

EITF75 Systems and Signals

Lecture 3 The z-transform

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Labs : online

Sign up online opens
next week

see web (soon) for when

Exercise : possibly : 1 session
class room
1 sess. online

starting sept 15
Tuesday

see web (soon)

hand-in end of sept.

EITF75, z-transform

$$H(z) \leftrightarrow h(n)$$

Definition

The z-transform of $h(n)$ is defined as

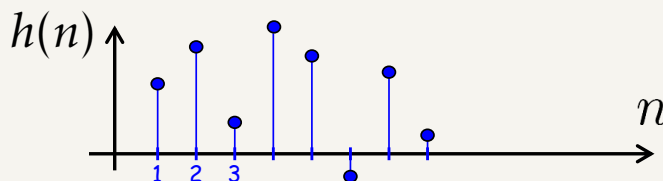
$$H(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h(n)z^{-n}$$

What is the z-transform?

- A map from sequences to complex valued functions
- z is complex

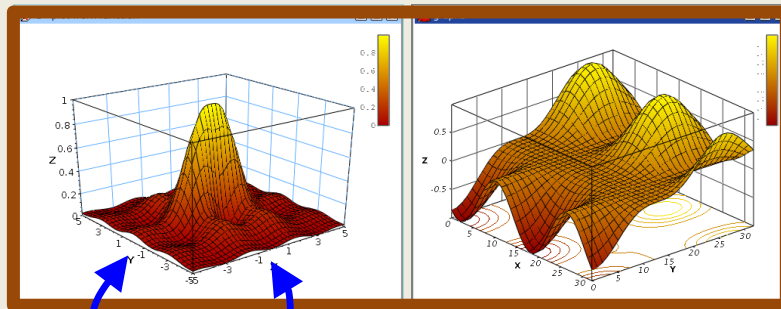
What is $H(z)$?

- A complex function of a complex number



$\text{Re}\{H(z)\}$

$\text{Im}\{H(z)\}$



$\text{Re}\{z\}$ $\text{Im}\{z\}$

Illustration

Important: $h(n)$ and $H(z)$ contain the same information

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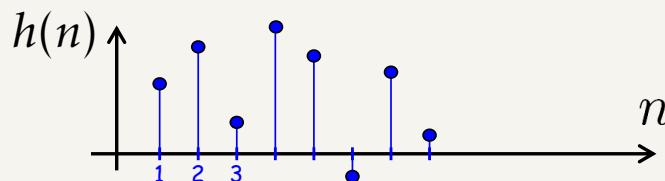
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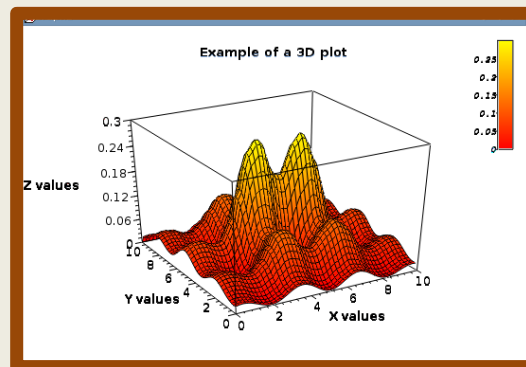
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$$|H(z)|$$



Magnitude of $H(z)$ is typically shown

$$H(z) = \sum_n h(n) z^{-n}$$

seq

$h(n)$

$$\delta(n) = \{1 \ 0 \ 0 \dots\}$$

$$\delta(n-k) = \{0 \dots 0 \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{pos. } k}}{1} 0 \dots\}$$

$$h(n-k) \leftrightarrow ?$$

$$h(n) \leftrightarrow H(z)$$

$$h(n) = \{3 \ 2 \ 1\}$$

$$h(n) = \{0 \ 3 \ 2 \ 1\}$$

z-transform

$$H(z) = h(0) + h(1)z^{-1} + h(2)z^{-2} + \dots$$

ass. $h(n)$ is causal

$$H(z) = 1 + 0 \dots = \underline{\underline{1}}$$

$$H(z) = z^{-k}$$

$$y(n) = h(n-k)$$

$$Y(z) = \sum_n y(n) z^{-n} =$$

$$= \sum_n h(n-k) z^{-n}$$

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

$$= z^{-k} \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} h(m) z^{-m}$$

$$= z^{-k} H(z)$$

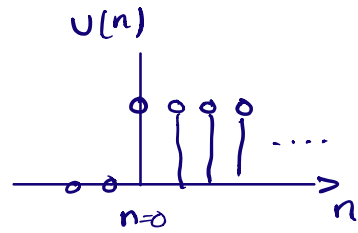
$$\underline{3 + 2z^{-1} + 1 \cdot z^{-2}}$$

$$z^{-1} \cdot (\downarrow) = 3z^{-1} + 2z^{-2} + z^{-3}$$

Important

$$h(n) = u(n)$$

$$H(z) = ?$$



$$H(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} h(n) z^{-n}$$

$$H(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z^{-n} \quad (\text{geom. series})$$

$$= \frac{1 - (z^{-1})^{\infty}}{1 - z^{-1}} \quad \text{if } |z^{-1}| < 1$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}} \quad \xrightarrow{|z| > 1}$$

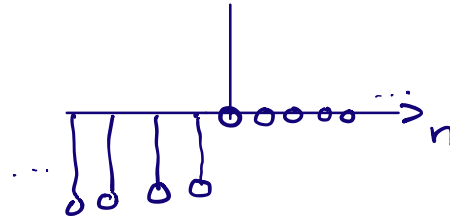
$$h(n) = u(n) \quad \longleftrightarrow \quad H(z) = \frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}} \quad |z| > 1$$

Region of convergence

ROC

Important

$$h(n) = -u(-n-1)$$



"anti-causal step"

$$\begin{aligned} H(z) &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} -u(-n-1) z^{-n} \\ &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{-1} (-1) z^{-n} = - \sum_{n=-\infty}^{-1} z^{-n} = - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} z^n \end{aligned}$$

"almost" geom. series

$$= - \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} z^n + 1 = - \frac{1}{1-z} + 1 = \frac{-z}{1-z} = \frac{1}{1-z^{-1}}$$

\uparrow
 $|z| < 1$
 ROC

ROC
 $|z| < 1$

Summary

function		transform	ROC
$u(n)$	\longleftrightarrow	$\frac{1}{1-z^{-1}}$	$ z > 1$
$-u(-n-1)$	\longleftrightarrow	$\frac{1}{1-z^{-1}}$	$ z < 1$

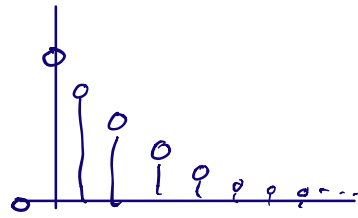
(equal!)

$$h(n) = a^n \cdot u(n)$$

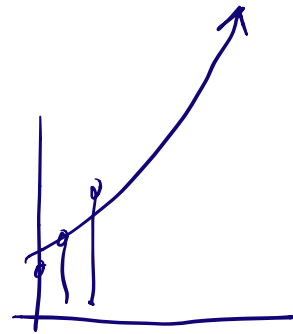
$$\begin{aligned} H(z) &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a^n z^{-n} \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (a z^{-1})^n \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1 - a z^{-1}}$$

if $|a z^{-1}| < 1$



$|a| < 1$



$|a| > 1$

$H(z) = ?$

Result

$$H(z) = \frac{1}{1 - a z^{-1}}$$

ROC $|z| > |a|$

Homework

$$H(z) = \frac{1}{1 - a z^{-1}}$$

$|z| < |a|$ $h(n) = ?$

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Some general rules about the ROC

$$X(z) = \dots + x(-1001)z^{1001} + x(-1000)z^{1000} + \dots + x(0) + \dots + x(1000)z^{-1000} + x(1001)z^{-1001} + \dots$$

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How small? Depends on $x(n)$

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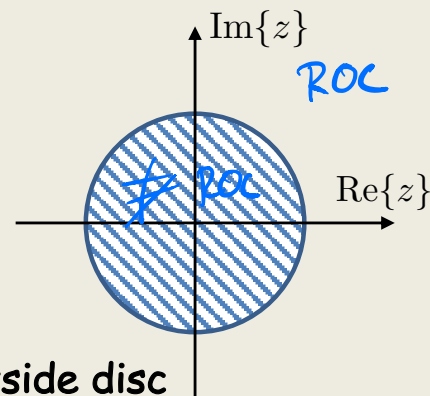
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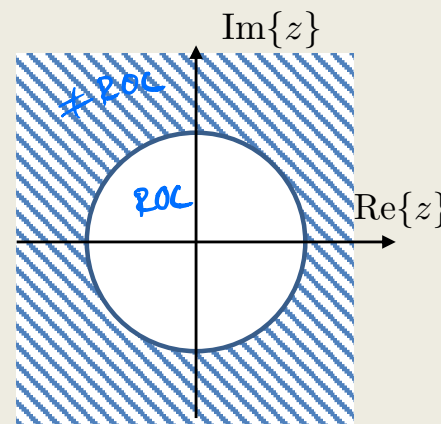
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ROC is inside disc



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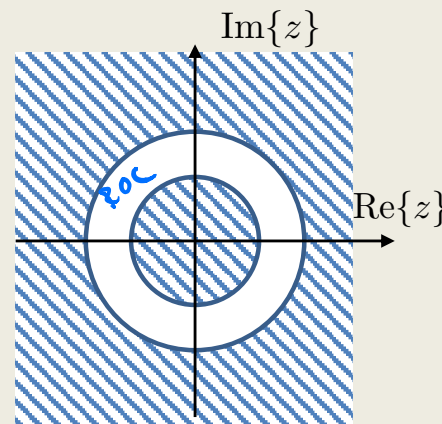
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"z should be smaller than something,
but larger than something else"

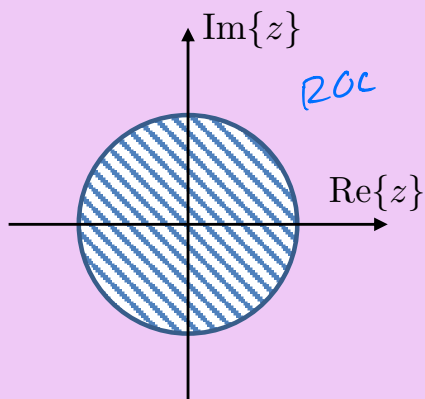


ROC is the white area

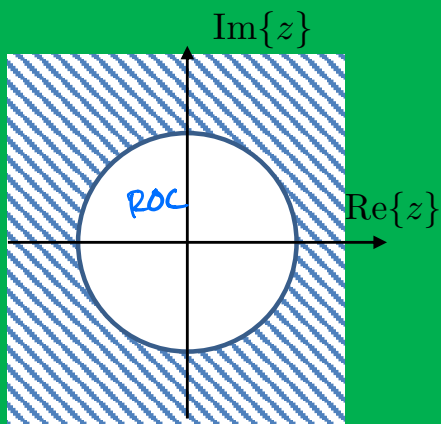
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Summary: What is the general shape of the ROC?

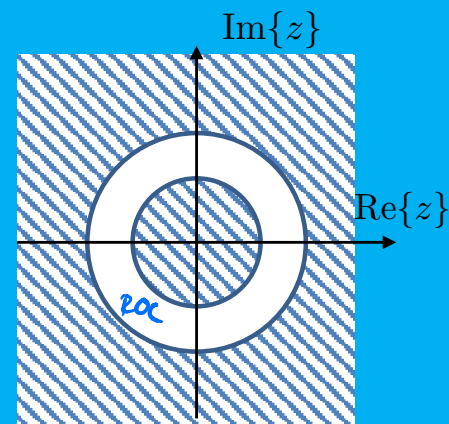
Causal signal



Anti-causal signal



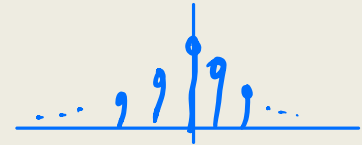
Neither/Mix



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Homework

Given:



$$x(n) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{|n|} \quad \text{for all } n$$

Find: The z-transform $X(z)$ of $x(n)$.

Including ROC

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Convention

If we are given an $X(z)$, and **assume** that the signal **$x(n)$ is causal**, then we can be a bit sloppy with the ROC

This is what we do in this (most) of this course

In other words. **There could be many $x(n)$ for the same $X(z)$** , and the ROC specifies the particular one. However, there is **only one that is causal**.

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Illustration

Sequence

$x_1(n)$

$x_2(n)$

$x_3(n)$

$x_4(n)$

$x_5(n)$

$x_6(n)$

$x_7(n)$

Transform

ROC

Assume a bunch of
different sequences

$$\begin{matrix} v(n) \\ -v(-n-1) \end{matrix} \rightarrow \frac{1}{1-z^{-1}}$$

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Sequence

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ROC

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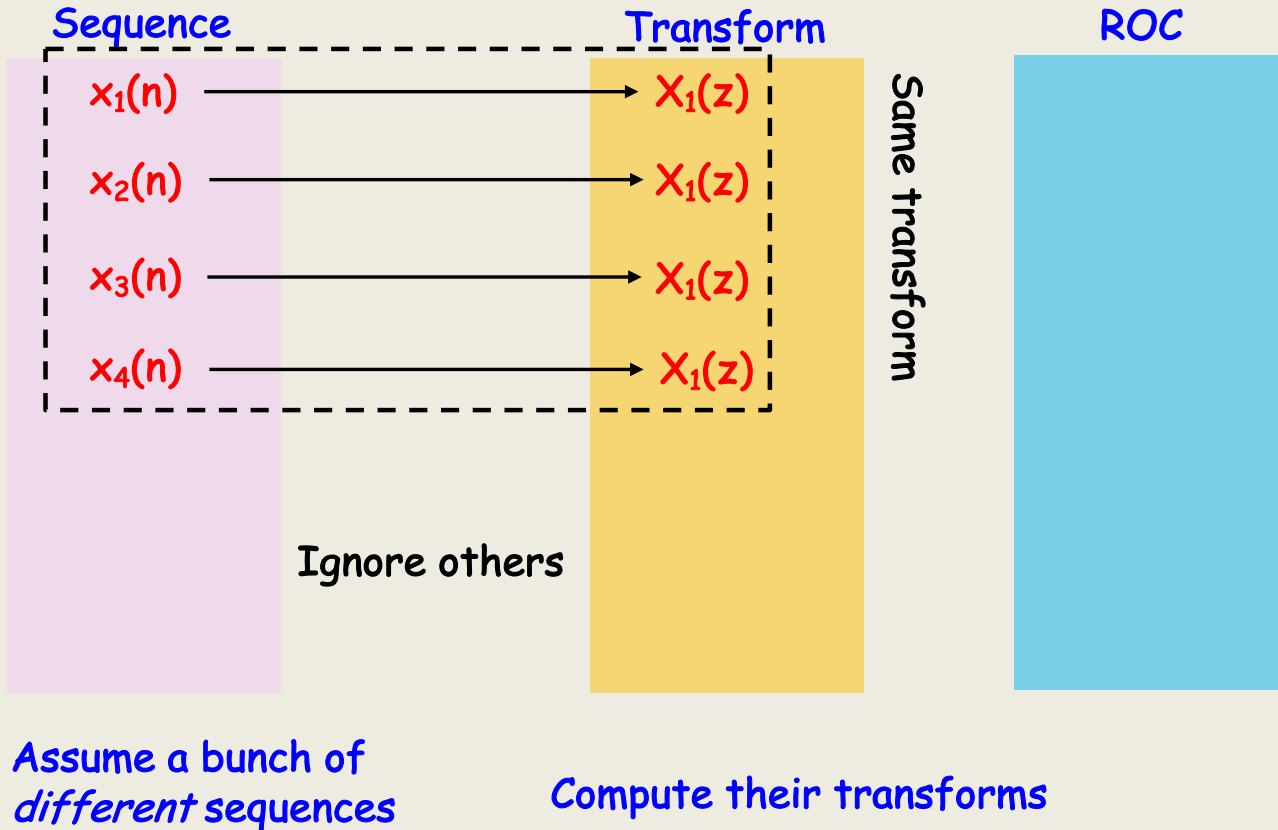
$X_2(z)$

Assume a bunch of
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Compute their transforms

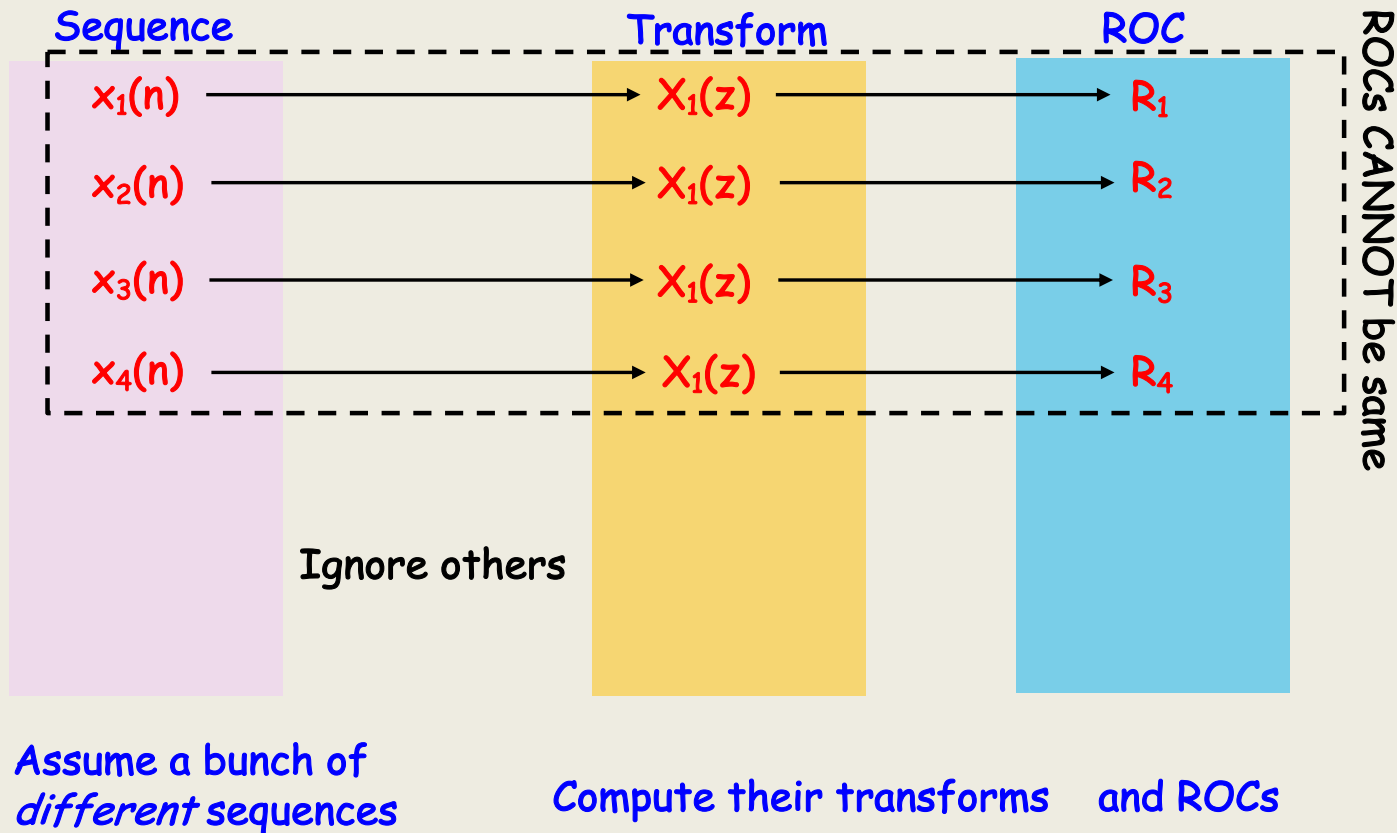
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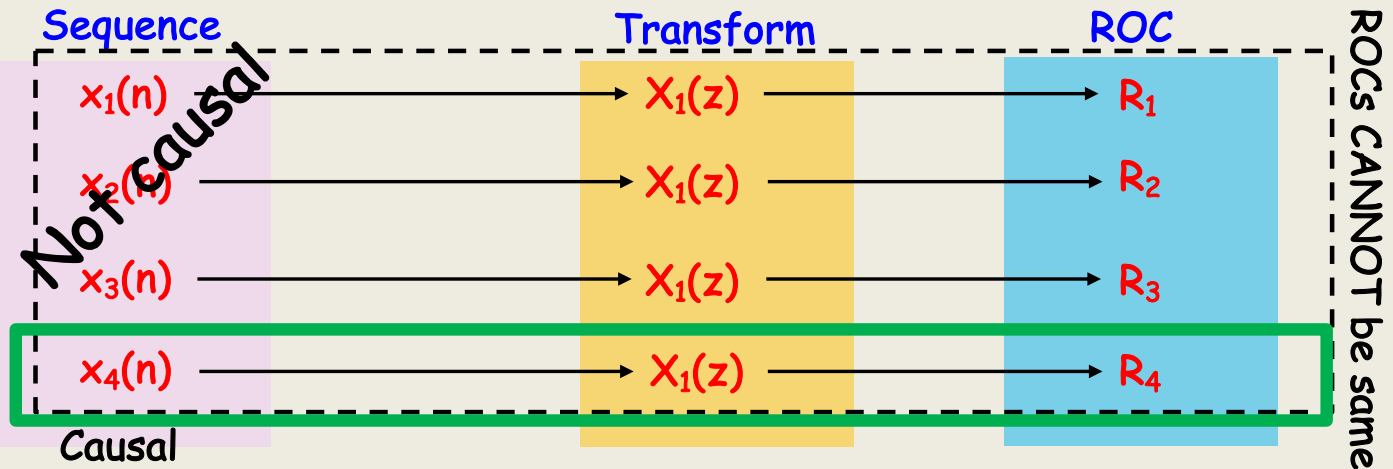
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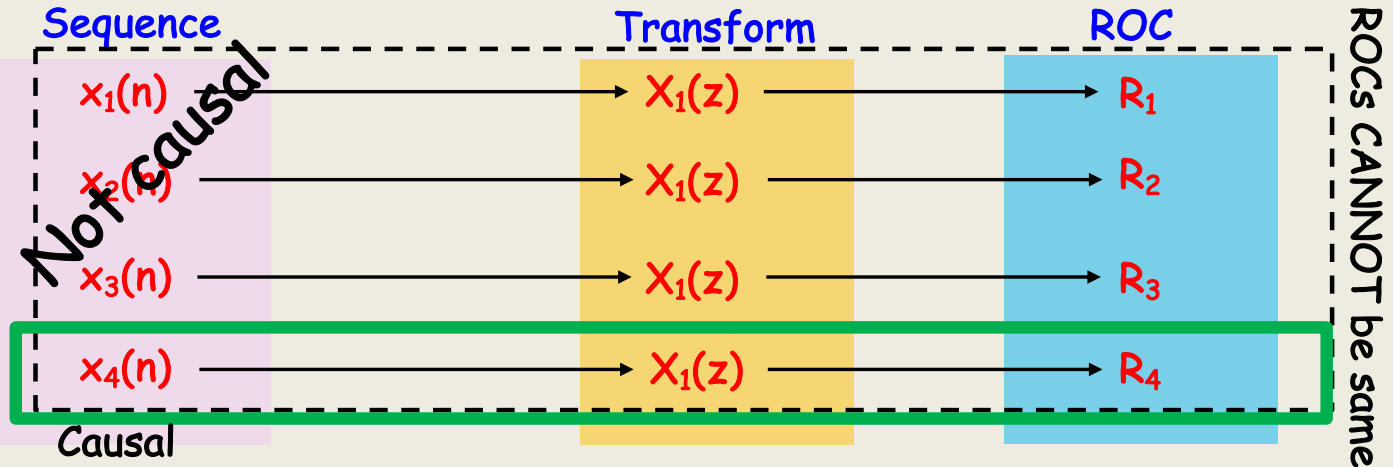
Illustration



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So, if we know $X_1(z)$ and that we work with causal $x(n)$, we can establish $x_4(n)$ without knowing the ROC

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

$$\underline{H(z)}, \underline{x(z)}$$

$$x(n) \rightarrow \boxed{\text{LTZ}} \rightarrow y(n) \leftarrow$$

$$\boxed{Y(z)} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} y(n) z^{-n} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \underbrace{\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} h(k) x(n-k)}_{\triangleq y(n)} z^{-n}$$

$$= \sum_n \sum_k h(k) x(n-k) z^{-(n-k)} z^{-k}$$

$$= \sum_k h(k) z^{-k} \cdot \underbrace{\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n-k) z^{-(n-k)}}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ m}} = \sum_k h(k) z^{-k} \sum_m x(m) z^{-m}$$

$$\boxed{= H(z) X(z)}$$

$$h(n) * x(n)$$

$$\downarrow \\ H(z)$$

$$\downarrow \\ x(z)$$

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

$$\rightarrow \underline{\underline{y(n)}}$$

Summary

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

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

Saving 100 kr/month 5% interest
start at 0kr

Let :

$y(n)$ = money at month n

$x(n)$ = deposit at month n

$$y(-1) = 0$$

$$x(n) = u(n) \cdot 100 \Leftrightarrow \frac{100}{1-z^{-1}} = X(z)$$

$$y(n) = 1.05 \cdot y(n-1) + x(n)$$

$$y(n) = \dots$$

← make z-transform

$$y(n) \Leftrightarrow Y(z)$$

$$y(n-1) \Leftrightarrow z^{-1} Y(z)$$

$$x(n) \Leftrightarrow X(z)$$

$$Y(z) = 1.05 \cdot z^{-1} Y(z) + X(z)$$

$$X(z) = 100 \cdot \frac{1}{1-z^{-1}}$$

$$Y(z) - 1.05 z^{-1} Y(z) = X(z)$$

$$Y(z) [1 - 1.05 z^{-1}] = X(z)$$

$$Y(z) = \frac{X(z)}{1 - 1.05 z^{-1}} = \frac{1}{1 - 1.05 z^{-1}} \cdot \frac{100}{1 - z^{-1}}$$

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$$y(n) = \dots ?$$

$$\frac{1}{1 - 1.05z^{-1}} \rightarrow 1.05^n u(n)$$

$$\frac{1}{1 - z^{-1}} \rightarrow u(n)$$

$$\frac{1}{1 - 1.05z^{-1}} \cdot \frac{100}{1 - z^{-1}} = \frac{A}{1 - 1.05z^{-1}} + \frac{B}{1 - z^{-1}}$$

PARTIAL FRACTION EXPANSION

- 1 Roots in denominator are real and distinct
- 2 ——— are distinct, but complex conjugated pairs

~~$$\begin{array}{l}
 3 \quad 1 + \text{multiple root} \\
 4 \quad 2 + \text{———}
 \end{array}$$~~

$$\frac{1}{1-1.05z^{-1}} \cdot \frac{100}{1-z^{-1}} = \frac{A}{1-1.05z^{-1}} + \frac{B}{1-z^{-1}}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} A &= 21 \cdot 100 \\ B &= -20 \cdot 100 \end{aligned} \right\} \text{PFE gives}$$

$$Y(z) = 100 \left[\frac{21}{1-1.05z^{-1}} - \frac{20}{1-z^{-1}} \right]$$

$$\frac{1}{1-az^{-1}} \leftrightarrow a^n u(n)$$

$$y(n) = 100 \cdot 21 \cdot 1.05^n u(n) - 100 \cdot 20 \cdot u(n)$$

PFE: Assume you can handle roots of single multiplities

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(a.k.a. recursion)

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One further example: $y(n) - 1.27y(n-1) + 0.81y(n-2) = x(n-1) - x(n-2)$

All signals causal

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Type II. PFE already done, 1 complex conjugated pair

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One further example:

All signals causal

Next lecture...

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