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Discrete 1D signal:  $x[k]$



(i) Average value of the signal of length  $N$

(ii) Power

(iii) Compare two signals of length  $N$

### \* Linear Systems



$$(i) f(x_1 + x_2) = f(x_1) + f(x_2)$$

$$(ii) f(ax) = af(x) \text{ for some scalar } a$$

### \* Convolutions

(i) Kronecker delta

$$\delta[n] = \begin{cases} 1, & n=0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



(ii) Multiply any signal  $x[k]$  with impulse  $\delta[n-k]$  we grab the value  $x[n]$ .

(iii) We can represent a signal as

$$x[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k] \underbrace{\delta[n-k]}_{\text{zero every where except at } k=n}$$

zero every where except at  $k=n$ .

Now say that we have linear system  $H$ .

$$H[x[n]] = H \left[ \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k] \delta[n-k] \right]$$

$$= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k] H[s[n-k]] \quad \xrightarrow{\text{Impulse response}} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

## \* Linear Translation (Shift) Invariant System

- Response to shifted impulse is simply the shifted version of the response to impulse.

$$\therefore \text{if } H[s[k]] = h[k] \\ H[s[n-k]] = h[n-k]$$

For LSI/LTI systems.

$$\underbrace{H[x[n]]}_{(x * h)_n} = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k] h[n-k] \quad \leftarrow \text{convolution}$$

↑  
signal      ↑  
Kernel / filter / mask

$$(i) x * h = h * x$$

$$(x * h)_n = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k] h[n-k]$$

$$\text{Let } m = n - k$$

$$\Rightarrow k = m - m$$

$$(i) \text{ As } k \rightarrow \infty, m \rightarrow -\infty$$

$$k \rightarrow -\infty, m \rightarrow \infty$$

$$(x * h)_n = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{-\infty} x[n-m] h[m]$$

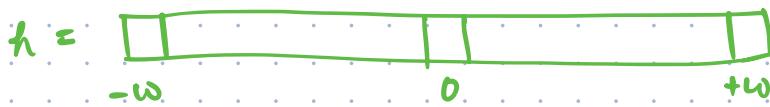
$$= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n-m] \underbrace{h[m]}$$

$$h = \begin{bmatrix} -3 & 1 & 2 & 0 & 7 \\ -2 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \leftarrow \text{positions}$$

$$(x * h)_n = \sum_{m=-2}^2 x[n-m] h[m]$$

Or more generally if you have a filter of width  $2w+1$ .

$$(x * h)_n = \sum_{m=-w}^w x[n-m] h[m]$$



Example:

$$x: \quad \begin{matrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 7 & 8 & 8 & 9 \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \downarrow \\ n \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \leftarrow \text{pos} \\ \text{pos} \end{matrix} \quad h: \quad \begin{matrix} -7 & 3 & 1 & 0 & 2 \\ -2 & -1 & 0 & 1 & 2 \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \leftarrow \text{pos} \\ \text{pos} \end{matrix}$$

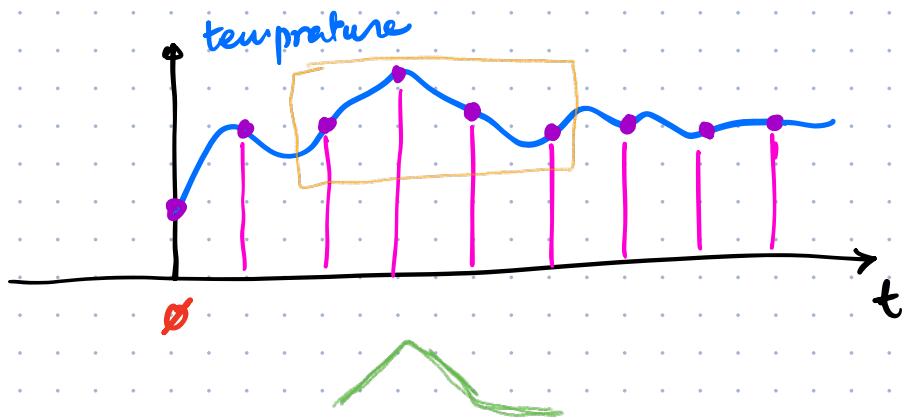
$$\begin{aligned}
 (x * h)_4 &= x[4-(-2)]h[-2] \\
 &+ x[4-(-1)]h[-1] \\
 &+ x[4-0]h[0] \\
 &+ x[4-1]h[1] \\
 &+ x[4-2]h[2] \\
 &= (-7)(-2) \\
 &+ (5)(3) \\
 &+ (4)(1) \\
 &+ (3)(0) \\
 &+ (1)(2) \\
 &= ?
 \end{aligned}$$

Cross-correlation

$$CC_n = \sum_{m=-w}^w x[n+m] h[m]$$

$\uparrow$   
 no flip

Signal



Separability