

HW 1 Solutions

- 1.8. (a) $\mathcal{R}e\{x_1(t)\} = -2 = 2e^{0t} \cos(0t + \pi)$
 (b) $\mathcal{R}e\{x_2(t)\} = \sqrt{2} \cos(\frac{\pi}{4}) \cos(3t + 2\pi) = \cos(3t) = e^{0t} \cos(3t + 0)$
 (c) $\mathcal{R}e\{x_3(t)\} = e^{-t} \sin(3t + \pi) = e^{-t} \cos(3t + \frac{\pi}{2})$
 (d) $\mathcal{R}e\{x_4(t)\} = -e^{-2t} \sin(100t) = e^{-2t} \sin(100t + \pi) = e^{-2t} \cos(100t + \frac{\pi}{2})$

1.13.

$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t x(\tau) dt = \int_{-\infty}^t (\delta(\tau + 2) - \delta(\tau - 2)) dt = \begin{cases} 0, & t < -2 \\ 1, & -2 \leq t \leq 2 \\ 0, & t > 2 \end{cases}$$

Therefore,

$$E_{\infty} = \int_{-2}^2 dt = 4$$

17. (a) The system is not causal because the output $y(t)$ at some time may depend on future values of $x(t)$. For instance, $y(-\pi) = x(0)$.
 (b) Consider two arbitrary inputs $x_1(t)$ and $x_2(t)$.

$$x_1(t) \rightarrow y_1(t) = x_1(\sin(t))$$

$$x_2(t) \rightarrow y_2(t) = x_2(\sin(t))$$

Let $x_3(t)$ be a linear combination of $x_1(t)$ and $x_2(t)$. That is,

$$x_3(t) = ax_1(t) + bx_2(t)$$

where a and b are arbitrary scalars. If $x_3(t)$ is the input to the given system, then the corresponding output $y_3(t)$ is

$$\begin{aligned} y_3(t) &= x_3(\sin(t)) \\ &= ax_1(\sin(t)) + bx_2(\sin(t)) \\ &= ay_1(t) + by_2(t) \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, the system is linear.

