal  $x$ .

- Obtain mathematical expressions for the FT of  $u$ ,  $v$ , and  $w$ . Sketch the FTs, and carefully mark the relevant magnitudes and frequencies.
- Show that  $x = (1/4)m$  if the VSB filter satisfies

$$H(\omega + \omega_c) + H(\omega - \omega_c) = 1, \text{ for } |\omega| \leq B.$$

6. **10 points** Figure 2 is a block diagram of a digital communication system. The digital channel accepts

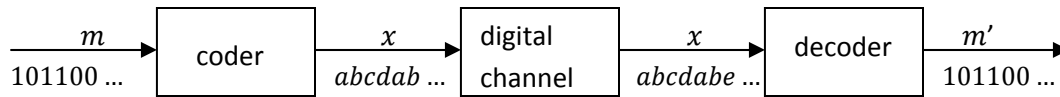


Figure 2: The communication system for problem 6

at its input port any symbol from  $\{a, b, c, d, e\}$  and delivers it at its output port. The channel can accept one symbol every  $2\mu$  sec.

- (a) What is the baud rate of the channel in symbols/sec? What is its capacity in bits/sec?
- (b) A binary source  $m$  produces data at 1 Mb/sec. (1 Mb is one million bits.) Is the rate of the source smaller than the capacity? If it is, construct a “coder” that maps the binary source  $m$  into a sequence of symbols  $x$ , and a “decoder” that maps  $x$  into a binary sequence  $m'$  such that  $m' = m$ .

7. **15 points**  $m$  is a **complex-valued** signal with bandwidth  $B_m$  rad/sec whose real and imaginary parts are  $m_1, m_2$  respectively. Let  $M(\omega), M_1(\omega)$  and  $M_2(\omega)$  be the FT of  $m, m_1,$  and  $m_2$  respectively.

- (a) Find  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  in terms of  $M$ . Show that the bandwidth of  $m_1, m_2$  is at most  $B_m$ .
- (b) Design a modulation and demodulation scheme that can transmit  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  over a channel with bandwidth  $2B_m$  centered at frequency  $\omega_c$  rad/sec.
- (c) Give a brief mathematical argument to show that the transmitted signal is within the channel bandwidth, and that the receiver can recover both signals.