Chapter 5 THE APPLICATION OF THE Z TRANSFORM 5.4 Time-Domain Analysis

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- ★ The z transform approach overcomes these difficulties and it is, therefore, the preferred approach.

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★ The inverse z transform can be obtained by using any one of the standard inversion techniques described in Chap. 3.

Example

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where

$$p_1, p_2 = \frac{1}{2} \pm j\frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}e^{\pm j\pi/4}$$

Find the unit-step response.

Solution The response of the system is given by

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From the table of standard z transforms, we have

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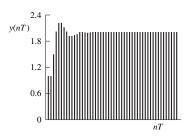
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Find the response of the system to a sinusoidal excitation

$$x(nT) = u(nT)\sin \omega nT$$

Solution The response of the system is given by

$$y(nT) = \mathcal{Z}^{-1}[H(z)X(z)]$$

The z transform of the input is given by

$$X(z) = \mathcal{Z}[u(nT)\sin\omega nT] = \frac{z\sin\omega T}{z^2 - 2z\cos\omega T + 1}$$
$$= \frac{z\sin\omega T}{(z - e^{j\omega T})(z - e^{-j\omega T})}$$

and hence

$$H(z)X(z)z^{n-1} = \frac{z^2 - z + 1}{(z - p_1)(z - p_2)} \cdot \frac{z \sin \omega T}{(z - e^{j\omega T})(z - e^{-j\omega T})} \cdot z^{n-1}$$
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Since the system is causal y(nT) = 0 for n < 0 and hence the general inversion formula gives

$$y(nT) = u(nT)[R_1 + R_2 + R_3 + R_4]$$

where R_1 , R_2 , R_3 , and R_4 are the residues of $H(z)X(z)z^{n-1}$ at poles p_1 , p_2 , $p_3=e^{j\omega T}$, and $p_4=e^{j\omega T}$, respectively.

The residues can be evaluated as shown in the next three slides.

$$H(z)X(z)z^{n-1} = \frac{z^2 - z + 1}{(z - p_1)(z - p_2)} \cdot \frac{\sin \omega T}{(z - e^{j\omega T})(z - e^{-j\omega T})} \cdot z^n$$

$$R_1 = \lim_{z = p_1} \left[\frac{z^2 - z + 1}{(z - p_2)} \cdot \frac{\sin \omega T}{(z - e^{j\omega T})(z - e^{-j\omega T})} \cdot z^n \right]$$

$$= \left[\frac{p_1^2 - p_1 + 1}{(p_1 - p_2)} \cdot \frac{\sin \omega T}{(p_1 - e^{j\omega T})(p_1 - e^{-j\omega T})} \cdot p_1^n \right]$$

$$= \rho(\omega)e^{j\psi(\omega)} \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^n e^{jn\pi/4} = \rho(\omega) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^n e^{j[n\pi/4 + \psi(\omega)]}$$
where
$$\rho(\omega) = \left| \frac{p_1^2 - p_1 + 1}{(p_1 - p_2)} \cdot \frac{\sin \omega T}{(p_1 - e^{j\omega T})(p_1 - e^{-j\omega T})} \right|$$

$$\psi(\omega) = \arg \left[\frac{p_1^2 - p_1 + 1}{(p_1 - p_2)} \cdot \frac{\sin \omega T}{(p_1 - e^{j\omega T})(p_1 - e^{-j\omega T})} \right]$$

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$$R_{2} = R_{1}^{*} = \rho(\omega) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^{n} e^{-j[n\pi/4 + \psi(\omega)]}$$

$$R_{3} = \lim_{z=e^{j\omega T}} [H(z)X(z)z^{n-1}]$$

$$= H(e^{j\omega T}) \cdot \frac{\sin \omega T}{(e^{j\omega T} - e^{-j\omega T})} \cdot e^{jn\omega T}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2j} H(e^{j\omega T})e^{jn\omega T}$$

$$R_{4} = R_{3}^{*} = -\frac{1}{2j} H(e^{-j\omega T})e^{-jn\omega T}$$

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$$R_{1} = \rho(\omega) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^{n} e^{j[n\pi/4 + \psi(\omega)]}, \quad R_{2} = \rho(\omega) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\right)^{n} e^{-j[n\pi/4 + \psi(\omega)]}$$

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If we now let

$$H(e^{j\omega T}) = M(\omega)e^{j\theta(\omega)}$$
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and so

$$y(nT) = u(nT) \left[\rho(\omega) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^n e^{j[n\pi/4 + \psi(\omega)]} + \rho(\omega) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^n e^{-j[n\pi/4 + \psi(\omega)]} + \frac{1}{2j} M(\omega) e^{j\theta(\omega)} e^{jn\omega T} - \frac{1}{2j} M(\omega) e^{-j\theta(\omega)} e^{-jn\omega T} \right]$$

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$$\begin{split} y(nT) &= u(nT) \Big[\rho(\omega) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^n e^{j[n\pi/4 + \psi(\omega)]} + \rho(\omega) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^n e^{-j[n\pi/4 + \psi(\omega)]} \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2j} M(\omega) e^{j\theta(\omega)} e^{jn\omega T} - \frac{1}{2j} M(\omega) e^{-j\theta(\omega)} e^{-jn\omega T} \Big] \\ &= u(nT) \Big\{ \rho(\omega) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^n \Big[e^{j[n\pi/4 + \psi(\omega)]} + e^{-j[n\pi/4 + \psi(\omega)]} \Big] \\ &\quad + M(\omega) \frac{1}{2j} \left[e^{j[n\omega T + \theta(\omega)]} - e^{-j[n\omega T + \theta(\omega)]} \right] \Big\} \\ &= u(nT) \Big\{ \rho(\omega) \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \right)^{n-2} \cos[\frac{n\pi}{4} + \psi(\omega)] \\ &\quad + M(\omega) \sin[n\omega T + \theta(\omega)] \Big\} \quad \blacksquare \end{split}$$

The cosine term is a *transient* component that tends to zero as $n \to \infty$ whereas the sine term represents the *steady-state* response of the system.

This slide concludes the presentation.

Thank you for your attention.