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Convolution and Correlation

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Expt.2: To find Convolution and correlation of signals

} Objective:

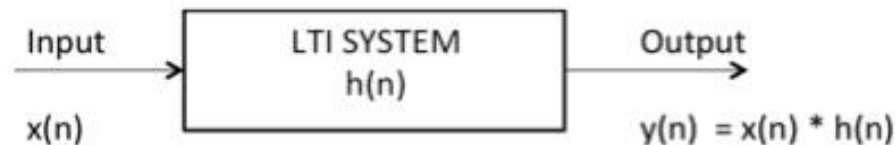
- (i) To perform convolution of two signals
 - (a) with built-in function
 - (b) without built-in function
- (ii) To perform correlation of two signals
 - (a) with built-in function
 - (b) without built-in function
- (iii) Find the correlation of ECG signal and its delayed version [choose the delay]



Convolution

} Two types:

- Continuous convolution
- Discrete convolution



$$y(n) = x(n) * h(n)$$

$$= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(k)h(n - k)$$



Methods to perform

Two ways:

- } Linear convolution
- } Circular convolution

Ex:

$$x[n] = \{1, 2, 3\} \quad \& \quad h[n] = \{-1, 2, 2\}$$



×	1	2	3
-1	-1	-2	-3
2	2	4	6
2	2	4	6

$$\} Y(n) = [-1, 0, 3, 10, 6]$$



Manual calculation

$X[n] = \{1 \ 2 \ 3\}$ and $h[n] = \{-1 \ 2 \ 2\}$

Convolution:

$$Y[n] = x[n] * h[n]$$

X	1	2	3
-1	-1	-2	-3
2	2	4	6
2	2	4	6

Therefore $y[n] = \{-1, 0, 3, 10, 6\}$

Correlation:

$$Y[n] = x[n] * h[-n]$$

X	1	2	3
2	2	4	6
2	2	4	6
-1	-1	-2	-3

Therefore $y[n] = \{2, 6, 9, 4, -3\}$



Correlation

} Two types

➤ Auto correlation

➤ Cross correlation

Auto correlation function is a measure of similarity between a signal & its time delayed version.



The cross correlation of $x(n)$ and $y(n)$ is a sequence $\gamma_{xy}(l)$, which is defined as

$$\gamma_{xy}(l) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n]y[n-l] \quad l = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2 \dots \dots$$

which can be alternately written as

$$\gamma_{xy}(l) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n+l]y[n] \quad l = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2 \dots \dots$$



Built-in function

} conv (x1, x2)

} xcorr (x1, x2)

} fliplr(y)



Cross correlation

$$\gamma_{xy}(l) = x(1) * y(-1)$$



Real-time example for cross correlation

