

DSP LAB

Assignment - 2

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1 Decimator

This process consists of a low pass filter followed by a downsampler.

1.1 LPF

- The job of LPF here is to prevent aliasing. Hence it is known as anti-aliasing filter.
- Gain = 1
- Cutoff frequency is π/M .

1.2 Downsampler

- It is used to make a digital audio signal smaller by lowering its sampling rate or sample size (bits per sample).
- Downsampling is done to decrease the bit rate when transmitting over a limited bandwidth or to convert to a more limited audio format.
- Time domain relation between input and output -

$$y[n] = x[Mn]$$

Where M is the factor of downsampling.

- We can see that it is a Linear Time Varying (LTV) system.
- Frequency domain relation between input and output -

$$Y(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{k=0}^{M-1} X(e^{j(\omega - 2\pi k/M)})$$

- The input signal bandwidth must be less than $2\pi/M$ so that there is no aliasing.

2 Interpolator

This process consists of an upsampler followed by a low pass filter.

2.1 LPF

- The job of LPF here is to remove unwanted image of $X(e^{j\omega})$. Hence it is known as anti-imaging filter.
- Gain = L
- Cutoff frequency is π/L .

2.2 Upsampler

- To make a digital audio signal higher quality by increasing the sample rate, and interjecting new samples in between existing samples.
- The sample size is also increased for finer granularity. The objective is to have a smoother digital wave going into the digital-to-analog converter
- Time domain relation between input and output -

$$y[n] = \begin{cases} x[n/L] & , \text{ if } n \text{ is multiple of } L \\ 0 & , \text{ otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Where L is the factor of upsampling.

- We can see that it is a Linear Time Varying (LTV) system.
- Frequency domain relation between input and output -

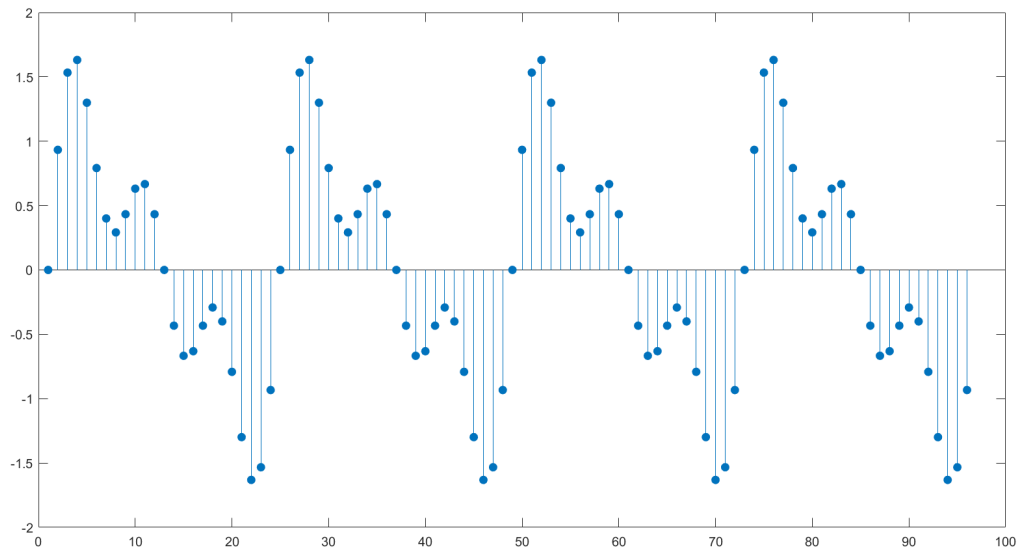
$$Y(e^{j\omega}) = X(e^{j\omega L})$$

3 Practical implementation

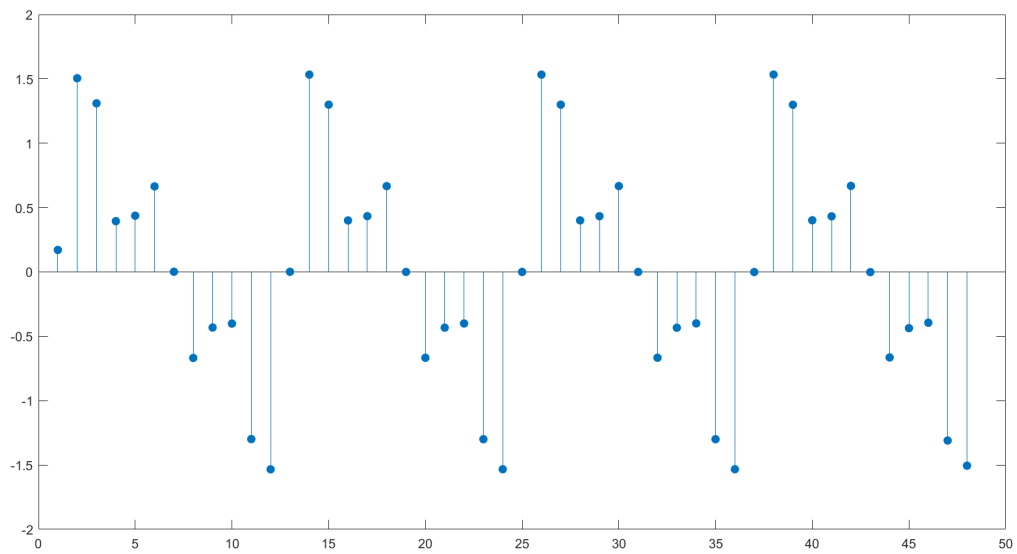
- In decimator after convolving the input signal($x[n]$) with the low pass filter($h[n]$) the length of output signal is $l_x + l_h - 1$ so we discard first and last $(l_h - 1)/2$ samples from $xf[n]$, i.e. take only middle l_x samples of $xf[n]$ and then do downsampling.
- Similarly in interpolator also we discard first and last $(l_h - 1)/2$ samples from $y[n]$, i.e. take only middle l_{xu} samples of $y[n]$.

4 $M = L = 2$

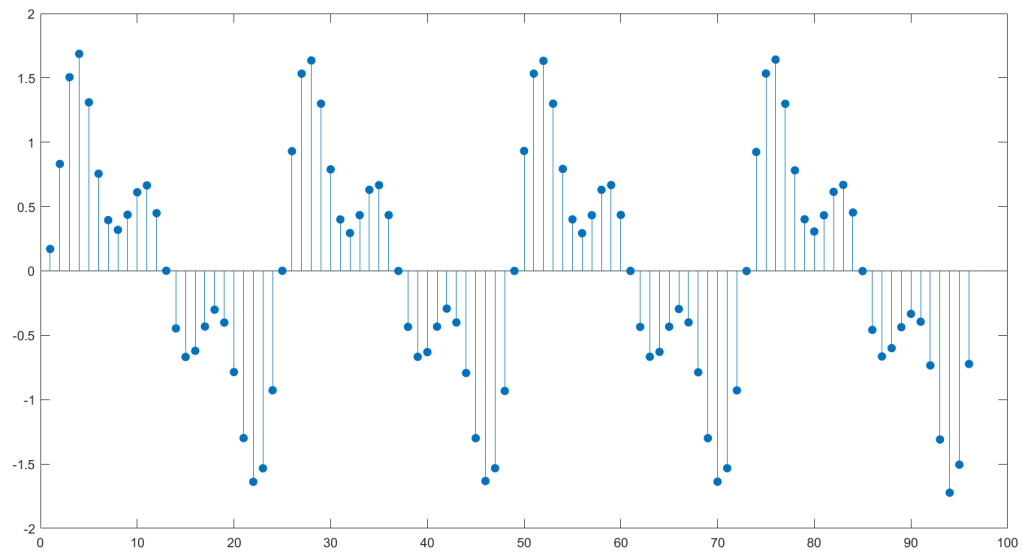
4.1 Input signal $x[n]$



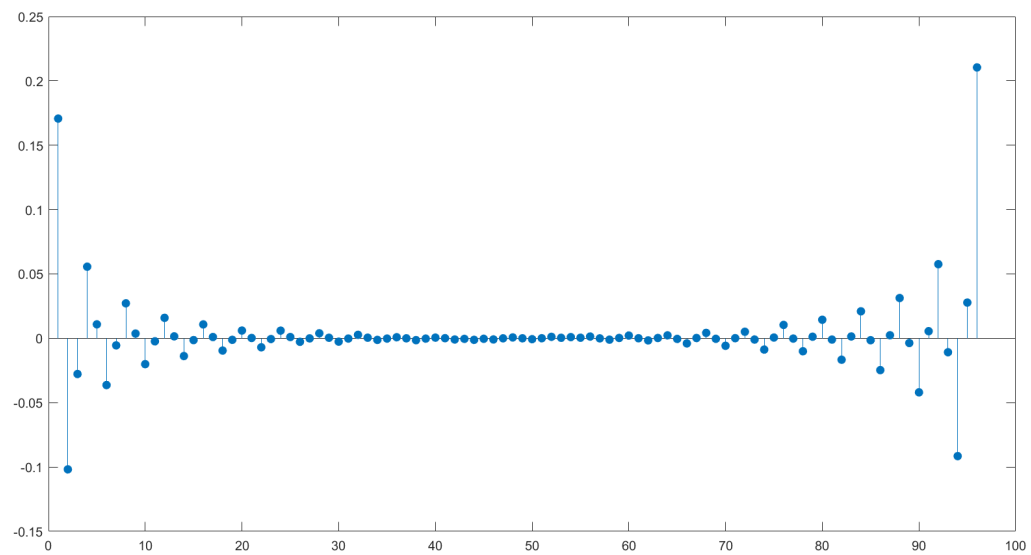
4.2 Decimated output $x_d[n]$



4.3 Interpolated output $y[n]$



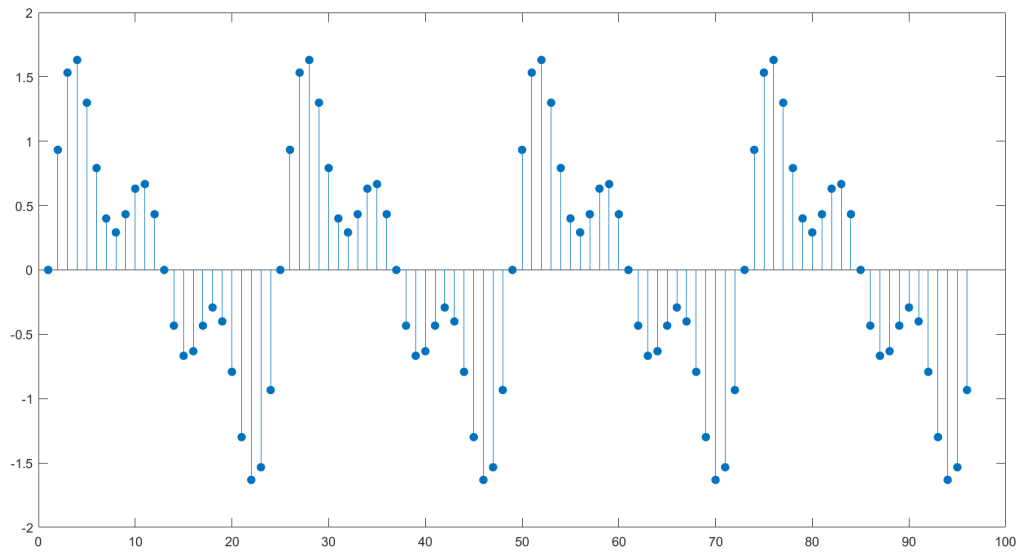
4.4 Error vector $e[n]$



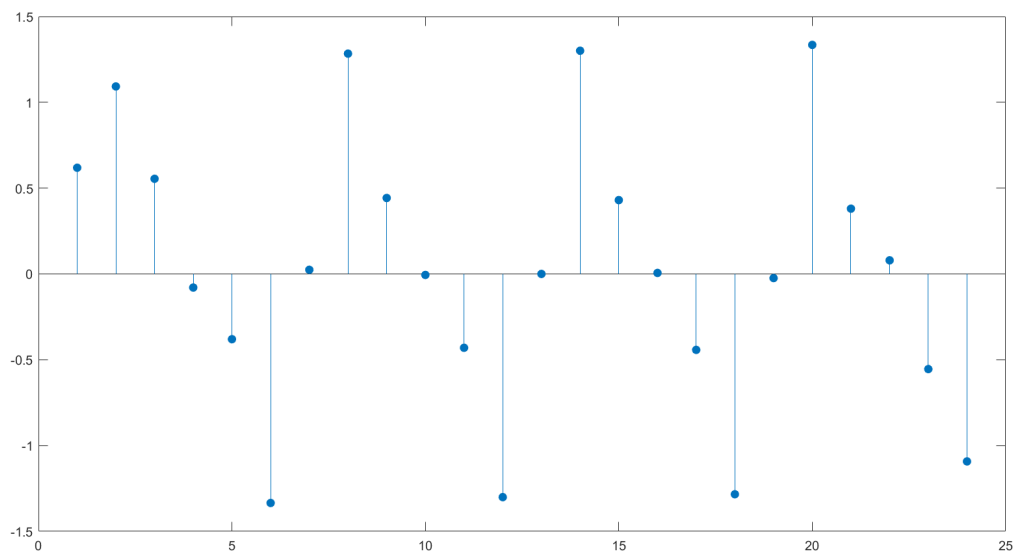
Average Error = 0.0124

5 $M = L = 4$

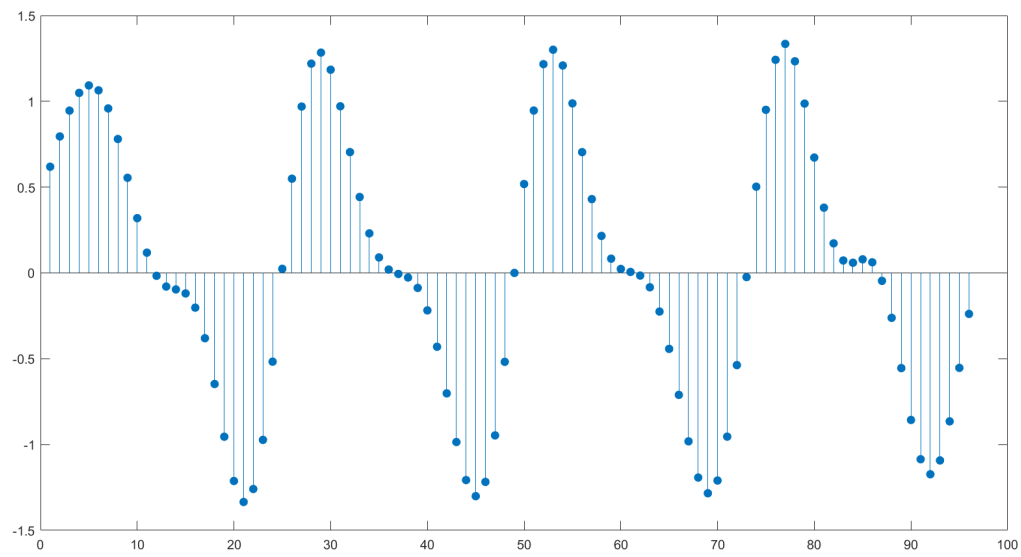
5.1 Input signal $x[n]$



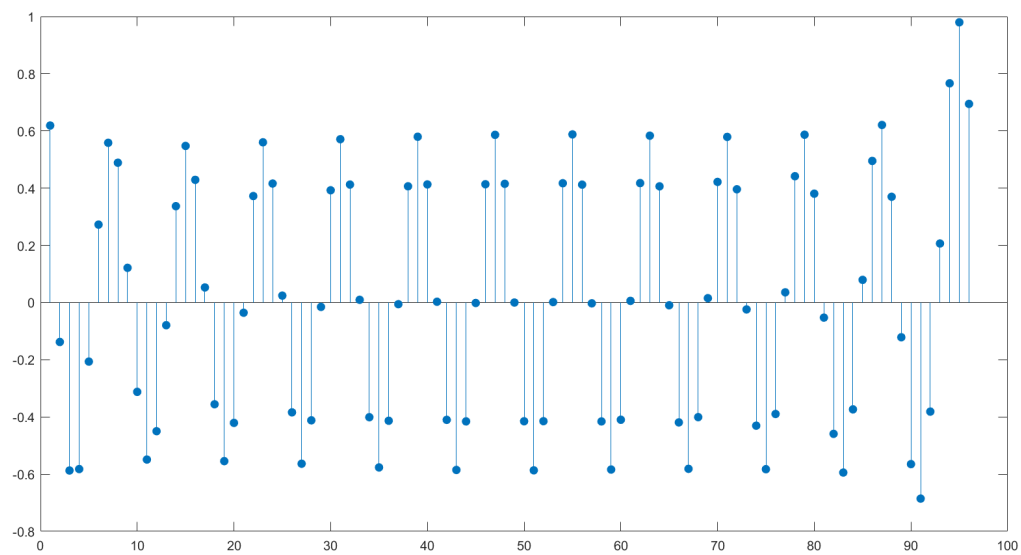
5.2 Decimated output $x_d[n]$



5.3 Interpolated output $y[n]$



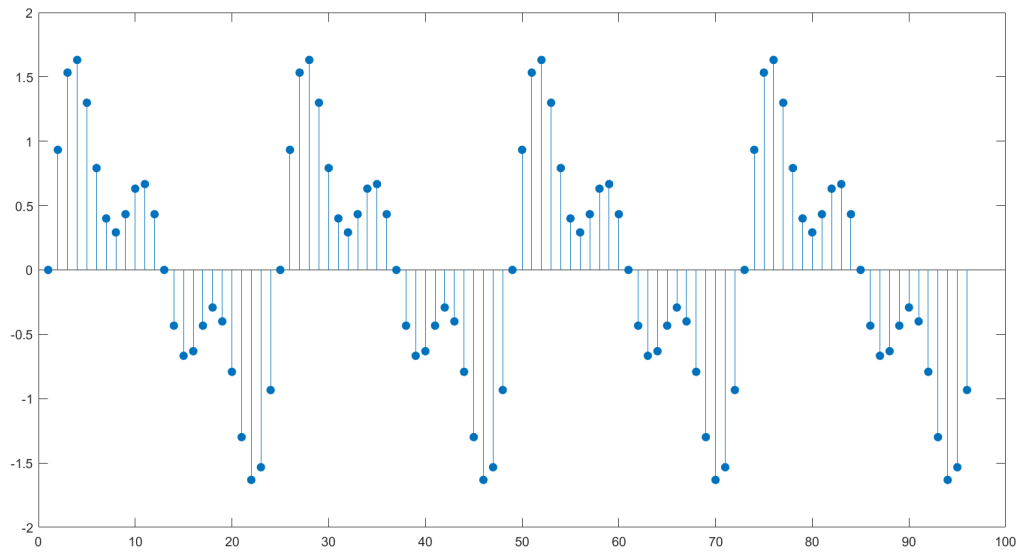
5.4 Error vector $e[n]$



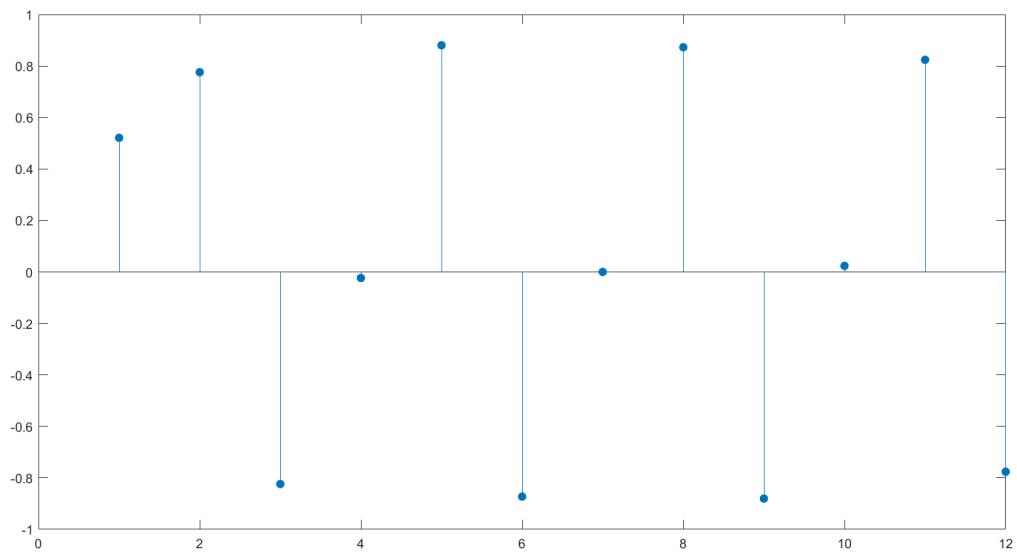
Average Error = 0.3777

6 $M = L = 8$

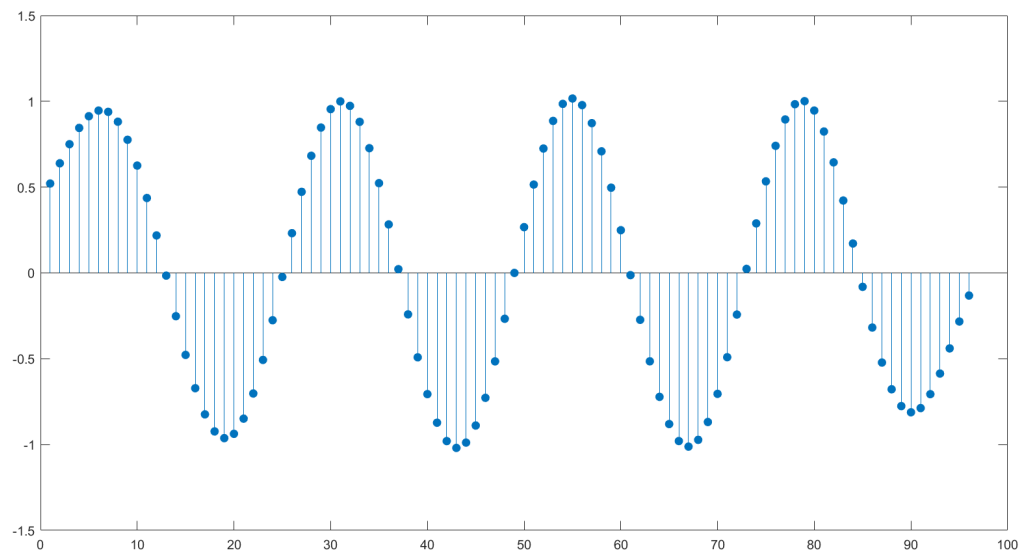
6.1 Input signal $x[n]$



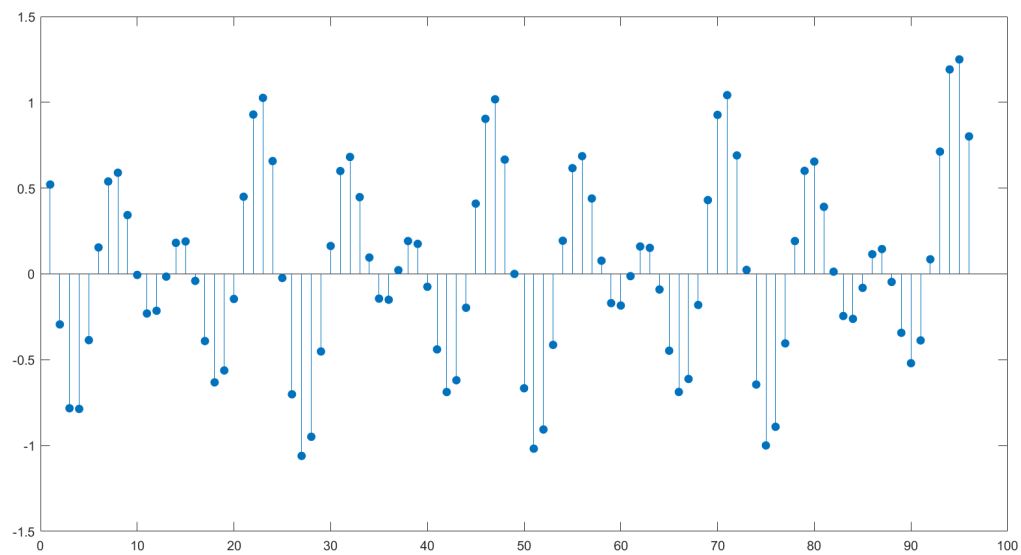
6.2 Decimated output $x_d[n]$



6.3 Interpolated output $y[n]$



6.4 Error vector $e[n]$



Average Error = 0.4452