

The z-Transform: Unilateral Z-Transform

Quote of the Day

**“Without your involvement you can't succeed.
With your involvement you can't fail”.**

-DR. A.P. J Abdul Kalam

Unilateral Z-Transform

- The unilateral z-transform of $x(n]$ is defined for only R.H.S. sequence. The mathematical expression is

$$X(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x(n)z^{-n}$$

- We say $x(n) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateral ZT}} X(z)$
- Unilateral transform of shifted sequence consider

$x(n-1)$

$$UZ(x(n-1)) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x(n-1)z^{-n}$$

$$= \sum_{m=-1}^{\infty} x(m)z^{-m-1}$$

$$= z^{-1} \left[\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} x(m)z^{-m} + x(-1)z \right]$$

$$= z^{-1} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} x(m)z^{-m} + x(-1)$$

Put $(n-1) = m$
if $n = 0, m = -1,$
if $n = \infty, m = \infty$

$$x(n-1) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateral ZT}} z^{-1} X(z) + x(-1)$$

Unilateral Z-Transform

- Unilateral transform of shifted sequence consider $x(n-2)$.

$$UZ(x(n-2)) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x(n-2)z^{-n}$$

Put $(n-2) = m$
if $n = 0, m = -2,$
if $n = \infty, m = \infty$

$$= \sum_{m=-2}^{\infty} x(m)z^{-m-2}$$

$$= z^{-2} \left[\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} x(m)z^{-m} + x(-1)z + x(-2)z^2 \right]$$

$$= z^{-2} \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} x(m)z^{-m} + x(-1)z^{-1} + x(-2)$$

$$\therefore x(n-2) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateralZT}} z^{-2} X(z) + x(-1)z^{-1} + x(-2)$$

Similarly

$$\therefore x(n-k) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateralZT}} z^{-k} X(z) + x(-1)z^{-(k-1)} + x(-2)z^{-(k-2)} + \dots + x(-k)$$

Unilateral Z-Transform

- Unilateral transform of shifted sequence consider $x(n+1)$.

$$UZ(x(n+1)) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x(n+1)z^{-n}$$

$$= \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} x(m)z^{-m+1}$$

$$= z \left[\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} x(m)z^{-m} - x(0) \right]$$

Put $(n+1) = m$
if $n = 0, m = 1,$
if $n = \infty, m = \infty$

$$\therefore x(n+1) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateralZT}} zX(z) - zx(0)$$

$$UZ(x(n+2)) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} x(n+2)z^{-n} = \sum_{m=2}^{\infty} x(m)z^{-m+2}$$

$$= z^2 \left[\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} x(m)z^{-m} - x(0) - x(1)z^{-1} \right]$$

$$\therefore x(n+2) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateralZT}} z^2 X(z) - z^2 x(0) - zx(1)$$

$$\therefore x(n+k) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateraZT}} z^k X(z) - x(0)z^k - x(1)z^{(k-1)} - \dots - x(k-1)z$$

Review of unilateral ZT

$$x(n-1) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateral ZT}} z^{-1} X(z) + x(-1)$$

$$\therefore x(n-2) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateral ZT}} z^{-2} X(z) + x(-1)z^{-1} + x(-2)$$

$$\therefore x(n-k) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateral ZT}} z^{-k} X(z) + x(-1)z^{-(k-1)} + x(-2)z^{-(k-2)} + \dots + x(-k)$$

$$\therefore x(n+1) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateral ZT}} zX(z) - zx(0)$$

$$\therefore x(n+2) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateral ZT}} z^2 X(z) - z^2 x(0) - zx(1)$$

$$\therefore x(n+k) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateral ZT}} z^k X(z) - x(0)z^k - x(1)z^{(k-1)} - \dots - x(k-1)z$$

- These Unilateral Z-transform pairs are mainly used to find the solution of difference equation.

Difference equations

- The input output relation of discrete time system characterized by difference equation.

$$\sum_{i=0}^N a_i y(n-i) = \sum_{i=0}^M b_i x(n-i)$$

- If $a_0=1$ $y(n) = \sum_{i=0}^M b_i x(n-i) - \sum_{i=1}^N a_i y(n-i)$
- Unilateral Z-transform pairs shall be used to find the solution of these kind of difference equation.
- Memorize natural response of the system is obtained by considering zero input with given initial condition.
- Memorize forced response of the system is obtained by considering zero initial condition and given input $x[n]$.

Solution of Difference equations

- **Example 1:** Solve the difference equation

$$y(n+2) - \frac{3}{2}y(n+1) + \frac{1}{2}y(n) = \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n$$

with initial conditions $y(0)=10$, & $y(1)=4$. Use unilateral Z-transform.

→ Taking the unilateral ZT of the given equation.

$$\{z^2Y(z) - z^2y(0) - zy(1)\} - \frac{3}{2}\{zY(z) - zy(0)\} + \frac{1}{2}Y(z) = \frac{z}{z - \frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\therefore Y(z)\left\{z^2 - \frac{3}{2}z + \frac{1}{2}\right\} - 10z^2 - 4z + \frac{3}{2}\{10z\} = \frac{z}{z - \frac{1}{4}}$$

$$\therefore Y(z)\left\{z^2 - \frac{3}{2}z + \frac{1}{2}\right\} = \frac{z}{z - \frac{1}{4}} + 10z^2 - 11z$$

$$\therefore Y(z) = \frac{z}{\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)\left\{z^2 - \frac{3}{2}z + \frac{1}{2}\right\}} + \frac{(10z^2 - 11z)}{\left\{z^2 - \frac{3}{2}z + \frac{1}{2}\right\}}$$

$$\therefore \frac{Y(z)}{z} = \frac{1 + (10z - 11)\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)}{\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)(z - 1)\left(z - \frac{1}{2}\right)}$$

Solution of Difference equations

- Example 1 contd.: Now use partial fraction expansion to obtain $y(n)$.

$$\therefore \frac{Y(z)}{z} = \frac{1 + (10z - 11)\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)}{\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)(z - 1)\left(z - \frac{1}{2}\right)} = \frac{A_1}{\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)} + \frac{A_2}{(z - 1)} + \frac{A_3}{\left(z - \frac{1}{2}\right)}$$

$$\therefore A_1 = \left. \left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right) \frac{1 + (10z - 11)\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)}{\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)(z - 1)\left(z - \frac{1}{2}\right)} \right|_{z=\frac{1}{4}} = \frac{1 + \left(10\frac{1}{4} - 11\right)\left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{4}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{4} - 1\right)\left(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2}\right)} = \frac{1}{\left(\frac{-3}{4}\right)\left(\frac{-1}{4}\right)} = \frac{16}{3}$$

$$\therefore A_2 = \left. \left(z - 1\right) \frac{1 + (10z - 11)\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)}{\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)(z - 1)\left(z - \frac{1}{2}\right)} \right|_{z=1} = \frac{1 + (10 - 11)\left(1 - \frac{1}{4}\right)}{\left(1 - \frac{1}{4}\right)\left(1 - \frac{1}{2}\right)} = \frac{\frac{1}{4}}{\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\therefore A_3 = \left. \left(z - \frac{1}{2}\right) \frac{1 + (10z - 11)\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)}{\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)(z - 1)\left(z - \frac{1}{2}\right)} \right|_{z=\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{1 + \left(10\frac{1}{2} - 11\right)\left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4}\right)}{\left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4}\right)\left(\frac{1}{2} - 1\right)} = \frac{-\frac{1}{2}}{\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)\left(\frac{-1}{2}\right)} = 4$$

$$\therefore Y(z) = \frac{\frac{16}{3}z}{\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)} + \frac{\frac{2}{3}z}{(z - 1)} + \frac{4z}{\left(z - \frac{1}{2}\right)}$$

$$\therefore Y(z) = \frac{\frac{16}{3}z}{\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)} + \frac{\frac{2}{3}z}{(z - 1)} + \frac{4z}{\left(z - \frac{1}{2}\right)} \xrightarrow{ZT} y(n) = \frac{16}{3}\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n u(n) + \frac{2}{3}u(n) + 4\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u(n)$$

Solution of Difference equations

- Example 2:** Solve the difference equation with $x(n)=\delta(n)$ if $y(n) + y(n-2) = x(n)$ with initial conditions $y(-1)=1$, & $y(-2)=0$.

→ Taking the unilateral ZT of the given equation.

$$Y(z) + \{z^{-2}Y(z) + z^{-1}y(-1) + y(-2)\} = X(z)$$

$$Y(z) + z^{-2}Y(z) + z^{-1} = 1 \quad \therefore Y(z)(1 + z^{-2}) = 1 - z^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(z) = \frac{1 - z^{-1}}{(1 + z^{-2})} = \frac{z^2 - z}{z^2 + 1} \Rightarrow \frac{Y(z)}{z} = \frac{z - 1}{(z + j)(z - j)(z + j)} = \frac{A_1}{(z + j)} + \frac{A_2}{(z - j)}$$

$$A_1 = \frac{-j - 1}{-2j} = 0.707e^{-\frac{j\pi}{4}} \quad A_2 = \frac{j - 1}{2j} = 0.707e^{\frac{j\pi}{4}}$$

$$y(n) = 0.707e^{-\frac{j\pi}{4}} (-j)^n u(n) + 0.707e^{\frac{j\pi}{4}} (j)^n u(n)$$

$$\therefore y(n) = 0.707 \left[e^{-\frac{j\pi}{4}} \left(e^{-\frac{j\pi}{2}} \right)^n + e^{\frac{j\pi}{4}} \left(e^{\frac{j\pi}{2}} \right)^n \right] u(n) = 1.414 \cos\left(\frac{\pi n}{2} + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) u(n)$$

Solution of Difference equations

- Example 3:** Solve the difference equation with $x(n) = (1/4)^n u(n)$ if $y(n) - \frac{3}{4} y(n-1) + \frac{1}{8} y(n-2) = 2x(n)$ with initial conditions $y(-1)=0$, & $y(-2)=0$.

→ Taking the unilateral ZT of the given equation.

$$Y(z) - \frac{3}{4} \{z^{-1}Y(z) + y(-1)\} + \frac{1}{8} \{z^{-2}Y(z) + z^{-1}y(-1) + y(-2)\} = 2X(z)$$

$$Y(z) - \frac{3}{4} z^{-1}Y(z) + \frac{1}{8} z^{-2}Y(z) = 2 \frac{z}{z - 1/4}$$

$$Y(z) \left(1 - \frac{3}{4} z^{-1} + \frac{1}{8} z^{-2}\right) = \frac{2}{(1 - 1/4 z^{-1})} \Rightarrow Y(z) = \frac{2z}{(z - 1/4) \left(1 - \frac{3}{4} z^{-1} + \frac{1}{8} z^{-2}\right)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{Y(z)}{z} = \frac{2z^2}{(z - 1/4)(z - 1/4)(z - 1/2)} = \frac{A_1}{z - 1/2} + \frac{C_1}{z - 1/4} + \frac{C_2}{(z - 1/4)^2}$$

$$\therefore A_1 = \frac{2z^2}{(z - 1/4)^2} \Bigg|_{z=1/2} = \frac{1/2}{1/16} = 8 \quad \therefore C_1 = \frac{2z^2}{(z - 1/2)} \Bigg|_{z=1/4} = \frac{1/8}{-1/4} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

Solution of Difference equations

Example 3 contd

$$\therefore C_2 = \left. \frac{d}{dz} \left(\frac{2z^2}{z - \frac{1}{2}} \right) \right|_{z=\frac{1}{4}} = \left. \frac{(z - \frac{1}{2})4z - 2z^2}{(z - \frac{1}{2})^2} \right|_{z=\frac{1}{4}} = \frac{-\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{8}}{\frac{1}{16}} = -6$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(z) = \frac{8z}{z - \frac{1}{2}} - \frac{\frac{1}{2}z}{z - \frac{1}{4}} - \frac{6z}{(z - \frac{1}{4})^2}$$

$$y(n) = 8\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u(n) - \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n u(n) - 6n\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^{n-1} u(n)$$

Example 4: Solve the difference equation

$y(n) = y(n-1) - y(n-2) + 2$; $n \geq 0$ with initial conditions:

$y(-1)=2$, & $y(-2)=1$ to obtain forced and natural response

$$\rightarrow Y(z) - \{z^{-1}Y(z) + y(-1)\} + \{z^{-2}Y(z) + z^{-1}y(-1) + y(-2)\} = \frac{2z}{z-1}$$

$$Y(z) = \frac{2z^3 + z^2 - 2z}{(z-1)(1-z+z^2)} = \underbrace{\frac{2z^3}{(z-1)(z-e^{j\pi/3})(z-e^{-j\pi/3})}}_{\text{Forced response}} + \underbrace{\frac{z^2 - 2z}{(z-e^{j\pi/3})(z-e^{-j\pi/3})}}_{\text{Natural response}}$$

Solution of Difference equations

Example 4 contd

$$Y^n(Z) = \frac{z^2 - 2z}{(z - e^{j\pi/3})(z - e^{-j\pi/3})} \quad \therefore \frac{Y^n(Z)}{z} = \frac{z-2}{(z - e^{j\pi/3})(z - e^{-j\pi/3})} = \frac{A_1}{(z - e^{j\pi/3})} + \frac{A_2}{(z - e^{-j\pi/3})}$$

$$\therefore A_1 = \left. \frac{z-2}{(z - e^{-j\pi/3})} \right|_{z=e^{j\pi/3}} = e^{j\pi/3} \quad \therefore A_2 = \left. \frac{z-2}{(z - e^{j\pi/3})} \right|_{z=e^{-j\pi/3}} = e^{-j\pi/3}$$

$$\therefore Y^n(Z) = \frac{ze^{j\pi/3}}{(z - e^{j\pi/3})} + \frac{ze^{-j\pi/3}}{(z - e^{-j\pi/3})} \quad \therefore y^n(n) = e^{j\pi/3} e^{jn\pi/3} + e^{-j\pi/3} e^{-jn\pi/3} = 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(n+1)}{3}\right)$$

$$Y^f(Z) = \frac{2z^3}{(z-1)(z - e^{j\pi/3})(z - e^{-j\pi/3})}$$

$$\therefore \frac{Y^f(Z)}{z} = \frac{2z^2}{(z-1)(z - e^{j\pi/3})(z - e^{-j\pi/3})} = \frac{A_1}{(z-1)} + \frac{A_2}{(z - e^{j\pi/3})} + \frac{A_3}{(z - e^{-j\pi/3})}$$

$$\therefore A_1 = \left. \frac{2z^2}{(z^2 - z + 1)} \right|_{z=1/2} = 1 \quad \therefore A_2 = \left. \frac{2z^2}{(z-1)(z - e^{-j\pi/3})} \right|_{z=e^{j\pi/3}} = \frac{2(-0.5 + j\sqrt{3}/2)}{(-0.5 + j\sqrt{3}/2)2j\sqrt{3}/2} = \frac{2}{j\sqrt{3}}$$

$$\therefore A_3 = \left. \frac{2z^2}{(z-1)(z - e^{j\pi/3})} \right|_{z=e^{-j\pi/3}} = \frac{2(-0.5 - j\sqrt{3}/2)}{(-0.5 - j\sqrt{3}/2)2j(-\sqrt{3}/2)} = \frac{2}{-j\sqrt{3}}$$

Solution of Difference equations

Example 4 contd

$$\therefore Y^f(Z) = \frac{z}{(z-1)} + \frac{2z}{j\sqrt{3}(z-e^{j\pi/3})} - \frac{2z}{j\sqrt{3}(z-e^{-j\pi/3})}$$

$$\therefore y^f(n) = u(n) + \frac{2}{j\sqrt{3}} e^{jn\pi/3} - \frac{2}{j\sqrt{3}} e^{-jn\pi/3} = u(n) + \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} \sin\left(\frac{\pi n}{3}\right) u(n)$$

$$\therefore y^c(n) = y^n(n) + y^f(n) = 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(n+1)}{3}\right) u(n) + u(n) + \frac{4}{\sqrt{3}} \sin\left(\frac{\pi n}{3}\right) u(n)$$

Example 5: Solve the difference equation for initial conditions: $y(-1)=2$, & $y(-2)=1$ and $x(n)=3u(n)$.

$$y(n) - \frac{1}{9} y(n-2) = x(n-1)$$

$$\rightarrow Y(z) - \frac{1}{9} \{z^{-2}Y(z) + z^{-1}y(-1) + y(-2)\} = \frac{3z^{-1} \cdot z}{z-1}$$

$$\therefore Y(z) \left(z^2 - \frac{1}{9} \right) - \frac{2}{9} z - \frac{1}{9} z^2 = \frac{3z^2}{z-1} \quad \therefore Y(z) = \frac{3z^2}{(z-1) \left(z^2 - \frac{1}{9} \right)} + \frac{z^2 + 2z}{9 \left(z^2 - \frac{1}{9} \right)}$$

Solution of Difference equations

Example 5 contd

$$\therefore Y(z) = \frac{z^3 + 28z^2 - 2z}{9(z-1)(z-\frac{1}{3})(z+\frac{1}{3})}$$

$$\therefore \frac{Y(Z)}{z} = \frac{z^2 + 28z - 2}{9(z-1)(z-\frac{1}{3})(z+\frac{1}{3})} = \frac{A_1}{(z-1)} + \frac{A_2}{(z-\frac{1}{3})} + \frac{A_3}{(z+\frac{1}{3})}$$

$$\therefore A_1 = \frac{1+28-2}{9(\frac{2}{3})(\frac{4}{3})} = \frac{9}{8} \quad \therefore A_2 = \frac{\frac{1}{9} + \frac{28}{3} - 2}{9(-\frac{2}{3})(\frac{2}{3})} = -\frac{67}{36}$$

$$\therefore A_3 = \frac{\frac{1}{9} - \frac{28}{3} - 2}{9(-\frac{4}{3})(-\frac{2}{3})} = -\frac{101}{72}$$

$$\therefore Y(Z) = \frac{9z}{8(z-1)} - \frac{67z}{36(z-\frac{1}{3})} - \frac{101z}{72(z+\frac{1}{3})}$$

$$y(n) = \frac{9}{8}u(n) - \frac{67}{36}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n u(n) - \frac{101}{72}\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^n u(n)$$

$$y(n) = \left(\frac{9}{8} - \frac{67}{36}\left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^n - \frac{101}{72}\left(-\frac{1}{3}\right)^n \right) u(n)$$

Solution of Difference equations

Example 6: Solve the difference equation using UZ for initial conditions: $y(-1)=4$, & $y(-2)=10$ and $x(n)= (1/4)^n u(n)$.

$$y(n) - \frac{3}{2} y(n-1) + \frac{1}{2} y(n-2) = x(n) \quad \text{for } n \geq 0.$$

$$\rightarrow Y(z) - \frac{3}{2} \{z^{-1}Y(z) + y(-1)\} + \frac{1}{2} \{z^{-2}Y(z) + z^{-1}y(-1) + y(-2)\} = X(z)$$

$$Y(z) \left(1 - \frac{3}{2} z^{-1} + \frac{1}{2} z^{-2}\right) - 6 + 2z^{-1} + 5 = \frac{z}{z - \frac{1}{4}}$$

$$Y(z) \left(z^2 - \frac{3}{2} z + \frac{1}{2}\right) = \frac{z^3}{(z - \frac{1}{4})} - 2z + z^2 \Rightarrow Y(z) = \frac{z^3 + z(z-2)(z - \frac{1}{4})}{(z - \frac{1}{4}) \left(1 - \frac{3}{4} z^{-1} + \frac{1}{8} z^{-2}\right)}$$

$$\therefore Y(z) = \frac{z^3 + (z-2)(z - \frac{1}{4})}{(z - \frac{1}{4})(z-1)(z - \frac{1}{2})} \cdot \frac{Y(z)}{z} = \frac{z^2 + (z-2)(z - \frac{1}{4})}{(z - \frac{1}{4})(z-1)(z - \frac{1}{2})}$$

$$\therefore \frac{Y(z)}{z} = \frac{z^2 + (z-2)(z - \frac{1}{4})}{(z - \frac{1}{4})(z-1)(z - \frac{1}{2})} = \frac{A_1}{(z - \frac{1}{4})} + \frac{A_2}{(z-1)} + \frac{A_3}{(z - \frac{1}{2})}$$

Solution of Difference equations

Example 6 contd $\therefore A_1 = \frac{z^2 + (z-2)(z-\frac{1}{4})}{(z-1)(z-\frac{1}{2})} \Big|_{z=\frac{1}{4}} = \frac{\frac{1}{16}}{\frac{3}{8}} = \frac{1}{6}$

$$\therefore A_2 = \frac{z^2 + (z-2)(z-\frac{1}{4})}{(z-\frac{1}{4})(z-\frac{1}{2})} \Big|_{z=1} = \frac{1 - \frac{3}{4}}{\frac{3}{8}} = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$\therefore A_3 = \frac{z^2 + (z-2)(z-\frac{1}{4})}{(z-\frac{1}{4})(z-1)} \Big|_{z=\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{\frac{1}{4} - \frac{3}{16}}{-\frac{1}{8}} = -\frac{1}{2}$$

$$\therefore Y(z) = \frac{\frac{1}{6} z}{(z-\frac{1}{4})} + \frac{\frac{2}{3} z}{(z-1)} - \frac{\frac{1}{2} z}{(z-\frac{1}{2})}$$

$$y(n) = \frac{1}{6} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n u(n) + \frac{2}{3} u(n) - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n u(n)$$

$$y(n) = \left\{ \frac{1}{6} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n + \frac{2}{3} - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \right\} \cdot u(n)$$

Solution of Difference equations

Example 7: A linear shift invariant system is described by the difference equation

$$y(n) - \frac{3}{4}y(n-1) + \frac{1}{8}y(n-2) = 2x(n)$$

With $y(-1)=1$, $y(-2)=-1$. Find

- The natural response of the system.
- The forced response of the system and
- The complete response of the system for a step input.

$$\rightarrow Y(z) - \frac{3}{4}\{z^{-1}Y(z) + y(-1)\} + \frac{1}{8}\{z^{-2}Y(z) + z^{-1}y(-1) + y(-2)\} = 2X(z)$$

$$\therefore Y(z)\left(1 - \frac{3}{4}z^{-1} + \frac{1}{8}z^{-2}\right) - \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{8}z^{-1} - \frac{1}{8} = \frac{2z}{z-1}$$

$$\therefore Y(z)\left(z^2 - \frac{3}{4}z + \frac{1}{8}\right) = \frac{2z^3}{(z-1)} - \frac{1}{8}z + \frac{7}{8}z^2$$

$$\therefore \frac{Y^f(z)}{z} = \frac{2z^2}{(z-1)\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)\left(z - \frac{1}{2}\right)}$$

$$\therefore \frac{Y^n(z)}{z} = \frac{\frac{7}{8}z - \frac{1}{8}}{\left(z - \frac{1}{4}\right)\left(z - \frac{1}{2}\right)}$$

Solution of Difference equations

Example 7 contd

$$\therefore \frac{Y^n(z)}{z} = \frac{\frac{7}{8}z - \frac{1}{8}}{(z - \frac{1}{4})(z - \frac{1}{2})} = \frac{A_1}{(z - \frac{1}{4})} + \frac{A_2}{(z - \frac{1}{2})}$$

$$\therefore A_1 = \frac{\frac{7}{32} - \frac{1}{8}}{(\frac{1}{4} - \frac{1}{2})} = -\frac{3}{8} \quad \therefore A_2 = \frac{\frac{7}{16} - \frac{1}{8}}{(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4})} = \frac{5}{4} \quad \therefore Y^n(z) = \frac{-z^{\frac{3}{8}}}{(z - \frac{1}{4})} + \frac{z^{\frac{5}{4}}}{(z - \frac{1}{2})}$$

$$\therefore y^n(n) = \left\{ -\frac{3}{8} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n + \frac{5}{4} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \right\} u(n)$$

Now
$$\frac{Y^f(z)}{z} = \frac{2z^2}{(z-1)(z-\frac{1}{4})(z-\frac{1}{2})} = \frac{A_1}{(z-1)} + \frac{A_2}{(z-\frac{1}{4})} + \frac{A_3}{(z-\frac{1}{2})}$$

$$\therefore A_1 = \frac{2}{(1-\frac{1}{4})(1-\frac{1}{2})} = \frac{16}{3} \quad \therefore A_2 = \frac{2 \cdot \frac{1}{16}}{(\frac{1}{4}-1)(\frac{1}{4}-\frac{1}{2})} = \frac{2}{3} \quad \therefore A_3 = \frac{\frac{1}{2}}{(-\frac{1}{2})(\frac{1}{4})} = -4$$

$$\therefore Y^f(z) = \frac{\frac{16}{3}z}{(z-1)} + \frac{\frac{2}{3}z}{(z-\frac{1}{4})} - \frac{4z}{(z-\frac{1}{2})}$$

$$\therefore y^f(n) = \left\{ \frac{16}{3} + \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n - 4 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \right\} u(n)$$

$$\therefore y^c(n) = y^n(n) + y^f(n) = \left\{ \frac{16}{3} + \frac{7}{24} \left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n - \frac{11}{4} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n \right\} u(n)$$

Solution of Difference equations

Example 8: A linear shift invariant system is described by the difference equation

$$y(n) - \frac{3}{4} y(n-1) + \frac{1}{8} y(n-2) = x(n) + x(n-1)$$

With $y(-1)=1$, $y(-2)=-1$ &. Find

- The natural response of the system.
- The forced response of the system and
- The frequency response of the system for a step.

$$Y(z) - \frac{3}{4} \{z^{-1}Y(z) + y(-1)\} + \frac{1}{8} \{z^{-2}Y(z) + z^{-1}y(-1) + y(-2)\} = X(z) + z^{-1}X(z)$$

$$\Rightarrow \left(1 - \frac{3}{4}z^{-1} + \frac{1}{8}z^{-2}\right)Y(z) - \frac{3}{4} + \frac{1}{8}z^{-1} - \frac{1}{8} = \frac{z+1}{z-1} \Rightarrow Y(z)\left(1 - \frac{3}{4}z^{-1} + \frac{1}{8}z^{-2}\right) = \frac{z+1}{z-1} + \frac{7}{8} - \frac{1}{8}z^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(z) = \frac{z^3 + z^2}{(z-1)(z-\frac{1}{4})(z-\frac{1}{2})} + \frac{\frac{7}{8}z^2 - \frac{1}{8}z}{(z-\frac{1}{4})(z-\frac{1}{2})}$$

$$\therefore y^n(n) = \left\{-\frac{3}{8}\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n + \frac{5}{4}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n\right\}u(n)$$

$$\therefore y^f(n) = \left\{\frac{16}{3} + \frac{5}{3}\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n - 6\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n\right\}u(n)$$

$$\therefore y^c(n) = y^n(n) + y^f(n) = \left\{\frac{16}{3} + \frac{31}{24}\left(\frac{1}{4}\right)^n - \frac{19}{4}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n\right\}u(n)$$

Find the UZ of the sequence $y(n)=x(n-2)$ where $x(n)=\alpha^n$

- $Y(z)=z^{-2}X(z)+z^{-1}x(-1)+x(-2)$
- $\therefore Y(z)=z^{-2}X(z)+z^{-1}\alpha^{-1}+ \alpha^{-2}$
- Where $X(z)=z/(z- \alpha)$
- $\therefore Y(z)= z^{-1}\alpha^{-1}+ \alpha^{-2} +z^{-1}/(z- \alpha)$
- $\therefore Y(z)=(\alpha^{-1} - z^{-1} + z\alpha^{-2} - \alpha^{-1} + z^{-1})/(z- \alpha)$
- $\therefore Y(z)= z\alpha^{-2} / (z- \alpha)$

Find the UZ of the sequence $y(n)=x(n-2)$ where $x(n)=\{1,2,3,4\}$ Find UZ of $z(n)=a^n u(n+1)$; $a < 1$



- Unilateral ZT of $x(n) \Rightarrow X(z) = \sum_{n=0}^1 x(n)z^{-n} = 3 + 4z^{-1}$
- UZT of $y(n) \Rightarrow \therefore x(n-2) \xleftrightarrow{\text{unilateral ZT}} z^{-2}X(z) + x(-1)z^{-1} + x(-2)$
 $\therefore Y(z) = z^{-2} \{3 + 4z^{-1}\} + x(-1)z^{-1} + x(-2) = 3z^{-2} + 4z^{-3} + 2z^{-1} + 1$
- UZT of $z(n) \Rightarrow Z(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a^n z^{-n} = \frac{z}{z-a}$ with ROC $|z| > |a|$

Problems for exercise

1. Solve the following difference equation using the unilateral z-transform.

$$y(n) - \frac{7}{12}y(n-1) + \frac{1}{12}y(n-2) = x(n) \text{ for } n \geq 0$$

With initial conditions $y(-1) = 2$, $y(-2) = 4$ and $x(n) = \left(\frac{1}{5}\right)^n u(n)$.

- 2 b. Solve the following difference equation for the given initial conditions and input,

$$y(n) - \frac{1}{9}y(n-2) = x(n-1)$$

With $y(-1) = 0$, $y(-2) = 1$ and $x(n) = 3u(n)$

3. Consider the system described the difference equation $y(n] - 0.9y(n-1) = x(n)$. Find output if the input is $x(n) = u(n)$ and the initial condition on the output is $y(-1) = 2$. (08 Marks)

4. A linear shift invariant system is described by the difference equation.

$$y(n) - \frac{3}{4}y(n-1) + \frac{1}{8}y(n-2) = x(n) + x(n-1)$$

with $y(-1) = 0$ and $y(-2) = -1$.

Find:

- The natural response of the system.
- The forced response of the system and
- The frequency response of the system for a step.