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**SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION**

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**FOR THE BACHELORS DEGREE**

**COMPUTER SCIENCE**

**COURSE CODE: CSC 350E**

**COURSE TITLE: SIGNALS AND SYSTEMS I**

**DATE: 04/02/2021      TIME: 11.00 A.M – 01.00 P.M**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

**ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO (2) QUESTIONS**

### QUESTION ONE [COMPUSORY] [30 MARKS]

- a) Describe the following terms:-
- i) Signal [2marks]
  - ii) System [2marks]
- b) Differentiate between the following terms:-
- i) Periodic and non-periodic signals. [4marks]
  - ii) Continuous-time signal  $x(t)$  and Discrete-time signal  $x[n]$  [6marks]
  - iii) Even and odd signals. [4marks]
- c) Explain any **THREE** operations performed on a signal. [6marks]
- d) Given the signal  $x(t) = e^{-3t}u(t)$ , determine
- i) The Fourier Transform  $X(j\omega)$
  - ii) The magnitude  $|X(j\omega)|$
  - iii) The phase  $\angle X(j\omega)$  [6marks]

### QUESTION TWO [20 MARKS]

- a) Convert the following complex numbers from Cartesian to polar form
- i)  $1+j$
  - ii)  $1-2j$ . [4marks]
- b) Static linearity and sinusoidal fidelity are concepts used in linear systems. Explain these concepts with the aid of diagrams [4marks]
- c) Show that the following system linear-time-invariant  $y(t) = x(t)g(t)$ , where  $x(t)$  and  $y(t)$  denote the input and output, respectively. [3marks]
- d) Differentiate between energy and power signal. [4marks]
- e) Show that the discrete time system described by the input-output relationship  $y[n] = nx[n]$  is linear. [5marks]

### QUESTION THREE [20 MARKS]

- a) Differentiate between a continuous and discrete time signals. [4marks]
- b) Is a discrete time signal described by the input output relation  $y[n] = r^n x[n]$  time invariant. [4marks]
- c) Evaluate, the magnitude  $|(2 - j2)^3|$  and the angle  $\angle (-1 - j)^2$ . [8marks]
- d) For the signal  $x(t)$  shown in Fig. 3d, sketch  $x(2t-1)$ . [4marks]

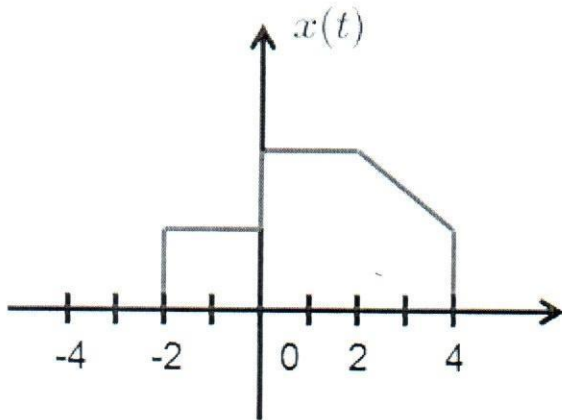


Figure 3.1

#### QUESTION FOUR [20 MARKS]

- a) Determine if the following signals are periodic. For those that are periodic, what is the fundamental period?

i)  $x[n] = e^{j\frac{4}{\pi}n}$

[2marks]

ii)  $x[n] = e^{j\frac{2}{8}n}$

[2marks]

- b) Describe a time invariant systems

[4marks]

- c) Compute the polar form of the complex signals

[6marks]

i)  $e^{j(1+j)}$

ii)  $(1+j)e^{-j\pi/2}$

- d) Compute the rectangular form of the complex signals

[6marks]

i)  $2e^{j5\pi/4}$

ii)  $e^{-j\pi} + e^{j6\pi}$

### QUESTION FIVE [20 MARKS]

- a) Consider the system shown in Figure 5a. Determine whether it is (i) memoryless, (ii) causal, (iii) linear, (iv) time-invariant, or (v) stable. [6marks]

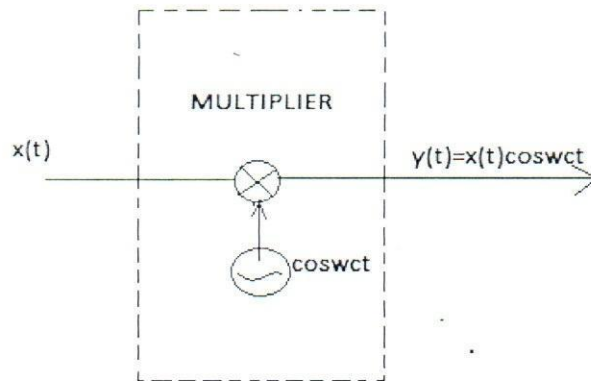


Figure 1

- b) Outline the properties of a system. [4marks]
- c) Suppose  $x[n]$  is a discrete-time signal, and let  $y[n] = x[2n]$ .
- i) If  $x[n]$  is periodic, is  $y[n]$  periodic? If so, what is the fundamental period of  $y[n]$  in terms of the fundamental period of  $x[n]$ ? [3marks]
  - ii) If  $y[n]$  is periodic, is  $x[n]$  periodic? If so, what is the fundamental period of  $x[n]$  in terms of the fundamental period of  $y[n]$ ? [3marks]
- d) Sketch the signals
- i)  $u[n-3]$  [2marks]
  - ii)  $u[2n-3]$  [2marks]