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B.E. / B.Tech. - DEGREE EXAMINATIONS, NOV / DEC 2024

Fifth Semester

Electronics and Instrumentation Engineering

(Common to Instrumentation and Control Engineering)

20EIPC503 - DIGITAL SIGNAL PROCESSING

Regulations - 2020

Duration: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 100

PART - A (MCQ) (20 × 1 = 20 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

| | <i>Marks</i> | <i>K- Level</i> | <i>CO</i> |
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| 1. The Nyquist rate is defined as: (a) The sampling rate at which a signal is under sampled (b) Twice the maximum frequency of the signal (c) The maximum amplitude of a signal (d) The average power of a signal | 1 | K1 | CO1 |
| 2. Which one is a key characteristic of a causal system? (a) It responds only to past and present inputs (b) It responds to future inputs (c) It depends on initial conditions only (d) It generates random outputs | 1 | K1 | CO1 |
| 3. For a system to be considered stable, which of the following must be true? (a) It is time-variant (b) It responds to inputs with unbounded outputs (c) It responds to bounded inputs with bounded outputs (d) It depends on future inputs | 1 | K1 | CO1 |
| 4. A system is said to be linear if it follows the principle of: (a) Time variance (b) Additivity and homogeneity (c) Recursion (d) Time invariance | 1 | K1 | CO1 |
| 5. The inverse Z-transform of a function X(z) can be computed by: (a) Taking the Laplace transform and applying the inverse (b) Solving the difference equation directly (c) Using partial fraction expansion and applying the inverse formula (d) Differentiating the original Z-transform equation | 1 | K1 | CO2 |
| 6. Which of the following statements about the magnitude and phase representation of the DTFT is true? (a) The magnitude spectrum gives the amplitude of each frequency component, and the phase spectrum gives the relative time delay of each frequency (b) The magnitude spectrum shows the real part of the signal, and the phase spectrum shows the imaginary part (c) The magnitude spectrum shows the total energy in the signal, and the phase spectrum shows the power (d) The magnitude spectrum is always zero for a periodic signal, while the phase spectrum is constant | 1 | K1 | CO2 |
| 7. Convolution of two discrete-time signals in the time domain corresponds to: (a) Division of their Z-transforms (b) Multiplication of their Z-transforms (c) Addition of their Z-transforms (d) Time shifting in the frequency domain | 1 | K1 | CO2 |
| 8. A discrete-time system is stable if: (a) All the poles of its Z-transform lie on the unit circle (b) All the poles of its Z-transform lie inside the unit circle (c) All the zeros of its Z-transform lie inside the unit circle (d) The region of convergence includes the origin | 1 | K1 | CO2 |

9. Twiddle factors in the FFT algorithm are: 1 KI CO3
 (a) The real part of the DFT coefficients
 (b) Complex exponential factors used for combining smaller DFTs
 (c) Multiplication factors that control the butterfly computations
 (d) Scaling factors used for normalizing the frequency components
10. The magnitude spectrum of a DFT represents: 1 KI CO3
 (a) The real part of the signal in the time domain
 (b) The amplitude of different frequency components of the signal
 (c) The imaginary part of the time domain signal
 (d) The phase shift of different frequency components
11. Which of the following statements about radix-2 FFT is correct? 1 KI CO3
 (a) It can only be applied when the number of data points is a power of 2
 (b) It is slower than computing the DFT directly
 (c) It cannot handle complex-valued signals
 (d) It requires the input signal to be non-periodic
12. The Decimation-in-Time (DIT) algorithm for FFT works by: 1 KI CO3
 (a) Dividing the time-domain signal into smaller frequency components
 (b) Splitting the signal into even and odd indexed samples at each stage
 (c) Decimating the frequency domain representation
 (d) Reversing the order of time samples before performing FFT
13. In FIR filter design, windowing techniques are used to: 1 KI CO4
 (a) Increase the computational complexity of filter design
 (b) Truncate the infinite impulse response to a finite length
 (c) Change the sampling rate of the filter
 (d) Remove unwanted frequency components from the filter
14. Chebyshev filters differ from Butterworth filters because they: 1 KI CO4
 (a) Have an equiripple response in the passband or stopband
 (b) Are inherently unstable
 (c) Have a maximally flat response
 (d) Are only applicable for discrete systems
15. In filter realization, parallel form implementation is beneficial for: 1 KI CO4
 (a) Systems with low computational power (b) Minimizing memory requirements
 (c) Designing filters with multiple resonant peaks (d) Achieving a linear phase response
16. FIR filters are preferred for applications that require: 1 KI CO4
 (a) Minimum phase characteristics (b) Non-linear phase characteristics
 (c) Linear phase characteristics (d) Maximum phase characteristics
17. The primary difference between fixed-point and floating-point DSPs is: 1 KI CO5
 (a) The type of data processed (b) The way they handle precision and range of data
 (c) The speed of computation (d) The power consumption of the DSP
18. In DSPs, the addressing mode that allows accessing memory relative to a base register is called: 1 KI CO5
 (a) Immediate addressing (b) Indirect addressing
 (c) Indexed addressing (d) Direct addressing
19. In DSP terminology, MAC stands for: 1 KI CO5
 (a) Multiply and Cache (b) Multiply and Compare
 (c) Multiply and Accumulate (d) Multi-Address Communication
20. What is the primary purpose of a Digital Signal Processor (DSP)? 1 KI CO5
 (a) Image compression (b) General-purpose computing
 (c) High-speed numerical computation on digital signals (d) File management

PART - B (10 × 2 = 20 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

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| 21. State the classification of discrete time signals. | 2 | K1 | CO1 |
| 22. Define aliasing effect. | 2 | K1 | CO1 |
| 23. Determine the Z-Transform of $x(n) = a^n u(n)$. | 2 | K2 | CO2 |
| 24. State convolution property of Z- Transform. | 2 | K1 | CO2 |
| 25. Find the DFT of the sequence $x(n) = (1 \ 1 \ 0 \ 0)$ using direct computation method. | 2 | K1 | CO3 |
| 26. How many multiplication and additions required computing 8- point DFT using radix-2 FFT? | 2 | K1 | CO3 |
| 27. Write the equation for Hamming window function. | 2 | K2 | CO4 |
| 28. Describe the significance of pre-warping in filter design. | 2 | K2 | CO4 |
| 29. Compare a Digital Signal Processor with a general-purpose processor. | 2 | K2 | CO5 |
| 30. Identify the main components of DSP architecture. | 2 | K1 | CO5 |

PART - C (6 × 10 = 60 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

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| 31. a) Check whether the following systems are linear and time varying: | 10 | K1 | CO1 |
| $y(n) = n x(n)$ | | | |
| $y(n) = nx^2(n)$ | | | |
| $y(n) = x^2(n)$ | | | |
| $y(n) = Ax(n) + B$ | | | |
| $y(n) = x(2n)$ | | | |

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| b) Check whether the following signals are energy or power signal. | 10 | K1 | CO1 |
| (a) $x(n) = \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n u(n)$ | | | |
| (b) $x(n) = \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{4}\right)^n$ | | | |

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| 32. a) Determine the inverse Z- Transform of $x(z) = \frac{1}{(z-0.25)(z-0.5)}$ RoC : $ z > 0.5$ | 10 | K2 | CO2 |
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| b) Determine the response of the system and check for stability $y(n) = 0.7y(n-1) - 0.12y(n-2) + x(n-1) + x(n-2)$ and $x(n) = n.u(n)$. | 10 | K2 | CO2 |
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| 33. a) Compute 8 point DFT of the sequence $x(n) = \{1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 4 \ 5 \ 6 \ 7 \ 8\}$ using radix-2 DIF-FFT algorithm. | 10 | K3 | CO3 |
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| b) Compute the circular convolution (DFT property) of the following sequences using the DFT and IDFT approach $x_1(n) = \{1,0,2,1\}$, $x_2(n) = \{1,1,1,1\}$. | 10 | K3 | CO3 |
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| 34. a) The specification of the desired Low Pass Digital Filter is $0.707 \leq H(\omega) < 1.0$; $0 \leq \omega \leq 0.2\pi$ | 10 | K3 | CO4 |
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$$|H(\omega)| \leq 0.1 \ ; 0.5\pi \leq \omega \leq \pi \quad \text{Assume } T = 1 \text{ sec}$$

Design a Chebyshev digital Low Pass Filter for the above spec. using Bilinear transformation Technique (BLT).

OR

- b) A low pass Filter is required to be designed with the desired frequency response 10 K3 CO4

$$H_d(e^{j\omega}) = \begin{cases} e^{-j3\omega} & \text{for } -\frac{3\pi}{4} \leq \omega \leq \frac{3\pi}{4} \\ 0 & \text{for } \frac{3\pi}{4} \leq \omega \leq \pi \end{cases}$$

Obtain the filter coefficients $h(n)$ using Hamming window function for $N=7$.

35. a) Describe in detail the architectural aspects of TMS320C54 digital signal processor using illustrative block diagram. 10 K2 CO5

OR

- b) Describe different addressing formats used in DSP processors. 10 K2 CO5

36. a) Design a Digital Filter equivalent to $H(s) = \frac{2}{(s^2 + 3s + 2)}$ using Impulse Invariant method ($T = 0.2$ sec). 10 K3 CO4

OR

- b) Explain Von Neumann, Harvard architecture and modified Harvard architecture for the computer. 10 K2 CO4