Homework 5-ENEE351

Problem 1

By using Fast Fourier Transform (FFT) algorithm, evaluate the polynomial $A(x) = 3x^4 + 2x^3 - 2x^2 - x$ at the complex 6th roots of unity. Show at least two levels of recursion.

Problem 2

Let $A(x) = x^2 + x + 2$ and B(x) = 2x + 3. In this question, we will compute the polynomial $C(x) = A(x) \cdot B(x)$ by using the FFT algorithm.

- (a) What is the minimum number of points we need to use? Explain.
- (b) Evaluate A(x) at the complex 4th roots of unity. Show at least two levels of recursion.
- (c) Evaluate B(x) at the complex 4th roots of unity. Show at least two levels of recursion.
- (d) Compute C(x) at the complex 4th roots of unity.
- (e) Find the coefficients of C(x).

Problem 3

Let a and b be two n-bit nonnegative integers, and let

$$(a_{n-1}, a_{n-2}, \dots, a_1, a_0)$$
 and $(b_{n-1}, b_{n-2}, \dots, b_1, b_0)$

be their respective binary representations. Define integer $c = a \cdot b$. In this question we are interested in algorithm for computing c.

(a) Define polynomials

$$A(x) = a_{n-1}x^{n-1} + a_{n-2}x^{n-2} + \dots + a_1x + a_0$$

and

$$B(x) = b_{n-1}x^{n-1} + b_{n-2}x^{n-2} + \dots + b_1x + b_0.$$

Show that a = A(2) and b = B(2).

- (b) Define polynomial $C(x) = A(x) \cdot B(x)$. (Note that the polynomial C(x) can be computer from A(x) and B(x) using FFT algorithm.) Is C(2) = c? Prove or disprove.
- (c) What is the degree m of C(x)?