
Project Report for ECE 351

Lab 11: Z - Transform Operations

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1 Introduction

The purpose of this lab is analyze discrete systems using Python's build -in-functions and a function developed by Christopher Felton.

2 Methodology

2.1 Part 1

The first task that began with solving for the transfer function of the $y[k]$ and to begin to do so we need to take the z-transform of it and then solve for $Y[Z]/X[Z]$ which is output over input but in the z-domain. This way we can get the transfer function. Then we can take the inverse transform and go back to $h[k]$ and using partial fraction find the coefficients.

$$Y(k) = 2x[k] - 40x[k - 1] + 10y[k - 1] - 16[k - 2]$$

I then take $y[k]$ function to the z domain, $Y[Z]$.

$$Y(Z) = 2X[Z] - 40Z^{-1}X[Z] + 10Y[Z]Z^{-1} - 16Z^{-2}Y[Z]$$

Doing algebra and rearranging for $Y[Z]/X[Z]$ or the transfer function I obtain.

$$H[Z] = \frac{Y[Z]}{X[Z]} = \frac{3Z^2 - 40Z}{Z^2 - 10Z + 16}$$

Now to find $h[k]$ by partial fraction expansion I factor out a Z from the numerator and factor everything that could be factor.

$$\frac{H[Z]}{Z} = \frac{2(z - 20)}{(Z - 8)(Z - 2)} = \frac{A}{Z - 8} + \frac{B}{Z - 2}$$

Doing algebra once again I obtained A=-4, and B =6. Plugging them back in I obtained the following H(Z).

$$\frac{H[Z]}{Z} = \frac{-4}{Z - 8} + \frac{6}{Z - 2}$$

Lastly taking the inverse of the z transform to obtain $h[k]$ I get this function:

$$h[k] = (-4 * 8^k + 6 * 2^k) * u[k]$$

To find the explicitly algebra and steps I have attached a by hand solution that show the steps taken more in detail to obtain the following functions. They are under the result section of this lab report.

Moving onto task 3 of the lab it was to verify our partial fraction expansion with `scipy.signal.residuez()` below is the code done to do so.

```
33  a=[2,-40]
34  b=[1,-10,16]
35
36
37  rout, pout,kout= sig.residue(a,b)
38
39
40  print (' this is the Root solutions to the Long DEQ')
41  print(rout)
42  print (' this is the Poles solutions to the Long DEQ')
43  print(pout)
44  # for i in range (len(apout)):
45  #     print( apout[i])
46  print (' this is the K (residue of a given term) solutions to the Long DEQ')
47  print(kout)
1 48
```

Figure 1: Code for verifying the poles, roots, and k values of the transfer function

As can be seen making an array of the coefficients only and using `sig.residue` to verify was straightforward since we have done so in other previous labs. The verification numbers can be seen in the result section of this lab report. Task 5 was to use the function `zplane()` given to verify our partial fraction expansion that was done. Since the `zplane()` function was given all we needed to do was call it and have three letters that would take the return of `Zplane()` and then print those outputs. Again a very similar approach to the previous task since we are verifying the pole-zero plot the verification is under the result section along with the `zplot` graphs.

```

75  def zplane(b,a,filename=None):
76      """Plot the complex z-plane given a transfer function.
77      """
78      import numpy as np
79      import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
80      from matplotlib import patches
81      # get a figure/plot
82      ax = plt.subplot(111)
83      # create the unit circle
84      uc = patches.Circle((0,0), radius=1, fill=False,
85      color='black', ls='dashed')
86      ax.add_patch(uc)
87      # The coefficients are less than 1, normalize the coefficients
88      if np.max(b) > 1:
89          kn = np.max(b)
90          b = np.array(b)/float(kn)
91      else:
92          kn = 1
93      if np.max(a) > 1:
94          kd = np.max(a)
95          a = np.array(a)/float(kd)
96      else:
97          kd = 1
98      # Get the poles and zeros
99      p = np.roots(a)
100     z = np.roots(b)
101     k = kn/float(kd)
102     # Plot the zeros and set marker properties
103     t1 = plt.plot(z.real, z.imag, 'o', ms=10, label='Zeros')
104     plt.setp( t1, markersize=10.0, markeredgewidth=1.0)
105     # Plot the poles and set marker properties
106     t2 = plt.plot(p.real, p.imag, 'x', ms=10, label='Poles')
107     plt.setp( t2, markersize=12.0, markeredgewidth=3.0)
108     ax.spines['left'].set_position('center')
109     ax.spines['bottom'].set_position('center')
110     ax.spines['right'].set_visible(False)
111     ax.spines['top'].set_visible(False)
112     plt.legend()
113     # set the ticks
114     # r = 1.5; plt.axis('scaled'); plt.axis([-r, r, -r, r])
115     # ticks = [-1, -.5, .5, 1]; plt.xticks(ticks); plt.yticks(ticks)
116     if filename is None:
117         plt.show()
118     else:
119         plt.savefig(filename)
120     return z, p, k
121
122     az=[2,-40,0]
123     bz=[1,-10,16]
124     Z,P,K=zplane(az, bz)
125     print (' this is the Root solutions to the Long DEQ in z plane')
126     print(Z)
127     print (' this is the Poles solutions to the Long DEQ in z plane')
128     print(P)
129     # for i in range (len(apout)):
130     #     print( apout[i])
131     print (' this is the K (residue of a given term) solutions to the Long DEQ in z plane')
132     print(K)

```

Figure 2: Code for verifying the poles, roots, and k values of the transfer function using the `zplane()` function

Laslty we needed to use `scipy.signal.freqz()` to plot the magnitude and phase response of $H(Z)$.

```

134
135 # Use scipy.signal.freqz() to plot the magnitude and phase responses of H(z). Note:
136 # You must set whole = True within the scipy.signal.freqz() command. (See function
137 # documentation for details).
138 wfreq, mag = sig.freqz(az, bz, whole = True)
139
140 #wfreq= radians
141 wfreqnew=wfreq/2*np.pi
142 magnitude=20*np.log10(abs(mag))
143 plt . figure ( figsize = (6 , 2) )
144 plt . plot (wfreqnew, magnitude )
145 plt . ylabel ('Y output dB')
146 plt . xlabel ('w rads/second')
147 plt . title ('magnitude of transfer function task 4 ')
148 plt . grid ()
149
150
151 angle=np.angle(mag)*180/(np.pi)
152 # magnitude=20*np.log10(abs(angle))
153 plt . figure ( figsize = (6 , 2) )
154 plt . plot (wfreqnew, angle )
155 plt . ylabel ('phase otput')
156 plt . xlabel ('w rads/second')
157 plt . title ('phase of transfer function task 5 ')
158 plt . grid ()
159
160
1

```

Figure 3: Code for using `scipy.signal.freqz()`

Here the in house function returns the frequency in radians per second and the magnitude complex. transforming it to a frequency of Hz because this is America, and dB scale of magnitude we obtain the following graphs in the result section.

3 Results

3.1 Part 1

```

this is the Root solutions to the long DEQ
[ 6. -4.]
this is the Poles solutions to the long DEQ
[2. 8.]
this is the K (residue of a given term) solutions to the long DEQ
[]
1

```

Figure 4: Verifying the partial fraction coefficients

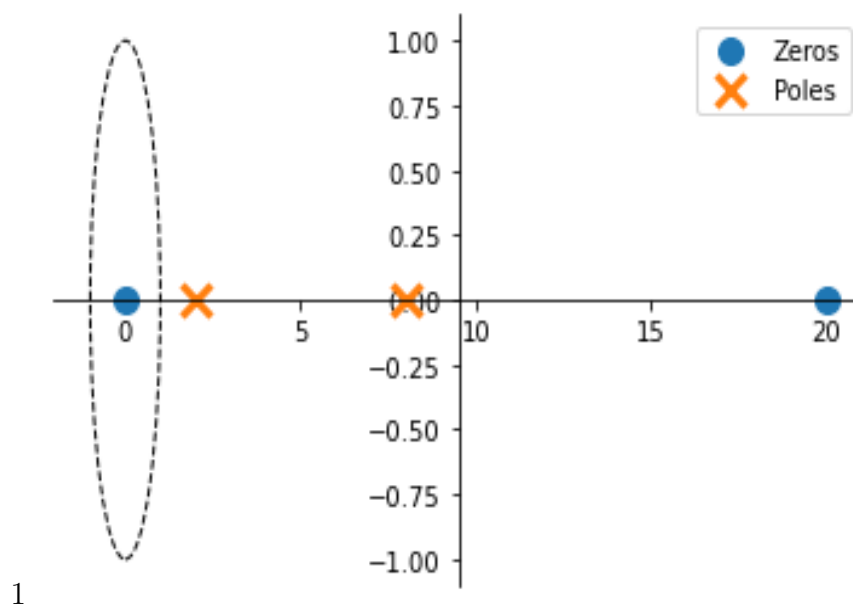


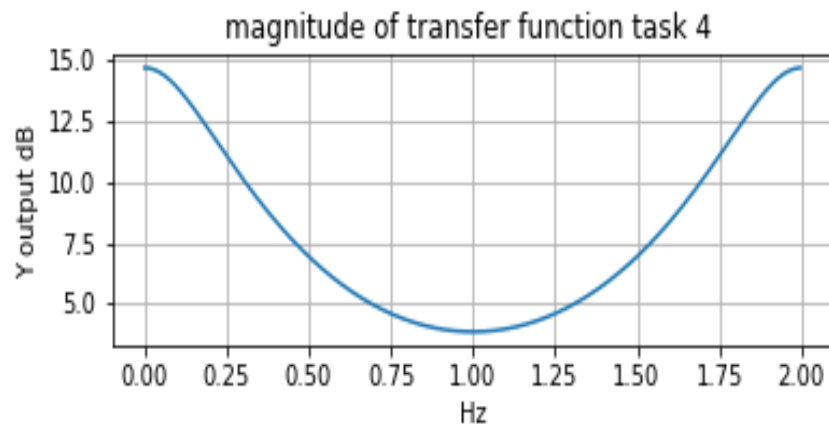
Figure 5: pole-zero plot for $H(z)$

```

this is the Root solutions to the long DEQ in z plane
[20. 0.]
this is the Poles solutions to the long DEQ in z plane
[8. 2.]
this is the K (residue of a given term) solutions to the long DEQ in z plane
0.125
1

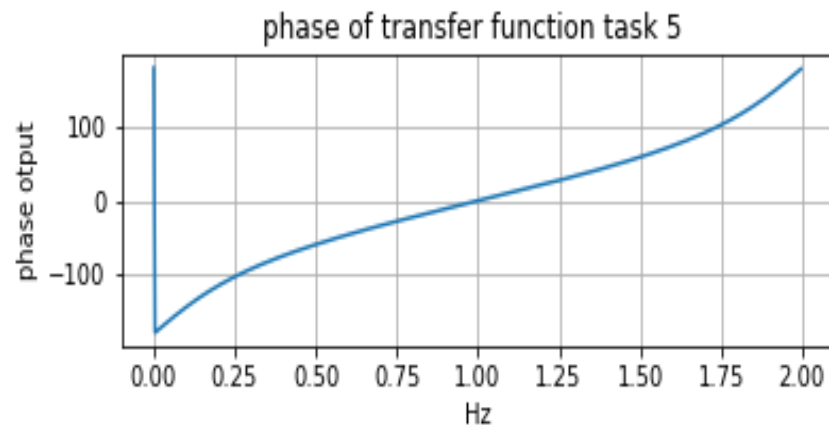
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Figure 6: Actual zero confirmations of $H(z)$



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Figure 7: magnitude vs HZ



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Figure 8: phase vs HZ

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$$\begin{aligned}
 & \underline{C_{ab11}} \\
 & y[k] = 2x[k] - 40x[k-1] + 10y[k-1] - 16y[k-2] \\
 & y[z] = 2x[z] - 40z^{-1}x[z] + 10y[z] - 16z^{-2}y[z] \\
 & y(z) = y(z) - 10y(z)z^{-1} + 16z^{-2}y(z) = 2x(z) - 40z^{-1}x(z) \\
 & y(z) \left[1 - 10z^{-1} + 16z^{-2} \right] = x(z) [2 - 40z^{-1}] \\
 & \frac{y(z)}{x(z)} = \frac{2 - 40z^{-1}}{1 - 10z^{-1} + 16z^{-2}} = \frac{2z^2 - 40z}{z^2 - 10z + 16} \\
 & \frac{H(z)}{z} = \frac{2(z-20)}{(z-8)(z-2)} = \frac{A}{z-8} + \frac{B}{z-2} \\
 & \frac{2(z-20)}{z-2} \Big|_{z=8} = A = -4 \quad \frac{2(z-20)}{(z-8)} \Big|_{z=2} = B = 6 \\
 & H(z) = \frac{-4z}{z-8} + \frac{26}{z-2} \\
 & y[k] = \left[-48^k + 62^k \right] u[k]
 \end{aligned}$$

Figure 9: Derivation of z transforms task 1-2

4 Questions

1. Looking at the plot generated in Task 4, is $H(z)$ stable? Explain why or why not.

It is not stable because there is a zero in the positive side of the graph.

2. Leave any feedback on the clarity of lab tasks, expectations, and deliverables.
It was straightforward I think.