

# EE 141: Digital Signal Processing

## Lab 5: Discrete-time Processing of Continuous Signals

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### Objective:

The purpose of this lab is to process simple, artificially generated, continuous-time signals in discrete time. The generation of these continuous-time signals in discrete-time will include a differentiator and a delay element.

### Question 1 (Differentiator):

Let

$$x_c(t) = \cos(10\pi t) + \frac{1}{2}\cos(5\pi t) - \frac{1}{4}\cos(20\pi t)$$

and create  $x[n]$  for  $0 \leq n \leq 300$  by sampling  $x_c(t)$  with a period of  $T = 0.01$  secs.

```
% Step 1: sample the continuous time signal x_c(t)
n = 0:300;
T = 0.01; % Sampling Period
t = n*T; % t is the point in s_c(t)

% Step 2: Get the discrete-time input, input
x_ct = cos((10*pi)*(t)) + (0.5*cos((5*pi)*(t))) - (0.25*cos((20*pi)*(t)));

% Step 3: Truncate h[n] n ==> h_{hat}(n) filter
N = 1;
for n = 0:(2*N)
    if n==N
        truncated_H(n+1)=0;
    else
        truncated_H(n+1) = ((-1)^(n-N))/((n-N)*T);
    end
end

% Step 4: get the output y[n]
```

a) Let  $N = 1$ . Perform the convolution  $y[n] = x[n] \star h[n]$  using the command `conv`.

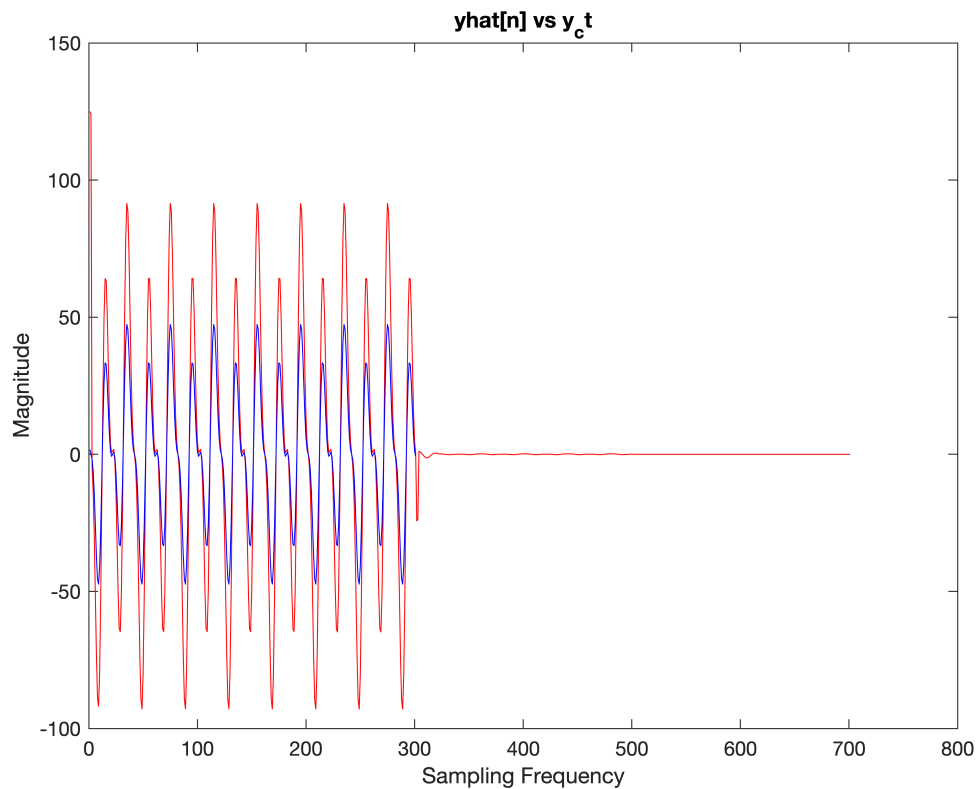
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y_n = conv(x_ct, truncated_H);
```

b) Analytically calculate  $y_c(t)$  using (1) and (2)

```
diff = t - (N.*T);  
% Differentiation of x_c(t)  
y_ct = (-10*pi*sin((10*pi).*diff)) + (.5*-5*pi*sin((5*pi).*diff)) - (0.25*-20*pi*sin((20*pi).*diff));
```

c) Compare  $\hat{y}[n]$  with  $y[n] = y_c(nT)$  by plotting  $y[n]$  and  $\hat{y}[n]$  on the same graph. Other than the "transient" effects you see on the plot of  $\hat{y}[n]$  around the borders, do  $y[n]$  and  $\hat{y}[n]$  agree?

```
figure(1)  
  
% Convolution  
plot(y_n, 'red')  
hold on  
% equation  
plot(y_ct, 'blue')  
hold off  
title('yhat[n] vs y_ct')  
xlabel('Sampling Frequency')  
ylabel('Magnitude')
```



The graphs  $y[n]$  and  $\hat{y}[n]$  agree in shape, but do not agree in amplitude. This is because my value for  $N$  is not large enough.

**d) If they did not agree, your approximation  $\hat{h}[n]$  must be too crude. Increase  $N$  and redo a through c until they  $y[n]$  and  $\hat{y}[n]$  more or less agree. (You should not have to increase  $N$  beyond 20)**

```
% a
N = 20;
for n = 0:(2*N)
    if n==N
        truncated_H(n+1)=0;
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        truncated_H(n+1) = ((-1)^(n-N))/((n-N)*T);
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y_n = conv(x_ct, truncated_H);

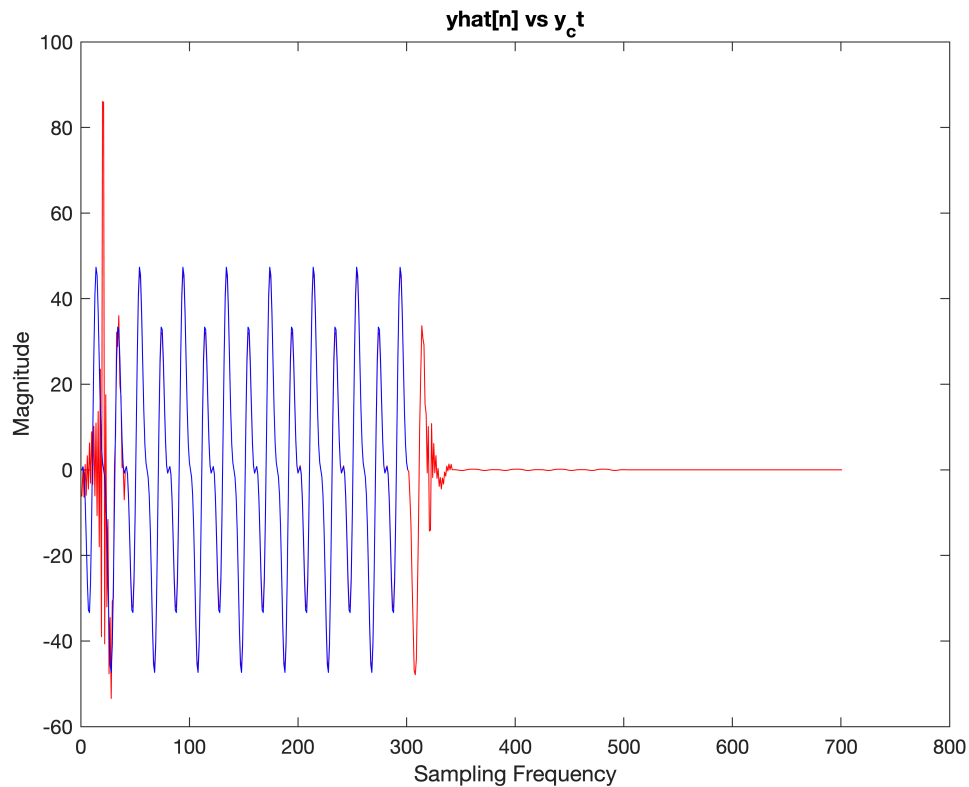
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% c
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## Question 2 (Fractional Sample Delay):

Let

$$x_c(t) = \cos(2\pi t)$$

and create  $x[n]$  for  $0 \leq n \leq 300$  by sampling  $x_c(t)$  with a period of  $T = 0.1$  secs.

```

% Step 1: sample the continuous time signal x_c(t)
n = 0:300;
T = 0.1; % Sampling Period
t = n*T; % t is the point in s_c(t)

% Step 2: Get the discrete-time input, input
x_ct = cos((2*pi)*(t));

```

```

% Step 3: Truncate h[n] n ==> h_{hat}(n) filter
N = 15;
for n = 0:(2*N)
    if (n<0 || n>2*N)
        truncated_H(n+1)=0;
    else
        truncated_H(n+1) = sinc(pi*(n-N-0.03));
    end
end

% Step 4: get the output y[n]

```

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```

y_n = conv(x_ct, truncated_H);

```

**b) Analytically calculate  $y_c(t)$  using (1) and (2)**

```

delta = 0.03;
% Differentiation of x_c(t)
y_ct = cos((2*pi)*(t-(N*T)-delta));

```

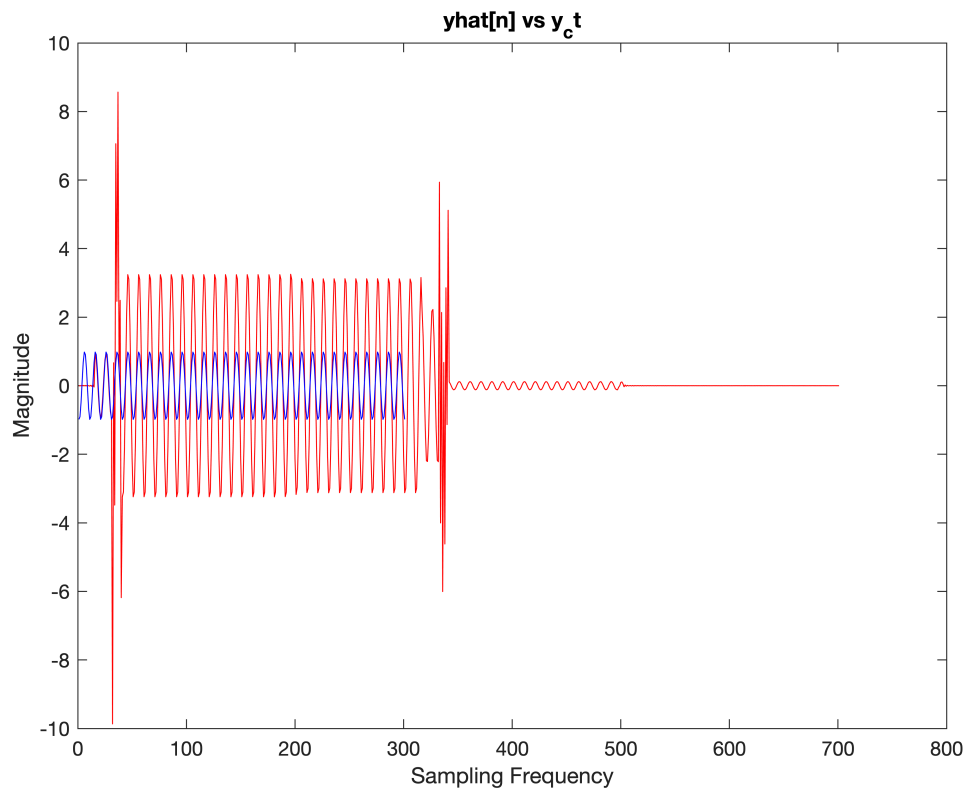
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for n = 0:(2*N)
    if ((n < 0) || (n > (2*N)))
        truncated_H(n+1)=0;
    else
        truncated_H(n+1) = sinc(pi*(n-N-0.03));
    end
end

y_n = conv(x_ct, truncated_H);

delta = 0.03;
% Differentiation of x_c(t)
y_ct = cos((2*pi)*(t-(N.*T)-delta));

figure(1)

% Convolution
```

```

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