# Experiment 4: Implementation and Performance Analysis of Overlap-Add and Overlap-Save for Signal Filtering

# **Data Loading**

### Program Code

```
1 # Step 1: Import Required Libraries
2 import numpy as np
_3 \mid \text{import matplotlib.pyplot as plt}
4 from scipy.signal import firwin, freqz
5 import pandas as pd
6 import time
  # Step 2: Load Noisy Temperature Data from CSV
  df = pd.read_csv('/content/noisy_temperature_data.csv')
10
  # Extract time and temperature values
11
  Time_Hours = df['Time_Hours'].values
12
  noisy_temperature_data = df['Noisy_Temperature'].values
14
15 # Sampling rate (1 sample per hour)
_{16} | Fs = 1
  total_samples = len(noisy_temperature_data)
17
18
  \mbox{\tt\#} Step 3: Display Basic Information about the Data
19
  print("Length of data =", total_samples)
21 | print(f"Duration in days = {total_samples / 24:.3f}")
22 | print("Maximum Temperature =", np.max(noisy_temperature_data))
print("Minimum Temperature =", np.min(noisy_temperature_data))
  # Step 4: Plot a Segment of the Noisy Temperature Data
25
26 | plt.plot(noisy_temperature_data[:1000], color='darkorange')
plt.xlabel('Time (Hours)')
28 | plt.ylabel('Temperature')
29 plt.title('Noisy Temperature Data (First 1000 Samples)')
30 | plt.grid(True)
31 | plt.tight_layout()
32 | plt.show()
```

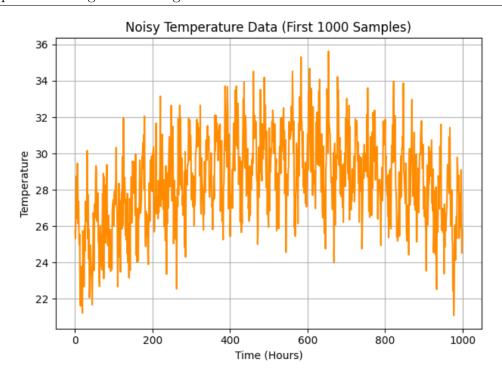
### Output

```
Length of data = 20000

Duration in days = 833.333

Maximum Temperature = 38.10836649441515

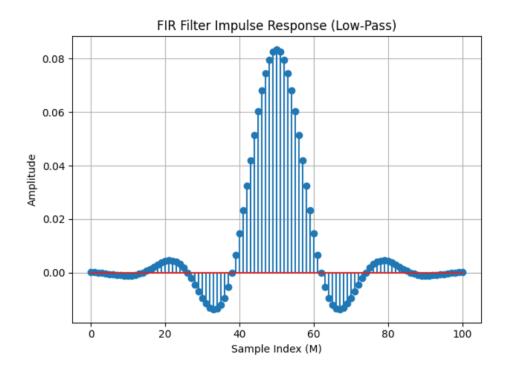
Minimum Temperature = 12.516180899476904
```



### Filter Design

```
# Design a Low-Pass FIR Filter using firwin
  from scipy.signal import firwin
  # Filter parameters
                                      # Filter order (M-1)
  filter_order = 100
  Fs = 1
                                      # Sampling frequency in Hz (1 sample/
      hour)
  cutoff_freq_hz = 1 / (2 * 24)  # Cutoff frequency = 1 cycle per 48
  {\tt cutoff\_freq\_norm} = {\tt cutoff\_freq\_hz} \ / \ ({\tt Fs} \ / \ 2) \ \# \ {\tt Normalized} \ {\tt cutoff} \ ({\tt 0} \ {\tt to} \ )
       1)
10
  # Design the FIR filter (low-pass)
11
  h = firwin(filter_order + 1, cutoff_freq_norm, pass_zero=True, fs=Fs)
12
  M = len(h) # Actual length of the filter
13
  print(f"Designed FIR filter of length M = {M}")
15
16
  # Plot the Impulse Response of the FIR Filter
17
  plt.stem(h)
  plt.xlabel('Sample Index (M)')
19
  plt.ylabel('Amplitude')
20
21 plt.title("FIR Filter Impulse Response (Low-Pass)")
22 plt.grid(True)
23 plt.tight_layout()
24 plt.show()
```

### Designed FIR filter of length M = 101



### Frequency response of filter

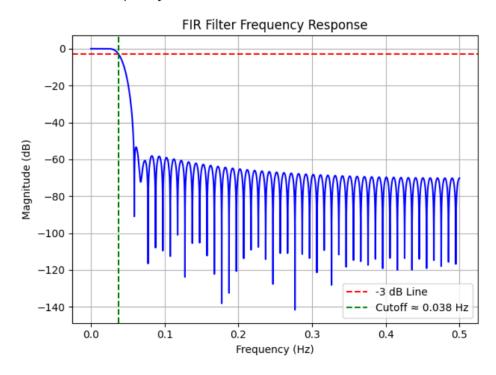
```
# Frequency Response of the FIR Filter
  from scipy.signal import freqz
2
3
  # Compute frequency response of the FIR filter
4
  w, H = freqz(h, worN=8192, fs=Fs) # w in Hz since fs is specified
  # Convert magnitude to dB
  y = 20 * np.log10(np.abs(H))
  # Determine the -3 dB Cutoff Frequency
10
  ymax = np.max(y)
11
  print(f"Maximum magnitude = {ymax:.3f} dB")
12
13
  # Find frequency where gain drops 3 dB below max
14
  ymax_3db = ymax - 3
15
  print(f"Maximum magnitude 3 dB below max = {ymax_3db:.3f} dB")
16
  \# Index of the first frequency where the response drops below -3 dB
18
  ymax_3db_index = np.where(y <= ymax_3db)[0][0]</pre>
19
  print(f"Index at -3 dB = {ymax_3db_index}")
20
22 # Get cutoff frequency in Hz
cutoff_freq = w[ymax_3db_index]
24 print(f"Estimated cutoff frequency = {cutoff_freq:.3f} Hz")
```

```
Maximum magnitude = 0.032 dB

Maximum magnitude 3 dB below max = -2.968 dB

Index at -3 dB = 617

Estimated cutoff frequency = 0.038 Hz
```



# Overlap-Add (OLA) Implementation

```
L = 1024  # Block length

M = len(h)  # Length of impulse response

N = L + M - 1  # Output length of linear convolution for one block

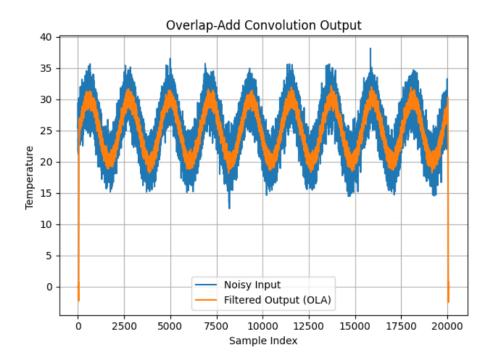
P = int(2 ** np.ceil(np.log2(N)))  # FFT length (power of 2)

Print parameters
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```
print(f"L = \{L\}, N = \{N\}, M = \{M\}, P = \{P\}")
  # Overlap-Add function
9
  def overlap_add(x, h, L, P):
10
       Nx = len(x)
11
      M = len(h)
12
       N_blocks = int(np.ceil(Nx / L))
13
14
       # Step 1: FFT of zero-padded h[n]
15
       H_fft = np.fft.fft(h, P)
16
       # Step 2: Initialize output array
18
       y_{ola} = np.zeros(Nx + M - 1)
19
20
       # Step 3: Time measurement start
21
       start_time = time.time()
23
       # Step 4: Process each block
24
       for i in range(N_blocks):
25
         start_idx = i * L
26
         end_idx_x = min(start_idx + L, Nx)
27
28
         # Extract and pad block
         x_block = x[start_idx:end_idx_x]
30
         x_block_padded = np.pad(x_block, (0, P - len(x_block)))
31
32
         # FFT, IFFT
33
         X_block = np.fft.fft(x_block_padded)
34
         Y_block = X_block * H_fft
35
         y_block = np.real(np.fft.ifft(Y_block))
36
37
         # Avoid overrun in final block
38
         end_idx_y = min(start_idx + P, len(y_ola))
39
         valid_length = end_idx_y - start_idx
40
         y_ola[start_idx:end_idx_y] += y_block[:valid_length]
41
42
43
       # Step 5: Time measurement end
44
       end_time = time.time()
45
       exec_time = end_time - start_time
46
47
       print(f"Overlap-Add Execution Time: {exec_time:.6f} seconds")
48
49
       return y_ola
50
51
  # Apply the Overlap-Add Convolution
53
54 | filtered_ola_output = overlap_add(noisy_temperature_data, h, L, P)
  # Plot the result
56
  plt.plot(noisy_temperature_data, label='Noisy Input')
57
  plt.plot(filtered_ola_output, label='Filtered Output (OLA)')
59 | plt.title('Overlap-Add Convolution Output')
60 | plt.xlabel('Sample Index')
61 plt.ylabel('Temperature')
62 plt.legend()
63 | plt.grid(True)
64 | plt.tight_layout()
```

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65 plt.show()
```

```
L = 1024, N = 1124, M = 101, P = 2048
Overlap-Add Execution Time: 0.009515 seconds
```



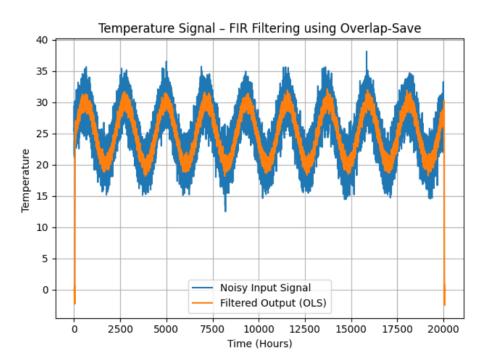
# Overlap-Save (OLS) Implementation

```
import numpy as np
  import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
  import time
3
  # Overlap-Save FIR Filtering Function
6
  \tt def \ overlap\_save(noisy\_temperature\_data, \ h, \ L\_ols\_valid, \ P):
7
       Nx = len(noisy_temperature_data)
8
       M = len(h)
9
10
       if P < M - 1:
11
           raise ValueError("FFT length P must be >= M - 1")
12
       # Pre-compute FFT of the FIR filter
14
       H_fft_ols = np.fft.fft(h, P)
15
16
       # Initialize output array
^{17}
18
       y_{ols} = np.zeros(Nx + M - 1)
19
       # Initial overlap buffer (M-1 zeros)
20
```

```
overlap_buffer = np.zeros(M - 1)
21
22
       # Start timing
23
       start_time = time.time()
24
       num_blocks = int(np.ceil(Nx / L_ols_valid))
25
26
       # Process each block
27
       for i in range(num_blocks):
28
           start_idx = i * L_ols_valid
29
           end_idx = min(start_idx + L_ols_valid, Nx)
30
31
           # Get current block and prepend overlap
32
           current_samples = noisy_temperature_data[start_idx:end_idx]
33
           x_block = np.concatenate((overlap_buffer, current_samples))
34
35
           # Zero-pad if block length < P
36
           if len(x_block) < P:</pre>
37
               x_block = np.pad(x_block, (0, P - len(x_block)))
38
39
           # FFT-based filtering
40
           X_block = np.fft.fft(x_block)
41
           Y_block = X_block * H_fft_ols
42
           y_circular = np.fft.ifft(Y_block).real
43
44
           # Extract valid part of output
45
           valid_output = y_circular[M - 1:M - 1 + L_ols_valid]
46
47
           # Store into output array
48
           output_start_idx = i * L_ols_valid
49
           output_end_idx = min(output_start_idx + len(valid_output), len(
50
           y_ols[output_start_idx:output_end_idx] = valid_output[:
51
              output_end_idx - output_start_idx]
52
           # Update overlap buffer for next block
53
           overlap_buffer = x_block[P - (M - 1):P]
54
55
       end_time = time.time()
56
       print(f"OLS filtering completed in {end_time - start_time:.4f}
57
          seconds")
58
       return y_ols[:Nx + M - 1]
59
60
61
  # Set FFT Length and Compute L_ols_valid
62
  # Ensure P is a power of 2 and >= len(h)
  P = 512
64
  M = len(h)
65
  L_{ols\_valid} = P - (M - 1)
66
67
68
  # Apply Overlap-Save Filtering
69
  filtered_ols_output = overlap_save(noisy_temperature_data, h,
70
      L_ols_valid, P)
71
72
73 # Plot the Filtered and Noisy Temperature Data
74 | plt.plot(noisy_temperature_data, label='Noisy Input Signal')
```

```
plt.plot(filtered_ols_output, label='Filtered Output (OLS)')
plt.xlabel("Time (Hours)")
plt.ylabel("Temperature ")
plt.title("Temperature Signal FIR Filtering using Overlap-Save")
plt.legend()
plt.grid(True)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```

OLS filtering completed in 0.0048 seconds



### Linear Convolution

```
# Define Manual Linear Convolution Function
  def linear_convolution(x, h):
2
       N = len(x) + len(h) - 1
       y = np.zeros(N)
4
5
       # Manual convolution implementation
6
7
       for n in range(N):
           for k in range(len(h)):
9
               if 0 \le n - k \le len(x):
                    y[n] += x[n - k] * h[k]
10
11
12
       return y
13
  # Apply Linear Convolution
```

```
# Reuse the previously defined FIR filter h
h = firwin(filter_order + 1, cutoff_freq_norm, pass_zero=True, fs=Fs)

# Measure execution time
start_time = time.time()
system_out_linear_conv = linear_convolution(noisy_temperature_data, h)
end_time = time.time()

print(f"Linear Convolution Execution Time: {end_time - start_time:.4f}
seconds")
```

Linear Convolution Execution Time: 1.4711 seconds

## Performance Comparison

### **Program Code**

### Output

```
Mean Squared Error (OLS vs Linear Conv) = 6.571623401358339e-29
Mean Squared Error (OLA vs Linear Conv) = 7.562060024164471e-29
```