Pulsed Range Imaging

A chirp-pulsed radar signal $p(t) = \exp[j(\beta t + \alpha t^2)]$ is used, with pulse duration $T_p = 10\mu s$, i.e. p(t) is nonzero when $t \in [0, T_p]$ and is zero otherwise, carrier frequency is $f_c = 1 \times 10^3$ MHz, baseband bandwidth is $B_0 = 50$ MHz. Five targets are located at $X_c + x_n$, $n = 1, \dots, 5$, $x_1 = 0$, $x_2 = 0.7X_0$, $x_3 = 0.8X_0$, $x_4 = -0.5X_0$, and $x_5 = 0.3X_0$. The corresponding reflectivity is $\sigma_1 = 1$, $\sigma_2 = 0.8$, $\sigma_3 = 1$, $\sigma_4 = 0.8$, $\sigma_5 = 0.7$, and the mean range of the target scene is $X_c = 2 \times 10^3$ meters. The range swath echo time period is $T_x = 0.67\mu s$. Consider pulse compression for target reconstruction. Since $T_x < T_p$, the Nyquist time-domain sampling space Δ_t for the echoed signal s(t) is less than the Nyquist time-domain sampling space Δ_t for the compressed signal $s_c(t)$. Hence, the measured samples are chosen based on Δ_{tc} which is less restrictive than Δ_t . This results in an aliased baseband-echoed signal. Perform sufficient up-sampling in the compressed signal to convert the time sample spacing from Δ_{tc} to Δ_t . Decompress the upsampled compressed signal to retrieve the alias-free echoed signal which is suitable for matched filtering.

Complete Matlab programming that generates the following results. Submit through UBLearns a report (a single pdf file) that includes 1. Figures of the results; 2. Analysis of the results (describe your observations and provide analysis of these observations); 3. Attach the Matlab code at the end of the report for all problems. In addition, submit the Matlab code that can be compiled to generate all the results in one .zip file to yl72@buffalo.edu.

Note: this is an individual project and please complete the project independently.

- P1.1 Real part of the baseband echoed signal $s_b(t)$ versus the time array t.
- P1.2 Real part of the baseband reference reference echoed signal $s_{0b}(t)$ versus t.
- P1.3 Baseband-echoed signal spectrum $|S_b(\omega)|$ (i.e. the magnitude of $S_b(\omega)$) versus ω .
- P1.4 Baseband reference echoed signal spectrum $|S_{0b}(\omega)|$ versus ω .
- P1.5 Baseband matched filtered signal spectrum $|S_{Mb}(\omega)|$ versus ω . Also display $|F(k_x)|$ versus the spatial frequency k_x array.
- P1.6 Range reconstruction via baseband matched filtering. Plot the real part of $s_{Mb}(t)$ versus the time t array, and plot the |f(x)| array versus the range x array.

- P1.7 Real part of the time domain baseband compressed signal $s_{cb}(t)$ versus t.
- P1.8 Range reconstruction via time domain compression, i.e. plot $|S_{cb}(\omega)|$ versus the range x.