

Problem sheet – 12

Section A

Z transforms

1. Prove properties in Table 10.1 (Properties of z-transforms)

TABLE 10.1 PROPERTIES OF THE z-TRANSFORM

Section	Property	Signal	z-Transform	ROC
		$x[n]$	$X(z)$	R
		$x_1[n]$	$X_1(z)$	R_1
		$x_2[n]$	$X_2(z)$	R_2
10.5.1	Linearity	$ax_1[n] + bx_2[n]$	$aX_1(z) + bX_2(z)$	At least the intersection of R_1 and R_2
10.5.2	Time shifting	$x[n - n_0]$	$z^{-n_0}X(z)$	R , except for the possible addition or deletion of the origin
10.5.3	Scaling in the z-domain	$e^{j\omega_0 n}x[n]$	$X(e^{-j\omega_0}z)$	R
		$z_0^n x[n]$	$X\left(\frac{z}{z_0}\right)$	$z_0 R$
		$a^n x[n]$	$X(a^{-1}z)$	Scaled version of R (i.e., $ a R$ = the set of points $\{ a z\}$ for z in R)
10.5.4	Time reversal	$x[-n]$	$X(z^{-1})$	Inverted R (i.e., R^{-1} = the set of points z^{-1} , where z is in R)
10.5.5	Time expansion	$x_{(k)}[n] = \begin{cases} x[r], & n = rk \\ 0, & n \neq rk \end{cases}$ for some integer r	$X(z^k)$	$R^{1/k}$ (i.e., the set of points $z^{1/k}$, where z is in R)
10.5.6	Conjugation	$x^*[n]$	$X^*(z^*)$	R
10.5.7	Convolution	$x_1[n] * x_2[n]$	$X_1(z)X_2(z)$	At least the intersection of R_1 and R_2
10.5.7	First difference	$x[n] - x[n - 1]$	$(1 - z^{-1})X(z)$	At least the intersection of R and $ z > 0$
10.5.7	Accumulation	$\sum_{k=-\infty}^n x[k]$	$\frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}}X(z)$	At least the intersection of R and $ z > 1$
10.5.8	Differentiation in the z-domain	$nx[n]$	$-z \frac{dX(z)}{dz}$	R
10.5.9	Initial Value Theorem If $x[n] = 0$ for $n < 0$, then $x[0] = \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} X(z)$			

2. Derive z transforms of elementary functions given in Table 10.2 (z transforms of elementary functions)

TABLE 10.2 SOME COMMON z-TRANSFORM PAIRS

Signal	Transform	ROC
1. $\delta[n]$	1	All z
2. $u[n]$	$\frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}}$	$ z > 1$
3. $-u[-n - 1]$	$\frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}}$	$ z < 1$
4. $\delta[n - m]$	z^{-m}	All z , except 0 (if $m > 0$) or ∞ (if $m < 0$)
5. $\alpha^n u[n]$	$\frac{1}{1 - \alpha z^{-1}}$	$ z > \alpha $
6. $-\alpha^n u[-n - 1]$	$\frac{1}{1 - \alpha z^{-1}}$	$ z < \alpha $
7. $n\alpha^n u[n]$	$\frac{\alpha z^{-1}}{(1 - \alpha z^{-1})^2}$	$ z > \alpha $
8. $-n\alpha^n u[-n - 1]$	$\frac{\alpha z^{-1}}{(1 - \alpha z^{-1})^2}$	$ z < \alpha $
9. $[\cos \omega_0 n]u[n]$	$\frac{1 - [\cos \omega_0]z^{-1}}{1 - [2 \cos \omega_0]z^{-1} + z^{-2}}$	$ z > 1$
10. $[\sin \omega_0 n]u[n]$	$\frac{[\sin \omega_0]z^{-1}}{1 - [2 \cos \omega_0]z^{-1} + z^{-2}}$	$ z > 1$
11. $[r^n \cos \omega_0 n]u[n]$	$\frac{1 - [r \cos \omega_0]z^{-1}}{1 - [2r \cos \omega_0]z^{-1} + r^2 z^{-2}}$	$ z > r$
12. $[r^n \sin \omega_0 n]u[n]$	$\frac{[r \sin \omega_0]z^{-1}}{1 - [2r \cos \omega_0]z^{-1} + r^2 z^{-2}}$	$ z > r$

Section B

1. Z-transform of stable system

We are given the following five facts about a discrete-time signal $x[n]$ with z transform $X(z)$:

- $x[n]$ is real and right-sided.
- $X(z)$ has exactly two poles.
- $X(z)$ has two zeros at the origin.
- $X(z)$ has a pole at $z = \frac{1}{2}e^{j\pi/3}$.
- $X(1) = 8/3$

Determine $X(z)$ and specify its region of convergence.

2. Elementary transformation in z-transform

Let $x[n]$ be a discrete-time signal with z-transform $X(z)$. For each of the following signals, determine the z-transform in terms of $X(z)$:

- $\Delta x[n]$, where Δ is the first difference operator defined by
$$\Delta x[n] = x[n] - x[n-1]$$
- $x_1[n] = \begin{cases} x\left[\frac{n}{2}\right], & n \text{ even} \\ 0, & n \text{ odd} \end{cases}$
- $x_2[n] = x[2n]$

3. Z-transforms and stability criterion

Determine which of the following z-transforms could be the transfer function of a discrete-time linear system that is not necessarily stable, but for which the unit sample response is zero for $n < 0$. State your reasons clearly.

- $\frac{(1-z^{-1})^2}{1-\frac{1}{2}z^{-1}}$
- $\frac{(z-1)^2}{z-\frac{1}{2}}$
- $\frac{\left(z-\frac{1}{4}\right)^5}{\left(z-\frac{1}{2}\right)^6}$
- $\frac{\left(z-\frac{1}{4}\right)^6}{\left(z-\frac{1}{2}\right)^5}$

4. Solution of Difference Equation from z-transform

A sequence $x[n]$ is the output of an LTI system whose input is $s[n]$. The system is described by the difference equation

$$x[n] = s[n] - e^{8\alpha}s[n-8],$$

where $0 < \alpha < 1$.

(a) Find the system function

$$H_1(z) = \frac{X(z)}{S(z)}$$

, and plot its poles and zeros in the z -plane. Indicate the region of convergence.

(b) We wish to recover $s[n]$ from $x[n]$ with an LTI system. Find the system function

$$H_2(z) = \frac{X(z)}{S(z)}$$

such that $y[n] = s[n]$. Find all possible regions of convergence for $H_2(z)$, and for each, tell whether or not the system is causal or stable.

(c) Find all possible choices for the unit impulse response $h_2[n]$ such that,

$$y[n] = h_2[n] * x[n] = s[n]$$