

# EE482: Digital Signal Processing Applications

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Lecture 02

DSP Fundamentals

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# Outline

- Elementary Signals
- System Concepts
- Z-Transform
- Frequency Response

# Elementary Digital Signals

- Digital signal
  - $x(n) \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}$
  - Deterministic – expressed mathematically (e.g. sinusoid)
  - Random – cannot be described exactly by equations (e.g. noise, speech)
- Unit impulse (Kronecker delta)
  - $\delta(n) = \begin{cases} 1, & n = 0 \\ 0, & n \neq 0 \end{cases}$
  - Basic building block of all digital signals
- Unit step
  - $u(n) = \begin{cases} 1, & n \geq 0 \\ 0, & n < 0 \end{cases} = \sum_{k=-\infty}^n \delta(k)$

# Sinusoidal Signals

- Continuous
  - $x(t) = A \sin(\Omega t + \phi) = A \sin(2\pi f t + \phi)$
- Sampled
  - $x(n) = A \sin(\Omega nT + \phi) = A \sin(2\pi f nT + \phi)$ 
    - $\Omega = 2\pi f$
  - $x(n) = A \sin(\omega n + \phi) = A \sin(F\pi n + \phi)$ 
    - $\omega = \Omega T$

# Relationships Between Frequency Variables

Table 2.1

Variable	Units	Relationships	Ranges
$\Omega$	rads/sec	$\Omega = 2\pi f$	$-\infty < \Omega < \infty$
$f$	cycles/sec (Hz)	$f = \frac{\Omega}{2\pi} = \frac{\omega f_s}{2\pi}$	$-\infty < f < \infty$
$\omega$	rads/sample	$\omega = \Omega T = \frac{2\pi f}{f_s}$	$-\pi \leq \omega \leq \pi$
$F$	cycles/sample	$F = \frac{f}{f_s/2} = \frac{\omega}{2}$	$-1 \leq F \leq 1$

- Normalized frequency measures
  - Note: max frequency for  $\pi$  or definition over a  $2\pi$  interval
    - Consider  $e^{j(\omega+2\pi k)}$

# Example 2.1

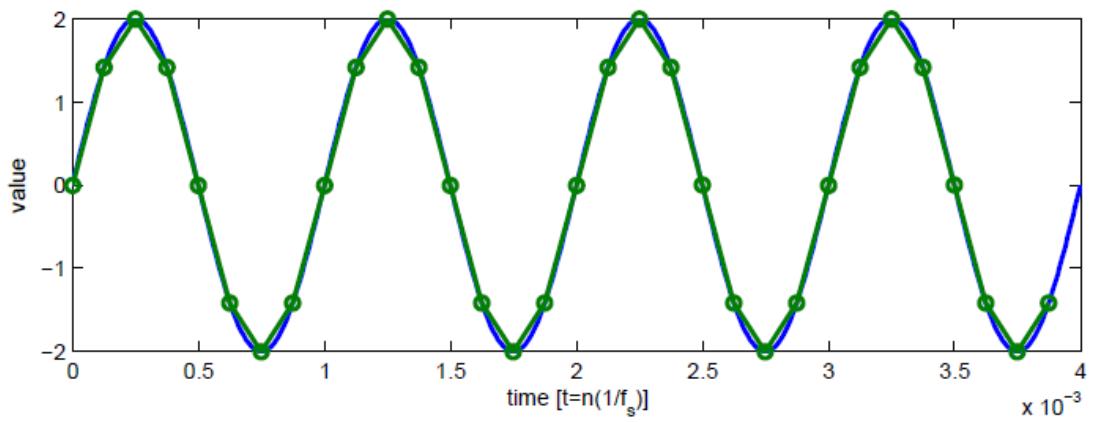
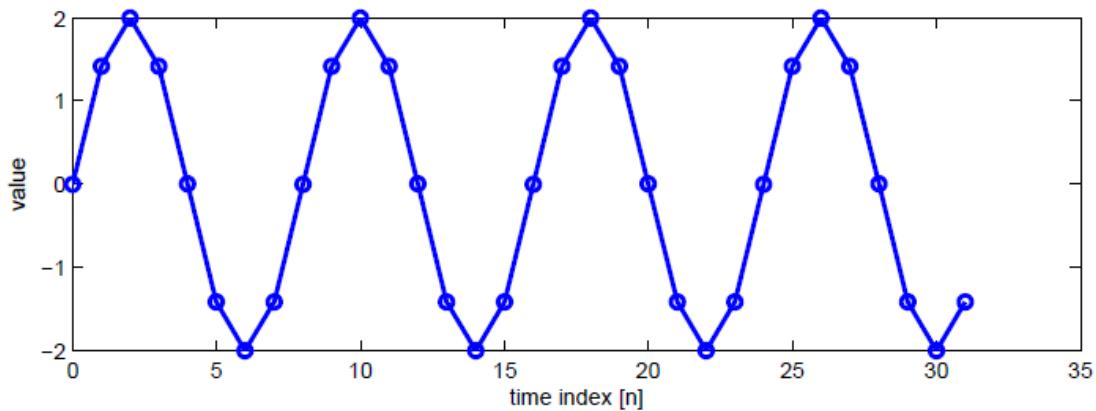
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• A=2;
• f=1000;
• fs = 8000;

• n=0:31;
• w = 2*pi*f/fs;
• x = A*sin(w*n);

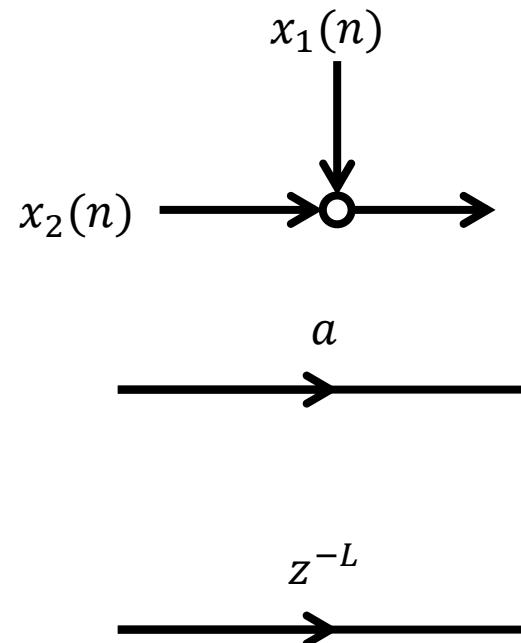
• h=figure;
• %plot sampled sine
• subplot(2,1,1)
• plot(n,x,'-o','linewidth',2);
• xlabel('time index [n]')
• ylabel('value')
• %plot analog sine
• subplot(2,1,2)
• t=0:1e-5:4e-3;
• plot(t, A*sin(2*pi*f*t),
'linewidth',2);
• hold all;
• plot(n*(1/fs),x,'-
o','linewidth',2);
• xlabel('time [t=n(1/f_s)] ')
• ylabel('value')

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# Block Diagram Representation

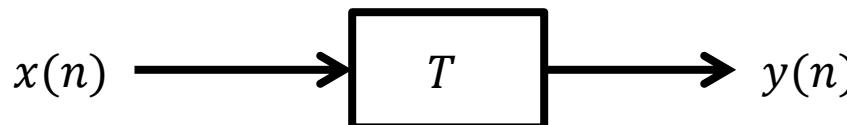
- Processing accomplished with 3 basic operations
- Addition
  - $y(n) = x_1(n) + x_2(n)$
- Multiplication
  - $y(n) = ax(n)$
- Time shift (delay)
  - $y(n) = x(n - L)$
  - Multiple delays can be implemented with a shift register (first-in, first-out buffer)(tapped delay line)



Multiplication in z domain

# System Concepts

- Generic system



- Linearity
  - Additive and homogeneity (scaling) properties
  - $T\{ax_1(n) + bx_2(n)\} = ay_1(n) + by_2(n)$
- Time invariance

- Shift in input causes corresponding shift in output

- $y(n - n_0) = T\{x(n - n_0)\}$

- To test

- Find  $y_1(n) = y(n - n_0)$

- replace  $n$  by  $n_0$

- Find  $y_2(n) = T\{x(n - n_0)\}$

- response of system to shifted input

# LTI Systems

- Impulse response



- Output of LTI system  $y(n) = h(n)$  to input  $x(n) = \delta(n)$
- Convolution
  - Input-output relationship of LTI system

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

# General Difference Equation Systems

$$y(n) = \sum_{k=0}^{L-1} b_k x(n-k) - \sum_{k=0}^M a_k y(n-k)$$

- Infinite impulse response (IIR)
  - $h(n)$  non-zero as  $n \rightarrow \infty$
- Finite impulse response (FIR)
  - $h(n)$  defined over finite set of  $n$
  - Special case of above with  $a_k = 0$
  - This system only has zeroes and poles at  $z = 0$
- Causality
  - Output only depends on previous input
  - $h(n) = 0, \quad n < 0$

# Z-Transform

- Very useful computational tool for studying digital systems
- Definition

$$X(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n)z^{-n} \quad z = re^{j\theta}$$

Complex variable

- Has associated region of convergence (ROC)
  - Values of  $z$  where summation converges
- Useful summation formulas

$$\sum_{k=0}^N \alpha^k = \frac{1 - \alpha^{N+1}}{1 - \alpha}$$

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \alpha^k = \frac{1}{1 - \alpha} \quad |\alpha| < 1$$

# Z-Transform Properties

- Linearity

- $\mathcal{Z}\{ax_1(n) + bx_2(n)\} = aX_1(z) + bX_2(z)$

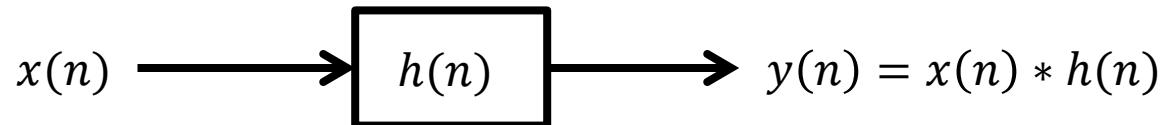
- Time shift

- $\mathcal{Z}\{x(n - k)\} = z^{-k}X(z)$

- Convolution

- $x(n) = x_1(n) * x_2(n) \rightarrow X(z) = X_1(z)X_2(z)$
  - $\text{ROC} = R_{x1} \cap R_{x2}$

# Transfer Functions



- $Y(z) = X(z)H(z)$
- $H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)}$
- General polynomial form from difference equation

$$H(z) = \frac{\sum_{k=0}^{L-1} b_k z^{-k}}{1 + \sum_{k=1}^M a_k z^{-k}}$$

# Poles and Zeros

$$H(z) = b_0 \frac{\prod_{k=1}^{L-1} (z - z_k)}{\prod_{k=1}^M (z - p_k)} = b_0 \frac{(z - z_1)(z - z_2) \dots}{(z - p_1)(z - p_2) \dots}$$

- Zeros
  - Roots of the numerator polynomial
  - Locations in z-plane that make output zero
- Poles
  - Roots of the denominator polynomial
  - Locations in z-plane that make output infinity (unstable)
    - System is considered unstable if the ROC doesn't contain the unit circle (no DTFT exists)
    - Causal system → poles should be inside unit circle

# Example 2.10

- $H(z) = \frac{1}{L} \left[ \frac{1-z^{-L}}{1-z^{-1}} \right]$ 
  - Notice this is a polynomial in  $z^{-1}$
- Convert to polynomial in  $z$  to get all poles and zeros
- $H(z) = \frac{1}{L} \left[ \frac{z^L - 1}{z^L - z^{L-1}} \right] = \frac{1}{L} \left[ \frac{z^L - 1}{z^{L-1}(z-1)} \right]$ 
  - Poles
    - $(z - 1) = 0 \rightarrow z = 1$
    - $z^{L-1} = 0 \rightarrow L-1$  poles at  $z = 0$
  - Zeros
    - $z^L - 1 = 0 \rightarrow z_l = e^{j\left(\frac{2\pi}{L}\right)l}$
    - $L$  zeros even spaced around unit circle

- Matlab

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fvttool([1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 -1], [1 -1]);
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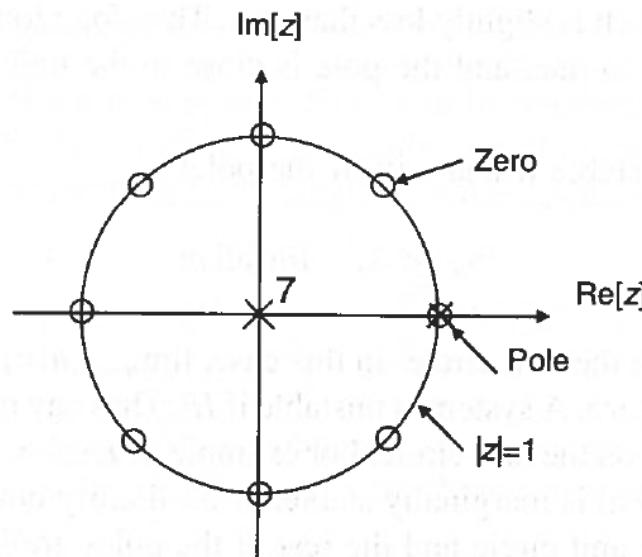


Figure 2.12 Pole–zero diagram of the moving-averaging filter,  $L=8$

# Frequency Response

- Discrete-time Fourier transform (DTFT)

$$H(\omega) = H(z)|_{z=e^{j\omega}} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h(n)e^{-j\omega n}$$

- Evaluate transfer function along the unit circle  
 $|z| = |e^{j\omega}|$

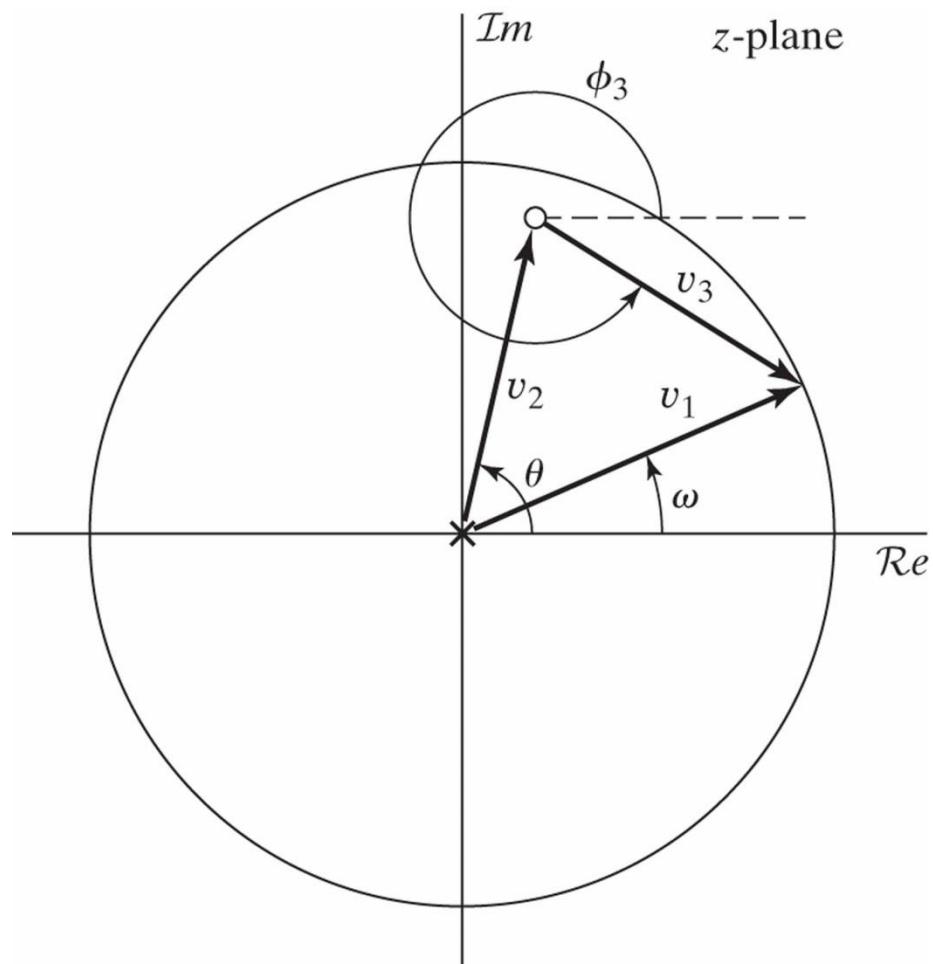
$$H(\omega) = |H(\omega)|e^{\angle H(\omega)}$$

$$|H(\omega)| = \sqrt{H(\omega)H^*(\omega)} \quad \angle H(\omega) = \arctan \left( \frac{\text{Im } H(\omega)}{\text{Re } H(\omega)} \right)$$

- Frequency response is periodic on  $2\pi$  interval and symmetric
  - Only  $[0, \pi]$  interval is required for evaluation

# Graphical DTFT Interpretation

- Poles
  - $|H(\omega)|$  gets larger closer to  $\theta$
- Zeros
  - $|H(\omega)|$  gets smaller closer to  $\theta$
- What does a highpass filter look like?
- What does a lowpass filter look like?



# Discrete Fourier Transform

- Notice the DTFT is a continuous function of  $\omega$ 
  - Requires an infinite number of samples to compute (infinite sum)
- DFT is a sampled version of the DTFT
  - Samples are taken at  $N$  equally spaced frequencies along unit circle
    - $\omega_k = \frac{2\pi k}{N}, k = 0, 1, \dots, N - 1$

$$X(k) = X(\omega) \Big|_{\omega=\frac{2\pi k}{N}} = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) e^{-j \frac{2\pi k}{N} n}$$

- $n$  – time index
- $k$  – frequency index

# DFT

$$X(k) = X(\omega)|_{\omega=\frac{2\pi k}{N}} = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n)e^{-j\frac{2\pi k}{N}n}$$

- DFT can be computed very efficiently with the fast Fourier transform (FFT)
- Frequency resolution of DFT
  - $\Delta\omega = \frac{2\pi}{N}$ ,     $\Delta_f = \frac{f_s}{N}$
- Analog frequency mapping
  - $f_k = k\Delta_f = \frac{kf_s}{N}$ ,     $k = 0, 1, \dots, N - 1$
  - Nyquist frequency  $\frac{f_s}{2}$  corresponds to  $k = \frac{N}{2}$

# Example 2.16

- $N = 100;$
- $A = 1;$
- $f=1000;$
- $fs = 10000;$
- $n=0:N-1;$
- $w = 2\pi f/fs;$
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- $x = \sin(w*n);$
- $X = \text{fft}(x);$
- $K = \text{length}(X);$
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- $\text{h=figure;}$
- $\text{subplot}(2,1,1)$
- $\text{plot}(0:K-1, 20*\log10(\text{abs}(X))),$   
 $\quad \text{'linewidth', 2});$
- $\text{xlabel('freq index [k]');}$
- $\text{ylabel('magnitude [dB]');}$
- $\text{subplot}(2,1,2)$
- $\% \text{convert index to freq}$
- $f = (0:K-1) * fs/N;$
- $\text{plot}(f, 20*\log10(\text{abs}(X))),$   
 $\quad \text{'linewidth', 2});$
- $\text{xlabel('freq [Hz]');}$
- $\text{ylabel('magnitude [dB]');}$

