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WAVELETS AND APPLICATIONS

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Time allowed: 3:00 hours

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There are FOUR questions on this paper.

Answer ALL questions.

All questions carry equal marks.

Any special instructions for invigilators and information for candidates are on page 1.

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Special Information for the Invigilators: NONE

Information for Candidates:

Sub-sampling by an integer N

$$x_{\downarrow N}[n] \longleftrightarrow \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X(e^{j(\omega-2\pi k)/N}) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X(W_N^k z^{1/N}),$$

where

$$W_N^k = e^{-j2\pi k/N}.$$

Dual Basis:

Given a basis $\{\varphi_i(t)\}_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$, the dual basis is given by the set of elements $\{\tilde{\varphi}_i(t)\}_{i \in \mathbb{Z}}$ satisfying:

$$\langle \varphi_i(t), \tilde{\varphi}_j(t) \rangle = \delta_{i,j}.$$

Poisson Summation Formula

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \varphi(t - nT) = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{\varphi}\left(\frac{2\pi k}{T}\right) e^{-j2\pi kt/T}$$

The Questions

1. Multirate Signal Processing

- (a) With reference to Fig. 1a, given an input $x[n]$, consider upsampling by 2 followed by interpolation with a filter $H(z)$. Then to recover the original signal, apply filtering with a filter $G(z)$ followed by downsampling by 2 in order to obtain a reconstruction $\hat{x}[n]$.

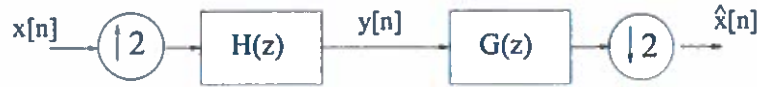


Figure 1a: Interpolation followed by decimation.

- i. What does the product $P(z) = H(z)G(z)$ have to satisfy in order for $\hat{x}[n]$ to be equal to $x[n]$? [5]
 - ii. Assume that $H(z) = (z^{-1} + 1)$. Find a 2-tap filter $G(z)$ such that perfect reconstruction is achieved. [5]
- (b) Consider the system in Fig. 1b. Prove that, if $G(z) = E_0(z^2) + z^{-1}E_1(z^2)$, then $Y(z) = E_0(z)X(z)$.



Figure 1b: A multirate system.

- (c) Consider the system in Fig. 1c where the output $y^{(1)}[n]$ is an interpolated version of the input sequence $x[n]$. We would like $y^{(1)}[2n] = x[n]$, while $y^{(1)}[2n + 1]$ is

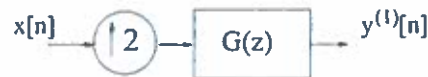


Figure 1c: Interpolation of $x[n]$.

interpolated.

- i. What conditions does that impose on $G(z)$? [5]
- ii. Design a 7-tap symmetric filter $g[n]$ that satisfies the conditions you have just derived. [5]

2. Consider the two-channel filter bank of Figure 2.

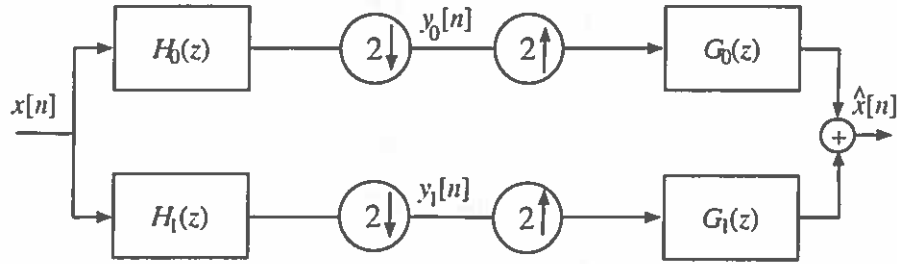


Figure 2: Two-channel filter bank.

- (a) Express $\hat{X}(z)$ as a function of $X(z)$ and the filters. Then derive the two perfect reconstruction (PR) conditions the filters have to satisfy. [5]
- (b) Consider $P(z) = H_0(z)G_0(z) = (z+2+z^{-1})(z^2-2z+3-2z^{-1}+z^{-2})/2$ and assume that $P(z)$ satisfies the half-band condition: $P(z) + P(-z) = 2$. Find the roots of $P(z)$, knowing that one root is $z_1 = 1/2 + j\sqrt{3}/2$. [Hint: Note that $P(z)$ is symmetric and has real-valued coefficients]. [7]
- (c) Given $P(z) = H_0(z)G_0(z)$ of part (b), design the filters $H_0(z), H_1(z), G_0(z), G_1(z)$ in order to have a perfect reconstruction orthogonal filter-bank. [7]
- (d) Using again $P(z)$ of part (b), design a biorthogonal perfect-reconstruction filter bank with symmetric $h_0[n]$ and $g_0[n]$. [6]

3. Consider the interval $t \in [-0.5, 0.5]$ and let

$$\varphi_1(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{for } t \in [-0.5, 0.5] \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

$$\varphi_2(t) = \begin{cases} t, & \text{for } t \in [-0.5, 0.5] \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

and

$$\varphi_3(t) = \begin{cases} t^2 - \frac{1}{12}, & \text{for } t \in [-0.5, 0.5] \\ 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Denote with $V = \text{span}(\{\varphi_1(t), \varphi_2(t), \varphi_3(t)\})$ the sub-space generated by $\varphi_i(t)$ with $i = 1, 2, 3$ over the interval $t \in [-0.5, 0.5]$.

Given a signal $x(t)$ defined for $t \in [-0.5, 0.5]$, the aim is to compute the orthogonal projection of $x(t)$ onto V . Recall that this is given by:

$$x_v(t) = \sum_{i=1}^3 \langle x(t), \tilde{\varphi}_i(t) \rangle \varphi_i(t)$$

where $\{\tilde{\varphi}_i(t)\}_{i=1}^3$ are the three dual-basis functions.

(a) Since $\tilde{\varphi}_i(t) \in V$ we can write $\tilde{\varphi}_i(t) = \sum_{k=1}^3 \alpha_{i,k} \varphi_k(t)$. Using this fact

i. Determine the three dual-basis functions $\tilde{\varphi}_i(t)$, $i = 1, 2, 3$. That is, find the coefficients $\alpha_{i,k}$, $i = 1, 2, 3$; $k = 1, 2, 3$. [5]

ii. Sketch and dimension $\tilde{\varphi}_i(t)$, $i = 1, 2, 3$. [5]

(b) Given the dual basis and the signal

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} \sin \pi t, & \text{for } t \in [-0.5, 0.5] \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

i. Compute the inner products $\langle x(t), \tilde{\varphi}_i(t) \rangle$, $i = 1, 2, 3$. [5]

ii. Sketch and dimension $x_v(t) = \sum_{i=1}^3 \langle x(t), \tilde{\varphi}_i(t) \rangle \varphi_i(t)$. [5]

iii. Verify that the error $e(t) = x(t) - x_v(t)$ is orthogonal to V . [5]

4. Consider an arbitrary real-valued function $\varphi(t)$ with Fourier transform $\hat{\varphi}(\omega)$.

(a) Show that the Fourier transform of the sequence $a[n] = \langle \varphi(t), \varphi(t - n) \rangle$ is:

$$A(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |\hat{\varphi}(\omega + 2\pi k)|^2. \quad [5]$$

(b) Using the Poisson summation formula, show that a function $\varphi(t)$ satisfies partition of unity:

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \varphi(t - k) = 1$$

when $\hat{\varphi}(2\pi n) = 1$ for $n = 0$ and $\hat{\varphi}(2\pi n) = 0$ for $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $n \neq 0$. [5]

(c) Assume now that $\hat{\varphi}(2\pi n) = 1$ for $n = 0$ and that $\hat{\varphi}^{(i)}(2\pi n) = 0$ for $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ and $n \neq 0$, where $\hat{\varphi}^{(i)}(\omega)$ indicates the i -th derivative of $\hat{\varphi}(\omega)$ and $i = 0, 1$. Show that, under the above assumptions, there exists coefficients c_k such that:

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k \varphi(t - k) = t.$$

Hint: use the Poisson summation formula and the fact that

$$\hat{\varphi}^{(1)}(\omega) = -j \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} t \varphi(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt. \quad [10]$$

(d) Show that the Fourier transform of the two-scale equation

$$\varphi(t) = \sqrt{2} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} g_0[n] \varphi(2t - n)$$

is:

$$\hat{\varphi}(\omega) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} G_0(e^{j\omega/2}) \hat{\varphi}(\omega/2). \quad [5]$$

