

Solution to ECE 315 Test #3 F03

1. $y(t) = x^2(t)$

$$\begin{aligned}x_1(t) = g(t) &\Rightarrow y_1(t) = g^2(t) \\x_2(t) = g(t - t_0) &\Rightarrow y_2(t) = g^2(t - t_0) \\y_1(t - t_0) = g^2(t - t_0) &= y_2(t) \Rightarrow \text{Time Invariant}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}x_1(t) = g(t) &\Rightarrow y_1(t) = g^2(t) \\x_2(t) = K g(t) &\Rightarrow y_2(t) = K^2 g^2(t) \neq K y_1(t) \Rightarrow \text{Not Homogeneous} \Rightarrow \text{Not Linear}\end{aligned}$$

If any arbitrary real excitation, $x(t)$, is negated, the response does not change. Therefore unique excitations do not always produce unique responses. The system is not invertible

2. $y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t x(\lambda) d\lambda$

If $x(t)$ is a finite constant (therefore bounded), $y(t)$, increases without bound. The system is not stable.

The present value of $y(t)$ depends on past values of $x(t)$ because the integral is for all time since negative infinity. Therefore the system has memory and is dynamic, not static.

3. $y''(t) = 2x(t) - 4y'(t) - 4y(t)$

The equation can be re-written as

$$\frac{1}{2}y''(t) + 2y'(t) + 2y(t) = x(t) .$$

This says that, given a knowledge of $y(t)$, $x(t)$ can be directly computed from $y(t)$ and its derivatives. The system is invertible.

The eigenvalues of the characteristic equation are -2 and -2 (a repeated root). Both of these have a negative real part. The system is stable

4. $y[n] = 2x[n] - 4y[n-1] - 4y[n-2]$

The response, y , at time, n , depends on the excitation, x , at the same time, n and the previous values of the response at the previous two discrete times, $n - 1$ and $n - 2$, and not on any future values of the excitation. The system is causal.

The current value of the response, y , at time n depends on prior values of y which depended on prior values of the excitation, x . Therefore the system has memory and is dynamic, not static.

5. $y[n] = \cos(x[n])$

$$x_1[n] = g[n] \Rightarrow y_1[n] = \cos(g[n])$$

$$x_2[n] = g[n - n_0] \Rightarrow y_2[n] = \cos(g[n - n_0])$$

$$y_1[n - n_0] = \cos(g[n - n_0]) = y_2[n] \Rightarrow \text{Time Invariant}$$

$$x_1[n] = g[n] \Rightarrow y_1[n] = \cos(g[n])$$

$$x_2[n] = K g[n] \Rightarrow y_2[n] = \cos(K g[n - n_0]) \neq K \cos(g[n - n_0]) \Rightarrow \text{Not Homogeneous} \Rightarrow \text{Not Linear}$$

$$x[n] = \cos^{-1}(y[n])$$

The inverse cosine function is multiple valued. Therefore the system is not invertible.