

Solved examples on topics presented in Lecture 5

Aliasing in DTFT spectrum: See also the corresponding Matlab script

- Compare, for sampling frequency $f_s = 100$ Hz, a spectrum of two harmonic functions: $x(t) = \cos(2\pi 30t)$ (no aliasing) and $x(t) = \cos(2\pi 70t)$ (the sampling theorem does not hold, aliasing).

Down-sampling, decimation: See the corresponding Matlab script

Up-sampling, interpolation: See the corresponding Matlab script

Interpolation, speech signal: See the corresponding Matlab script

DFT implementation: See also the corresponding Matlab script

- Create a function to compute DFT by definition formula. Compare its output with Matlab function `fft()`.

DFT computation and properties of the DFT spectrum:

- Compute DFT of a signal given by

$$x[n] = 0.5\delta[n] + 1.5\delta[n-1] + 2.5\delta[n-3]. \quad (1)$$

- When nothing else is specified, the DFT should be computed using the whole *duration* of the signal, in our case $N = 4, n = 0 \dots 3$. The DFT output (for frequency indices $k = 0 \dots 3$) is obtained by substitution in the definition formula, i.e.,:

$$X[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] e^{-j2\pi nk/N}, \quad 0 \leq k \leq N-1$$

$$X[0] = \sum_{n=0}^3 x[n] e^{-j2\pi n0/4}$$

$$X[0] = 0.5 \cdot e^0 + 1.5 \cdot e^0 + 2.5 \cdot e^0 = 4.5$$

$$X[1] = \sum_{n=0}^3 x[n] e^{-j2\pi n1/4}$$

$$X[1] = 0.5 \cdot e^{-j2\pi 0 \cdot 1/4} + 1.5 \cdot e^{-j2\pi 1 \cdot 1/4} + 2.5 \cdot e^{-j2\pi 3 \cdot 1/4} = 0.5 + 1.5(-j) + 2.5(+j) = 0.5 + j$$

$$X[2] = \sum_{n=0}^3 x[n] e^{-j2\pi n2/4}$$

$$X[2] = 0.5 \cdot e^{-j2\pi 0 \cdot 2/4} + 1.5 \cdot e^{-j2\pi 1 \cdot 2/4} + 2.5 \cdot e^{-j2\pi 3 \cdot 2/4} = 0.5 + 1.5(-1) + 2.5(-1) = -3.5$$

$$X[3] = \sum_{n=0}^3 x[n] e^{-j2\pi n3/4}$$

$$X[3] = 0.5 \cdot e^{-j2\pi 0 \cdot 3/4} + 1.5 \cdot e^{-j2\pi 1 \cdot 3/4} + 2.5 \cdot e^{-j2\pi 3 \cdot 3/4} = 0.5 + 1.5(+j) + 2.5(-j) = 0.5 - j$$

- Using the formula for spectral resolution, the samples with indices $k \in \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$ correspond to frequencies $\omega_k \in \{0, \frac{\pi}{2}, \pi, \frac{3\pi}{2}\}$ according to

$$\omega_k = \frac{2\pi k}{N} = \frac{\pi k}{2}, \quad k = 0 \dots 3. \quad (2)$$

- Substitution of negative indices $k \in \{-4, -3, -2, -1\}$, results into negative frequencies $\omega_k \in \{-2\pi, -\frac{3\pi}{2}, -\pi, -\frac{\pi}{2}\}$.
- DFT is a sampled variant of DTFT, it preserves its properties concerning the symmetry (for real-valued input sequences) and periodicity. DTFT has even real part and odd imaginary part (even magnitude and odd phase) and it is periodical with period 2π . DFT has even real part and odd imaginary part and it is periodical with period N (which corresponds according to (2) to $\omega_N = 2\pi$, see Lecture 6 for details).
- In our case, when $N = 4$, then $X[0] = X[-4] = X[4]$, $X[1] = X^*[-1] = X^*[3]$ a $X[2] = X[-2] = X[6]$, where $(\cdot)^*$ is complex conjugation. Elements $X[0]$ and $X[N/2]$ are always real-valued.
- **Matlab:** The computation can be verified using Matlab via command `fft(x,N)` (fft - Fast Fourier transform), where `x` is the input sequence and `N` is the considered length of the input/output.
- When plotting the magnitude spectrum, the following commands should be used:


```
x = [0.5 1.5 0 2.5];
N = length(x);
k = 0:(N-1);
X = fft(x,N);
stem(k,abs(X));
```
- On the independent variable axis can also be the digital frequency ω or analog frequency f , when the sampling frequency f_s is known. In our case, considering sampling frequency 16 kHz


```
w = (0:(N-1))/N*(2*pi);
stem(w,abs(X));
f_s = 16000;
f = (0:(N-1))/N*(f_s);
stem(f,abs(X));
```
- Note that DFT is usually evaluated in the interval $k = 0 \dots N - 1$ for $\omega \in [0, 2\pi)$. In contrast, DTFT is usually plotted in the interval $\omega \in [-\pi, \pi)$. However, due to periodicity and symmetry, both intervals contain the same information and important is only half of the interval $k = 0 \dots N/2$, $\omega \in [0, \pi)$, that is $f \in [0, f_s/2)$.