

HW 5

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## 1 Problem 5.3, Chapter 5

Determine the Fourier transform for  $-\pi \leq \omega < \pi$  in the case of each of the following periodic signals (a)  $\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}n + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$  (b)  $2 + \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}n + \frac{\pi}{8}\right)$

solution

### 1.1 Part a

Since the signal is periodic, then the Fourier transform is given by

$$X(\Omega) = 2\pi \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k \delta(\Omega - k\Omega_0) \quad (1)$$

Where  $a_k$  are the Fourier series coefficients of  $x[n]$ . To determine  $a_k$  we can expression  $x[n]$  using Euler relation. To find the period,  $\frac{\pi}{3}N = m2\pi$ . Hence  $\frac{m}{N} = \frac{1}{6}$ . Hence

$$N = 6$$

Therefore  $\Omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{N} = \frac{\pi}{3}$ . Now, using Euler relation

$$\begin{aligned} \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{3}n + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) &= \frac{e^{j\left(\frac{\pi}{3}n + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)} - e^{-j\left(\frac{\pi}{3}n + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)}}{2j} \\ &= \frac{1}{2j} e^{j\frac{\pi}{4}} \left(e^{j\frac{\pi}{3}n}\right) - \frac{1}{2j} e^{-j\frac{\pi}{4}} \left(e^{-j\frac{\pi}{3}n}\right) \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

Comparing (2) to Fourier series expansion of periodic signal given by

$$\begin{aligned} x[n] &= \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} a_k e^{jk\Omega_0 n} \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^5 a_k e^{jk\Omega_0 n} \\ &= \sum_{k=-2}^3 a_k e^{jk\Omega_0 n} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\Omega_0 = \frac{\pi}{3}$  then the above becomes

$$x[n] = \sum_{k=-2}^3 a_k e^{jk\frac{\pi}{3}n}$$

Comparing the above with (2) shows that  $a_1 = \frac{1}{2j} e^{j\frac{\pi}{4}}$  and  $a_{-1} = -\frac{1}{2j} e^{-j\frac{\pi}{4}}$  and all other  $a_k = 0$  for  $k = -2, 0, 2, 3$ . Hence (1) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} X(\Omega) &= 2\pi (a_{-1} \delta(\Omega + \Omega_0) + a_1 \delta(\Omega - \Omega_0)) \\ &= 2\pi \left( -\frac{1}{2j} e^{-j\frac{\pi}{4}} \delta\left(\Omega + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + \frac{1}{2j} e^{j\frac{\pi}{4}} \delta\left(\Omega - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) \right) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{j} \left( -e^{-j\frac{\pi}{4}} \delta\left(\Omega + \frac{\pi}{3}\right) + e^{j\frac{\pi}{4}} \delta\left(\Omega - \frac{\pi}{3}\right) \right) \end{aligned}$$

### 1.2 Part b

Since the signal  $2 + \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}n + \frac{\pi}{8}\right)$  is periodic, then the Fourier transform is given by

$$X(\Omega) = 2\pi \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k \delta(\Omega - k\Omega_0) \quad (1)$$

Where  $a_k$  are the Fourier series coefficients of  $x[n]$ . To determine  $a_k$  we can expression  $x[n]$  using Euler relation. To find the period,  $\frac{\pi}{6}N = m2\pi$ . Hence  $\frac{m}{N} = \frac{1}{12}$ . Hence

$$N = 12$$

Therefore  $\Omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{N} = \frac{\pi}{6}$ . Now, using Euler relation

$$\begin{aligned} 2 + \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}n + \frac{\pi}{8}\right) &= 2 + \frac{e^{j\left(\frac{\pi}{6}n + \frac{\pi}{8}\right)} + e^{-j\left(\frac{\pi}{6}n + \frac{\pi}{8}\right)}}{2} \\ &= 2 + \frac{1}{2}e^{j\frac{\pi}{8}}\left(e^{j\frac{\pi}{6}n}\right) + \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\frac{\pi}{8}}\left(e^{-j\frac{\pi}{6}n}\right) \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

Comparing (2) to Fourier series expansion of periodic signal given by

$$\begin{aligned} x[n] &= \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} a_k e^{jk\Omega_0 n} \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{11} a_k e^{jk\Omega_0 n} \\ &= \sum_{k=-5}^6 a_k e^{jk\Omega_0 n} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $\Omega_0 = \frac{\pi}{6}$  then the above becomes

$$x[n] = \sum_{k=-5}^6 a_k e^{jk\frac{\pi}{6}n}$$

Comparing the above with (2) shows that  $a_0 = 2$ ,  $a_1 = \frac{1}{2}e^{j\frac{\pi}{8}}$  and  $a_{-1} = \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\frac{\pi}{8}}$  and all other  $a_k = 0$ . Hence (1) becomes

$$\begin{aligned} X(\Omega) &= 2\pi(a_0\delta(\Omega) + a_{-1}\delta(\Omega + \Omega_0) + a_1\delta(\Omega - \Omega_0)) \\ &= 2\pi\left(2\delta(\Omega) + \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\frac{\pi}{8}}\delta\left(\Omega + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) + \frac{1}{2}e^{j\frac{\pi}{8}}\delta\left(\Omega - \frac{\pi}{6}\right)\right) \\ &= 4\pi\delta(\Omega) + \pi e^{-j\frac{\pi}{8}}\delta\left(\Omega + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) + \pi e^{j\frac{\pi}{8}}\delta\left(\Omega - \frac{\pi}{6}\right) \end{aligned}$$

## 2 Problem 5.5, Chapter 5

Use the Fourier transform synthesis equation (5.8)

$$x[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{2\pi} X(\Omega) e^{j\Omega n} d\Omega \quad (5.8)$$

$$X(\Omega) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] e^{-j\Omega n} \quad (5.9)$$

To determine the inverse Fourier transform of  $X(\Omega) = |X(\Omega)| e^{j \arg H(\Omega)}$ , where  $|X(\Omega)| = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 \leq |\Omega| < \frac{\pi}{4} \\ 0 & \frac{\pi}{4} \leq |\Omega| < \pi \end{cases}$  and  $\arg H(\Omega) = \frac{-3\Omega}{2}$ . Use your answer to determine the values of  $n$  for which  $x[n] = 0$ .

solution

$$\begin{aligned} x[n] &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{2\pi} X(\Omega) e^{j\Omega n} d\Omega \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{2\pi} |X(\Omega)| e^{j \arg H(\Omega)} e^{j\Omega n} d\Omega \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} e^{j \arg H(\Omega)} e^{j\Omega n} d\Omega \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} e^{j \frac{-3\Omega}{2}} e^{j\Omega n} d\Omega \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} e^{j\Omega \left(\frac{-3}{2} + n\right)} d\Omega \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{1}{j \left(\frac{-3}{2} + n\right)} \left[ e^{j\Omega \left(\frac{-3}{2} + n\right)} \right]_{-\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{1}{j \left(\frac{-3}{2} + n\right)} \left[ e^{j \frac{\pi}{4} \left(\frac{-3}{2} + n\right)} - e^{-j \frac{\pi}{4} \left(\frac{-3}{2} + n\right)} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{-3}{2} + n\right)} \left[ \frac{e^{j \frac{\pi}{4} \left(\frac{-3}{2} + n\right)} - e^{-j \frac{\pi}{4} \left(\frac{-3}{2} + n\right)}}{2j} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{-3}{2} + n\right)} \sin \left( \frac{\pi}{4} \left( \frac{-3}{2} + n \right) \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{4} \left( n - \frac{3}{2} \right) \right)}{n - \frac{3}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

Now the above is zero when  $\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{4} \left( n - \frac{3}{2} \right) \right) = 0$  or  $\frac{\pi}{4} \left( n - \frac{3}{2} \right) = m\pi$  for integer  $m$ . Hence  $n - \frac{3}{2} = 4m$ . Or  $n = 4m + \frac{3}{2}$ . Since  $m$  is integer, and since  $n$  must be an integer as well, then there is no finite  $n$  where  $\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{4} \left( n - \frac{3}{2} \right) \right) = 0$ . The other option is to look at denominator of  $\frac{\sin \left( \frac{\pi}{4} \left( n - \frac{3}{2} \right) \right)}{n - \frac{3}{2}}$  and ask where is that  $\infty$ . This happens when  $n \rightarrow \pm\infty$  and only then  $x[n] = 0$ .

### 3 Problem 5.9, Chapter 5

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The following four facts are given about a real signal  $x[n]$  with Fourier transform  $X(\Omega)$

1.  $x[n] = 0$  for  $n > 0$
2.  $x[0] > 0$
3.  $\text{Im}(X(\Omega)) = \sin \Omega - \sin(2\Omega)$
4.  $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |X(\Omega)|^2 d\Omega = 3$

Determine  $x[n]$

solution

From tables we know that the odd part of  $x[n]$  has Fourier transform which is  $j \text{Im}(X(\Omega))$ . Hence using (3) above, this means that odd part of  $x[n]$  has Fourier transform of  $j(\sin \Omega - \sin(2\Omega))$  or  $j\left(\frac{e^{j\Omega} - e^{-j\Omega}}{2j} - \frac{e^{j2\Omega} - e^{-j2\Omega}}{2j}\right)$  or  $\frac{1}{2}(e^{j\Omega} - e^{-j\Omega} - e^{j2\Omega} + e^{-j2\Omega})$ . From tables, we know find the inverse Fourier transform of this. Hence odd part of  $x[n]$  is  $\frac{1}{2}(\delta[n+1] - \delta[n-1] - \delta[n+2] + \delta[n-2])$ . So now we know what the odd part of  $x[n]$  is.

But since  $x[n] = 0$  for  $n > 0$  then the odd part of  $x[n]$  reduces to  $\frac{1}{2}(\delta[n+1] - \delta[n+2])$ .

But we also know that any function can be expressed as the sum of its odd part and its even part. But since  $x[n] = 0$  for  $n > 0$  then this means  $x[n] = 2\left(\frac{1}{2}(\delta[n+1] - \delta[n+2])\right)$  for  $n < 0$ . Hence

$$x[n] = \delta[n+1] - \delta[n+2] \quad n < 0$$

Finally, using (4) above,

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |X(\Omega)|^2 d\Omega = 3 = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |x[n]|^2 = \sum_{n=-\infty}^0 |x[n]|^2$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} 3 &= |\delta[-1]|^2 + |\delta[-2]|^2 + |x[0]|^2 \\ &= 1 + 1 + |x[0]|^2 \\ x[0]^2 &= 3 - 2 \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

Therefore  $x[n] = 1$  or  $x[n] = -1$ . But from (2)  $x[0] > 0$ . Hence  $x[0] = 1$ . Therefore

$$x[n] = \delta[n+1] - \delta[n+2] + \delta[n] \quad n \leq 0$$

## 4 Problem 5.13, Chapter 5

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An LTI system with impulse response  $h_1[n] = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n u[n]$  is connected in parallel with another causal LTI system with impulse response  $h_2[n]$ . The resulting parallel interconnection has the frequency response

$$H(\Omega) = \frac{-12 + 5e^{-j\Omega}}{12 - 7e^{-j\Omega} + e^{-j2\Omega}}$$

Determine  $h_2[n]$ .

solution

Since the connection is parallel, then  $h[n] = h_1[n] + h_2[n]$ . Or  $H(\Omega) = H_1(\Omega) + H_2(\Omega)$ . Hence

$$H_2(\Omega) = H(\Omega) - H_1(\Omega) \quad (1)$$

But

$$\begin{aligned} H_1(\Omega) &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h_1[n] e^{-j\Omega n} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n e^{-j\Omega n} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{3} e^{-j\Omega}\right)^n \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a^n = \frac{1}{1-a} = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{3} e^{-j\Omega}} \\ &= \frac{3}{3 - e^{-j\Omega}} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore from (1)

$$H_2(\Omega) = \frac{-12 + 5e^{-j\Omega}}{12 - 7e^{-j\Omega} + e^{-j2\Omega}} - \frac{3}{3 - e^{-j\Omega}}$$

Let  $e^{-j\Omega} = x$  to simplify notation. The above becomes

$$\begin{aligned} H_2(\Omega) &= \frac{-12 + 5x}{12 - 7x + x^2} - \frac{3}{3 - x} \\ &= \frac{-12 + 5x}{(x-3)(x-4)} + \frac{3}{(x-3)} \\ &= \frac{-12 + 5x + 3(x-4)}{(x-3)(x-4)} \\ &= \frac{-12 + 5x + 3x - 12}{(x-3)(x-4)} \\ &= \frac{8x - 24}{(x-3)(x-4)} \\ &= \frac{8(x-3)}{(x-3)(x-4)} \\ &= \frac{8}{(x-4)} \\ &= -2 \left( \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{4}x} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$H_2(\Omega) = -2 \left( \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{4} e^{-j\Omega}} \right)$$

from tables,  $a^n u[n] \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1-ae^{-j\Omega}}$  for  $|a| < 1$ . Comparing this to the above gives

$$h_2[n] = -2 \left( \frac{1}{4} \right)^n u[n]$$

## 5 Problem 5.19, Chapter 5

Consider a causal and stable LTI system  $S$  whose input  $x[n]$  and output  $y[n]$  are related through the second-order difference equation

$$y[n] - \frac{1}{6}y[n-1] - \frac{1}{6}y[n-2] = x[n]$$

(a) Determine the frequency response  $H(\Omega)$  for the system  $S$ . (b) Determine the impulse response  $h[n]$  for the system  $S$ .

solution

### 5.1 part a

Taking DFT of the difference equation gives

$$\begin{aligned} Y(\Omega) - \frac{1}{6}e^{-j\Omega}Y(\Omega) - \frac{1}{6}e^{-j2\Omega}Y(\Omega) &= X(\Omega) \\ Y(\Omega) \left(1 - \frac{1}{6}e^{-j\Omega} - \frac{1}{6}e^{-j2\Omega}\right) &= X(\Omega) \\ \frac{Y(\Omega)}{X(\Omega)} &= \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{6}e^{-j\Omega} - \frac{1}{6}e^{-j2\Omega}} \end{aligned}$$

Let  $e^{-j\Omega} = x$  to simplify the notation, then

$$\frac{Y(\Omega)}{X(\Omega)} = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{6}x - \frac{1}{6}x^2} = \frac{6}{6 - x - x^2} = \frac{-6}{x^2 + x - 6} = \frac{-6}{(x-2)(x+3)}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} H(\Omega) &= \frac{Y(\Omega)}{X(\Omega)} \\ &= \frac{-6}{(e^{-j\Omega} - 2)(e^{-j\Omega} + 3)} \end{aligned}$$

### 5.2 part b

Applying partial fractions

$$H(\Omega) = \frac{-6}{(e^{-j\Omega} - 2)(e^{-j\Omega} + 3)} = \frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{B}{x+3}$$

Hence  $A = -\frac{6}{5}, B = \frac{6}{5}$ . Therefore

$$\begin{aligned} H(\Omega) &= -\frac{6}{5} \frac{1}{e^{-j\Omega} - 2} + \frac{6}{5} \frac{1}{e^{-j\Omega} + 3} \\ &= -\frac{3}{5} \frac{1}{\frac{1}{2}e^{-j\Omega} - 1} + \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{\frac{1}{3}e^{-j\Omega} + 1} \\ &= \frac{3}{5} \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\Omega}} + \frac{2}{5} \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{3}e^{-j\Omega}} \end{aligned}$$

Taking the inverse DFT using tables gives

$$\begin{aligned} h[n] &= \frac{3}{5} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u[n] + \frac{2}{5} \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^n u[n] \\ &= \left(\frac{3}{5} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n + \frac{2}{5} \left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^n\right) u[n] \end{aligned}$$



## 6 Problem 5.30, Chapter 5

In Chapter 4, we indicated that the continuous-time LTI system with impulse response

$$h(t) = \frac{W}{\pi} \operatorname{sinc}\left(\frac{Wt}{\pi}\right) = \frac{\sin(Wt)}{\pi t}$$

plays a very important role in LTI system analysis. The same is true of the discrete time LTI system with impulse response

$$h(n) = \frac{W}{\pi} \operatorname{sinc}\left(\frac{Wn}{\pi}\right) = \frac{\sin(Wn)}{\pi n}$$

(a) Determine and sketch the frequency response for the system with impulse response  $h[n]$ . (b) Consider the signal  $x[n] = \sin\left(\frac{\pi n}{8}\right) - 2\cos\left(\frac{\pi n}{4}\right)$ . Suppose that this signal is the input to LTI systems with the following impulse responses. Determine the output in each case (i)  $h[n] = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi n}{6}\right)}{\pi n}$ . (ii)  $h[n] = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi n}{6}\right)}{\pi n} + \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi n}{2}\right)}{\pi n}$

solution

### 6.1 Part a

Given  $h(n) = \frac{W}{\pi} \operatorname{sinc}\left(\frac{Wn}{\pi}\right) = \frac{\sin(Wn)}{\pi n}$ . We will show that  $H(\Omega)$  is the rectangle function by reverse. Assuming that  $H(\Omega) = \begin{cases} 1 & |\Omega| < 2W \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$  therefore

$$\begin{aligned} x[n] &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-W}^W X(\Omega) e^{j\Omega n} d\omega \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-W}^W e^{j\Omega n} d\omega \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{e^{jWn} - e^{-jWn}}{jn} \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi n} \sin(Wn) \end{aligned}$$

Which is the  $h[n]$  given. Therefore, the above shows that  $\frac{\sin(Wn)}{\pi n}$  has DFT of  $H(\Omega)$  as the rectangle function. Here is sketch

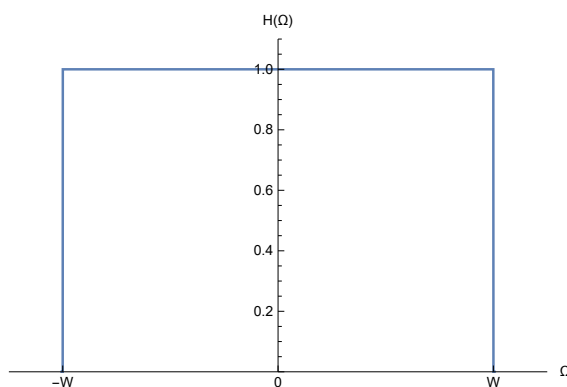


Figure 1: Plot of  $H(\Omega)$

### 6.2 Part b

$$x[n] = \sin\left(\frac{\pi n}{8}\right) - 2\cos\left(\frac{\pi n}{4}\right)$$

(i)  $h[n] = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi n}{6}\right)}{\pi n}$ . Hence  $y[n] = x[n] \otimes h[n]$ . Or  $Y(\Omega) = X(\Omega)H(\Omega)$ , and then we find  $y[n]$  by taking the inverse discrete Fourier transform. Here is the result and the code used. The result is

$$y[n] = \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{8}\right)$$

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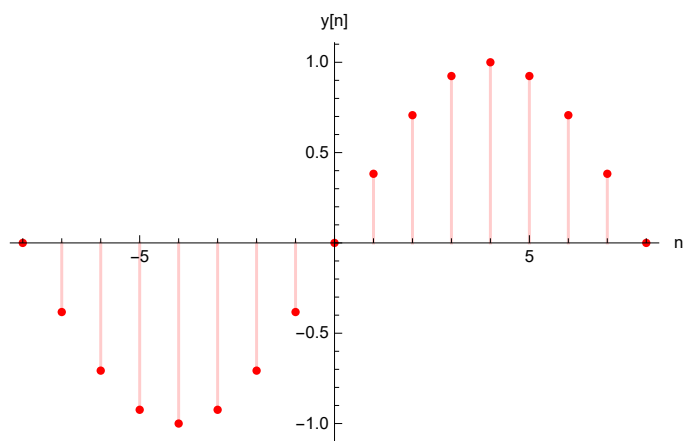
ClearAll[h, x, n];
x[n_] := Sin[ $\frac{\pi n}{8}$ ] - 2 Cos[ $\frac{\pi n}{4}$ ];
h[n_] :=  $\frac{1}{\pi n}$  Sin[ $\frac{\pi n}{6}$ ];
X = FourierSequenceTransform[x[n], n, w, FourierParameters -> {1, 1}];
H = FourierSequenceTransform[h[n], n, w, FourierParameters -> {1, 1}];
y = InverseFourierSequenceTransform[X * H, w, n]

Out[*]= Sin[ $\frac{n \pi}{8}$ ]

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Figure 2: Code used to generate  $y[n]$ 

Here is plot of  $y[n]$  for  $n = -8 \dots 8$

Figure 3: Plot of above  $y[n]$ 

(ii)  $h[n] = \frac{\sin(\frac{\pi n}{6})}{\pi n} + \frac{\sin(\frac{\pi n}{2})}{\pi n}$ . Here is the result and the code used. The result is

$$y[n] = 2 \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{8}\right) - 2 \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{4}\right)$$

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In[*]:= ClearAll[h, x, n, w];
x[n_] := Sin[ $\frac{\pi n}{8}$ ] - 2 Cos[ $\frac{\pi n}{4}$ ];
h1[n_] :=  $\frac{1}{\pi n}$  Sin[ $\frac{\pi n}{6}$ ]
h2[n_] :=  $\frac{1}{\pi n}$  Sin[ $\frac{\pi n}{2}$ ];
X = FourierSequenceTransform[x[n], n, w, FourierParameters -> {1, 1}];
H1 = FourierSequenceTransform[h1[n], n, w, FourierParameters -> {1, 1}];
H2 = FourierSequenceTransform[h2[n], n, w, FourierParameters -> {1, 1}];
y1 = InverseFourierSequenceTransform[X * H1, w, n];
y2 = InverseFourierSequenceTransform[X * H2, w, n];
y = y1 + y2

Out[*]= -2 Cos[ $\frac{n \pi}{4}$ ] + 2 Sin[ $\frac{n \pi}{8}$ ]

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Figure 4: Code used to generate  $y[n]$

Here is plot of  $y[n]$  for  $n = -8 \dots 8$

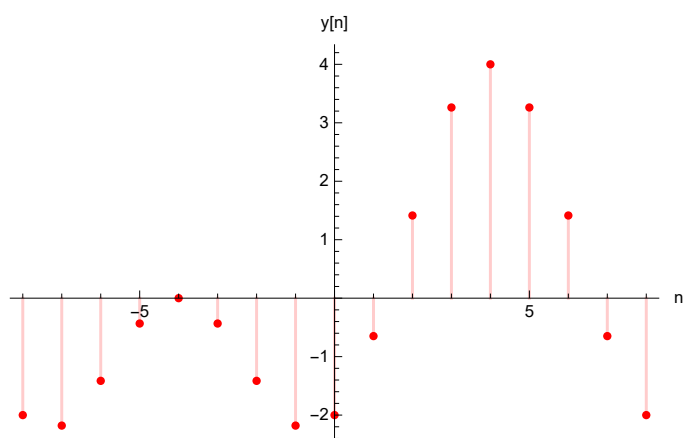


Figure 5: Plot of above  $y[n]$