

# Homework 4 for ECE 251A

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1. Problem from the text: 2.12, 4.2 (Minimum-phase system for part a), 4.7 (no need for partial autocorrelation).

**2.12** Consider the system function of a third-order FIR system

$$H(z) = 12 + 28z^{-1} - 29z^{-2} - 60z^{-3}$$

- (a) Determine the system functions of all other FIR systems whose magnitude responses are identical to that of  $H(z)$ .
- (b) Which of these systems is a minimum-phase system and which one is a maximum-phase system?
- (c) Let  $h_k(n)$  denote the impulse response of the  $k$ th FIR system determined in part (a) and define the energy delay of the  $k$ th system by

$$\mathcal{E}_k(n) \triangleq \sum_{m=n}^{\infty} |h_k(m)|^2 \quad 0 \leq n \leq 3$$

for all values of  $k$ . Show that

$$\mathcal{E}_{\min}(n) \leq \mathcal{E}_k(n) \leq \mathcal{E}_{\max}(n) \quad 0 \leq n \leq 3$$

and

$$\mathcal{E}_{\min}(\infty) = \mathcal{E}_k(\infty) = \mathcal{E}_{\max}(\infty) = 0$$

where  $\mathcal{E}_{\min}(n)$  and  $\mathcal{E}_{\max}(n)$  are energy delays of the minimum-phase and maximum-phase systems, respectively.

**4.2** Consider a zero-mean random sequence  $x(n)$  with PSD

$$R_x(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{5 + 3 \cos \omega}{17 + 8 \cos \omega}$$

- (a) Determine the innovations representation of the process  $x(n)$ .
- (b) Find the autocorrelation sequence  $r_x(l)$ .

**4.7** Use the Yule-Walker equations to determine the autocorrelation and partial autocorrelation coefficients of the following AR models, assuming that  $w(n) \sim \text{WN}(0, 1)$ .

- (a)  $x(n) = 0.5x(n-1) + w(n)$ .
- (b)  $x(n) = 1.5x(n-1) - 0.6x(n-2) + w(n)$ .

What is the variance  $\sigma_x^2$  of the resulting process?

2. Computer Assignment: Repeat Prob. 2 from Homework 3, with the Welch method for data sizes of 128 and 256 samples. In each case, experiment (average over several trials) with an overlap

of 50% and 75%, segments of length 32, 64 and 128. Compare the performance for the rectangular and Hamming window.