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1. Sketch the signal y(t) = x(t) * h(t), where

$$x(t) = u(t) - u(t - T_1)$$
$$h(t) = \delta(t) - \delta(t - T_2)$$

for:

- (a) $0 < T_1 < T_2$
- (b) $0 < T_2 < T_1$

Make sure you carefully label your graph. Is the LTI system given by h(t) stable, causal?

- 2. Consider the signals $h[n] = (-1)^n \text{ and}$ $x[n] = \delta[n] + \delta[n - 1].$ (a) Sketch x[n] and h[n].(b) Determine (analytically) y[n] = x[n] * h[n].(c) Sketch y[n] = u[n] * x[n].
- 3. Let $h[n] = (-1)^n (u[n] u[n 4])$. Sketch h[n] * h[n].