

## UNIT 2

### Exercises to UNIT 2- Part I: Temporal Characteristics

- 2.1 A two-level random binary process is defined by  
 $X(t) = A$  or  $-A$ ,  $(n-1)T < t < nT$  where the levels  $A$  and  $-A$  occur with equal probability,  $T$  is a positive constant, and  $n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$
- (a) Sketch a typical sample function
  - (b) Classify the process
- 2.2 A random process is defined by  $X(t) = A$ , where  $A$  is a continuous random variable uniformly distributed on  $[0, 1]$ .
- (a) Determine the form of the sample functions
  - (b) Classify the process
- 2.3 Given the random process  $X(t) = A\cos(\omega_0 t + \Theta)$  where  $A$  and  $\omega_0$  are constants and  $\Theta$  is a uniformly distributed random variable on the interval  $[0, 2\pi]$ . Find
- (a) The mean
  - (b) The autocorrelation
  - (c) The time average
  - (d) The time autocorrelation
- 2.4 Given the random process  
 $X(t) = A\sin(\omega_0 t + \Theta)$   
where  $A$  and  $\omega_0$  are constants and  $\Theta$  is a uniformly distributed random variable on the interval  $[-\pi, \pi]$ . Define a new random variable  $Y(t) = X^2(t)$ .
- (a) Find the autocorrelation function of  $Y(t)$
  - (b) Find the cross-correlation function of  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$
  - (c) Are  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$  wide-sense stationary?
  - (d) Are  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$  jointly wide-sense stationary?

2.5 Given the random process

$$Y(t) = X(t)\cos(\omega_0 t + \Theta)$$

where  $X(t)$  is a wide-sense stationary random process that amplitude-modulates a carrier of constant angular frequency  $\omega_0$  with a random phase  $\Theta$  independent of  $X(t)$  and uniformly distributed on  $[-\pi, \pi]$

- (a) Find  $E[Y(t)]$
- (b) Find the autocorrelation of  $Y(t)$
- (c) Is  $Y(t)$  wide-sense stationary?

2.6 The random processes  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$  are statistically independent, have zero mean and have autocorrelation functions

$$\begin{aligned}R_{XX}(\tau) &= e^{-|\tau|} \\ R_{YY}(\tau) &= \cos(2\pi\tau)\end{aligned}$$

- (a) Find the autocorrelation function of  $W_1(t) = X(t) + Y(t)$
- (b) Find the autocorrelation function of  $W_2(t) = X(t) - Y(t)$
- (c) Find the cross-correlation function of  $W_1(t)$  and  $W_2(t)$

2.7 Given two w.s.s. random processes  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$ . Find expressions for the autocorrelation function of  $W(t) = X(t) + Y(t)$  if:

- (a)  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$  are correlated
- (b)  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$  are uncorrelated
- (c)  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$  are uncorrelated with zero mean

Try to use means over cross-correlations if possible.

2.8 Consider random processes

$$\begin{aligned}Y_1(t) &= X(t)\cos(\omega_0 t) \\ Y_2(t) &= Y(t)\cos(\omega_0 t + 2\Theta)\end{aligned}$$

where  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$  are jointly wide-sense stationary processes.

- (a) If  $\Theta \sim U(\theta_0, \theta_1)$  and independent of  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$ , are there any conditions on  $\Theta$  that will make  $Y_1(t)$  and  $Y_2(t)$  orthogonal?

2.9

Consider random processes

$$\begin{aligned}X(t) &= A\cos(\omega_0 t + \Theta) \\ Y(t) &= B\sin(\omega_0 t + \Theta)\end{aligned}$$

where  $A$ ,  $B$ , and  $\omega_0$  are constants while  $\Theta$  is a random variable uniform on  $[0, 2\pi]$ .  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$  are zero-mean, wide-sense stationary with autocorrelation functions:

$$\begin{aligned}R_{XX}(\tau) &= (A^2/2)\cos(\omega_0\tau) \\ R_{YY}(\tau) &= (B^2/2)\cos(\omega_0\tau)\end{aligned}$$

Are  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$  jointly wide-sense stationary?

## Exercises to UNIT 2- Part II: Spectral Characteristics

2.10

Given that  $X(t) = \sum_{i=1}^N \alpha_i X_i(t)$  where  $\alpha_i$  are real constants, show that

$$\mathcal{S}_{XX}(\omega) = \sum_{i=1}^N \alpha_i^2 \mathcal{S}_{X_i X_i}(\omega)$$

if

- (a) the processes  $X_i(t)$  are orthogonal
- (b) the processes are independent with zero mean

2.11

If  $X(t)$  is a stationary process, find the power spectrum of  $Y(t) = A_0 + B_0 X(t)$

in terms of the power spectrum of  $X(t)$  if  $A_0$  and  $B_0$  are real constants.

2.12 The autocorrelation function of a random process  $X(t)$  is

$$R_{XX}(\tau) = 3 + 2e^{-4\tau^2}$$

Find

- (a) The power spectrum of  $X(t)$
- (b) The average power of  $X(t)$
- (c) The fraction of power that lies in the frequency band  $-1/\sqrt{2} \leq \omega \leq 1/\sqrt{2}$

2.13 Given a random process with autocorrelation  $R_{XX}(\tau) = P \cos^4(\omega_0 \tau)$ , find

- (a)  $\mathcal{S}_{XX}(\omega)$
- (b)  $P_{XX}$  from  $\mathcal{S}_{XX}(\omega)$
- (c)  $P_{XX}$  from  $R_{XX}(\tau)$



2.14 Given a random process with autocorrelation

$$R_{XX}(\tau) = A e^{-\alpha|\tau|} \cos(\omega_0 \tau)$$

where  $A > 0$ ,  $\alpha > 0$ , and  $\omega_0$  are real constants, find the power spectrum.

2.15 A random process is given by

$$W(t) = AX(t) + BY(t)$$

where  $A$  and  $B$  are real constants and  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$  are jointly wide-sense stationary processes. Find

- (a) The power spectrum of  $W(t)$  as a function of  $\mathcal{S}_{XX}(\omega)$ ,  $\mathcal{S}_{YY}(\omega)$ ,  $\mathcal{S}_{XY}(\omega)$  and  $\mathcal{S}_{YX}(\omega)$

- (b) The power spectrum of  $W(t)$  as a function of  $S_{XX}(\omega)$ ,  $S_{YY}(\omega)$ ,  $\bar{X}$  and  $\bar{Y}$ , if  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$  are uncorrelated
- (c)  $\mathcal{S}_{XW}(\omega)$  and  $\mathcal{S}_{WX}$  as functions of  $S_{XX}(\omega)$ ,  $S_{YY}(\omega)$ ,  $S_{XY}(\omega)$  and  $S_{YX}(\omega)$
- 2.16 A wide-sense stationary  $X(t)$  is applied to an ideal differentiator, so that  $Y(t) = dX(t)/dt$ . The cross-correlation of the input-output processes is known to be
- $$R_{XY}(\tau) = dR_{XX}(\tau)/dt$$
- (a) Determine  $\mathcal{S}_{XY}(\omega)$  in terms of  $\mathcal{S}_{XX}(\omega)$
- (b) Determine  $\mathcal{S}_{YX}(\omega)$  in terms of  $\mathcal{S}_{XX}(\omega)$
- 2.17 The cross-correlation of jointly wide-sense stationary processes  $X(t)$  and  $Y(t)$  is assumed to be
- $$R_{XY}(\tau) = Be^{-W\tau}u(\tau)$$
- where  $B > 0$  and  $W > 0$  are constants. Find
- (a)  $R_{YX}(\tau)$
- (b)  $\mathcal{S}_{XY}(\omega)$  (use appendix C from Peebles' book)
- (c)  $\mathcal{S}_{YX}(\omega)$  (use cross-power density properties)
- 2.18 Consider two random process  $X_1(t)$  and  $X_2(t)$ . The mean of  $X_1(t)$  is equal to  $A$  ( $A > 0$ ) and  $X_2(t)$  is a white noise with power density  $5$  W/(rad/s). Given an LTI system with impulse response
- $$h(t) = e^{-\alpha t}u(t).$$
- with  $\alpha > 0$ . Find
- (a) The mean value of the response of the LTI system if the input is  $X_1(t)$
- (b) The average power (second-order moment) of the response of the system if the input is  $X_2(t)$ .
- 2.19 A random process  $X(t)$  with known mean  $\bar{X}$  is the input of an LTI system with impulse response
- $$h(t) = te^{-Wt}u(t).$$
- Find
- (a) The mean value of the response of the LTI system
- (b) The average power (second-order moment) of the response of the system if  $X(t)$  is a white noise with power density  $5$  W/(rad/s).

- 2.20 A white noise with power density  $N_0/2$  is applied to a network with impulse response of a system with impulse response
- $$h(t) = Wte^{-Wt}u(t)$$
- where  $W$  is a real positive constant. Find the cross-correlation of the reponse of input and the output of the system.
- 2.21 A stationary random process  $X(t)$ , having an autocorrelation function  $R_{XX} = 2e^{-4|\tau|}$  is applied to the network of the figure below. Find the power spectrum of the output of the system.

