

★ response to complex exponential

- consider the zero-state response due to the input

$$x(t) = e^{st}, s = \sigma + j\omega \quad \text{a complex signal,}$$

given a system with impulse response $h(t)$,

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= (h * x)(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau) e^{s(t-\tau)} d\tau \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau) e^{st - s\tau} d\tau = e^{st} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau) e^{-s\tau} d\tau \\ &= H(s) e^{st} = H(s)x(t) \end{aligned}$$

- This shows if we apply e^{st} as input we get a weighted e^{st} as output

- The weight, for fixed s is $H(s) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau) e^{-s\tau} d\tau$
the Laplace transform of $h(t)$,
(much more about this later)

- Example: Suppose we have a first order system with

$$h(t) = e^{-5t} u(t)$$

and input $x(t) = e^{(-1+j2\pi)t}$, i.e. $s = -1 + j2\pi$

The output is $y(t) = H(-1 + j2\pi) e^{(-1+j2\pi)t}$

where $H(\underbrace{-1 + j2\pi}_{s}) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau) e^{-(s+\tau)} d\tau$

thus

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{-1 + j2\pi} e^{(-1+j2\pi)t}$$

also a complex signal.

$$= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-5\tau} e^{(-1-j2\pi)\tau} d\tau$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-4\tau} e^{-j2\pi\tau} d\tau$$

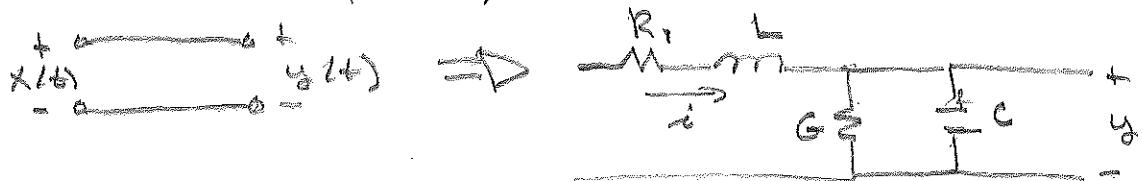
$$= \frac{1}{(-1+j2\pi)+5}$$

$$\frac{1}{4+j\omega}$$

we will
see this
in detail
later.

★ System time constant.

- Motivation: Consider a model of a short wire, or trace on a circuit board



where G is admittance = $\frac{1}{R_2}$

- Suppose we put a switch on a 5 volt source at x and throw it. How long does it take the voltage to reach 5 V on the other end (at y)?

- Circuit analysis

$$\text{KVL: } x - y = R_i + L i' \quad (1)$$

$$\text{KCL: } i = G_y + C_y' \quad (2)$$

$$i' = G_y' + C_y'' \quad (3)$$

Substitute 2,3 into 1 gives

$$y'' + \underbrace{\left(\frac{R}{L} + \frac{G}{C} \right)}_{a_1} y' + \underbrace{\left(\frac{1}{LC} + \frac{R^2}{L^2} \right)}_{a_2} y = \underbrace{\frac{1}{LC} x}_b$$

a second order system $y'' + a_1 y' + a_2 y = b x$.

where $x(t) = V_u(t)$ where $V = 5$ in our example,

• Impulse response,

$$y_n = C_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} + C_2 e^{\lambda_2 t} \quad \text{where } \lambda_1, \lambda_2 \text{ are roots of } D^2 + a_1 D + a_2.$$

$$y_n'(0) = 1 \quad y_n(0) = 0$$

$$y_n' = \lambda_1 C_1 e^{\lambda_1 t} + \lambda_2 C_2 e^{\lambda_2 t}$$

$$y_n'(0) = \lambda_1 C_1 + \lambda_2 C_2 = 1 \Rightarrow C_1 = \frac{1}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2}$$

$$y_n(0) = C_1 + C_2 = 0$$

$$C_2 = \frac{1}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1}$$

Applying P(D) gives

$$h(t) = \left[\frac{b}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} e^{\lambda_1 t} + \frac{b}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1} e^{\lambda_2 t} \right] u(t)$$

- Transmission line example cont.

- To find the response to $v_o(t)$

$$\begin{aligned}
 y(t) &= (h * x)(t) = \int h(\tau) d\tau \\
 y(t) &= \int_0^t \frac{b}{\lambda_1 - \lambda_2} e^{\lambda_1 \tau} + \int_0^t \frac{b}{\lambda_2 - \lambda_1} e^{\lambda_2 \tau} \\
 &= \left[\frac{b}{-\lambda_1(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)} (1 - e^{\lambda_1 t}) + \frac{b}{-\lambda_2(\lambda_2 - \lambda_1)} (1 - e^{\lambda_2 t}) \right] v(t) \\
 &= \left[\frac{b(1 - e^{\lambda_1 t})}{-\lambda_1^2 + \lambda_1 \lambda_2} + \frac{b(1 - e^{\lambda_2 t})}{-\lambda_2^2 + \lambda_1 \lambda_2} \right] v(t)
 \end{aligned}$$

- Recall λ_1, λ_2 depend on a_1, a_2 which depend on the model parameters R, L, G, C .

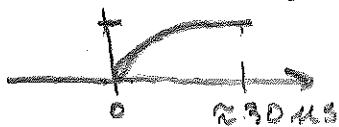
For ≈ 3 feet of CAT-5 cable.

$$R = 0.176 \Omega \quad L = 0.49 \times 10^{-6} H$$

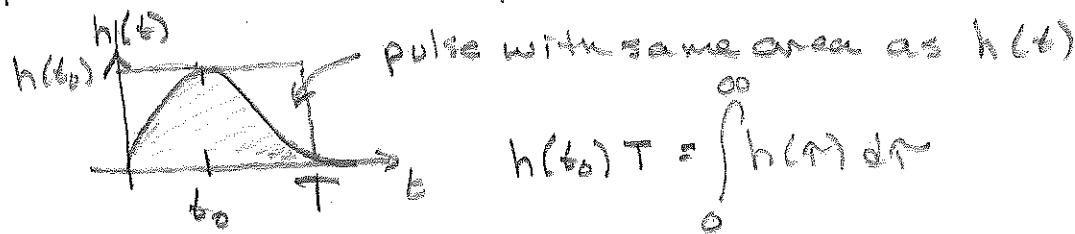
$$G = \frac{1}{10^4} \text{ Siemens} \left(\frac{1}{H} \right) \quad C = 0.049 \times 10^{-9} F$$

[DEMO] Let's plot this.

- We see the step input gets attenuated and dispersed



This delay can be thought of as a square pulse approximation of the impulse response.

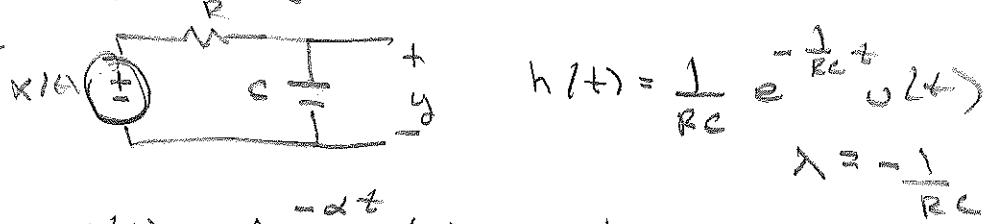


* T is the system's time constant, how fast it responds and depends on the model.

★ Resonance.

- Consider what happens when the input is close to modes of the system (roots of $\zeta(s)$)

example



$$\text{Suppose } x(t) = A e^{-\alpha t} u(t) \quad \text{then.}$$

$$\text{From Table: } y(t) = (x * h)(t) = \frac{A}{RC} \frac{e^{-\alpha t} - e^{-\lambda t}}{\alpha - \lambda} u(t)$$

Note when $\alpha \approx \lambda \frac{1}{d-\lambda}$ is large

when $d-\lambda$ is large $\frac{1}{d-\lambda}$ is small

*This will become the basis of filter design *

- Taken to the extreme $\alpha = \lambda$

$$\text{Let } \alpha = \lambda - \epsilon \text{ and } \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} y(t) = \frac{A}{RC} t e^{\lambda t} u(t)$$

This is called resonance. $y(t)$ grows as t until the $e^{\lambda t}$ term decreases.

[DEMO]

- Note resonance is useful in electrical systems but can be destructive in mechanical systems,