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Lecture Outline

- **What are Transforms?**
- **Why do we Use Transforms?**
- **What are Benefits of Transforms?**
- **Z-Transforms.**
- **Region of Convergence.**
- **Properties of Z-Transforms.**
- **Inverse Z-Transform.**



What are Transforms

- The term *transform* refers to a mathematical operation that takes a given function, called the *original* and returns a new function, referred to as the *image*
- The transformation is often done by an integral or summation formula
- Commonly used transforms are named after **Laplace** and **Fourier**



What Do We Use Transforms

- Transforms are used to change a complicated problem into a simpler one:
 1. The simpler problem is solved in the image domain
 2. By using the inverse transform we obtain the solution in the original domain
- Examples:
 1. Laplace transform to solve a **differential equation**
 2. z transform to solve a **difference equation**



Benefits of Transforms

- Transforms are used to examine nature of signals or sequences
- They are helpful to solve LTI systems by transforming differential or difference equations into **algebraic** equations

$$y_1 = x(t)$$

$$y_2 = y_1 + y_5 + y_6$$

$$y_3 = \omega \int_0^t y_2(\tau) d\tau$$

$$y_4 = \omega \int_0^t y_3(\tau) d\tau$$

$$y_5 = -\frac{1}{Q}y_3$$

$$y_6 = -y_4$$



$$Y_1(s) = X(s)$$

$$Y_2(s) = Y_1(s) + Y_5(s) + Y_6(s)$$

$$Y_3(s) = \omega \frac{Y_2(s)}{s}$$

$$Y_4(s) = \omega \frac{Y_3(s)}{s}$$

$$Y_5(s) = -\frac{1}{Q}Y_3(s)$$

$$Y_6(s) = -Y_4(s)$$



Z-Transforms

- Laplace transforms: are used as a tool for solving continuous-time linear time-invariant systems and electric circuits.
- Z-transforms: are used as a tool for solving discrete-time linear time-invariant systems





Z-Transforms

- For discrete time signals we usually compute z - Transform to analyze the signal in frequency domain.
 - ▶ z - Transform makes it easier to analyze the signal and also reduces the complexity in calculations.
- It plays an important role in analyzing causal systems specified by linear constant-coefficient difference equations



Definition of Z-Transforms

Definition:

The z-transform of a discrete time signal $x[n]$ is defined as:

$$X(Z) = Z\{x[n]\} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x[n]z^{-n}$$

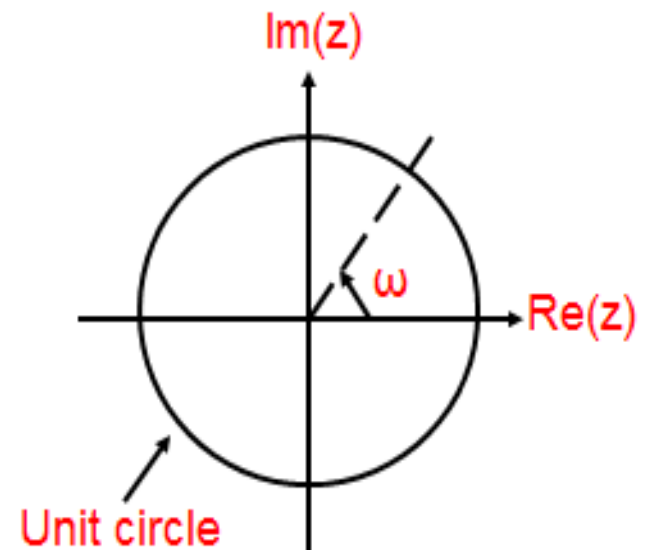
Where $z = r.e^{j\omega}$ is a complex variable.

Notationally, if $x[n]$ has z-transform, we write

$$x[n] \xleftrightarrow{Z} H(z)$$

z-transform may be viewed as the DTFT of an Exponentially weighted sequence.

$$X(Z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x[n]z^{-n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} [r^n x(n)]e^{-jn\omega}$$



Unit circle in the complex z-plane



Complex Numbers

A **complex number** is a number that can be expressed in the form $a + bi$, where a and b are real numbers and i is the imaginary unit, that satisfies the equation $x^2 = -1$, that is, $i^2 = -1$. In this expression, a is the *real part* and b is the *imaginary part* of the complex number.

Complex numbers extend the concept of the one-dimensional number line to the two-dimensional complex plane (also called Argand plane) by using the horizontal axis for the real part and the vertical axis for the imaginary part. The complex number $a + bi$ can be identified with the point (a, b) in the complex plane. A complex number whose real part is zero is said to be purely imaginary, whereas a complex number whose imaginary part is zero is a real number. In this way, the complex numbers contain the ordinary real numbers while extending them in order to solve problems that cannot be solved with real numbers alone.

As well as their use within mathematics, complex numbers have practical applications in many fields, including physics, chemistry, biology, economics, electrical engineering, and statistics. The Italian mathematician Gerolamo Cardano is the first known to have introduced complex numbers. He called them "fictitious" during his attempts to find solutions to cubic equations in the 16th century.



Complex Numbers

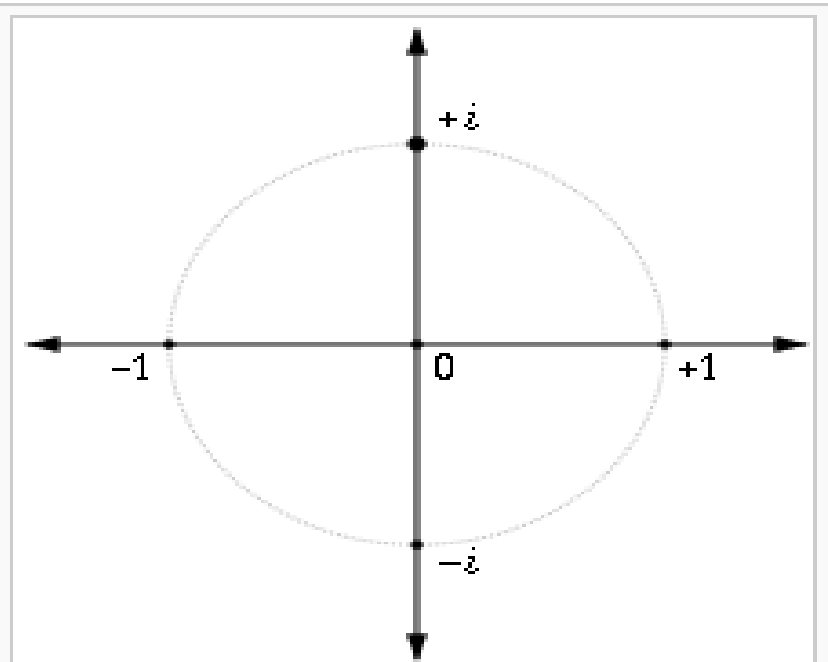
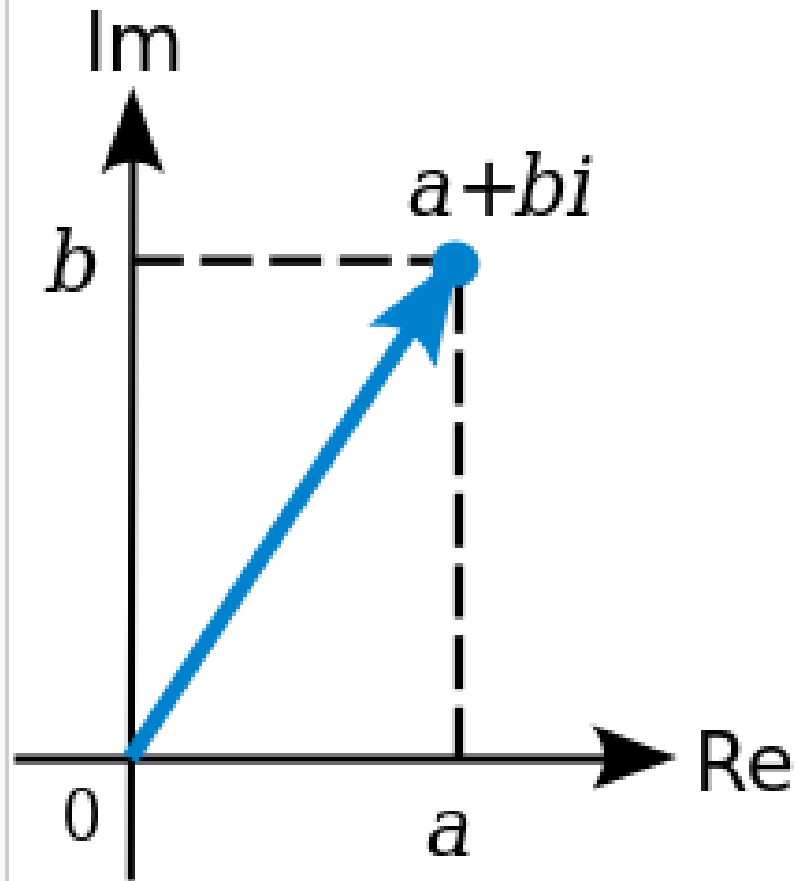
The **imaginary unit** or **unit imaginary number**, denoted as i , is a mathematical concept which extends the real number system \mathbb{R} to the complex number system \mathbb{C} , which in turn provides at least one root for every polynomial $P(x)$ (see algebraic closure and fundamental theorem of algebra). The imaginary unit's core property is that $i^2 = -1$. The term "imaginary" is used because there is no real number having a negative square.


There are in fact two complex square roots of -1 , namely i and $-i$, just as there are two complex square roots of every other real number, except zero, which has one double square root.

In contexts where i is ambiguous or problematic, j or the Greek ι (see alternative notations) is sometimes used. In the disciplines of electrical engineering and control systems engineering, the imaginary unit is often denoted by j instead of i , because i is commonly used to denote electric current.



Complex Numbers



i in the complex or cartesian plane. 
Real numbers lie on the horizontal axis, and imaginary numbers lie on the vertical axis



Complex Numbers

The imaginary number i is defined solely by the property that its square is -1 :

$$i^2 = -1 .$$

With i defined this way, it follows directly from algebra that i and $-i$ are both square roots of -1 .

Although the construction is called "imaginary", and although the concept of an imaginary number may be intuitively more difficult to grasp than that of a real number, the construction is perfectly valid from a mathematical standpoint. Real number operations can be extended to imaginary and complex numbers by treating i as an unknown quantity while manipulating an expression, and then using the definition to replace any occurrence of i^2 with -1 . Higher integral powers of i can also be replaced with $-i$, 1 , i , or -1 :

$$\begin{aligned} i^3 &= i^2 i = (-1)i = -i \\ i^4 &= i^3 i = (-i)i = -(i^2) = -(-1) = 1 \\ i^5 &= i^4 i = (1)i = i \end{aligned}$$

Similarly, as with any non-zero real number:

$$i^0 = i^{1-1} = i^1 i^{-1} = i^1 \frac{1}{i} = i \frac{1}{i} = \frac{i}{i} = 1$$

As a complex number, i is equal to $0 + i$, having a unit imaginary component and no real component (i.e., the real component is zero). In polar form, i is $1 \operatorname{cis} \pi/2$, having an absolute value (or magnitude) of 1 and an argument (or angle) of $\pi/2$. In the complex plane (also known as the Cartesian plane), i is the point located one unit from the origin along the imaginary axis (which is at a right angle to the real axis).

The powers of i return cyclic values:
... (repeats the pattern from blue area)
$i^{-3} = i$
$i^{-2} = -1$
$i^{-1} = -i$
$i^0 = 1$
$i^1 = i$
$i^2 = -1$
$i^3 = -i$
$i^4 = 1$
$i^5 = i$
$i^6 = -1$
... (repeats the pattern from the blue area)



Complex Numbers

$$(a + bi) + (c + di) = (a + c) + (b + d)i.$$

$$(a + bi) - (c + di) = (a - c) + (b - d)i.$$

$$(a + bi)(c + di) = (ac - bd) + (bc + ad)i.$$

$$i^2 = i \times i = -1.$$

$$(a + bi)(c + di) = ac + bci + adi + bidi \text{ (distributive law)}$$

$$= ac + bidi + bci + adi \text{ (commutative law of addition—the order of the summands can be changed)}$$

$$= ac + bdi^2 + (bc + ad)i \text{ (commutative and distributive laws)}$$

$$= (ac - bd) + (bc + ad)i \text{ (fundamental property of the imaginary unit).}$$

$$\frac{a + bi}{c + di} = \left(\frac{ac + bd}{c^2 + d^2} \right) + \left(\frac{bc - ad}{c^2 + d^2} \right) i.$$



Power Series

In mathematics, a **power series** (in one variable) is an **infinite series** of the form

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n (x - c)^n = a_0 + a_1(x - c)^1 + a_2(x - c)^2 + a_3(x - c)^3 + \dots$$

where a_n represents the coefficient of the n th term, c is a constant, and x varies around c (for this reason one sometimes speaks of the series as being *centered* at c). This series usually arises as the **Taylor series** of some known function.

In many situations c is equal to zero, for instance when considering a **Maclaurin series**. In such cases, the power series takes the simpler form

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n x^n = a_0 + a_1 x + a_2 x^2 + a_3 x^3 + \dots$$



Power Series

$$f(x) = 3 + 2x + 1x^2 + 0x^3 + 0x^4 + \dots$$

$$f(x) = 6 + 4(x - 1) + 1(x - 1)^2 + 0(x - 1)^3 + 0(x - 1)^4 + \dots$$

$$e^x = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!} = 1 + x + \frac{x^2}{2!} + \frac{x^3}{3!} + \dots,$$

$$\sin(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n x^{2n+1}}{(2n+1)!} = x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \frac{x^7}{7!} + \dots,$$



Poles and Zeros of Z-Transform

Poles and Zeros

Most useful and important z-transforms-

Rational functions $X(z) = \frac{P(z)}{Q(z)}$

with $P(z), Q(z)$: polynomials in z

Zeros: values of z for which $X(z) = 0$

poles: values of z for which $X(z) = \infty$

roots of $P(z)$: zeros "o" roots of $Q(z)$: poles "x"

may also have poles/zeros at $z = \infty$ [order $Q(z) \neq$ order $P(z)$]

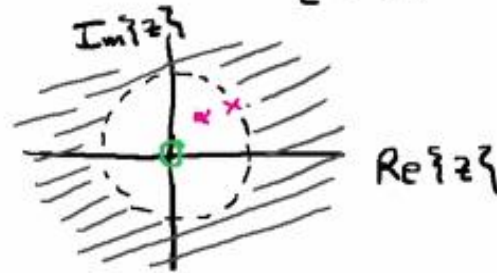


Poles and Zeros of Z-Transform

Examples:

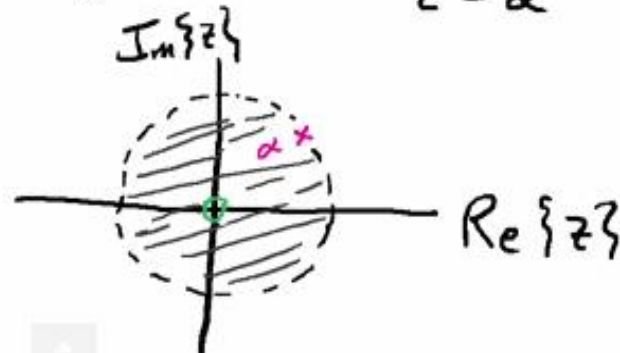
$$1) x[n] = \alpha^n u[n] \quad \xleftrightarrow{z} \quad X(z) = \frac{z}{z - \alpha}, \quad |z| > |\alpha|$$

zero @ $z = 0$
pole @ $z = \alpha$



$$2) x[n] = -\alpha^n u[-n-1] \quad \xleftrightarrow{z} \quad X(z) = \frac{z}{z - \alpha}, \quad |z| < |\alpha|$$

zero @ $z = 0$
pole @ $z = \alpha$





Poles and Zeros of Z-Transform

Examples-

$$3) \quad x[n] = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n u[n] + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u[n] \quad \xleftrightarrow{z}$$

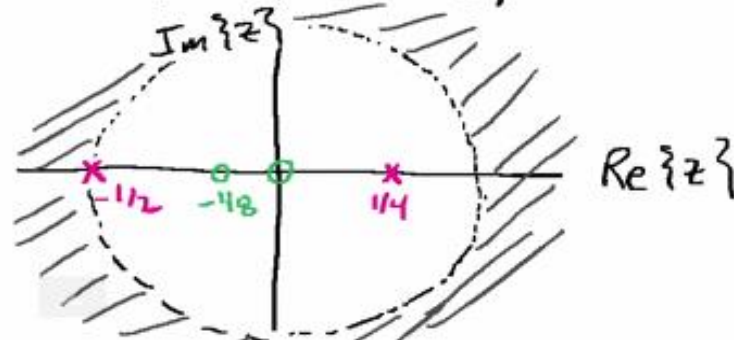
$$X(z) = \frac{z}{z-1/4} + \frac{z}{z+1/2}, \quad |z| > 1/2$$

$$X(z) = \frac{z^2 + 1/2z + z^2 - 1/4z}{(z-1/4)(z+1/2)}, \quad |z| > 1/2$$

$$= \frac{2z^2 + 1/4z}{(z-1/4)(z+1/2)} = \frac{2z(z+1/8)}{(z-1/4)(z+1/2)}, \quad |z| > 1/2$$

zeros @ $z=0, -1/8$

poles @ $z=1/4, -1/2$





Poles and Zeros of Z-Transform

Examples -

$$4) \quad x[n] = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n u[n] - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u[-n-1] \quad \longleftrightarrow \quad z$$

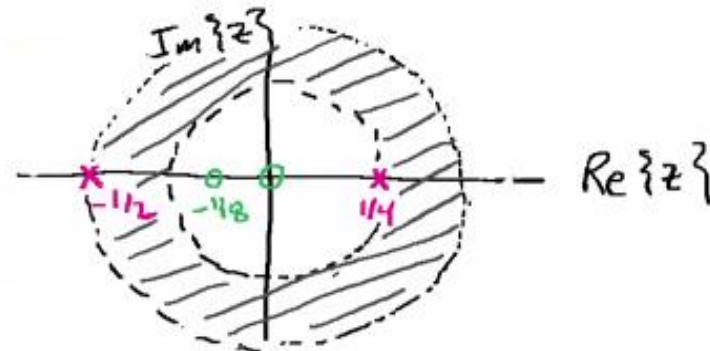
$$X(z) = \underbrace{\frac{z}{z - 1/4}}_{|z| > 1/4} + \underbrace{\frac{z}{z + 1/2}}_{|z| < 1/2}, \quad 1/4 < |z| < 1/2$$

from Ex. 3)

$$X(z) = \frac{z z (z + 1/8)}{(z - 1/4)(z + 1/2)}, \quad 1/4 < |z| < 1/2$$

zeros @ $z = 0, -1/8$

poles @ $z = 1/4, -1/2$





Poles and Zeros of Z-Transform

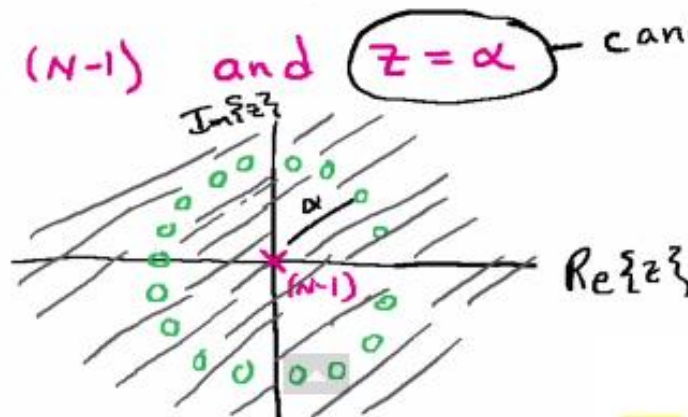
Examples: 5) $x[n] = \begin{cases} \alpha^n & 0 \leq n \leq N-1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

$$X(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] z^{-n} = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} (\alpha z^{-1})^n = \frac{1 - (\alpha z^{-1})^N}{1 - \alpha z^{-1}} = \frac{z^N - \alpha^N}{z^{N-1}(z - \alpha)}$$

ROC: $\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} |\alpha z^{-1}|^n < \infty \Rightarrow |\alpha| < \infty$ and $z \neq 0$
(entire z-plane, except $z=0$)

Zeros: $z^N = \alpha^N \Rightarrow z_k = \alpha e^{j\frac{2\pi}{N}k}$, $k=0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1$

poles: $z=0$ ($N-1$) and $z=\alpha$ — cancels out with zero $z_0 = \alpha$





Poles and Zeros of Z-Transform

Examples: poles & zeros at $z = \infty$

$$6) X(z) = \frac{z+1}{(z+2)(z-1)}$$

zero @ $z = -1$
poles @ $z = -2, 1$ BUT

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} X(z) \approx \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{z} = 0$$

$z = \infty$ is also a zero

$$7) X(z) = \frac{(z+2)(z-1)}{z+1}$$

zero @ $z = -2, 1$ BUT
pole @ $z = -1$

$$\lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} X(z) \approx \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} z = \infty$$

$z = \infty$ is also a pole

If $X(z) = \frac{P(z)}{Q(z)}$ and $\text{order}\{P(z)\} = M$, $\text{order}\{Q(z)\} = N$ and

1) $N > M$, then
 $N - M$ zeros @ $z = \infty$

2) $M > N$, then
 $M - N$ poles @ $z = \infty$



Radius of Convergence

For a power series f defined as:

$$f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} c_n (z - a)^n,$$

where

a is a complex constant, the center of the disk of convergence,

c_n is the n^{th} complex coefficient, and

z is a complex variable.

The radius of convergence r is a nonnegative real number or ∞ such that the series converges if

$$|z - a| < r$$

and diverges if

$$|z - a| > r.$$

In other words, the series converges if z is close enough to the center and diverges if it is too far away. The radius of convergence specifies how close is close enough. On the boundary, that is, where $|z - a| = r$, the behavior of the power series may be complicated, and the series may converge for some values of z and diverge for others. The radius of convergence is infinite if the series converges for all complex numbers z .



Region of Convergence (ROC)

ROC: set of z for which the z transform of a signal $x[n]$ converges (exists)

$$X(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] z^{-n}$$

Case 1: Delay $w[n] = \delta[n - n_0]$

$$W(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta[n - n_0] z^{-n} = z^{-n_0} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{excludes } z=0 \text{ for } n_0 > 0 \\ z=\infty \text{ for } n_0 < 0 \end{array}$$

$$\delta[n - n_0] \xleftrightarrow{z} z^{-n_0} \quad \forall \begin{array}{l} z \neq 0 \text{ if } n_0 > 0 \\ z \neq \infty \text{ if } n_0 < 0 \end{array}$$

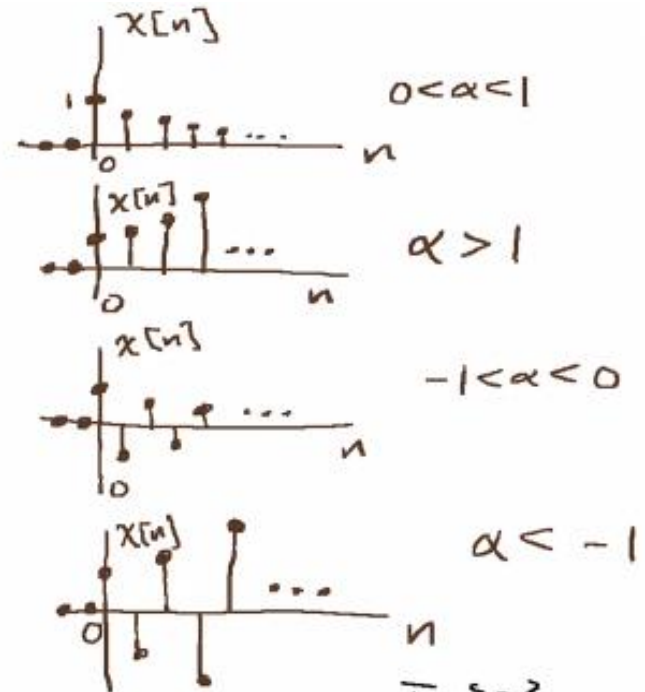


Region of Convergence (ROC)

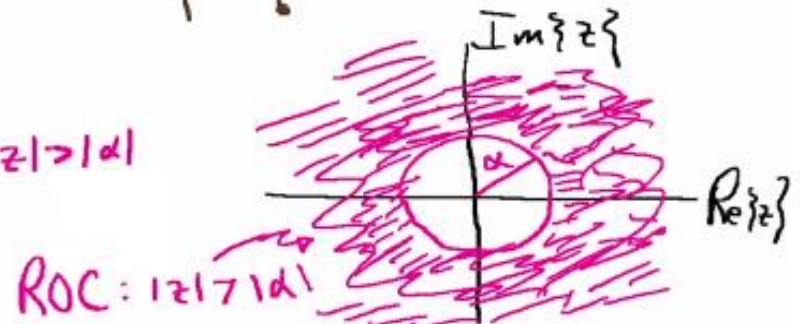
Case 2: $x[n] = \alpha^n u[n]$

$$\begin{aligned}
 X(z) &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] z^{-n} \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \alpha^n z^{-n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (\alpha z^{-1})^n \\
 &= \frac{1}{1 - \alpha z^{-1}} \quad \text{provided } |\alpha z^{-1}| < 1 \\
 &\qquad\qquad\qquad |z| > |\alpha|
 \end{aligned}$$

if $|\alpha z^{-1}| \geq 1$, $X(z)$ does not converge



$$\alpha^n u[n] \xleftrightarrow{z} \frac{1}{1 - \alpha z^{-1}} = \frac{z}{z - \alpha} \quad |z| > |\alpha|$$

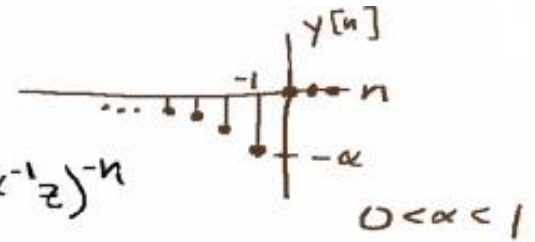




Region of Convergence (ROC)

Case 3: $y[n] = -\alpha^n u[-n-1]$

$$Y(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} y[n] z^{-n} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{-1} -\alpha^n z^{-n} = -\sum_{n=-\infty}^{-1} (\alpha^{-1} z)^{-n}$$



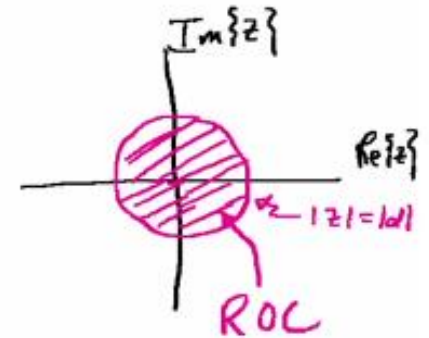
$$= -\sum_{l=1}^{\infty} (\alpha^{-1} z)^l = -\sum_{l=0}^{\infty} (\alpha^{-1} z)^l + 1 = \frac{-1}{1 - \alpha^{-1} z} + 1 \quad \text{for } |\alpha^{-1} z| < 1$$

$$= \frac{\alpha}{z - \alpha} + 1 = \frac{z}{z - \alpha} \quad \left(\text{or } \frac{1}{1 - \alpha z^{-1}} \right) \quad |z| < |\alpha|$$

$$-\alpha^n u[-n-1] \xleftrightarrow{z} \frac{1}{1 - \alpha z^{-1}} = \frac{z}{z - \alpha} \quad |z| < |\alpha|$$

$X(z)$ (or $x(z)$) is identical to $Y(z)$!

Differ in the ROC - z transforms nonunique w/o ROC





Region of Convergence (ROC)

$$X(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] z^{-n}$$

power series in z
 Convergence \Rightarrow absolutely summable

$$\text{Require } \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |x[n] z^{-n}| = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |x[n]| |z|^{-n} < \infty$$

ROC depends on $|z|$ - circles/rings in z -plane

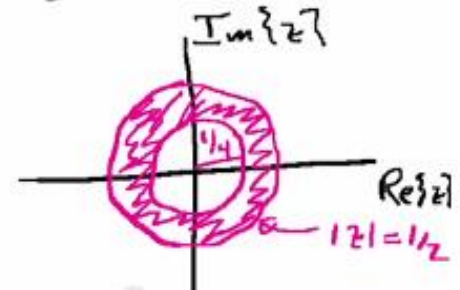
$$\text{Example: } g[n] = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n u[n] - \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u[-n-1]$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n u[n] \xrightarrow{z} \frac{z}{z-1/4}, |z| > 1/4$$

$$-\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u[-n-1] \xrightarrow{z} \frac{z}{z-1/2}, |z| < 1/2$$

$$G(z) = \frac{z}{z-1/4} + \frac{z}{z-1/2}, \quad 1/4 < |z| < 1/2$$

$$= \frac{z^2 - 3/4z}{(z-1/4)(z-1/2)}$$





Region of Convergence (ROC)

Example: $x[n] = u[n] + (-3/4)^n u[-n]$

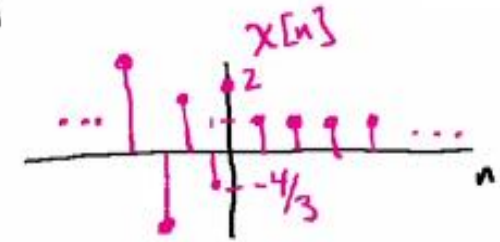
To use transform pairs, rewrite

$$x[n] = u[n] + \delta[n] - (-3/4)^n u[-n-1]$$

$$u[n] \xleftrightarrow{z} \frac{z}{z-1}, \quad |z| > 1$$

$$\delta[n] \xleftrightarrow{z} 1$$

$$-(-3/4)^n u[-n-1] \xleftrightarrow{z} \frac{z}{z+3/4}, \quad |z| < 3/4$$



incompatible

$X(z)$ does not exist!



Region of Convergence (ROC)

Region of Convergence:

Region of Convergence (ROC) is a set of all values of z , for which $X(z)$ attains a finite value. It defines the region for which z-Transform exists.

Since, the z-Transform is a power series, it attains finite value or converges when it is absolutely summable. Stated differently:

$$|X(Z)| = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} (|x[n]z^{-n}|) < \infty$$

We will later on illustrate this concepts by some simple examples.

Properties of ROC:

■ The ROC cannot contain any poles.

- ▶ By definition a pole exists when $X(z)$ is infinite. Since $X(z)$ must be finite for all z for convergence, there cannot be a pole in the ROC.

■ If $x[n]$ is a finite-duration sequence, then the ROC is the entire z -plane, except possibly $|z| = 0$ or $|z| = \infty$.

- ▶ A finite-duration sequence is a sequence that is nonzero in a finite interval $n_1 < n < n_2$. As long as each value of $x[n]$ is finite then the sequence will be absolutely summable.

- ⊕ When $n_2 > 0$ there will be az^{-1} term and thus the ROC will not include $z = 0$.

- ⊕ When $n_2 < 0$ then the sum will be infinite and thus the ROC will not include $|z| = \infty$.

- ⊕ On the other hand, when $n_2 \leq 0$ then the ROC will include $z = 0$, and when $n_1 \geq 0$ the ROC will include $|z| = \infty$.



Region of Convergence

As noted above, the z-Transform converges when $|X(z)| < \infty$, then we can split the infinite sum into positive and negative-time portions. So,

$$|X(Z)| \leq P(Z) + N(Z)$$

$$\text{Where } N(Z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{-1} (|x[n]z^{-n}|) \text{ and } P(Z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (|x[n]z^{-n}|)$$

In order for $X(Z)$ to be finite, $|x[n]|$ must be bounded. Let us now set

$$|x[n]| \leq C_1 r_1^{-n} \quad \text{for } n < 0$$

and
$$|x[n]| \leq C_2 r_2^{-n} \quad \text{for } n \geq 0$$



Region of Convergence

From this some further properties can be derived:

- If $x[n]$ is a right-sided sequence, then the ROC extends outwards from the outermost pole in $X(z)$.

- ▶ A **right-sided sequence** is a sequence where $x[n] = 0$ for $n < n_1 < \infty$. Looking at the positive-time portion from the above derivation, it follows that

$$P(Z) = C_2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (r_2^n z^{-n}) = C_2 \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\left(\frac{r_2}{z} \right)^n \right)$$

- ▶ Thus in order for this sum to converge, $|z| > r_2$, and **therefore the ROC of a right-sided sequence is of the form $|z| > r_2$.**

- If $x[n]$ is a left-sided sequence, then the ROC extends inwards from the innermost pole in $X(z)$

- ▶ A **left-sided sequence** is a sequence where $x[n] = 0$ for $n > n_2 > -\infty$. Looking at the negative-time portion from the above derivation, it follows that

$$N(Z) = C_1 \sum_{n=-\infty}^{-1} (r_1^n z^{-n}) = C_1 \sum_{n=-\infty}^{-1} \left(\left(\frac{r_1}{z} \right)^n \right) = C_1 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left(\left(\frac{z}{r_1} \right)^k \right)$$

- ▶ Thus in order for this sum to converge, $|z| < r_1$, and **therefore the ROC of a left-sided sequence is of the form $|z| < r_1$.**

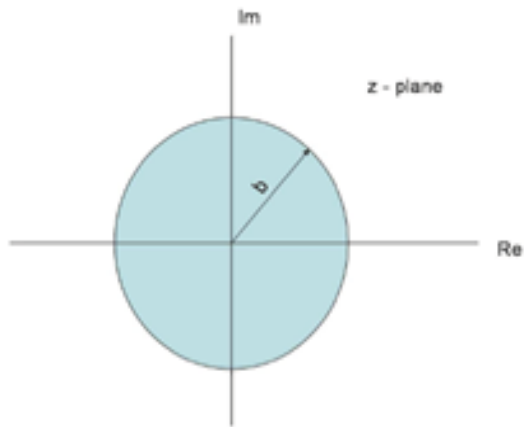


Region of Convergence

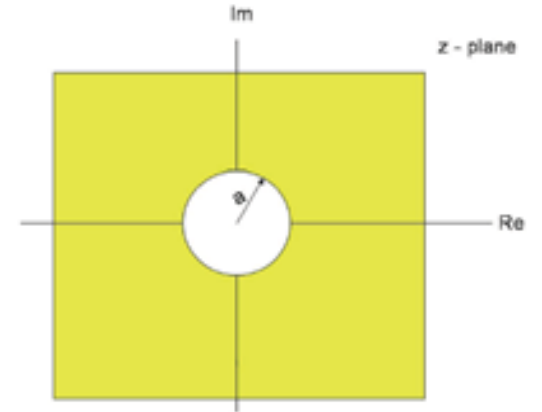
- If $x[n]$ is a two-sided sequence, the ROC will be a ring in the z -plane that is bounded on the interior and exterior by a pole.
 - ▶ A two-sided sequence is a sequence with infinite duration in the positive and negative directions.
- From the derivation of the above two properties, it follows that if $r_2 < r < r_1$ which is common region where both sums are finite, converges thus $X(z)$ converges as well. **Therefore, the ROC of a two-sided sequence is of the form $r_1 < |z| < r_2$.**
- If $r_2 > r_1$, there is no common region of convergence for the two sums and hence $X(z)$ does not exist.



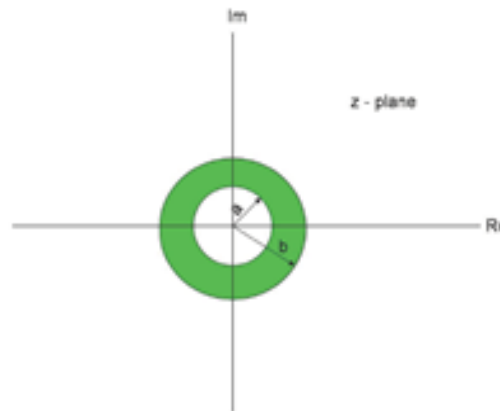
Region of Convergence



ROC for Left-Sided Sequence



ROC for Right-Sided Sequence



ROC for $|X(z)|$



Examples

■ **Example 1:** Determine the z-transform of the following signals

(a) $x[n] = [1, 2, 5, 7, 0, 1]$

Solution: $X(z) = 1 + 2z^{-1} + 5z^{-2} + 7z^{-3} + z^{-5}$, ROC: entire z plane except $z = 0$

(b) $y[n] = [1, 2, \underline{5}, 7, 0, 1]$

Solution: $Y(z) = z^2 + 2z + 5 + 7z^{-1} + z^{-3}$, ROC: entire z-plane except $z=0$ & ∞ .

(c) $z[n] = [0, 0, 1, 2, 5, 7, 0, 1]$

Solution: $z^{-2} + 2z^{-3} + 5z^{-4} + 7z^{-5} + z^{-7}$, ROC: all z except $z=0$

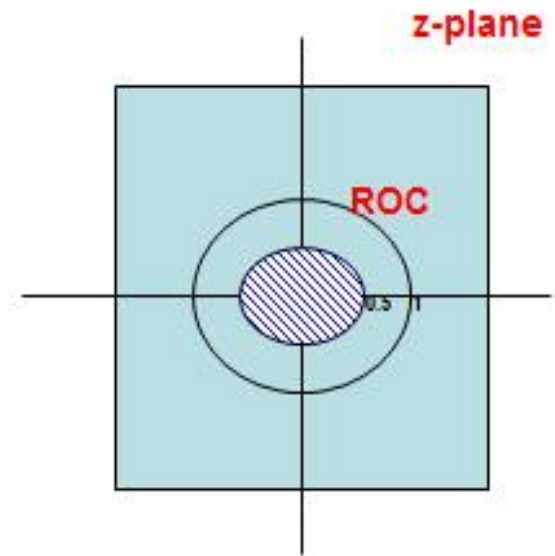


Examples

Example 2: Determine the z-transform of $x[n] = (1/2)^n u[n]$

Solution 2:

$$\begin{aligned} X(z) &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] z^{-n} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n z^{-n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2} z^{-1}\right)^n \\ &= 1 + \frac{1}{2} z^{-1} + \left(\frac{1}{2} z^{-1}\right)^2 + \dots \\ &= \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{2} z^{-1}} \end{aligned}$$



ROC: $|1/2 z^{-1}| < 1$, or equivalently $|z| > 1/2$

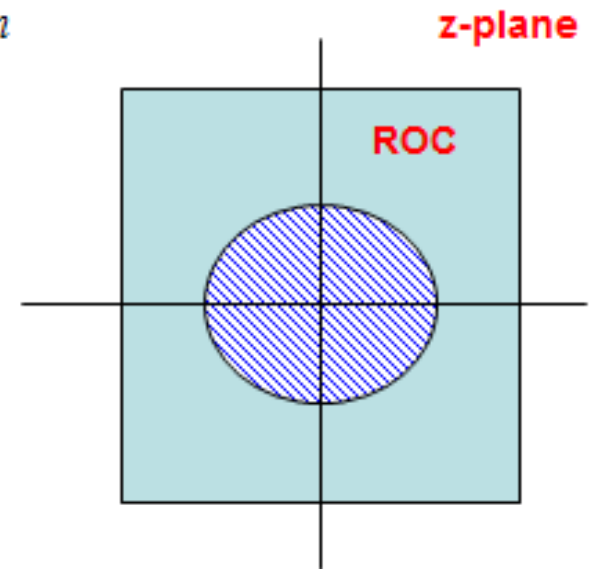


Examples

Example 3: Determine the z-transform of $x[n] = a^n u[n]$

Solution 3:

$$\begin{aligned} X(z) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a^n z^{-n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (az^{-1})^n \\ &= 1 + az^{-1} + (az^{-1})^2 + \dots \\ &= \frac{1}{1 - az^{-1}} = \frac{z}{z - a} \end{aligned}$$



Here, $X(z)$ is taken to be converging, i.e, $|az^{-1}| < 1$ or $|z| > a$. Hence, for the signal $x[n]$ the RoC is entire region outside the circle $z = ae^{j\omega}$



Examples

Example 4: Find out the z-transform of unit impulse sequence.

Solution 4: The unit impulse has only one term that is equal to one when $n = 0$; therefore

$$Z\{\delta(n)\} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \delta(n).z^{-n} = 1.z^{-0} = 1.1 = 1$$

ROC: entire Z plane

Example 5: Find out the z-transform of unit step function.

Solution 5: From the definition of step function and z-transform we get,

$$\begin{aligned} Z\{u(n)\} &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} 1.z^{-n} \\ &= 1 + z^{-1} + z^{-2} + z^{-3} + \dots = \frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}} \end{aligned}$$

ROC: $|z^{-1}| < 1$ or $|z| > 1$



Tutorial

Tutorial 1:

1- Find the z-Transform and ROC of the following:

(a) Unit ramp signal $x[n]=n$

(b) $q[n] = \delta[n - k]$, $k > 0$

(c) $r[n] = \delta[n+k]$, $k > 0$

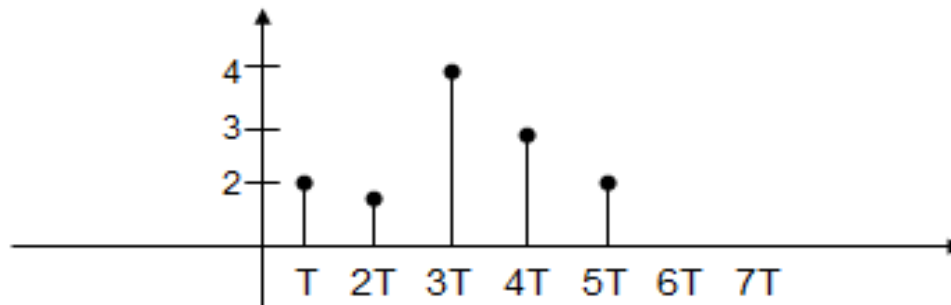
2- Find the z-transform of:

(a) $x(n) = e^{j\theta n}u(n)$

(b) $x(n) = rn \cos(\theta n)u(n)$, where $0 < r \leq 1$

(c) $x(n) = \text{Sin}(\theta n)u(n)$

3- Find the z-transform of the finite length signal shown in the figure below.





Z-Transform Pairs

$\delta(n)$	\leftrightarrow	1
$u(n)$	\leftrightarrow	$\frac{z}{z-1} = \frac{1}{1-z^{-1}}$
$a^n u(n)$	\leftrightarrow	$\frac{z}{z-a} = \frac{1}{1-az^{-1}}$
$n u(n)$	\leftrightarrow	$\frac{z}{(z-1)^2} = \frac{z^{-1}}{(1-z^{-1})^2}$
$\sin(\theta n) u(n)$	\leftrightarrow	$\frac{z \sin(\theta)}{z^2 - 2z \cos(\theta) + 1}$
$\cos(\theta n) u(n)$	\leftrightarrow	$\frac{z(z - \cos(\theta))}{z^2 - 2z \cos(\theta) + 1}$
$e^{-\alpha n} \sin(\theta n) u(n)$	\leftrightarrow	$\frac{z e^{-\alpha} \sin(\theta)}{z^2 - 2z e^{-\alpha} \cos(\theta) + e^{-2\alpha}}$
$e^{-\alpha n} \cos(\theta n) u(n)$	\leftrightarrow	$\frac{z(z - e^{-\alpha} \cos(\theta))}{z^2 - 2z e^{-\alpha} \cos(\theta) + e^{-2\alpha}}$



Properties of Z-Transform

P1- Linearity:

If $x_1[n] \leftrightarrow X_1(z)$

and $x_2[n] \leftrightarrow X_2(z)$

then

$$a_1x_1[n] + a_2x_2[n] \leftrightarrow a_1X_1(z) + a_2X_2(z)$$



Properties of Z-Transform

Example 1: Determine the z-transform of $x[n]=[3(2^n) -(3^n)]u[n]$

Solution 1:

$$\therefore z[a^n u[n]] = \frac{1}{1-az^{-1}}$$

$$\therefore z[3(2)^n - 4(3)^n] = 3 \frac{1}{1-2z^{-1}} - 4 \frac{1}{1-3z^{-1}}$$

Example 2: Determine the z-transform of the signal $(\cos w_0 n)u[n]$

Solution 2:

$$\therefore [\cos w_0 n]u[n] = \frac{1}{2} e^{jw_0 n} + \frac{1}{2} e^{-jw_0 n}$$

$$\therefore z\{[\cos w_0 n]u[n]\} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{1-e^{jw_0} z^{-1}} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{1-e^{-jw_0} z^{-1}}$$

$$= \frac{1-z^{-1} \cos w_0}{1-2z^{-1} \cos w_0 + z^{-2}}$$



Properties of Z-Transform

P2- Time Shifting Property:

If $x[n] \leftrightarrow X(z)$

then $x[n-k] \leftrightarrow z^{-k}X(z)$

Proof: Since $z[x[n-k]] = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n-k]z^{-n}$

then the change of variable $m = n-k$ produces

$$\begin{aligned} z[x[n-k]] &= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[m]z^{-(m+k)} \\ &= z^{-k} \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[m]z^{-m} = z^{-k} X(z) \end{aligned}$$



Properties of Z-Transform

Example 3: Use time shifting property to find z-transform of $u[n]-u[n-N]$.

Solution 3: The z-transform of $u[n]$ can be found as

$$\begin{aligned}z[u[n]] &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} u[n]z^{-n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z^{-n} \\ &= 1 + z^{-1} + z^{-2} + \dots = \frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}}\end{aligned}$$

Now the z-transform of $u[n]-u[n-N]$ may be found as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}z[u[n] - u[n-N]] &= \frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}} - z^{-N} \frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}} \\ &= \frac{1 - z^{-N}}{1 - z^{-1}}\end{aligned}$$



Properties of Z-Transform

P3- Scaling in the z-domain:

If $x[n] \leftrightarrow X(z)$

Then $a^n x[n] \leftrightarrow X(a^{-1}z)$, for any constant a , real or complex.

$$\text{Proof: } z[a^n x[n]] = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a^n x[n] z^{-n} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] (a^{-1}z)^{-n} = X(a^{-1}z)$$

Example 4: Determine the z-transform of $a^n (\cos w_0 n) u[n]$.

Solution 4: Since

$$z[\cos(w_0 n) u[n]] = \frac{1 - z^{-1} \cos w_0}{1 - 2z^{-1} \cos w_0 + z^{-2}}$$

$$\therefore z[a^n (\cos w_0 n) u[n]] = \frac{1 - az^{-1} \cos w_0}{1 - 2az^{-1} \cos w_0 + a^2 z^{-2}}$$



Properties of Z-Transform

P4- Time reversal:

If $x[n] \leftrightarrow X(z)$ then $X[-n] \leftrightarrow X(z^{-1})$

Proof:

$$z[x[-n]] = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[-n]z^{-n} = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[m]z^m = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[m](z^{-1})^{-m} = X(z^{-1})$$

Example 5: Determine the z-transform of $u[-n]$.

Solution 5: Since $z[u[n]] = 1/(1 - z^{-1})$.

Therefore, $Z[u[-n]] = 1/(1-z)$



Properties of Z-Transform

P5- Differentiation in the z – Domain:

$$x[n] \leftrightarrow X(z) \text{ then } nx[n] = -z(dX(z)/dz)$$

Example 6: Determine the z-transform of the signal $x[n] = na^n u[n]$.

Solution 6:

$$\because z[a^n u[n]] = \frac{1}{1 - az^{-1}}$$

$$\therefore z[na^n u[n]] = -z \frac{d}{dz} \frac{1}{1 - az^{-1}} = \frac{az^{-1}}{(1 - az^{-1})^2}$$



Convolution in Z-Transform

If $x_1[n] \leftrightarrow X_1(z)$ and $x_2[n] \leftrightarrow X_2(z)$ then

$$x_1[n] * x_2[n] = X_1(z)X_2(z)$$

Proof: The convolution of $x_1[n]$ and $x_2[n]$ is defined as

$$x[n] = x_1[n] * x_2[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x_1[k]x_2[n-k]$$

The z-transform of $x[n]$ is

$$X(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n]z^{-n} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x_1[k]x_2[n-k] \right] z^{-n}$$

Upon interchanging the order of the summation and applying the time shifting property, we obtain

$$X(z) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x_1(k) \left[\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x_2[n-k]z^{-n} \right] = X_2(z) \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x_1[k]z^{-k} = X_2(z)X_1(z)$$



Convolution in Z-Transform

Example 7: The following example illustrates the relation between the z-Transform and convolution. Consider two sequences: $x_1[n]=[1 \ 2 \ 2]$ and $x_2[n]=[2 \ 3 \ 4]$

The Z transform of $x_1(n)$ is.

$$X_1(z)=1 + 2z^{-1} + 2z^{-2}$$

The Z transform of $x_2(n)$ is.

$$X_2(z)=2 + 2z^{-1} + 4z^{-2}$$

Multiplying the 2 transforms give $X(z)$, the Z Transform of the convolved signal.

$$X(z) = X_1(z)X_2(z)=(1 + 2z^{-1} + 2z^{-2})(2 + 2z^{-1} + 4z^{-2})$$

$$X(z) = 2 + 7z^{-1} + 14z^{-2} + 14z^{-3} + 8z^{-4}$$

Taking the inverse z-Transform gives the following for the convolution of the 2 sampled signals.

$$x(n) = [2 \ 7 \ 14 \ 14 \ 8]$$



Convolution in Z-Transform

Instead of using the z-Transforms, we can convolve the two signals directly using the convolution summation as illustrated below.

$$x(n) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x_1(k)x_2(n-k)$$

In this sum m must range over all values for which the product is finite. If both signals have a total of m samples (6 for this case) then there must be $m - 1$ values for n (5 in this case).

The following equations shows the convolution sum being evaluated for values of n from 0 to 4 (5 terms). Only the non-zero contributions are included.

$$x(0) = x_1(0)x_2(0) = 2$$

$$x(1) = x_1(0)x_2(1) + x_1(1)x_2(0) = 7$$

$$x(2) = x_1(0)x_2(2) + x_1(1)x_2(1) + x_1(2)x_2(0) = 14$$

$$x(3) = x_1(1)x_2(2) + x_1(2)x_2(1) = 14$$

$$x(4) = x_1(2)x_2(2) = 8$$

Hence $x(n) = [2 \ 7 \ 14 \ 14 \ 8]$. The above equations show that applying the convolution sum directly give the same result as multiplying the two Z Transforms and taking the inverse transform.



Convolution in Z-Transform

Example 8: Compute the convolution of the signals $x_1[n] = [1, -2, 1]$ and

$$x_2[n] = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 \leq n \leq 5 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

Solution 8:

$$X_1(z) = 1 - 2z^{-1} + z^{-2}$$

$$X_2(z) = 1 + z^{-1} + z^{-2} + z^{-3} + z^{-4} + z^{-5}$$

$$\text{Now } X(z) = X_1(z)X_2(z) = 1 - z^{-1} - z^{-6} + z^{-7}$$

$$\text{Hence } x[n] = [1, -1, 0, 0, 0, 0, -1, 1]$$

Note: You should verify this result from the definition of the convolution sum.



Correlation in Z-Transform

If $x_1[n] \leftrightarrow X_1(z)$ and $x_2[n] \leftrightarrow X_2(z)$ then

$$C_{x_1x_2}[k] = X_1(z)X_2(z^{-1})$$

Initial Value Theorem:

If $x[n]$ is causal then $x[0] = \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} X(z)$

Proof:
$$X(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x[n]z^{-n} = x[0] + x[1]z^{-1} + x[2]z^{-2} + \dots$$

Obviously, as $z \rightarrow \infty$, $z^{-n} \rightarrow 0$ since $n > 0$, this proves the theorem.

Final Value Theorem:

If $x[n] \leftrightarrow X(z)$, then $x[\infty] = \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} (1 - z^{-1})X(z)$



Examples

Example 8: Find the final value of

$$X(z) = \frac{2z^{-1}}{1 - 1.8z^{-1} + 0.8z^{-2}}$$

Solution 8: $(1 - z^{-1})X(z) = (1 - z^{-1}) \frac{2z^{-1}}{1 - 1.8z^{-1} + 0.8z^{-2}}$

$$= (1 - z^{-1}) \frac{2z^{-1}}{(1 - z^{-1})(1 + 0.5z^{-1})} = \frac{2z^{-1}}{1 + 0.5z^{-1}}$$

The final value theorem yields

$$y[\infty] = \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \frac{2z^{-1}}{1 - 0.8z^{-1}} = \frac{2}{0.2} = 10$$



Tutorial

Tutorial 1:

- (a) Find Z transform of $x[n]=3\delta[n]-1.5 \delta[n-2]-\delta[n-3]+4 \delta[n-5]$
- (b) Prove the differentiation property of z – transform.
- (c) Prove the correlation
- (d) Prove the Final Value Theorem



Inverse Z-Transform

- The inverse z-Transform is defined as:

$$z^{-1}[X(z)] = x(n) = \frac{1}{2\pi j} \int_C X(z) z^{n-1} dz$$

- In general, the inverse z-transform may be found by using any of the following methods:
 - ▶ Power series method
 - ▶ Partial fraction method
 - ▶ Contour Integration

**We won't use this method
in this course!**



Power Series Expansion

$$X(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] z^{-n}$$
$$= \dots + x[-2]z^2 + x[-1]z + x[0] + x[1]z^{-1} + x[2]z^{-2} + \dots$$

- 1) Write function to be inverted as a power series
- 2) Identify $x[n]$ as coefficient of z^{-n}

Example:

$$X(z) = 2z^5 + z^3 - z^2 + 1 + 3z^{-1} - 4z^{-4}$$

$x[5]$ → $x[3]$ $x[-2]$ $x[0]$ $x[1]$ $x[4]$

$$x[n] = 2\delta[n+5] + \delta[n+3] - \delta[n+2] + \delta[n] + 3\delta[n-1] - 4\delta[n-4]$$



Power Series Expansion

Power series expansion can invert transcendental functions of z

Ex. $X(z) = \exp\{-2z^{-1}\}$

Recall $\exp\{x\} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{x^n}{n!}$ so

$$X(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-2z^{-1})^n}{n!} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-2)^n}{n!} z^{-n}$$

$$x[n] = \frac{(-2)^n}{n!} u[n]$$



Power Series Expansion

Can also invert rational $X(z)$ with long division

Ex. $X(z) = \frac{1 - z^{-1}}{1 - 1/2 z^{-1}}$

$|z| > 1/2$ $1 - 1/2 z^{-1}$

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1 - 1/2 z^{-1} - 1/4 z^{-2} - 1/8 z^{-3} - 1/16 z^{-4} \dots \\
 \hline
 1 - z^{-1} \\
 1 - 1/2 z^{-1} \\
 \hline
 -1/2 z^{-1} \\
 -1/2 z^{-1} + 1/4 z^{-2} \\
 \hline
 -1/4 z^{-2} \\
 -1/4 z^{-2} + 1/8 z^{-3} \\
 \hline
 -1/8 z^{-3} \\
 -1/8 z^{-3} + 1/16 z^{-4} \\
 \hline
 -1/16 z^{-4}
 \end{array}$$

$$x[n] = \begin{array}{ll}
 0 & n < 0 \\
 1 & n = 0 \\
 -1/2 & n = 1 \\
 -1/4 & n = 2 \\
 -1/8 & n = 3 \\
 -1/16 & n = 4 \\
 \vdots &
 \end{array}$$

$$x[n] = 2 \delta[n] - (1/2)^n u[n]$$



Power Series Method

Example 1: Determine inverse z-transform of

$$X(z) = \frac{1}{1 - 1.5z^{-1} + 0.5z^{-2}}$$

Solution 1: By dividing the numerator of $X(z)$ by its denominator, we obtain the power series

$$= 1 + \frac{3}{2}z^{-1} + \frac{7}{4}z^{-2} + \frac{15}{8}z^{-3} + \frac{31}{16}z^{-4} + \dots$$

$$\therefore x[n] = [\underline{1}, 3/2, 7/4, 15/8, 31/16, \dots]$$



Power Series Method

Example 2: Determine the inverse z-transform of

$$X(z) = \frac{4 - z^{-1}}{2 - 2z^{-1} + z^{-2}}$$

Solution 2: By dividing the numerator of $X(z)$ by its denominator, we obtain the power series

$$\therefore x[n] = [\underline{2}, 1.5, 0.5, -0.25, \dots]$$

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Power Series Method

- **Tutorial1**: Find the inverse z-transform of the following by power series method.

$$a) X(z) = \frac{1}{2 - 4z^{-2} + 6z^{-3}}$$

$$b) W(z) = \frac{0.5(1 - 2z^{-1})(1 + 0.5z^{-1})}{(1 + 0.5z^{-1})(1 - 0.5z^{-1})}$$



Example1: Partial Fraction

- Decompose the following:

$$\frac{x^5 - 2x^4 + x^3 + x + 5}{x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 2}$$

The numerator is of degree 5; the denominator is of degree 3. So first I have to do the long division:

$$\begin{array}{r} x^2 \\ x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 2 \overline{) x^5 - 2x^4 + x^3 + 0x^2 + x + 5} \\ \underline{x^5 - 2x^4 + x^3 - 2x^2} \\ 2x^2 + x + 5 \end{array}$$

The long division rearranges the rational expression to give me:

$$x^2 + \frac{2x^2 + x + 5}{x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 2}$$

Now I can decompose the fractional part. The denominator factors as $(x^2 + 1)(x - 2)$.

$$x^2 + \frac{2x^2 + x + 5}{(x^2 + 1)(x - 2)}$$



Example1: Partial Fraction

The $x^2 + 1$ is irreducible, so the decomposition will be of the form:

$$\frac{2x^2 + x + 5}{x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 2} = \frac{A}{x - 2} + \frac{Bx + C}{x^2 + 1}$$

Multiplying out and solving, I get:

$$2x^2 + x + 5 = A(x^2 + 1) + (Bx + C)(x - 2)$$

$$x = 2: 8 + 2 + 5 = A(5) + (2B + C)(0), 15 = 5A, \text{ and } A = 3$$

$$x = 0: 0 + 0 + 5 = 3(1) + (0 + C)(0 - 2),$$

$$5 = 3 - 2C, 2 = -2C, \text{ and } C = -1$$

$$x = 1: 2 + 1 + 5 = 3(1 + 1) + (1B - 1)(1 - 2),$$

$$8 = 6 + (B - 1)(-1) = 6 - B + 1,$$

$$8 = 7 - B, 1 = -B, \text{ and } B = -1$$

Then the complete expansion is:

$$x^2 + \frac{3}{x - 2} + \frac{-x - 1}{x^2 + 1} = x^2 + \frac{3}{x - 2} - \frac{x + 1}{x^2 + 1}$$



Example2: Partial Fraction

- Find the partial-fraction decomposition of the following expression:

$$\frac{x^2 + 1}{x(x-1)^3}$$

The factor $x - 1$ occurs three times in the denominator. I will account for that by forming fractions containing increasing powers of this factor in the denominator, like this:

$$\frac{x^2 + 1}{x(x-1)^3} = \frac{A}{x-1} + \frac{B}{(x-1)^2} + \frac{C}{(x-1)^3} + \frac{D}{x}$$

Now I multiply through by the common denominator to get:

$$x^2 + 1 = Ax(x-1)^2 + Bx(x-1) + Cx + D(x-1)^3$$

I could use a system of equations to solve for A , B , C , and D , but the other method seemed easier. The two zeroing numbers are $x = 1$ and $x = 0$: so

$$x = 1: 1 + 1 = 0 + 0 + C + 0, \text{ so } C = 2$$

$$x = 0: 1 = 0 + 0 + 0 - D, \text{ so } D = -1$$

But what do I do now? I have two other variables, namely A and B , for which I need values. But since I've got values for C and D , I can pick any two other x -values, plug them in, and get a system of equations that I can solve for A and B . The particular x -values I choose aren't important, so I'll pick smallish ones:



Example2: Partial Fraction

$$x = 2:$$

$$(2)^2 + 1 = A(2)(2 - 1)^2 + B(2)(2 - 1) + (2)(2) + (-1)(2 - 1)^3$$

$$4 + 1 = 2A + 2B + 4 - 1$$

$$5 = 2A + 2B + 3$$

$$1 = A + B$$

$$x = -1:$$

$$(-1)^2 + 1 = A(-1)(-1 - 1)^2 + B(-1)(-1 - 1) + (2)(-1) + (-1)(-1 - 1)^3$$

$$1 + 1 = -4A + 2B - 2 + 8$$

$$2 = -4A + 2B + 6$$

$$2A - B = 2$$

I'm still stuck solving a system of equations, but by using the easier method to solve for C and D , I now have a simpler system to solve. Adding the two equations, I get $3A = 3$, so $A = 1$.

Then $B = 0$ (so that term in the expansion "vanishes"), and the complete decomposition is:

$$\frac{1}{x-1} + \frac{2}{(x-1)^3} - \frac{1}{x}$$



Example3: Partial Fraction

- Find the partial-fraction decomposition of the following:

$$\frac{x-3}{x^3+3x}$$

Factoring the denominator, I get $x(x^2+3)$. I can't factor the quadratic bit, so my expanded form will look like this:

$$\frac{x-3}{x(x^2+3)} = \frac{A}{x} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+3}$$

Note that the numerator for the " x^2+3 " fraction is a linear polynomial, not just a constant term.

Multiplying through by the common denominator, I get:

$$x-3 = A(x^2+3) + (Bx+C)(x)$$

$$x-3 = Ax^2 + 3A + Bx^2 + Cx$$

$$x-3 = (A+B)x^2 + (C)x + (3A)$$



Example3: Partial Fraction

The only zero in the original denominator is $x = 0$, so:

$$\begin{aligned}(0) - 3 &= (A + B)(0)^2 + C(0) + 3A \\ -3 &= 3A\end{aligned}$$

Then $A = -1$. Since I have no other helpful x -values to work with, I think I'll take the one value I've solved for, equate the remaining coefficients, and see what that gives me:

$$\begin{aligned}x - 3 &= (-1 + B)x^2 + (C)x - 3 \\ -1 + B &= 0 \quad \text{and} \quad C = 1 \\ B = 1 \quad \text{and} \quad C &= 1\end{aligned}$$

(There is no one "right" way to solve for the values of the coefficients. Use whichever method "feels" right to you on a given exercise.)

Then the decomposition is:

$$\frac{-1}{x} + \frac{x+1}{x^2+3}$$



Example4: Partial Fraction

- **Set up, but do not solve, the decomposition equality for the following:**

$$\frac{x^4 + 3x - 2}{(x^2 + 1)^3 (x - 4)^2}$$

Since $x^2 + 1$ is not factorable, I'll have to use numerators with linear factors. Then the decomposition set-up looks like this:

$$\frac{A}{x-4} + \frac{B}{(x-4)^2} + \frac{Cx+D}{x^2+1} + \frac{Ex+F}{(x^2+1)^2} + \frac{Gx+H}{(x^2+1)^3}$$



Example 5: Partial Fraction

- Decompose the following:

$$\frac{x^5 - 2x^4 + x^3 + x + 5}{x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 2}$$

The numerator is of degree 5; the denominator is of degree 3. So first I have to do the long division:

$$\begin{array}{r}
 x^2 \\
 x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 2 \overline{) x^5 - 2x^4 + x^3 + 0x^2 + x + 5} \\
 \underline{x^5 - 2x^4 + x^3 - 2x^2} \\
 2x^2 + x + 5
 \end{array}$$

The long division rearranges the rational expression to give me:

$$x^2 + \frac{2x^2 + x + 5}{x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 2}$$

Now I can decompose the fractional part. The denominator factors as $(x^2 + 1)(x - 2)$.

$$x^2 + \frac{2x^2 + x + 5}{(x^2 + 1)(x - 2)}$$



Example 5: Partial Fraction

The $x^2 + 1$ is irreducible, so the decomposition will be of the form:

$$\frac{2x^2 + x + 5}{x^3 - 2x^2 + x - 2} = \frac{A}{x-2} + \frac{Bx+C}{x^2+1}$$

Multiplying out and solving, I get:

$$2x^2 + x + 5 = A(x^2 + 1) + (Bx + C)(x - 2)$$

$$x = 2: 8 + 2 + 5 = A(5) + (2B + C)(0), 15 = 5A, \text{ and } A = 3$$

$$x = 0: 0 + 0 + 5 = 3(1) + (0 + C)(0 - 2),$$

$$5 = 3 - 2C, 2 = -2C, \text{ and } C = -1$$

$$x = 1: 2 + 1 + 5 = 3(1 + 1) + (1B - 1)(1 - 2),$$

$$8 = 6 + (B - 1)(-1) = 6 - B + 1,$$

$$8 = 7 - B, 1 = -B, \text{ and } B = -1$$

Then the complete expansion is:

$$x^2 + \frac{3}{x-2} + \frac{-x-1}{x^2+1} = x^2 + \frac{3}{x-2} - \frac{x+1}{x^2+1}$$

The preferred placement of the "minus" signs, either "inside" the fraction or "in front", may vary from text to text. Just don't leave a "minus" sign hanging loose underneath.



Partial Fraction Method

Partial Fraction Expansion -
inversion of rational functions of z^{-1}

Break $X(z)$ into elementary forms that can be inverted by inspection

$$X(z) = \frac{1 + 2z^{-1} + z^{-2}}{1 - \frac{3}{2}z^{-1} + \frac{1}{2}z^{-2}} \quad |z| > 1 = \frac{8}{1 - z^{-1}} - \frac{9}{1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}} + 2$$

↖
↗
↗
 easy to invert

"undo" process of combining with a common denominator



Partial Fraction Method

$$X(z) = \frac{\sum_{k=0}^M b_k z^{-k}}{\sum_{k=0}^N a_k z^{-k}}$$

write in powers of z^{-1}

1) If $M \geq N$ use long division to write

$$X(z) = \sum_{r=0}^{M-N} B_r z^{-r} + \frac{\sum_{k=0}^{N-1} b'_k z^{-k}}{\sum_{k=0}^N a_k z^{-k}}$$

2) Factor denominator as product of 1st order terms

$$\frac{\sum_{k=0}^{N-1} b'_k z^{-k}}{\sum_{k=0}^N a_k z^{-k}} = \frac{\sum_{k=0}^{N-1} b'_k z^{-k}}{a_0 \prod_{k=1}^N (1 - d_k z^{-1})}$$



Partial Fraction Method

3) Use partial fraction expansion in first-order terms

$$\frac{\sum_{k=0}^{N-1} b'_k z^{-k}}{a_0 \prod_{k=1}^N (1 - d_k z^{-1})} = \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{A_k}{1 - d_k z^{-1}} \quad (\text{assuming distinct } d_k)$$

if d_i repeated r times $\sum_{\ell=1}^r \frac{A_i^\ell}{(1 - d_i z^{-1})^\ell}$

4) Invert each term using ROC

$$\frac{A_k}{1 - d_k z^{-1}} \begin{cases} \xrightarrow{z} A_k d_k^n u[n] & \text{for } |z| > |d_k| \\ \xleftarrow{z} -A_k d_k^n u[-n-1] & \text{for } |z| < |d_k| \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{A}{(1 - d_k z^{-1})^l} \begin{cases} \xrightarrow{z} A \frac{(n+1) \dots (n+l-1)}{(l-1)!} d_k^n u[n] & \text{for } |z| > |d_k| \\ \left(-A \frac{(n+1) \dots (n+l-1)}{(l-1)!} d_k^n u[-n-1] \right) & \text{for } |z| < |d_k| \end{cases}$$



Partial Fraction Method

Example: $X(z) = \frac{1 - z^{-1} + z^{-2}}{(1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1})(1 - 2z^{-1})(1 - z^{-1})}$ ROC $1 < |z| < 2$

- 1) $M=2 < N=3 \Rightarrow$ no long division
- 2) Denominator is factored
- 3) Part Fraction Expansion

$$X(z) = \frac{A_1}{1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}} + \frac{A_2}{1 - 2z^{-1}} + \frac{A_3}{1 - z^{-1}} ; \quad A_1 = X(z)(1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}) \Big|_{z^{-1}=2}$$

$$= \frac{1 - z^{-1} + z^{-2}}{(1 - 2z^{-1})(1 - z^{-1})} \Big|_{z^{-1}=2}$$

$$= \frac{1 - 2 + 4}{(1 - 4)(1 - 2)} = \frac{3}{3} = 1$$

$$A_2 = X(z)(1 - 2z^{-1}) \Big|_{z^{-1}=\frac{1}{2}} = 2$$

$$A_3 = X(z)(1 - z^{-1}) \Big|_{z^{-1}=1} = -2$$

$$X(z) = \frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}} + \frac{2}{1 - 2z^{-1}} - \frac{2}{1 - z^{-1}}$$



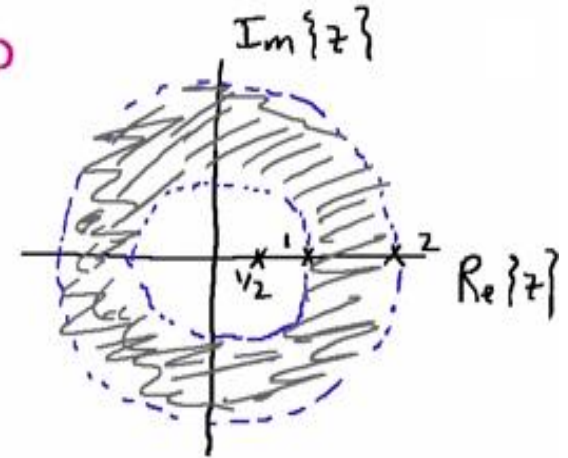
Partial Fraction Method

4) Invert each term using ROC info
 ROC: $1 < |z| < 2$

$$\frac{1}{1 - \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}} \xleftrightarrow{z} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u[n]$$

$$\frac{2}{1 - 2z^{-1}} \xleftrightarrow{z} -2(2)^n u[-n-1]$$

$$\frac{-2}{1 - z^{-1}} \xleftrightarrow{z} -2 \cdot u[n]$$



$$\underline{x[n] = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u[n] - 2(2)^n u[-n-1] - 2u[n]}$$



Partial Fraction Method

Example: $X(z) = \frac{z^3 - 10z^2 - 4z + 4}{2z^3 - 2z^2 - 4z}$ The ROC is $0 < |z| < 1$. $z = 0$ must be excluded due to the pole in $X(z)$.

0) Write in powers of z^{-1}

$$X(z) = \frac{1 - 10z^{-1} - 4z^{-2} + 4z^{-3}}{2 - 2z^{-1} - 4z^{-2}}$$

1) $M=3 > N=2$ use long division

$$\begin{array}{r}
 -z^{-1} + \frac{3}{2} \\
 \hline
 -4z^{-2} - 2z^{-1} + 2 \quad | \quad 4z^{-3} - 4z^{-2} - 10z^{-1} + 1 \\
 \underline{4z^{-3} + 2z^{-2} - 2z^{-1}} \\
 -6z^{-2} - 8z^{-1} + 1 \\
 \underline{-6z^{-2} - 3z^{-1} + 3} \\
 -5z^{-1} - 2
 \end{array}$$

$$X(z) = -z^{-1} + \frac{3}{2} + \frac{-5z^{-1} - 2}{2 - 2z^{-1} - 4z^{-2}}$$



Partial Fraction Method

2) Factor denominator

$$X(z) = -z^{-1} + \frac{3}{2} + \frac{-5z^{-1} - 2}{2(1+z^{-1})(1-2z^{-1})}$$

3) Partial fraction expansion

$$\frac{-\frac{5}{2}z^{-1} - 1}{(1+z^{-1})(1-2z^{-1})} = \frac{A_1}{1+z^{-1}} + \frac{A_2}{1-2z^{-1}}$$

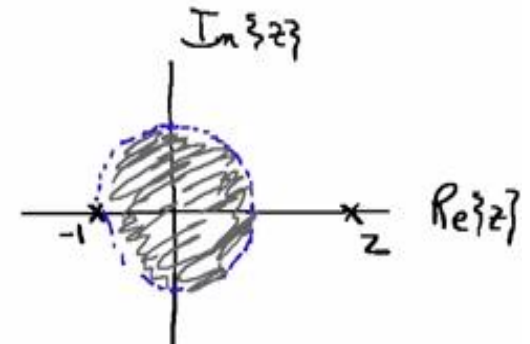
$$A_1 = \left. \frac{-\frac{5}{2}z^{-1} - 1}{1-2z^{-1}} \right|_{z^{-1}=-1} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$A_2 = \left. \frac{-\frac{5}{2}z^{-1} - 1}{1+z^{-1}} \right|_{z^{-1}=\frac{1}{2}} = -\frac{3}{2}$$

$$X(z) = -z^{-1} + \frac{3}{2} + \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{1+z^{-1}} - \frac{\frac{3}{2}}{1-2z^{-1}} \quad |z| < 1$$

4) Invert terms using ROC

$$\underline{x[n] = -\delta[n-1] + \frac{3}{2}\delta[n] - \frac{1}{2}(-1)^n u[n-1] + \frac{3}{2}(2)^n u[n-1]}$$





Partial Fraction Method

- **Tutorial2:** Find the inverse z-transform of the following by partial fraction method.

$$a) \frac{Y(z)}{U(z)} = \frac{z}{z^2 - 3z + 2}$$

$$b) X(z) = \frac{z^{-1}(0.5 - z^{-1})}{(1 - 0.5z^{-1})(1 - 0.8z^{-1})^2}$$



Z-Transform Solution of Linear Difference Equations

■ We can use z-transform to solve the difference equation that characterizes a causal, linear, time invariant system. The following expressions are especially useful to solve the difference equations:

$$\blacktriangleright Z[y[(n-1)T]] = z^{-1}Y(z) + y[-T]$$

$$\blacktriangleright Z[y[(n-2)T]] = z^{-2}Y(z) + z^{-1}y[-T] + y[-2T]$$

$$\blacktriangleright Z[y[(n-3)T]] = z^{-3}Y(z) + z^{-2}y[-T] + z^{-1}y[-2T] + y[-3T]$$



Z-Transform Solution of Linear Difference Equations

Example 5: Consider the following difference equation:

$$y[nT] - 0.1y[(n-1)T] - 0.02y[(n-2)T] = 2x[nT] - x[(n-1)T]$$

where the initial conditions are $y[-T] = -10$ and $y[-2T] = 20$. $Y[nT]$ is the output and $x[nT]$ is the unit step input.

Solution 5: Computing the z-transform of the difference equation gives

$$Y(z) - 0.1[z^{-1}Y(z) + y[-T]] - 0.02[z^{-2}Y(z) + z^{-1}y[-T] + y[-2T]] = 2X(z) - z^{-1}X(z)$$

Substituting the initial conditions we get

$$Y(z) - 0.1z^{-1}Y(z) + 1 - 0.02z^{-2}Y(z) - 0.2z^{-1} - 0.4 = (2 - z^{-1})X(z)$$



Z-Transform Solution of Linear Difference Equations

$$(1 - 0.1z^{-1} - 0.02z^{-2})Y(z) = (2 - z^{-1})\frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}} - 0.2z^{-1} - 0.6$$

$$Y(z)[1 - 0.2z^{-1} - 0.02z^{-2}] = \frac{2 - z^{-1}}{1 - z^{-1}} - 0.2z^{-1} - 0.6$$

$$Y(z) = \frac{1.4 - 0.6z^{-1} + 0.2z^{-2}}{(1 - z^{-1})(1 - 0.1z^{-1} - 0.02z^{-2})} = \frac{1.4 - 0.6z^{-1} + 0.2z^{-2}}{(1 - z^{-1})(1 - 0.2z^{-1})(1 + 0.1z^{-1})}$$

$$= \frac{1.4z^3 - 0.6z^2 + 0.2z}{(z - 1)(z - 0.2)(z + 0.1)}$$

$$\frac{Y(z)}{z} = \frac{1.136}{z - 1} + \frac{-0.567}{z - 0.2} + \frac{0.830}{z + 0.1}$$

$$Y(z) = 1.136 \frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}} - 0.567 \frac{1}{1 - 0.2z^{-1}} + 0.830 \frac{1}{1 + 0.1z^{-1}}$$

and the output signal $y[nT]$ is

$$y[nT] = 1.136 u[nT] - 0.567 (0.2)^n u[nT] + 0.830 (-0.1)^n u[nT]$$



Tutorial

■ Tutorial3: Determine the step response of the system

$$y[n]=ay[n-1]+x[n] \quad -1 < a < 1$$

When the initial condition is $y[-1]=1$

End of Chapter



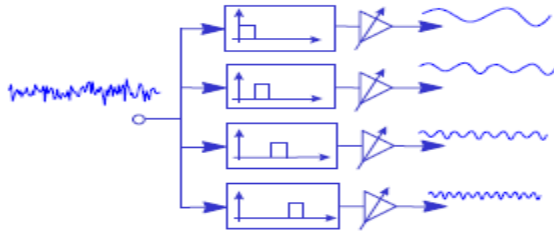
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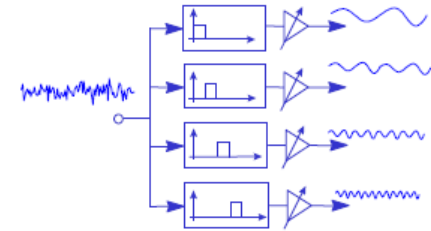
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Lecture Outline

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- **Finite Impulse Response (FIR) Filters Design.**



Digital Filters

- A filter is essentially a system that selectively changes the wave shape of a signal in a desired manner.
- Objectives of filtering are to
 - ▶ Improve quality of a signal (remove noise)
 - ▶ To extract info from signals
 - ▶ To separate two or more signals previously combined
- A digital filter, is a mathematical algorithm implemented in hardware and/or software that operates on a digital i/p signal to produce a digital o/p signal for the purpose of achieving a filtering objectives.
- Compared to analog filters, digital filters are preferred in many applications like data compression, speech processing, image processing, biomedical signal processing, data transmission etc.



Functions of Digital Filters

The primary functions of filters are one of the followings:

- (a) To confine a signal into a prescribed frequency band as in low-pass, high-pass, and band-pass filters.
- (b) To decompose a signal into two or more sub-bands as in filter-banks, graphic equalizers, sub-band coders, frequency multiplexers.
- (c) To modify the frequency spectrum of a signal as in telephone channel equalization and audio graphic equalizers.
- (d) To model the input-output relationship of a system such as telecommunication channels, human vocal tract, and music synthesizers.
- (e) To enhance or restore original by removing noise or distortion from corrupted signal.



Advantages of Digital Filters

- Digital filters can have characteristics which are not possible with analog filters such as a linear phase response.
- Digital filters does not vary with environmental changes, for eg: thermal variations.
- Frequency response of a digital filter can be automatically adjusted if it is implemented using a programmable processor.
- Several i/p signals can be filtered by one digital filter without the need to replicate the hardware.
- Both filtered and unfiltered data can be saved for further use.
- Digital filters can be fabricated to make them small in size, to consume low power
- Digital filters can be used at very low frequency found in many biomedicine applications.
- Digital filters can be made to work over a wide range of freq: by making change to the sampling freq:



Disadvantages of Digital Filters

- **Speed is limited** in digital filters as compared to analog filter.
 - ▶ In real time situations, ADC and DAC processes introduces a speed constraint on digital filters.
 - ▶ The speed of operation of a digital filter also depends on the speed of digital processor.
- **Finite Wordlength effect:** Digital filters are subject to ADC noise due to quantization of continuous signal and round off noise incurred during computation which could lead to instability.
- **Long design & development time** for digital filters, especially hardware development, can be much longer than for analog filters.



Different Methods for Describing of Digital Filters

Filters can be described using the following time or frequency domain methods:

(a) *Time domain input-output relationship.*

difference equation is used to describe the output of a discrete-time filter in terms of a weighted combination of the input and previous output samples. For example a first-order filter may have the following difference equation

$$y(m) = a y(m - 1) + x(m)$$

where $x(m)$ is the filter input, $y(m)$ is the filter output and a is the filter coefficient.



Different Methods for Describing of Digital Filters

(b) *Impulse Response.* A filter can be described in terms of its response to an impulse input. For example the response of the filter of Eq. to a discrete-time impulse input at $m=0$ is

$$y(m) = a^m \quad m=0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$y(m) = a^m = 1, a, a^2, a^3, a^4, \dots$ for $m=0,1,2,3, 4 \dots$ and it is assumed $y(-1)=0$.

Impulse response is useful because: (i) any signal can be viewed as the sum of a number of shifted and scaled impulses, hence the response a linear filter to a signal is the sum of the responses to all the impulses that constitute the signal, (ii) an impulse input contains all frequencies with equal energy, and hence it excites a filter at all frequencies and (iii) impulse response and frequency response are Fourier transform pairs.



Different Methods for Describing of Digital Filters

A useful method of gaining insight into the behavior of a filter is the pole-zero description of a filter. As described in Sec. X poles and zeros are the roots of the denominator and numerator of the transfer function respectively.

- (d) *Frequency Response*. The frequency response of a filter describes how the filter alters the magnitude and phase of the input signal frequencies. The frequency response of a filter can be obtained by taking the Fourier transform of the impulse response of the filter, or by simple substitution of the frequency variable $e^{j\omega}$ for the z variable $z = e^{j\omega}$ in the z -transfer function as

$$H(z = e^{j\omega}) = \frac{Y(e^{j\omega})}{X(e^{j\omega})}$$

The frequency response of a filter is a complex variable and can be described in terms of the filter magnitude response and the phase response of the filter.



Classification of Digital Filters

Depending on the form of the filter equation and the structure of implementation, filters may be broadly classified into the following classes:

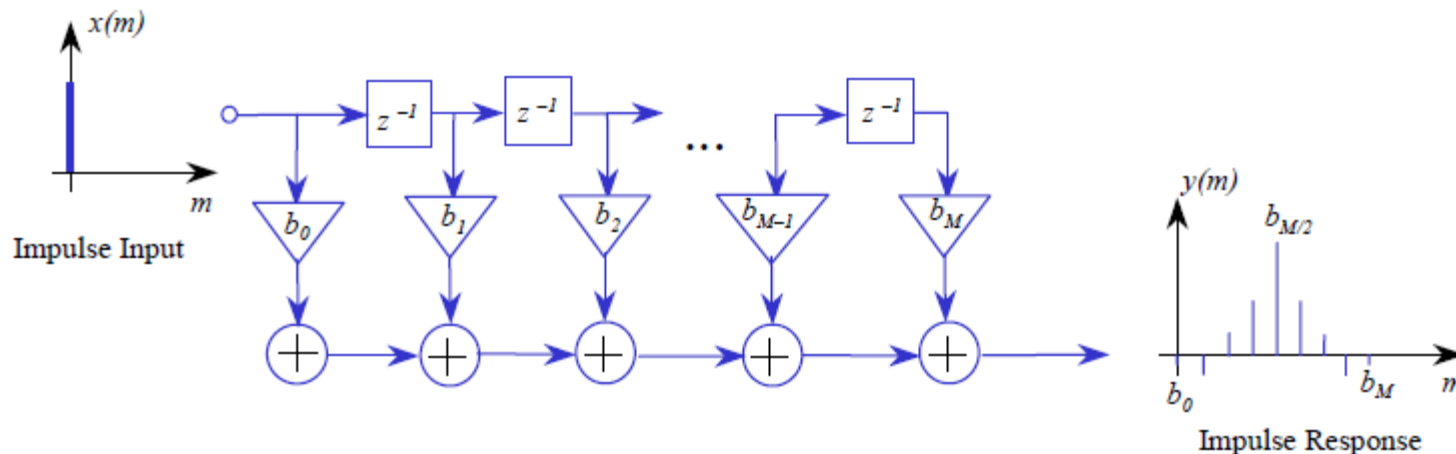
- (a) Linear filters versus nonlinear filters.
- (b) Time-invariant filters versus time-varying filters.
- (c) Adaptive filters versus non-adaptive filters.
- (d) Recursive versus non-recursive filters.
- (e) Direct-form, cascade-form, parallel-form and lattice structures.



Filter Structures: Direct, Cascade and Parallel Forms

We consider different structures for realization of a digital filter. These structures offer various trade-offs between complexity, cost of implementation, computational efficiency and stability.

1. Direct Filter Structure

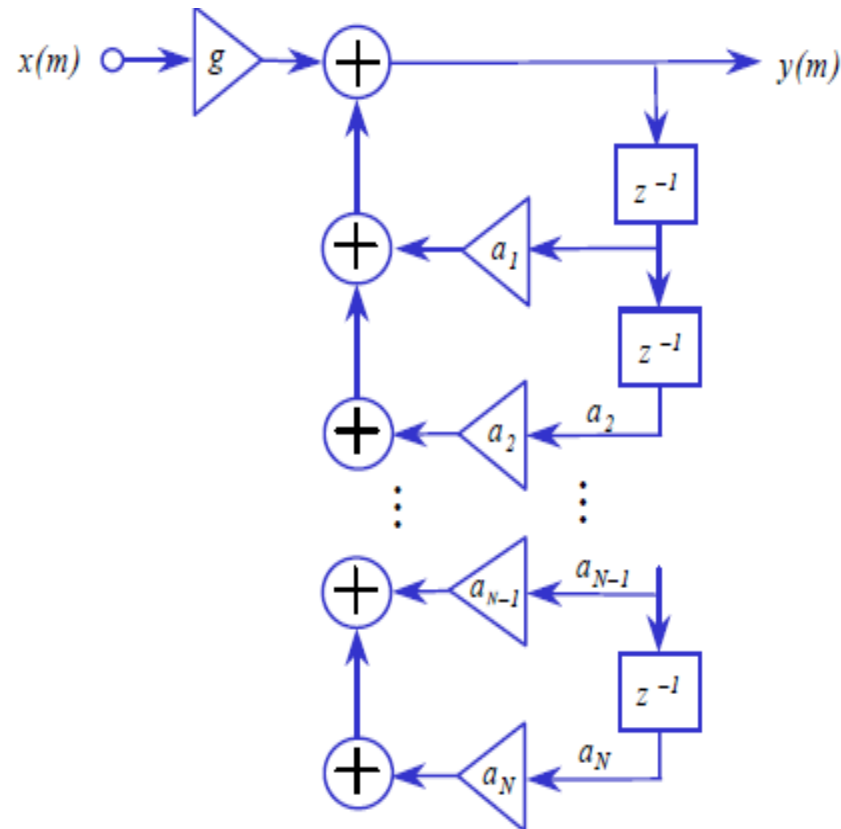


Direct-form Finite Impulse Response (FIR) filter.



Filter Structures: Direct, Cascade and Parallel Forms

1. Direct Filter Structure



Direct-form all-pole IIR filter.



Filter Structures: Direct, Cascade and Parallel Forms

2. Cascade Filter Structure

The cascade implementation of a filter is obtained by expressing the filter transfer function $H(z)$ in a factorised form as

$$H(z) = \frac{\sum_{k=0}^M b_k z^{-k}}{1 - \sum_{k=1}^N a_k z^{-k}} = G \frac{(1 - z_1 z^{-1})(1 - z_1^* z^{-1})(1 - z_2 z^{-1})(1 - z_2^* z^{-1}) \cdots (1 - z_{M/2} z^{-1})(1 - z_{M/2}^* z^{-1})}{(1 - p_1 z^{-1})(1 - p_1^* z^{-1})(1 - p_2 z^{-1})(1 - p_2^* z^{-1}) \cdots (1 - p_{N/2} z^{-1})(1 - p_{N/2}^* z^{-1})}$$

where G is the filter gain and the poles (p_k s) and zeros (z_k s) are either complex conjugate pairs or real-valued. The factorised terms in Equation can be grouped in terms of the complex conjugate pairs and expressed as cascades of second order terms as



Filter Structures: Direct, Cascade and Parallel Forms

2. Cascade Filter Structure

$$H(z) = G \left(\frac{(1 - z_1 z^{-1})(1 - z_1^* z^{-1})}{(1 - p_1 z^{-1})(1 - p_1^* z^{-1})} \right) \times \left(\frac{(1 - z_2 z^{-1})(1 - z_2^* z^{-1})}{(1 - p_2 z^{-1})(1 - p_2^* z^{-1})} \right) \times \dots \times \left(\frac{(1 - z_{M/2} z^{-1})(1 - z_{M/2}^* z^{-1})}{(1 - p_{N/2} z^{-1})(1 - p_{N/2}^* z^{-1})} \right)$$

Each bracketed term in Eq. is the z-transfer function of a second order IIR filter can be expressed in a compact notation as

$$H(z) = G \prod_{k=1}^K H_k(z)$$



Filter Structures: Direct, Cascade and Parallel Forms

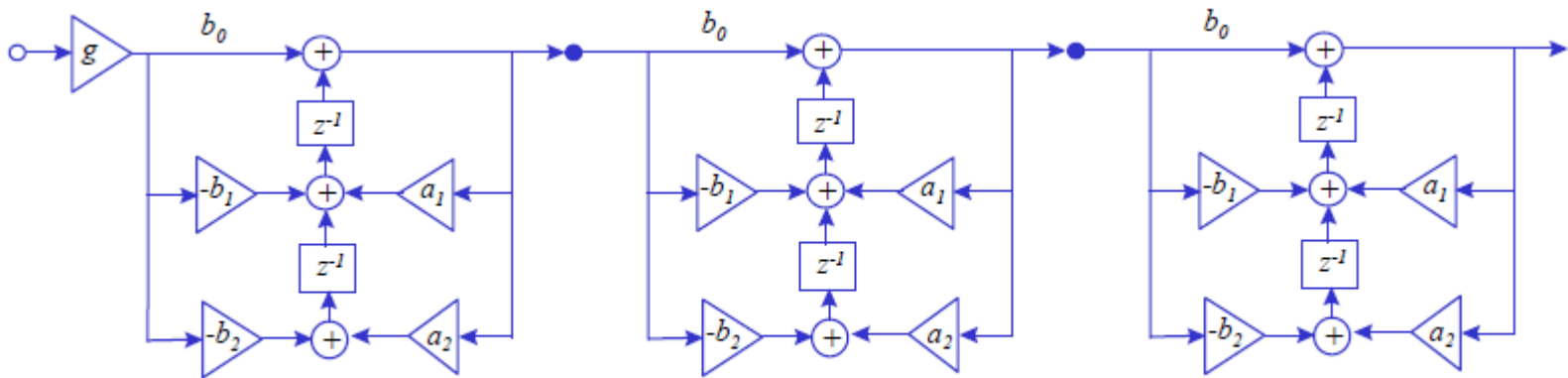
2. Cascade Filter Structure

For an IIR filter each second order cascade section has the form

$$H_k(z) = \frac{1 + b_k z^{-1} + b_k z^{-2}}{1 + a_{k1} z^{-1} + a_{k2} z^{-2}}$$

For an FIR filter, as shown in Fig. 4.8.b, each second order cascade section has the form

$$H_k(z) = 1 + b_k z^{-1} + b_k z^{-2}$$

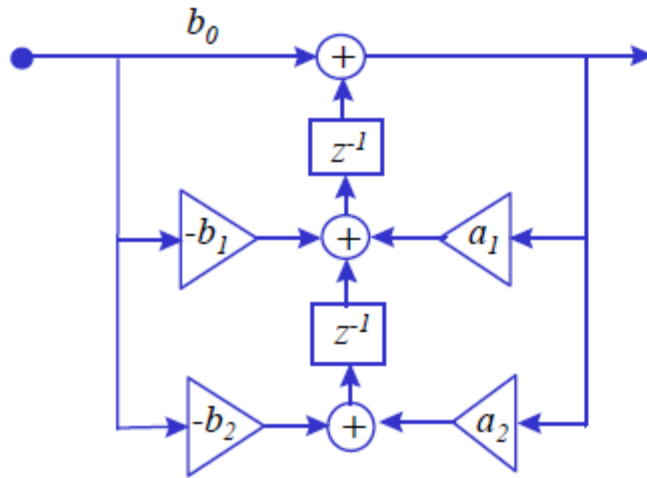


Realization of an IIR cascade structure from second order sections.

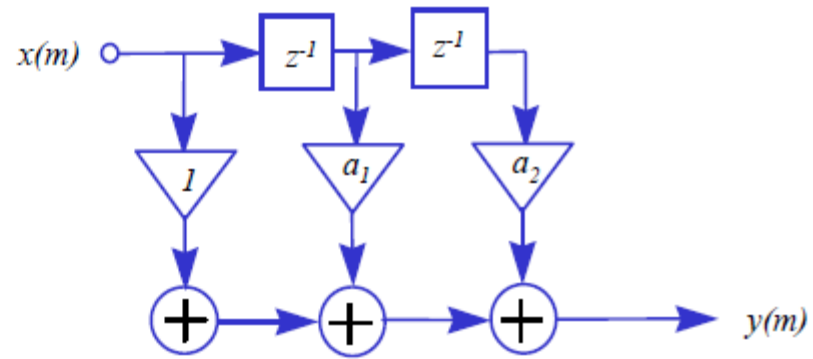


Filter Structures: Direct, Cascade and Parallel Forms

2. Cascade Filter Structure



(a)



(b)

Realization of a second order section of: (a) an IIR Filter, (b) an FIR filter.



Filter Structures: Direct, Cascade and Parallel Forms

3. Parallel Filter Structure

An alternative to the cascade implementation described in the previous section is to express the filter transfer function $H(z)$, using the partial fraction method, in a parallel form as parallel sum of a number of second order and first order terms as

$$H(z) = K + \sum_{k=1}^{N_1} \frac{e_{0k} + e_{1k}z^{-1}}{1 - a_{1k}z^{-1} - a_{2k}z^{-2}} + \sum_{k=1}^{N_2} \frac{e_k}{1 - a_k z^{-1}}$$

or

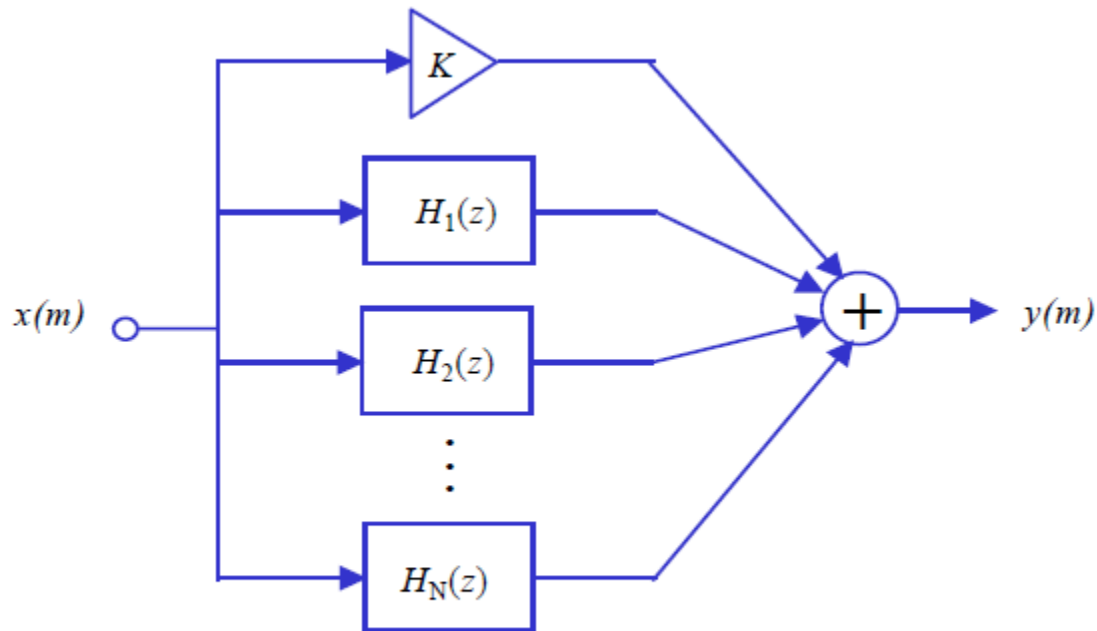
$$H(z) = K + \sum_{k=1}^{N_1+N_2} H_k(z)$$

where in general the filter is assumed to have N_1 complex conjugate poles, N_1 real zeros, and N_2 real poles and K is a constant. Figure shows a parallel filter structure.



Filter Structures: Direct, Cascade and Parallel Forms

3. Parallel Filter Structure



A parallel-form filter structure.

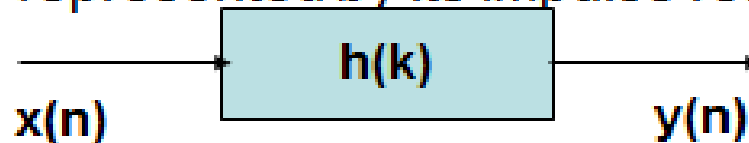


Types of Digital Filters

1. Finite impulse response.
2. Infinite impulse response.

■ FIR Digital Filter:

- ▶ FIR can be represented by its impulse response sequence $h(k)$



- ▶ The i/p and o/p signals to the FIR filter are related by the convolution sum, given as

$$y(n) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} h(k)x(n-k) \quad \rightarrow (1)$$

OR

$$y(n) = \sum_{k=0}^N b_k x(n-k) = b_0 x_n + b_1 x_{n-1} + \dots + b_N x_{n-N}$$



Types of Digital Filters

A non-recursive filter has no feedback and its input-output relation is given by

$$y(m) = \sum_{k=0}^M b_k x(m-k)$$

As shown in Fig the output $y(m)$ of a non-recursive filter is a function only of the input signal $x(m)$. The response of such a filter to an impulse consists of a finite sequence of $M+1$ samples, where M is the filter order. Hence, the filter is known as a *Finite-Duration Impulse Response* (FIR) filter. Other names for a non-recursive filter include all-zero filter, feed-forward filter or moving average (MA) filter a term usually used in statistical signal processing literature.



Types of Digital Filter

- As we can see, the impulse response of FIR is of finite duration since FIR has only N values.
- Eq:1 is the difference eq: of FIR filter.
- In FIR filter the current o/p sample $y(n)$ is a function only of past i/ps & present i/ps.
- Alternative representation of FIR filter is

$$H(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} h(k)z^{-k}$$

This is the transfer function of FIR and it's very useful in evaluating the freq: response.



Types of Digital Filters

■ IIR Digital Filter:

- ▶ These filters can be represented by

$$y(n) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} h(k)x(n-k)$$

$$y(n) = \sum_{k=0}^N b_k x(n-k) - \sum_{k=1}^M a_k y(n-k)$$

- ▶ a_k and b_k are coefficients of IIR filter.
- ▶ Choosing correct values of these coefficients
- ▶ In IIR filter eq., o/p $y(n)$ is a function of past o/ps, as well as present i/ps & past i/ps samples, that is the IIR is a feedback system of some sort.

- ▶ Alternative representation of the filters is

$$H(z) = \frac{\sum_{k=0}^N b_k z^{-k}}{1 + \sum_{k=1}^M a_k z^{-k}}$$



Types of Digital Filters

A recursive filter has feedback from output to input, and in general its output is a function of the previous output samples and the present and past input samples as described by the following equation

$$y(m) = \sum_{k=1}^N a_k y(m-k) + \sum_{k=0}^M b_k x(m-k)$$

Fig shows a direct form implementation of Eq. . In theory, when a recursive filter is excited by an impulse, the output persists forever. Thus a recursive filter is also known as an *Infinite Duration Impulse Response* (IIR) filter. Other names for an IIR filter include feedback filters, pole-zero filters and



Types of Digital Filters

auto-regressive-moving-average (ARMA) filter a term usually used in statistical signal processing literature.

A discrete-time IIR filter has a z -domain transfer function that is the ratio of two z -transform polynomials as expressed in Eq. ; it has a number of poles corresponding to the roots of the denominator polynomial and it may also have a number of zeros corresponding to the roots of the numerator polynomial.

The main difference between IIR filters and FIR filters is that an IIR filter is more compact in that it can usually achieve a prescribed frequency response with a smaller number of coefficients than an FIR filter. A smaller number of filter coefficients imply less storage requirements and faster calculation and a higher throughput. Therefore, generally IIR filters are more efficient in memory and computational requirements than FIR filters. However, it must be noted that an FIR filter is always stable, whereas an IIR filter can become unstable (for example if the poles of the IIR filter are outside the unit circle) and care must be taken in design of IIR filters to ensure stability.



Choosing Between IIR and FIR Filters

The choice b/w FIR & IIR filters depends largely on the relative adv: of the two filter types.

- FIR filters can have an exactly linear phase response i-e no phase distortion is introduced into the signal by the filter
- The phase responses of IIR filters are nonlinear, especially at the band edges.
- FIR filters are always stable. The stability of IIR filters cannot be always guaranteed.
- Effect of finite wordlength is less severe in FIR than in IIR.
- Analog filters can be readily transformed into IIR filter. This is not possible with FIR filters.

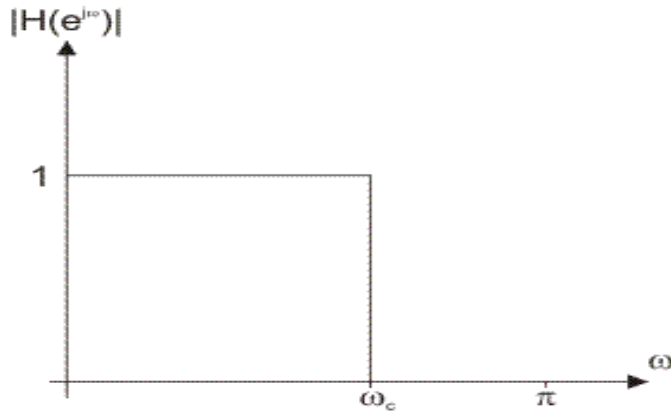


Filter Design Steps

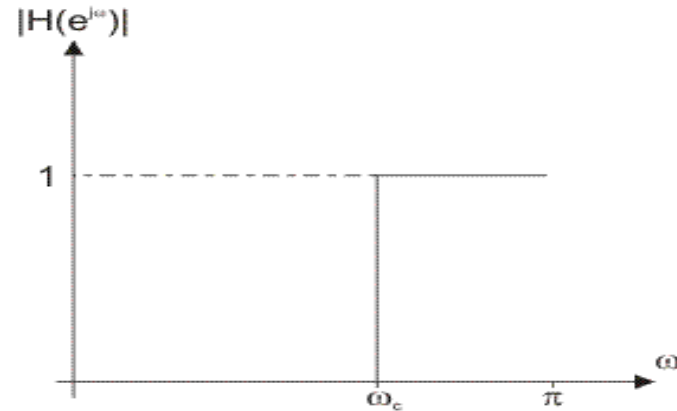
- 1. Specification of the filter requirements**
 1. Signal characteristics
 2. Data rates
 3. Desired amplitude and phase
 4. Manner of implementation etc
- 2. Calculation of suitable filter coefficients**
 1. Impulse invariant (for IIR)
 2. Bilinear transformation (for IIR)
 3. Pole-zero placement (for IIR)
 4. Window (for FIR)
 5. Frequency sampling (for FIR)
 6. Optimal method (for FIR)
- 3. Representation of the filter by a suitable structure**
 1. Transversal (for FIR)
 2. Linear phase (for FIR)
 3. Cascade (for IIR)
 4. Parallel (for IIR)
 5. Direct form (for IIR)
- 4. Analysis of effects of finite word length on filter performance.**
- 5. Implementation of filter in filter in software/hardware**



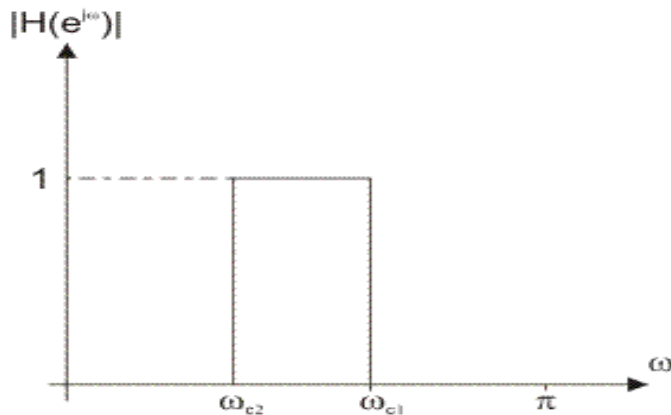
Kinds of Filters



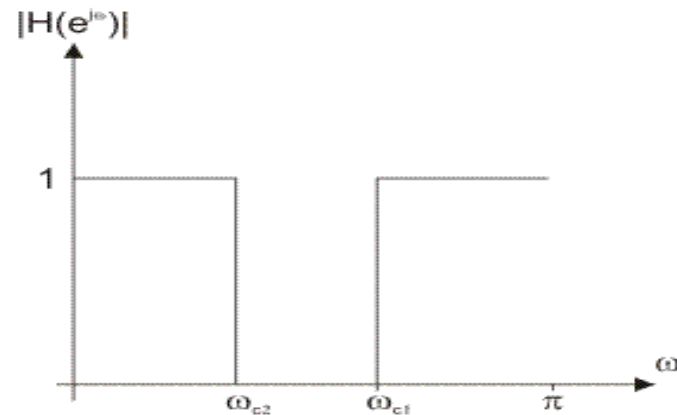
Low-pass Filter



High-pass Filter



Band-pass Filter



Stop-pass Filter



Finite Impulse Response (FIR) Filters

Definition: Finite Impulse Response

- FIR filters have transfer functions that have only numerator coefficients, i.e., $H(z) = B(z)$.

$$y_n = b_0x_n + b_1x_{n-1} + b_2x_{n-2} + \dots + b_Mx_{n-M}$$

$$y(n) = \sum_{k=0}^M b_k x(n-k)$$

(1)

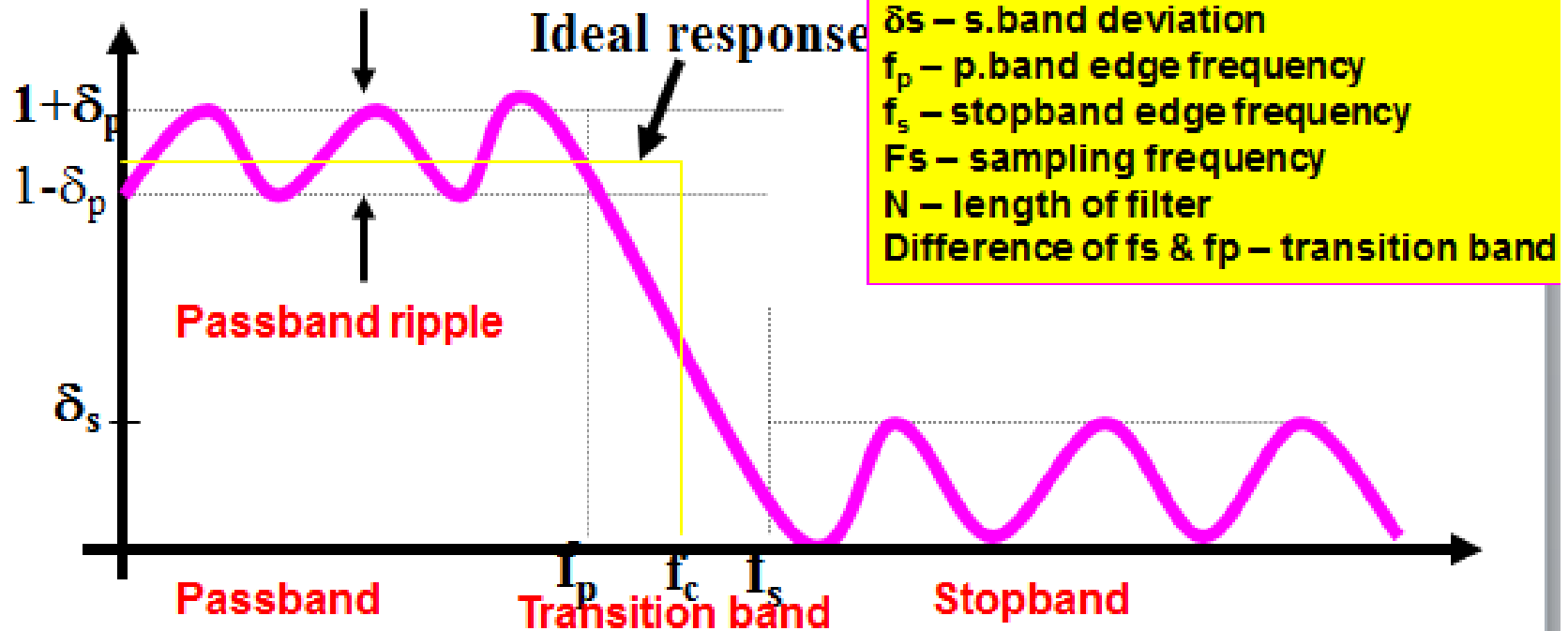
where b_k is the coefficient function (also called the weighting function) of length K , $x(n)$ is the input, and $y(n)$ is the output.

- This leads to an impulse response that is finite, hence the name.
- They have the advantage of always being stable and having linear phase shifts. The downside of FIR filters is that they are less efficient in terms of computer time and memory than IIR filters.
- FIR filters are also referred to as *All-zero filter* or *non-recursive* because only the input (not the output) is used in the filter algorithm.



STEP1: FIR Filter Specification

Referring to this figure given below the following parameters are of interest.





Specification Example

- This example provides an idea of how digital filter specifications are defined.
 - ▶ A low pass (LP) digital filter is required for physiological noise reduction. The filter should meet the following specifications.
 - ⊕ Passband edge frequency 10Hz
 - ⊕ Stopband edge frequency $<20\text{Hz}$
 - ⊕ Stopband attenuation $>30\text{dB}$
 - ⊕ Passband ripple $<0.026\text{dB}$
 - ⊕ Sampling frequency 256Hz



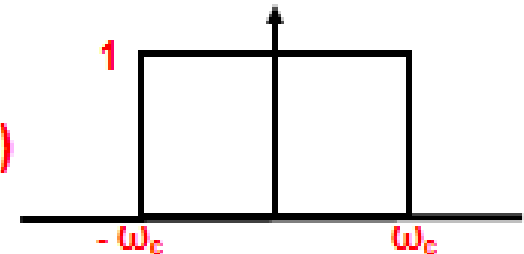
Step 2: Calculation of Suitable Filter Coefficients

- Ideally we wish to realize a “brick-wall” magnitude response and a linear phase response. In practice we can realize a reasonable approximation to this magnitude response, together with a linear phase response.
- The design problem may be stated, thus, given an ideal/desired frequency response $H_d(\omega)$,
 - ▶ decide on a filter length, and
 - ▶ decide on a filter coefficients which will give an actual response $H(\omega)$ approximating to $H_d(\omega)$ to within a given specification in magnitude and phase. (d subscript represent desired)

Design of FIR filter using Fourier Methods

- Consider the ideal low-pass zero-delay filter which is a rectangular window in the frequency domain with following specifications:

$$H_d(\omega) = \begin{cases} 1, & -\omega_c < \omega < \omega_c \\ 0, & |\omega| > \omega_c \end{cases} \quad (2)$$



where ω_c is the cutoff frequency.

- The inverse Fourier transform of a rectangular window (square) function is calculated as



Design of FIR filter using Fourier Methods

Remind Fourier transform Pair!

$$H(\omega) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h[n]e^{-j\omega n}$$
$$h[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{2\pi} H(\omega)e^{j\omega n} d\omega$$

On substituting (2) into this, we get

$$h_d[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\omega_c}^{\omega_c} 1 \cdot e^{j\omega n} d\omega$$

which evaluates to

$$h_d[n] = \frac{1}{n\pi} \sin(n\omega_c) \quad -\infty < n < \infty \quad (3)$$

- A filter with the impulse response Eq. (3) would realize the ideal specification (2) exactly. However, it poses two problems
 - ▶ A- This impulse response is infinite in length i.e. the filter would require an infinite number of coefficients.
 - ▶ B- This impulse response is double-sided as shown in the fig 2 on the next slide. If we truncate the series symmetrically, it will have terms for negative n and the filter will be non-causal i.e. will require foreknowledge. Therefore, it will not be realizable in real world.



Design of FIR filter using Fourier Methods

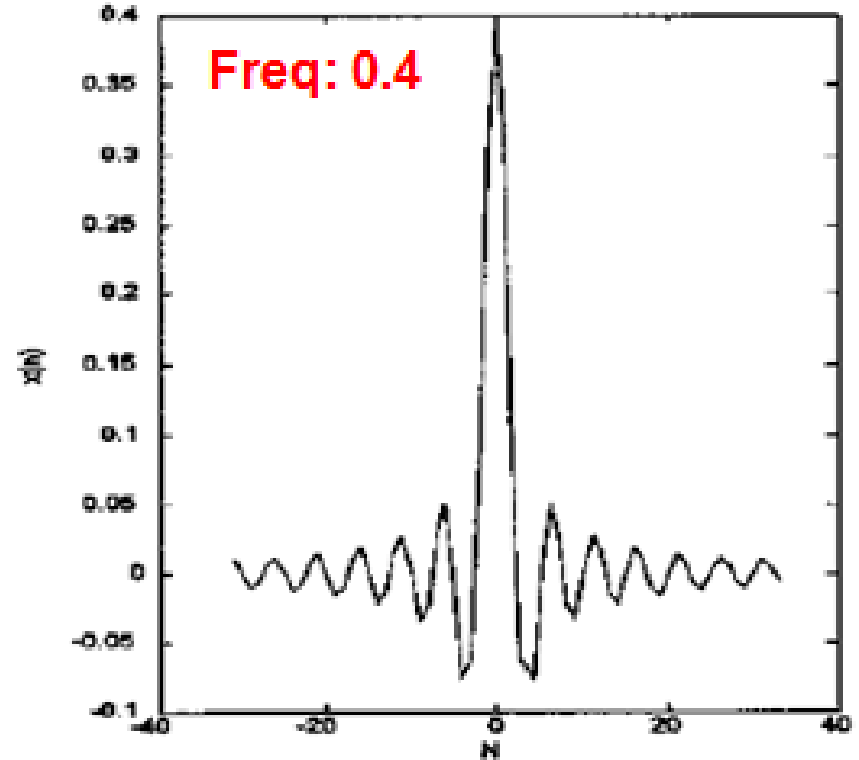
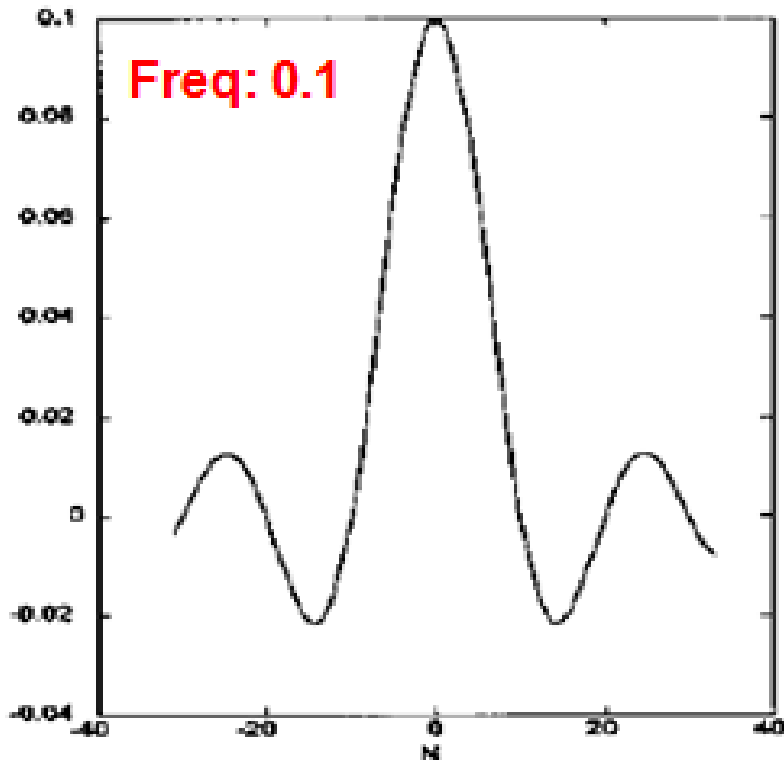


FIGURE 2 Symmetrical weighting function of a rectangular filter Eq. (8) truncated at 64 coefficients. Left: Lowpass filter with a cutoff frequency of $0.1f_s/2$ Hz. Right: Lowpass cutoff frequency of $0.4f_s/2$ Hz.



Design of FIR filter using Fourier Methods

- **Solution – A:** Truncate to a finite number of coefficients. The response will now be an approximation to the ideal.

- ▶ Figure 3 shows the frequency response, obtained by taking the Fourier transform of the coefficients for two different lengths. This filter also shows a couple of artifacts associated with finite length:
 - ✦ An oscillation in the frequency curve which increases in frequency when the coefficient function is longer. This effect is called **Gibbs Oscillation**.
 - ✦ A peak in the pass-band which becomes narrower and higher when the coefficient function is lengthened.

- **Solution – B:** Shift the impulse response by N sampling intervals in time, where $N = K/2$. On denoting the shifted response by $h[n]$, this gives

$$h[n] = h_d(n-N)$$

and now we have a standard finite length causal filter.

- ▶ This will have the effect of delaying the response by N sampling intervals. Instead of the zero delay filter of (2), we will have a constant delay filter with delay time τ . This is equivalent to a linear phase filter, the phase being given by $\phi = 2\pi f\tau$ radians.
- On taking account of the truncation and the shift Eq. (3) becomes

$$h[n] = \frac{1}{(n-N)\pi} \sin((n-N)\omega_c) = \frac{\omega_c}{\pi} \frac{\sin((n-K/2)\omega_c)}{(n-K/2)\omega_c} = \frac{\omega_c}{\pi} \text{sinc}((n-K/2)\omega_c) \quad (4)$$



Artifacts of Truncation

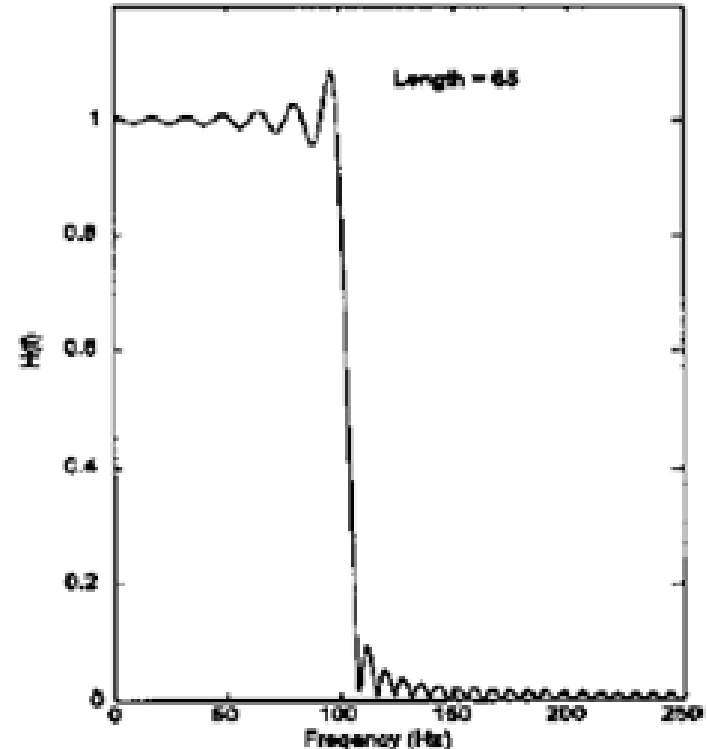
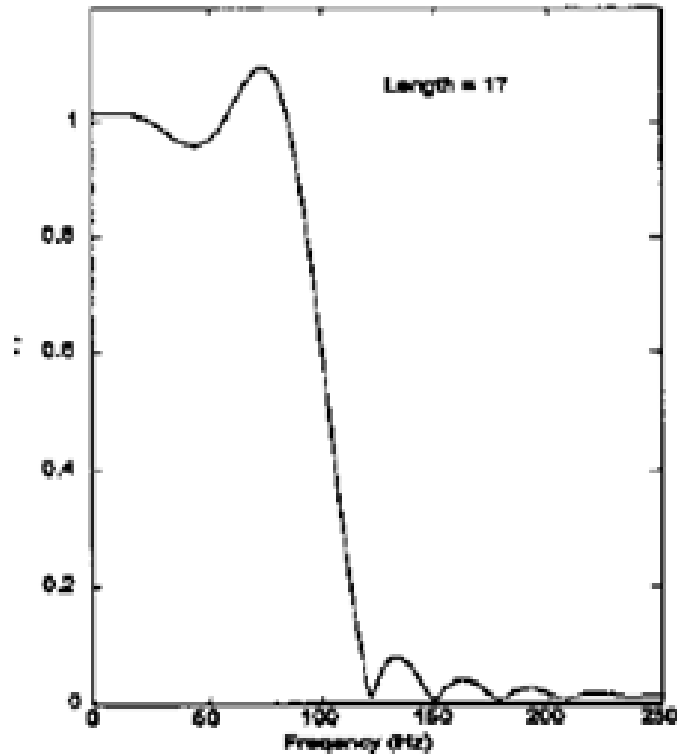


FIGURE 3 Frequency characteristics of an FIR filter based in a weighting function derived from Eq. (4). The weighting functions were abruptly truncated at 17 and 65 coefficients. The low-pass cutoff frequency is 100 Hz.



Reducing the Effect of Truncation

- Increasing the filter length has relatively little effect. A better method is to window the impulse response: each term $h[n]$ is multiplied by the corresponding term $w[n]$ in a window:

$$h_w[n] = h[n]w[n]$$

Many windows have been proposed, which are described next.

- The purpose of a window function is to select a finite number of samples from the infinite no: of samples.



Designing FIR Filters: Windows

Rectangular Window:

- The rectangular window is defined as:

$$w[n] = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 \leq n \leq K \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases} \quad (5)$$

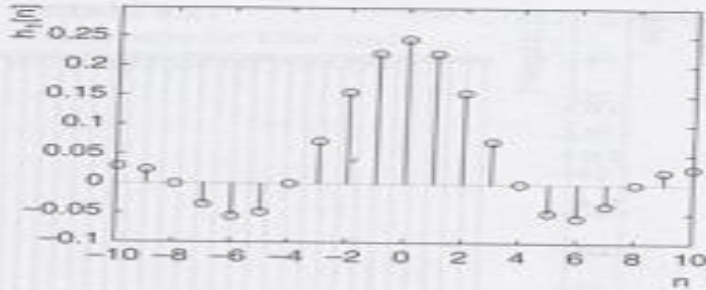
- The filter coefficients $b[n] = h[n]$ can now be computed as:

$$b[n] = h_d[n - N]w[n] = \frac{\omega_c}{\pi} \frac{\sin((n - N)\omega_c)}{(n - N)\omega_c} \quad (6)$$

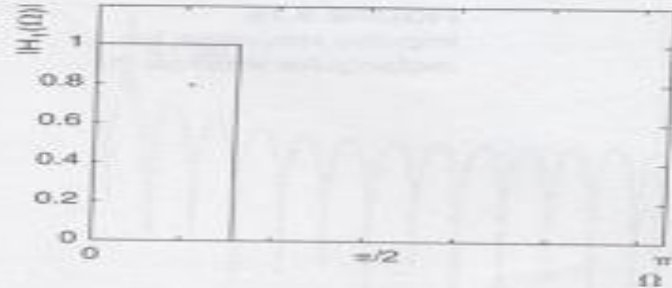
- The side lobes in the mag: resp: of rectangular window are evidence of **ringing** that occurs because of the sharp vertical edges of the rectangular window.
- Ringing problem can be reduced by choosing a window with smoother edges, such windows are hamming, hanning, balckman and kaiser described next.



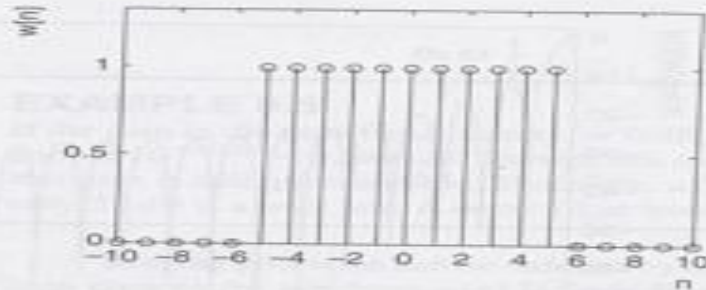
Windows Method



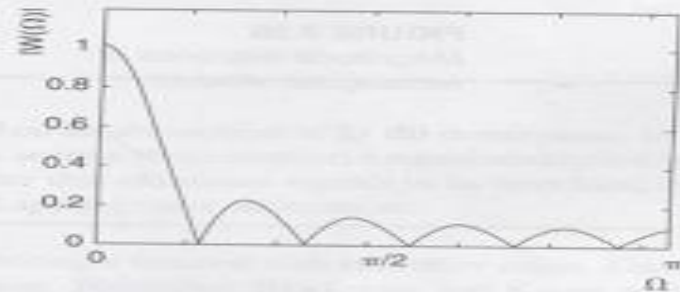
(a)(i) Impulse Response for Ideal Low Pass Filter



(a)(ii) Filter Shape for Ideal Low Pass Filter



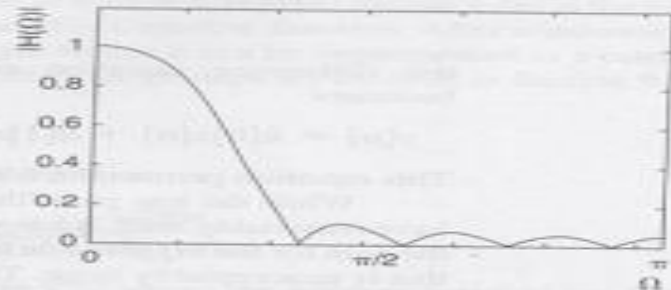
(b)(i) Rectangular Window



(b)(ii) Magnitude Response for Rectangular Window



(c)(i) Impulse Response for Non-Ideal Low Pass Filter



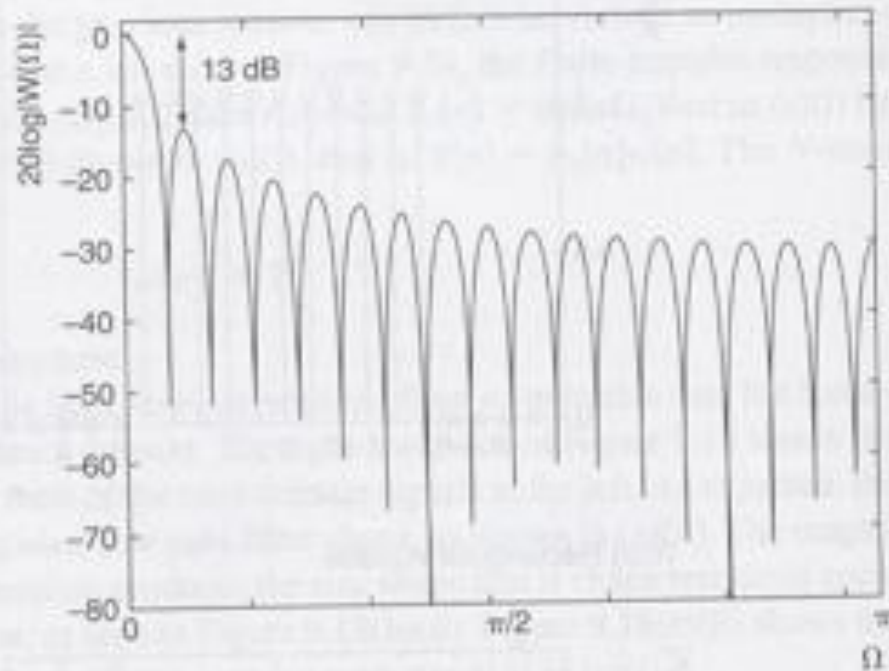
(c)(ii) Filter Shape for Non-Ideal Low Pass Filter



Windows Method

FIGURE 9.20

Magnitude response of rectangular window.





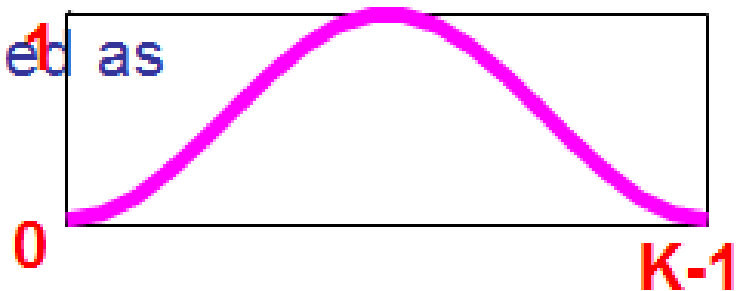
Hamming Window

Hamming Window:

- The Hamming window is defined as

$$w[n] = 0.54 + 0.46 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{N-1}\right)$$

(7)



- The filter coefficients can be found as follows: $h[n] = hd[n - N] \times w[n]$

$$b[n] = \left[\frac{\omega_c \sin(n - K/2)\omega_c}{\pi (n - K)\omega_c} \right] \left[0.54 + 0.46 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{N-1}\right) \right] \quad (8)$$

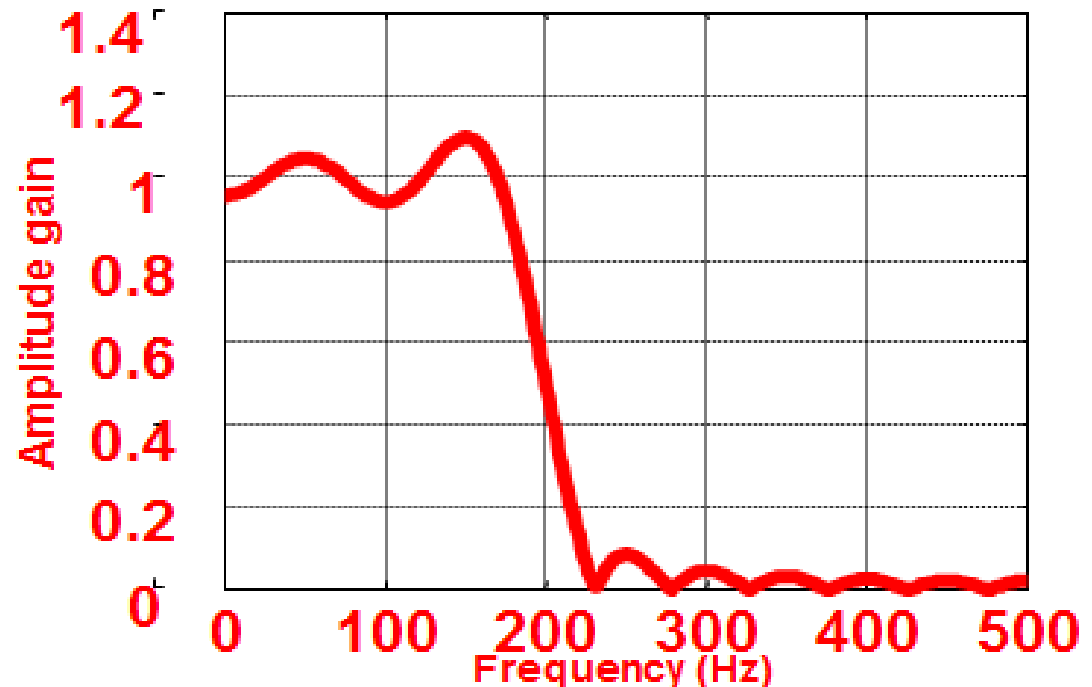


Example1

Example 1: Design a low-pass FIR filter with cut-off frequency at 200 Hz relative to a Nyquist frequency of 1KHz. Use the rectangular window to truncate the impulse response. The length of the filter is 21.

Solution 1: The normalized cutoff frequency is $\omega_c = 2\pi f_c / f_s = 2\pi(200/(1000)) = 0.4\pi$ where $N = 20$

$b[0] = 0.0000$	$= b[20]$
$b[1] = -0.03364$	$= b[19]$
$b[2] = -0.02339$	$= b[18]$
$b[3] = 0.02673$	$= b[17]$
$b[4] = 0.05046$	$= b[16]$
$b[5] = 0.00000$	$= b[15]$
$b[6] = -0.07568$	$= b[14]$
$b[7] = -0.06237$	$= b[13]$
$b[8] = 0.09355$	$= b[12]$
$b[9] = 0.30273$	$= b[11]$
$b[10] = 0.40000$	





Example2

Example 2: Repeat example 1 for a Hamming window.

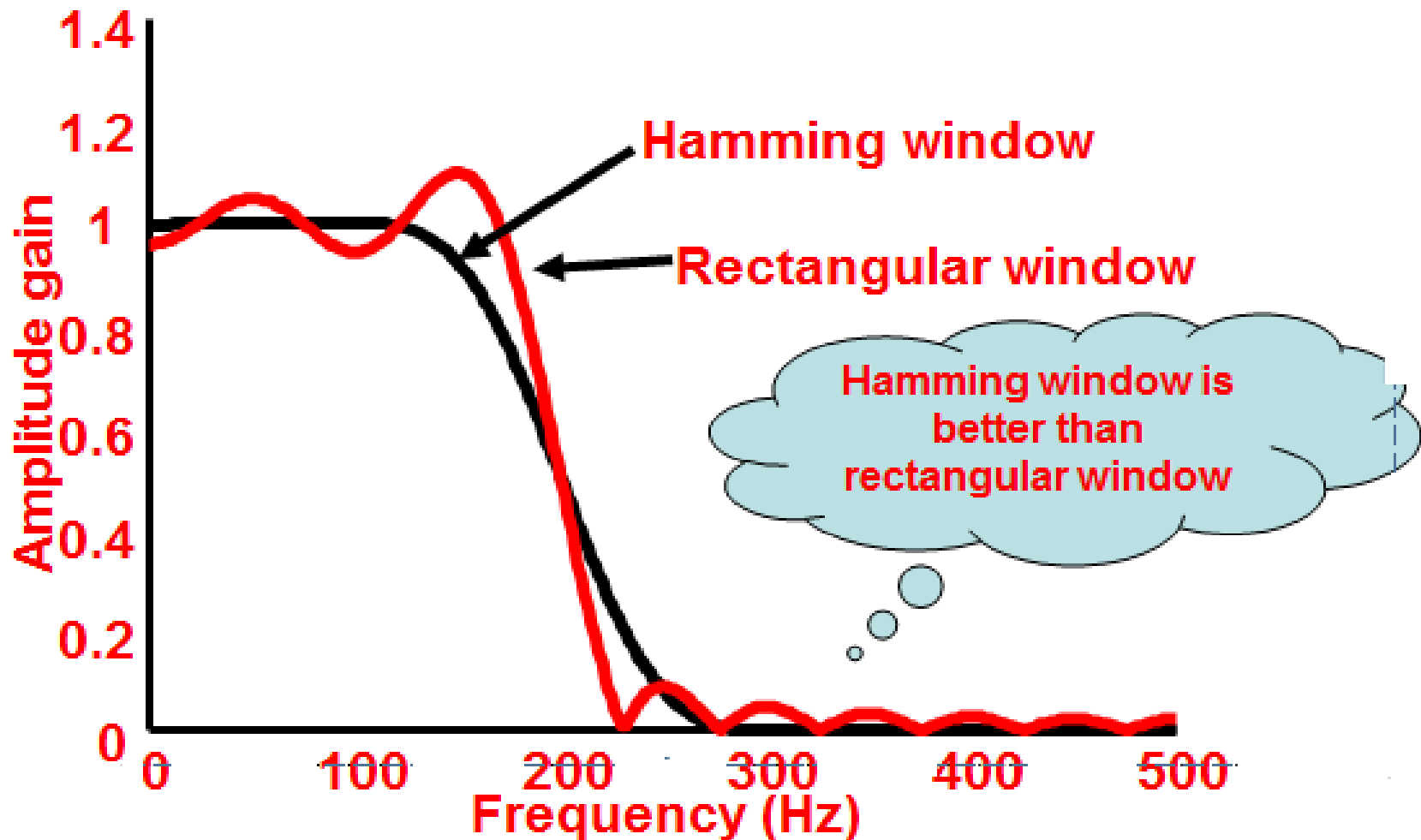
Solution 2: The filter coefficients can be computed by using equation (16) as:

$$\begin{aligned} b[0] &= 0.00000 = b[20] & b[1] &= -0.00345 = b[19] \\ b[2] &= -0.00393 = b[18] & b[3] &= 0.00721 = b[17] \\ b[4] &= 0.02007 = b[16] & b[5] &= 0.00000 = b[15] \\ b[6] &= -0.05163 = b[14] & b[7] &= -0.05054 = b[13] \\ b[8] &= 0.08533 = b[12] & b[9] &= 0.29592 = b[11] \\ & & b[10] &= 0.40000 \end{aligned}$$

The magnitude response of the filter and its comparison with the magnitude response of the filter with rectangular window is given in the figure on the next slide.



Hamming Window



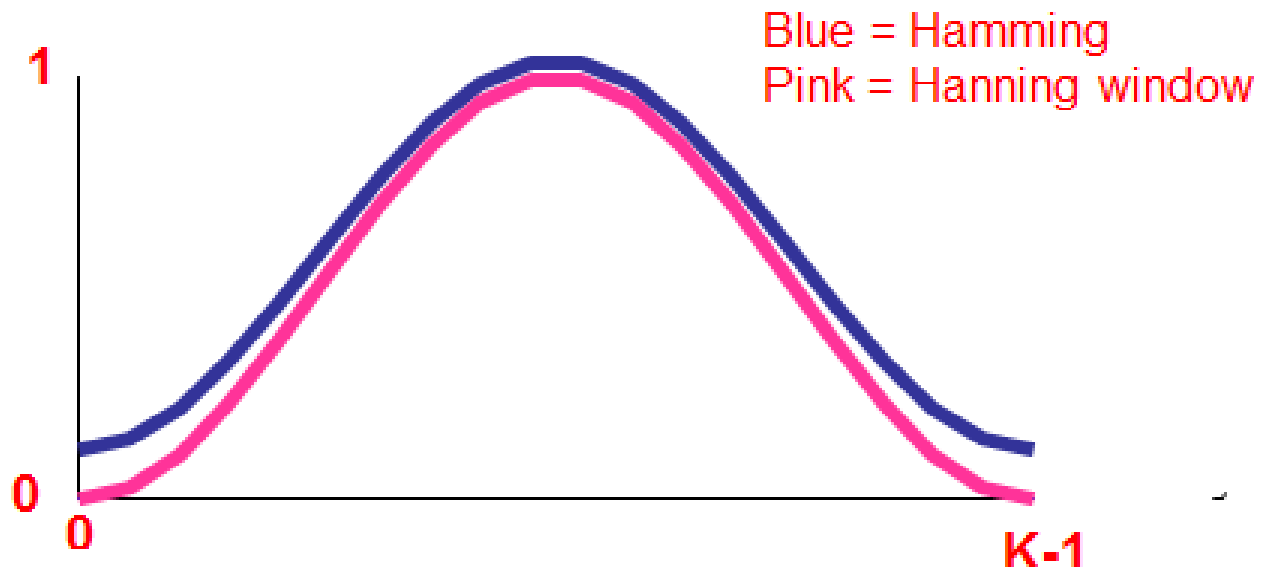


Hanning Window

Hanning Window:

- The Hanning Window is defined as

$$w[n] = 0.5 \left[1 + \cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{N-1}\right) \right] \quad (9)$$





Hanning Window: Example3

Example 3: Repeat Example 1 with the Hann Window

Solution 3: The coefficients of the filter in this case can be computed as follows:

$$b[n] = \left[\frac{\omega_c}{\pi} \cdot \frac{\sin(n - K/2)\omega_c}{(n - K)\omega_c} \right] \left[0.5 \left\{ 1 - \cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{N-1}\right) \right\} \right]$$

The coefficients are:

$$b[0] = 0.00000 = b[20]$$

$$b[1] = -0.00082 = b[19]$$

$$b[2] = -0.00223 = b[18]$$

$$b[3] = 0.00551 = b[17]$$

$$b[4] = 0.01743 = b[16]$$

$$b[5] = 0.0000 = b[15]$$

$$b[6] = -0.04953 = b[14]$$

$$b[7] = -0.04951 = b[13]$$

$$b[8] = 0.08462 = b[12]$$

$$b[9] = 0.29532 = b[11]$$

$$b[10] = 0.40000$$



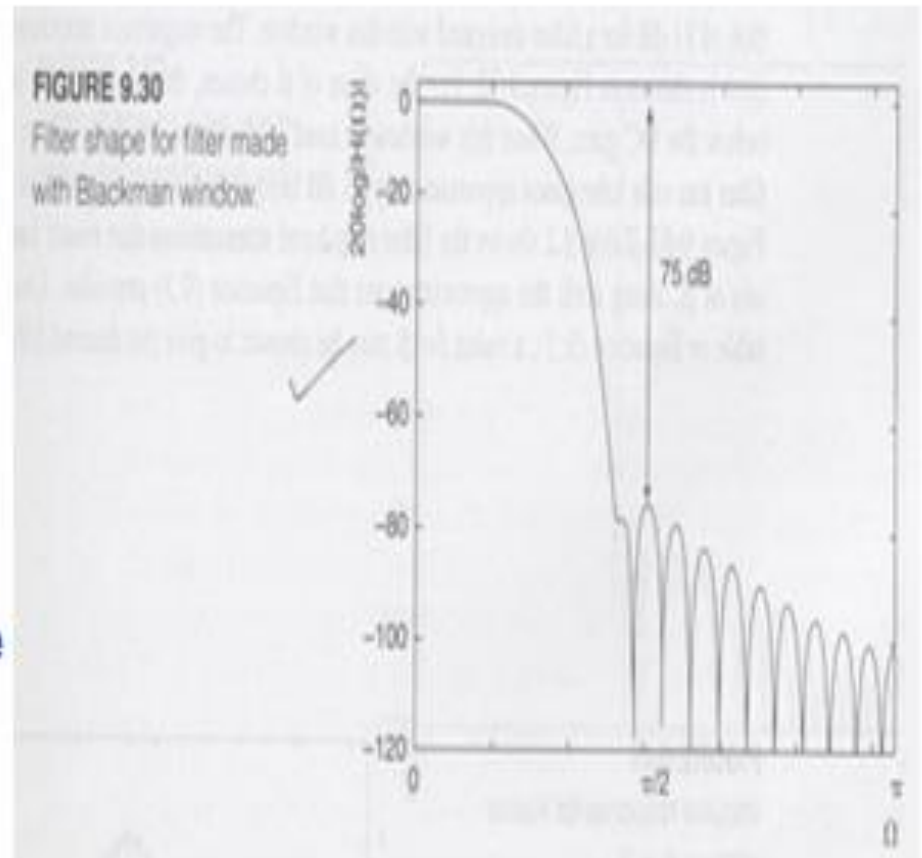
Blackman Window

Blackman Window:

- The blackman window is defined by the eq:

$$w[n] = 0.42 + 0.5 \cos \frac{2\pi n}{N-1} + 0.08 \cos \frac{4\pi n}{N-1}$$

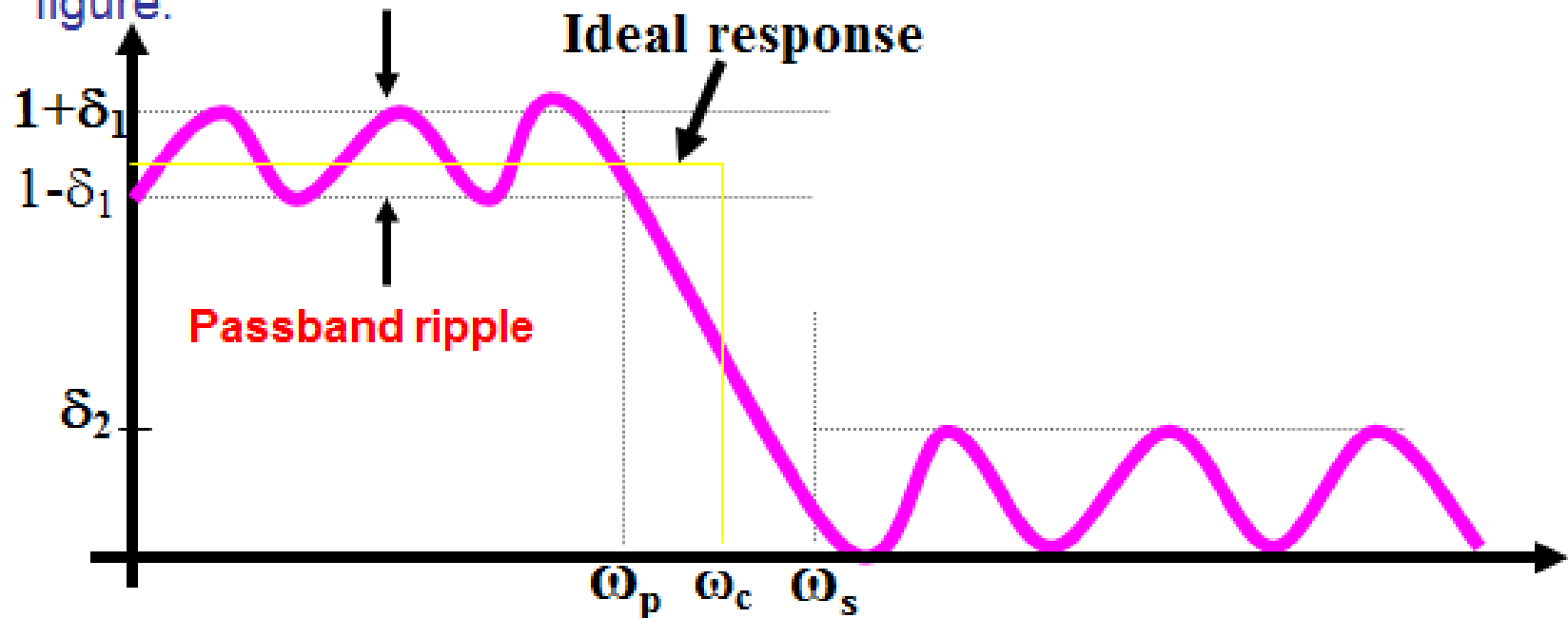
- A LP filter designed with a Blackman window gives side lobes that are 75dB below the pass band as seen in figure here.



Kaiser Window

Kaiser Window:

- The windows studied so far are very simple, but do not provide good control over the filter design specifications. Kaiser window is a highly suitable for achieving the required pass-band and/or stop-band ripple, along with the cut-off requirements. Consider the following figure.





Kaiser Window

The passband/stopband frequencies $\{\omega_p, \omega_s\}$ are related to the ideal cutoff frequency ω_c and transition width $\Delta\omega$ by

$$\omega_c = \frac{1}{2} (\omega_p + \omega_s), \quad \Delta\omega = \omega_s - \omega_p \quad (10)$$

The pass-band and stop-band overshoots $\{A_p, A_s\}$ are expressed in dB as

$$A_p = 20 \log_{10} \frac{1 + \delta_1}{1 - \delta_1}, \quad A_s = -20 \log_{10} \delta_2 \quad (11)$$

Equation (20) can be inverted to give:

$$\delta_1 = \frac{10^{A_p/20} - 1}{10^{A_p/20} + 1}, \quad \delta_2 = 10^{-A_s/20} \quad (12)$$

Although δ_1 and δ_2 can be specified independently of each other, it is a property of all windows designs that the final designed filter will have equal pass-band and stop-band ripples.



Kaiser Window

- Therefore, we must design the filter on the basis of the smaller of the two ripples, that is,

$$\delta = \min(\delta_1, \delta_2) \quad (13)$$

- The Kaiser window is mathematically represented as:

$$w[n] = I_0 \left[\alpha \sqrt{\left(\frac{K-1}{2}\right)^2 - \left(n - \frac{K-1}{2}\right)^2} \right] / I_0 \left[\alpha \left(\frac{K-1}{2}\right) \right] \quad (14)$$

where $I_0(x)$ is the *modified Bessel function of the first kind and 0th order*.

The parameter α can be computed as follows:

$$\alpha = \begin{cases} 0.1102(A - 8.7) & A \geq 50 \\ 0.5842(A - 21) & 21 < A < 50 \\ 0 & A \leq 21 \end{cases} \quad (15)$$

- The filter length can be obtained as

$$K - 1 = \frac{Df_s}{\Delta f} \quad (16)$$

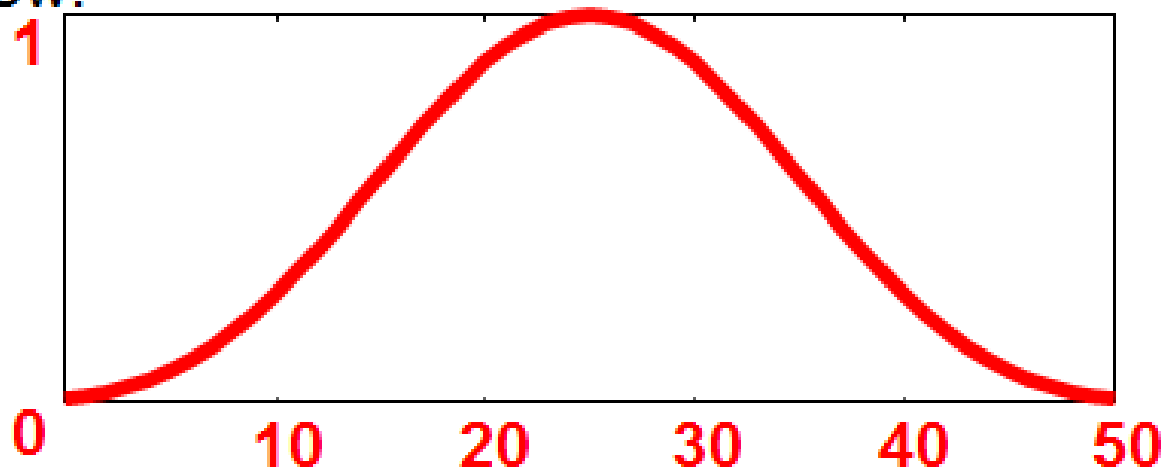


Kaiser Window

- where f_s is the sampling frequency in Hz, Δf is the transition Width in Hz and

$$D = \begin{cases} \frac{A-7.95}{14.36} & A > 21 \\ 0.922 & A \leq 21 \end{cases} \quad (17)$$

- The shape of the Kaiser window for $K = 51$ & $\alpha = 7$ is given below:





Kaiser Window: Example

Example 4: Using Kaiser Window, design a low-pass digital filter with the following specifications:

Sampling frequency = 20 KHz, pass-band frequency = 4 KHz

Stop-band frequency = 5 KHz, $A_p = 0.1$ dB, $A_s = 80$ dB

Solution 4:
$$\delta_p = \frac{10^{A_p/20} - 1}{10^{A_p/20} + 1} = 0.0058, \quad \delta_s = 10^{-80/20} = 0.0001$$

Therefore, $\delta = \min(\delta_1, \delta_2)$, which in db is $A = -20 \log_{10} \delta_s = 80$.

$\alpha = 0.1102(A - 8.7) = 7.857$, $D = (A - 7.95)/14.36 = 5.017$.

The transition width = $\Delta f = f_s - f_p = 5 - 4 = 1$ KHz

$f_c = \frac{1}{2}(f_s + f_p) = 4.5$ KHz, $\omega_c = (2\pi f_c / f_s) = 0.45\pi$.

$K - 1 = D f_s / \Delta f \Rightarrow K = 103 \Rightarrow (K - 1) / 2 = 102 / 2 = 51$

The windowed impulse response will be

$$h[n] = \frac{\sin(0.45\pi(n - 51))}{\pi(n - 51)} \cdot \frac{I_0 \left[7.857 \sqrt{\left[\left(\frac{K-1}{2} \right)^2 - \left(n - \frac{K-1}{2} \right)^2 \right]} \right]}{I_0 \left[\alpha \left(\frac{K-1}{2} \right) \right]}$$



Summary of Windows

Window Type	Window Function $ w \leq \frac{N-1}{2}$	Number of Terms, N^*	Filter Stop Band Attenuation (dB)	Gain at Edge of Pass Band $20\log(1 - \delta_p)$ (dB)
Rectangular	1	$0.91 \frac{f_s}{T.W.}$	21	-0.9
Hanning	$0.5 + 0.5\cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{N-1}\right)$	$3.32 \frac{f_s}{T.W.}$	44	-0.06
Hamming	$0.54 + 0.46\cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{N-1}\right)$	$3.44 \frac{f_s}{T.W.}$	55	-0.02
Blackman	$0.42 + 0.5\cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{N-1}\right)$ $+ 0.08\cos\left(\frac{4\pi n}{N-1}\right)$	$5.98 \frac{f_s}{T.W.}$	75	-0.0014
Kaiser	$\frac{I_0\left(\beta\sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{2n}{N-1}\right)^2}\right)}{I_0(\beta)}$	$4.33 \frac{f_s}{T.W.}$ ($\beta = 6$)	64	-0.0057
		$5.25 \frac{f_s}{T.W.}$ ($\beta = 8$)	81	-0.00087
		$6.36 \frac{f_s}{T.W.}$ ($\beta = 10$)	100	-0.000013

* N = number of terms in window, f_s = sampling frequency, T.W. = transition width.



Example

- **Example:** A filter must have a stop band attenuation of 75dB and a transition width of 1kHz for 16kHz sampling. Which window should be selected, and how many terms should be used?
- **Solution:** The two windows in table 1 that best satisfy the stop band requirement are the Blackman and the beta =8 kaiser window.

The blackman window requires $5.98(16000/1000)=95.68 = 95$ terms. The beta=8 kaiser window requires $5.25(16000/1000)=84=85$ terms. In general, the number of terms are rounded off to the nearest odd integer.



Choosing Window Type

- The best choice is the window that meets the stop band requirements as closely as possible.
- Choosing an odd number of terms will guarantee a symmetrical impulse response, which will eliminate phase distortion.
- If the filter length (N), transition width, desired window etc are not provided in the specifications or problem statement then they also must be calculated by using the following steps



Steps for LP FIR filter design

1. Choose a pass band edge frequency in Hz for the filter by the formula
 $f_1 = \text{desired pass band edge freq.} + \text{transition width}/2$
2. Calculate $w = 2\pi f_1 / f_s$ and substitute this value in the impulse response of ideal LP filter eq: $h[n] = \sin(nw) / n\pi$
3. Choose a window from table 1: that will satisfy the stop band attenuation and other filter requirements.
4. Calculate the Finite impulse response $h[n]$ for the filter from $h[n] = h_1[n]w[n]$
5. Shift the impulse response values to the right $(N-1)/2$ steps to ensure value occurs at $n=0$, thereby making the low pass filter causal.



Example

■ Example: A LP filter must be designed according to the following specifications:

- ▶ Pass band edge 2kHz
- ▶ Stop band edge 3kHz
- ▶ Stop band attenuation 40dB
- ▶ Sampling frequency 10kHz

Solution:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{transition width} &= \text{stop band edge freq:} - \text{pass band edge freq:} \\ &= 3 - 2 = 1\text{kHz} \end{aligned}$$



Example

Step 1 of the design method then yields

$$f_1 = 2000 + 1000/2 = 2500\text{Hz}$$

For step 2 , $w = 2 \pi f_1/f_s = 0.5\pi$

Step 3 demands a choice of window. For a stop band attenuation of 40dB, Table 1 suggests the Hanning window, with

$$N = 3.32 f_s/\text{Transition width} = 33.2$$

Choosing $N = 33$, the window function becomes

$$w[n] = 0.5 \left[1 + \cos \left(\frac{2\pi n}{32} \right) \right]$$

Calculating the $h[n]$ will give the following values on next slide



Example

TABLE 9.5
Calculations for Example 9.7

n	$h_1[n]$	$w[n]$	$h[n]$	new n
-16	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0
-15	-0.0212	0.0096	-0.0002	1
-14	0.0000	0.0381	0.0000	2
-13	0.0245	0.0843	0.0021	3
-12	0.0000	0.1464	0.0000	4
-11	-0.0289	0.2222	-0.0064	5
-10	0.0000	0.3087	0.0000	6
-9	0.0354	0.4025	0.0142	7
-8	0.0000	0.5000	0.0000	8
-7	-0.0455	0.5975	-0.0272	9
-6	0.0000	0.6913	0.0000	10
-5	0.0637	0.7778	0.0495	11
-4	0.0000	0.8536	0.0000	12
-3	-0.1061	0.9157	-0.0972	13
-2	0.0000	0.9619	0.0000	14
-1	0.3183	0.9904	0.3153	15
0	0.5000	1.0000	0.5000	16
1	0.3183	0.9904	0.3153	17
2	0.0000	0.9619	0.0000	18
3	-0.1061	0.9157	-0.0972	19
4	0.0000	0.8536	0.0000	20
5	0.0637	0.7778	0.0495	21
6	0.0000	0.6913	0.0000	22
7	-0.0455	0.5975	-0.0272	23
8	0.0000	0.5000	0.0000	24
9	0.0354	0.4025	0.0142	25
10	0.0000	0.3087	0.0000	26
11	-0.0289	0.2222	-0.0064	27
12	0.0000	0.1464	0.0000	28
13	0.0245	0.0843	0.0021	29
14	0.0000	0.0381	0.0000	30
15	-0.0212	0.0096	-0.0002	31
16	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	32



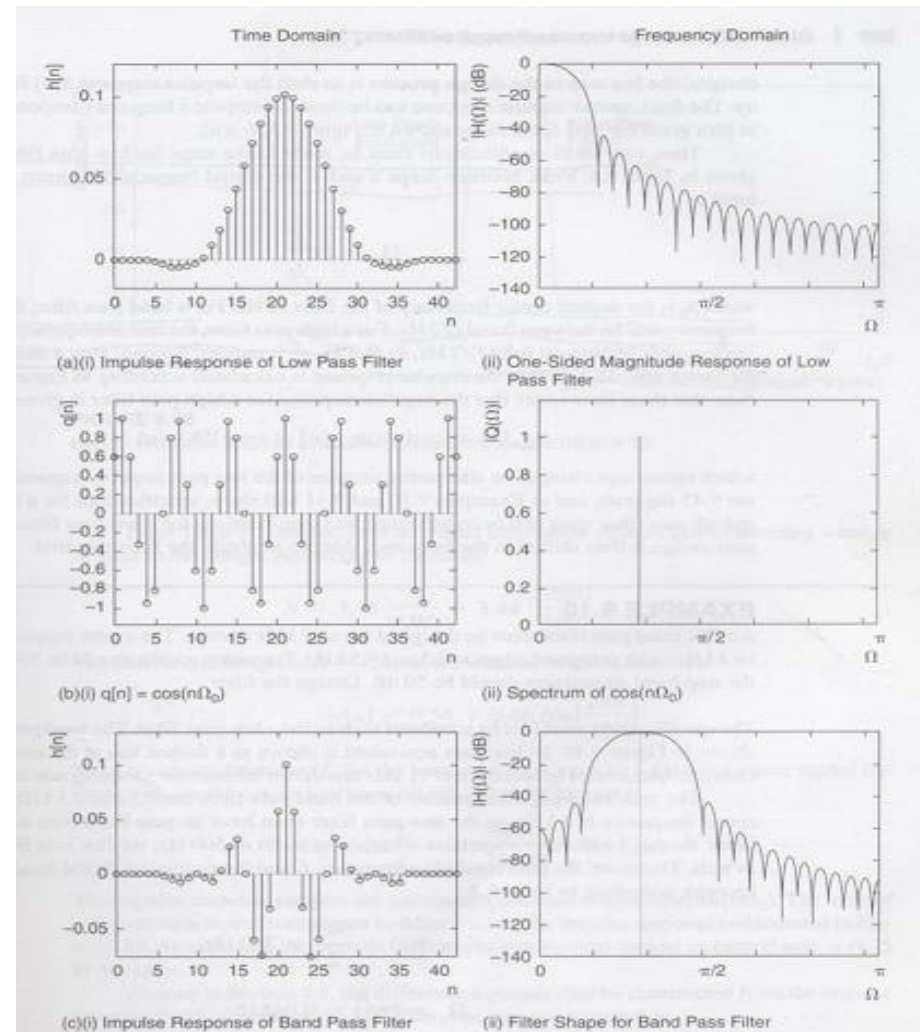
BP and HP FIR Filters

- BP & HP filters can be designed starting with a low pass filter and shifting in freq: to produce the desired filter.
- The trick is to convolve the impulse with the LP mag: response to convert it into HP & BP.
- A single impulse function in the freq: domain must be located at the desired filter center freq:
- Then by convolving a LP filter shape with this impulse function has the effect of shifting a copy of the two sided LP filter shape to a new location and result is a BP or HP FIR filter.
- The figure on next slide illustrates the whole concept.



BP and HP FIR Filters

- The necessary impulse in this fig: 2b can be conveniently provided by a cosine function since its spectrum has a single spike.
- When convolution occurs in the freq: domain, multiplication must occur in the time domain.
- To convert noncausal LP filter ($h_1[w]w[n]$) into BP or HP filter, then the impulse response of LP filter must be multiplied by the cosine function given as $q[n]=\cos(nw_0)$
- The multiplication is illustrated in the left column of this figure.
- The last step in the design process is to shift the impulse response $h[n]$ for causality.
- Hence the figure 2c shows the new filter shape.





BP and HP FIR Filters

- **Two small modifications** are made in the steps of LP FIR filter design.

1. Between step 3 and 4, the digital freq:

$$w_0 = 2\pi f_0 / f_s$$

▶ For BP, f_0 lie between 0 to $f_s/2$ Hz

▶ For HP, $f_0 = f_s/2$ Hz

2. Step 4 must include the factor $\cos(nw_0)$



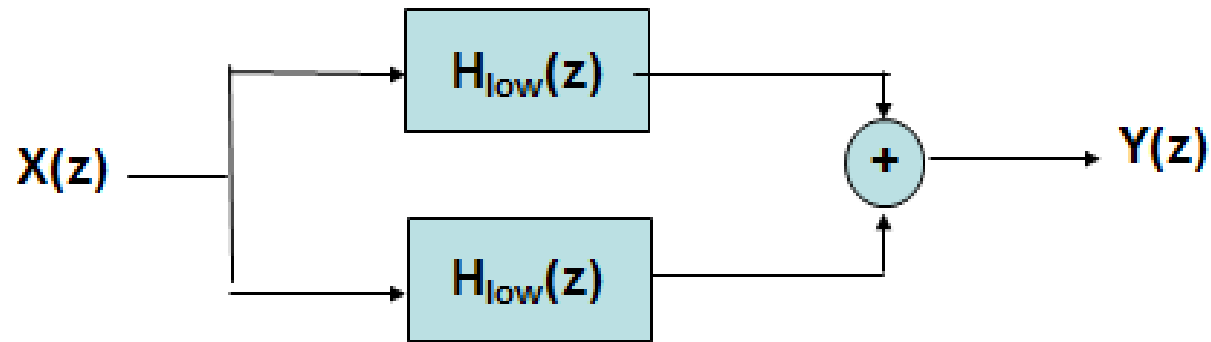
Band stop FIR Filters

- BS filter suppress one range of frequencies, the stop band, while pass all others.
- A simple method is available, provided the pass band edge frequencies are chosen correctly.
- A band stop filter can be constructed by combining a LP filter with a HP filter.
- The LP filter sets the pass band edge frequency for the lower end of the stop band and the HP filter sets the pass band edge freq: for the higher end.
- The impulse response for the two filters $h_{low}[n]$ & $h_{high}[n]$ can be found using previous method.



Band stop FIR Filters

- Both must be summed in the z domain to produce the impulse response for the band stop filter



This figure shows the addition of LP & HP resp: In z-domain

$$Y(z) = H_{low}(z)X(z) + H_{high}(z)X(z)$$

Overall transfer function is

$$H_{band\ stop}(z) = H_{low}(z) + H_{high}(z)$$

- The impulse response of the three filters are related in same way
$$h_{bandstop}[n] = h_{low}[n] + h_{high}[n]$$
- Thus, the impulse response for a band stop filter is simply the sum of the impulse responses for HP & LP filters.



Band stop FIR Filters

- BP filters may be designed in a similar fashion.
- By multiplying the impulse response of LP filter and HP filter we can get the band pass filter. $H_{\text{bandpass}}[n] = h_{\text{low}}[n] \times h_{\text{high}}[n]$



Another method for designing HP,BP & BS FIR filters

- The FIR filter coefficients for highpass, bandpass, and bandstop filters can be derived in the same manner from equations generated by applying an inverse FT to rectangular structures having the appropriate associated shape. These equations have the same general form as Eq. (4) except they include additional terms:



Generalized FIR Filter design

High Pass Filter:

- The magnitude response of a normalized ideal high-pass filter is given by

$$H_d(\omega) = \begin{cases} e^{-j\omega K/2} & \omega_c \leq |\omega| \leq \pi \\ 0 & 0 \leq |\omega| < \omega_c \end{cases} \quad (18)$$

- By evaluating the inverse Fourier Transform, we obtain the ideal impulse response sequence

$$b_d[n] = \frac{\sin[\pi(n - K/2)]}{\pi(n - K/2)} - \frac{\sin[\omega_c(n - K/2)]}{\pi(n - K/2)} \quad (19)$$

Band-Pass Filter:

- The magnitude of an ideal constant delay band-pass filter is given by

$$H_d(\omega) = \begin{cases} e^{-j\omega K/2} & \omega_L \leq |\omega| \leq \omega_H \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases} \quad (20)$$

- where ω_L and ω_H are the low and high edges of the pass-band and $K/2$ is the delay. When IFT of (20) is performed, we find the Band-pass impulse response is given by

$$b_d[n] = \frac{\sin[\omega_H(n - K/2)]}{\pi(n - K/2)} - \frac{\sin[\omega_L(n - K/2)]}{\pi(n - K/2)} \quad (21)$$



Example

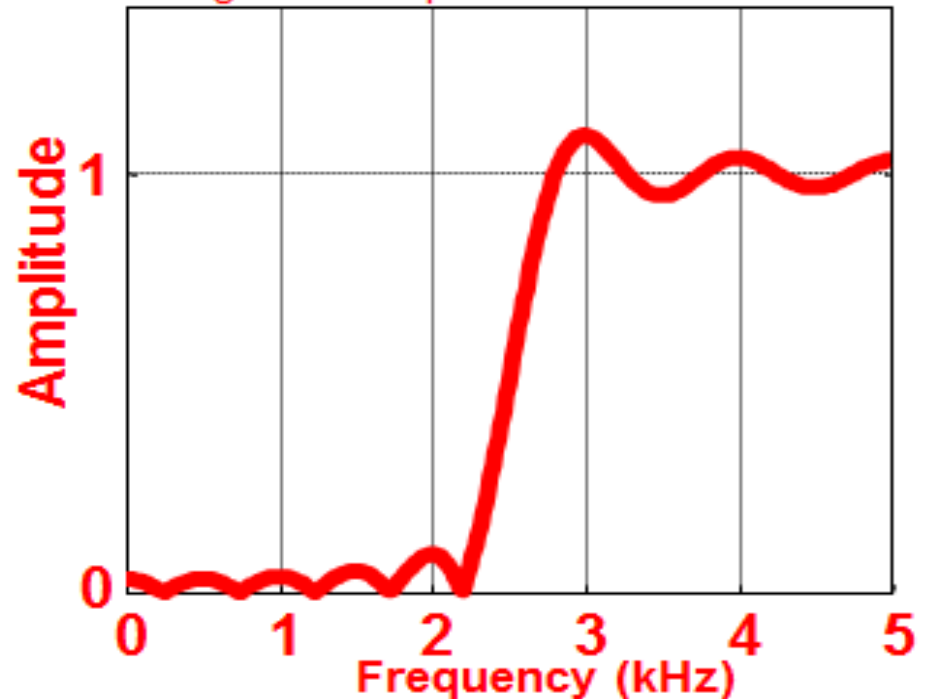
Example 5: Design a high-pass filter with a cutoff frequency of 2.5 KHz and a sample interval of 0.0001 s; The length of the filter is 21 and the rectangular window is used to truncate the ideal impulse response function.

Solution 5: The normalized cutoff frequency is $\omega_c = 2500 \times 0.0001 = 0.25$

The filter coefficients can be found from equation (19) with $M = 20$. These coefficients are given below:

The magnitude response is as shown below:

$b[0] = -0.00000 =$	$b[20]$
$b[1] = -0.03537 =$	$b[19]$
$b[2] = -0.00000 =$	$b[18]$
$b[3] = 0.04547 =$	$b[17]$
$b[4] = -0.00000 =$	$b[16]$
$b[5] = -0.06366 =$	$b[15]$
$b[6] = -0.00000 =$	$b[14]$
$b[7] = 0.10610 =$	$b[13]$
$b[8] = -0.00000 =$	$b[12]$
$b[9] = -0.31831 =$	$b[11]$
$b[10] = 0.500000$	





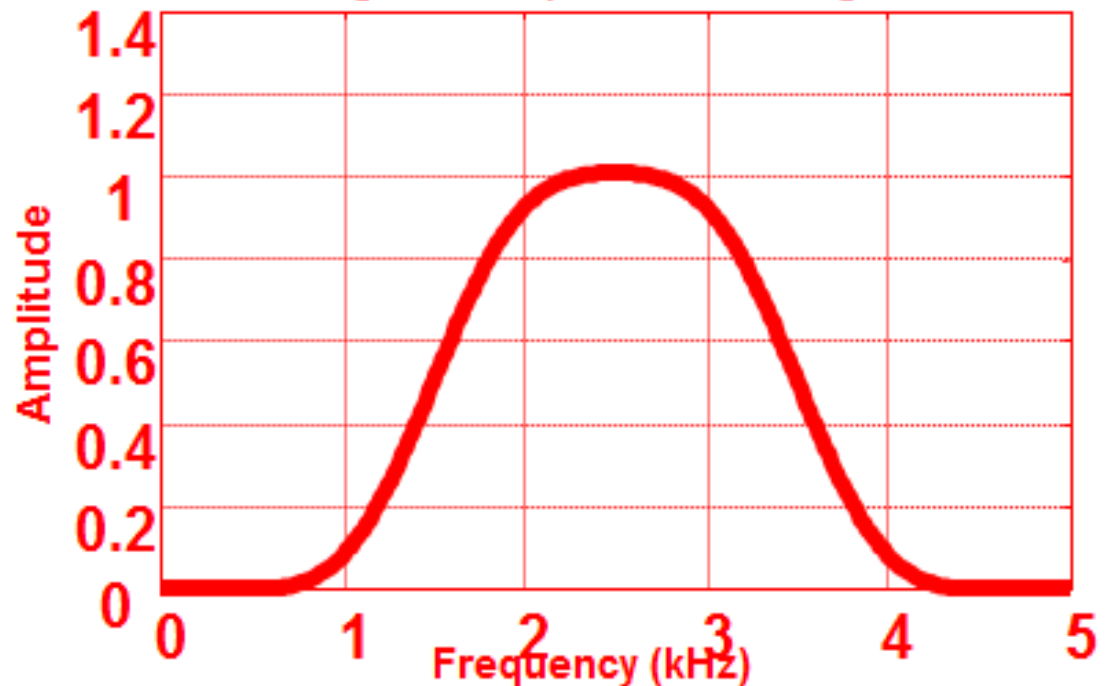
Example

Example 6: Design a Band-Pass Digital FIR filter of length 21. The band edges are specified to be at 1.5 and 3.5 kHz and the sampling interval is 0.0001s. Use the Hamming window.

Solution 6: The normalized cutoff frequencies are .15 and 0.35. The filter coefficients are obtained by multiplying (21) and (7) and are given below:

$$\begin{aligned} b[0] &= 0.00000 = b[20] \\ b[1] &= -0.00000 = b[19] \\ b[2] &= -0.01270 = b[18] \\ b[3] &= 0.00000 = b[17] \\ b[4] &= 0.02481 = b[16] \\ b[5] &= 0.00000 = b[15] \\ b[6] &= 0.06381 = b[14] \\ b[7] &= -0.00000 = b[13] \\ b[8] &= -0.27614 = b[12] \\ b[9] &= 0.000000 = b[11] \\ b[10] &= 0.40000 \end{aligned}$$

The magnitude response of the Designed filter





Generalized FIR Filter design

Band-Stop Filter:

- The ideal frequency response of a Band-Stop filter is given by

$$H_d(\omega) = \begin{cases} e^{-j\omega K/2} & |\omega| \leq \omega_L, |\omega| \geq \omega_H \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases} \quad (22)$$

- where ω_L and ω_H now specify the low and high edges of the stop-band. Taking the inverse Fourier transform of (22) yields

$$b_d[n] = \frac{\sin[\omega_L(n-K/2)]}{\pi(n-K/2)} + \frac{\sin[\pi(n-K/2)]}{\pi(n-K/2)} - \frac{\sin[\omega_H(n-K/2)]}{\pi(n-K/2)} \quad (23)$$



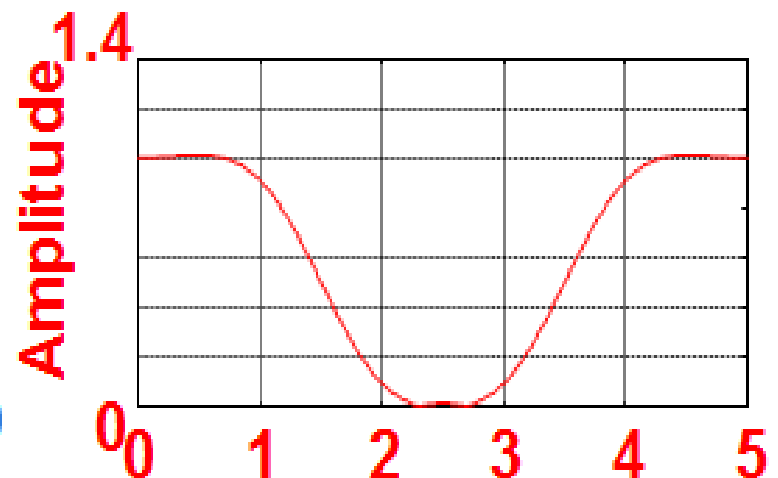
Example

Example 7: Design a band-stop filter with edges frequencies at 1.5 and 3.5 kHz relative to a sample interval of 0.0001. Use Hann window. Length of the filter is 21.

Solution 7: The normalized frequencies are 0.15 and .35. The filter coefficients can be obtained by multiplying (23) and (9) and are given by:

0	0.00000	7	0.00000	14	-0.06123
1	0.00000	8	0.27382	15	0.00000
2	0.00723	9	0.00000	16	-0.02155
3	0.00000	10	0.60000	17	0.00000
4	-0.02155	11	0.00000	18	0.00723
5	0.00000	12	0.27382	19	0.00000
6	-0.06123	13	0.00000	20	0.00000

The magnitude response is as under:



Optimal Method

- This method of calculating FIR filter coefficients is very powerful, very flexible, very easy to apply.
- Mostly used in many FIR applications.

Basic Concept:

- ▶ In window method the peak ripple of filters designed occurs near the band edges and decreases away from the band edges (figa)
- ▶ If the ripples were distributed more evenly (equiripple behavior) over the pass band & stop band (figb), a better approximation of the desired freq: response can be achieved.
- ▶ The optimal method is based on the concept of equiripple pass band & stop band.

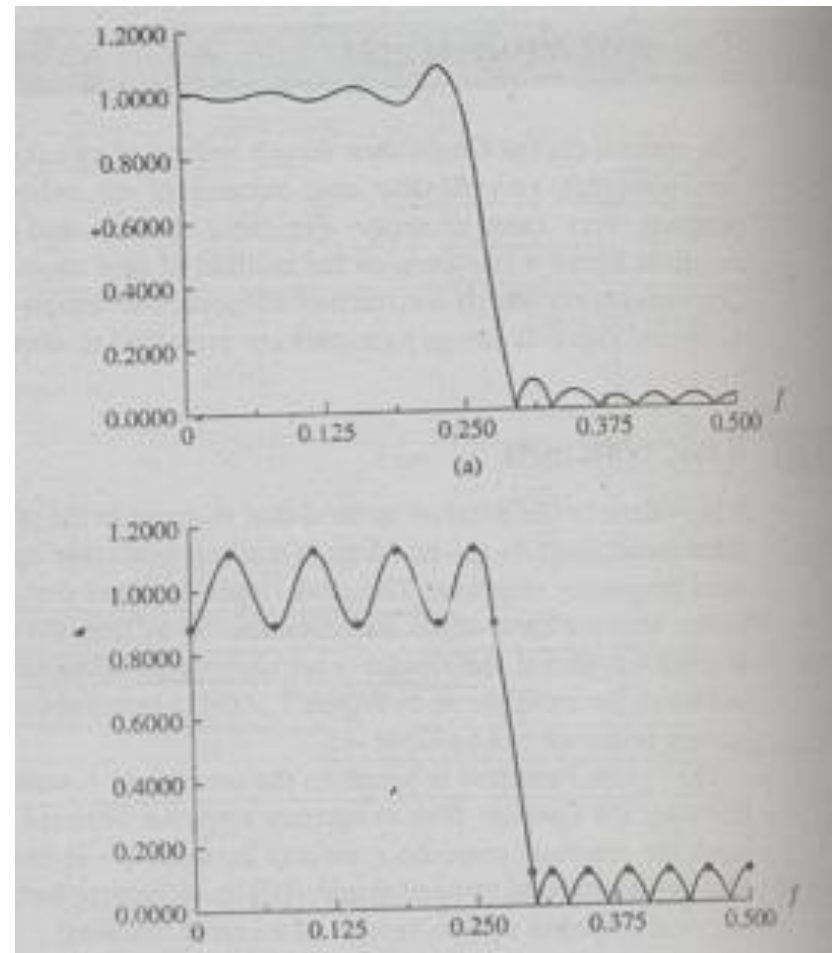


Figure: a , b



Optimal Method

- ▶ The difference b/w the ideal filter $H_d(w)$ & the practical response $H(w)$ can be viewed as an error function

$$E(w) = W(w) [H_D(w) - H(w)]$$

Where $W(w)$ = weighting function of pass band & stop band

- ▶ In Optimal method, the object is to determine the filter coefficients, such that the value of the max: weighted error $|E(w)|$, is minimized in pass band & stop band.
- ▶ By minimizing the max: error $|E(w)|$ the resulting filter response will have equiripple pass band & stop band.



Optimal Method

- The minima and maxima points the extremal frequencies.
- These extremal frequencies are not known. For a given set of filter specifications, the locations of the extremal frequencies must be found.
- A powerful technique known as Remez exchange algorithm is used to find the extremal frequencies.
- The key steps are:
 1. Use Remez exchange algorithm to find optimum set of the extremal frequencies.
 2. Determine the frequency response using extremal frequencies.
 3. Obtain impulse response coefficients.



Optimal Method

- The most important is the first step where an iterative process is used to determine the extremal frequencies.
- A FORTRAN program implements this process. An equivalent C program is also available & widely used.
- Certain parameters are inputted in that computer program which calculates the extremal frequencies.
- The parameters required to use the optimal program are
 - ◆ N – number of filter coefficients i-e filter length
 - ◆ Jtype – Type of filter (Jtype = 1 = multiple pass band, stop band, LP, HP, BP, BS, Jtype = 2 = differentiate, Jtype = 3 = Hilbert transformers)
 - ◆ $W(w)$ – weighting of pass band & stop band
 - ◆ Ngrid – number of frequency points.
 - ◆ Edge – the band edge frequencies.
- ▶ These symbols are user defined & not fixed.
- In practice, the (number of filter coefficients) N is unknown and its value may be estimated using certain relationships.
- The computer programs are available for computing the values of N so manually solving it is useless and time wasting.



Steps of procedure for calculating coefficients by Optimal method.

1. Specify band edge frequencies, pass band n stop band ripples, sampling freq;
2. Normalize the band edge frequencies by dividing it by the sampling freq; and determine the normalized transition width.
3. Obtain weights ($W(w)$) for each band from the ratio of the passband and stopband ripples.
4. Estimate the filter length (N) which is done by programming.
5. Input the parameters to the optimal design program
6. Check the passband ripple & stopband attenuation produced by the program
7. If the specifications are not satisfied, increase the value of N and repeat step 5 and 6 until they are; then check the frequency response.



Example

- **Example:** The linear phase BP filter is required to meet the following specifications:

passband 900 – 1100Hz

passband ripple <0.87dB

stopband attenuation >30dB

sampling frequency 15kHz

transition frequency 450Hz

Use the optimal method to obtain suitable coefficients. Plot the filter spectrum

Solution: the filter has three bands: 0 to 450Hz, 900 to 1100Hz and 1550 to 7500Hz. First we will normalize them :

$$450 \rightarrow 450/15000 = 0.03$$

$$900 \rightarrow 900/15000 = 0.06$$

$$1100 \rightarrow 1100/15000 = 0.0733$$

$$1550 \rightarrow 1550/15000 = 0.1033$$

$$7500 \rightarrow 7500/15000 = 0.5$$



Example

- Next step is to find to choose weights for the bands. For that the deviations are converted into ordinary units using the following formulas:

$$0.87dB = 20\log(1 + \delta_p) \Rightarrow \delta_p = \text{antilog}(0.87 / 20) - 1$$

$$\delta_p = 0.10535$$

$$30dB = -20\log(\delta_s) \Rightarrow \delta_s = 0.031623$$

- The ratio of δ_p & δ_s is 3.33 or 10/3

$$\delta_p / \delta_s = 10/3$$

The weighting is applied in opposite sense, i-e 10= stopband weight and 3 = passband weight.

- Using the program the value of N is calculated and taken as N = 41.
- The input parameters are applied to the optimal program and the coefficients are calculated which are given on the next slide along with the frequency spectrum of BP filter.



Example

Table 7.7 Impulse response coefficients of the optimal filters (Example 7.6).

$H(1) = -0.15346380E-01 = H(41)$
 $H(2) = -0.57805500E-04 = H(40)$
 $H(3) = 0.50234820E-02 = H(39)$
 $H(4) = -0.12667060E-01 = H(38)$
 $H(5) = 0.21082060E-01 = H(37)$
 $H(6) = 0.27764180E-01 = H(36)$
 $H(7) = 0.30053620E-01 = H(35)$
 $H(8) = 0.258691350E-01 = H(34)$
 $H(9) = 0.144451660E-01 = H(33)$
 $H(10) = -0.31893230E-02 = H(32)$
 $H(11) = -0.24161370E-01 = H(31)$
 $H(12) = -0.44207120E-01 = H(30)$
 $H(13) = -0.58574530E-01 = H(29)$
 $H(14) = -0.63185170E-01 = H(28)$
 $H(15) = -0.55754610E-01 = H(27)$
 $H(16) = -0.36546910E-01 = H(26)$
 $H(17) = -0.85400990E-02 = H(25)$
 $H(18) = 0.23083860E-01 = H(24)$
 $H(19) = 0.52013900E-01 = H(23)$
 $H(20) = 0.72248070E-01 = H(22)$
 $H(21) = 0.79516810E-01 = H(21)$

	BAND 1	BAND 2	BAND 3
LOWER BAND EDGE	0.00000000	0.06000000	0.10330000
UPPER BAND EDGE	0.03000000	0.07330000	0.50000000
DESIRED VALUE	0.00000000	1.00000000	0.00000000
WEIGHTING	10.00000000	3.00000000	10.00000000
DEVIATION	0.028891690	0.096305620	0.028891690
RIPPLE IN DB	-30.784510000	0.798631800	-30.784510000

EXTREMA FREQUENCIES				
0.0000000	0.0208333	0.0300000	0.0600000	0.1033000
0.1122285	0.1308297	0.1538951	0.1777045	0.2015139
0.2260674	0.2506209	0.2759184	0.3004719	0.3257694
0.3503229	0.3756204	0.4001739	0.4254714	0.4500249
0.4753224	0.5000000			

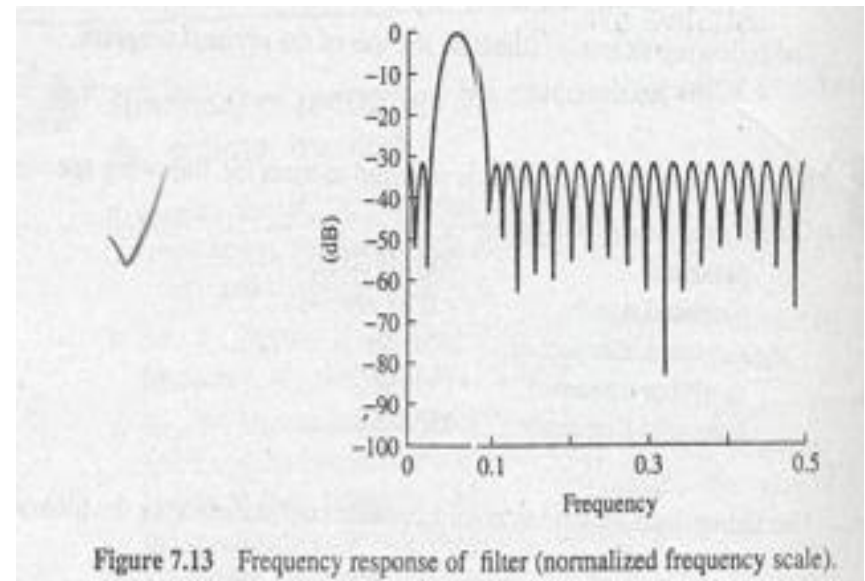


Figure 7.13 Frequency response of filter (normalized frequency scale).



Frequency sampling method

- Another method for calculating FIR coefficients is frequency sampling method.
- This method can design standard frequency selective filter (LP, HP, BP, BS) as well as arbitrary frequency responses.
- In this method, samples are used to design the FIR filters.
- The big attraction in this method is that recursive as well as nonrecursive FIR filters can be designed.



Realization Structures for FIR Filters

- Realization structures are essentially block diagram representation of different theoretically equivalent ways the transfer function can be arranged. $y(n) = \sum_{m=0}^{N-1} h(m)x(n-m)$
- They consists of multipliers, adders & delay elements.

1. Transversal (tapped delay) structure

- ✦ The i/p & o/p of the filter for this structure are related simply by

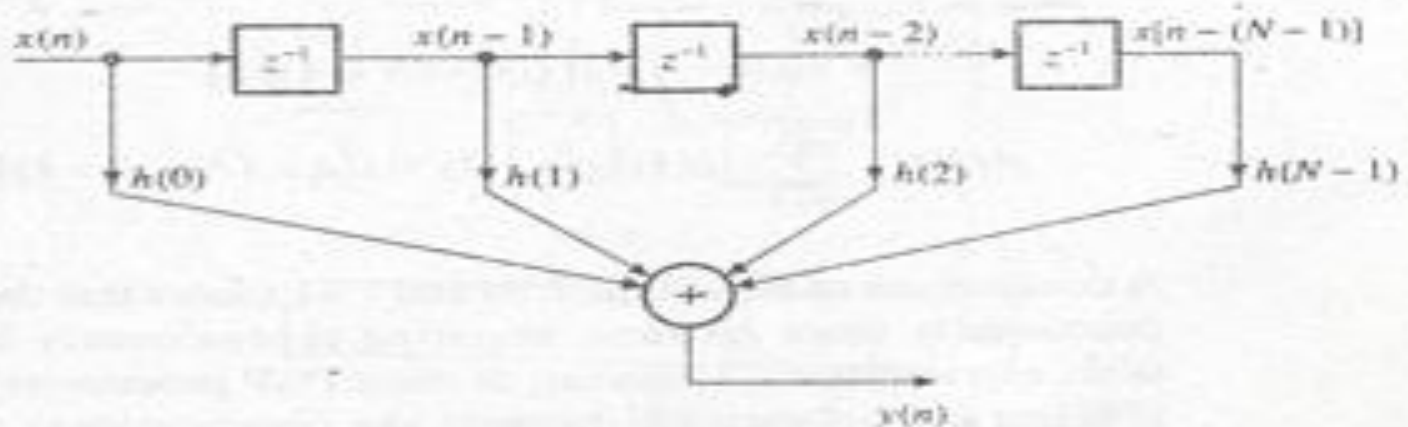


Figure 7.28 Transversal filter structure.



Linear Phase Structure

■ Linear Phase Structure

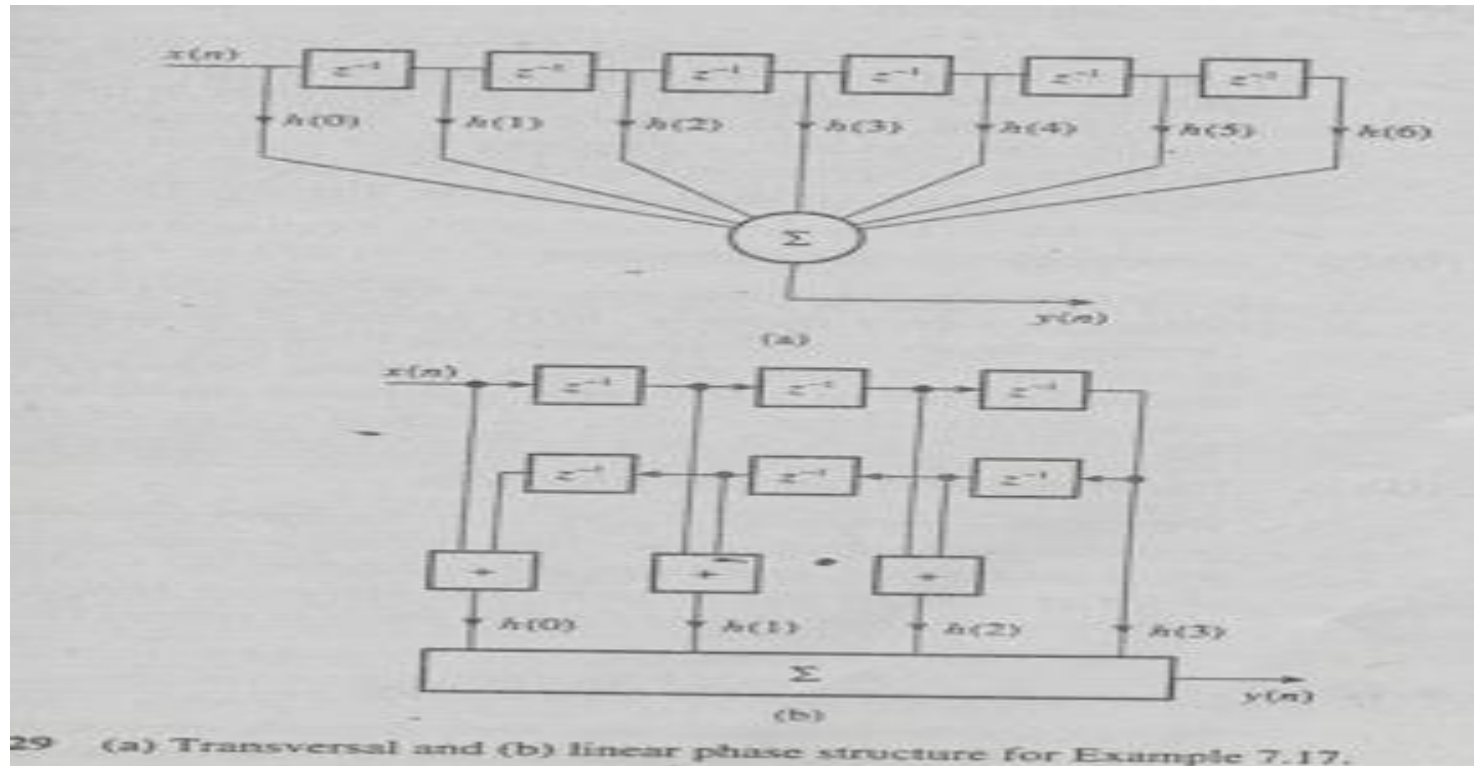
1. A variation of transversal structure is linear phase structure
2. This structure takes advantages of the symmetry in the impulse coefficients for linear phase FIR filter to reduce the complexity.



Linear Phase Structure: Example

- Example: A linear Phase FIR filter has seven coeff: which are listed below. Draw the realization diagrams for the filter using (a)transversal (b) linear phase structure.

$$\begin{aligned}
 h(0) &= h(6) = -0.032 \\
 h(1) &= h(5) = 0.038 \\
 h(2) &= h(4) = 0.048 \\
 h(3) &= -0.048
 \end{aligned}$$





Finite Word length effects in FIR filters

- In practice, FIR digital filters are often implemented using DSP processors. In this case, number of bits used to represent the i/p data to the filter coefficients and in performing arithmetic operations must be small for efficiency and to limit the cost of digital filter.
- Problem caused by using finite number of bits are referred to a finite wordlength effects.
- There are 4 ways in which finite wordlength effects the performance of FIR filters.
 1. **ADC noise** – ADC quantization noise.
 - ▶ Solution: the effect can be reduced by using additional bits.
 2. **Coefficient quantization errors** – these result from representing filter coefficients with a limited number of bits.
 - ▶ Solution: The effect can be reduced by using enough bits to represent the filter coefficients.
 3. **Arithmetic flow**: this occurs when partial sums or filter o/p exceeds the permissible wordlength of the system.
 - ▶ Solution: scale the filter coefficients by dividing each coefficients by a factor such that the filter such that the filter o/p sample never exceed the permissible wordlength.



FIR Implementation Techniques

- To implement a filter, we need the following basic components:
 1. Memory (RAM) to store the present and past input samples, $x(n)$ & $x(n-k)$
 2. Memory (RAM or ROM) for storing the filter coefficients, the $h(k)$
 3. A multiplier (software or hardware)
 4. Adders or ALU
- ▶ These components together with means of controlling them constitute the digital filter.
- ▶ Filter implementation is divided into 2 parts: software & hardware. These days most devices used in filtering are programmable.
- ▶ In real time operation the hardware implementation is the best option. Hardware implementation have three approaches: standard microprocessor (such as Motorola 68000), DSP processor (such as Texas instruments TMS320), building block and algorithmic specific.
- ▶ In building block approach, dedicated pieces of hardware are used.
- ▶ DSP processors have architectures and instruction sets optimized for FIR filtering operation. They are more flexible then algorithmic specific processors but they are slower.

End of Chapter



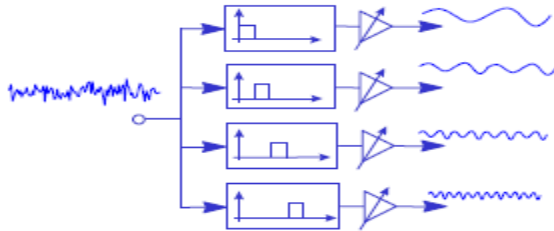
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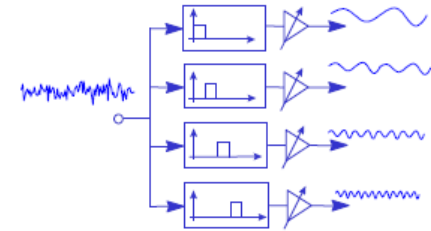
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Lecture Outline

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- **Bilinear Z-transformation Method.**
- **Realization Structures for IIR Digital Filters .**



Infinite Impulse Response Digital filters

Definition: Infinite Impulse Response

- IIR Digital filters are characterized by the following recursive equation

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} h[k]x[n-k]$$
$$= \sum_{k=0}^N b_k x[n-k] - \sum_{k=1}^M a_k y[n-k] \quad \longrightarrow \quad (1)$$

- ▶ $h(k)$ – impulse response of the filter which is theoretically infinite in duration
- ▶ b_k & a_k – coefficients of the filter
- ▶ $x(n)$ – input to the filter & $y(n)$ – output of the filter

- Transfer function of IIR filter is

$$H(z) = \frac{b_0 + b_1 z^{-1} + b_2 z^{-2} + \dots + b_N z^{-N}}{1 + a_1 z^{-1} + a_2 z^{-2} + \dots + a_M z^{-M}} = \frac{\sum_{k=0}^M b_k z^{-k}}{1 + \sum_{k=1}^N a_k z^{-k}} \quad \longrightarrow \quad (2)$$



Infinite Impulse Response Digital Filters

- The important part is to find suitable values of the filter coefficients (a_k & b_k) so that the filter behaves in the desired manner.
- Alternative names: pole-zero filters & autoregressive moving average filters.
- In eq:1 the o/p $y(n)$ is a function of the past o/ps, $y(n-k)$ as well as present & past i/p samples, $x(n)$ & $x(n-k)$, i-e the IIR filter is a feedback system of some sort.
- The transfer function of IIR filter, $H(z)$ given in eq:2 can be factored as

$$H(z) = \frac{k(z - z_1)(z - z_2)\dots(z - z_N)}{(z - p_1)(z - p_2)\dots(z - p_M)}$$

- ▶ Where z_1, z_2, \dots are the zeros of $H(z)$ for which $H(z)$ becomes zero, and p_1, p_2, \dots are poles of $H(z)$, for which $H(z)$ is infinite.



Infinite Impulse Response Digital Filters

- By plotting these poles and zeros of the transfer function we can analyze the filter in the complex z -plane.
- For the filter to be stable, all its poles must lie inside the unit circle
- There is no restriction on the zeros locations.



Methods for Calculation of Suitable Filter Coefficients

- The task is to calculate the values of the filter coefficients a_k & b_k .
- There are four methods
 1. Pole-zero placement
 2. Impulse invariant
 3. Matched z transform
 4. Bilinear z -transformation
- The most simple method is pole-zero placement and is used to design very simple filters.
- A more efficient approach is first to design an analog filter & then to convert it into an equivalent digital filter.
- Adv: of this efficient approach is that info: on analog filter designing is already present which can be utilized.
- 2nd, 3rd and 4th methods are based on the efficient approach.



Pole-Zero Placement Method

- When a zero is placed at a given point on the z-plane, the freq: response will be zero at the corresponding point.
- When a pole is placed it produces a peak at the corresponding freq: point (see figure on next slide)
- Poles that are close to the unit circle give rise to large peaks.
- Zeros close to or on the circle produces troughs/minima.
- Thus, by strategically placing poles & zeros on the z-plane, we can obtain simple LP or other freq: selective filters (like HP, BP & BS).

Pole-Zero Placement Method

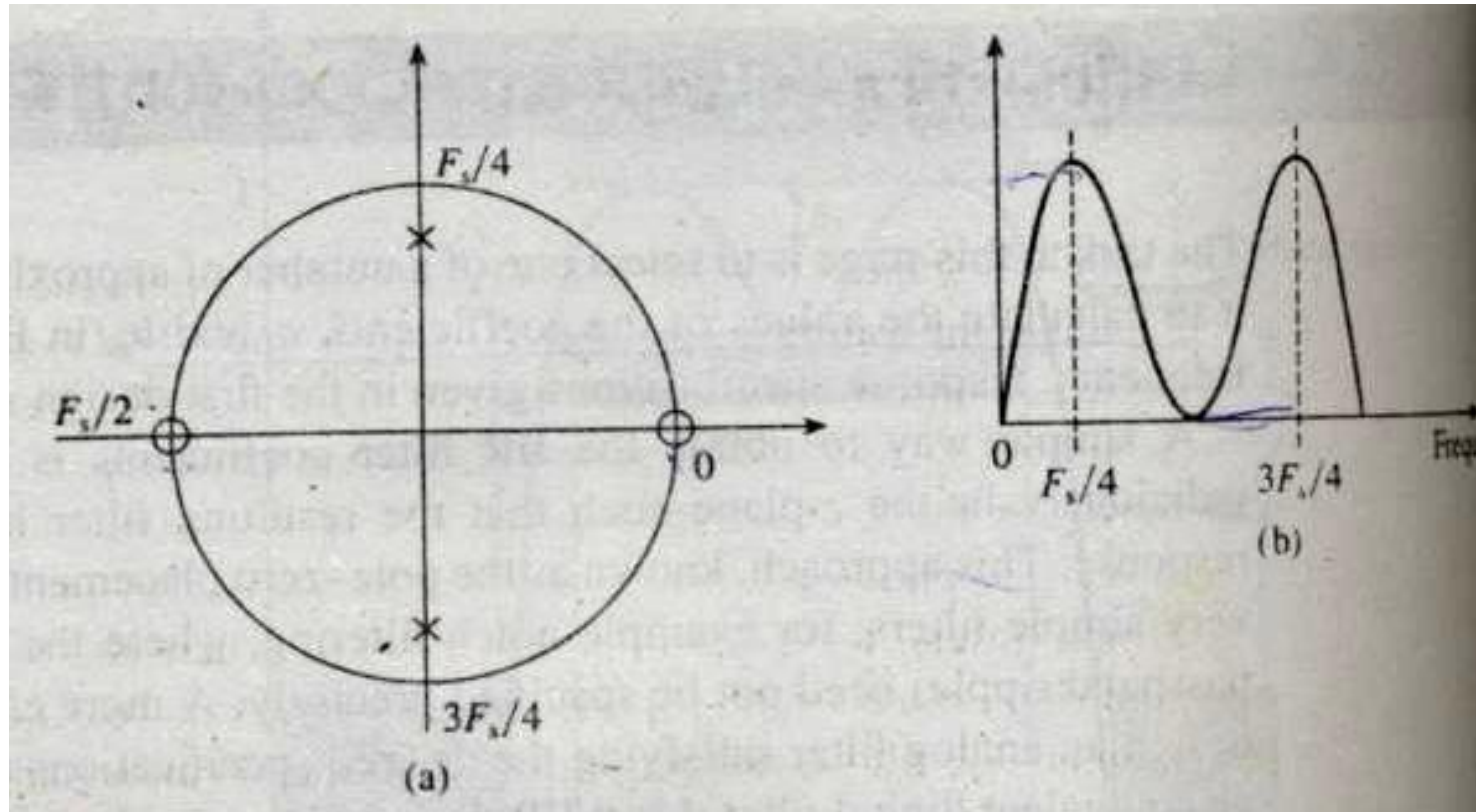


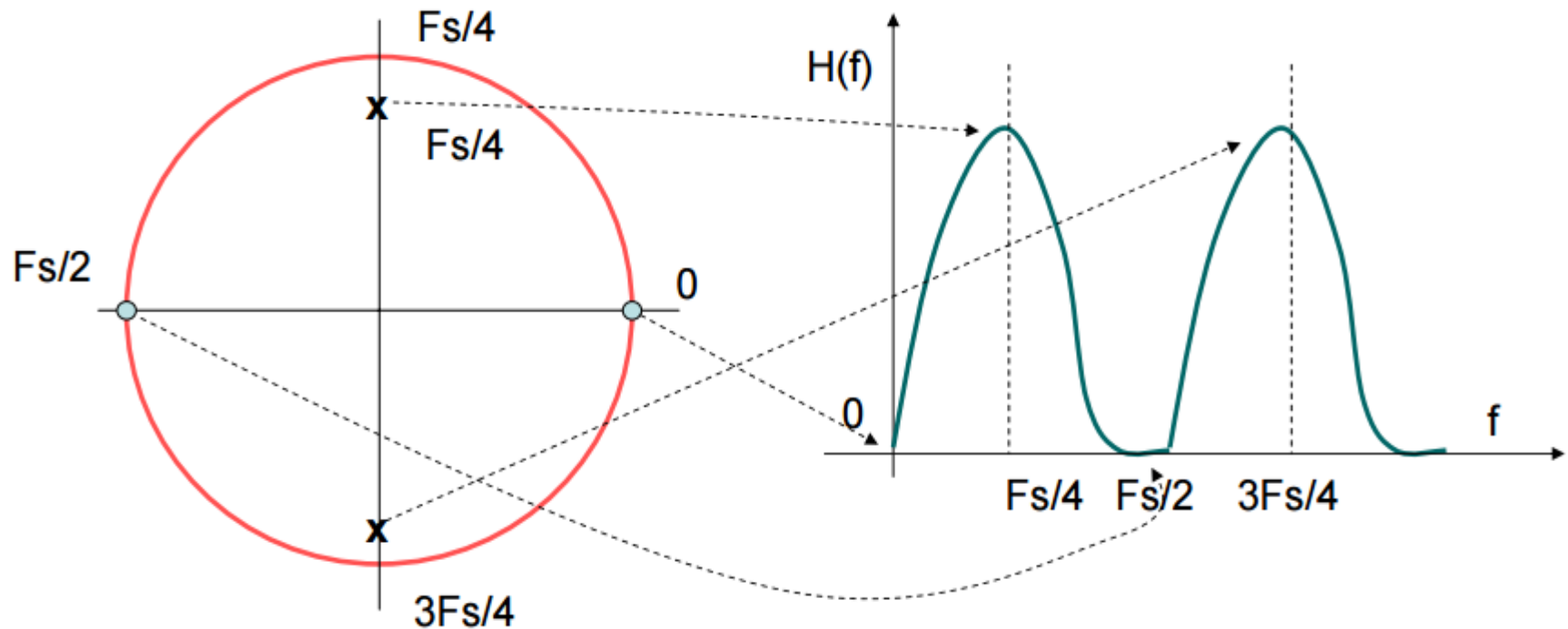
Figure: (a) A pole zero diagram of a simple filter. & (b) sketch of its frequency response.



Pole-Zero Placement Method

Zero in the z- plane \longrightarrow $H(f)=0$

Pole in the z- plane \longrightarrow $H(f)=\max$





Example1

- **Example 1:** A bandpass digital filter is required to meet the following specifications:

- (1) complete signal rejection at dc and 250 Hz
- (2) a narrow passband centered at 125 Hz
- (3) a 3 dB bandwidth of 10 Hz

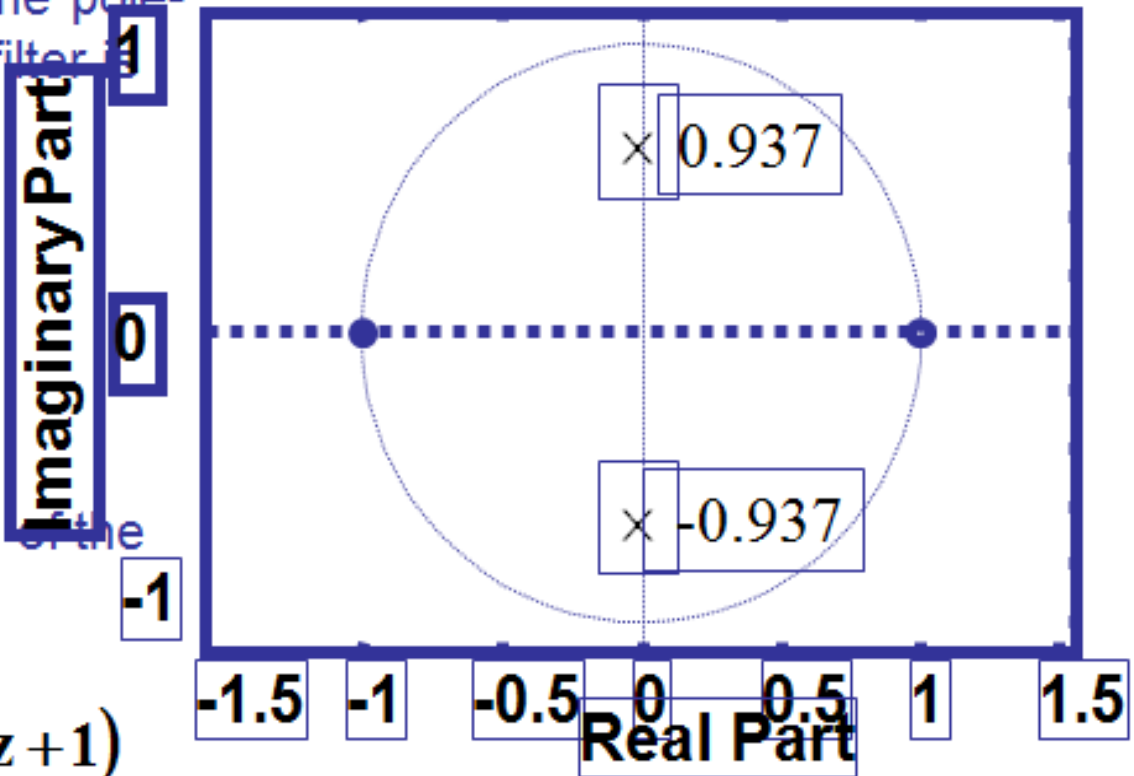
Assuming a sampling frequency of 500 Hz, obtain the transfer function of the filter, by suitably placing z-plane poles and zeros, and its difference equations

- **Solution:** First, we must determine where to place the poles and zeros on the z-plane. Since a complete rejection is required at 0 and 250 Hz, we need to place zeros at corresponding points on the z-plane. These are at angles of 0° and $360^\circ \times 250/500 = 180^\circ$ on the unit circle. To have the passband centered at 125 Hz requires us to place poles at $\pm 360^\circ \times 125/500 = \pm 90^\circ$. The radius r of the poles is determined by the desired bandwidth. An approximate relation between r and bandwidth, bw , is given by $r \approx 1 - (bw/F_s)\pi$



Example1

- For this problem, $r = 1 - (10/500)\pi = 0.937$. The pole-zero diagram of the filter is given below.



- The transfer function of the filter is

$$H(z) = \frac{(z-1)(z+1)}{(z-re^{j\pi/2})(z-re^{-j\pi/2})}$$



Example1

$$= \frac{z^2 - 1}{z^2 + 0.877969} = \frac{1 - z^{-2}}{1 + 0.877969z^{-2}}$$

The difference equation is

$$y[n] = -0.877969y[n-2] + x[n] - x[n-2]$$

The coefficients of the filter are therefore given by

$$b_0 = 1, \quad b_1 = 0, \quad b_2 = -1$$

$$a_1 = 0, \quad a_2 = 0.877969$$



Impulse Invariant method

Basic Concept:

- In this method, starting with a suitable analog transfer function, $H(s)$, the impulse response, $h(t)$, is obtained using the Laplace transform.
- The $h(t)$ so obtained is suitably sampled to produce $h(nT)$,
- and the desired transfer function, $H(z)$, is then obtained by z-transforming $h(nT)$, where T is the sampling interval.



Steps of Impulse Invariant Method

Following are the main steps of this method.

- Determine a normalized analogue filter, $H(s)$, that satisfies the specifications for the desired digital filter.
- If necessary, expand $H(s)$ using partial fractions to simplify the next step.
- Obtain the z-transform of each partial fraction.
- Obtain $H(z)$ by combining the z-transforms of the partial fractions. If the actual sampling frequency is used then multiply $H(z)$ by T .



Example

- **Example:** It is required to design a digital filter to approximate the following normalized analog transfer function.

$$H(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + \sqrt{2}s + 1}$$

Using the impulse invariant method obtain the transfer function, $H(z)$, of the digital filter, assuming a 3dB cutoff frequency of 150Hz & a sampling frequency of 1.28kHz.

- **Solution:** Before applying the impulse invariant method, we need to frequency scale the normalized transfer function. This is achieved by replacing s by s/w_c , where $w_c = 2 \times \pi \times 150 = 942.4778 \text{ rad/sec}$, to ensure that the resulting filter has the desired response. Thus



Example

$$\begin{aligned} H'(s) &= H(s) \Big|_{s=\frac{s}{w_c}} = \frac{w_c^2}{s^2 + \sqrt{2}w_c s + w_c^2} \\ &= \frac{w_c^2}{\left(s + \frac{\sqrt{2}w_c}{2}(1+j)\right)\left(s + \frac{\sqrt{2}w_c}{2}(1-j)\right)} = \frac{\frac{w_c}{\sqrt{2}}j}{s + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}w_c(1+j)} + \frac{-\frac{w_c}{\sqrt{2}}j}{s + \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}w_c(1-j)} \end{aligned}$$

By taking inverse LT we can get $h(t)$, as

$$\begin{aligned} h(t) &= L^{-1}\{H(s)\} \\ &= L^{-1}\left\{\frac{c}{s-p}\right\} = ce^{pt} \end{aligned}$$



Example

$$h(t) = \frac{w_c}{\sqrt{2}} j \left[e^{-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} w_c (1+j)t} - e^{-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} w_c (1-j)t} \right]$$

Now by sampling $h(t)$ we get $h[nT]$

$$h[nT] = h(t) \big|_{t=nT} = C e^{pnT}$$

$$h[nT] = \frac{w_c}{\sqrt{2}} j \left[e^{-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} w_c (1+j)nT} - e^{-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} w_c (1-j)nT} \right]$$

The transfer function of $H(z)$ is obtained by z-transforming $h[nT]$

$$H(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} h[nT] z^{-n} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} C e^{pnT} z^{-n} = \frac{C}{1 - e^{pT} z^{-1}}$$

$$H(z) = \frac{w_c}{\sqrt{2}} j \left[\frac{1}{1 - e^{-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} w_c (1+j)T} z^{-1}} - \frac{1}{1 - e^{-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} w_c (1-j)T} z^{-1}} \right]$$



Example

$$= \frac{\sqrt{2}w_c z^{-1} e^{-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}w_c T} \sin\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}w_c T\right)}{1 - 2z^{-1} e^{-\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}w_c T} \cos\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}w_c T\right) + z^{-2} e^{-\sqrt{2}w_c T}}$$

$$= \frac{393.9264 z^{-1}}{1 - 1.0308 z^{-1} + 0.3530 z^{-2}}$$

In order to keep the gain down and to avoid overflows, it is common practice to multiply $H(z)$ by $T = 1/f_s = 1/1280$

$$H(z) = \frac{0.3076z^{-1}}{1 - 1.0308z^{-1} + 0.3530z^{-2}}$$

Thus we have, $b_0 = 0$; $b_1 = 0.3076$; $a_1 = -1.0308$; $a_2 = 0.3530$



Matched Z-Transform Method

Basic Concept:

- The MZT method provides a simple way to convert an analog filter into an equivalent digital filter.
- Each of the poles and zeros of the analog filter is mapped directly from s-plane to the z-plane using the following equation. $(s - a) \rightarrow (1 - z^{-1}e^{at})$
 - ▶ Where T is the sampling period.
- For a higher order analog filters, the transfer function may be written in the form:

$$H(z) = \frac{k(z - z_1)(z - z_2)\dots(z - z_N)}{(z - p_1)(z - p_2)\dots(z - p_M)}$$

- ▶ Where z_k & p_k are zeros & poles of H(s)



Matched Z-Transform method

The MZT may then be applied to each factor separately:

$$(s - z_k) \rightarrow (1 - z^{-1} e^{z_k T}) \quad \& \quad (s - p_k) \rightarrow (1 - z^{-1} e^{p_k T})$$

For second order filter, the transfer function reduces to

$$\frac{(s - z_1)(s - z_2)}{(s - p_1)(s - p_2)} \rightarrow \frac{1 - (e^{z_1 T} + e^{z_2 T}) z^{-1} + e^{(z_1 + z_2) T} z^{-2}}{1 - (e^{p_1 T} + e^{p_2 T}) z^{-1} + e^{(p_1 + p_2) T} z^{-2}}$$

If the poles & zeros occur in complex conjugate pairs then the eq: simplifies to:

$$\frac{1 - 2 e^{z_i T} \cos(z_i T) z^{-1} + e^{z_i T} z^{-2}}{1 - 2 e^{p_i T} \cos(p_i T) z^{-1} + e^{p_i T} z^{-2}}$$

Analog filter in polynomial format can be written as:

$$H(s) = \frac{(s - z_1)(s - z_2)}{(s - p_1)(s - p_2)} = \frac{A_0 + A_1 s + A_2 s^2}{B_0 + B_1 s + B_2 s^2}$$

The poles & zeros of H(s) are then given by

$$p_{1,2} = \frac{-B_1}{2B_2} \pm \left[\left(\frac{B_1}{2B_2} \right)^2 - \frac{B_0}{B_2} \right]^{\frac{1}{2}} \quad \& \quad z_{1,2} = \frac{-A_1}{2A_2} \pm \left[\left(\frac{A_1}{2A_2} \right)^2 - \frac{A_0}{A_2} \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$



Example

- **Example:** The normalized transfer function of an analog filter is given by

$$H(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + \sqrt{2}s + 1}$$

Using the MZT method obtain the transfer function, $H(z)$, of the digital filter, assuming a 3dB cutoff frequency of 150Hz & a sampling frequency of 1.28kHz.

- **Solution:** The cutoff freq: may be expressed as $\omega_c = 2 \times \pi \times 150 = 942.4778 \text{ rad/sec}$. The transfer function analog filter is obtained by replacing s by s/ω_c :

$$H'(s) = H(s) \Big|_{s=\frac{s}{\omega_c}} = \frac{\omega_c^2}{s^2 + \sqrt{2}\omega_c s + \omega_c^2}$$



Example

The poles of the filter are located at

$$p_{1,2} = \frac{-\sqrt{2}\omega_c}{2} \pm \left[\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}\omega_c}{2} \right)^2 - \omega_c^2 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$p_{1,2} = \frac{-\sqrt{2}\omega_c}{2} \pm \omega_c \left[\left(\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} \right)^2 - 1 \right]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$p_{1,2} = \frac{-\sqrt{2}\omega_c}{2} (1 \mp j)$$

For the problem, the real & imaginary parts of the poles are

$$p_r = \frac{-\sqrt{2}\omega_c}{2} = -666.4324, p_i = \frac{\sqrt{2}\omega_c}{2} j = 666.4324j$$



Example

Thus, $p_r T = -0.5206503$, $p_i T = 0.5206503$, $\cos(p_i T) = 0.867496$ & $e^{p_r T} = 0.594134$. The resulting transfer function becomes

$$H(z) = \frac{\omega_c^2}{1 - 2e^{p_r T} \cos(p_i T) z^{-1} + e^{p_r T} z^{-2}}$$

$$H(z) = \frac{8.8876 \times 10^5}{1 - 1.030818 z^{-1} + 0.594134 z^{-2}}$$



Bilinear z-transformation method

Basic concept:

- This is the most widely used transformation which is suitable for the design of low-pass, high-pass, band-pass and band-stop filters.
- In the Bilinear Transformation (BLT) method, the basic operation required to convert an analogue filter is to replace s as follows:

$$s = k \frac{z-1}{z+1}, \quad k = 1 \text{ or } 2/T$$

- The direct replacement of s in the above eq: may lead to a digital filter with an undesirable response.
- The solution is that, we prewarp the critical frequencies before applying the BZT.

- The prewarp bandedge freq: is given as:

$$\omega_p' = k \tan\left(\frac{\omega_p T}{2}\right)$$

Specified cutoff freq: ω_p' Prewarp cutoff freq: $\omega_p T$





Steps of BLT method

For standard, frequency selective IIR filters, the steps for using the BLT method are:

1. Use the digital filter specifications to find a suitable normalized, prototype, analogue lowpass filter, $H(s)$.
2. Determine and prewarp the bandedge or critical frequencies of the desired filter.
3. Denormalize the analog prototype filter by replacing s in the transfer function $H(s)$, using one of the following transformations, depending on the type of filter required:



Steps of BLT method

$$s = \frac{s}{w_p'} \quad \text{lowpass to lowpass} \quad (7)$$

$$s = \frac{w_p'}{s} \quad \text{lowpass to highpass} \quad (8)$$

$$s = \frac{s^2 + w_0^2}{W_s} \quad \text{lowpass to bandpass} \quad (9)$$

$$s = \frac{W_s}{s^2 + w_0^2} \quad \text{lowpass to bandstop} \quad (10)$$

where $W_s = w_{p2}' - w_{p1}'$ and $w_0^2 = w_{p2}' w_{p1}'$

4. Apply the BLT to obtain the desired digital filter transfer func:

$$s = \frac{z-1}{z+1},$$



Example

- **Example:** Design a digital low-pass filter to approximate the following transfer function:

$$H(s) = \frac{1}{s^2 + \sqrt{2}s + 1}$$

Using the BLT method obtain the transfer function, $H(z)$, of the digital filter, assuming a 3 dB cutoff frequency of 150 Hz and a sampling frequency of 1.28kHz.

- **Solution:** $\omega_p = 2\pi \times 150$ rad/sec, $T = 1/F_s = 1/1280$, giving a prewarped critical frequency of $\omega'_p = \tan(\omega_p T/2) = 0.3857$.

The frequency scaled analog filter is given by

$$H'(s) = H(s) \Big|_{s=s/\omega'_p} = \frac{1}{\left(s/\omega'_p\right)^2 + \sqrt{2}\left(s/\omega'_p\right) + 1} = \frac{\left(\omega'_p\right)^2}{s^2 + \sqrt{2}s\omega'_p + \left(\omega'_p\right)^2}$$



Example

Applying the BLT gives

$$H(z) = H'(s) \Big|_{s=\frac{z-1}{z+1}} = \frac{0.0878 z^2 + 0.1756 z + 0.0878}{z^2 - 1.0048 z + 0.3561}$$
$$= \frac{0.0878 (1 - 2z^{-1} + z^{-2})}{1 - 1.0048 z^{-1} + 0.3561 z^{-2}}$$



Realization Structures for IIR Digital Filters

(a) Direct Form Realizations:

(i) Direct form 1

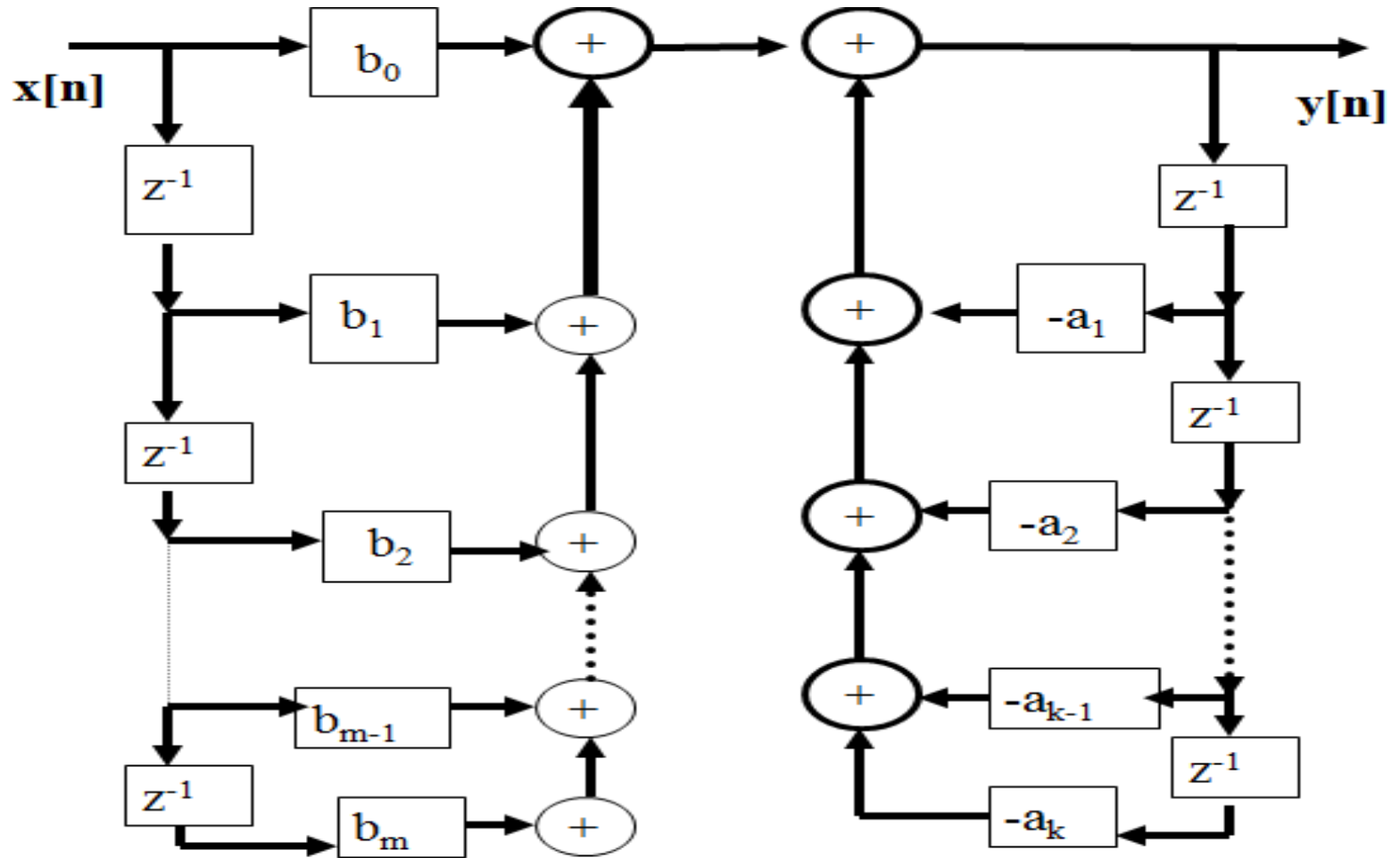
We generate what is called a *Direct Form I Realization* by directly implementing the system difference equation

$$y[n] = \sum_{i=1}^k (-a_i)y[n-i] + \sum_{i=0}^m (b_i)x[n-i] \quad (1)$$

The result is shown in Fig.



(i) Direct Form I



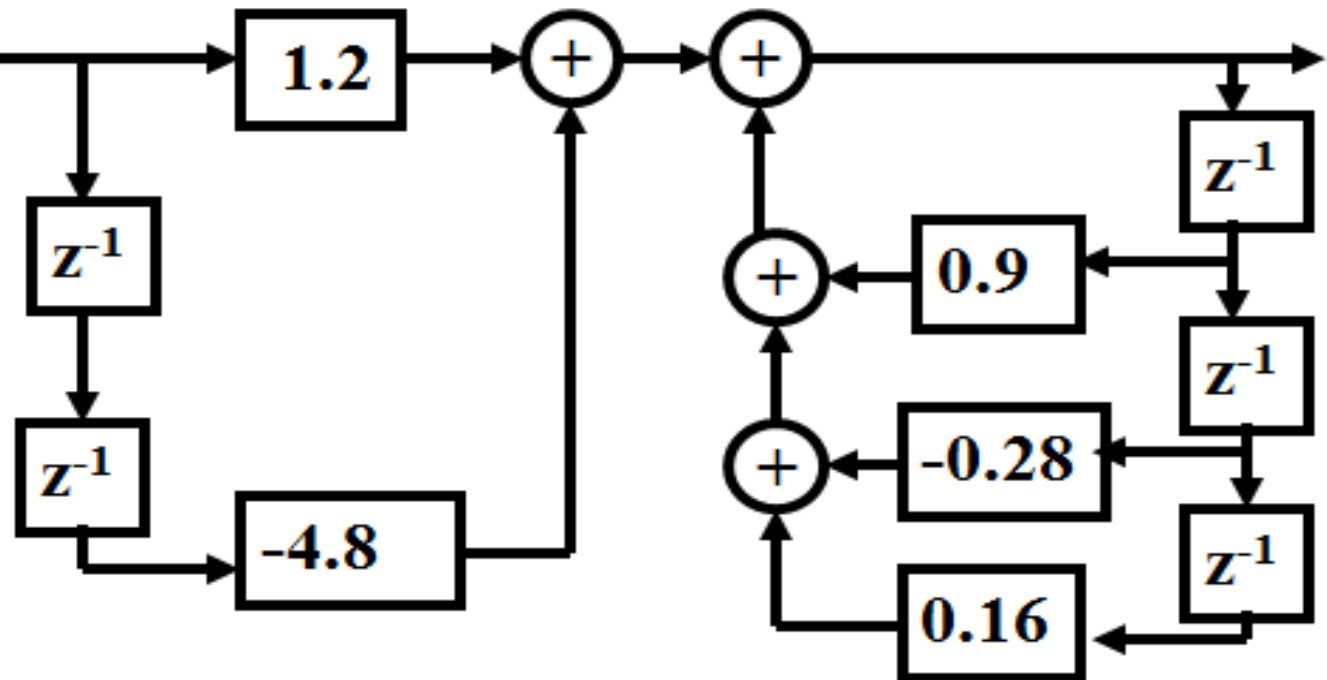


(i) Direct Form I

Example: Draw the block diagram representation for Direct Form I of the system having the following transfer function:

$$H(z) = \frac{1.2 - 4.8z^{-2}}{1 - 0.9z^{-1} + 0.28z^{-2} - 0.16z^{-3}}$$

Solution:





(ii) Direct Form II

The z-transform of the system transfer function that correspond to difference equation (1) is

$$H(z) = \frac{\sum_{i=0}^m b_i z^{-i}}{1 + \sum_{i=1}^k a_i z^{-i}} \quad (2)$$

To generate the Direct Form II realization, we re-write (2) as

$$Y(z) = H(z)X(z) = \frac{\sum_{i=0}^m b_i z^{-i}}{1 + \sum_{i=1}^k a_i z^{-i}} X(z) = \left[\sum_{i=0}^m b_i z^{-i} \right] W(z) \quad (3)$$

where

$$W(z) = \frac{X(z)}{1 + \sum_{i=1}^k a_i z^{-i}} \quad (4)$$

We then re-write (4) in the form



(ii) Direct Form II

$$W(z) = X(z) - \sum_{i=1}^k (a_i)z^{-i}W(z)$$

Computation of the inverse z-transforms of $W(z)$ yields

$$w[n] = x[n] + \sum_{i=1}^k (-a_i)w[(n-i)] \quad (5)$$

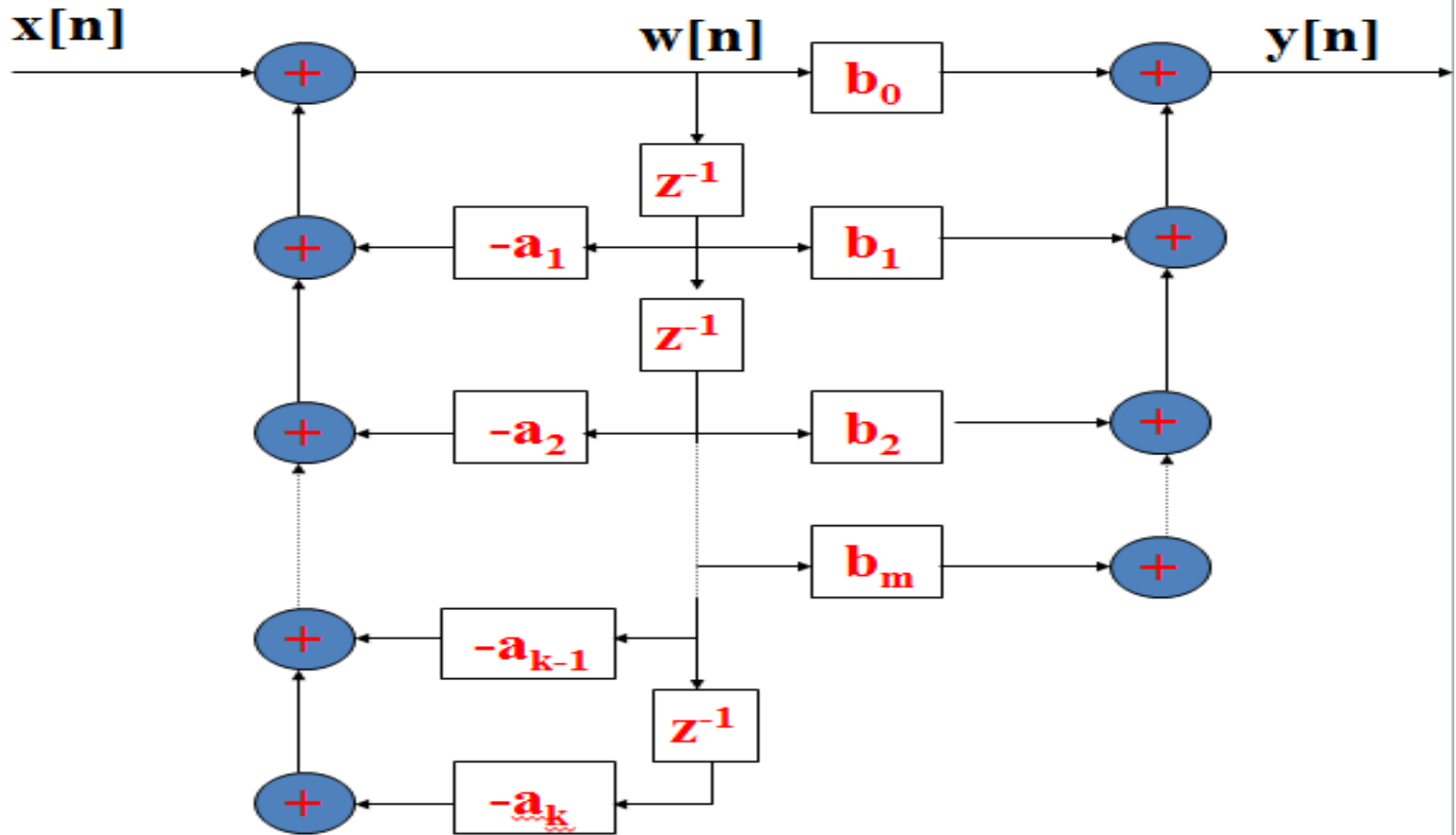
and

$$y[n] = \sum_{i=0}^m b_i w[n-i] \quad (6)$$

Equations (5) and (6) define the Direct Form II Realization represented by the block diagram Shown in the next slide.



(ii) Direct Form II



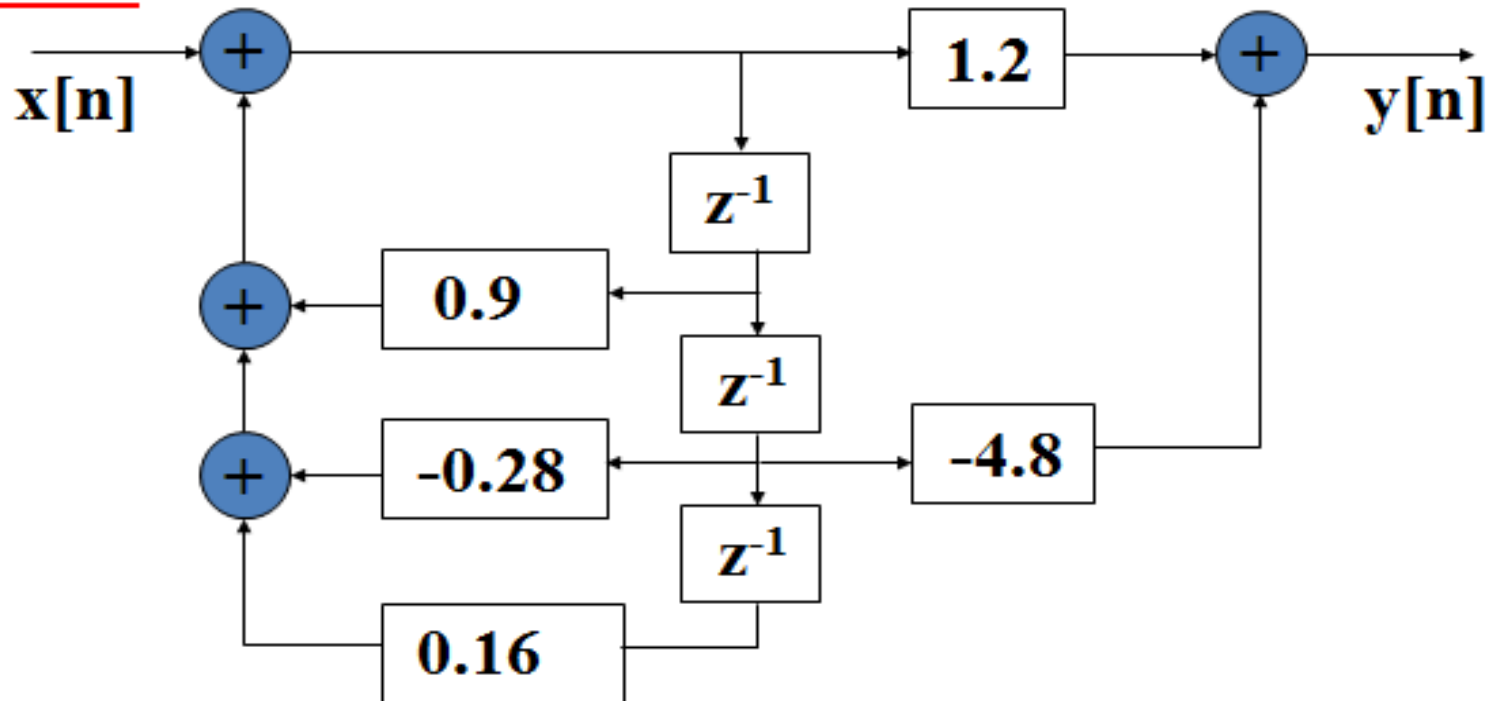


Example

Example: Draw the block diagram representation for Direct Form II realization of the system having transfer function:

$$\frac{1.2 - 4.8z^{-2}}{1 - 0.9z^{-1} + 0.28z^{-2} - 0.16z^{-3}}$$

Solution:





Cascade Realisation

We illustrate this realization with the help of an example:

Example: Find a cascade realization of the system characterized by the transfer function

$$H(z) = \frac{4z^3 + 16z^2 + 4z - 24}{2z^4 + 1.6z^3 + 0.5z^2 + 0.1z}$$

Solution: We factor the numerator and denominator to obtain

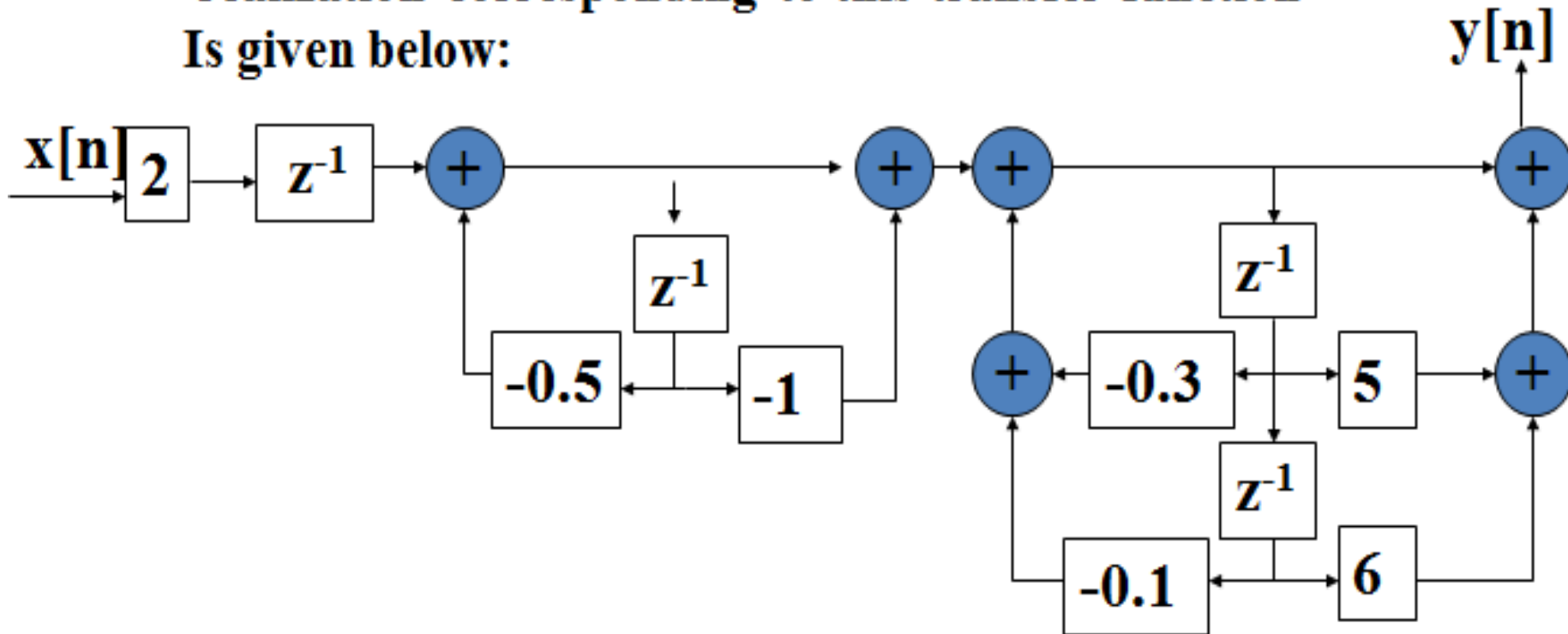
$$H(z) = \frac{2(z-1)(z+2)(z+3)}{z(z+0.5)(z^2+0.3z+0.1)}$$

or
$$H(z) = 2z^{-1} \left(\frac{1-z^{-1}}{1+0.5z^{-1}} \right) \left(\frac{1+5z^{-1}+6z^{-2}}{1+0.3z^{-1}+0.1z^{-2}} \right)$$



Cascade Realisation

The block diagram representation of the cascade realization corresponding to this transfer function is given below:





Parallel Realisation

Example: Find the parallel realization of the system of

$$H(z) = \frac{4z^3 + 16z^2 + 4z - 24}{2z^4 + 1.6z^3 + 0.5z^2 + 0.1z}$$

Solution: Multiply the numerator and denominator by 0.5 and factor the denominator. The result is

$$H(z) = \frac{2z^3 + 8z^2 + 2z - 12}{z(z + 0.5)(z^2 + 0.3z + 0.1)}$$

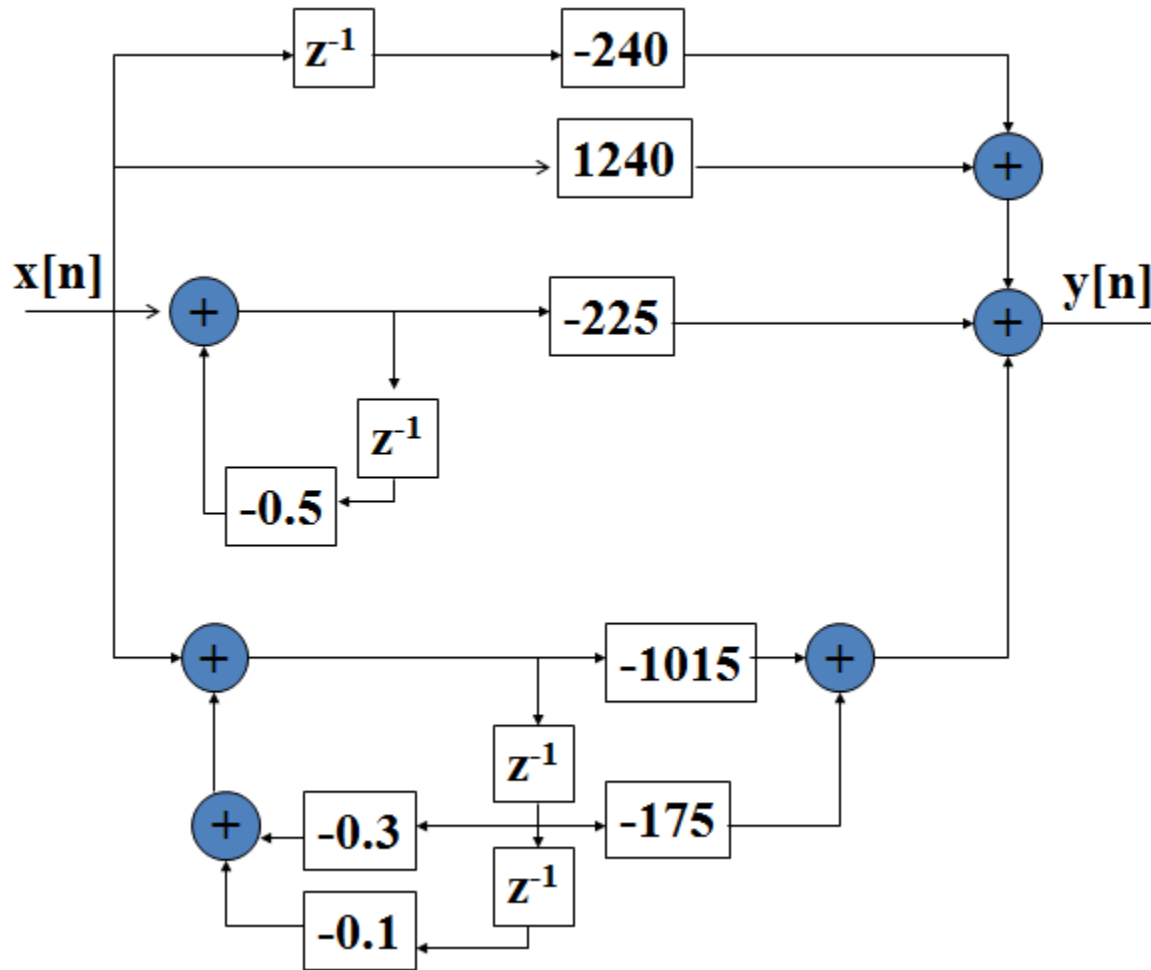
The partial fraction expansion is

$$H(z) = -240z^{-1} + 1240 + \frac{-225}{1 + 0.5z^{-1}} + \frac{-1015 - 175z^{-1}}{1 + 0.3z^{-1} + 0.1z^{-2}}$$

Now we can realize the system as shown on the next slide.



Parallel Realisation





Finite word length effects in IIR filters

- ADC quantization noise:
- Coefficients quantization errors
- Overflow errors
- The following components are needed for the implementation of IIR filters.
 - Memory (for eg: ROM) for filter coefficients
 - Memory (RAM)
 - Hardware or software
 - Adder or arithmetic logic unit.
 - In modern real-time DSP processor such as the TMS320C50
 - 8-bit or 16-bit MPU such as the motorola 6800 or 68000



Tutorial

Question1: Design LP & HP filters using pole –zero placement method.

Question2: The normalized transfer function of a simple, analog lowpass, filter given by

$$\mathbf{H (s)} = \frac{\mathbf{1}}{\mathbf{s + 1}}$$

Determine, using the BLT method, the transfer function of an equivalent discrete time high-pass filter. Assume a sampling frequency of 150 Hz and a cutoff frequency of 30 Hz.

Question3: A discrete time bandpass filter with Butterworth characteristics meeting the specifications given below is required. Obtain the coefficients of the filter using the BLT method.

passband	200 – 300 Hz
sampling frequency	2 kHz
filter order	2

End of Chapter