Digital Signal Processing

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Abstract—**This manual provides a simple introduction to digital signal processing.**

1 Software Installation

Run the following commands

```
sudo apt−get update
sudo apt−get install libffi−dev libsndfile1 python3
    −scipy python3−numpy python3−matplotlib
sudo pip install cffi pysoundfile
```

2 Digital Filter

2.1 Download the sound file from

```
wget https://github.com/AP−51/Signal−
    Processing/blob/main/Assignment−1/
    Sound−Files/Sound_Noise.wav
```

2.2 You will find a spectrogram at https://academo.org/demos/spectrum-analyzer. Upload the sound file that you downloaded in Problem 2.1 in the spectrogram and play. Observe the spectrogram. What do you find?
Solution: There are a lot of yellow lines between 440 Hz to 5.1 KHz. These represent the synthesizer key tones. Also, the key strokes are audible along with background noise.

2.3 Write the python code for removal of out of band noise and execute the code.
Solution:

```
import soundfile as sf
from scipy import signal

#read .wav file
input_signal,fs=sf.read('Sound_Noise.wav')

#sampling frequency of Input signal
sampl_freq=fs

#order of filter
order=4

#cutoff frequency 4kHz
cutoff_freq=4000.0

#digital frequency
Wn=2*cutoff_freq/sampl_freq

#b and a are numerator and denominator
    polynomials respectively
b,a=signal.butter(order,Wn,'low')

#filter the input signal with butterworth filter
output_signal=signal.filtfilt(b,a,input_signal)

#output_signal=signal.lfilter(b,a,input_signal
    )

#write the output signal into .wav file
sf.write('Sound_With_ReducedNoise.wav',
    output_signal, fs)
```

2.4 The output of the python script in Problem 2.3 is the audio file Sound_With_ReducedNoise.wav. Play the file in the spectrogram in Problem 2.2. What do you observe?
Solution: The key strokes as well as background noise is subdued in the audio. Also, the signal is blank for frequencies above 5.1 kHz.

3 Difference Equation

3.1 Let

$$x(n) = \left\{\underset{\uparrow}{1}, 2, 3, 4, 2, 1\right\} \tag{3.1}$$

Sketch $x(n)$.

3.2 Let

$$y(n) + \frac{1}{2}y(n-1) = x(n) + x(n-2),$$
$$y(n) = 0, n < 0 \tag{3.2}$$

Sketch $y(n)$.
Solution: The following code yields Fig. 3.2.

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    Processing/blob/main/Assignment−1/Code
    /xnyn.py
```

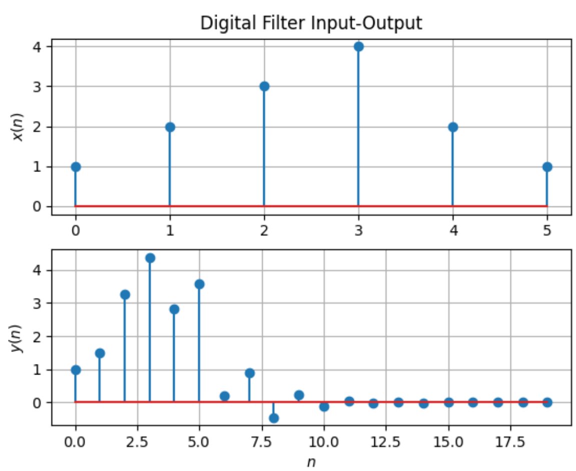

Fig. 3.2

3.3 Repeat the above excercise using C code
Solution: Download and run the below code using the command

```
wget https://github.com/AP−51/Signal−
    Processing/blob/main/Assignment−1/Code
    /de.c
```

4 Z-transform

4.1 The Z-transform of $x(n)$ is defined as

$$X(z) = \mathcal{Z}\{x(n)\} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n)z^{-n} \tag{4.1}$$

Show that

$$\mathcal{Z}\{x(n-1)\} = z^{-1}X(z) \tag{4.2}$$

and find

$$\mathcal{Z}\{x(n-k)\} \tag{4.3}$$

Solution: From (4.1),

$$\mathcal{Z}\{x(n-k)\} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n-1)z^{-n} \tag{4.4}$$

$$= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n)z^{-n-1} = z^{-1}\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n)z^{-n} \tag{4.5}$$

resulting in (4.2). Similarly, it can be shown that

$$\mathcal{Z}\{x(n-k)\} = z^{-k}X(z) \tag{4.6}$$

4.2 Obtain $X(z)$ for $x(n)$ defined in problem (3.1).
Solution:

$$X(z) = 1 + 2z^{-1} + 3z^{-2} + 4z^{-3} + 2z^{-4} + z^{-5} \tag{4.7}$$

4.3 Find

$$H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} \tag{4.8}$$

from (3.2) assuming that the Z-transform is a linear operation.
Solution: Applying (4.6) in (3.2),

$$Y(z) + \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}Y(z) = X(z) + z^{-2}X(z) \tag{4.9}$$

$$\implies \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = \frac{1 + z^{-2}}{1 + \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}} \tag{4.10}$$

4.4 Find the Z transform of

$$\delta(n) = \begin{cases} 1 & n = 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \tag{4.11}$$

and show that the Z-transform of

$$u(n) = \begin{cases} 1 & n \geq 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \tag{4.12}$$

is

$$U(z) = \frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}}, \quad |z| > 1 \tag{4.13}$$

Solution: It is easy to show that

$$\delta(n) \overset{\mathcal{Z}}{\rightleftharpoons} 1 \tag{4.14}$$

and from (4.12),

$$U(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z^{-n} \tag{4.15}$$
$$= \frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}}, \quad |z| > 1 \tag{4.16}$$

using the formula for the sum of an infinite geometric progression.

4.5 Show that

$$a^n u(n) \overset{\mathcal{Z}}{\rightleftharpoons} \frac{1}{1 - az^{-1}} \quad |z| > |a| \tag{4.17}$$

Solution: Z-transform of $a^n u(n)$ would be:

$$U(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a^n z^{-n} \tag{4.18}$$
$$\implies U(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (\frac{z}{a})^{-n} \tag{4.19}$$
$$\therefore U(z) = \frac{1}{1 - az^{-1}} \tag{4.20}$$

4.6 Let

$$H\left(e^{\jmath\omega}\right) = H\left(z = e^{\jmath\omega}\right). \tag{4.21}$$

Plot $|H\left(e^{\jmath\omega}\right)|$. Comment. $H(e^{\jmath\omega})$ is known as the *Discret Time Fourier Transform* (DTFT) of $x(n)$.

Solution: The following code plots Fig. 4.6.

```
wget https://github.com/AP−51/Signal−
    Processing/blob/main/Assignment−1/Code
    /dtft.py
```

Using (4.10), we observe that $|H\left(e^{\jmath\omega}\right)|$ is given by

$$|H\left(e^{\jmath\omega}\right)| = \left|\frac{1 + e^{-2\jmath\omega}}{1 + \frac{1}{2}e^{-\jmath\omega}}\right| \tag{4.22}$$
$$= \sqrt{\frac{(1 + \cos 2\omega)^2 + (\sin 2\omega)^2}{\left(1 + \frac{1}{2}\cos\omega\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{2}\sin\omega\right)^2}} \tag{4.23}$$
$$= \sqrt{\frac{2\left(1 + \cos 2\omega\right)}{\frac{5}{4} + \cos\omega}} \tag{4.24}$$
$$= \sqrt{\frac{2\left(2\cos^2\omega\right)}{\frac{5}{4} + \cos\omega}} \tag{4.25}$$
$$= \frac{4|\cos\omega|}{\sqrt{5 + 4\cos\omega}} \tag{4.26}$$

and so its fundamental period is 2π.

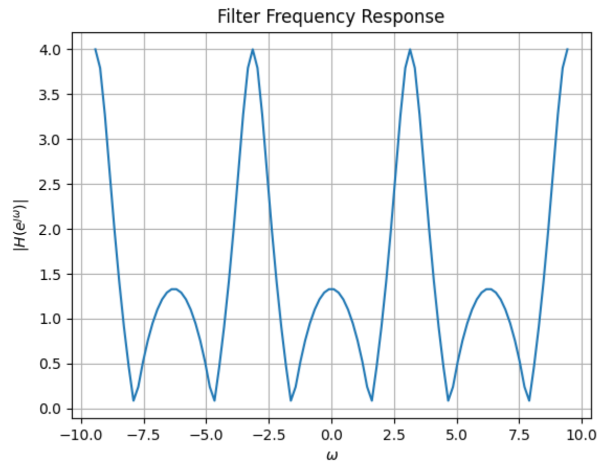

Fig. 4.6: $|H\left(e^{\jmath\omega}\right)|$

4.7 Express $h(n)$ in terms of $H(e^{\jmath\omega})$. **Solution:** Using the Inverse Discrete Time Fourier Transform of $H(e^{\jmath\omega})$, we get

$$h(n) = \frac{1}{2\pi}\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} H(e^{\jmath\omega})e^{\jmath\omega n}d\omega \tag{4.27}$$
$$\tag{4.28}$$

5 Impulse Response

5.1 Find an expression for $h(n)$ using $H(z)$, given that

$$h(n) \overset{\mathcal{Z}}{\rightleftharpoons} H(z) \tag{5.1}$$

and there is a one to one relationship between $h(n)$ and $H(z)$. $h(n)$ is known as the *impulse response* of the system defined by (3.2).

Solution: From (4.10),

$$H(z) = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}} + \frac{z^{-2}}{1 + \frac{1}{2}z^{-1}} \tag{5.2}$$
$$\implies h(n) = \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u(n) + \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)^{n-2} u(n-2) \tag{5.3}$$

using (4.17) and (4.6).

5.2 Sketch $h(n)$. Is it bounded? Convergent?

Solution: The following code plots Fig. 5.2.

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    Processing/blob/main/Assignment−1/Code
    /hn.py
```

$h(n)$ is convergent and converges to 0

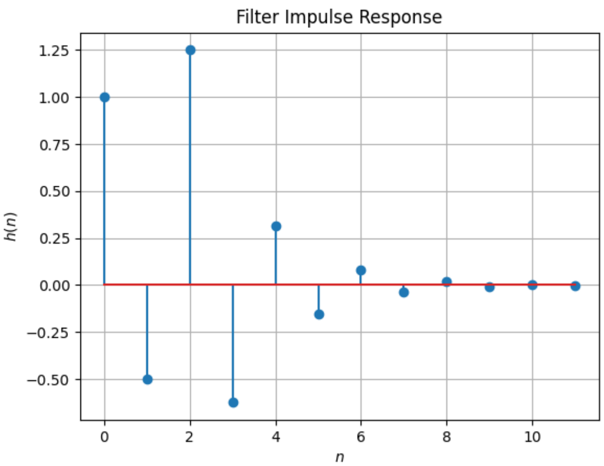

Fig. 5.2: $h(n)$ as the inverse of $H(z)$

5.3 The system with $h(n)$ is defined to be stable if

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h(n) < \infty \tag{5.4}$$

Is the system defined by (3.2) stable for the impulse response in (5.1)? **Solution:**

$$u(n) = \begin{cases} 1 & n \geq 0 \\ 0 & n < 0 \end{cases} \tag{5.5}$$

$$u(n-2) = \begin{cases} 1 & n \geq 2 \\ 0 & n < 2 \end{cases} \tag{5.6}$$

$$\therefore h(n) = \begin{cases} 0 & n < 0 \\ \left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)^n & 0 \leq n < 2 \\ \left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)^n + \left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)^{(n-2)} & n \geq 2 \end{cases} \tag{5.7}$$

$$\therefore \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h(n) = 0 + 1 + \frac{-1}{2} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty}\left[\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)^n + \left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)^{(n-2)}\right] \tag{5.8}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} + \frac{5}{4} * \left(\frac{2}{3}\right) = \frac{4}{3} < \infty \tag{5.9}$$

$$\tag{5.10}$$

$\therefore$ system defined is stable

5.4 Compute and sketch $h(n)$ using

$$h(n) + \frac{1}{2}h(n-1) = \delta(n) + \delta(n-2), \tag{5.11}$$

This is the definition of $h(n)$.
Solution: The following code plots Fig. 5.4. Note that this is the same as Fig. 5.2.

```
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    Processing/blob/main/Assignment−1/Code
    /hndef.py
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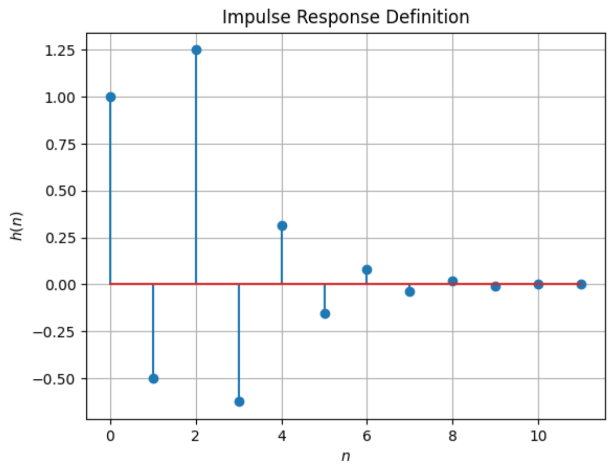

Fig. 5.4: $h(n)$ from the definition

5.5 Compute

$$y(n) = x(n) * h(n) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(k)h(n-k) \tag{5.12}$$

Comment. The operation in (5.12) is known as *convolution*.
Solution: The following code plots Fig. 5.5. Note that this is the same as $y(n)$ in Fig. 3.2.

```
wget https://github.com/AP−51/Signal−
    Processing/blob/main/Assignment−1/Code
    /ynconv.py
```

5.6 Show that

$$y(n) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n-k)h(k) \tag{5.13}$$

Solution: From (5.12), we substitute $k := n-k$ to get

$$y(n) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(k)\, h(n-k) \tag{5.14}$$

$$= \sum_{n-k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n-k)\, h(k) \tag{5.15}$$

$$= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n-k)\, h(k) \tag{5.16}$$

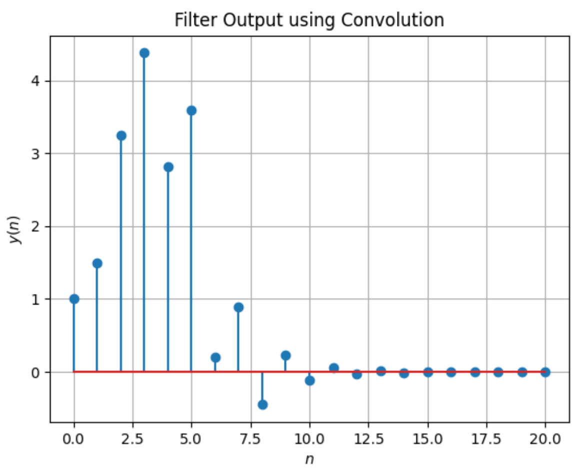

Fig. 5.5: $y(n)$ from the definition of convolution