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Quiz – 4 **Solution**

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Question # 1:

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Which describes a linear, time-invariant system initially at rest. What is the system function $H(e^{j\omega})$ that describes $Y(e^{j\omega})$ in terms of $X(e^{j\omega})$?

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The difference equation $y[n] - \frac{1}{2}y[n - 1] = x[n]$, which is initially at rest, has a system transfer function that can be obtained by taking the Fourier transform of both sides of the equation.

This yields:

$$Y(e^{j\omega}) - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}Y(e^{j\omega}) = X(e^{j\omega})$$

$$Y(e^{j\omega})\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}\right) = X(e^{j\omega})$$

So,

$$H(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{Y(e^{j\omega})}{X(e^{j\omega})} = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}}$$

b) Using Fourier transform, evaluate $y[n]$ if $x[n]$ is:

$$\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n u[n]$$

If $x[n] = \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n u[n]$, then:

$$X(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{3}{4}e^{-j\omega}}$$

$$\therefore H(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}}$$

Therefore,

$$Y(e^{j\omega}) = \left[\frac{1}{1 - \frac{3}{4}e^{-j\omega}} \right] \left[\frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}} \right]$$

$$Y(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1}{\left(1 - \frac{3}{4}e^{-j\omega}\right)\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}\right)}$$

Using partial fractions expansion we get:

$$Y(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1}{\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}\right)\left(1 - \frac{3}{4}e^{-j\omega}\right)} = \frac{A}{\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}\right)} + \frac{B}{\left(1 - \frac{3}{4}e^{-j\omega}\right)} \rightarrow eq1$$

Cross multiplication yields:

$$1 = A\left(1 - \frac{3}{4}e^{-j\omega}\right) + B\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}\right)$$

Putting $e^{-j\omega} = 2$, gives:

$$1 = A\left(1 - \frac{3}{4} \times (2)\right) + B\left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \times (2)\right)$$

$$1 = A\left(\frac{2-3}{2}\right) + B(0)$$

$$1 = A\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right) \Rightarrow A = -2$$

$$1 = A\left(1 - \frac{3}{4}e^{-j\omega}\right) + B\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}\right)$$

Putting $e^{-j\omega} = \frac{4}{3}$, gives:

$$1 = A\left(1 - \frac{3}{4} \times \left(\frac{4}{3}\right)\right) + B\left(1 - \frac{1}{2} \times \left(\frac{4}{3}\right)\right)$$

$$1 = A(0) + B\left(\frac{3-2}{3}\right)$$

$$1 = B\left(\frac{1}{3}\right) \Rightarrow B = 3$$

Putting values of A and B in eq(1) gives:

$$Y(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{-2}{\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}\right)} + \frac{3}{\left(1 - \frac{3}{4}e^{-j\omega}\right)}$$

Taking the inverse Fourier transform, we obtain:

$$y[n] = 3 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n u[n] - 2 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u[n]$$

Question # 2:

Find the Fourier transform using analysis equation:

$$x[n] = \begin{cases} -1, & n = -3, -1, 1, 3 \\ 1, & n = -2, 0, 2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Solution:

$$X(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n]e^{-j\omega n}$$

$$\begin{aligned} X(e^{j\omega}) &= \sum_{n=-3}^3 x[n]e^{-j\omega n} \\ &= x[-3]e^{j3\omega} + x[-2]e^{j2\omega} + x[-1]e^{j\omega} + x[0]e^0 + x[1]e^{-j\omega} \\ &\quad + x[2]e^{-j2\omega} + x[3]e^{-j3\omega} \\ &= (-1)e^{j3\omega} + (1)e^{j2\omega} + (-1)e^{j\omega} + (1)1 + (-1)e^{-j\omega} + (1)e^{-j2\omega} + (-1)e^{-j3\omega} \\ &= -e^{j3\omega} + e^{j2\omega} - e^{j\omega} + 1 - e^{-j\omega} + e^{-j2\omega} - e^{-j3\omega} \\ &= 1 - (e^{j3\omega} + e^{-j3\omega}) + (e^{j2\omega} + e^{-j2\omega}) - (e^{j\omega} + e^{-j\omega}) \end{aligned}$$

Using Euler's identity: $\cos x = \frac{e^{jx} + e^{-jx}}{2}$ or $2 \cos x = e^{jx} + e^{-jx}$

$$X(e^{j\omega}) \Rightarrow 1 - 2 \cos(3\omega) + 2 \cos(2\omega) - 2 \cos(\omega)$$

Good Luck