



Z-Transformation

INTRODUCTION

Z-transform plays an important role in **discrete analysis**. Its role in discrete analysis is the same as that of **Laplace** and Fourier transforms in **continuous** system. **Communication** is one of the field whose development is based on discrete analysis. Difference equations are also based on discrete system and their solutions and analysis are carried out by Z- transform .

The Z transform is a powerful mathematical tool used in **digital signal processing** and **control systems analysis**. It allows us to **transform signals from the time domain to the frequency domain**, simplifying the analysis and design of digital systems

SEQUENCE

Sequence $\{f(k)\}$ is an ordered list of real or complex numbers.

REPRESENTATION OF A SEQUENCE

FIRST METHOD

The elementary way is to list all the members of the sequence such as :

$$\{f(k)\} = \{15, 10, 7, 4, 1, -1, 0, 3, 6\}$$

The symbol \uparrow is used to denote the term in zero position i.e., $k = 0$, **k** is an index of position of a term in the sequence.

$$\{g(k)\} = \{15, 10, 7, 4, 1, -1, 0, 3, 6\}$$

Two sequences $\{f(k)\}$ and $\{g(k)\}$ have the same terms but these sequences are not identically the same as **the zeros term of those sequences are different**.

In case the symbol \uparrow is not given then **left hand end term** is considered as the term corresponding to **K=0**.

SECOND METHOD The second way of specifying the sequence is to define the **general term of the sequence** $\{f(k)\}$ as function of k .

For example IF, $f(k) = \frac{1}{3^k}$

This sequence represents $\left\{ \dots \frac{1}{3^{-3}}, \frac{1}{3^{-2}}, \frac{1}{3^{-1}}, \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ K=0}}{1}, \frac{1}{3^1}, \frac{1}{3^2} \dots \dots \right\}$



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BASIC OPERATIONS ON SEQUENCES

Let $\{f(k)\}$ and $\{g(k)\}$ be two sequences having same number of terms.

1-Addition. $\{f(k)\} + \{g(k)\} = \{f(k) + g(k)\}$

2-Multiplication. Let a be a scalar, then $a\{f(k)\} = \{af(k)\}$

3-Linearity. $a\{f(k)\} + b\{g(k)\} = \{af(k) + bg(k)\}$

EXERCISE

1. Write down the term corresponding to $k = 2$

$\{6, 7, 5, 1, 0, 4, 6, 8, 10\}$ answer (8)

2. Write down the term corresponding $k = -3$

$\{20, 16, 14, 13, 12, 10, 5, 1, 0\}$ answer (14)

3. Write down the sequence $f(k)$ where $\{f(k) = \frac{1}{2^k}\}$

Answer $\{f(k) = \frac{1}{2^{-3}}, f(k) = \frac{1}{2^{-2}}, f(k) = \frac{1}{2^{-1}}, 1, f(k) = \frac{1}{2^1}, f(k) = \frac{1}{2^2}$

$\frac{1}{2^{-3}}, \frac{1}{2^{-2}}, \frac{1}{2^{-1}}, 1, \frac{1}{2^1}, \frac{1}{2^2}$

4. Write down the sequence $\{f(k)\}$ where $f(k) = \frac{1}{4^k}$ $\{-3 < k < 4\}$

Answer

$\{f(k) = \frac{1}{4^{-3}}, f(k) = \frac{1}{4^{-2}}, f(k) = \frac{1}{4^{-1}}, 1, f(k) = \frac{1}{4^1}, f(k) = \frac{1}{4^2}, f(k) = \frac{1}{4^3}\}$

Arithmetic sequence

defined by

$$y_n = y_1 + (n - 1)d$$

Example/Calculate the 4th term of the arithmetic sequence defined by

$y_{n+1} - y_n = 2, y_1 = 9$. Write out the first 4 terms of this sequence explicitly.

Suggest why an arithmetic sequence is also known as a linear sequence.

Answer We have, using (2),

$$y_n = 9 + (n - 1)2$$

$$y_n = 2n + 7$$

$$y_1 = 9 \text{ (as given), } y_2 = 11, y_3 = 13, y_4 = 15, \dots$$

Example/Calculate the 12th term of the arithmetic sequence defined by

5, 11, 17, 23, 29?

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Sol/the different between 5 and 11 is=6,and between 11 and 17 is=6d=6

$$a_n = a_1 + (n - 1)d$$

$$a_{12} = 5 + (12 - 1)6 = 71$$

Example/Calculate the 3th term and the 7th term of the arithmetic sequence defined by $a_3=17$ and $a_7=45$ what is the value of the 14th term of the arithmetic sequence

Sol/ $a_3=17$,, $a_7=45$,, $a_{14}=?$

a_3, a_4, a_5, a_6, a_7



$$a_7 = a_3 + 4d \quad \dots\dots 45 = 17 + 4d \quad \dots\dots d = 7$$

$$a_3 = a_1 + 2d \quad \dots\dots 17 = a_1 + 2d = a_1 + 14 \quad \dots\dots a_1 = 3$$

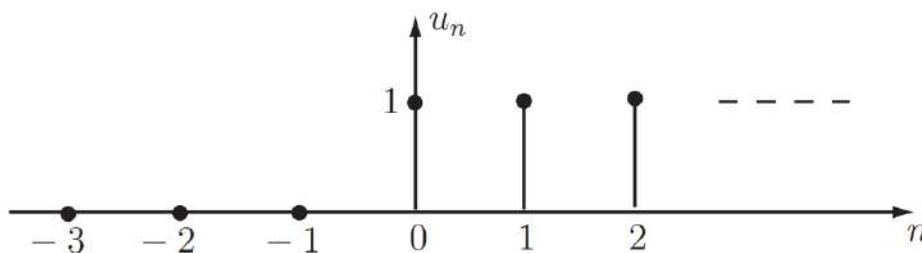
$$a_n = a_1 + (n - 1)d$$

$$a_{14} = 3 + (14 - 1)7 = 94$$

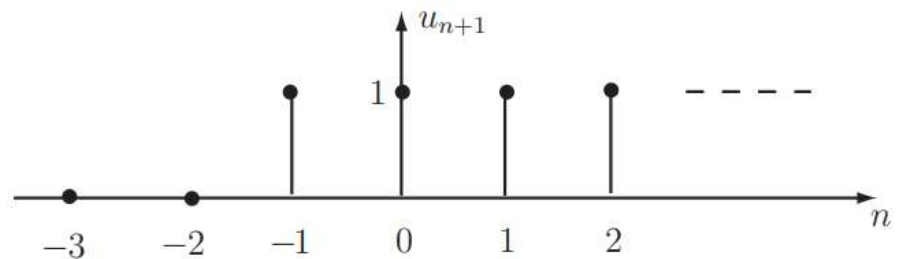
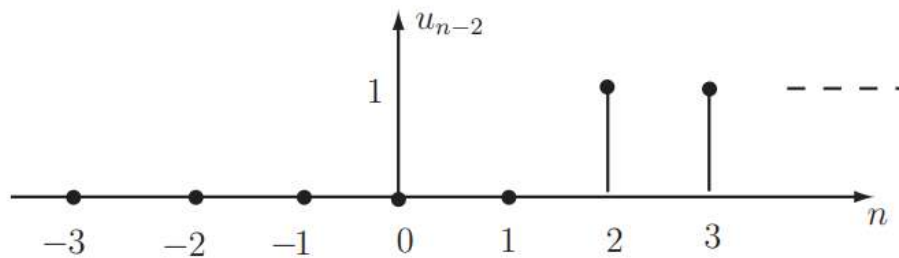
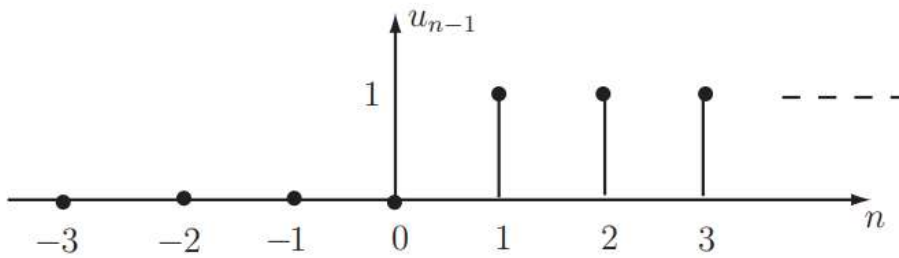
A sequence which is zero for negative integers n is sometimes called a causal sequence. For example the sequence, denoted by $\{u_n\}$,

$$u_n = \begin{cases} 0 & n = -1, -2, -3, \\ 1 & n = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots \end{cases}$$

is causal. Figure 4 makes it clear why $\{u_n\}$ is called the unit step sequence.



EXAMPLE/Draw graphs of the sequences $\{u(n-1)\}$, $\{u(n-2)\}$, $\{u(n+1)\}$ where $\{u(n)\}$ is the unit step sequence.



For example the sequence $\{y_n\} = \{n^2\} \quad n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$ could be written

$$\{\dots 9, 4, 1, 0, 1, 4, 9, \dots\}$$

Z-TRANSFORM

Definition. The Z- transform of a sequence $\{f(k)\}$ is denoted as $Z \{f(k)\}$. It is defined as

$$Z \{f(k)\} = F(z) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} f(k) z^{-k} = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{f(k)}{z^k}$$

Where

1. Z is a complex number.



2. Z is an operator of Z -transform
3. $F(z)$ is the Z transform of $\{f(k)\}$.

$$X(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n]z^{-n}$$

$$z = Ae^{j\phi} = A \cdot (\cos \phi + j \sin \phi)$$

where A is the magnitude of z , j is the imaginary unit, and ϕ is the *complex argument* (also referred to as *angle* or *phase*) in *radians*.

Z – Transform of some time sequences

1) Right side sequences As an example, let us find the

z -transform and ROC of the right sided sequence **ROC Region of Convergence**

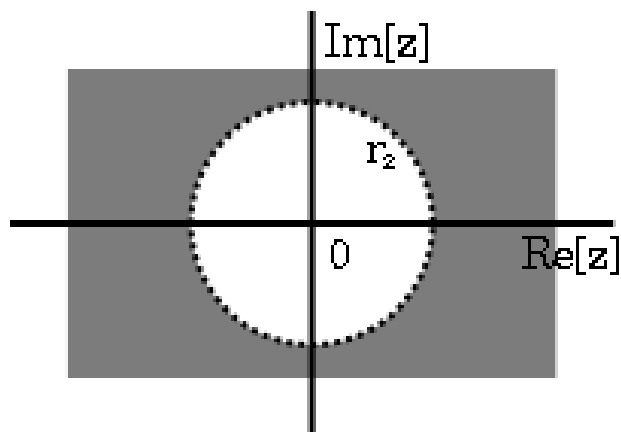
$$x(n) = (1, 2, 2, 1)$$

↑

$$\begin{aligned} X(z) = Z\{x(n)\} &= \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n)z^{-n} = x(0)z^{-0} + x(1)z^{-1} + x(2)z^{-2} + x(3)z^{-3} \\ &= 1z^{-0} + 2z^{-1} + 2z^{-2} + 1z^{-3} \\ &= 1 + 2z^{-1} + 2z^{-2} + z^{-3} \end{aligned}$$

We see that $X(z)$ becomes infinity at $z=0$. Except at $z=0$, $X(z)$ is finite for all values of z . Therefore we can say that the ROC of this z transform is the entire z -plane except $z=0$. **ie.,**

ROC : $|z| > 0$.



The ROC of a right-sided sequence

2) Left sided sequences:

Let us find the z-transform and ROC of the left sided sequence

$$x(n) = (1, 1, 2, 2)$$

↑

$$X(z) = Z \{x(n)\} = \sum_{n=-3}^0 x(n)z^{-n} = x(-3)z^3 + x(-2)z^2 + x(-1)z^1 + x(0)z^0$$

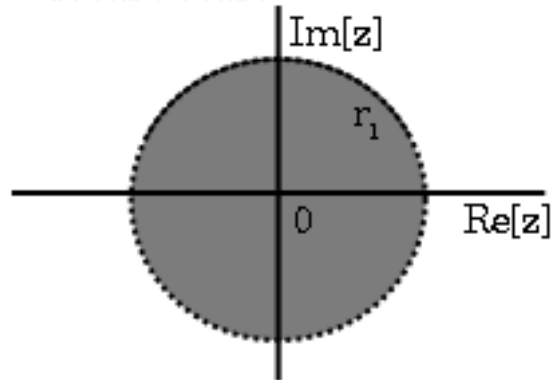
$$= z^3 + z^2 + 2z + 2$$

We see that $X(z)$ becomes infinity at $z = \infty$. Except at $z = \infty$, $X(z)$ is finite for all values of z . Therefore we can say that the ROC of this z transform is the entire z-plane except $z = \infty$ ie., ROC : $|z| < \infty$

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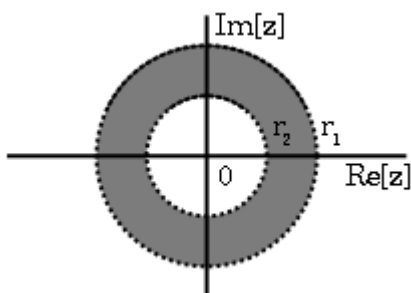


The ROC of a left-sided sequence.

3) Double sided sequences:

A sequence $x(n)$ is said to be double sided if $x(n)$ has both right and left sides. For example, $x(n) = (2, 1, 1, 2)$ is a double sided sequence because $x(n)$ exists in the range $-2 \leq n \leq 1$. Z transform of this sequence is given by

$$\begin{aligned} X(z) = Z \{x(n)\} &= \sum_{n=-2}^1 x(n)z^{-n} = x(-2)z^2 + x(-1)z^1 + x(0)z^0 + x(1)z^{-1} \\ &= 2z^2 + 1z^1 + 1z^0 + 2z^{-1} \end{aligned}$$



The ROC of a two-sided sequence.

Example If $g(k) = \{15, 10, 7, 4, 1, -1, 0, 3, 6\}$

$$Z \{g(k)\} = F(z) = 15z^7 + 10z^6 + 7z^5 + 4z^4 + z^3 - z^2 + 0 + 3 + \frac{6}{z}$$

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Example If $f(k) = \{15, 10, 7, 4, 1, -1, 0, 3, 6\}$ then

$$Z[\{f(k)\}] = F(z) = 15z^3 + 10z^2 + 7z + 4 + \frac{1}{z} - \frac{1}{z^2} + 0 + \frac{3}{z^4} + \frac{6}{z^5}$$

Example If $f(k) = \frac{1}{3^k}$, $-4 \leq k \leq 3$, then

$$Z[\{f(k)\}] = 81z^4 + 27z^3 + 9z^2 + 3z + 1 + \frac{1}{3z} + \frac{1}{9z^2} + \frac{1}{27z^3}$$

Example Find Z-transform of the sequence $\left\{\frac{1}{2^k}\right\}$, $-4 \leq k \leq 4$.

Solution. $F(z) = \sum_{k=-4}^4 \frac{1}{2^k} z^{-k} = 16z^4 + 8z^3 + 4z^2 + 2z + 1 + \frac{1}{2z} + \frac{1}{4z^2} + \frac{1}{8z^3} + \frac{1}{16z^4}$

Example . Find Z-transform of the sequence $\{a^k\}$, $k \geq 0$.

Solution. $F(z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a^k z^{-k} = 1 + \frac{a}{z} + \frac{a^2}{z^2} + \frac{a^3}{z^3} + \dots$

This is a Geometrical series whose sum $= \frac{a}{1-r}$

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

Example Find the z transform of the finite sequence 1, 0, 0.5, 3.

Solution We multiply the terms in the sequence by z^{-n} , where $n=0, 1, 2,$ and then sum the terms, giving

$$\begin{aligned} F(z) &= 1 + 0Z^{-1} + 0.5Z^{-2} + 3Z^{-3} \\ &= 1 + \frac{0.5}{z^2} + \frac{3}{z^3} \quad \text{ans} \end{aligned}$$



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Example: Write the z-transform for a finite sequence given below.

$$x = \{-2, -1, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$$

Solution:

Given sequence of sample numbers $x[n]$ is $x = \{-2, -1, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5\}$

z-transform of $x[n]$ can be written as:

$$X(z) = -2z^0 - z^{-1} + z^{-2} + 2z^{-3} + 3z^{-4} + 4z^{-5} + 5z^{-6}$$

This can be further simplified as below.

$$X(z) = -2 - z^{-1} + z^{-2} + 2z^{-3} + 3z^{-4} + 4z^{-5} + 5z^{-6}$$

PROPERTIES OF Z-TRANSFORMS

Linearity

Theorem 1: If $\{f(k)\}$ and $\{g(k)\}$ are such that they can be added and a and b are constants, then

$$Z \{a f(k) + b g(k)\} = a Z \{f(k)\} + b Z \{g(k)\}$$

Example: Write the z-transform of the following power series

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} a^k, & k \geq 0 \\ 0, & k < 0 \end{cases}$$

It can be expressed using z-transform as:

$$\begin{aligned} F(z) &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} a^k z^{-k} \\ &= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (az^{-1})^k \\ &= \frac{1}{1-az^{-1}} \\ &= \frac{z}{z-a} \end{aligned}$$

Example . Find the Z transform of {f (k)} where

$$f(k) = \begin{cases} 5^k, & k < 0 \\ 3^k, & k \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

Solution. $Z\{f(k)\} = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{-1} 5^k z^{-k} + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 3^k z^{-k}$

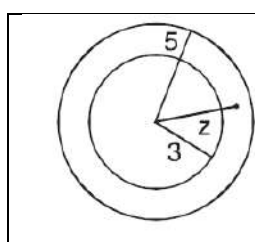
$$= [\dots + 5^{-3} z^3 + 5^{-2} z^2 + 5^{-1} z^1] + \left[1 + \frac{3}{z^{-1}} + \frac{9}{z^{-2}} + \frac{27}{z^{-3}} + \dots \right] \text{ [G.P.]}$$

$$= \frac{5^{-1} z}{1 - 5^{-1} z} + \frac{1}{1 - \frac{3}{z^{-1}}} = \frac{z}{5 - z} + \frac{z}{z - 3} \quad \text{[G.P.]} \quad \left[S = \frac{a}{1 - r} \right]$$

$$= \frac{z^2 - 3z + 5z - z^2}{(5 - z)(z - 3)} = \frac{-2z}{z^2 - 8z + 15} \quad \left| \frac{z}{5} \right| < 1, \quad \left| \frac{3}{z} \right| < 1$$

Two series are convergent in annulus. Here $3 < |z|$ and $|z| < 5$.

Ans.



Reign Of Convergence (**ROC**)

Discrete-time sequence $x(n), n \geq 0$	z-transform $X(z)$	Region of convergence of $X(z)$
$k\delta(n)$	k	Everywhere
k	$\frac{kz}{z - 1}$	$ z > 1$
kn	$\frac{kz}{(z - 1)^2}$	$ z > 1$

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kn^2	$\frac{kz(z+1)}{(z-1)^3}$	$ z > 1$
$ke^{-\alpha n}$	$\frac{kz}{z - e^{-\alpha}}$	$ z > e^{-\alpha}$
$kne^{-\alpha n}$	$\frac{kze^{-\alpha}}{(z - e^{-\alpha})^2}$	$ z > e^{-\alpha}$
$1 - e^{-\alpha n}$	$\frac{z(1 - e^{-\alpha})}{z^2 - z(1 + e^{-\alpha}) + e^{-\alpha}}$	$ z > e^{-\alpha}$
$\cos(\alpha n)$	$\frac{z(z - \cos \alpha)}{z^2 - 2z \cos \alpha + 1}$	$ z > 1$
$\sin(\alpha n)$	$\frac{z \sin \alpha}{z^2 - 2z \cos \alpha + 1}$	$ z > 1$
$e^{-\alpha n} \sin(\alpha n)$	$\frac{ze^{-\alpha} \sin \alpha}{z^2 - 2e^{-\alpha} z \cos \alpha + e^{-2\alpha}}$	$ z > e^{-\alpha}$
$k\alpha^n$	$\frac{kz}{z - \alpha}$	$ z > \alpha$
$kn\alpha^n$	$\frac{k\alpha z}{(z - \alpha)^2}$	$ z > \alpha$

Example (Linearity) Find the z transform of $3n + 2 \times 3^n$.

Solution From the linearity property

$$\mathcal{Z}\{3n + 2 \times 3^n\} = 3\mathcal{Z}\{n\} + 2\mathcal{Z}\{3^n\}$$

and from the Table

$$\mathcal{Z}\{n\} = \frac{z}{(z-1)^2} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathcal{Z}\{3^n\} = \frac{z}{z-3}$$

(r^n with $r = 3$). Therefore

$$\mathcal{Z}\{3n + 2 \times 3^n\} = \frac{3z}{(z-1)^2} + \frac{2z}{z-3}$$

Example. Find the Z-transform of $[\frac{1}{2}]^{|k|}$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Solution.} \quad \mathcal{Z}\left[\left\{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{|k|}\right\}\right] &= \sum \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{|k|} z^{-k} = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{-1} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-k} z^{-k} + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-k} z^{-k} \\ &= \left(\dots + \frac{z^4}{16} + \frac{z^3}{8} + \frac{z^2}{4} + \frac{z}{2}\right) + \left(1 + \frac{1}{2z} + \frac{1}{4z^2} + \frac{1}{8z} + \dots\right) \end{aligned}$$

These infinite series are G.P, and sum of a G.P. $= \frac{a}{1-r}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{\frac{z}{2}}{1-\frac{z}{2}} + \frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{2z}} &= \frac{z}{2-z} + \frac{2z}{2z-1} \\ &= \frac{2z^2 - z + 4z - 2z^2}{(2-z)(2z-1)} &= \frac{3z}{(2-z)(2z-1)} \end{aligned}$$

Poles and zeros of the Z transform

Values of z for which $X(z) = 0$ are called the **zeros** of $X(z)$. A zero is indicated by a 'O' in the z plane. Values of z for which $X(z) = \infty$ are called the **poles** of $X(z)$. A pole is indicated by a 'X' in the z plane.

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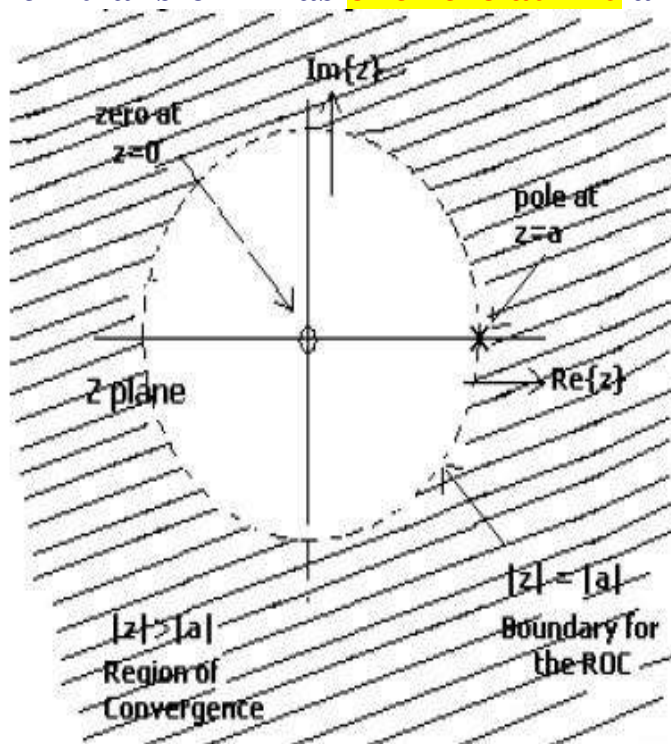
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For example, in the previous example, where

$$X(z) = z / (z-a)$$

The z transform has **one zero at $z=0$** and **one pole at $z=a$** .



ROC for the Z transform of $a^n u(n)$

$$\text{If } x(n) \xleftrightarrow{Z} X(z) \quad \& \quad h(n) \xleftrightarrow{Z} H(z)$$

$$\text{then } x(n) * h(n) \xleftrightarrow{Z} X(z) \cdot H(z)$$

ie., convolution in the time domain is transformed into multiplication in the z-domain.

(where * denotes convolution)

Z- TRANSFORMS OF SOME USEFUL SEQUENCES:

1) A) Unit impulse $\delta(n)$:

$$x(n) = \delta(n)$$

$$X(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n)z^{-n} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(n)z^{-n} = \delta(0)z^{-0} = 1 \quad \text{with ROC : the entire z-plane.}$$

$$\text{ie., } \delta(n) \xleftrightarrow{Z} 1 \quad \text{with ROC : the entire z-plane}$$

B) $x(n) = \delta(n-n_0)$, where n_0 is positive.

$$X(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n)z^{-n} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(n-n_0)z^{-n} = 1 \cdot z^{-n_0} = z^{-n_0} \quad (\text{because } \delta(n-n_0) = 1 \text{ at } n = n_0)$$

with ROC : the entire z-plane except $z=0$. ie., ROC : $|z| > 0$

$$\text{ie., } \delta(n-n_0) \xleftrightarrow{Z} z^{-n_0} \quad \text{with ROC : } |z| > 0$$

C) $x(n) = \delta(n+n_0)$, where n_0 is positive.

$$X(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n)z^{-n} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(n+n_0)z^{-n} = 1 \cdot z^{n_0} = z^{n_0} \text{ (because } \delta(n+n_0) = 1 \text{ at } n = -n_0)$$

with ROC : the entire z-plane except $z = \infty$ ie., ROC : $|z| < \infty$

$$\text{ie., } \delta(n+n_0) \xrightarrow{Z} z^{n_0} \text{ with ROC : } |z| < \infty$$

Exercise: Repeat (B) and (C) using the appropriate property of the Z Transform

2) $x(n) = a^n u(n)$

Example. Find the Z-transform of UNIT IMPULSE

$$\delta(k) = \begin{cases} 1 & k = 0 \\ 0 & k \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

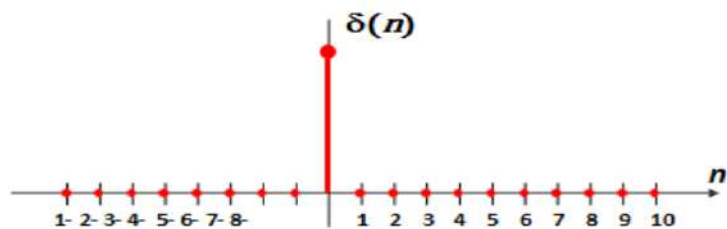
SOLUTION

$$Z[\{\delta(k)\}] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(k) z^{-k}$$

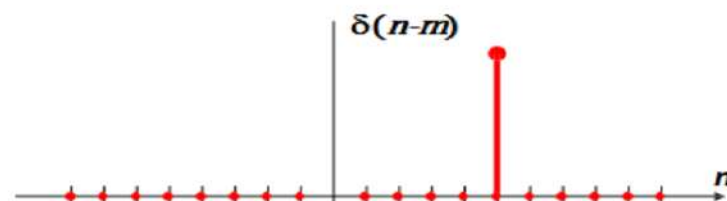
= [... + 0 + 0 + 0 + 1 + 0 + 0 +]

□ delta function or unit-impulse (sample) sequence $\delta(n)$

$$\delta(n) = \begin{cases} 1 & n = 0 \\ 0 & n \neq 0 \end{cases}$$



$$\delta(n-m) = \begin{cases} 1 & n = m \\ 0 & n \neq m \end{cases}$$



Example . Find the Z-transform of discrete UNIT STEP

$$U(k) = \begin{cases} 0 & k < 0 \\ 1 & k \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

SOLUTION

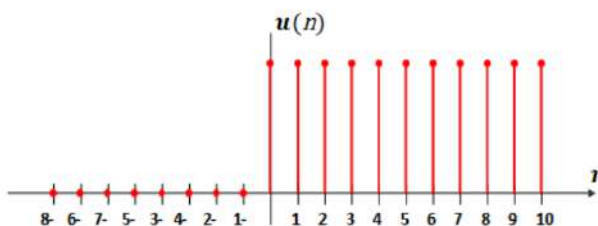
$$Z \{ U(k) \} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} U(k) z^{-k} = [1 + z^{-1} + z^{-2} + z^{-3} + \dots]$$

G.P. its sum is $\frac{a}{1-r}$.

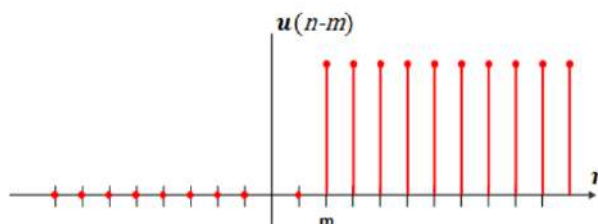
$$= \frac{1}{1-z^{-1}} = \frac{1}{1-\frac{1}{z}} = \frac{z}{z-1}$$

□ unit-step sequence $U(n)$

$$u(n) = \begin{cases} 1 & n \geq 0 \\ 0 & n < 0 \end{cases}$$



$$u(n-m) = \begin{cases} 1 & n \geq m \\ 0 & n < m \end{cases}$$



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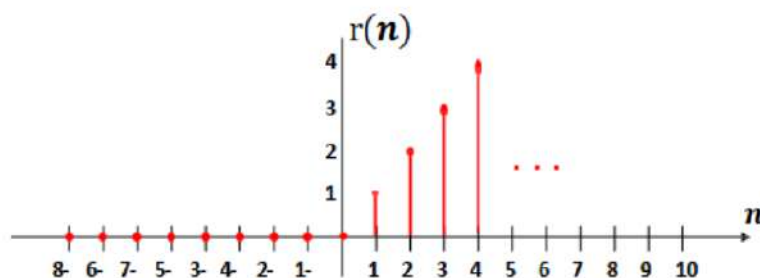
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$$u(n) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \delta(n-m)$$

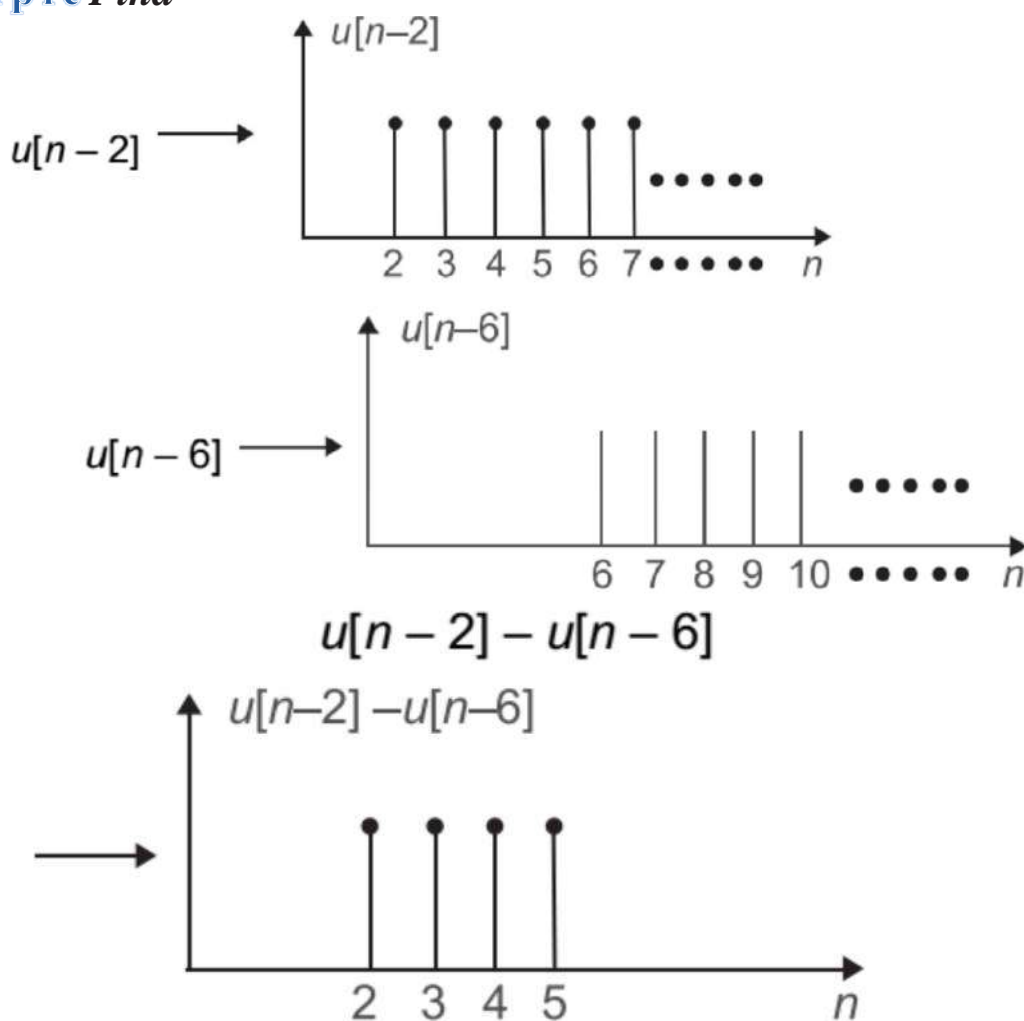
$$\delta(n) = u(n) - u(n-1)$$

□ unit-ramp sequence $r(n)$

$$r(n) = nu(n) = \begin{cases} n & n \geq 0 \\ 0 & n < 0 \end{cases}$$



Example Find



Example. Find the Z-transform of $\frac{a^k}{k!}$

SOLUTION

$$Z \left[\left\{ \frac{a^k}{k!} \right\} \right] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{a^k}{k!} z^{-k}$$

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a z^{-1})^k}{k!} = 1 + \frac{a z^{-1}}{1!} + \frac{(a z^{-1})^2}{2!} + \frac{(a z^{-1})^3}{3!} + \dots$$

CHANGE OF SCALE

Theorem. If $Z \{f(k)\} = F(z)$ then $Z \{a^k f(k)\} = F\left(\frac{z}{a}\right)$

Example. Find the Z-transform of $(a^k) k > 0$.

Solution. We know that

$$Z \{1\} = \frac{z}{z-1}$$

For the given sequence, by the scale change formula the Z-transform

$$Z \{a^k \cdot 1\} = \frac{\frac{z}{a}}{\frac{z}{a} - 1} = \frac{z}{z-a}$$

SHIFTING PROPERTY

Theorem. If $Z \{f(k)\} = F(z)$,

$$Z \{f(k \pm n)\} = z^{\pm n} F(z)$$

CLASSIFICATION OF SYSTEM CAUSAL AND NON CAUSAL





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1/ IF THE OUTPUT \geq INPUT \Rightarrow CAUSAL

2/ IF THE OUTPUT $<$ INPUT \Rightarrow NONCAUSAL

3/ IN ANY STEP OF THE SOLUTION INPUT $>$ OUTPUT

STOP THE SOLUTION AND THE SYSTEM IS NON CAUSAL

$EX-y(t)=x(t)$ $y(0)=x(0)$ $y(1)=x(1)$ $y(-1)=x(-1)$ causal	$EX-y(t)=x(2t)$ $y(0)=x(0)$ $y(1)=x(2)$ $y(-1)=x(-2)$ NONcausal
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$EX-y(t)=x(t)+x(t-2)$ $y(0)=x(0)+x(-2)$ $y(1)=x(1)+x(-1)$ $y(-1)=x(-1)+x(-3)$ causal	$EX-y(t)=x(t-4) (t+4)$ $y(0)=x(-4) (4)$ $y(1)=x(3) (5)$ $y(-1)=x(-5) (3)$ noncausal
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For casual sequence

$$Z[\{f(k-1)\}] = z^{-1} F(z) \text{ as } f(-1) = 0$$

$$Z[\{f(k+1)\}] = z F(z) - z f(0)$$

$$Z[\{f(k+2)\}] = z^2 F(z) - z^2 f(0) - z f(1)$$

Difference Equations

$$Dy_n = y_{n+1} - y_n,$$

$$D^2y_n = y_{n+2} - 2y_{n+1} + y_n.$$

$$D^3y_n = y_{n+3} - 3y_{n+2} + 3y_{n+1} - y_n \text{ and so on}$$

Example Form the difference equation for the Fibonacci sequence .

The integers 0,1,1,2,3,5,8,13,21, . . . are said to form a Fibonacci sequence.

If y_n be the n^{th} term of this sequence, then

$$0+1=1+1=2+1=3+2=5+3=8+5=13+8=21.....$$



$$y_n = y_{n-1} + y_{n-2} \text{ for } n > 2$$

$$\text{OR } y_{n+2} - y_{n+1} - y_n = 0 \text{ for } n > 0$$

Fibonacci numbers, commonly denoted F_n . The sequence commonly starts from 0 and 1, although some authors start the sequence from 1 and 1 or sometimes (as did Fibonacci) from 1 and 2. Starting from 0 and 1, the sequence begins 0, 1, 1, 2, 3, 5, 8, 13, 21, 34, 55, 89, 144

THEOREM

If $\{f(k)\} = F(z)$, $\{g(k)\} = G(z)$, and a and b are constant,

Example/ Find the Z-transform of

1. $n(n-1)$
2. $n^2 + 7n + 4$
3. $(1/2)(n+1)(n+2)$

$$(i) Z \{ n(n-1) \} = Z \{ n^2 \} - Z \{ n \}$$

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

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

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

$$(ii) \quad Z\{n^2 + 7n + 4\} = Z\{n^2\} + 7Z\{n\} + 4Z\{1\}$$

$$= \frac{z(z+1)}{(z-1)^3} + 7 \frac{z}{(z-1)^2} + 4 \frac{z}{z-1}$$

$$= \frac{z\{(z+1) + 7(z-1) + 4(z-1)^2\}}{(z-1)^3}$$

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

$$(iii) \quad Z\left\{\frac{(n+1)(n+2)}{2}\right\} = \frac{1}{2}\{Z\{n^2\} + 3Z\{n\} + 2Z\{1\}\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{z(z+1)}{(z-1)^3} + \frac{3z}{(z-1)^2} + \frac{2z}{(z-1)} \right\} \text{ if } |z| > 1$$

$$= \frac{z^3}{(z-1)^3}$$

Example

Show that $Z\{1/n!\} = e^{1/z}$ and hence find $Z\{1/(n+1)!\}$ and $Z\{1/(n+2)!\}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 Z\left\{\frac{1}{n!}\right\} &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n!} z^{-n} \\
 &= \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{(z^{-1})^n}{n!} \\
 &= 1 + \frac{z^{-1}}{1!} + \frac{(z^{-1})^2}{2!} + \dots \\
 &= e^{z^{-1}} = e^{1/z}
 \end{aligned}$$

To find $Z\left\{\frac{1}{(n+1)!}\right\}$

We know that $Z\{f_{n+1}\} = z \{ F(z) - f_0 \}$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned}
 Z\left\{\frac{1}{(n+1)!}\right\} &= z \left\{ Z\left\{\frac{1}{n!}\right\} - 1 \right\} \\
 &= z \{ e^{1/z} - 1 \}
 \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$Z\left\{\frac{1}{(n+2)!}\right\} = z^2 \{ e^{1/z} - 1 - (1/z) \}.$$

INVERSE Z-TRANSFORM

Finding the sequence $\{f(k)\}$ from $F(z)$ is defined as inverse Z-transform. It is denoted as

$$Z^{-1}F(z) = \{f(k)\} \quad Z^{-1} \text{ is the inverse Z-transform.}$$

(LINEARITY AND THE INVERSE TRANSFORM)



- There are three methods for finding the inverse Z-transform i.e., finding the time sequence $x[n]$ given its Z-transform:
- (1) **Long Division** Method (Power Series expansion method)
- (2) **Partial Fraction** Expansion Method
- (3) Complex inversion integral method
- We will study the first two methods only

(1) **Long Division Method (Power Series expansion method)**

The Z transform of a sequence $x(n)$ is given by

$$X(z) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n) z^{-n} = \dots + x(-2)z^2 + x(-1)z + x(0)z^0 + x(1)z^{-1} + x(2)z^{-2} + \dots$$

Therefore if $X(z)$ can be expanded as a power series, the coefficients represent the inverse sequence values. However, the solution is not obtained as a **closed** form expression. So this method is used when we require the first few numerical values of the inverse z transform of $X(z)$.

For right sided sequences, $X(z)$ will have only negative exponents, and for left sided sequences, $X(z)$ will have only positive exponents.

This method is illustrated by the following

Example: Find the inverse z transform by division :

$$X(z) = \frac{z}{3z^2 - 4z + 1} \quad \text{for ROCs} \quad (a) |z| > 1 \quad (b) |z| < 1/3$$



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a- $|z| > 1$ indicates a right sided sequence. So we must divide the numerator by the denominator by long division, to get negative powers of z in the quotient;

$$\begin{array}{r} \frac{1}{3}z^{-1} + \frac{4}{9}z^{-2} + \frac{13}{27}z^{-3} + \dots \\ 3z^2 - 4z + 1 \overline{) z} \\ \underline{z - \frac{4}{3} + \frac{1}{3}z^{-1}} \\ \frac{4}{3} - \frac{1}{3}z^{-1} \\ \underline{\frac{4}{3} - \frac{16}{9}z^{-1} + \frac{4}{9}z^{-2}} \\ \frac{13}{9}z^{-1} - \frac{4}{9}z^{-2} \\ \dots \end{array}$$

ie.,

$$X(z) = \frac{1}{3}z^{-1} + \frac{4}{9}z^{-2} + \frac{13}{27}z^{-3} + \dots$$

$$\therefore x(n) = [0, \frac{1}{3}, \frac{4}{9}, \frac{13}{27}, \dots]$$



EXAMPLE: find the **I.Z.T** using long division ?

$$1 + z^{-1} - z^{-3}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} Z^2 - Z + 1 \overline{) Z^2} \\ \underline{Z^2 - Z + 1} \\ Z^{-1} \\ \underline{Z^{-1} + Z^{-1}} \\ -Z^{-1} \\ \underline{-Z^{-1} + Z^{-2} - Z^{-3}} \\ -Z^{-2} + Z^{-3} \end{array}$$