

EECS 861
Homework #8

1. (Concept: Conditional probabilities of RP's given PDS's)

$X(t)$ is a wide sense stationary zero mean, Gaussian random processes with a power spectral density of $S_x(f) = 14.14 e^{-2\pi f^2}$. [Hint: see Homework 7-problem 4]

- Find $E[X(t)]$, $\text{Var}[X(t)]$, $E[X(t+0.1)]$, and $\text{Var}[X(t+0.1)]$
- What is the distribution of $X(t)$, i.e., name of pdf and its parameters?
- Find $P(X(t) > 4)$
- What is the covariance matrix for $X(t)$ and $X(t+0.1)$?
- What is the joint distribution of $X(t)$ and $X(t+0.1)$, i.e., name of pdf and its parameters?
- What is the correlation coefficient between $X(t)$ and $X(t+0.1)$?
- Find $P(X(t+0.1) > 4 | X(t) = 3.5)$
- Approximate $P(X(t+20) > 4 | X(t) = 3.5)$

Hint: Check the result for part g. with **Study of the Conditional probability $P(X(t+\tau) > L | X(t) = y)$ for Gaussian Random Process given Different Autocorrelation Functions**

2. (Concept: Comparison of different definitions of the bandwidth of a RP)

For a random process with a PSD of $S_x(f) = 10 e^{-\frac{f^2}{2\alpha}}$

- Find the B_{eff}
- Find the $B_{3\text{dB}}$
- Find root mean square bandwidth, B_{RMS} (Hint: See Homework 1 Problem 2)
- Compare the above definitions of bandwidth.

3. (Concept: Correlation time)

Given the random process from problem 2,

- Find the correlation time τ_c
- Compare the correlation time to $\frac{1}{2B_{\text{eff}}}$, $\frac{1}{2B_{3\text{dB}}}$ and $\frac{1}{2B_{\text{RMS}}}$, and which bandwidth definition best matches the correlation time.
- What is the approximate correlation coefficient between $X(t)$ and $X(t + \frac{1}{2\sqrt{\alpha}})$?

4. (Concept: Criteria for being a PSD)

Determine whether the following functions can be the power spectral density for a WSS real valued random process (YES or NO).

- a. $\text{rect}\left(\frac{f}{10}\right)$
- b. $e^{+j\pi f^2}$
- c. $\Lambda(10f)$
- d. $10e^{-(f+0.10)}$
- e. $e^{-j\pi f^2}$
- f. $5\delta(f) + \sin(200\pi f)$
- g. $\delta(f) + 4\delta(f+200) + 4\delta(f-200)$

5. (Concept: Finding autocorrelation functions from PSDs)

The random process $X(t)$ is WSS. For each of the autocorrelation functions below find and plot the corresponding power spectral density, $S_X(f)$.

a) $R_{XX}(\tau) = 16 \cos(2\pi 1000\tau)$

b) $R_{XX}(\tau) = \frac{8}{1+4\pi^2\tau^2}$

c) $R_{XX}(\tau) = 16\Lambda\left(\frac{\tau}{4}\right)$

d) $R_{XX}(\tau) = 16e^{-\left|\frac{\tau}{2}\right|}$

e) $R_{XX}(\tau) = 16e^{-\pi\left(\frac{\tau}{2}\right)^2}$

6. (Concept: total power and power in band)

A power spectral density for a WSS random process $X(t)$ is

$$S_X(f) = 0.001 \Lambda\left(\frac{f}{100 \text{ kHz}}\right)$$

- a. Find $E[X^2(t)]$.
- b. Find the Average power.
- c. Find the % power the band $[0, 50 \text{ kHz}]$

7. (Concept: Correlation properties of RV's defined at different times of a RP)

Given $X(t)$ is Gaussian RP with $S_X(f) = \frac{2L}{1+4f^2L^2\pi^2}$.

- a. Find $R_{XX}(\tau)$.
- b. Given $R_{XX}(\tau)$ from part a. and set $L = 5.0$, $\tau_1=1.0$, $\tau_2=2.0$, and $\tau_3=3$ find the covariance matrix for $X(t)$, $X(t-\tau_1)$, $X(t-\tau_2)$, $X(t-\tau_3)$.
- c. Given $X(t)=0$ and $X(t-\tau_1)=0$, find the correlation coefficient between $X(t-\tau_2)$, $X(t-\tau_3)$.

To confirm your result use: **Interactive Gaussian Process Visualization**

Hint: see **Conditional Bivariate distributions from a 4-Dimensional Multivariate Gaussian**