

# Lab 2 Assignment

YingTa Lin (ytl287)

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2015

## Assignment 4:

10. Describe how to design two second-order filters (with same resonant frequency  $f_1$ ) so that the rise-time and decay-time of the impulse response can be specified? (The two filters will have different pole radii.) Given an example of the design in Matlab and its real-time implementation in Python/PyAudio

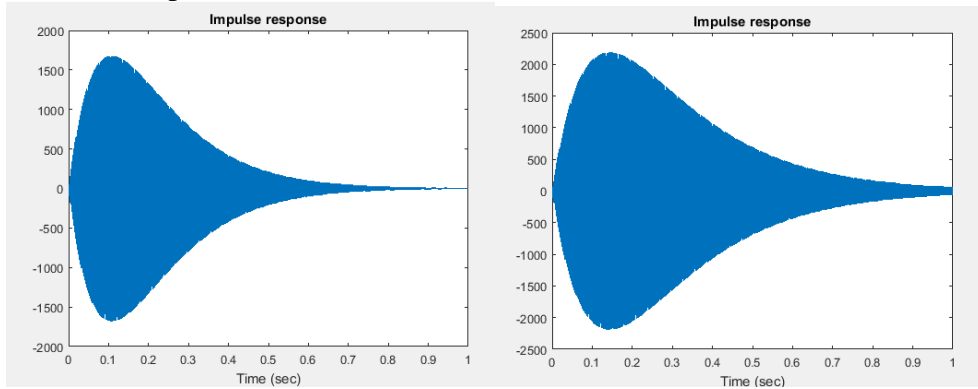
The system is two second order filter in cascade and radius is what influence the shape of envelope that generated according to the input. However, it is very hard to find the coefficient of the two system given which specified sample is its peak amplitude. So I think of it from another approach.

(1) Derive the rise time:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Let } h[n] &= \sum_{k=0}^n r_1^k r_2^{n-k} \\
 &= r_2^n + r_1 r_2^{n-1} + r_1^2 r_2^{n-2} + \dots + r_1^{n-1} r_2 + r_1^n \\
 \frac{r_2}{r_1} h[n] &= \frac{r_2^{n+1}}{r_1} + r_2^n + r_1 r_2^{n-1} + \dots + r_2 r_1^{n-1} \\
 \Rightarrow \frac{r_2}{r_1} h[n] - h[n] &= \frac{r_2^{n+1}}{r_1} - r_1^n \\
 \Rightarrow h[n] &= \frac{\frac{r_2^{n+1}}{r_1} - r_1^n}{\frac{r_2}{r_1} - 1} \\
 h[n] - h[n-1] &= \frac{\frac{r_2^{n+1}}{r_1} - r_1^n}{\frac{r_2}{r_1} - 1} - \frac{\frac{r_2^n}{r_1} - r_1^{n-1}}{\frac{r_2}{r_1} - 1} = 0 \\
 \frac{r_2^{n+1}}{r_1} - r_1^n - \frac{r_2^n}{r_1} + r_1^{n-1} &= 0 \rightarrow r_2^{n+1} - r_1^{n+1} - r_2^n + r_1^n = 0, r_1 \neq 0 \\
 \Rightarrow r_2^n (r_2 - 1) + r_1^n (1 - r_1) &= 0 \\
 r_2^n (1 - r_2) &= r_1^n (1 - r_1) \quad \dots \text{ get } \log! \\
 n \log r_2 + \log(1 - r_2) &= n \log r_1 + \log(1 - r_1) \\
 n(\log r_2 - \log r_1) &= -\log(1 - r_2) + \log(1 - r_1) \\
 n &= \frac{-\log(1 - r_2) + \log(1 - r_1)}{\log r_2 - \log r_1}
 \end{aligned}$$

From here we have the relationship formula  $n = \frac{\log\left(\frac{r_2 - r_1}{r_1 - 1}\right)}{\log\left(\frac{r_2}{r_1}\right)}$  where  $r_1$  and  $r_2$  are radius of the

first and second filter,  $n$  is the index of the sample which represent the maximum amplitude. For radius is derive from the  $T_a$  and  $T_b$  where I assign  $T_a = 0.4$ ,  $T_b = 0.9$  I have  $n = 1.013785738774196 * 10^3$ . It I divide  $n$  by sampling frequency  $F_s = 8000$ , I get  $0.1267$  (sec) which is the peak located.



(2) Falling time:

The falling time is influence by the  $T_a$  and  $T_b$  directly, when  $T_a$  and  $T_b$  are 0.5, the decay duration is specified by 0.5. It is calculated from the peak to the point that amplitude is smaller than 1% of the peak amplitude.