

# MTH 9893 HW6

Problem 1 / (a)  $y_n = 0.0047 + 0.35 y_{n-1} + 0.18 y_{n-2} - 0.14 y_{n-3} + \epsilon_n$

$z$ -transforms. Write as  $Q(z)Y(z) = \text{const} \times U(z) + \epsilon(z)$

where  $Q(z) = (1 - p_1 z^{-1})(1 - p_2 z^{-1})(1 - p_3 z^{-1}) = 1 - 0.35 z^{-1} - 0.18 z^{-2} + 0.14 z^{-3}$

and  $p_1, p_2$ , and  $p_3$  are roots of  $Q(z)$

$$\therefore \underbrace{0.14 - 0.18z - 0.35z^2 + z^3}_{\text{a polynomial}} = (z - p_1)(z - p_2)(z - p_3)$$

(b) a polynomial.

Run numerical root-finder of Wolfram Alpha, we get

$$z \approx -0.51834, 0.43417 \pm 0.28564i$$

(c) pole-zero diagram  $\Rightarrow$   
of  $\frac{1}{Q(z)}$

(d) Multiply through by  $Q^{-1}(z)$

$$Y(z) = \text{const} \times \frac{U(z)}{Q(z)} + \frac{\epsilon(z)}{Q(z)}$$

$$= H(z) \cdot (\text{const} \times U(z) + \epsilon(z))$$

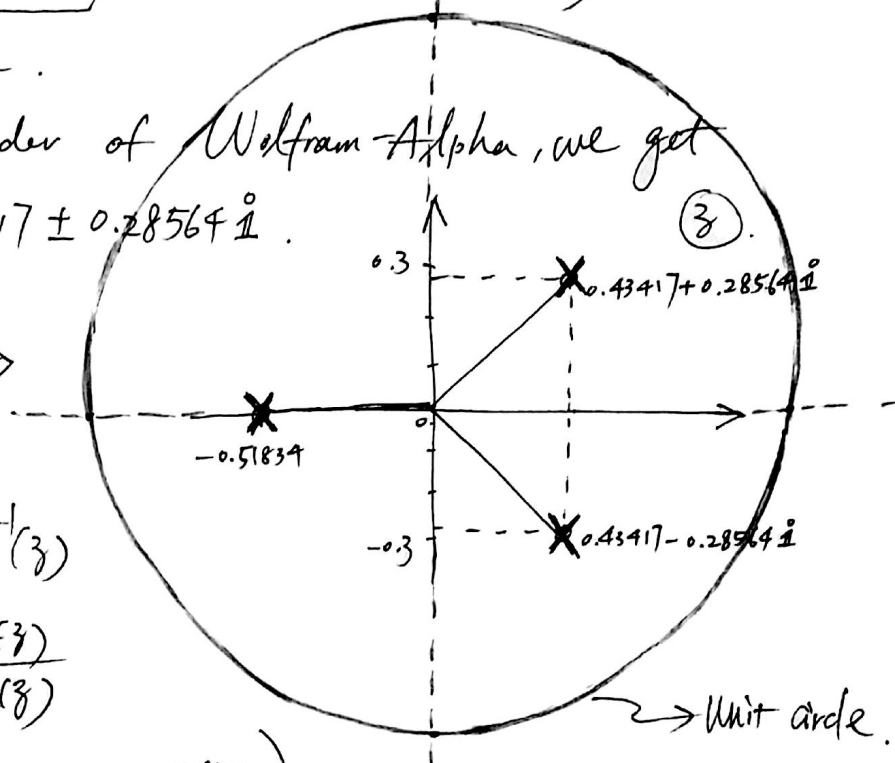
where

$$H(z) = \frac{1}{Q(z)} = \frac{1}{\prod_{k=1}^3 (1 - p_k z^{-1})} = \sum_{k=1}^3 \frac{A_k}{1 - p_k z^{-1}}$$

Perform a partial fraction expansion, we get residues:  $A_1 = -0.14083$

$$A_{2,3} = 0.24542 \pm 0.02870i$$

See Python script: partial-fraction-expansion.py



(e) The inverse  $z$ -transform  

$$h[n] = \sum_{k=1}^n A_k p_k^n u[n]$$

$$\quad \quad \quad \rightarrow \text{unit-step series}$$

(f)  $p = \frac{N_{\text{eff}}}{1 + N_{\text{eff}}} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{p} = 1 + \frac{1}{N_{\text{eff}}} \Rightarrow N_{\text{eff}} = \frac{p}{1-p}$

$\therefore p_1 = -0.51834 \Rightarrow N_{\text{eff}} = -0.34138$

$p_{2,3} = 0.43417 \pm 0.28564 i \Rightarrow |p_{2,3}| = 0.51970 \Rightarrow N_{\text{eff}} \approx 1.082$

(g) Usually, the AR(3) model coefficients are determined by fitting the model with historical data.  
 The intent is to get low error in out-of-sample updates.

Since  $N_{\text{eff}} \approx 1$ , the smoothing capability of this impulse response is NOT very good. Some simpler alternative models include low-order MA model or poly-ema model.

## Problem 2 Auto correlation and Polynomial Emas.

(a) Stability (BIBO: bounded-input bounded output)

$$H_{m, \text{cand}}(z) = \frac{1}{\left(1 - \frac{p}{m} z^{-1}\right)^m} \quad \text{with degenerate pole at } z = \frac{p}{m} \text{ if } m > 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{impulse response} = \frac{1}{(m-1)!} \left(\frac{p}{m}\right)^n \prod_{s=1}^{m-1} (n+s)$$

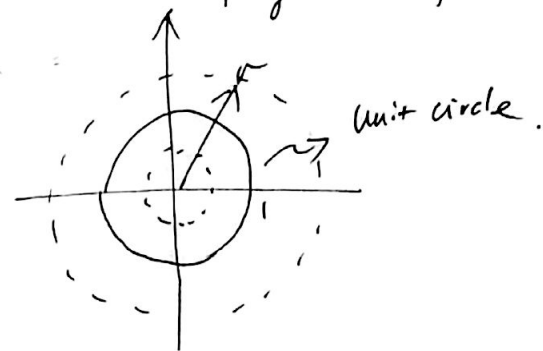
$$\Rightarrow \text{Convergence series } \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |x[n]| r^{-n} \propto \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{p}{rm}\right)^n \prod_{s=1}^{m-1} (n+s)$$

This series converges when

$$\frac{p}{rm} < 1 \Rightarrow r > \frac{p}{m}$$

BIBO stability requires

$$\frac{p}{m} < 1$$



(b) Gain Adjustment

$$\text{Gain} = M_0 = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{+\infty} h[n] = H(z=1) = \frac{1}{\left(1 - \frac{p}{m}\right)^m}$$

$$\therefore H_m(z) = \tilde{g}^{-1} H_{m, \text{cand}}(z) = \frac{\left(1 - \frac{p}{m}\right)^m}{\left(1 - \frac{p}{m} z^{-1}\right)^m} = \left[ \frac{1 - \frac{p}{m}}{1 - \frac{p}{m} z^{-1}} \right]^m$$

(c) First Moment ( $\zeta = z^{-1}$ )

$$M_1^{(H_m)} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \zeta} H(\zeta) \Big|_{\zeta=1} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \zeta} \cdot \frac{1}{\left(1 - \frac{p}{m} \zeta\right)^m} \Big|_{\zeta=1}$$

$$= \frac{\cancel{m} \times \frac{p}{m}}{\left(1 - \frac{p}{m} \zeta\right)^{m+1}} \Big|_{\zeta=1}$$

$$= \frac{p}{\left(1 - \frac{p}{m}\right)^{m+1}} \quad \Rightarrow \quad M_1^{(H_m)} = \left(1 - \frac{p}{m}\right)^m \times \frac{p}{\left(1 - \frac{p}{m}\right)^{m+1}} = \frac{p}{1 - \frac{p}{m}}$$

(d) Relative half width (RHW) note. use  $H(\zeta)$  to do the calculation  
the result is the same by using  $H_m(\zeta)$  because  
RHW is dimensionless

$$M_2 - M_1 = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \zeta^2} H(\zeta) \Big|_{\zeta=1} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \zeta} \left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \zeta \right)^{m+1} \Big|_{\zeta=1}$$

$$= \frac{p(m+1) \frac{p}{m}}{\left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \zeta \right)^{m+2}} \Big|_{\zeta=1}$$

$$= \frac{m+1}{m} \cdot \frac{p^2}{\left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right)^{m+2}}$$

$$\therefore M_2 = \frac{m+1}{m} \cdot \frac{p^2}{\left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right)^{m+2}} + \frac{p}{\left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right)^{m+1}}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{m+1}{m} p^2 + \left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right) p}{\left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right)^{m+2}}$$

$$= \frac{\left( 1 + \frac{1}{m} \right) p^2 + p - \frac{p^2}{m}}{\left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right)^{m+2}}$$

$$= \frac{p(p+1)}{\left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right)^{m+2}}$$

$$\therefore M_2 - M_1^2 = \frac{p(p+1)}{\left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right)^{m+2}} - \frac{p^2}{\left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right)^{2m+2}} = \frac{p(p+1) \left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right)^m - p^2}{\left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right)^{2m+2}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{M_2 - M_1^2}{M_1^2} = \frac{p(p+1) \left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right)^m - p^2}{p^2}$$

$$= \left( 1 + \frac{1}{p} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right)^m - 1$$

$$\therefore \text{RHW} = \sqrt{\left( 1 + \frac{1}{p} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{p}{m} \right)^m - 1}$$

(2) Here is a derivation of impulse responses, which I think is more straightforward than the one given in textbook.

$$\begin{aligned}
 h[n] &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint H(z) z^{n-1} dz \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint \frac{z^{n-1} dz}{\left(1 - \frac{p}{m} z^{-1}\right)^m} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint \frac{z^{m+n-1} dz}{\left(z - \frac{p}{m}\right)^m} \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint \frac{\left(z - \frac{p}{m}\right)^{m+n-1} dz}{\left(z - \frac{p}{m}\right)^m} \\
 &= \frac{\left(\frac{p}{m}\right)^{m+n-1}}{2\pi i} \oint \frac{\left(1 + \frac{z - \frac{p}{m}}{\frac{p}{m}}\right)^{m+n-1} dz}{\left(z - \frac{p}{m}\right)^m} \\
 &= \frac{\left(\frac{p}{m}\right)^{m+n-1}}{2\pi i} \oint \sum_{k=0}^{m+n-1} \frac{\binom{m+n-1}{k} \left(\frac{z - \frac{p}{m}}{\frac{p}{m}}\right)^k dz}{\left(z - \frac{p}{m}\right)^m} \\
 &= \frac{\left(\frac{p}{m}\right)^{m+n-1}}{2\pi i} \sum_{k=0}^{m+n-1} \binom{m+n-1}{k} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{p}{m}\right)^k} \oint \frac{1}{\left(z - \frac{p}{m}\right)^{m-k}} dz \\
 &= \frac{\left(\frac{p}{m}\right)^{m+n-1}}{2\pi i} \sum_{k=0}^{m+n-1} \binom{m+n-1}{k} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{p}{m}\right)^k} \underbrace{\oint \frac{1}{\left(z - \frac{p}{m}\right)^{m-k}} dz}_{\delta_{k, m-1} \cdot 2\pi i} \\
 &= \frac{\left(\frac{p}{m}\right)^{m+n-1}}{2\pi i} \sum_{k=0}^{m+n-1} \binom{m+n-1}{k} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{p}{m}\right)^k} \delta_{k, m-1} \\
 &= \left(\frac{p}{m}\right)^{m+n-1} \binom{m+n-1}{m-1} \frac{1}{\left(\frac{p}{m}\right)^{m-1}} \\
 &= \binom{m+n-1}{m-1} \left(\frac{p}{m}\right)^n \\
 &= \frac{1}{(m-1)!} \prod_{s=1}^{m-1} (n+s) \cdot \left(\frac{p}{m}\right)^n
 \end{aligned}$$

$$m=1, h_1[n] = p^n \times (1-p)$$

$$m=2, h_2[n] = (n+1) \left(\frac{p}{2}\right)^n \times \left(1-\frac{p}{2}\right)^2$$

$$m=3, h_3[n] = \frac{1}{2}(n+1)(n+2) \left(\frac{p}{3}\right)^n \times \left(1-\frac{p}{3}\right)^3$$

$$m=4, h_4[n] = \frac{1}{6}(n+1)(n+2)(n+3) \left(\frac{p}{4}\right)^n \times \left(1-\frac{p}{4}\right)^4$$

$$m=5, h_5[n] = \frac{1}{24}(n+1)(n+2)(n+3)(n+4) \left(\frac{p}{5}\right)^n \times \left(1-\frac{p}{5}\right)^5$$

\* Plot see  
enclose picture  
files

$p$  is determined by  $M_1 = \frac{p}{1-\frac{p}{m}} = 50 \Rightarrow$

(f)

$m$	$M_0$	$M_1$	RHW
1	1.0	50.0	1.00995
2	1.0	50.0	0.72111
3	1.0	50.0	0.594418
4	1.0	50.0	0.519615
5	1.0	50.0	0.469042

(g)  $H_1 = \frac{1-p}{1-p3^{-1}} \Rightarrow y_n = p y_{n-1} + (1-p)x_n$

$$H_2 = \frac{(1-\frac{p}{2})^2}{(1-\frac{p}{2}3^{-1})^2} \Rightarrow y_n = p y_{n-1} - \frac{p^2}{4} y_{n-2} + \left(1-\frac{p}{2}\right)^2 x_n$$

$$H_3 = \frac{(1-\frac{p}{3})^3}{(1-\frac{p}{3}3^{-1})^3} \Rightarrow y_n = p y_{n-1} - 3 \times \left(\frac{p}{3}\right)^2 y_{n-2} + \left(\frac{p}{3}\right)^3 y_{n-3} + \left(1-\frac{p}{3}\right)^3 x_n$$

$$H_4 = \frac{(1-\frac{p}{4})^4}{(1-\frac{p}{4}3^{-1})^4} \Rightarrow y_n = p y_{n-1} - 6 \times \left(\frac{p}{4}\right)^2 y_{n-2} + 4 \left(\frac{p}{4}\right)^3 y_{n-3} - \left(\frac{p}{4}\right)^4 y_{n-4} + \left(1-\frac{p}{4}\right)^4 x_n$$

$$H_5 = \frac{(1-\frac{p}{5})^5}{(1-\frac{p}{5}3^{-1})^5} \Rightarrow y_n = p y_{n-1} - 10 \times \left(\frac{p}{5}\right)^2 y_{n-2} + 10 \left(\frac{p}{5}\right)^3 y_{n-3} - 5 \times \left(\frac{p}{5}\right)^4 y_{n-4} + \left(\frac{p}{5}\right)^5 y_{n-5} + \left(1-\frac{p}{5}\right)^5 x_n$$

(h) See enclosed code and graph: plot\_poly\_ema\_impulse\_responses.png

(i) See enclosed code and graph: plot\_poly\_ema\_system.png

(j)

$m$	$l^*$ such that $K_h(l^*) \approx 5\%$
1	152
2	121
3	102
4	90
5	81

See enclosed  
code for  
numerical  
calculation.

(k)  $l^*(m=5)$  is the smallest, thus  $m=5$  poly\_ema is the most favorable filter with respect to auto-correlation length.

$l^*(m=1)$  is the least favorable.