
ASSIGNED: Mar. 26, 2015. **READ:** Sects. 10.1-10.2. Review 7.4.

DUE DATE: Apr. 02, 2015. **TOPICS:** Data windows.

Please box your answers. Show your work. Turn in all Matlab plots and Matlab code.

- [40] 1. We observe $x[n]=\sin(0.3\pi n)+\sin(0.4\pi n)$ for $1 \leq n \leq L$ for some L .
 Compute its spectrum: `plot(abs(fft(sin(0.3*pi*[1:L])+sin(0.4*pi*[1:L])),N))`.
 The goal of this problem is to determine how varying L and N affect resolution.
- [10] (a) Find the smallest value of L that resolves the two peaks. Use $N=256$.
 “Resolves” means there is a dip (not to zero) between two peaks.
 Turn in the plot: Using largest L that doesn’t resolve the peaks.
 Turn in the plot: Using smallest L that does resolve the peaks.
- [05] (b) Use the formula from lecture to estimate L . Compare with (a).
 [10] (c) Double N to 512 and repeat (a). Turn in the two plots as in (a).
 [10] (d) Use a Hamming window and repeat (a). Turn in the two plots as in (a).
`plot(abs(fft((sin(0.3*pi*[1:L])+sin(0.4*pi*[1:L])).*hamming(L)',N))`.
 [05] (e) Summarize your results: How do varying L, N and a window affect resolution?
 Put the six plots for this problem in a (3×2) array using `subplot`.
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- [30] 2. Download `p8.mat`. In Matlab, type `>>load p8` to get sampled signals $X1$ & $X2$.
 $X1$ is the first 75 samples of $X1$ from `p7.mat` in problem set #7.
- [05] (a) Plot its spectrum using `plot(abs(fft(X1,256)))`. Can you interpret it?
 [05] (b) Use a Hamming window: `plot(abs(fft(X1.*hamming(75)',256)))`. Better?
 [20] (c) Estimate frequencies of the four sinusoids ([5] each) from peak locations in (b).
 Compare to your results from #3 of problem set #7. Turn in the two plots.
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- [30] 3. Download `p8.mat`. In Matlab, type `>>load p8` to get sampled signals $X1$ & $X2$.
- [05] (a) Listen *carefully* to $X2$ using `sound(X2,8192)`. Describe it.
 [10] (b) *Segment* (chop up) $X2$ into 26 segments of length 3000 each.
 Examine spectra of each segment: `imagesc(abs(fft(reshape(X2',3000,26))))`.
 [05] (c) Describe $X2$ as the sum of two songs. HINT: One rocks, one stinks.
 [10] (d) Eliminate the one that stinks by setting some of `fft(X2)` to zero.
 This gives Y . Prove you did it: `imagesc(abs(fft(reshape(Y',3000,26))))`.
 Turn in images from (b) and (d). Put 4 plots from #2 and #3 on one page.
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“Diplomacy is the art of saying ‘nice doggie’ until you can find a stick.”
