**Experiment No: 03** 

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**Experiment Name:** Study of autocorrelation and cross-correlation using MATLAB.

**Theory:** Autocorrelation and cross-correlation are two important concepts in signal processing, time series analysis, and other related fields.

Autocorrelation refers to the correlation of a signal with a delayed version of itself. In other words, it measures how similar a signal is to a version of itself that has been shifted in time. Autocorrelation is useful for detecting repeating patterns or cycles in a signal.

Cross-correlation, on the other hand, measures the similarity between two different signals as a function of the time lag between them. In other words, it quantifies the degree of similarity between two signals at different time offsets.

Cross-correlation is often used for signal alignment, detection of signal echoes or echoes, and for measuring the time delay between two signals.

**Required Software: MATLAB** 

## Code:

## Autocorrelation:

```
1. clc
2. clear all
3. close all
4. x=input('Enter the sequence');
5. subplot(3,1,1)
6. stem(x)
7. title('Given Function')
8. xh=xcorr(x,x)
9. subplot(3,1,2)
10. stem(xh)
11. title('Using Built in Function ')
12. z=[];
13. h=fliplr(x);
14. for i=1:length(x)
15.
        g=h.*x(i);
16.
        z=[z;g];
17. end
18. [r c]=size(z);
19. k=r+c;
20. t=2;
21. y=[];
22. cd=0;
23. while(t<=k)
24.
        for i=1:r
25.
            for j=1:c
                if((i+j)==t)
26.
27.
                   cd=cd+z(i,j);
28.
                end
29.
            end
30.
        end
31.
        t=t+1;
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32. y=[y cd];
33. cd=0;
34. end
35. subplot(3,1,3)
36. stem(y);
37. title('Manual')
```

Output:

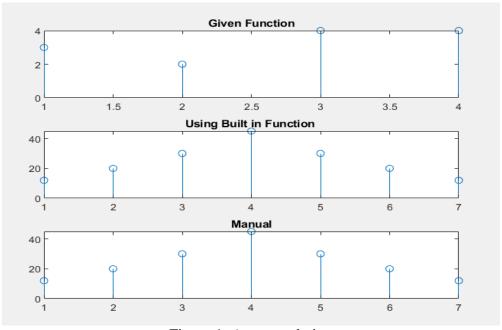


Figure 1: Autocorrelation

## Cross-correlation:

```
1. clc
2. clear all
3. close all
4. x=input('Enter the first sequence');
5. n1=input('Enter the time sample range:');
6. h=input('Enter the second sequence');
7. n2=input('Enter the time sample range:');
8. subplot(4,1,1)
9. stem(x)
10. title('Given First Function')
11. subplot(4,1,2)
12. stem(x)
13. title('Given Second Function')
14. xh=xcorr(x,h)
15. subplot(4,1,3)
16. stem(xh)
17. title('Using Built in Function ')
18. n2=-fliplr(n2);
19. z=[];
20. h=fliplr(h);
21. for i=1:length(x)
22.
       g=h.*x(i);
23.
       z=[z;g];
24. end
25. [r c]=size(z);
26. k=r+c;
27. t=2;
28. y=[];
```

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29. cd=0;
30. while(t<=k)</pre>
31.
        for i=1:r
32.
             for j=1:c
33.
                 if((i+j)==t)
34.
                    cd=cd+z(i,j);
35.
                 end
36.
             end
        end
37.
38.
        t=t+1;
39.
        y=[y cd];
40.
        cd=0;
41. end
42. nl=min(n1)+min(n2);
43. nh=max(n1)+max(n2);
44. t=nl:1:nh;
45. subplot(4,1,4)
46. stem(y);
47. title('Manual')
```

Output:

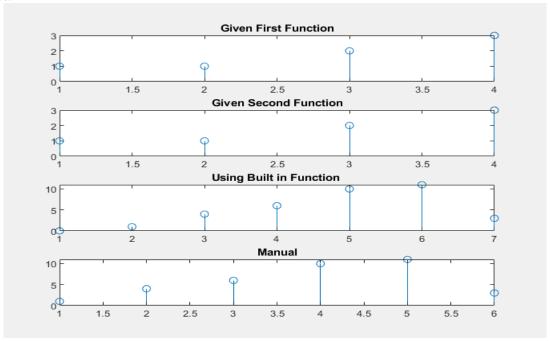


Fig 2: Cross-correlation

**Discussion:** Autocorrelation and cross-correlation are important concepts in signal processing and time series analysis. Autocorrelation measures how similar a signal is to a delayed version of itself, while cross-correlation measures the similarity between two different signals as a function of the time lag between them. Both autocorrelation and cross-correlation have numerous applications, including detecting repeating patterns, aligning signals, detecting echoes, and measuring time delays. Understanding these concepts is essential for anyone working with signals or time series data.

**Conclusion:** The experiment was done successfully and expected outcome was found.