# **ASSIGNMENT 02: LINEAR AND CIRCULAR CONVOLUTION**

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### 1. PROBLEM 1(LINEAR CONVOLUTION)

The sampled version of the following signal is created:

$$x(t) = \sin(2\pi f t) + 0.8\eta\tag{1}$$

for  $t\in[0,1]$  with sampling frequency  $f_s=\frac{1}{T}=200Hz$  given f=20Hz and  $\eta\in\mathcal{N}(\eta;\mu=0,\sigma^2=0)$  is the noise. The filter is given by:

$$h[n] = \frac{1}{3}(\delta[n] + \delta[n-1] + \delta[n-2])$$
 (2)

We are required to compute : y[n] = (x \* h)[n]

The above signal y[n] is the linear convolution of x[n] and h[n] Linear Convolution has been implement in three ways as given in the following subsections.

#### 1.1. Brute Force

This is the brute force method of computing linear convolution between two discrete signals which utilizes the following formula:

$$y[n] = \sum_{k} x[k]h[n-k] \tag{3}$$

#### 1.2. Toeplitz matrix

Linear Convolution can also be done by multiplying the teoplitz matrix with the input signal created from h[n]

Lets assume: 
$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $\mathbf{h} = \begin{bmatrix} h_1 \\ h_2 \\ h_3 \end{bmatrix}$ . Then convolution

operation can be done as shown in 4.

$$y = Hx = \begin{bmatrix} h_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ h_2 & h_1 & 0 & 0 \\ h_3 & h_2 & h_1 & 0 \\ 0 & h_3 & h_2 & h_1 \\ 0 & 0 & h_3 & h_2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & h_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix}$$
(4)

#### 1.3. DFT and IDFT

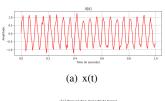
In this method (L + M - 1)-point DFTs of x[n] and h[n] are computed and IDFT of Y[k].

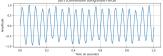
The Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT) and Inverse Discrete Fourier Transform (IDFT) are given in (5) and (6) respectively.

$$X[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n]e^{-j\frac{2\pi kn}{N}}$$
 (5)

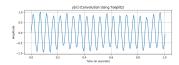
$$x[n] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X[k] e^{j\frac{2\pi kn}{N}}$$
 (6)

In Fig.1 we can see that the result of both types of method of circular convolution yields the same results

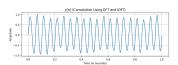




(b) Using Brute Force

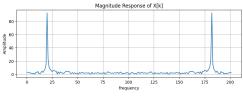


(c) Using Toeplitz

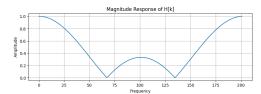


(d) Using DFT and IDFT

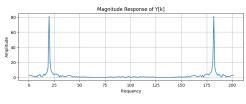
Fig. 1: x[k] and Convolved signal y[k] using different methods



(a) Magnitude Response of X(k)



(b) Magnitude Response of H(k)



(c) Magnitude Response of Y(k)

**Fig. 2**: Magnitude Response of x[k], h[k] and Convolved signal y[k]

## 2. PROBLEM 2 (CIRCULAR CONVOLUTION)

We are required to compute y[n] = (x \* h)[n] for the same x[n] and h[n] as Problem 1. Circular Convolution was implemented in two ways as given in the following subsections.

## 2.1. Circulant Matrix

Circular Convolution can be done by multiplying the circular matrix created from h[n] with the input signal x[k]

Lets assume: 
$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x[0] \\ x[1] \\ \vdots \\ x[N-1] \end{bmatrix}$$
 and  $h = \begin{bmatrix} h[0] \\ h[1] \\ \vdots \\ h[M-1] \end{bmatrix}$ 

Then circular convolution can computed as given in

$$y = Hx$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} h[0] & 0 & h[1] \\ h[1] & h[0] & \vdots \\ \vdots & h[1] & \dots & h[M-1] \\ h[M-1] & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & h[M-1] & 0 \\ \vdots & 0 & h[0] \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x[0] \\ x[1] \\ \vdots \\ x[N-1] \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x[0]$$

$$x[1]$$

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$$x[2]$$

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$$x[4]$$

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$$x[5]$$

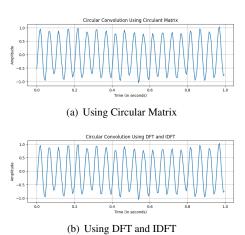
$$x$$

#### 2.2. DFT and IDFT

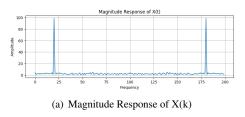
In this method N-point DFTs of x[n] and h[n] are computed and IDFT of Y[k].

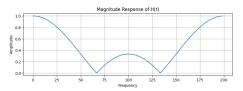
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In Fig.3 we can see that the result of both types of method of circular convolution yields the same results



**Fig. 3**: x[k] and Circular Convolved Signal y[k] using different methods





(b) Magnitude Response of H(k)

