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Theory:

Correlation is a mathematical operation that is very similar to convolution. Correlation is an operation used in many applications in digital signal processing. It is a measure of the degree to which two sequences are similar.

Depending on whether the signals considered for correlation are same or different, we have two kinds of correlation:

- (i) Auto-Correlation,
- (ii) Cross-Correlation.

Auto-Correlation:

This is a type of correlation in which the given signal is correlated with itself, usually the time-shifted version of itself.

The autocorrelation of the discrete time signal $x(n)$ is expressed as,

$$r_{xx} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n) * x(n-m)$$

Cross-Correlation:

This is a kind of correlation, in which the signal in-hand is correlated with another signal so as to know how much resemblance exists between them.

The Cross-Correlation of the discrete time signals $x(n)$ and $y(n)$ is expressed as,

$$r_{xy} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n) * y(n-m)$$

Code:

Auto-Correlation:

```
1.  clc; clear all; close all;
2.  x=input('enter the sequence');
3.  h = fliplr(x);
4.  z = [];
5.  for i=1:length(x)
6.      g = h.*x(i);
7.      z = [z g];
8.  end
9.  z1=reshape(z,length(x),length(x)),[];
10. z2=z1';
11. z3 = flip(z2);
12. cd = 0;
13. y = [];
14. for i=length(x)-1:-1:-
    (length(x)-1)
15.     cd=sum(diag(z3,i));
16.     y=[y cd];
17.     cd = 0;
18. end
19. auto_correlation = flip(y);
20. auto_correlation

21. subplot(2,1,1)
22. stem(x,'filled')
23. ylabel('Amplitude')
24. xlabel('Samples')
25. title('X(n)')

26. subplot(2,1,2)
27. stem(auto_correlation,'filled')
28. ylabel('Amplitude')
29. xlabel('Samples')
30. title('Auto Correlation')
```

Cross-Correlation:

```
1.      clc;clear all;close all;
2.      x= input('enter first
sequence');
3.      h = input('enter second
sequence');
4.      h1=fliplr(h);
5.      z = [];
6.      for i=1:length(x)
7.          g = h1.*x(i);
8.          z = [z g];
9.      end
10.     z1=reshape(z,length(x),length(x),[]);
11.     z2=z1';
12.     z3 = flip(z2);
13.     cd = 0;
14.     y = [];
15.     for i=length(x)-1:-1:-
(length(x)-1)
16.         cd=sum(diag(z3,i));
17.         y=[y cd];
18.         cd = 0;
19.     end
20.     cross_correlation =
flip(y);
21.     cross_correlation

22.     subplot(3,1,1)
23.     stem(x,'filled')
24.     ylabel('Amplitude')
25.     xlabel('Samples')
26.     title('X(n)')

27.     subplot(3,1,2)
28.     stem(h,'filled')
29.     ylabel('Amplitude')
30.     xlabel('Samples')
31.     title('H(n)')

32.     subplot(3,1,3)
33.     stem(cross_correlation,
'filled')
34.     ylabel('Amplitude')
35.     xlabel('Samples')
36.     title('Cross
Correlation')
```

Output:

For auto-correlation:

```
enter the sequence[1 2 3 4]

auto_correlation =

     4     11     20     30     20     11     4

>> xcorr(x,x)

ans =

     4.0000     11.0000     20.0000     30.0000     20.0000     11.0000     4.0000
```

Fig 2.1: Auto Correlation Output

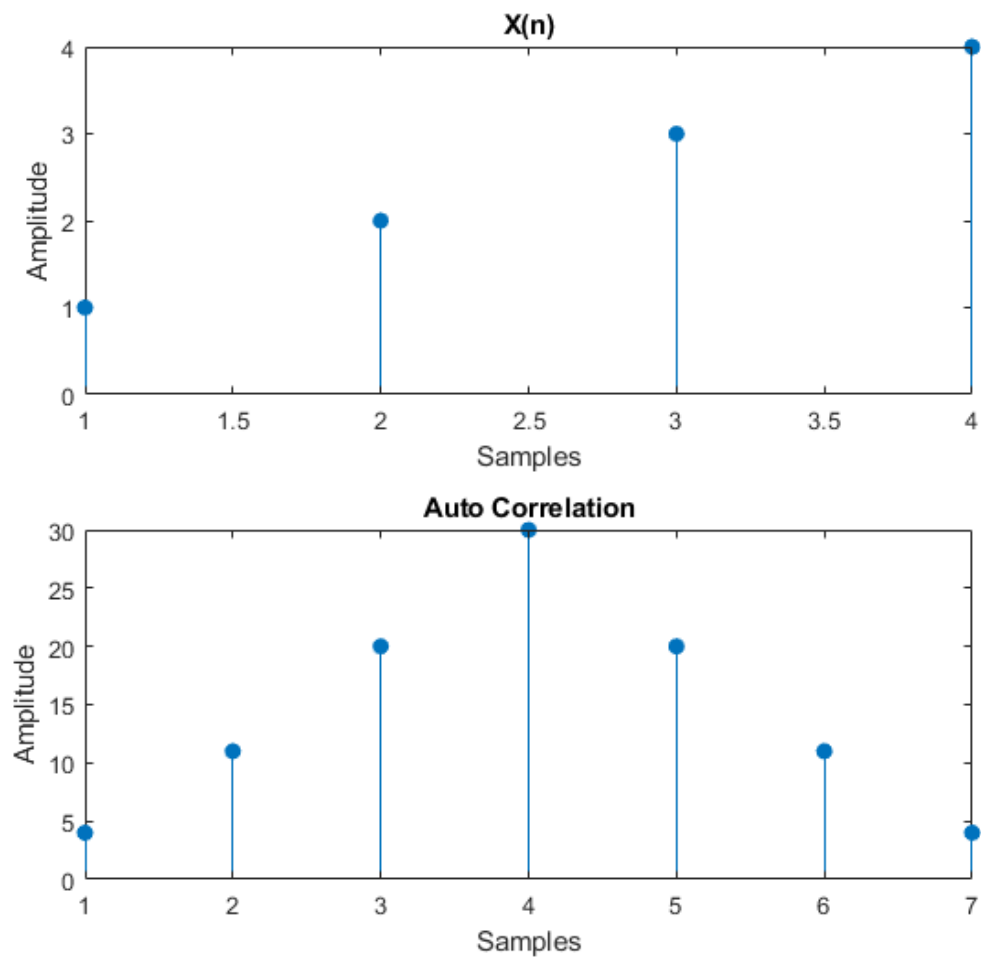


Fig 2.2: Auto Correlation Plot

For cross-correlation:

```
enter first sequence[1 0 0 1]
enter second sequence[4 3 2 1]
      4      3      2      5      3      2      1

cross_correlation =

      1      2      3      5      2      3      4

>> xcorr(x,h)

ans =

      1.0000      2.0000      3.0000      5.0000      2.0000      3.0000      4.0000
```

Fig 2.3: Cross Correlation Output

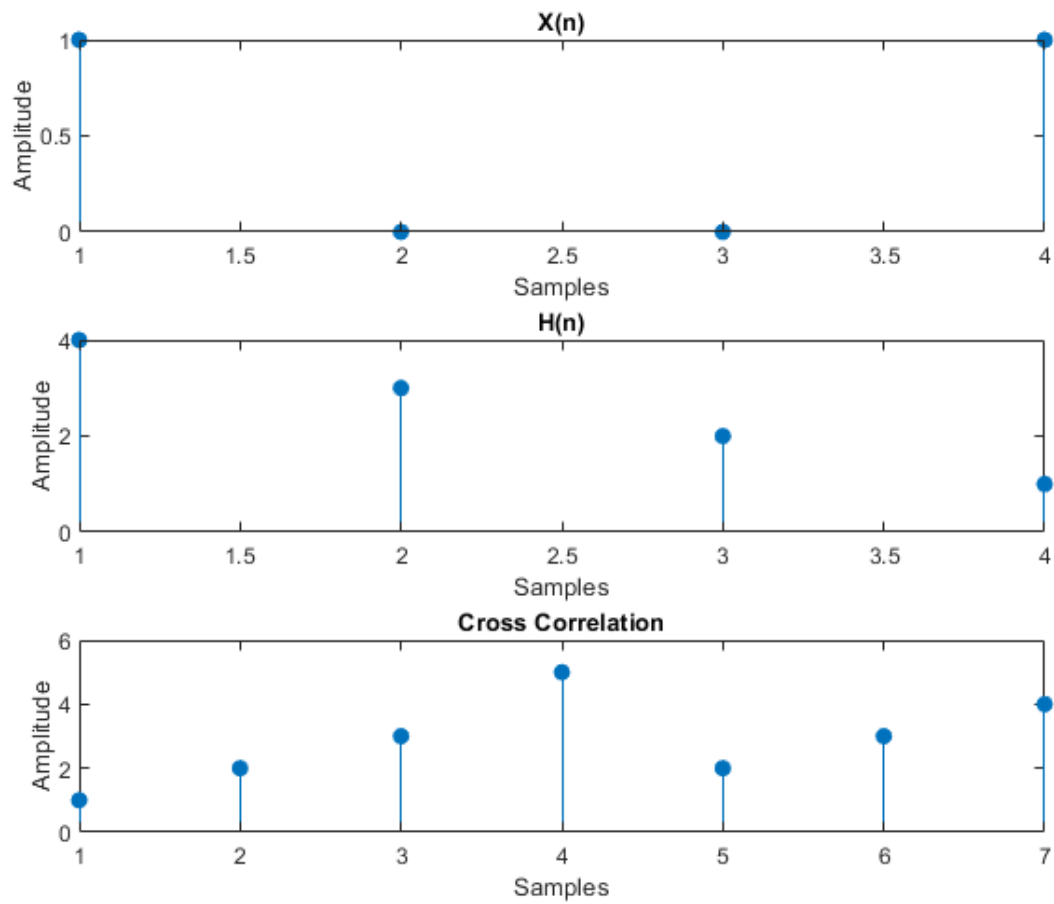


Fig. 2.4: Cross Correlation Plot

Conclusion:

In this experiment we were familiarized with auto-correlation and cross-correlation. We implemented both of these operation in MATLAB and verified the produced result by comparing with built in function output.