EECS120: Signals and Systems Midterm 1 Write name and ID number on each page of your solutions

**Problem 1.1** Fourier Transforms and Simple Filtering Justify your answers for full credit.

a. 10pts What is the CTFT of the unit pulse  $y(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & t \in [-\frac{1}{2}, +\frac{1}{2}] \\ 0 & otherwise \end{cases}$ ?

b. 10pts If b(t) is a periodic signal with period T, and it is represented by the Fourier Series  $b(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} B_k e^{j\frac{2\pi}{T}kt}$ , then what is the Fourier Series representation of c(t) = b(t-1)?

c. 15pts Consider discrete-time signals with period 2. Model these as 2-d vectors. Consider an LTI system that has impulse response h(0) = 1, h(1) = 2. Write this system as a matrix and give its eigenvectors and corresponding eigenvalues.

d. 10pts A discrete time LTI system has DTFT  $1 - e^{-j\omega}$ . What is its impulse response?

**Problem 1.2** True/False. Do at least two of the following for full credit. If the bold statement is true, give a proof for it. If the statement is false, show a counterexample or proof that it is false.

a. 20 pts Let L be a system that acts on continuous time signals as follows:  $[Lx](t) = x(t)\cos(t)$ . Then, L is L.T.I.

b. 20 pts Let L be an LTI system that acts on signals that are defined on  $Z_N$ , the discrete time interval  $\{0, 1, 2, ..., N - 1\}$  viewed as positions along the circumference of a circle. Delays and shifts on such signals are to be interpreted in a "wrap around" manner with  $[D_{\tau}x](t) = x(t - \tau \mod N)$ . Let  $x_{\omega}(t) = e^{j\omega t}$ . Then for every real  $\omega$  there exists a constant  $\lambda_{\omega}$  so that  $Lx_{\omega} = \lambda_{\omega}x_{\omega}$ .

c. 20 pts Let L be a linear system that acts on continous time signals. Let  $x_{\omega}(t) = e^{j\omega t}$ . There exists a complex valued function  $\lambda(\omega)$  so that for a particular subset of real  $\omega \in \Omega$ , the system L has the property that  $[Lx_{\omega}](t) = \lambda(\omega)x_{\omega}(t)$ . Then, for the class of signals that can be written  $y(t) = \sum_{i=1}^{N} \alpha_i x_{\omega_i}(t)$  (where the  $\omega_i \in \Omega$ ), the system L is LTI.

Problem 1.3 AM Modulation System



In the above continuous time system, consider the LPF to be ideal and to perfectly pass through all frequencies less than 2.

$$H_1(\omega) = \begin{cases} 1 & if \ |\omega| < 2\\ 0 & otherwise \end{cases}$$

and  $\omega_0 = 10$  so that

$$y(t) = x(t)\cos(\omega_0 t)$$

and

$$z(t) = y(t)\cos(\omega_0(t+\phi))$$

a. 15pts Suppose  $\phi = 0$  and  $x(t) = \sin(t)$ . What are  $y(t), z(t), \hat{x}(t)$ ?

b. 15pts Suppose  $x(t) = \sin(t)$  but  $\phi \neq 0$ . What is  $\hat{x}(t)$  as a function of  $\phi$ ? Please plot the power of  $\hat{x}(t)$  as a function of  $\phi$ .

c. 10pts Suppose now that y(t) was corrupted by some potentially interfering signal and so the input to mixer 2 was now  $y'(t) = y(t) + \sin(\omega_n t)$  rather than just y(t). For what values of  $\omega_n$  would you see an undesirable component in  $\hat{x}(t)$ ?