Concept Question 6-7: How does one determine the length N + 1 of the PSF for motion blur from the spectrum of the blurred image?

The PSF, hence the DSFT of the blurred image, is zero when $\Omega(N+1)/2$ is an integer multiple of π . See Eqs. (6.49) and (6.47) below.

$$\mathbf{H}(\Omega_{1}, \Omega_{2}) = \mathrm{DSFT}\{h[n, m]\}$$

$$= \mathrm{DTFT}_{n \to \Omega_{1}} \left\{ \mathrm{rect} \left[\frac{n - N/2}{N/2} \right] \right\}$$

$$\times \mathrm{DTFT}_{m \to \Omega_{2}} \left\{ \delta[m] \right\} \frac{T}{N}$$

$$= \frac{T}{N} \frac{\sin \left[\Omega_{1} \left(\frac{N+1}{2} \right) \right]}{\sin(\Omega_{1}/2)} e^{-j\Omega_{1}N/2} . \tag{6.49}$$

$$h[n, m] = \mathrm{rect} \left[\frac{n - N/2}{N/2} \right] \delta[m] \Delta_{t} . \tag{6.47}$$