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Topics: LCCDE

1. Consider the linear constant-coefficient difference equation

$$y[n] - \frac{3}{4}y[n-1] + \frac{1}{8}y[n-2] = 2x[n-1]$$

Determine y[n] for $n \ge 0$ when $x[n] = \delta[n]$ and y[n] = 0, n < 0.

The difference equation:

$$y[n] - \frac{3}{4}y[n-1] + \frac{1}{8}y[n-2] = 2x[n-1]$$

To solve, we take the Fourier transform of both sides.

$$Y(e^{j\omega}) - \frac{3}{4}Y(e^{j\omega})e^{-j\omega} + \frac{1}{8}Y(e^{j\omega})e^{-j2\omega} = 2 \cdot X(e^{j\omega})e^{-j\omega}$$

The system function is given by:

$$H(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{Y(e^{j\omega})}{X(e^{j\omega})}$$
$$= \frac{2e^{-j\omega}}{1 - \frac{3}{4}e^{-j\omega} + \frac{1}{8}e^{-j2\omega}}$$

The impulse response (for $x[n] = \delta[n]$) is the inverse Fourier transform of $H(e^{j\omega})$.

$$H(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{-8}{1 + \frac{1}{4}e^{-j\omega}} + \frac{8}{1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}}$$

Thus,

$$h[n] = -8(\frac{1}{4})^n u[n] + 8(\frac{1}{2})^n u[n].$$

2. (a) Determine the frequency response $H(e^{j\omega})$ of the LTI system whose input and output satisfy the difference equation

$$y[n] - \frac{1}{2}y[n-1] = x[n] + 2x[n-1] + x[n-2]$$

(b) Write a difference equation that characterizes a system whose frequency response is

$$H(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega} + e^{-j3\omega}}{1 + \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega} + \frac{3}{4}e^{-j2\omega}}$$

(a) The difference equation:

$$y[n] - \frac{1}{2}y[n-1] = x[n] + 2x[n-1] + x[n-2]$$

Taking the Fourier transform of both sides,

$$Y(e^{j\omega})[1-\frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}] = X(e^{j\omega})[1+2e^{-j\omega}+e^{-j2\omega}].$$

Hence, the frequency response is

$$\begin{array}{lcl} H(e^{j\omega}) & = & \displaystyle \frac{Y(e^{j\omega})}{X(e^{j\omega})} \\ \\ & = & \displaystyle \frac{1+2e^{-j\omega}+e^{-j2\omega}}{1-\frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}}. \end{array}$$

(b) A system with frequency response:

$$H(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1 - \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega} + e^{-j3\omega}}{1 + \frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega} + \frac{3}{4}e^{-j2\omega}}$$

= $\frac{Y(e^{j\omega})}{X(e^{j\omega})}$

cross multiplying,

$$Y(e^{j\omega})[1+\frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}+\frac{3}{4}e^{-j2\omega}]=X(e^{j\omega})[1-\frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega}+e^{-j3\omega}],$$

and the inverse transform gives

$$y[n] + \frac{1}{2}y[n-1] + \frac{3}{4}y[n-2] = x[n] - \frac{1}{2}x[n-1] + x[n-3].$$

3. Consider the cascade of LTI discrete-time systems shown in Figure. The first system is described by the frequency

response

$$H_1(e^{j\omega}) = e^{-j\omega} \begin{cases} 0, & |\omega| \le 0.25\pi \\ 1, & 0.25\pi < |\omega| \le \pi \end{cases}$$

and the second system is described by

$$h_2[n] = 2\frac{\sin(0.5\pi n)}{\pi n}$$

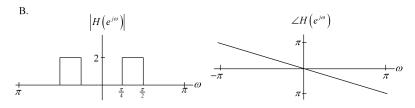
- (a) Determine an equation that defines the frequency response, $H(e^{j\omega})$, of the overall system over the range $-\pi \le \omega \le \pi$.
- (b) Sketch the magnitude, $|H(e^{j\omega})|$, and the phase, $\angle H(e^{j\omega})$, of the overall frequency response over the range $-\pi \le \omega \le \pi$.
- (c) Use any convenient means to determine the impulse response h[n] of the overall cascade system.

A. The impulse response $h_2[n] = 2 \frac{\sin(0.5\pi n)}{\pi n}$ corresponds to a frequency response of $H_2\left(e^{j\omega}\right) = \begin{cases} 2, & \omega < \pi/2 \\ 0, & \pi/2 < \omega \leq \pi \end{cases}$

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Then

$$\begin{split} H\left(e^{j\omega}\right) &= H_1\left(e^{j\omega}\right) H_2\left(e^{j\omega}\right) \\ &= e^{-j\omega} \times \begin{cases} 0, & |\omega| < \pi/4 \\ 2, & \pi/4 < |\omega| < \pi/2 \\ 0, & \pi/2 < |\omega| \le \pi. \end{cases} \end{split}$$



C. Method 1 (Easiest):

The overall cascade system can be viewed as the difference of two lowpass filters with a one-sample delay.

$$h[n] = 2\frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{2}(n-1)\right)}{\pi(n-1)} - 2\frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}(n-1)\right)}{\pi(n-1)}$$

Method 2 (Harder):

The overall cascade system can be viewed as having a lowpass response modulated up to frequency $3\pi/8$.

$$h[n] = 4 \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{8}(n-1)\right)}{\pi(n-1)} \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{8}(n-1)\right)$$

Method 3 (Direct): Just evaluate

$$h[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} H(e^{j\omega}) e^{j\omega n} d\omega$$

4. A linear time-invariant system is described by the input-output relation

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

- (a) Determine h[n], the impulse response of the system.
- (b) Is this a stable system?
- (c) Determine $H(e^{jw})$, the frequency response of the system. Use trigonometric identities to obtain a simple expression for $H(e^{jw})$
- (d) Plot the magnitude and phase of the frequency response.
- (e) Now consider a new system whose frequency response is $H_1(e^{jw}) = H(e^{j(w+\pi)})$. Determine $h_1[n]$, the impulse response of the new system.

(a)

$$\begin{array}{rcl} y[n] & = & x[n] + 2x[n-1] + x[n-2] \\ & = & x[n] * (\delta[n] + 2\delta[n-1] + \delta[n-2]) \\ h[n] & = & \delta[n] + 2\delta[n-1] + \delta[n-2] \end{array}$$

(b) For given h[n], the system is stable.

(c)

$$H(e^{jw}) = 1 + 2e^{-jw} + e^{-2jw}$$

- (d) Plot the magnitude and phase of the frequency response.
 - i. Magnitude

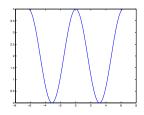


Figure 1: Magnitude

ii. Phase

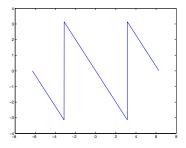


Figure 2: Phase

(e)

$$h_{1}[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int H_{1}(e^{jw})e^{jw}dw$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int H_{1}(e^{j(w+\pi)})e^{jwn}dw$$

$$= e^{-j\pi n} \frac{1}{2\pi} \int H_{1}(e^{jw})e^{jwn}dw$$

$$= -1^{n}h[n]$$

$$= \delta[n] - 2\delta[n-1] + \delta[n-2]$$