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Experiment name: Signal Operations - Folding, Shifting, and Rotating

Perform the following Operations in the given signals:

Given signals	Operations
sin(x)	folding x(-n)
cos(x)	shifting (n-2)
x(n) = {1, 2, 3, 0, 4, -3} [where 3 is 0th value]	rotating [-x(-n)], [-x(n)]

Theory:

Signal operations are fundamental in digital signal processing. The main operations performed in this experiment are:

1. Signal Folding (Time Reversal): x(-n)

- This operation reflects the signal about the y-axis (n=0)
- For a discrete signal x(n), folding produces x(-n)
- If x(n) has values at indices n, then x(-n) has the same values at indices -n

2. Signal Shifting (Time Shifting): x(n-k)

- This operation delays the signal by k samples when k > 0
- For x(n-2), the signal is delayed by 2 samples
- The signal maintains its shape but appears at different time indices

3. Signal Rotating:

- Combination of folding and negation operations
- -x(-n): First fold the signal, then negate all amplitude values
- -x(n): Simply negate all amplitude values without folding

Procedure:

1. For sin(x) - Folding Operation x(-n):

- A discrete sine wave signal is generated
- Time reversal is applied by replacing n with -n
- Both original and folded signals are plotted for comparison using stem plots

2. For cos(x) - Shifting Operation (n-2):

- A discrete cosine wave signal is generated
- Time shifting is applied by replacing n with (n-2)
- Both original and shifted signals are plotted using stem plots

3. For discrete signal $x(n) = \{1, 2, 3, 0, 4, -3\}$ - Rotating Operations:

- The discrete signal is defined with given values
- -x(-n) operation is applied: First the signal is folded, then negated
- -x(n) operation is applied: Signal values are simply negated
- All three signals (original, -x(-n), -x(n)) are plotted for comparison

4. Analysis:

- The transformed signals are compared with original signals
- The effects of each operation on signal characteristics are observed

MATLAB CODE:

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% Signal Operations Lab - LR2
                                              % Shifted cos(n-2) - Bottom middle
clear all; close all; clc;
                                              subplot(3,3,5);
                                              stem(n_shifted, x_cos_shifted, 'go-',
%% Create single figure with 3 columns for
                                               'LineWidth', 2, 'MarkerSize', 6);
                                              title('Shifted cos(n-2)');
all tasks
figure(1);
                                              xlabel('n'); ylabel('cos(n-2)');
set(gcf, 'Position', [100, 100, 1200,
                                              grid on;
800]); % Make figure larger
                                              \%\% 3. Discrete Signal x(n) = \{1, 2, 3, 0, \dots \}
%% 1. Sin(x) - Folding Operation x(-n) -
                                              4, -3} - Rotating Operations - Column 3
Column 1
                                              % 3 is the center value (0th value), so
n = -10:10; % discrete time indices
                                              indices should be -2 to 3
x \sin = \sin(n);
                                              n discrete = -2:3; % indices for the given
x \sin folded = \sin(-n); % x(-n)
                                              signal with 3 at n=0
                                              x 	ext{ discrete} = [1, 2, 3, 0, 4, -3];
% Original sin(n) - Top left
subplot(3,3,1);
                                              % Original signal - Top right
stem(n, x_sin, 'bo-', 'LineWidth', 2,
                                              subplot(3,3,3);
'MarkerSize', 6);
                                              stem(n_discrete, x_discrete, 'bo-',
title('Task 1: Original sin(n)');
                                              'LineWidth', 2, 'MarkerSize', 8);
xlabel('n'); ylabel('sin(n)');
                                              title('Task 3: Original x(n) [3 at n=0]');
grid on;
                                              xlabel('n'); ylabel('x(n)');
                                              grid on;
% Folded sin(-n) - Bottom left
subplot(3,3,4);
                                              % -x(-n) operation: fold then negate -
stem(n, x_sin_folded, 'ro-', 'LineWidth',
                                              Middle right
2, 'MarkerSize', 6);
                                              % For folding x(-n), we need to reverse
title('Folded sin(-n)');
                                              both indices and values
xlabel('n'); ylabel('sin(-n)');
                                              n folded = -fliplr(n_discrete); % flip
grid on;
                                              indices then negate: [3, 2, 1, 0, -1, -2]
                                              x folded = fliplr(x discrete);
                                                                               % flip the
%% 2. Cos(x) - Shifting Operation (n-2) -
                                              values: [-3, 4, 0, 3, 2, 1]
Column 2
                                              x_neg_folded = -x_folded;
                                                                                % then
x cos = cos(n);
                                              negate: [3, -4, 0, -3, -2, -1]
% For shifting (n-2), we need to create
shifted indices
                                              subplot(3,3,6);
n = n + 2; % shift the time axis
                                              stem(n_folded, x_neg_folded, 'ro-',
x_{cos\_shifted} = cos(n); % x(n-2) means the
                                               'LineWidth', 2, 'MarkerSize', 8);
signal appears 2 samples later
                                              title('Rotated -x(-n)');
                                              xlabel('n'); ylabel('-x(-n)');
% Original cos(n) - Top middle
                                              grid on;
subplot(3,3,2);
stem(n, x_cos, 'bo-', 'LineWidth', 2,
                                              % -x(n) operation: just negate - Bottom
'MarkerSize', 6);
                                              right
title('Task 2: Original cos(n)');
                                              x_negated = -x_discrete;
xlabel('n'); ylabel('cos(n)');
grid on;
                                              subplot(3,3,9);
                                              stem(n discrete, x negated, 'go-',
                                              'LineWidth', 2, 'MarkerSize', 8);
                                              title('Negated -x(n)');
                                              xlabel('n'); ylabel('-x(n)');
                                              grid on;
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% Add overall title
                                              disp('2. Discrete Cosine Signal:');
sgtitle('DSP Lab 2: Signal Operations -
                                              disp(['Original cos(n) at n=0: ',
Folding, Shifting, and Rotating',
                                              num2str(cos(0))]);
                                              disp(['Shifted cos(n-2) appears at n=2: ',
'FontSize', 16, 'FontWeight', 'bold');
                                              num2str(cos(0))]);
                                              disp(' ');
%% Display results
                                              disp('3. Discrete Signal x(n):');
disp('Signal Operations Results:');
disp('======');
                                              disp(['n = ', num2str(n_discrete)]);
disp(' ');
                                              disp(['x(n) = ', num2str(x_discrete)]);
disp('1. Discrete Sine Signal:');
                                              disp('Note: Center value 3 is at n=0');
                                              disp(' ');
disp(['Original sin(n) at n=0: ',
                                              disp('Folded and negated signal -x(-n):');
num2str(sin(0))]);
disp(['Folded sin(-n) at n=0: ',
                                              disp(['n = ', num2str(n_folded)]);
                                              disp(['-x(-n) = ', num2str(x_neg_folded)]);
disp(' ');
num2str(sin(0))]);
disp(' ');
                                              disp('Negated signal -x(n):');
                                              disp(['n = ', num2str(n_discrete)]);
                                              disp(['-x(n) = ', num2str(x_negated)]);
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Output:

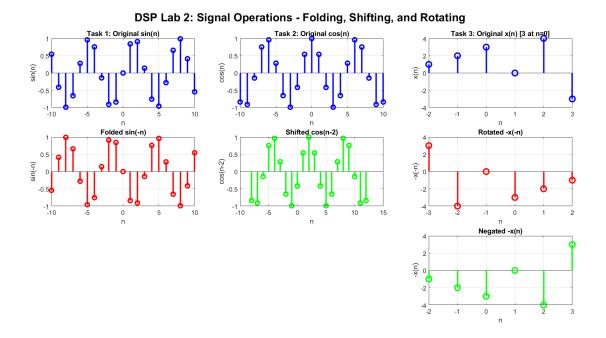


Figure 1: signal output of folding, shifting and rotating

Discussion:

1. Folding Operation on sin(n):

- The folded discrete sine signal sin(-n) is equivalent to -sin(n) due to the odd symmetry property of sine function
- For discrete signals, the folding operation reflects the signal samples about n=0
- This operation demonstrates the time-reversal property in discrete signal processing

2. Shifting Operation on cos(n):

- The shifted discrete cosine signal cos(n-2) represents a delayed version of the original signal
- The delay of 2 samples shifts the entire discrete signal to the right by 2 positions
- The amplitude and shape remain unchanged, only the time indices are affected

3. Rotating Operations on Discrete Signal:

- **Original signal**: x(n) = {1, 2, 3, 0, 4, -3} at indices n = {-2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3} with center value 3 at n=0
- **-x(-n) operation**: Results in {3, -4, 0, -3, -2, -1} at indices {3, 2, 1, 0, -1, -2}
 - First the signal is folded (time-reversed): {-3, 4, 0, 3, 2, 1}
 - o Then all amplitude values are negated: {3, -4, 0, -3, -2, -1}
- -x(n) operation: Results in {-1, -2, -3, 0, -4, 3} at the same indices {-2, -1, 0, 1, 2, 3}
 - Only amplitude values are negated without any time manipulation

Key Observations:

- All signals are now treated as discrete-time signals using stem plots
- Folding changes the time axis representation for discrete samples
- Shifting translates discrete signal samples in the time domain
- Negation affects only the amplitude values of discrete samples
- Combined operations (-x(-n)) affect both time and amplitude domains for discrete signals

Conclusion:

This experiment successfully demonstrated fundamental discrete signal operations in digital signal processing:

- 1. **Folding (Time Reversal)**: Successfully implemented x(-n) operation on discrete sin(n), showing how discrete signals can be reflected about the time axis. The operation revealed the odd symmetry property of discrete sine function.
- 2. **Time Shifting**: Implemented shifting operation (n-2) on discrete cos(n), demonstrating how discrete signals can be delayed in time domain while preserving their shape and amplitude characteristics.
- 3. **Rotating Operations**: Applied both -x(-n) and -x(n) operations on the discrete signal, showing the difference between:
 - Combined folding and negation: -x(-n)
 - Simple amplitude negation: -x(n)

Learning Outcomes:

- Understanding of basic discrete signal transformations
- Practical implementation of discrete signal operations in MATLAB
- Visualization of discrete signal behavior under different operations using stem plots
- Recognition of how time and amplitude domains can be independently manipulated in discrete systems

These discrete operations form the foundation for more complex digital signal processing techniques such as discrete convolution, correlation, and digital filtering operations used in various engineering applications.

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