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EE23BTECH11022 - G DILIP REDDY

Question:

For what values of x , the numbers $-\frac{2}{7}, x, -\frac{7}{2}$ are in G.P ?

Solution:

Let r be the common ratio

$$\text{From Table 1: } \Rightarrow \frac{x}{\left(-\frac{2}{7}\right)} = \frac{\left(-\frac{7}{2}\right)}{x} = r \quad (1)$$

$$x^2 = \left(-\frac{2}{7}\right) \cdot \left(-\frac{7}{2}\right) \quad (2)$$

$$x = \pm 1 \quad (3)$$

$$\Rightarrow r = \pm \frac{7}{2} \quad (4)$$

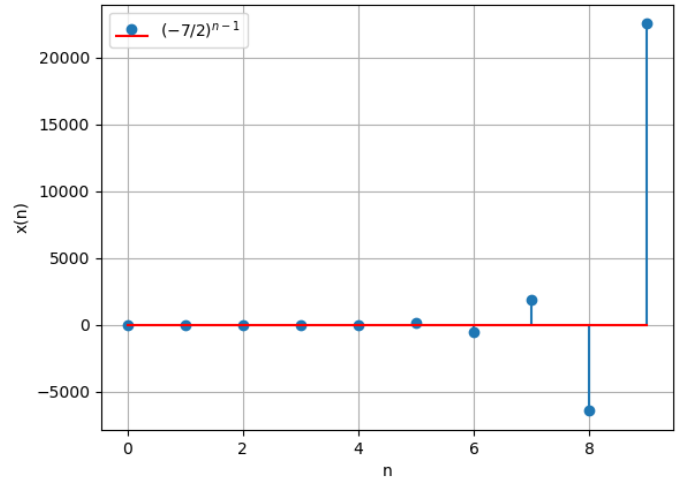


Fig. 1: Stem Plot of $x_1(n)$

The signal corresponding to this is

$$\text{From Table 1: } x(n) = x(0)r^n u(n) \quad (5)$$

Applying z-Transform :

$$x(n) \xrightarrow{z} X(z)$$

$$\Rightarrow X_1(z) = \left(\frac{1}{7}\right) \left(\frac{4}{7z^{-1} + 2}\right) \left\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| > \frac{7}{2}\right\} \quad (6)$$

$$\Rightarrow X_2(z) = \left(\frac{1}{7}\right) \left(\frac{4}{7z^{-1} - 2}\right) \left\{z \in \mathbb{C} : |z| > \frac{7}{2}\right\} \quad (7)$$

| Variable | Description | Value |
|----------|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| $x(0)$ | First term of the GP | $-\left(\frac{2}{7}\right)$ |
| $x(1)$ | Second term of the GP | x |
| $x(2)$ | Third term of the GP | $-\left(\frac{7}{2}\right)$ |
| r | Common ratio of the GP | $\pm\left(\frac{7}{2}\right)$ |
| $x(n)$ | General term | $x(0)r^n u(n)$ |

TABLE 1: Variables Used

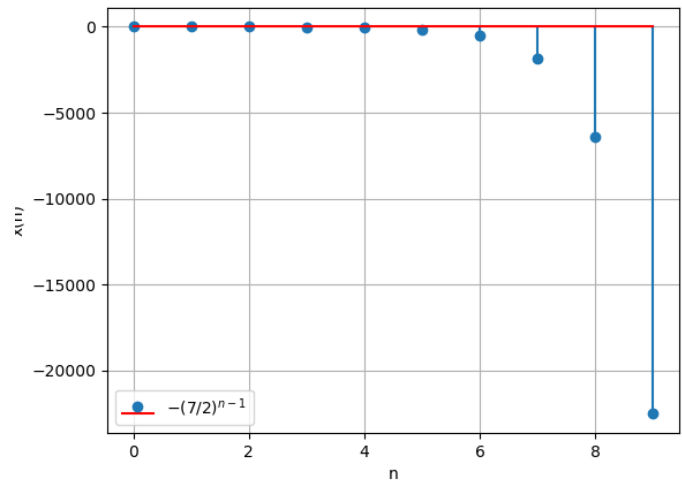


Fig. 2: Stem Plot of $x_2(n)$