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Exercise:

Consider X(k) given by

$$X(k) = W(k) - W(k-1), k = \pm 1, \pm 2, ...,$$

where $\{W(k)\}$ is a stationary stochastic process with independent, identically distributed (i.i.d.) stochastic variables and $E\{W(k)\} = 0$, $E\{W^2(k)\} = 1$ kale $E\{W^3(k)\} = 1$. The covariance sequence of $\{X(k)\}$ is given by:

$$c_2^x(\tau) = m_2^x(\tau) = E\{X(k)X(k+\tau)\} = E\{(W(k) - W(k-1))(W(k+\tau) - W(k+\tau-1))\} = 2\delta(\tau) - \delta(\tau-1) - \delta(\tau+1)$$

where $\delta(\tau)$ is the delta Kronecker function; hence,

$$c_2^x(au) = egin{cases} 2, & au = 0 \ -1, & au = 1, au = -1 \ 0, & elsewhere \end{cases}$$

The corresponding Power Spectrum is given by:

$$C_2^{x}(\omega) = \sum_{\tau=-1}^{1} c_2^{x}(\tau) e^{-j\omega\tau} = (2 - 2\cos\omega)$$

- 1. Find the 3rd order cumulants of $\{X(k)\}$, i.e., $c_3^x(\tau_1, \tau_2)$
- 2. Find the skewness $\gamma_3^x = c_3^x(0,0)$. What do you observe?
- 3. Find the Bispectrum $C_3^x(\omega_1, \omega_2)$. Is it complex, real or imaginary?
- 4. How the result of 2 affects the result of 3? Can you draw a general comment?

Solution:

1.
$$c_3^{\chi}(\tau_1, \tau_2) = m_3^{\chi}(\tau_1, \tau_2) - m_1^{\chi}[m_2^{\chi}(\tau_1) + m_2^{\chi}(\tau_2) + m_2^{\chi}(\tau_2 - \tau_1)] + 2(m_1^{\chi})^3$$
 (A)

Given that

$$m_1^x = EX(k) = E\{(W(k) - W(k-1))\} = E\{W(k)\} - E\{W(k-1)\} = 0 - 0 = 0$$

(A) becomes:

$$c_3^x(\tau_1,\tau_2) = m_3^x(\tau_1,\tau_2) = E\{X(k)X(k+\tau_1)X(k+\tau_2)\}$$

$$= E\{(W(k)-W(k-1))(W(k+\tau_1)-W(k+\tau_1-1))(W(k+\tau_2)-W(k+\tau_2-1))\}$$

$$= E\{(W(k)-W(k-1))[W(k+\tau_1)W(k+\tau_2)-W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2)-W(k+\tau_2)-W(k+\tau_1)W(k+\tau_2)-W(k+\tau_1)]\}$$

$$= E\{(W(k)W(k+\tau_1)W(k+\tau_2)-W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2)-W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2)-W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2)-W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2-1)-W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2)+W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2)-W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2)-W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2)-W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2-1)\}$$

$$= E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1)W(k+\tau_2)\}-E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2)\}-E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2-1)\}$$

$$-E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1)W(k+\tau_2-1)\}-E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2-1)\}$$

$$+E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2-1)\}-E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1)W(k+\tau_2-1)\}$$

$$-E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2-1)\}-E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1)W(k+\tau_2-1)\}$$

$$-E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2-1)\}$$

$$-E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2-1)\}$$

$$(B)$$

Each term takes non zero value if all 3 inputs are the same. For example,

$$E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1)W(k+\tau_2)\}$$

takes zero value for every combination that at least one of τ_1 . τ_2 is different than zero, while in other case it is simply

$$E\{W(k)W(k)W(k)\}=1$$

Thus, we can express it as

$$E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1)W(k+\tau_2)\} = \delta(\tau_1)\delta(\tau_2)$$

Therefore,

(B):

$$\begin{array}{ll} c_3^{\chi}(\tau_1,\tau_2) \; = \; \delta(\tau_1)\delta(\tau_2) - \delta(\tau_1-1)\delta(\tau_2) - \delta(\tau_1)\delta(\tau_2-1) + \delta(\tau_1-1)\delta(\tau_2-1) \\ & - \delta(\tau_1+1)\delta(\tau_2+1) + \delta(\tau_1)\delta(\tau_2+1) + \delta(\tau_1+1)\delta(\tau_2) - \delta(\tau_1)\delta(\tau_2) \end{array}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow c_3^{\chi}(\tau_1,\tau_2) \ = \begin{cases} -1, & (\tau_1,\tau_2) \ = \ (1,0) \ \textit{or} \ (\tau_1,\tau_2) \ = \ (0,1) \ \textit{or} \ (\tau_1,\tau_2) \ = \ (-1,-1) \\ 1, & (\tau_1,\tau_2) \ = \ (1,1) \ \textit{or} \ (\tau_1,\tau_2) \ = \ (0,-1) \ \textit{or} \ (\tau_1,\tau_2) \ = \ (-1,0) \\ 0, & \textit{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

2. Skewness:

$$\gamma_3^x = c_3^x(0,0) = 0$$
 (from 1), there is no skewness

3. Bispectrum:

$$C_{3}^{x}(\omega_{1},\omega_{2}) = \sum_{\tau_{1}=-\infty}^{+\infty} \sum_{\tau_{2}=-\infty}^{+\infty} c_{3}^{x}(\tau_{1},\tau_{2}) \exp\{-j(\omega_{1}\tau_{1}+\omega_{2}\tau_{2})\}$$

$$= \sum_{\tau_{1}=-1}^{+1} \sum_{\tau_{2}=-1}^{+1} c_{3}^{x}(\tau_{1},\tau_{2}) \exp\{-j(\omega_{1}\tau_{1}+\omega_{2}\tau_{2})\}$$

$$= -e^{j(\omega_{1}+\omega_{2})} - e^{-j\omega_{1}} - e^{-j\omega_{2}} + e^{j\omega_{1}} + e^{j\omega_{2}} + e^{-j(\omega_{1}+\omega_{2})}$$

$$= 2j \cdot \sin(\omega_{1}) + 2j \cdot \sin(\omega_{2}) - 2j \cdot \sin(\omega_{1}+\omega_{2})$$

Thus, the Bispectrum is imaginary

4. Comments:

It is clear that the result of 2 affects the result of 3 because the term that we get for

$$(\tau_1, \tau_2) = (0, 0)$$

shows up at the sum, affecting whether the Bispectrum is imaginary (if skewness is 0) or if it's complex (if skewness is \neq 0). In 3 we observe symmetry. We can see the terms $E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1)W(k+\tau_2)\}$ and $-E\{W(k)W(k+\tau_1-1)W(k+\tau_2-1)\}$ in 1, cancel each other and thus we get

$$\gamma_3^x = c_3^x(0,0) = 0$$

which is by itself a symmetry factor.