

Homework 2 (Stationary Stochastic Processes)

1. We define $X_0 = Y_0$ and $X_n = \lambda X_{n-1} + Y_n$ for $n \geq 1$. Suppose Y_0, Y_1, \dots are uncorrelated random variables with $E[Y_n] = 0$ and
$$\text{var}(Y_n) = \begin{cases} \sigma^2/(1 - \lambda^2), & n = 0 \\ \sigma^2, & n \geq 1 \end{cases} \text{ where } \lambda^2 < 1.$$
Find $\text{Cov}(X_n, X_{n+m})$. Is this process WSS? why?
2. Prove that $\text{Var}(X(t+s) - X(t)) = 2R_X(0) - 2R_X(s)$. let $X(t)$ be a WSS.
3. let X_i ($i \in Z$) be a process in which the X_i 's are i.i.d. supposing CDF $F_{X_i}(x) = F(x)$, prove that this process is SSS.
4. Consider the process $X(t) = Y(t+T)$ in which $T \sim U(0, T_0)$ and $Y(t)$ is a periodic function with period T_0 . Is this process SSS? Give reasons for your answer.
5. Consider the process $X(t) = Y + Zt$ in which Y and Z are normal $N(1,1)$ and independent random variables. For this process find the correlation function and covariance function.
6. Define $X(t) = A \cos(\omega t) + B \sin(\omega t)$, where A and B are independent unit normal random variables and ω is constant. Show that $X(t)$ is a WSS.
7. Suppose X_1, X_2, \dots are i.i.d with $E[X_i] = 0$ and $\text{var}(X_i) = 4$. For the process $y(n) = X_1 + X_2 + \dots + X_n$ ($n \in N$) find the mean and covariance.