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## **DEPARTMENT OF BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING**

### **19BMB302 - BIOMEDICAL SIGNAL PROCESSING**

**III YEAR/ V SEMESTER**

## **UNIT III INFINITE IMPULSE RESPONSE**

### **FILTERS**



## UNIT II INFINITE IMPULSE RESPONSE FILTERS



Characteristics of practical frequency selective filters.  
Characteristics of commonly used analog filters  
Butterworth filters, Chebyshev filters.  
Design of IIR filters from analog filters (LPF, HPF, BPF, BRF)  
Approximation of derivatives  
Impulse invariance method  
Bilinear transformation  
Frequency transformation in the analog domain  
Structure of IIR filter - direct form I, direct form II  
Cascade, parallel realizations



### ***Steps to design a digital filter using Impulse Invariance method***

1. For the given specifications, find  $H_a(s)$ , the transfer function of an analog filter.
2. Select the sampling rate of the digital filter,  $T$  seconds per sample.
3. Express the analog filter transfer function as the sum of single-pole filters.

$$H_a(s) = \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{c_k}{s - p_k}$$

4. Compute the  $z$ -transform of the digital filter by using the formula

$$H(z) = \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{c_k}{1 - e^{p_k T} z^{-1}}$$

For high sampling rates use

$$H(z) = \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{T c_k}{1 - e^{p_k T} z^{-1}}$$



**Example 5.11** For the analog transfer function  $H(s) = \frac{2}{(s+1)(s+2)}$  determine  $H(z)$  using impulse invariance method. Assume  $T = 1$  sec.

**Solution**

Given  $H(s) = \frac{2}{(s+1)(s+2)}$

Using partial fraction we can write

$$\begin{aligned} H(s) &= \frac{A}{s+1} + \frac{B}{s+2} \\ H(s) &= \frac{2}{s+1} - \frac{2}{s+2} \\ &= \frac{2}{s - (-1)} - \frac{2}{s - (-2)} \end{aligned}$$

$\begin{aligned} A &= (s+1) \frac{2}{(s+1)(s+2)} \Big _{s=-1} \\ &= 2 \\ B &= (s+2) \frac{2}{(s+1)(s+2)} \Big _{s=-2} \\ &= -2 \end{aligned}$
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Using impulse invariance technique we have, if

$$H(s) = \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{c_k}{s - p_k} \quad \text{then} \quad H(z) = \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{c_k}{1 - e^{p_k T} z^{-1}}$$



$$H(s) = \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{C_k}{s - p_k} \quad \text{then} \quad H(z) = \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{C_k}{1 - e^{p_k T} z^{-1}}$$

i.e.,  $(s - p_k)$  is transformed to  $1 - e^{p_k T} z^{-1}$ .

There are two poles  $p_1 = -1$  and  $p_2 = -2$ . So

$$H(z) = \frac{2}{1 - e^{-T} z^{-1}} - \frac{2}{1 - e^{-2T} z^{-1}}$$

For  $T = 1$  sec

$$\begin{aligned} H(z) &= \frac{2}{1 - e^{-1} z^{-1}} - \frac{2}{1 - e^{-2} z^{-1}} \\ &= \frac{2}{1 - 0.3678 z^{-1}} - \frac{2}{1 - 0.1353 z^{-1}} \\ H(z) &= \frac{0.465 z^{-1}}{1 - 0.503 z^{-1} + 0.04976 z^{-2}} \end{aligned}$$



**Example 5.13** Design a third order Butterworth digital filter using impulse invariant technique. Assume sampling period  $T = 1$  sec.

**Solution**

From the table 5.1, for  $N = 3$ , the transfer function of a normalised Butterworth filter is given by

$$H(s) = \frac{1}{(s+1)(s^2+s+1)}$$
$$= \frac{A}{s+1} + \frac{B}{s+0.5+j0.866} + \frac{C}{s+0.5-j0.866}$$



$$A = (s + 1) \frac{1}{(s + 1)(s^2 + s + 1)} \Big|_{s=-1} = \frac{1}{(-1)^2 - 1 + 1} = 1$$

$$B = (s + 0.5 + j0.866) \frac{1}{(s + 1)(s + 0.5 + j0.866)(s + 0.5 - j0.866)} \Big|_{s=-0.5-j0.866}$$

$$= \frac{1}{(-0.5 - j0.866 + 1)(-j0.866 - j0.866)}$$

$$= \frac{1}{-j1.732(0.5 - j0.866)} = \frac{1}{-j0.866 - 1.5}$$

$$= \frac{-1.5 + j0.866}{3} = -0.5 + j0.288$$

$$C = B^* = -0.5 - j0.288$$



Hence

$$\begin{aligned} H(s) &= \frac{1}{s+1} + \frac{-0.5 + 0.288j}{s + 0.5 + j0.866} + \frac{-0.5 - 0.288j}{s + 0.5 - j0.866} \\ &= \frac{1}{s - (-1)} + \frac{-0.5 + 0.288j}{s - (-0.5 - j0.866)} + \frac{-0.5 - 0.288j}{s - (-0.5 + j0.866)} \end{aligned}$$

In impulse invariant technique

$$\text{if } H(s) = \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{c_k}{s - p_k}, \text{ then } H(z) = \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{c_k}{1 - e^{p_k T} z^{-1}}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} H(z) &= \frac{1}{1 - e^{-1} z^{-1}} + \frac{-0.5 + j0.288}{1 - e^{-0.5} e^{-j0.866} z^{-1}} + \frac{-0.5 - j0.288}{1 - e^{-0.5} e^{j0.866} z^{-1}} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 - 0.368z^{-1}} + \frac{-1 + 0.66z^{-1}}{1 - 0.786z^{-1} + 0.368z^{-2}} \end{aligned}$$



**Example 5.15** An analog filter has a transfer function  $H(s) = \frac{10}{s^2 + 7s + 10}$ . Design a digital filter equivalent to this using impulse invariant method for  $T = 0.2$  sec.

**Solution**

Given

$$\begin{aligned} H(s) &= \frac{10}{s^2 + 7s + 10} \\ &= \frac{-3.33}{s + 5} + \frac{3.33}{s + 2} = \frac{-3.33}{s - (-5)} + \frac{3.33}{s - (-2)} \end{aligned}$$

Using Eq. (5.81b) we have

$$\begin{aligned} H(z) &= T \left[ \frac{-3.33}{1 - e^{-5T}z^{-1}} + \frac{3.33}{1 - e^{-2T}z^{-1}} \right] = 0.2 \left[ \frac{-3.33}{1 - e^{-1}z^{-1}} + \frac{3.33}{1 - e^{-0.4}z^{-1}} \right] \\ &= \left[ \frac{-0.666}{1 - 0.3678z^{-1}} + \frac{0.666}{1 - 0.67z^{-1}} \right] \\ &= \frac{0.2012z^{-1}}{1 - 1.0378z^{-1} + 0.247z^{-2}} \end{aligned}$$