

HOMEWORK #1

Due Friday, October 9, 2009 (5:00 p.m.)

Reading: Background, Chapters 1 (review) and 2 (2.1–2.7)

Problems:

1. Chapter 1: Problem 1
2. Chapter 1: Problem 6
3. Chapter 1: Problem 10
4. Chapter 1: Problem 15
5. Find $\phi_{xx}(k)$ for

$$\Phi_{xx}(z) = \frac{1}{(1 + 0.5z^{-1})(1 - 0.4z^{-1})(1 + 0.5z)(1 - 0.4z)}.$$

6. Consider a single-input, two-output system. Assume that the input $x(n)$ and the additive noise $v(n)$ affecting $y_1(n)$ are uncorrelated, and

$$\phi_{xx}(k) = 2\delta(k), \quad \phi_{vv}(k) = \frac{1}{2}\delta(k)$$

$$h_1(n) = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n u(n), \quad h_2(n) = \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^n u(n).$$

- (a) Find the noncausal Wiener filter for estimating $y_1(n)$ from $y_2(n)$.
- (b) Determine the minimum mean-square error (MSE) $\xi_{\min}$.
- (c) What is $\xi_{\min}$ without filtering $y_2(n)$ (i.e., the filter is zero)? Compare this result to that obtained in part (b) and comment.

7. Consider the MSE equation:

$$\xi = \phi_{dd}(0) - 2 \sum_m h(m) \phi_{dx}(m) + \sum_m \sum_k h(m) h(k) \phi_{xx}(k - m)$$

where $d(n)$ is the desired signal and $x(n)$ is the filter input. Impose the constraint that $\{h(n)\}$ be the coefficients of an N -length tapped-delay line (i.e., FIR filter).

- (a) Determine the corresponding Wiener-Hopf equation.
- (b) Assume that $x(n)$ is a white-noise sequence, and solve for the optimal filter coefficients. Compare your answer to the result obtained in class using the matrix/vector approach. In this case, what can you say about the correlation matrix R ?
- (c) Assume that $x(n)$ is a general random sequence, and again solve for the optimal coefficients. How does your answer compare to that obtained in class? Are the solutions identical? (Hint: You must determine the appropriate range of values for k and m in the MSE equation, and for the time argument n of the filter impulse response.)