# More About Z and Inverse Z Transform

### Z Transform Properties

Linearity

If 
$$x(n) = a f_1(n) + b f_2(n)$$
, we have  $X(z) = a F_1(z) + b F_2(z)$ 

Time Shifting

$$Z[x(t)] = X(z) \quad x(k-n) \leftrightarrow z^{-n}X(z)$$

$$x(k-1) \leftrightarrow z^{-1}X(z)$$

### How to get partial fraction expression of $G(z) = \frac{z}{z^2 - 3z + 2}$ ?

• 
$$G(z) = \frac{z}{z^2 - 3z + 2} \Rightarrow G(z) = \frac{z}{(z-1)(z-2)}$$

• Write  $G(z) = \frac{A}{(z-1)} + \frac{B}{(z-2)} = \frac{z}{(z-1)(z-2)}$ , so we can solve A and B.

$$\frac{z}{(z-1)(z-2)} = \frac{A}{(z-1)} + \frac{B}{(z-2)} = \frac{A(z-2) + B(z-1)}{(z-1)(z-2)} = \frac{(A+B)z - (2A+B)}{(z-1)(z-2)}$$
So  $(A+B) = 1$  and  $(2A+B) = 0$ 
We got A=-1 and B=2

• We know  $G(z) = \frac{-1}{(z-1)} + \frac{2}{(z-2)}$ 

#### Another Form of Z Transfer Function

$$\bullet \ G(z) = \frac{z}{(z-1)(z-2)}$$

• We first get the partial fraction expression of  $\frac{G(z)}{z} = \frac{1}{(z-1)(z-2)}$ 

• We get 
$$\frac{G(z)}{z} = \frac{-1}{z-1} + \frac{1}{z-2} \implies G(z) = \frac{-z}{z-1} + \frac{z}{z-2}$$

On the previous page, we got  $G(z) = \frac{-1}{(z-1)} + \frac{2}{(z-2)}$ . Are these G(z) we got both correct?

For 
$$G(z) = \frac{z}{(z-1)(z-2)} = \frac{-z}{z-1} + \frac{z}{z-2} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1 + 2^k) z^{-k}$$
, We have  $g(kT) = 2^k - 1$ 

• How about  $G(z) = \frac{-1}{(z-1)} + \frac{2}{(z-2)}$ ?

• 
$$G(z) = \frac{-1}{(z-1)} + \frac{2}{(z-2)} = z^{-1} \left[ \frac{-z}{(z-1)} + \frac{2z}{(z-2)} \right]$$
  
 $G(z) = z^{-1} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left( -\frac{1}{2} + 2 \times 2^k \right) z^{-k} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left( -\frac{1}{2} + 2 \times 2^k \right) z^{-(k+1)}$   
 $\therefore G(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left( -1 + 2^{k+1} \right) z^{-(k+1)} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \left( -1 + 2^k \right) z^{-k}$ 

• So  $g(kT) = 2^k - 1$ , and g(0) = 0.

Find 
$$Z(e^{-t}) \rightarrow Z(e^{-n})$$

We know that 
$$Z(a^n) = \frac{z}{z-a}$$

$$Z(e^{-n}) = Z\left[\left(e^{-1}\right)^n\right] = \frac{Z}{Z - e^{-1}}$$



Find 
$$Z[x(t)=t] \rightarrow Z(n) = n$$

$$Z(x(n) = n) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} n z^{-n} = 0 + \frac{1}{z} + \frac{2}{z^2} + \frac{3}{z^3} + \cdots$$

$$Z(n) = \frac{1}{z} \left[ 1 + 2\left(\frac{1}{z}\right) + 3\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)^2 + \cdots \right]$$

$$Z(n) = \frac{1}{z} \left[ \left( 1 - \frac{1}{z} \right)^{-2} \right] = \frac{z}{(z - 1)^2}$$

### Examples

• Find inverse z-transform of each E(z)

(1) E1(z) = 
$$\frac{0.5 z}{(z-1)(z-0.6)}$$

(2) E2(z) = 
$$\frac{0.5}{(z-1)(z-0.6)}$$

(3) 
$$E3(z) = \frac{0.5(z+1)}{(z-1)(z-0.6)}$$

# Using Power Series Method To Obtain Inverse Z-Transform of E1(z)

$$\begin{array}{r}
0.5z^{-1} + 0.8z^{-2} + 0.98z^{-3} + \cdots \\
\hline
0.5z - 1.6z + 0.6 \\
0.5z - 0.8 + 0.3z^{-1} \\
\hline
0.8 - 0.3z^{-1} \\
\underline{0.8 - 1.28z^{-1} + \cdots} \\
0.98z^{-1} + \cdots
\end{array}$$

### Using Partial Fraction Expression Method to Solve Inverse Z-Transform of E1(z)

Need to know the sum of geometric series

$$\frac{z}{z-a} = 1 + az^{-1} + a^2z^{-2} + a^3z^{-3} + a^4z^{-4} + \dots = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a^kz^{-k}$$

$$\frac{z}{z-1} = 1 + z^{-1} + z^{-2} + z^{-3} + z^{-4} + \dots = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} z^{-k}$$

• Step 1: E1(z) = 
$$\frac{0.5 z}{(z-1)(z-0.6)} = \frac{1.25z}{z-1} - \frac{1.25z}{z-0.6}$$

• Step 2: Write E1(z) in power series, so

$$e1(k) = 1.25 \left[ \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} z^{-k} - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 0.6^k z^{-k} \right] = 1.25 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (1 - 0.6^k) z^{-k}$$

• Step 3:  $e1(k) = 1.25 \times (1 - 0.6^k)$ 

#### Partial Fraction Expression

$$\frac{0.5 z}{(z-1)(z-0.6)} = z \times \frac{0.5}{(z-1)(z-0.6)}, \text{ We consider } \frac{0.5}{(z-1)(z-0.6)} \text{ now, and set}$$

$$\frac{0.5}{(z-1)(z-0.6)} = \frac{A}{(z-1)} + \frac{B}{(z-0.6)}$$

Hence, 
$$Az - 0.6A + Bz - B = 0.5$$
. We know  $A + B = 0$  and  $0.6A + B = -0.5 \implies A=1.25$  and B=-1.25

Hence,

$$\frac{0.5 z}{(z-1)(z-0.6)} = \frac{1.25z}{z-1} - \frac{1.25z}{z-0.6}$$

# Let's work directly on E1(z) using partial fraction Expression

$$E1(z) = \frac{0.5 z}{(z-1)(z-0.6)} = \frac{A}{(z-1)} + \frac{B}{(z-0.6)}$$

We get A=1.25, B=-0.75. Hence,

$$\frac{0.5 z}{(z-1)(z-0.6)} = \frac{1.25}{(z-1)} - \frac{0.75}{(z-0.6)}$$

From previous page, we have

$$\frac{0.5 z}{(z-1)(z-0.6)} = \frac{1.25z}{z-1} - \frac{1.25z}{z-0.6}$$

Are they the same?

$$\left| S Z^{-1} \left[ \frac{1.25}{(z-1)} - \frac{0.75}{(z-0.6)} \right] = Z^{-1} \left[ \frac{1.25z}{(z-1)} - \frac{1.25z}{(z-0.6)} \right] ?$$

$$E1(z) = \frac{1.25}{(z-1)} - \frac{0.75}{(z-0.6)} = z^{-1} \left( \frac{1.25z}{z-1} - \frac{0.75z}{z-0.6} \right)$$

$$E1(z) = z^{-1} \left( 1.25 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} z^{-k} - 0.75 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 0.6^k z^{-k} \right)$$

$$E1(z) = 1.25 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} z^{-k-1} - 0.75 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 0.6^k z^{-k-1}$$

$$E1(z) = 1.25 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} z^{-k-1} - 0.75/0.6 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 0.6^{k+1} z^{-k-1}$$

$$E1(z) = 1.25 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} z^{-k} - 1.25 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 0.6^k z^{-k} = 1.25 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (1 - 0.6^k) z^{-k} = 1.25 \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (1 - 0.6^k) z^{-k}$$



## Obtain Inverse Z-Transform of E2(z)= $\frac{0.5}{(z-1)(z-0.6)}$

Using Partial-Fraction Expression Method

$$E2(z) = \frac{0.5}{(z-1)(z-0.6)} = \frac{1.25}{z-1} - \frac{1.25}{z-0.6}$$

Given that 
$$E2(z) = z^{-1}E1(z) = 1.25z^{-1} \left[ \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} z^{-k} - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 0.6^k z^{-k} \right].$$

$$z^{-1} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 0.6^k z^{-k} = \mathbf{z}^{-1} + \mathbf{0}.6\mathbf{z}^{-2} + 0.6^2 \mathbf{z}^{-3} + 0.6^3 \mathbf{z}^{-4} + \cdots$$
(note that  $e2(0) = 0$ )

$$e2(k) = 1.25 \times \left[ \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} z^{-k} - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 0.6^{(k-1)} z^{-k} \right]$$

So 
$$e2(k) = 1.25(1 - 0.6^{k-1}) = 1.25 - 2.083 \times 0.6^k$$
 for  $k \ge 1$ 

Alternatively 
$$E2(z) = \frac{0.5}{(z-1)(z-0.6)} = z^{-1}E1(z)$$

• Time shift property of Z-Transform  $Z(x(k-1)) = z^{-1}X(z)$ 

• We know from (1) that  $x(k) = e1(k) = 1.25 \times (1 - 0.6^k)$ 

Hence,

$$x(k-1) = e2(k) = 1.25 \times (1 - 0.6^{k-1})$$

# Using Partial Fraction Expression Method to Solve Inverse Z-Transform of E3(z)

$$E3(z) = \frac{0.5(z+1)}{(z-1)(z-0.6)} = \frac{2.5}{z-1} - \frac{2}{z-0.6}$$

$$E3(z) = z^{-1}(\frac{2.5z}{z-1} - \frac{2z}{z-0.6})$$

$$e3(0) = 0$$

For  $k \geq 1$ ,

$$e3(k) = 2.5 - 2 \times 0.6^{k-1} = 2.5 + \left(\frac{2}{0.6}\right) * 0.6^{k}$$

$$e3(k) = 2.5 - 3.33 \times 0.6^k$$

#### Solve Inverse Z-Transform of E3(z)

• 
$$E3(z) = \frac{0.5(z+1)}{(z-1)(z-0.6)} = E1(z) + E2(z)$$

So

$$e3(0) = 0$$

For  $k \geq 1$ ,

$$e3(k) = e1(k) + e2(k)$$

$$e3(k) = 1.25 \times (1 - 0.6^k) + 1.25(1 - 0.6^{k-1})$$

$$e3(k) = 1.25 \times (1 - 0.6^k) + 1.25 - 2.083 \times 0.6^k$$

$$e3(k) = 2.5 - 3.33 \times 0.6^{k}$$

### Find Z-Transform Equivalent of G(s)

• For the transfer functions  $\frac{1}{s^2(s+1)}$ , obtain the z-transform equivalents using partial fractions and s- and z-transform tables.

• Answer:

$$\frac{1}{s^2(s+1)} = \frac{-1}{s} + \frac{1}{s^2} + \frac{1}{s+1}$$

So

$$Z\left[\frac{1}{s^{2}(s+1)}\right] = Z\left[\frac{-1}{s}\right] + Z\left[\frac{1}{s^{2}}\right] + Z\left[\frac{1}{s+1}\right]$$
$$= -\frac{z}{z-1} + \frac{Tz}{(z-1)^{2}} + \frac{z}{z-e^{-T}}$$

### S- and Z-Transform Table

x(t)	X(s)	X(z)
1. $\delta(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & t = 0, \\ 0 & t = kT, k \neq 0 \end{cases}$	1	1
2. $\delta(t - kT) = \begin{cases} 1 & t = kT, \\ 0 & t \neq kT \end{cases}$	$e^{-kTs}$	$z^{-k}$
3. $u(t)$ , unit step	1/s	$\frac{z}{z-1}$
4. <i>t</i>	1/s2	$\frac{Tz}{(z-1)^2}$
5. t <sup>2</sup>	2/s <sup>3</sup>	$\frac{T^2z(z+1)}{(z-1)^3}$
6. e <sup>-at</sup>	$\frac{1}{s+a}$	$\frac{z}{z - e^{-aT}}$
7. $1 - e^{-at}$	$\frac{a}{s(s+a)}$	$\frac{(1 - e^{-aT})z}{(z - 1)(z - e^{-aT})}$
8. te <sup>-at</sup>	$\frac{1}{(s+a)^2}$	$\frac{Tze^{-aT}}{(z-e^{-aT})^2}$
9. t <sup>2</sup> e <sup>-at</sup>	$\frac{2}{(s+a)^3}$	$\frac{T^2 e^{-aT} z (z + e^{-aT})}{(z - e^{-aT})^3}$
10. $be^{-bt} - ae^{-at}$	$\frac{(b-a)s}{(s+a)(s+b)}$	$\frac{z[z(b-a) - (be^{-aT} - ae^{-bT})]}{(z - e^{-aT})(z - e^{-bT})}$
11. sin ωt	$\frac{\omega}{s^2 + \omega^2}$	$\frac{z \sin \omega T}{z^2 - 2z \cos \omega T + 1}$
12. cos ωt	$\frac{s}{s^2 + \omega^2}$	$\frac{z(z-\cos\omega T)}{z^2-2z\cos\omega T+1}$
13. $e^{-at} \sin \omega t$	$\frac{\omega}{(s+a)^2+\omega^2}$	$\frac{(ze^{-aT}\sin\omega T)}{z^2 - 2ze^{-aT}\cos\omega T + e^{-2aT}}$

 Why there is no T in the z-transforms in this Table?

TABLE 2-3 z-Transforms		
Sequence	Transform	
$\delta(k-n)$	$z^{-n}$	
1	$\frac{z}{z-1}$	
k	$\frac{z}{(z-1)^2}$	
$k^2$	$\frac{z(z+1)}{(z-1)^3}$	
$a^k$	$\frac{z}{z-a}$	
$ka^k$	$\frac{az}{(z-a)^2}$	
sin ak	$\frac{z \sin a}{z^2 - 2z \cos a + 1}$	
cos ak	$\frac{z(z-\cos a)}{z^2-2z\cos a+1}$	
$a^k \sin bk$	$\frac{az \sin b}{z^2 - 2az \cos b + a^2}$	
$a^k \cos bk$	$\frac{z^2 - az\cos b}{z^2 - 2az\cos b + a^2}$	

Find 
$$f(k)$$
, for the  $F(z) = \frac{z(z+2)(z+5)}{(z-0.4)(z-0.6)(z-0.8)}$ 

$$\frac{(z+2)(z+5)}{(z-0.4)(z-0.6)(z-0.8)} = \frac{A}{(z-0.4)} + \frac{B}{(z-0.6)} + \frac{C}{(z-0.8)}$$

 $A(z^2-1.4z+0.48)+B(z^2-1.2z+0.32)+c(z^2-z+0.24)=z^2+7z+10$ 

A+B+C=1

1.4A+1.2B+C=-7

0.48A+0.32B+0.24C=10

$$F(z) = 162 \times \frac{z}{(z-0.4)} - 364 \times \frac{z}{(z-0.6)} + 203 \times \frac{z}{(z-0.8)}$$

$$f(k) = 162 \times (0.4)^{k} - 364 \times (0.6)^{k} + 203 \times (0.8)^{k}$$

### Discrete Transfer Function G(z)

A controller given by discrete transfer function:

$$G(z) = \frac{(z+1)(z-0.9512)}{(z-0.9039)(z-0.8616)}$$

Show that the controller may be realized in the form of a computer algorithm, given a controller output u(k) for an input signal e(k).

#### Answer:

$$G(z) = \frac{U(z)}{E(z)} = \frac{(z+1)(z-0.9512)}{(z-0.9039)(z-0.8616)}$$

$$\therefore \frac{U(z)}{E(z)} = \frac{z^2 + 0.0488z - 0.9512}{z^2 + 1.7655z - 0.7788} = \frac{1 + 0.0488z^{-1} - 0.9512z^{-2}}{1 + 1.7655z^{-1} - 0.7788z^{-2}}$$

So 
$$U(z)(1+1.7655z^{-1}-0.7788z^{-2}) = E(z)(1+0.0488z^{-1}-0.9512z^{-2})$$

By applying inverse Z-Transform to the above equation, the result is:

$$u(k) = e(k) + 0.0488e(k-1) - 0.9512e(k-2)$$
$$-1.7655u(k-1) + 0.7788u(k-2)$$

Given 
$$F(z) = \frac{z+1}{z^2+5z+6}$$
, find  $f(k) = ?$ 

#### Answer:

$$F(z) = \frac{z+1}{z^2+5z+6} = z^{(-1)}\left[\frac{2z}{z+3} - \frac{z}{z+2}\right]$$

$$=2\sum_{k=0}^{\infty}(-3)^{k}z^{-(k+1)}-\sum_{k=0}^{\infty}(-2)^{k}z^{-(k+1)}$$

$$f(k) = 2 \times (-3)^{k-1} - (-2)^{k-1}$$