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INVERSE Z - TRANSFORM

Given a z-transform function $X(z)$, the corresponding time domain sequence $x(n)$ can be obtained using the **inverse z-transform**.

The inverse z-transform may be obtained by the following methods:

1- Using properties.

2- Partial fraction expansion method.

3- Power series expansion

(the solution is obtained by applying long division because the denominator can't be analyzed. It is not accurate method compared with the above methods)

4- Complex inversion integral

1. USING PROPERTIES

Example:- Find inverse Z transform of:

$$X[Z]=2 + 4 \left(\frac{Z}{Z-1} \right) - \frac{Z}{Z-0.5}$$

Sol:-

$$\begin{aligned} x[n] &= 2 Z^{-1}(1) + 4 \cdot Z^{-1} \left(\frac{Z}{Z-1} \right) - Z^{-1} \left(\frac{Z}{Z-0.5} \right) \\ &= 2 \cdot \delta[n] + 4 \cdot U[n] - (0.5)^n \cdot U[n] \end{aligned}$$

Example:- Find inverse Z transform of:

$$X[Z]=\frac{1}{1-0.5Z^{-1}}$$

Sol:-

$$x[n] = (0.5)^n \cdot U[n]$$

2. USING PARTIAL FRACTION EXPANSION

Example:-

Find the inverse transform of $X(z) = \frac{z}{3z^2 - 4z + 1}$ for the ROC $|z| > 1$

Sol:-

Dividing both sides by z leads to

$$\frac{X(z)}{z} = \frac{1}{3z^2 - 4z + 1} = \frac{1}{3(z^2 - \frac{4}{3}z + \frac{1}{3})} = \frac{1}{3(z-1)(z-\frac{1}{3})} = \frac{A}{z-1} + \frac{B}{z-\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$A = \frac{X(z)}{z} (z-1) \Big|_{z=1} \rightarrow \frac{1}{3(z-\frac{1}{3})}; \quad A = 1/2$$

$$B = \frac{X(z)}{z} (z - \frac{1}{3}) \Big|_{z=\frac{1}{3}} \rightarrow \frac{1}{3(z-1)}, \quad B = -1/2$$

Therefore,

$$\frac{X(z)}{z} = \frac{1/2}{z-1} + \frac{-1/2}{z-\frac{1}{3}}, \quad X(z) = \frac{\frac{1}{2}z}{z-1} + \frac{\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)z}{z-\frac{1}{3}}$$

$$\therefore x(n) = \frac{1}{2} u(n) - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n u(n)$$

3. USING POWER SERIES EXPANSION (LONG DIVISION METHOD)

Example:-

Find the inverse z-transform sequence of the following signal:

$$X(z) = \frac{z^2 + z}{z^2 - 3z + 4}$$

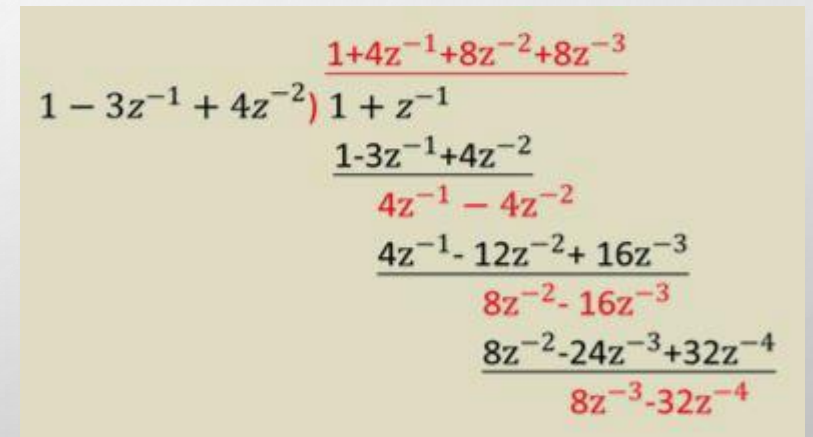
Sol:-

Represent the z-transform function $X(z)$ in terms of z^{-1} by dividing z^2 for both numerator and denominator.

$$X(z) = \frac{z^2+z}{z^2-3z+4} = \frac{1+z^{-1}}{1-3z^{-1}+4z^{-2}}$$

By examination, the sequence $x(n)$ is;

$$X(0) = 1, x(1) = 4, x(2) = 8, x(3) = 8, \dots$$



The image shows a handwritten long division of the polynomial $1+z^{-1}$ by $1-3z^{-1}+4z^{-2}$. The steps are as follows:

$$\begin{array}{r} 1-3z^{-1}+4z^{-2} \overline{) 1+z^{-1}} \\ \underline{1-3z^{-1}+4z^{-2}} \phantom{+8z^{-3}} \\ 4z^{-1}-4z^{-2} \phantom{+8z^{-3}} \\ \underline{4z^{-1}-12z^{-2}+16z^{-3}} \phantom{+8z^{-4}} \\ 8z^{-2}-16z^{-3} \phantom{+8z^{-4}} \\ \underline{8z^{-2}-24z^{-3}+32z^{-4}} \phantom{+8z^{-5}} \\ 8z^{-3}-32z^{-4} \phantom{+8z^{-5}} \end{array}$$

The long division procedure used in the example above can be carried out to any desired number of steps.

4. USING COMPLEX INVERSION INTEGRAL

The integral is a contour integral over a closed path C that must

- enclose the origin,
- lie in the ROC of X(z).

$$x[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi j} \oint X(z) z^{n-1} dz$$

Practical problems requiring inverse z-transform:

- Given a system function H(z), e.g., described by a pole-zero plot, find h[n].
This is particularly important since we will design filters in the z-domain.
- When performing convolution via z-transforms: Y(z) = H(z) X(z), leading to y[n].

Poles and Zeros

- When X(z) is represented as a numerator and denominator of polynomial (N(z)/D(z)).

$$X(z) = \frac{N(z)}{D(z)} = \frac{b_0 z^0 + b_1 z^{-1} + \dots + b_M z^{-M}}{a_0 z^0 + a_1 z^{-1} + \dots + a_N z^{-N}} = \frac{\sum_{k=0}^M b_k z^{-k}}{\sum_{k=0}^N a_k z^{-k}}$$

Zero (z) is the value of z where $X(z) = 0$; Pole (p) is the value of z at $X(z) = \infty$.

$$X(z) = \frac{b_0}{a_0} z^{-M+N} \frac{(z-z_1)(z-z_2)\dots(z-z_M)}{(z-p_1)(z-p_2)\dots(z-p_N)}$$

Zero of $X(z)$ at $z = z_1, z_2, \dots, z_M$; Pole at $z = p_1, p_2, \dots, p_N$.

Pole-zero is plotted on z -plane with notation (X) as pole and (O) as zero.

Example:-

Determine the pole-zero of signal:

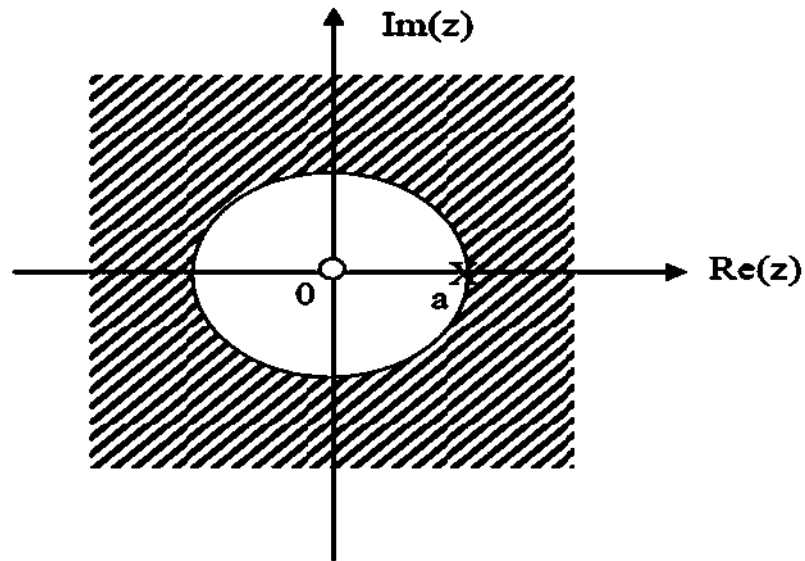
$$x(n) = a^n u(n) ; a > 0$$

Sol:-

Transform $x(n)$ into z-equation:

$$x(z) = \frac{1}{1 - az^{-1}} = \frac{z}{z - a} ; \quad \text{ROC: } |z| > a$$

$x(z)$ has one zero $z_1=0$ and one pole at $p_1=a$.



Pole-zero untuk $x(n) = a^n u(n)$

Pole-Zero Cancellation

If a pole is at the same location as a zero, the characteristics of poles can be cancelled by zero.

Example: Determine the convolution of the two sequences with Z-transform

$$x(n)=\{2,1,0,0.5\} \text{ and } h(n)=\{2,2,1,1\}$$

Sol:

Tacking Z-transform of the two sequences

$$X(z) = 2+Z^{-1}+0.5 Z^{-3}$$

$$H(z) = 2+2 Z^{-1}+ Z^{-2}+ Z^{-3}$$

$$Y(z)= X(z) H(z)$$

$$= (2+Z^{-1}+0.5 Z^{-3})(2+2 Z^{-1}+ Z^{-2}+ Z^{-3})$$

$$= 4+6 Z^{-1}+4 Z^{-2}+4 Z^{-3}+2 Z^{-4}+0.5 Z^{-5}+0.5 Z^{-6}$$

By tacking inverse Z-transform, we get

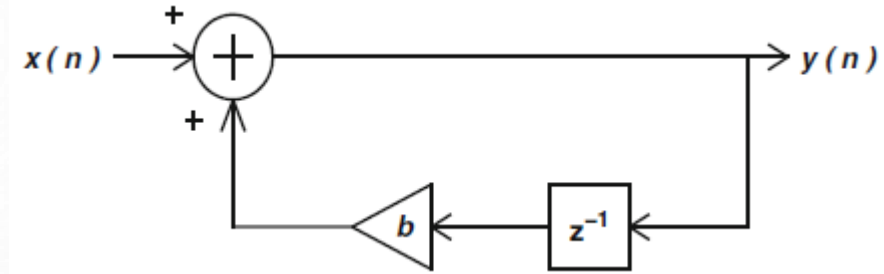
$$y(n) = 4\delta(n)+6 \delta(n-1)+4 \delta(n-2)+4 \delta(n-3)+2 \delta(n-4)+0.5 \delta(n-5)+0.5 \delta(n-6)$$

$$\text{Then } y(n) =\{4,6,4,4,2,0.5,0.5\}$$

Example: Find the transfer function with Z-transform for the system in fig.

Sol:

$$y(n) = x(n) + by(n - 1).$$



where, b is a multiplicative constant (gain). Taking the ZT of both sides

$$Y(z) = X(z) + bz^{-1}Y(z).$$

$$[1 - bz^{-1}]Y(z) = X(z).$$

$$\therefore H(z) = \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = \frac{1}{1 - bz^{-1}} = \frac{z}{z - b}$$

From Tables (z-Transform Pairs), the IZT is

$$h(n) = b^n u(n).$$