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**Midterm Exam #1**



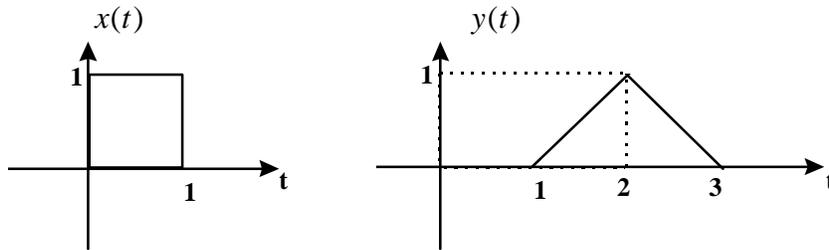
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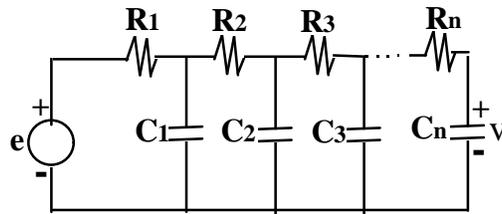
**Problem 1:** (*Classification of the Systems*)

A system is found to have zero-state response,  $y(t)$ , when the input,  $x(t)$ , is applied. Is this system a) causal, b) time-varying, c) zero-memory, and/or d) zero-state linear? Justify your answer.



**Problem 2:** (*Mathematical Representation*)

Derive the state space representation for the RL ladder circuit given below: (where  $\mathbf{e}$  is the input voltage and  $\mathbf{V}$  is the output voltage)



**Problem 3:** (*Realization Theory*)

Find a minimal *observable* canonical form realization (i.e., its simulation diagram and state space representation) for the following MISO system described by

$$H(s) = \left[ \begin{array}{c} \frac{2s+3}{s^3+4s^2+5s+2} \quad \frac{s^2+2s+2}{s^4+3s^3+3s^2+s} \end{array} \right]$$

**Problem 4:**

Find the observable canonical form realization (in minimal order) from discrete-time system

$$y(k+3) + 3ky(k+2) + e^{-k}y(k+1) + y(k) = k^2u(k+3) - (k+1)u(k+1).$$

Notice that gain blocks may be  $k$  dependent.

**Problem 5:** (Best Estimate)

What is your best (i.e., in least mean square sense) estimate of Longhorns vs. Cowboys game ?

