

Unit-II

Z-transform

Inverse Z- transforms



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Inverse Z- transforms:

$$(1). Z^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{z-a} \right] = a^{n-1}$$

$$(2). Z^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{z+a} \right] = (-a)^{n-1}$$

$$(3). Z^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{(z-a)^2} \right] = (n-1) a^{n-2}$$

$$(4). Z^{-1} \left[\frac{1}{(z-a)^3} \right] = \frac{(n-1)(n-2)}{2} a^{n-3}$$

$$(5). Z^{-1} \left[\frac{z}{z-a} \right] = a^n$$

$$(6). Z^{-1} \left[\frac{z}{z+a} \right] = (-a)^n$$

$$(7). Z^{-1} \left[\frac{z^2}{(z-a)^2} \right] = (n+1) a^n$$

$$(8). Z^{-1} \left[\frac{z^3}{(z-a)^3} \right] = \frac{1}{2!} (n+1)(n+2) a^n$$

Evaluation of Inverse Z- transforms

1. Power series method: This is the simplest method to find the inverse Z-transform. If $U(z)$ is expressed as the ratio of two polynomials which cannot be factorized, we simply divide the numerator by the denominator and take the inverse Z-transform of each term in the quotient.

Example.1: Find the inverse Z-transform of $\log\left(\frac{z}{z+1}\right)$.

Solution:
$$U(z) = \log\left(\frac{z}{z+1}\right) = \log\left(\frac{z}{z(1+1/z)}\right) = \log\left(\frac{1}{(1+1/z)}\right)$$
$$= \log(1) - \log(1+1/z) = 0 - \left(\frac{1}{z} - \frac{1}{2z^2} + \frac{1}{3z^3} - \frac{1}{4z^4} + \dots\right)$$

$$U(z) = -\frac{1}{z} + \frac{1}{2z^2} - \frac{1}{3z^3} + \frac{1}{4z^4} - \dots$$

$$u_n = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{for } n = 0 \\ \frac{(-1)^n}{n}, & \text{for } n \neq 0 \end{cases}.$$

Example.2: Find the inverse Z-transform of $\frac{z}{(z+1)^2}$ by division method.

Solution.
$$U(z) = \frac{z}{z^2 + 2z + 1} = z^{-1} - \frac{2 + z^{-1}}{z^2 + 2z + 1}, \text{ by actual division}$$

$$= z^{-1} - 2z^{-2} + \frac{3z^{-1} + 2z^{-2}}{z^2 + 2z + 1} = z^{-1} - 2z^{-2} + 3z^{-3} - \frac{4z^{-2} + 3z^{-3}}{z^2 + 2z + 1}$$

Continuing this process of division, we get an infinite series i.e.,

$$U(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{n-1} n z^{-n}$$

Thus $u_n = (-1)^{n-1} n.$

2. Partial Fractions method: This is the similar to that of finding the inverse Laplace transforms using partial fractions. The method consists of decomposing $U(z)/z$ into partial fractions, multiplying the resulting expansion by z and then inverting the same.

Example.3: Find the inverse Z-transform of $\frac{2z^2 + 3z}{(z+2)(z-4)}$.

Solution: We write $U(z) = \frac{2z^2 + 3z}{(z+2)(z-4)}$

$$\frac{U(z)}{z} = \frac{2z+3}{(z+2)(z-4)} = \frac{A}{(z+2)} + \frac{B}{(z-4)} \dots\dots(1)$$

$$\text{For A: } A = \left[\frac{2z+3}{(z-4)} \right]_{z=-2} = \frac{2(-2)+3}{(-2-4)} = \frac{1}{6}$$

$$\text{For B: } B = \left[\frac{2z+3}{(z+2)} \right]_{z=4} = \frac{2(4)+3}{(4+2)} = \frac{11}{6}$$

Putting the values of A and B in equation (i), we get

$$\frac{U(z)}{z} = \frac{1}{6} \frac{1}{(z+2)} + \frac{11}{6} \frac{1}{(z-4)}$$

$$U(z) = \frac{1}{6} \frac{z}{(z+2)} + \frac{11}{6} \frac{z}{(z-4)}$$

On inverse Z-transform, we have

$$Z^{-1}[U(z)] = \frac{1}{6} Z^{-1} \left[\frac{z}{z+2} \right] + \frac{11}{6} Z^{-1} \left[\frac{z}{z-4} \right]$$

$$u_n = \frac{1}{6}(-2)^n + \frac{11}{6}(4)^n.$$

Example.4: Find the inverse Z-transform of $\frac{2(z^2 - 5z + 6.5)}{(z-2)(z-3)^2}$ for $2 < |z| < 3$.

Solution. Splitting into partial fractions, we obtain

$$U(z) = \frac{2(z^2 - 5z + 6.5)}{(z-2)(z-3)^2} = \frac{A}{z-2} + \frac{B}{z-3} + \frac{C}{(z-3)^2} \quad \text{where } A = B = C = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore U(z) &= \frac{1}{z-2} + \frac{1}{z-3} + \frac{1}{(z-3)^2} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left(1 - \frac{2}{z}\right)^{-1} - \frac{1}{3} \left(1 - \frac{z}{3}\right)^{-1} + \frac{1}{9} \left(1 - \frac{z}{3}\right)^{-2} \quad \text{so that } 2/z < 1 \text{ and } z/3 < 1 \\ &= \frac{1}{z} \left(1 + \frac{2}{z} + \frac{4}{z^2} + \frac{8}{z^3} + \dots\right) - \frac{1}{3} \left(1 + \frac{z}{3} + \frac{z^2}{9} + \frac{z^3}{27} + \dots\right) + \frac{1}{9} \left(1 + \frac{2z}{3} + \frac{3z^2}{9} + \frac{4z^3}{27} + \dots\right) \\ &\quad \text{where } 2 < |z| < 3. \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{z^2} + \frac{2^2}{z^3} + \frac{2^3}{z^4} + \dots \right) - \left(\frac{1}{3} + \frac{z}{3^2} + \frac{z^2}{3^3} + \frac{z^3}{3^4} + \dots \right) + \left(\frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{2z}{3^3} + \frac{3z^2}{3^4} + \frac{4z^3}{3^5} + \dots \right) \\
&= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2^{n-1} z^{-n} - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{3} \right)^{n+1} z^n + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (n+1) \left(\frac{1}{3} \right)^{n+2} z^n
\end{aligned}$$

On inversion, we get $u_n = 2^{n-1}, n \geq 1$ and $u_n = -(n+2)3^{n-2}, n \leq 0$.

3. Inversion integral method:

The inverse Z-transform of $U(z)$ is given, by the formula

$$u_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_c U(z) z^{n-1} dz$$

= sum of residue of $U(z) z^{n-1}$ at the poles of $U(z)$ which are inside the contour C drawn according to the ROC given.

Example.5: Using the inversion integral method, find the inverse Z-transform of $\frac{z}{(z-1)(z-2)}$.

Solution: Let $U(z) = \frac{z}{(z-1)(z-2)}$. Its poles are at $z = 1$ and $z = 2$.

Using $U(z)$ in the inversion integral, we have

$$u_n = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C U(z) z^{n-1} dz,$$

where C is a circle large enough to enclose both the poles of $U(z)$.

= sum of residues of $U(z) z^{n-1}$ at $z = 1$ and $z = 2$.

Now

$$\text{Res } [U(z) z^{n-1}]_{z=1} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \left\{ (z-1) \cdot \frac{z^n}{(z-1)(z-2)} \right\} = -1$$

and

$$\text{Res } [U(z) z^{n-1}]_{z=2} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 2} \left\{ (z-2) \cdot \frac{z^n}{(z-1)(z-2)} \right\} = 2^n$$

Thus the required inverse Z-transform $u_n = 2^n - 1, n = 0, 1, 2, \dots$

Example.6: Find the inverse Z-transform of $\frac{2z}{(z-1)(z^2+1)}$.

Solution: Let $U(z) = \frac{2z}{(z-1)(z^2+1)}$. It has three poles at $z = 1, i, -i$.

Using $U(z)$ in the inversion integral, we have

$$\begin{aligned} u_n &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_C U(z) \cdot z^{n-1} dz, \text{ where } C \text{ is a circle large enough to enclose the poles of } U(z). \\ &= \text{sum of residues of } U(z) \cdot z^{n-1} \text{ at } z = 1, z = \pm i. \end{aligned}$$

Now $\text{Res } [U(z) z^{n-1}]_{z=1} = \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} \left\{ (z-1) \frac{2z^n}{(z-1)(z^2+1)} \right\} = 1$

$$\text{Res } [U(z) z^{n-1}]_{z=i} = \lim_{z \rightarrow i} \left\{ (z-i) \frac{2z^n}{(z-1)(z+i)(z-i)} \right\} = \frac{-(i)^n}{1+i}$$

$$\text{Res } [U(z) z^{n-1}]_{z=-i} = \lim_{z \rightarrow -i} \left\{ (z+i) \frac{2z^n}{(z-1)(z+i)(z-i)} \right\} = \frac{(-i)^n}{i-1}$$

Hence
$$u_n = 1 - \frac{(i)^n}{1+i} - \frac{(-i)^n}{1-i}.$$

Questions?

Thank You!