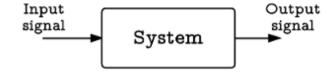
# Introduction to Digital Signal Processing Linear Time-Invariant Systems

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# Input-Output Relationship of System



#### Input-Output Relationship of Linear System

#### Linearity:

$$x_i[n] \mapsto y_i[n] \implies \sum_i \alpha_i x_i[n] \mapsto \sum_i \alpha_i y_i[n]$$

## Input-Output Relationship of Time-Invariant System

#### Time-invariance:

$$x_i[n] \mapsto y_i[n] \implies x_i[n-k] \mapsto y_i[n-k]$$

# Linear Time Invariant (LTI) System

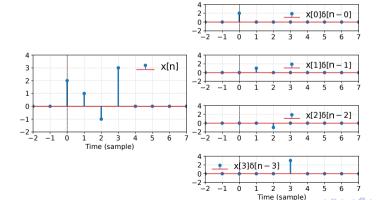
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$$x_i[n] \mapsto y_i[n] \implies \sum_i \alpha_i x_i[n-k_i] \mapsto \sum_i \alpha_i y_i[n-k_i]$$

# Importance of the Impulse Signal

Any signal x[n] can be represented as a linear combinration of time-shifted impulse signals.

$$x[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k]\delta[n-k]$$



# Impulse Response of an LTI System

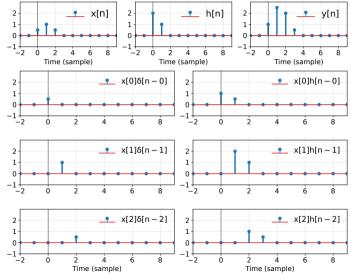
Impulse Response: The response of an LTI system to an impulse input.

$$h[n] = \mathcal{H}\left(\delta[n]\right)$$

If we know this, then we know the following for an LTI system:

$$\delta[n] \mapsto h[n] \implies \begin{cases} \delta[n-k] & \mapsto h[n-k] \\ \alpha_k \cdot \delta[n-k] & \mapsto \alpha_k \cdot h[n-k] \\ \sum_k \alpha_k \cdot \delta[n-k] & \mapsto \sum_k \alpha_k \cdot h[n-k] \end{cases}$$
$$x[n] = \sum_k x[k] \cdot \delta[n-k] \xrightarrow{\mathcal{H}} \sum_k x[k] \cdot h[n-k] = x[n] * h[n]$$

# Output of an LTI System



$$y[n] = x[n] * h[n] = \sum_{i} x[k] \cdot h[n-k]$$

#### Alternative View of the Convolution Sum

$$y[n] = x[n] * h[n] = \sum_{k} x[k] \cdot h[n-k]$$

k		-3	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
x[k]		0	0	0	0.5	1	0.5	0	0	0	0	• • •	
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# What does the impulse response tell us?

$$y[n] = x[n] * h[n] = \sum_{k} x[k] \cdot h[n-k]$$

$$= h[n] * x[n] = \sum_{k} h[k] \cdot x[n-k]$$

$$= \dots + h[2] \cdot x[n-2] + h[1] \cdot x[n-1]$$

$$+ h[0] \cdot x[n]$$

$$+ h[-1] \cdot x[n+1] + h[-2] \cdot x[n+2] + \dots$$

#### Properties of convolution sum

Commutative

$$x_1[n] * x_2[n] = x_2[n] * x_1[n]$$

Associative

$$x_1[n] * (x_2[n] * x_3[n]) = (x_1[n] * x_2[n]) * x_3[n]$$

Distributive

$$x_1[n] * (x_2[n] + x_3[n]) = x_1[n] * x_2[n] + x_1[n] * x_3[n]$$

Multiplicative identity

$$x_1[n] * \delta[n] = x_1[n]$$

## Impulse response, causality, and stability

Let h[n] be the impulse response of and LTI system  $\mathcal{H}$ .

**Causaility**. The LTI system  $\mathcal{H}$  is causal, if and only if,

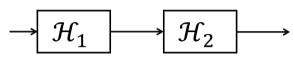
$$h[n] = 0, \ \forall n < 0$$

**Stability**. The LTI system  $\mathcal{H}$  is stable, if and only if,

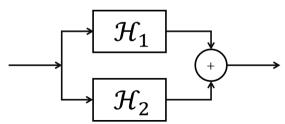
$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |h[k]| < \infty$$

## Interconnection of LTI systems

# **Series Connection**



## **Parallel Connection**



# Finite and Infinite Impulse Response system

Discrete-time LTI systems can be classified into two types based on the duration of the impulse response:

**Finite Impulse Response (FIR) system.** h[n] is non-zero only for a finite duration of time, and it is uniformly zero outside this finite duration.

$$h[n] = 0, \ n < M_1 \ \text{and} \ n > M_2 \implies y[n] = \sum_{k=M_1}^{M_2} h[k]x[n-k]$$

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Stability?

How would be implement this system?

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Discrte-time LTI system can be classified into two types of system based on the duration of the impulse response:

▶ Infinite Impulse Response (IIR) system. h[n] is of infinitely long duration.,

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} h[k]x[n-k]$$

Causality?

Stability?

How would be implement this system?

Consider the following system,

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} x[n-k]$$

This system has a simple recursive form,

$$y[n] = y[n-1] + x[n]$$

A class of IIR systems can be expressed in recursive form through linear, constant coefficient difference equations,

$$y[n] = -\sum_{k=1}^{n} a_k \cdot y[n-k] + \sum_{k=0}^{m} b_k \cdot x[n-k]$$

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Find the output of the system for  $n \ge 0$  for the input x[n] = u[n].

$$y[n] = a_1 \cdot y[n-1] + x[n]$$

# Zero state and Zeo Input Responses of LTI system

$$y[n] = a_1 \cdot y[n-1] + x[n] \longrightarrow$$

Zero state response:

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# Linearity of a general recursive LTI system

$$y[n] = -\sum_{k=1}^{N} a_k \cdot y[n-k] + \sum_{k=0}^{M} b_k \cdot x[n-k]$$

1. The total system response is the sum of the *zero state* response and *zero input* responses.

2. The zero state response satisfies the property of scaling and superposition.

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## Solution of linear constant coefficient difference equations

$$y[n] = -\sum_{k=1}^{n} a_k \cdot y[n-k] + \sum_{k=0}^{m} b_k \cdot x[n-k]$$

The general solution is given by (assuming the input is applied at time n=0),

$$y[n] = y_h[n] + y_p[n]$$

 $\triangleright$   $y_h[n]$  is the homogenous solution, i.e. the solution when the input is 0.

 $ightharpoonup y_p[n]$  is the particular solution, i.e. the solution for the given input x[n].

## Homogenous Solution

This is the solution to the following equation,

$$y[n] + \sum_{k=1}^{N} a_k \cdot y[n-k] = 0$$

We are interested in the solution starting at n=0 with the initial conditions  $\{y[-1],y[-2],y[-3],\ldots,y[-N+1]\}.$ 

We first replace the term y[n-k] to  $z^{n-k}$ , resulting in the following equation,

$$z^{n} + \sum_{k=1}^{N} a_{k} \cdot z^{n-k} = 0 \implies z^{N} + a_{1}z^{N-1} + a_{2}z^{N-2} + \dots + a_{N} = 0$$

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Let  $\{\lambda_i\}_{i=1}^N$  be the roots of the above polynominal equations, assuming there are N distinct roots. Then, the homogenous solution has the following form,

$$y_h[n] = C_1 \lambda_1^n + C_2 \lambda_2^n + C_3 \lambda_3^n + \dots + C_N \lambda_N^n, \quad n \ge 0$$

The initial conditions can be used to solve for the constants  $C_i$ .

## Homogenous Solution

$$z^{n} + \sum_{k=1}^{N} a_{k} \cdot z^{n-k} = 0 \implies z^{N} + a_{1}z^{N-1} + a_{2}z^{N-2} + \dots + a_{N} = 0$$

Let  $\lambda_1$  by repeated m times, then the homogenous solution has the following form,

$$y_h[n] = \sum_{i=0}^{m-1} C_i n^i \lambda_1^n + \sum_{i=m+1}^{N} C_i \lambda_i^n, \quad n \ge 0$$

# Particular Solution

The particular solution  $y_p[n]$  satisfies the following equation,

$$y_p[n] + \sum_{k=1}^{N} a_k \cdot y_p[n-k] = \sum_{k=0}^{m} b_k \cdot x[n-k]$$

Based on the type of the input, we assume a particular form for the particular solution and solve for the constants in this solution to obtain the exact  $y_p[n]$ .

Input Signal	Particular Solution
A	K
u[n]	$K \cdot u[n]$
$\alpha^n$	$K \cdot \alpha^n$
$n^p$	$\sum_{i=0}^{p} K_i n^i$
$\cos \Omega n, \sin \Omega n$	$K_1 \cos \Omega n + K_2 \sin \Omega n$

Find the output of the LTI system described by the following equation,.

$$y[n] + 0.5y[n-1] = x[n]; \quad x[n] = u[n], y[-1] = -2$$



Find the output of the LTI system described by the following equation,.

$$y[n] + y[n-1] - 2y[n-2] = x[n]; \quad x[n] = 0.1^n, y[-1] = 1, y[-2] = -1$$



# Impulse response of a Linear Time-invariant Recursive system

$$y[n] = -\sum_{k=1}^{N} a_k \cdot y[n-k] + \sum_{k=0}^{M} b_k \cdot x[n-k]$$

Impulse response is the zero state response for the input  $\delta[n]$ .

Find the impulse response of the following system,

$$y[n] + 0.5y[n-1] = x[n] + 2x[n-1]$$
$$y[n] + y[n-1] - 2y[n-2] = x[n] - x[n-1]$$

## Impulse response of a Linear Time-invariant Recursive system

$$y[n] = -\sum_{k=1}^{N} a_k \cdot y[n-k] + \sum_{k=0}^{M} b_k \cdot x[n-k]$$

The impulse response has the general form,

$$h[n] = \sum_{i=1}^{N} C_i \lambda_i^n$$

We solve for  $C_i$  assuming zero initial conditions,  $y[-1] = y[-2] = \cdots = y[-N+1] = 0$ .

The impulse response will be equal to the homogenous solution from n=M+1, with the initial conditions  $y[n-M], y[n-M-1], y[n-M-2], \ldots, y[n-M-N+1]$ .

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### Exponential inputs to an LTI system

Consider the following LTI system,

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} h[k]x[n-k]$$

If we apply an input  $x[n] = z^n$ , then we get

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} h[k]z^{n-k} = \left(\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} h[k]z^{-k}\right) z^n = H(z) z^n$$