Chapter 8

Digital Filter Structures

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8.1 Block Diagram Representation

• The computational algorithm of an LTI digital filter can be conveniently represented in block diagram form using the basic building blocks shown below



8.1 Block Diagram Representation

• To illustrate what we mean by a computational algorithm, consider the causal first-order LTI digital filter shown below



 $y(n) = -d_1 y(n-1) + p_0 x(n) + p_1 x(n-1)$

8.1 Block Diagram Representation





•Noncanonic: two delays to realize a first-order difference equation

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8.3 Basic FIR Digital Filter Structures

- Direct Form
- Cascade Form
- Linear-phase Structure



- A causal FIR filter of order N-1 is characterized by a transfer function H(z)given by $H(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} h(k) z^{-k}$ which is a polynomial in z^{-1}
- In the time-domain the input-output relation of the above FIR filter is given by

$$y(n) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} h(k) x(n-k)$$



• A direct form realization of an FIR filter can be readily developed from the convolution sum description as indicated below for N=5





• An analysis of this structure yields

y(n) = h(0)x(n) + h(1)x(n-1) + h(2)x(n-2)

+h(3)x(n-3)+h(4)x(n-4)

which is precisely of the form of the convolution sum description





FIR 滤波器的横截型结构

直接型的转置:



• The direct form structure shown on the previous slide is also known as a tapped delay line or a transversal filter.



横截型的转置结构



- A higher-order FIR transfer function can also be realized as a cascade of second order FIR sections and possibly a first-order section
- To this end we express H(z) as $H(z) = h(0) \prod_{k=1}^{K} \left(1 + \beta_{1k} z^{-1} + \beta_{2k} z^{-2}\right)$ where k = N/2 if N is even, and k = (N+1)/2if N is odd, with $\beta_{2k} = 0$



• A cascade realization for N = 6 is shown below





- Linear-phase FIR filter of order N is characterized by the symmetric impulse response h[n]=h[N-n]
- An antisymmetric impulse response condition h[n]= -h[N-n]

results in a constant group delay and "almost linear-phase" property

• Symmetry of the impulse response coefficients can be used to reduce the number of multiplications



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• Length M is odd (M=7) Order N=M-1

$$H(z) = h(0) + h(1)z^{-1} + h(2)z^{-2} + h(3)z^{-3}$$
$$+h(2)z^{-4} + h(1)z^{-5} + h(0)z^{-6}$$
$$= h(0)(1 + z^{-6}) + h(1)(z^{-1} + z^{-5})$$
$$+h(2)(z^{-2} + z^{-4}) + h(3)z^{-3}$$



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• Length M is even (M=8) Order N=M-1

 $H(z) = h(0) + h(1)z^{-1} + h(2)z^{-2} + h(3)z^{-3}$ +h(3)z^{-4} + h(2)z^{-5} + h(1)z^{-6} + h(0)z^{-7} = h(0)(1 + z^{-7}) + h(1)(z^{-1} + z^{-6}) +h(2)(z^{-2} + z^{-5}) + h(3)(z^{-3} + z^{-4})





3、线性相位型



Type 1 and 3



(N/2+1) 乘法器

直接型(N+1)个乘法器

Type 2 and 4



(N+1)/2乘法器

- Direct Form
- Cascade Form
- Parallel Form





- The causal IIR digital filters we are concerned with in this course are characterized by a real rational transfer function of or, equivalently by a constant coefficient difference equation.
- From the difference equation representation, it can be seen that the realization of the causal IIR digital filters requires some form of feedback.



- Direct forms -- Coefficients are directly the transfer function coefficients
- Consider for simplicity a 3rd-order IIR filter with a transfer function (assuming $d_0 = 1$) $H(z) = \frac{P(z)}{P(z)} = \frac{p_0 + p_1 z^{-1} + p_2 z^{-2} + p_3 z^{-3}}{P(z)^2 + p_1 z^{-1} + p_2 z^{-2} + p_3 z^{-3}}$

$$(z) = \frac{\langle z \rangle}{D(z)} = \frac{10^{-11}}{1 + d_1 z^{-1} + d_2 z^{-2} + d_3 z^{-3}}$$

• We can implement *H*(*z*) as a cascade of two filter sections as shown below

$$X(z) \longrightarrow H_1(z) \longrightarrow W(z) \longrightarrow H_2(z) \longrightarrow Y(z)$$



- where $H_1(z) = P(z) = p_0 + p_1 z^{-1} + p_2 z^{-2} + p_3 z^{-3}$ $H_2(z) = 1/D(z)$
- The filter section $H_1(z)$ can be seen to be an FIR filter and can be realized as shown below

$$x(n) \xrightarrow{p_0} w(n)$$

$$z^{-1} p_1$$

$$z^{-1} p_2$$

$$z^{-1} p_3$$

- The time-domain representation of $H_2(z)$ is given by

 $y(n) = w(n) - d_1 y(n-1) - d_2 y(n-2) - d_3 y(n-3)$

• Realization of $H_2(z)$ follows from the above equation and is shown below





 Considering the basic cascade realization results in *Direct form* I:





 Changing the order of blocks in cascade results in *Direct form* II :





 Sharing of all delays reduces the total number of delays to 3 resulting in a canonic realization shown below along with its transpose structure.





- By expressing the numerator and the denominator polynomials of the transfer function as a product of polynomials of lower degree, a digital filter can be realized as a cascade of low-order filter sections
- Consider, for example, H(z)=P(z)/D(z) expressed as

$$H(z) = \frac{P(z)}{D(z)} = \frac{P_1(z)P_2(z)P_3(z)}{D_1(z)D_2(z)D_3(z)}$$



• Examples of cascade realizations obtained by different pole-zero pairings are shown below





• There are altogether a total of 36 $(P_3^2 \cdot P_3^2)$ different cascade realizations of

$$H(z) = \frac{P(z)}{D(z)} = \frac{P_1(z)P_2(z)P_3(z)}{D_1(z)D_2(z)D_3(z)}$$

based on pole-zero-pairings and ordering

• Due to finite wordlength effects, each such cascade realization behaves differently from Others









Usually, the polynomials are factored into a product of 1st-order and 2nd-order polynomials:

$$H(z) = p_0 \prod_{k} \left(\frac{1 + \beta_{1k} z^{-1} + \beta_{2k} z^{-2}}{1 + \alpha_{1k} z^{-1} + \alpha_{2k} z^{-2}} \right)$$

for a first-order factor $\alpha_{2k} = \beta_{2k} = 0$



 Realizing complex conjugate poles and zeros with second order blocks results in real coefficients

Example

• Third order transfer function

$$H(z) = \frac{P(z)}{D(z)} = p_0 \left(\frac{1 + \beta_{11} z^{-1}}{1 + \alpha_{11} z^{-1}}\right) \left(\frac{1 + \beta_{12} z^{-1} + \beta_{22} z^{-2}}{1 + \alpha_{12} z^{-1} + \alpha_{22} z^{-2}}\right)$$



• One possible realization is shown below





 Parallel realizations are obtained by making use of the partial fraction expansion of the transfer function

Parallel form I: $H(z) = \gamma_{0} + \sum_{k} \left(\frac{\gamma_{0k} + \gamma_{1k} z^{-1}}{1 + \alpha_{1k} z^{-1} + \alpha_{2k} z^{-2}} \right)$ Parallel form II: $H(z) = \delta_{0} + \sum_{k} \left(\frac{\delta_{1k} z^{-1} + \delta_{2k} z^{-2}}{1 + \alpha_{1k} z^{-1} + \alpha_{2k} z^{-2}} \right)$



• The two basic parallel realizations of a 3rd order IIR transfer function are shown below



Parallel Form I

Parallel Form II



• General structure:



 Easy to realize: No choices in section ordering and No choices in pole and zero pairing



<u>Example</u>

• A partial-fraction expansion of $H(z) = \frac{0.44 + 0.362z^{-2} + 0.002z^{-3}}{1 + 0.4z^{-1} + 0.18z^{-2} - 0.2z^{-3}}$ in z^{-1} yields $H(z) = -0.1 + \frac{0.6}{1 - 0.4z^{-1}} + \frac{-0.5 - 0.2z^{-1}}{1 + 0.8z^{-1} + 0.5z^{-2}}$ • Likewise, a partial-fraction expansion of H(z)in z yields $0.24z^{-1}$ $0.2z^{-1} + 0.25z^{-2}$ H(z)

$$) = \frac{1}{1 - 0.4z^{-1}} + \frac{1}{1 + 0.8z^{-1}} + 0.5z^{-2}$$



• Their realizations are shown below





Parallel Form I

Parallel Form II

IIR滤波器结构比较

- 哪种结构对系数的量化效应最不敏感?
- 哪种结构运算效率最高?
- 直接|型与直接||型的优缺点比较。

Homework



- Problems:8.13, 8.24(a), 8.28
- Matlab Exercises: M8.2