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Experiment Name: Study of Linear convolution and implementation by MATLAB code.

Theory:

In the case of the two finite duration sequences $x(n)$ and $h(n)$, $x(n)$ has a duration of n_1 samples in the range $0 \leq n \leq (n_1 - 1)$. The duration of $h(n)$ is n_2 samples, meaning that it is non-zero only between $0 \leq n \leq (n_2 - 1)$ samples. The sequence $y(n)$, defined as follows, is produced by the linear or periodic convolution of $x(n)$ and $h(n)$. It is obvious that $y(n)$ is a finite length series of samples of duration $(n_1 + n_2 - 1)$. The procedures listed below can be used to get the convolution sum of two sequences:

Step 1: Choosing an initial value for n , the moment at which the output sequence $y(n)$ will be evaluated. $N = n_1 + n_2 - 1$ is a suitable choice if $x(n)$ starts at $n=n_1$ and $h(n)$ starts at $n=n_2$.

Step 2: Putting both sequences in terms of the index m in step two.

Step 3: To produce $h(-m)$, fold $h(m)$ about $m=0$ and shift $h(n-m)$ by n to the right if n is positive or to the left if n is negative.

Step 4: Add the results of multiplying two sequences, $x(n-m)$ and $h(m)$, element by element to obtain $y(n)$.

Step5: Repeat steps 3 and 4 while increasing the index n and shifting the sequence $x(n-m)$ to the right by one sample.

Step6: Repetition of step 5 until the products' total equals to zero.

Required Software: Matlab

Required Language: Matlab

Necessary Code:

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clc;

clear all;

x=[1,2];

h=[1,2,4];

m=length(x);

m1=length(h);

subplot(2,2,1);
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stem(x);

xlabel('n values');

ylabel('Amplitude');

title(' x(n) ');

subplot(2,2,2);

stem(h);

xlabel('n values');

ylabel('Amplitude');

title(' h(n) ');


X=[x,zeros(1,m)];

H=[h,zeros(1,m1)];

for i=1:(m1+m-1)

    y(i)=0;

    for j=1:m

        if(i-j+1)>0

            y(i)=y(i)+X(j)*H(i-j+1);

        end

    end

end

subplot(2,2,3);

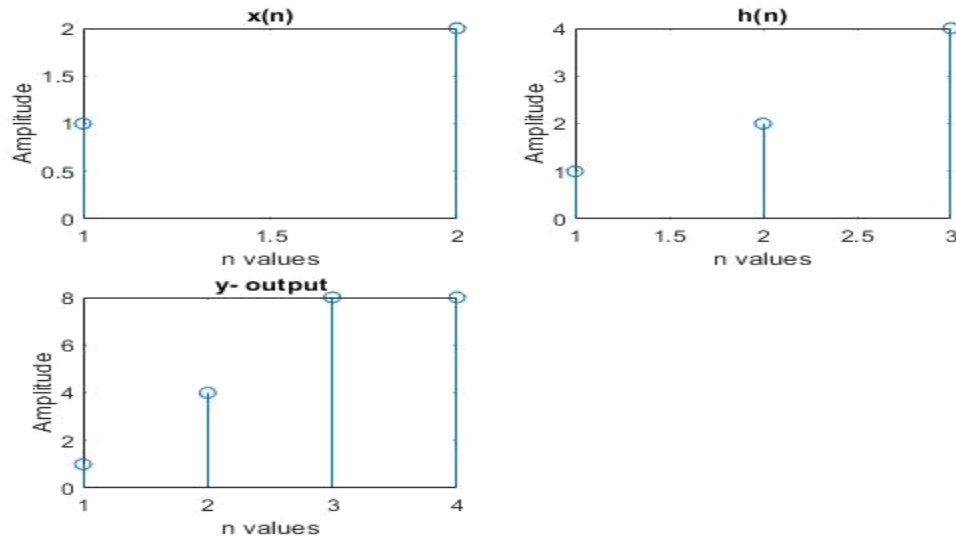
stem(y);

xlabel('n values');

ylabel('Amplitude');

title(' y- output ');

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Discussion: Implementing convolution of two discrete signals was the problem at hand. Convolution's built-in function, `conv()`, was used in the beginning, and then it was implemented using mathematical logic rather than any built-in function. While using the arrays, some issues were found. Since all array indexes in Matlab begin with index 1, rather than zero or a negative value, all indexes whose index started with 0 were increased by one. A method called `zeros()` was used as padding since the size of each array did not meet the number of iterations and, as a result, was not equal to the total number of iterations.

Conclusion: All the programs ran successfully and we got our desired output.