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Lecture 9

FIR Filtering Intro

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Information

- Lab Quiz next week !!!!!!!
- Problem Set #4 due today
- Quiz #2 on 1-March (Monday)

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LAB IMAGES (TRUE)

- Getting **TRUE SIZE** comparisons is hard:
use an image display program

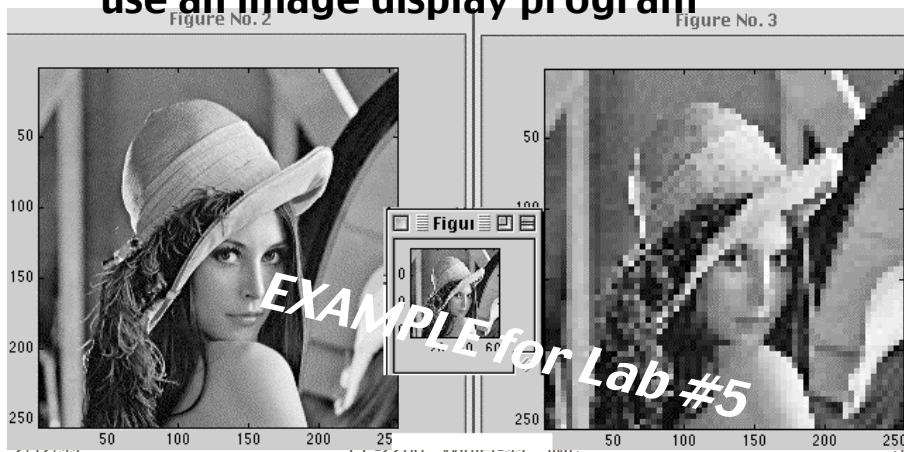


Image Display Procedure

- OK to use 256 by 256 Lenna
- Make MATLAB Figures in separate windows
- ALT-PRINT-SCREEN captures the active window (Win-95)
- Paste into "Paint" program
 - Under Win-95 Accessories
- Print after arranging images

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READING ASSIGNMENTS

■ This Lecture:

- Chapter 5, pp. 119–131

■ Other Reading:

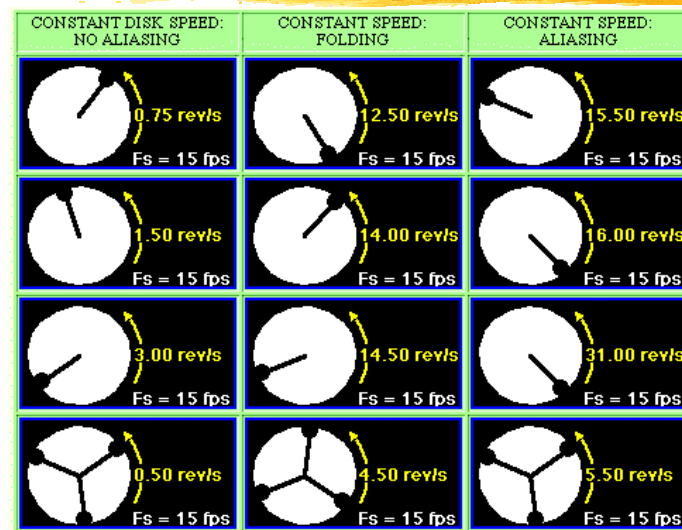
- Recitation: Ch. 5, pp. 127–133, 142–146
 - CONVOLUTION
- Next Lecture: Chapter 5, pp. 133–152

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STROBE DEMO (Synthetic)



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LECTURE OBJECTIVES

■ INTRODUCE FILTERING IDEA

- **Weighted** Average
- **Running** Average

■ FINITE IMPULSE RESPONSE FILTERS

- **FIR** Filters
- Show how to compute the output $y[n]$ from the input signal, $x[n]$

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DIGITAL FILTERING



■ CONCENTRATE on the COMPUTER

- PROCESSING ALGORITHMS
- SOFTWARE (MATLAB)
- HARDWARE: DSP chips, VLSI
- **DSP**: DIGITAL SIGNAL PROCESSING

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DISCRETE-TIME SYSTEM



- OPERATE on $x[n]$ to get $y[n]$
- WANT **GENERAL CLASS** of SYSTEMS
 - **ANALYZE** the SYSTEM
 - TOOLS: TIME-DOMAIN & FREQUENCY-DOMAIN
 - **SYNTHESIZE** the SYSTEM

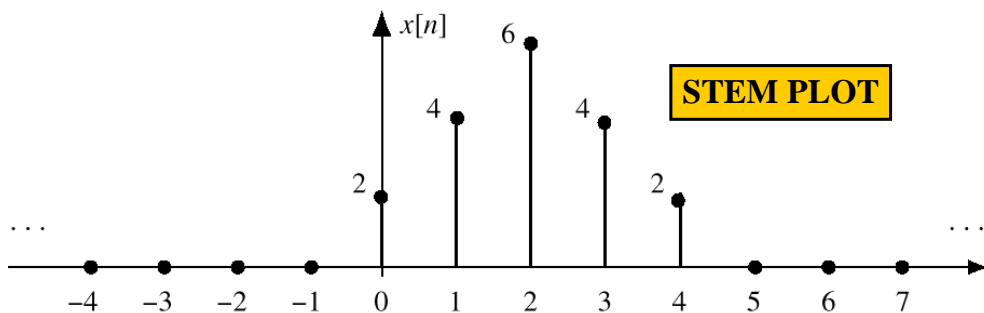
D-T SYSTEM EXAMPLES



- **EXAMPLES:**
 - POINTWISE OPERATORS
 - SQUARING: $y[n] = (x[n])^2$
 - RUNNING AVERAGE
 - **RULE:** “the output at time n is the average of three consecutive input values”

DISCRETE-TIME SIGNAL

- $x[n]$ is a LIST of NUMBERS
 - INDEXED by “ n ”



3-PT AVERAGE SYSTEM

- ADD 3 CONSECUTIVE NUMBERS
 - Do this for each “ n ”

the following input–output equation

Make a TABLE

$$y[n] = \frac{1}{3}(x[n] + x[n + 1] + x[n + 2])$$

n	$n < -2$	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	$n > 5$
$x[n]$	0	0	0	2	4	6	4	2	0	0
$y[n]$	0	$\frac{2}{3}$	2	4	$\frac{14}{3}$	4	2	$\frac{2}{3}$	0	0

$n=0$ $y[0] = \frac{1}{3}(x[0] + x[1] + x[2])$

$n=1$ $y[1] = \frac{1}{3}(x[1] + x[2] + x[3])$

INPUT SIGNAL

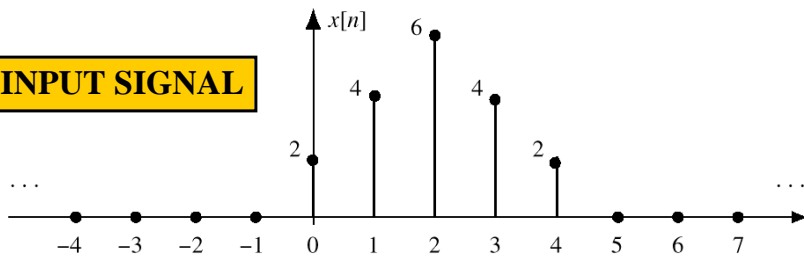


Figure 5.2 Finite-length input signal, $x[n]$.

$$y[n] = \frac{1}{3}(x[n] + x[n + 1] + x[n + 2])$$

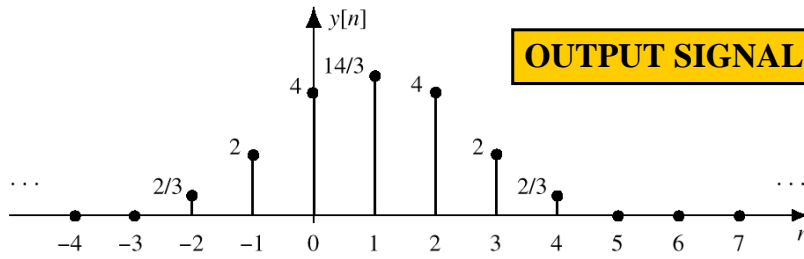


Figure 5.3 Output of running average, $y[n]$.

PAST, PRESENT, FUTURE

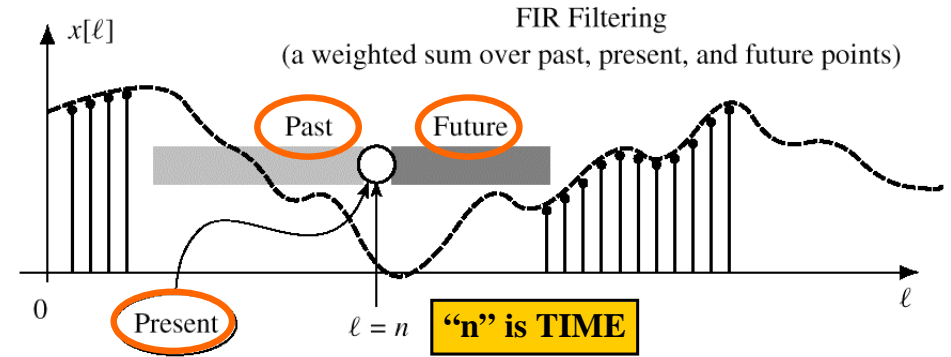


Figure 5.4 The running-average filter calculation at time index n uses values within a sliding window (shaded). Dark shading indicates the future ($\ell > n$); light shading, the past ($\ell < n$).

ANOTHER 3-pt AVERAGER

- Uses “PAST” VALUES of $x[n]$
- IMPORTANT IF “ n ” represents REAL TIME
- WHEN $x[n]$ & $y[n]$ ARE STREAMS

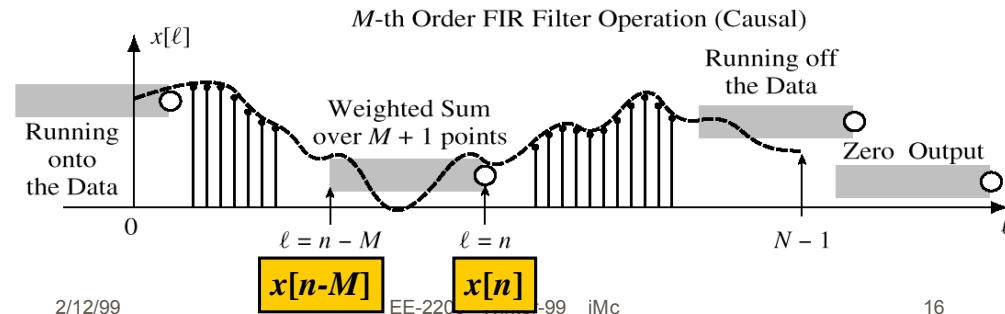
$$y[n] = \frac{1}{3}(x[n] + x[n - 1] + x[n - 2])$$

n	$n < -2$	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	$n > 7$
$x[n]$	0	0	0	2	4	6	4	2	0	0	0	0
$y[n]$	0	0	0	$\frac{2}{3}$	2	4	$\frac{14}{3}$	4	2	$\frac{2}{3}$	0	0

GENERAL FIR FILTER

- SLIDE a WINDOW across $x[n]$

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=0}^M b_k x[n - k]$$



GENERAL FIR FILTER

FILTER COEFFICIENTS $\{b_k\}$

DEFINE THE FILTER

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=0}^M b_k x[n - k]$$

For example, $\{b_k\} = \{3, -1, 2, 1\}$

$$\begin{aligned} y[n] &= \sum_{k=0}^3 b_k x[n - k] \\ &= 3x[n] - x[n - 1] + 2x[n - 2] + x[n - 3] \end{aligned}$$

GENERAL FIR FILTER

FILTER COEFFICIENTS $\{b_k\}$

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=0}^M b_k x[n - k]$$

FILTER ORDER is M

FILTER LENGTH is $L = M + 1$

NUMBER of FILTER COEFFS is L

FILTERING EXAMPLE

7-point AVERAGER

Removes cosine

By making its amplitude (A) smaller

3-point AVERAGER

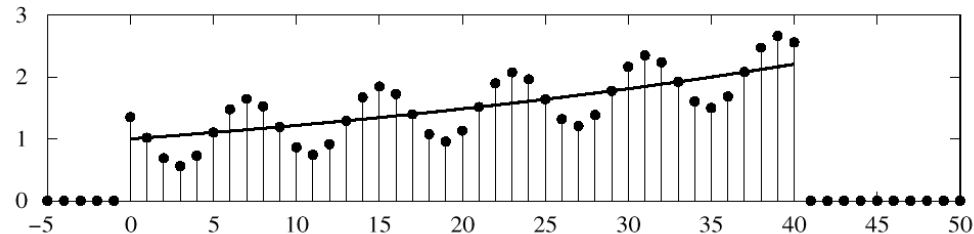
Changes A slightly

$$y_7[n] = \frac{1}{7} \left(\sum_{k=0}^6 x[n - k] \right)$$

$$y_3[n] = \frac{1}{3} \left(\sum_{k=0}^2 x[n - k] \right)$$

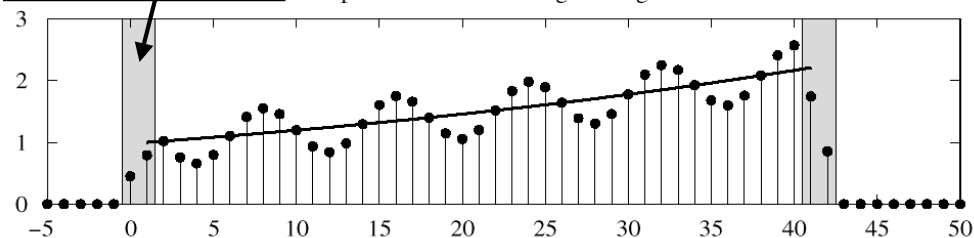
3-pt AVG EXAMPLE

Input Signal: $x[n] = (1.02)^n + \cos(2\pi n/8 + \pi/4)$ for $0 \leq n \leq 40$



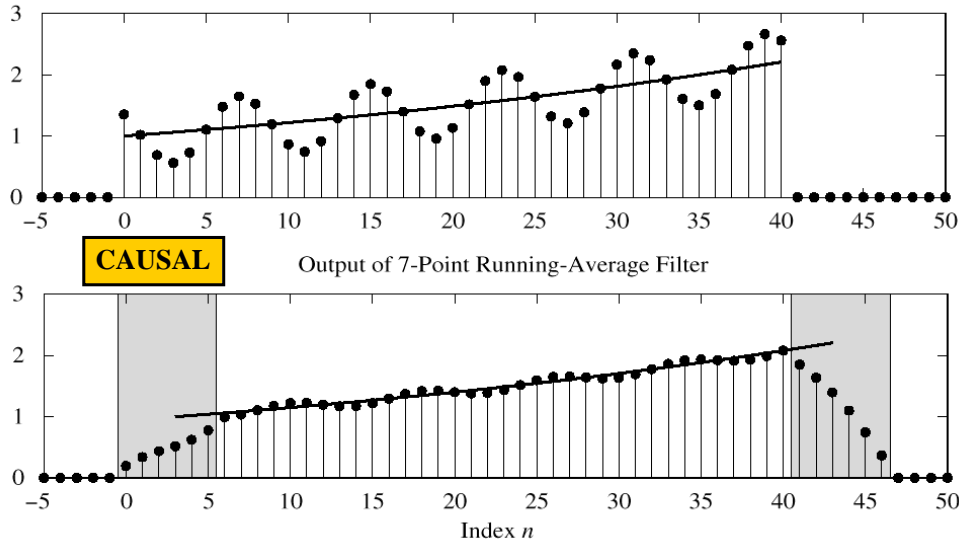
USE PAST VALUES

Output of 3-Point Running-Average Filter



7-pt AVG EXAMPLE

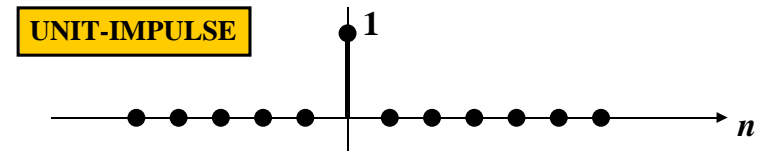
Input Signal: $x[n] = (1.02)^n + \cos(2\pi n/8 + \pi/4)$ for $0 \leq n \leq 40$



SPECIAL INPUT SIGNALS

- $x[n] = \text{SINUSOID}$
- $x[n]$ has only one NON-ZERO VALUE

$$\delta[n] = \begin{cases} 1 & n = 0 \\ 0 & n \neq 0 \end{cases}$$



UNIT IMPULSE SIGNAL $\delta[n]$

n	...	-2	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	...
$\delta[n]$	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$\delta[n-3]$	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0

$n=3$

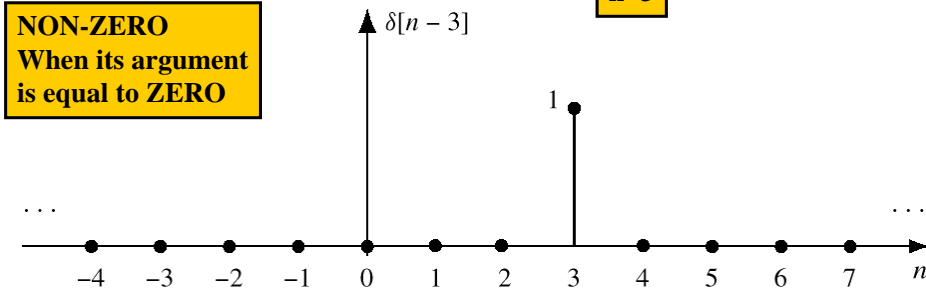
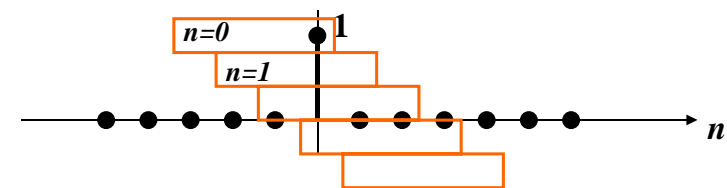


Figure 5.7 Shifted impulse sequence, $\delta[n-3]$.

4-pt AVERAGER

- CAUSAL SYSTEM: USE PAST VALUES
- INPUT = UNIT IMPULSE SIGNAL
- OUTPUT is called "IMPULSE RESPONSE"



4-pt Avg Impulse Response

- | $y[n] = 0.25(x[n]+x[n-1]+x[n-2]+x[n-3])$
- | **“READS OUT” the FILTER COEFFICIENTS**
- | $y[n] = \{...,0,0,0.25,0.25,0.25,0.25,0,0,...\}$

