

Administrative

- Matlab 2 – due next Monday! Coding isn't too hard, but interpretations can be tricky. Any questions?
 - Talk about part 1 - aliasing
 - Talk about part 2 with sinc function
- Matlab 1 markup started on Turnitin
 - Grades not released, but you can see feedback / markup – grading in progresss
- Quiz 1 is a week from today, covering up through today's HW plus Matlabs 1& 2
 - There will be a little HW from today's lecture, but it will be light
 - HW solutions for first 2 weeks posted; will post remaining

Feedback markup examples in Turnitin



Blue text = regular markup

Solid blue boxes are pre-defined comments

- These often (but not always) have extra info that you will see if you **mouse over them**.

- The white thought bubble (top blue box) means the grader added a special comment for your case

EE-125:
Digital Signal Processing

Lecture 7, LTI systems:
DTFT of LTI systems

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Outline

- Review discussion of $H(z)$ from last lecture
 - and more on stability
- $H(\omega)$ basics (P&M 5.1)
- $H(\omega)$ for rational systems (P&M 5.2)
 - Calculating $|H(\omega)|^2$

Recap - rational functions -1

- Start with a difference equation (often, set $a_0=1$)

$$a_0 y(n) = - \sum_{k=1}^N a_k y(n-k) + \sum_{k=0}^M b_k x(n-k)$$

- Take the Z-transform, and find H as a *ratio* (rational function):

$$H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = \frac{\sum_{k=0}^M b_k z^{-k}}{\sum_{k=0}^N a_k z^{-k}}$$

- Pull out the highest power, and divide through by b_0 and a_0 :

$$H(z) = \frac{b_0 z^{-M} \sum_{k=0}^M b_k / b_0 z^{M-k}}{a_0 z^{-N} \sum_{k=0}^N a_k / a_0 z^{N-k}}$$

Recap - rational functions - 2

- Factor the numerator and denominator into poles, zeros

$$H(z) = \frac{b_0}{a_0} z^{-M+N} \frac{(z - z_1)(z - z_2) \dots (z - z_M)}{(z - p_1)(z - p_2) \dots (z - p_N)}$$

- Finally, rewrite, giving:

$$H(z) = G z^{(-M+N)} \frac{\prod_{k=1}^M (z - z_k)}{\prod_{k=1}^N (z - p_k)}$$

← M zeros

← N poles

Gain G

If we specify poles/zeros,
we know H to within a constant.
We can find G if given a constraint;
for example, $H(z=1) = 1$

|N-M|-th order zero at $z=0$, if $N > M$
|N-M|-th order pole at $z=0$, if $M > N$
Counting these, total # poles always
= total # zeros

Stability revisited

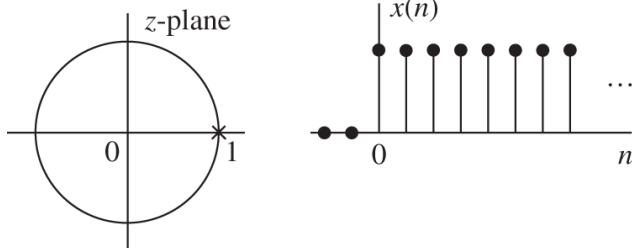
- The exact statement of stability is: stability is guaranteed if the unit circle is included in the ROC of $H(z)$
 - Causal: poles are all inside u.c., ROC is $|z|$ outside the biggest pole
 - Why the biggest?
 - Anticausal: poles are all outside u.c. ROC is $|z|$ inside the smallest pole
 - Why the smallest?

Stability revisited – poles on the unit circle

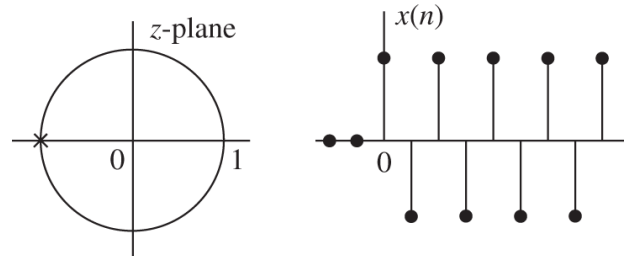
- The exact statement of stability is: stability is guaranteed if the unit circle is included in the ROC of $H(z)$
- If the pole is on the unit circle, the unit circle can't be in the ROC - so stability is not *guaranteed*. Some systems may be stable while others aren't
 - Single poles on unit circle are conditionally stable (don't grow or decay)
 - Double poles on unit circle are unstable
- This is a rather detailed point...

Poles on unit circle: Fig 3.3.5, 3.3.6

System A

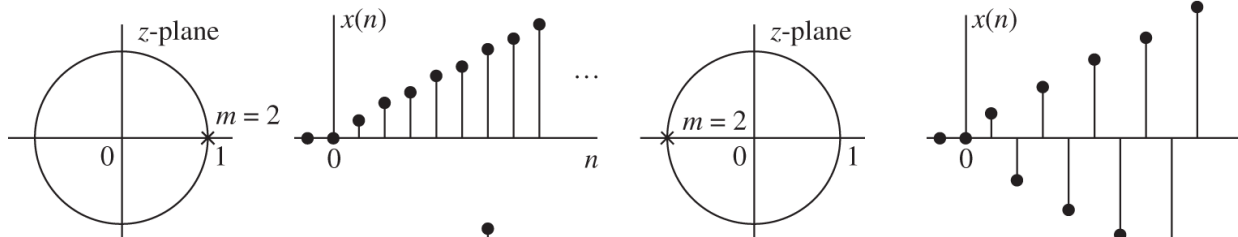


System B



Single pole-
Conditionally
stable

System C



Double pole-
Unstable

Unrelated question:

if I have system A, how can I “make” a System C?

Stability

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- Since the unit circle is where frequency response is evaluated, this means “ $H(\omega)$ exists if the ROC contains the unit circle”.
- When is this true? Fill out table:

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Anti-causal $h(n)$ (non-causal)	3.	6.

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Anti-causal $h(n)$ (non-causal)	3. Always true	6. True if poles outside unit circle

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 - Geometric interpretation – poles and zeros

Link between last lecture, today

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$$H(\omega) = H(z) \big|_{z=e^{j\omega}}$$

Frequency response of the system,
from DTFT
P&M 5.1, 5.2 (today)

Good: Just need to sample
frequency axis

Z-transform of the system
P&M 3.3 (last lecture)

Good: Z-transform pole/zero
representation is very compact

Bad: don't want to evaluate
everywhere in z plane

It's convenient to think about systems using poles / zeros (from Z) but
evaluate the frequency response (DTFT)

Geometric interpretation – $|H(z)|$ looks like this on z plane ...

- We can think of evaluating $X(z)$ or $H(z)$ in the complex plane.

To calculate figures like this one, could write code like:

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Npts=100;  
Zreal=linspace(-2,2,Npts);  
Zimag=linspace(-2,2,Npts);  
  
for izR=1:Npts  
    for izI = 1:Npts  
        z = Zreal(izR)+j*Zimag(izI);  
        H = (system function using z)  
        Hmag(izR,izI) = abs(H);  
    end  
end
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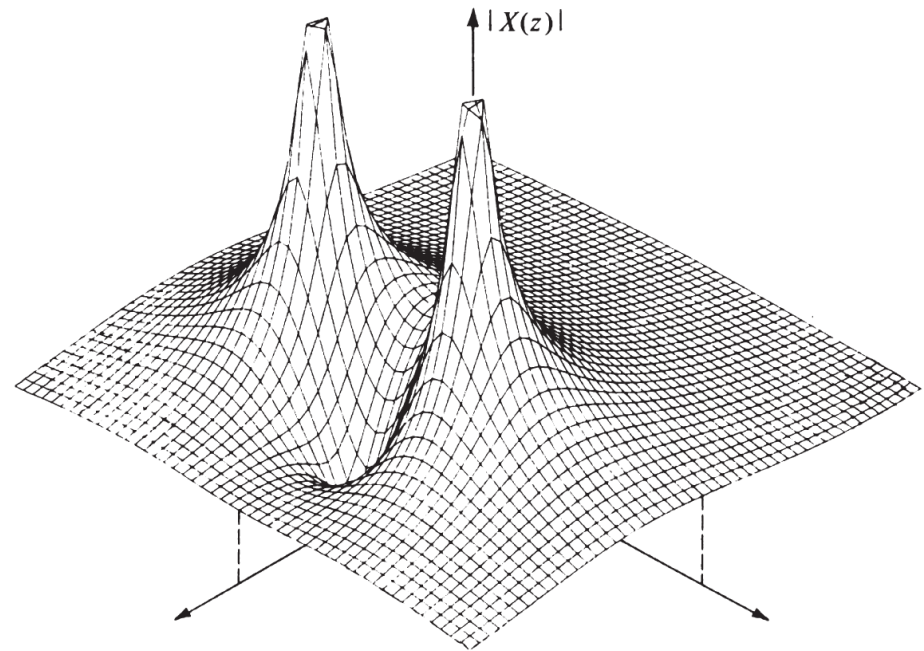


Figure 3.3.4 Graph of $|X(z)|$ for the z -transform in (3.3.3).

...and DTFT just evaluates it along the unit circle

- We can think of evaluating $X(z)$ or $H(z)$ in the complex plane. Then, frequency response is found by tracing out the unit circle

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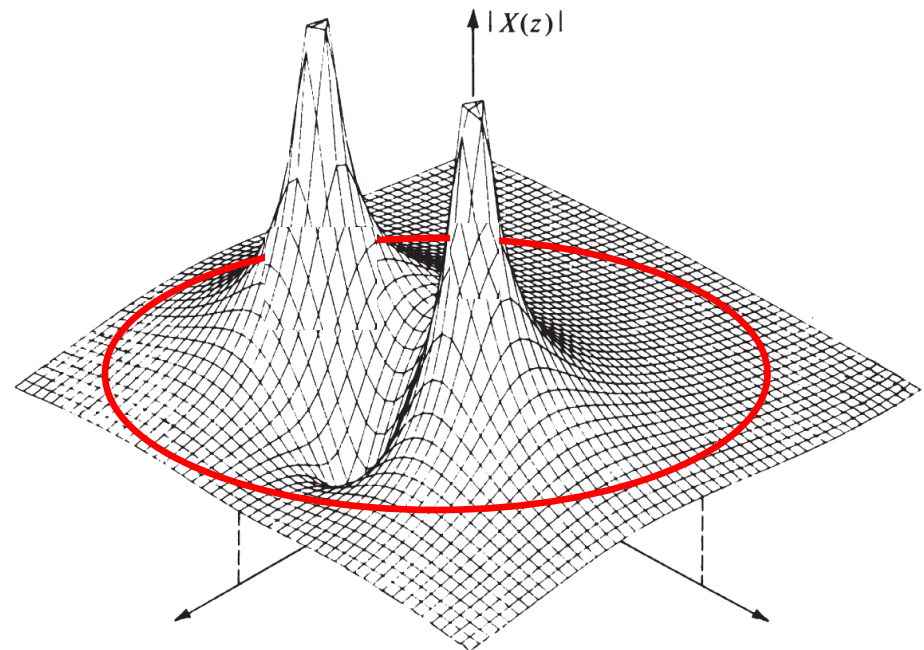


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Definition of $H(\omega)$

- From the definition of the DTFT,

$$H(\omega) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h(n)e^{-j\omega n}$$

- If $h(n)$ is real, then

$$\begin{aligned} H(\omega) &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h(n) \cos(\omega n) - j \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h(n) \sin(\omega n) \\ &= H_R(\omega) + jH_I(\omega) \\ &= |H(\omega)|e^{j\theta(\omega)} \end{aligned}$$

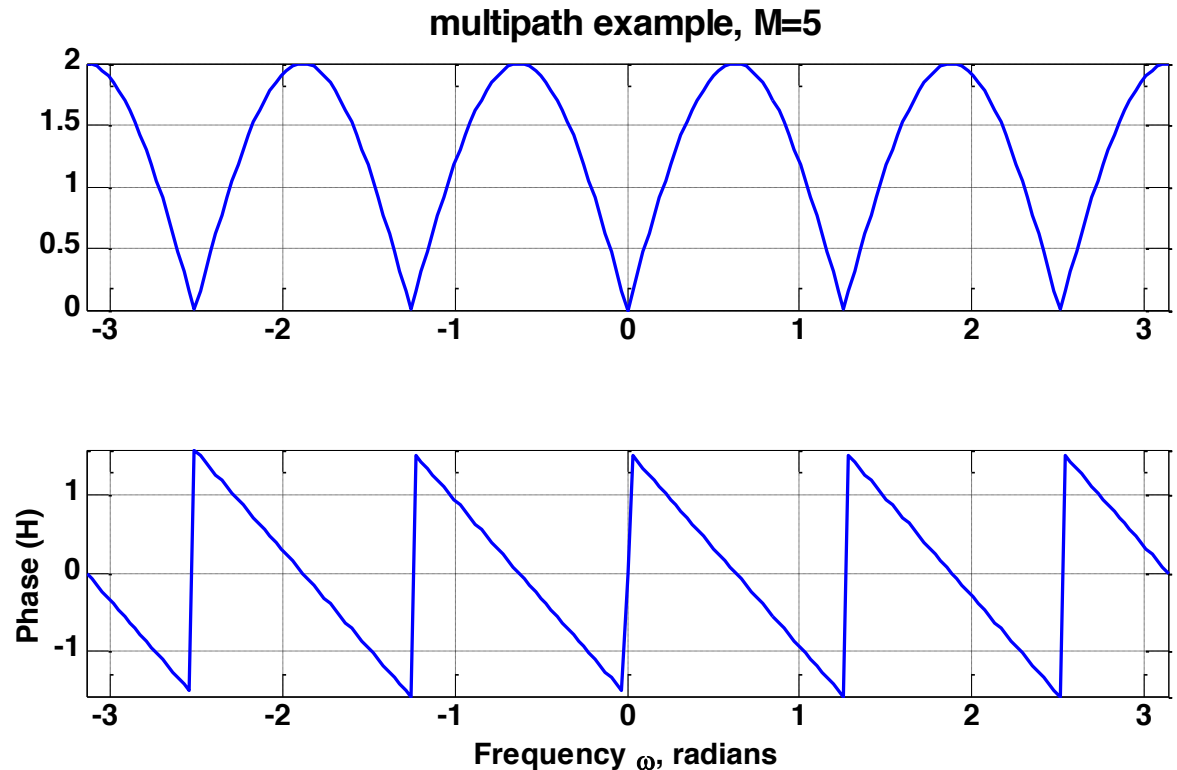
where H_R is even (cosine), H_I is odd (sine). This means that $H(\omega)$ is conjugate symmetric for real signals

Multipath interference example

- A good model of sound arriving directly from a source + sound bouncing off ocean surface is:

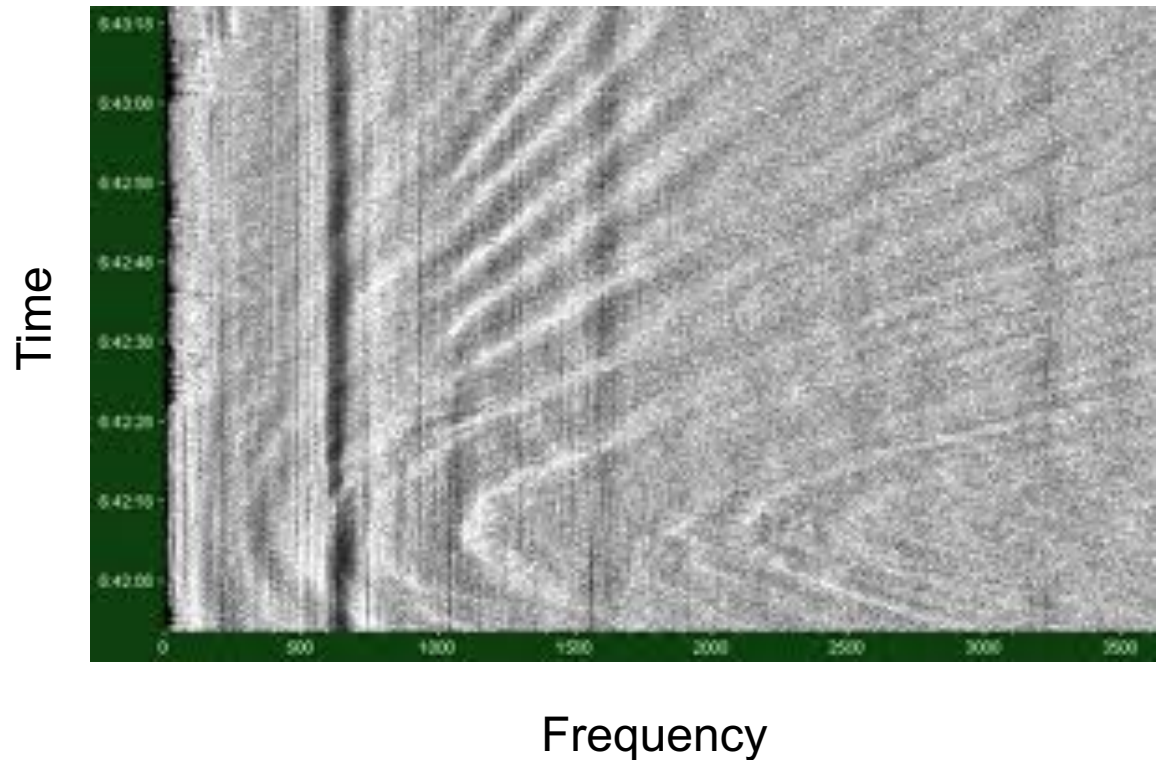
$$y(n) = x(n) - x(n-M)$$

- Calculated H is shown here
 - Periodic “fades” in frequency
 - Note phase jump of π every time H goes through zero - due to sign change



Real data: ocean multipath interference example

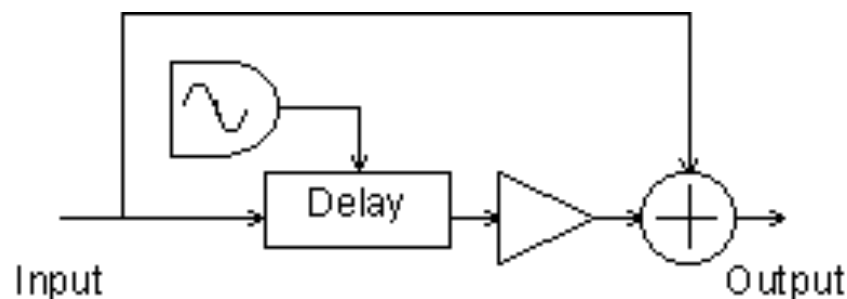
- This plot shows frequency vs. time – basically $|Y(\omega)|^2$ vs time
- Source is moving, so M changes over time
- Source has non-zero $X(\omega)$ over many frequencies - fairly constant at higher frequencies
- Thus $Y=H X$ shows multipath fades in frequency, with pattern that changes over time



Exact same idea: flanging effect

- See <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Flanging>
- Insert a time-varying delay into one branch of the signal:
$$y(n) = x(n) + x(n-k(n))$$

Where $k(n)$ is a delay that changes slowly in time – thus boosting or cutting different frequencies



- 1960's implementation: play back a taped recording, with the engineer's finger on the tape to slow it down tiny bit
- 1980's: popular digital effect for lots of bands

H(ω) for rational systems 5.2

- From last lecture, we had $H(z)$ for rational systems; we can just evaluate that result at $z = \exp(j\omega)$ to give:

$$H(\omega) = Ge^{-j\omega(N-M)} \frac{\prod_{k=1}^M (e^{j\omega} - z_k)}{\prod_{k=1}^N (e^{j\omega} - p_k)}$$

- In section 5.2 the book gives the formula:

$$H(\omega) = b_0 \frac{\prod_{k=1}^M (1 - z_k e^{-j\omega})}{\prod_{k=1}^N (1 - p_k e^{j\omega})}$$

This is the same as above, if 1) $a_0=1$ and 2) we don't pull out the positive powers of z

Geometric interpretation of $H(\omega)$

- The magnitude of H is the *product* of the individual magnitudes:

$$|H(\omega)| = |G| \frac{\prod_{k=1}^M |e^{j\omega} - z_k|}{\prod_{k=1}^N |e^{j\omega} - p_k|}$$

The individual magnitudes are the distances between the pole or zero and points on the unit circle.

- The phase of H is the *sum* of the individual phases:

$$\angle H(\omega) = \angle G - \omega(N - M) + \sum_{k=1}^M \angle(e^{j\omega} - z_k) - \sum_{k=1}^N \angle(e^{j\omega} - p_k)$$

The individual phases are the angles between each pole or zero and points on the unit circle