

# Recitation 8.

## Convolution + Frequency Response.

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### Convolution:

Idea: Already knew that we could represent a system by the "system function",  $H(s)$ ,  $H(z)$ , and solve block diagrams. Can also work directly w/ time domain  $h[n]$ ,  $h(t)$ .

These are inverse transforms of  $H(z)$ ,  $H(s)$ , or simply <sup>unit</sup> impulse response.

Derivation:

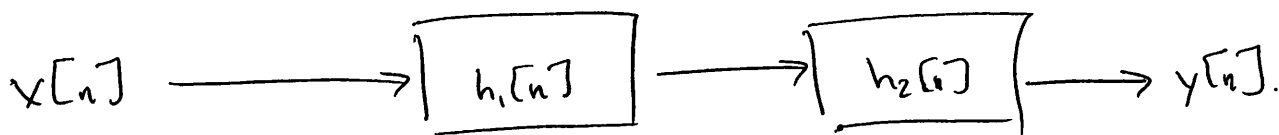
$$x[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k] \delta[n-k].$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k] h[n-k]} \text{ by li}$$

$$x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) \delta(t-\tau) d\tau.$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{y[n] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) h(t-\tau) d\tau.}$$

Example:



$$x[n] = \delta[n] + a \delta[n-1].$$

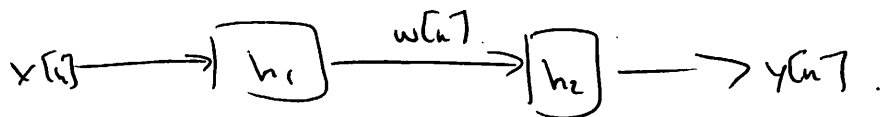
$$h_1[n] = \sin(8n) u[n].$$

$$h_2[n] = a^n u[n].$$

What's  $y[n]$ ?

same.  $|a| < 1$ .

Ex (cont.):



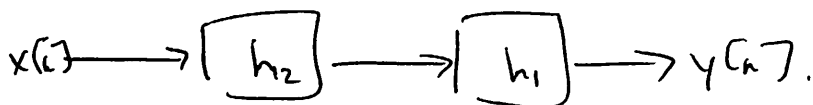
$$w[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} (\delta[k] * a \delta[k-1]) \sin(\theta(n-k)) u[n-k].$$

$$= \sin(\theta n) u[n] * \sin(\theta(n-1)) u[n-1].$$

$$y[n] = \sum \dots$$

A better way ...

This is an equivalent system:



has to be. (if we had written it as  $H_1(z), H_2(z)$ , then no problem).

Convolution: ~~commutative~~ associative + commutative

$$(x * h_1 * h_2)[n] = (x * (h_1 * h_2))[n]$$

$$= (x * (h_2 * h_1))[n].$$

For commutative.

$$(x_1 * x_2)[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x_1[k] x_2[n-k]$$

$$= \sum_{r=-\infty}^{\infty} x_1[n-r] x_2[r]$$

$r = n - k.$

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

associative easy too. Has to work out.

Note: I could even get the same answer doing.

$$h_2[n] \rightarrow \boxed{x_2[n]} \rightarrow \boxed{h_1[n]} \rightarrow y[n].$$

Back to example:

$$\begin{aligned}(x * h_2)[n] &= a^n u[n] - a \cdot a^{n-1} u[n-1] \\ &= a^n (u[n] - u[n-1]) = a^n \delta[n] = \delta[n].\end{aligned}$$

$$y[n] = (\delta * h_1)[n] = \sum_m (\delta[n-m]) u[m].$$

Due to "sifting" property of  $\delta[n]$ , that one was easier in time domain.

Frequency response:

Key observation:

$$e^{st} \rightarrow \boxed{h(t)} \rightarrow H(s)e^{st}$$

$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau) e^{s(t-\tau)} d\tau = e^{st} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau) e^{-s\tau} d\tau = H(s) e^{st}$$

for DT:

$$z^n \rightarrow \boxed{h[n]} \rightarrow ?$$

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

$z^n$  are eigenfunctions of DT systems.

For freq. response, think on imaginary axis.  $s = j\omega$ .

$$e^{j\omega t} \rightarrow H(j\omega) e^{j\omega t}$$

or on the unit circle:  $z = e^{j\Omega}$ .

$$e^{j\Omega n} \rightarrow H(j\Omega) e^{j\Omega n}$$

Q: ~~Plot~~ Plot the frequency response of  $H(s) = \frac{1}{(s+j)(s-j)}$ .

For a particular  $s = s_0$ , multiplication by  $H(s)$   
 (say  $s = j\omega_0$ ).

is simply multiplication by a complex number.

write in polar form:

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

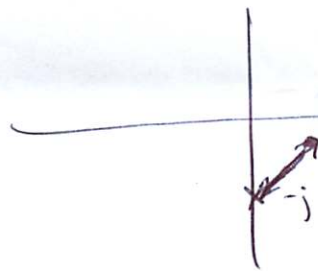
Graphical intuition w/ vector diagrams.

$$H(s) = \frac{1}{s+j} \quad |H(s)| = \frac{1}{|s+j|} \quad \cancel{Z}$$

$s+j$  is a vector in the complex plane.

$|s+j|$  is its length.

$\angle s+j$  is the angle.

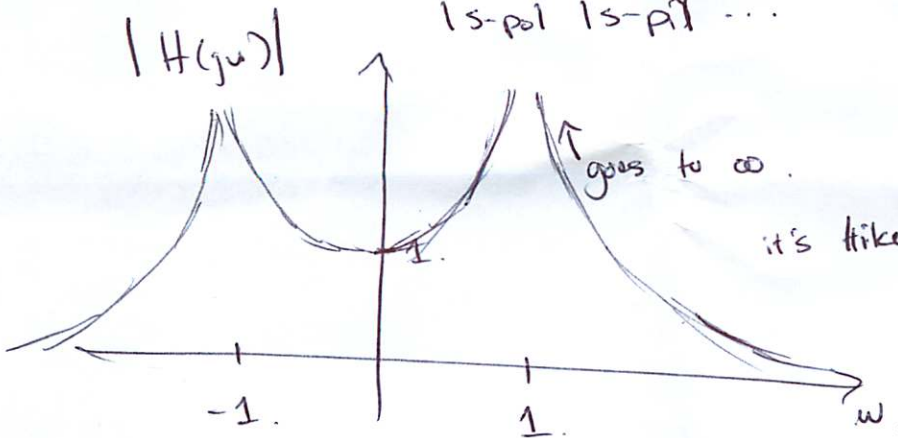


(better w/  $s-j$ ).

$$\angle H(s) = -\angle (s+j)$$

and  $|H(s)| = \frac{|K| |s-z_0| |s-z_1| \dots}{|s-p_1| |s-p_2| \dots}$

$$\angle H(s) = \angle K + \sum_i \angle s-z_i - \sum_i \angle s-p_i$$



it's like a tent pole!

does it make sense?

(mass spring demo from lecture w/o the damping.)

