

100 QUESTIONS FOR MEDE2500 CHECK LIST

- (1) $a + jb = re^{j\theta}$, express r, θ in terms of a and b
- (2) $re^{j\theta} = a + jb$, express a, b in terms of r and θ
- (3) For a signal $f(t) = A \sin(2\pi ft + \phi)$ what are the meaning of A, f and ϕ ?
- (4) For a signal $f(t) = A \sin(2\pi ft + \phi)$, what is period of this signal?
- (5) For a signal $f(t) = A \sin(2\pi ft + \phi)$, what is the energy of this signal ?
- (6) For a signal $f(t) = A \sin(2\pi ft + \phi)$, what is the power of this signal ?
- (7) For a signal $f(t) = A \sin(2\pi ft + \phi)$, what is RMS value of this signal ?
- (8) What does “linear system” mean? Write down a linear system and a non-linear system.
- (9) What does “BIBO stable” mean? Write down a stable system and a non-stable system
- (10) What does “causal” mean? Write down a causal system and a non-causal system
- (11) What does “time-invariant” mean? Write down a time-invariant system and a time-variant system
- (12) What is Euler’s Formula? Write it down
- (13) What is Shannon-Nyquist Sampling Theorem? Write it down.
- (14) For two signals $\cos(\omega_0 t)$ and $\cos(\omega_1 t)$, plot their spectrum by Euler’s Formula. Plot the spectrum of $\cos(\omega_0 t) \cos(\omega_1 t)$, what is the effect of multiplication on the spectrum?
- (15) For a signal $x(t) = \cos(2\pi f_1 t + \phi)$, find the sampling frequency, and find $x[n]$ by applying that sampling frequency
- (16) What happen if sampling frequency does not satisfy the sampling theorem?
- (17) What is the aliasing frequency if aliasing occur?
- (18) What is the normalized frequency in the sampling process? Write it down
- (19) For signal $f(t) = A \sin(2\pi ft + \phi)$, plot the spectrum
- (20) For signal $f(t) = A \cos(2\pi ft + \phi)$, plot the spectrum
- (21) For signal $f(t) = A \sin(2\pi f_1 t + \phi) + B \cos(2\pi f_2 t + \phi_2)$ is this signal periodic ? If yes, what is the period of this signal? Also what should be the sampling frequency?
- (22) For signal $f(t) = A \sin(2\pi f_1 t + \phi) + B \cos(2\pi f_2 t + \phi_2)$, plot the spectrum
- (23) For signal $f(t) = A \sin(2\pi f_1 t + \phi) B \cos(2\pi f_2 t + \phi_2)$ is this signal periodic ? If yes, what is the period of this signal? Also what should be the sampling frequency?
- (24) For signal $f(t) = A \sin(2\pi f_1 t + \phi) B \cos(2\pi f_2 t + \phi_2)$, plot the spectrum
- (25) For signal $f(t) = A \sin^2(2\pi f_1 t + \phi)$ is this signal periodic ? If yes, what is the period of this signal? Also what should be the sampling frequency?
- (26) For signal $f(t) = A \sin^2(2\pi f_1 t + \phi)$, plot the spectrum
- (27) For signal $f(t) = A \sin^n(2\pi f_1 t + \phi)$ is this signal periodic ? If yes, what is the period of this signal? Also what should be the sampling frequency?
- (28) For signal $f(t) = A \sin^n(2\pi f_1 t + \phi)$, plot the spectrum
- (29) What are even function and odd function? Write down their properties
- (30) For signal $f(t)$, it can be expressed as sum of a even function $f_e(t)$ and a odd function $f_o(t)$. Write down $f_e(t)$ and $f_o(t)$ interms of $f(t)$.
- (31) What is Real Fourier Series ? Write it down. Also write down the ways to find the coefficients.
- (32) What happen to the Fourier coefficients if the signal under analysis is even? What about odd?
- (33) What is Complex Fourier Series? Write it down. Also write down the way to find the coefficients.
- (34) What is Fourier Transform ? Write it down.
- (35) What is Z-transform ? Write it down.
- (36) What is Discrete-Time Fourier Transform? Write it down.
- (37) For periodic signal $x(t) = \begin{cases} A & 0 \leq t \leq \frac{T}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{T}{2} \leq t \leq T \end{cases}$, $x(t+nT) = x(t)$, plot it out, find the Fourier Series of this signal, plot the spectrum
- (38) For periodic signal $x(t) = \begin{cases} A & 0 \leq t \leq \frac{T}{2} \\ -A & \frac{T}{2} \leq t \leq T \end{cases}$, $x(t+nT) = x(t)$, plot it out, find the Fourier Series of this signal, plot the spectrum

- (39) For aperiodic signal $x(t) = \begin{cases} A & 0 \leq t \leq \frac{T}{2} \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$, plot it out, find the Fourier Transform of this signal, plot the spectrum
- (40) For aperiodic signal $x(t) = \begin{cases} A & 0 \leq t \leq \frac{T}{2} \\ -A & \frac{T}{2} \leq t \leq T \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$, plot it out, find the Fourier Transform of this signal, plot the spectrum
- (41) What is $\delta(t)$, $u(t)$ and $r(t)$? Write it out their expression. What are the relationships between them?
- (42) What is $\delta[n]$, $u[n]$ and $r[n]$? Write it out their expression. What are the relationships between them?
- (43) For $\delta(t)$, find its Fourier Transform. Plot the spectrum. What is the sampling frequency for this signal?
- (44) For $u(t)$, find its Fourier Transform. Plot the spectrum. What is the sampling frequency for this signal?
- (45) For $r(t)$, find its Fourier Transform. Plot the spectrum. What is the sampling frequency for this signal?
- (46) Plot $u(t)$, $u(-t)$, $u(2t)$, $u(-2t)$, $u(0.5t)$, $u(-0.5t)$, $u(t-1)$, $u(-t-1)$, $u(t+1)$, $u(-t+1)$
- (47) Plot $u(t) + u(-t)$, $u(t-a) - u(t-b)$, $u(t-a) + u(t-b)$, $u(a-t) - u(b-t)$, $u(t+a) - u(t+b)$
- (48) Simplify the expressions: $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t)u(t)dt$, $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t)u(-t)dt$, $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t)u(t-a)dt$, $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t)u(t+a)dt$, $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t)u(-t+a)dt$, $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t)u(-t-a)dt$
- (49) What is convolution in continuous time? Write it down for signal $x(t)$ and $h(t)$
- (50) What is convolution in discrete time? Write it down for signal $x[n]$ and $h[n]$
- (51) For continuous time system, what is impulse response?
- (52) For continuous time system, given the impulse response is $h(t)$, what is the output of the system if $u(t)$ is the input?
- (53) For a continuous time system, the input $x_1(t)$ produces $y_1(t)$, find the output $y_2(t)$ if $x_2(t)$ is injected into the same system. Find $y_2(t)$ using convolution (time domain method)
- (54) For a continuous time system, the input $x_1(t)$ produces $y_1(t)$, find the output $y_2(t)$ if $x_2(t)$ is injected into the same system. Find $y_2(t)$ using Fourier Transform (frequency domain method)
- (55) For discrete time system, what is "impulse response"?
- (56) For discrete time system, what does "finite impulse response" mean?
- (57) For discrete time system, what does "infinite impulse response" mean?
- (58) For discrete time system, given the impulse response of a system as $h[n]$, what is the output of the system if $u[t]$ is the input?
- (59) For a discrete time system, the input $x_1[n]$ produce $y_1[n]$, find the output $y_2[n]$ if $x_2[n]$ is injected into the same system by both time domain method.
- (60) For a discrete time system, the input $x_1[n]$ produce $y_1[n]$, find the output $y_2[n]$ if $x_2[n]$ is injected into the same system by z-domain method.
- (61) What are the meaning of zeros and poles? How to determine the stability of a discrete system by the positions of zeros and poles?
- (62) For discrete system equation $y[n] = a_0x[n] + a_1x[n-1] + a_2x[n-2]$, write down the transfer function
- (63) For discrete system equation $y[n] = a_0x[n] + a_1x[n-1] + a_2x[n-2]$, what are the zeros and poles?
- (64) For discrete system equation $y[n] = \sum_{i=1}^N a_i x[n-i]$, write down the transfer function
- (65) For discrete system equation $y[n] = \sum_{i=1}^N a_i x[n-i]$, what are the zeros and poles?
- (66) For discrete system equation $b_0y[n] + b_1y[n-1] + b_2y[n-2] = a_0x[n] + a_1x[n-1] + a_2x[n-2]$, write down the transfer function
- (67) For discrete system equation $b_0y[n] + b_1y[n-1] + b_2y[n-2] = a_0x[n] + a_1x[n-1] + a_2x[n-2]$, what are the zeros and poles?
- (68) For discrete system equation $\sum_{i=1}^M b_i y[n-i] = \sum_{i=1}^N a_i x[n-i]$, write down the transfer function.
- (69) For discrete system equation $\sum_{i=1}^M b_i y[n-i] = \sum_{i=1}^N a_i x[n-i]$, what are the zeros and poles?
- (70) Find the Z-transform of $\delta[n]$
- (71) Find the Z-transform of $u[n]$
- (72) Find the Z-transform of $a^n u[n]$, $a < 1$
- (73) Find the Z-transform of $r[n]$ ($r[n] = nu[n]$)
- (74) Solve $1 + z^{-1} + z^{-2} = 0$
- (75) Solve $1 + z^{-1} + z^{-2} + z^{-3} = 0$
- (76) Solve $1 + z^{-1} + z^{-2} + z^{-3} + z^{-4} = 0$
- (77) What is partial fraction?

- (78) $a, b > 0$, perform fast partial fraction on $\frac{1}{(z^{-1} + a)(z^{-1} + b)}$, draw the zeros and poles in the complex plane
- (79) $a, b, c > 0$, perform fast partial fraction on $\frac{1}{(z^{-1} + a)(z^{-1} + b)(z^{-1} + c)}$, draw the zeros and poles in the complex plane
- (80) $a, b, c > 0$, perform fast partial fraction on $\frac{z^{-1} + c}{(z^{-1} + a)(z^{-1} + b)}$, draw the zeros and poles in the complex plane
- (81) $a, b, c > 0$, perform fast partial fraction on $\frac{z^{-1} + c}{(z^{-1} + a)(z^{-1} + b)(z^{-1} + d)}$, draw the zeros and poles in the complex plane
- (82) $a, b, c > 0$, perform fast partial fraction on $\frac{1}{(z^{-1} + a)^2(z^{-1} + b)}$, draw the zeros and poles in the complex plane
- (83) $a, b, c > 0$, perform fast partial fraction on $\frac{1}{(z^{-1} + a)^2(z^{-1} + b)^2}$, draw the zeros and poles in the complex plane
- (84) Using words, describe the process of doing inverse Z-Transform by partial fraction and table look-up
- (85) What does “frequency response” means?
- (86) What is the relationships between $h(t)$ and $H(e^{j\omega})$? (Note. Some book write $H(e^{j\omega})$ as $H(\omega)$)
- (87) What are the relationships between $h[n]$, $H(z)$ and $H(e^{j\omega})$? (Note. Some book write $H(e^{j\omega})$ as $H(\omega)$)
- (88) What does “magnitude response” means?
- (89) What does “phase response” means?
- (90) What is the output of a system $H(e^{j\omega})$ if the input is $A \cos(\omega_0 t + \phi_0)$? Write down the expression of the output.
- (91) What is the output of a system $H(e^{j\omega})$ if the input is $A \cos(\omega_0 n + \phi_0)$? Write down the expression of the output.
- (92) For signal $f[n] = A \sin[2\pi f_1 n + \phi] + B \cos[2\pi f_2 n + \phi_2]$ is this signal periodic ? If yes, what is the period of this signal? Plot the spectrum
- (93) For signal $f[n] = A \sin[2\pi f_1 n + \phi] \cos[2\pi f_2 n + \phi_2]$ is this signal periodic ? If yes, what is the period of this signal? Plot the spectrum
- (94) Given the Fourier Transform of $x(t)$ is $X(\omega)$, find the Fourier Transform of $x(t - \alpha)$, $\frac{d}{dt}x(t)$ and $\int_0^T x(t)dt$
- (95) Given the Z-Transform of $x[n]$ is $X(z)$, find the Z-Transform of $x[n - k]$ and $x[n + k]$ (k is positive)
- (96) What is inverse Fourier Transform ? Write it down
- (97) Given $H(\omega) = \begin{cases} 1 & |\omega| \leq \omega_c \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$, where ω_c denote the cut-off frequency, plot it out in frequency domain
- (98) Given $H(\omega) = \begin{cases} 1 & |\omega| \leq \omega_c \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$, find $h(t)$ by inverse Fourier Transform , express $h(t)$ as as a function of $\text{sinc}t \left(\text{sinc}\theta = \frac{\sin\theta}{\theta} \right)$
- (99) For Fourier Transform pairs $x(t)$ and $X(\omega)$, what is the Parseval Theorem ? Write it down
- (100) For Z-Transform paris $x[n]$ and $X(z)$, what is the Parseval Theorem ? Write it down