## EECE-5666: Midterm-2 Exam: 2022-SPRG

# 130 Minutes between Tuesday 3:30 pm and 6:30 pm [40-Points]

#### Instructions:

- 1. You are required to read the NU Academic Integrity policy (given below) and sign below that the submitted work is your own work. (This is a COE requirement.)
- 2. You are required to complete this exam using Live Editor.
- 3. Use of the equation editor to typeset mathematical material such as variables, equations, etc., is strongly recommended. However, in the interest of time, a properly scanned image of a neatly hand-written fragment can be inserted as your work in the required space.
- 4. After completing this exam, export this Live script to PDF. If you encounter problems in the direct export to PDF, export to Microsoft Word and then print to PDF.
- 5. Submit the PDF file only. **DO NOT SUBMIT YOUR LIVE EDITOR (.MLX) FILE, IT WILL NOT BE GRADED**.
- 6. You should complete this exam in two hours with additional 10 minutes for submission activities.
- 7. The exam is made available for only one attempt.

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## Problem-1 (15-points) The Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT)

The following two parts, (a) and (b), are not related to each other.

#### (a) [9-points] Properties of the DFT

Consider a 4-point sequence  $x[n] = \{\alpha, \beta, \delta, \gamma\}$  where  $\alpha, \beta, \delta$ , and  $\gamma$  are (possibly) complex-valued numbers. Let X[k] be the 6-point DFT of x[n]. In the following sub-parts, you must provide analytical justifications to get full credit.

**i.** [3-points] Determine the finite-length sequence y[n] whose 6-point DFT is

$$Y[k] = W_3^{2k} X[k].$$

#### Solution:

First we take the 6-point DFT to solve for X[k]

$$X[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{5} x[k] W_6^{kn} = \left[ \alpha, \beta \left( \frac{1}{2} - j \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right), \delta \left( \frac{-1}{2} - j \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right), -\gamma, 0, 0 \right]$$

Now we take the IDFT of the sequence  $\mathit{Y}[\mathit{k}]$  to obtain the sequence  $\mathit{y}[\mathit{n}]$ 

 $y[n] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{5} Y[k] W_6^{-kn} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{5} W_3^{2k} X[k] W_6^{-kn} = \left[\alpha, \beta W_3^1 W_3^2, \delta W_3^2 W_3^4, \gamma, W_3^3, 0, 0\right] \text{ after combing twiddle factors we get}$ 

$$Y[k] = \left[\alpha W_{6}^{0}, \beta W_{6}^{5}, \delta W_{3}^{2}, \gamma W_{6}^{3}, 0, 0\right] = \left[\alpha, \beta \left(\frac{1}{2} + j\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right), \delta \left(\frac{-1}{2} + j\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right), -\gamma, 0, 0\right]$$

Then Taking the IDFT we get

$$y[n] = \left[\alpha, \beta\left(\frac{-1}{2} + j\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right), \delta, \gamma, 0, 0\right]$$

ii. [3-points] Determine the finite-length sequence w[n] whose 6-point DFT is

$$W[k] = X[\langle k+3 \rangle_6].$$

Solution:

$$W[k] = \left[ -\gamma, 0, 0, \alpha, \beta \left( \frac{1}{2} - j \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right), \delta \left( \frac{-1}{2} - j \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right) \right]$$

iii. [4-points] Determine the finite-length sequence v[n] whose 3-point DFT is

$$V[k] = X[2k], \quad k = 0, 1, 2.$$

Solution:

$$v[n] = [\alpha, \delta W_3^2 W_3^{-1}, 0] = [\alpha, \delta \left(\frac{-1}{2} - j\frac{\sqrt{3}}{2}\right), 0]$$

**(b)** [6-points] Let X[k] be an N-point DFT of an N-point sequence x[n].

**i. [3-Points]** Using the analysis and synthesis equations of the DFT, show that the energy of an *N*-point sequence satisfies

$$\mathscr{E}_x \triangleq \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} |x[n]|^2 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} |X[k]|^2.$$

Solution:

ii. [3-Points] Using MATLAB, verify the above relation on the following 9-point sequence

$$x[n] = \{1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1\}.$$

#### MATLAB script:

```
clc; close all; clear;
x = [1,2,3,4,5,4,3,2,1]; N = 9;
sum(abs(x(:).^2))
```

ans = 85

$$X = fft(x,9); Xe = 1/N*sum(abs(X(:).^2))$$

Xe = 85.0000

Thus the energy is equivalent for the following above relation

## Problem-2 (13-Points) The Fast Fourier Transform (FFT)

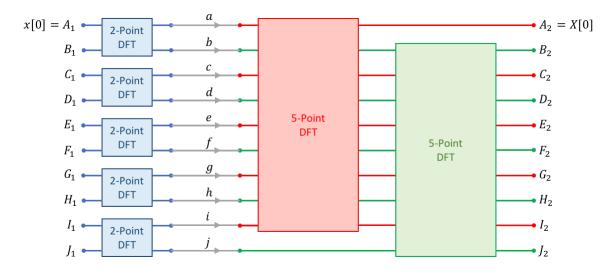
In this problem we will consider a mixed-radix fast Fourier transform algorithm for an N=10 point DFT.

(a) [3-Points] Develop a FFT algorithm which computes five radix-2 DFTs followed by twiddle-factor merging and two radix-5 DFTs. That is, obtain a formula similar to equation (8.50) in the textbook for this 10-point DFT with  $N = N_1 N_2$  where  $N_1 = 2$  and  $N_2 = 5$ .

#### Solution:

$$X[n_2a+b] = \sum_{n=0}^{4} \left[ \sum_{m=0}^{1} x[n_1n+m]W_2^{an} \right] W_{10}^{bm}W_5^{mb}$$
 for  $a=0,1,...,4$ ,  $b=0,1$  and  $n_1=0,1$  and  $n_2=0,1,...,4$ 

**(b) [6-points]** The signal flow graph (SFG) for the formula in (2a.1) can be drawn as follows.



Answer the following subparts based on the above SFG.

**i.** [2-Point] Determine the input signal samples in the nodes  $D_1$  and  $G_1$ . For example, node  $A_1$  has input sample x[0].

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#### Solution:

Enter your answers below by clicking next to the = symbol:

$$D_1 = x[6]$$
 ,  $G_1 = x[3]$  .

**ii.** [2-Point] Determine twiddle factors d and h.

#### Solution:

Enter your answers below by clicking next to the = symbol:

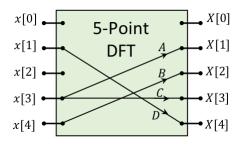
$$d = W_5^1 = 0.3090 - j0.9511$$
,  $h = W_5^3 = -0.8090 + j0.5878$ .

iii. [2-Point] Determine output signal samples in  $C_2$  and  $H_2$ . For example, node  $A_2$  has output sample X[0]. Solution:

Enter your answers below by clicking next to the = symbol:

$$C_2 = X[2]$$
 ,  $H_2 = X[7]$ .

(c) [4-Points] The following diagram shows a partial SFG (to avoid clutter) for the butterfly in radix-5 (i.e., 5-point) DFT. Determine the reduced twiddle factors A, B, C, and D. For example, if the twiddle factor is  $W_{10}^{12}$ , then the reduced twiddle factor is  $W_{10}^{10+2} = W_{10}^{10}W_{10}^2 = W_{10}^2$ .



#### Solution:

Enter your answers below by clicking next to the = symbol:

$$A = W_{10}^6$$
 ,

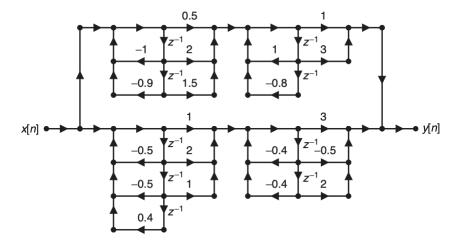
$$B = -W_{10}^8$$
,

$$C = -W_{10}^6$$
 , and

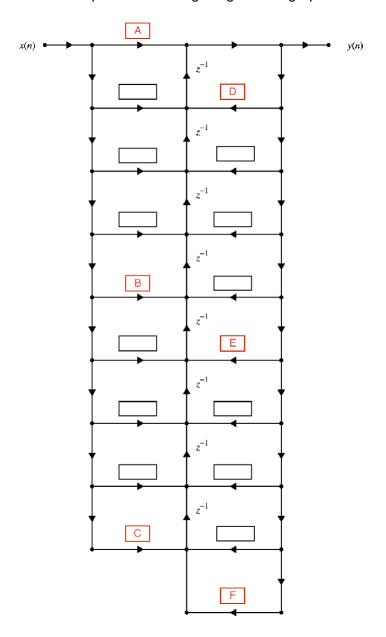
$$D = W_{10}^1$$
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## Problem-3 (12-Points) Digital Filter Structures

The filter structure shown below contains a parallel connection of cascade sections.



(a) [6-Points] The entire filter is to be implemented using a signal flow graph of the form shown below:

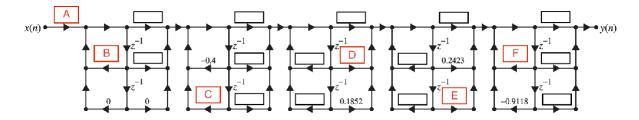


The coefficient not shown or labeled are equal to 1. The white rectangular boxes with black borders indicate hidden coefficients. Determine the coefficients *A* through *F* hidden behind the red boxes in the above signal flow graph.

#### MATLAB script for determination:

```
clear; close all;
 G1 = 1; sos1 = [1 \ 3 \ 0 \ 1 \ -1 \ 0.8; 0.5 \ 2 \ 1.5 \ 1 \ 1 \ 0.9]; [b1,a1] = sos2tf(sos1,G1)
 b1 = 1 \times 4
                         7.5000
     0.5000
               3.5000
                                    4.5000
 a1 = 1 \times 5
                         0.7000
                                  -0.1000
     1.0000
                                              0.7200
                    0
 B1 = [1 \ 3 \ 0; \ 0.5 \ 2 \ 1.5]; A1 = [1 \ -1 \ 0.8; \ 1 \ 1 \ 0.9];
 [b1,a1] = cas2dir(1,B1,A1), a1 = [a1,0];
 b1 = 1 \times 5
     0.5000
               3.5000
                         7.5000
                                    4.5000
                                                   0
 a1 = 1 \times 5
                         0.7000
                                  -0.1000
                                              0.7200
     1.0000
                    0
 B2 = [1 \ 2 \ 1]; A2 = [1 \ 0.5 \ 0.5 \ -0.4];
 B3 = [3 -0.5 2]; A3 = [1 0.4 0.4];
 B = conv(B2,B3); A = conv(A2,A3);
 [b2,a2] = cas2dir(1,B,A)
 b2 = 1 \times 5
     3.0000
               5.5000
                         4.0000
                                    3.5000
                                              2.0000
 a2 = 1 \times 6
     1.0000
               0.9000
                         1.1000
                                              0.0400
                                                       -0.1600
                                        0
 B4 = conv(b1,a2) + conv(b2,a1)
 B4 = 1 \times 10
     3.5000
               9.4500
                        17.3000
                                  22.1500
                                             18.7300
                                                       11.0200
                                                                  3.6700
                                                                            1.3000 ...
 A4 = conv(a1,a2)
 A4 = 1 \times 11
     1.0000
                0.9000
                         1.8000
                                    0.5300
                                              1.4400
                                                        0.3780
                                                                  0.8200
                                                                           -0.1160 ...
Enter your coefficient values (up to 4 decimals) below by clicking next to the = symbol:
A = 3.5, B = 18.73, C = 0.72,
D = -0.9, E = -0.378, F = 0.1152.
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(b) [6-Points] The entire filter is to be implemented using a signal flow graph of the form shown below:



The coefficient not shown or labeled are equal to 1. The white rectangular boxes with black borders indicate hidden coefficients. Determine the coefficients *A* through *F* hidden behind the red boxes in the above signal flow graph.

### MATLAB script for determination:

```
[sos,G] = tf2sos(B4,A4)
sos = 5 \times 6
    1.0000
              1.0000
                              0
                                   1.0000
                                             -0.4387
              0.7486
    1.0000
                              0
                                   1.0000
                                              0.4000
                                                         0.4000
              -0.3323
                                   1.0000
    1.0000
                         0.1852
                                             -1.0000
                                                         0.8000
    1.0000
              0.2423
                         1.5819
                                   1.0000
                                              1.0000
                                                         0.9000
    1.0000
              1.0414
                         0.9377
                                   1.0000
                                              0.9387
                                                         0.9118
G = 3.5000
```

Enter your coefficient values (up to 4 decimals) below by clicking next to the = symbol:

$$A = 3.5$$
,  $B = 0.4387$ ,  $C = -0.4$ ,  $D = -0.3323$ ,  $E = 1.5819$ ,  $F = -0.9387$ .