

Recall the exponential multiplication property:

$$x[n] \longleftrightarrow X(z) \quad r_1 < |z| < r_2$$

$$\gamma^n x[n] \longleftrightarrow X(z/\gamma) \quad |\gamma|r_1 < |z| < |\gamma|r_2$$

$$\text{Let } y[n] = \gamma^n x[n]$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(z) = X(z/\gamma)$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(\gamma z) = X(z)$$

$$\text{Suppose } X(z) = \frac{P(z)}{Q(z)}$$

$$Y(z) = \frac{P(z/\gamma)}{Q(z/\gamma)}$$

If  $z_0$  is a zero of  $X(z)$ , i.e.  $X(z_0) = 0 \Rightarrow P(z_0) = 0$

then  $Y(\gamma z_0) = \frac{P(z_0)}{Q(z_0)} = 0 \Rightarrow \gamma z_0 \text{ is a zero of } Y(z)$

Similarly, if  $z_1$  is a pole of  $X(z)$ , i.e.,  $Q(z_1) = 0$

then  $Y(\gamma z_1) = \frac{P(z_1)}{Q(z_1)} \rightarrow \infty \Rightarrow \gamma z_1 \text{ is a pole of } Y(z)$

All poles and zeros get multiplied by  $\gamma$

Geometrically, each pole/zero gets scaled by  $|\gamma|$  and rotated by  $\angle \gamma$ .

#### 4) Differentiation in the $z$ -domain

$$x[n] \longleftrightarrow X(z) \quad r_1 < |z| < r_2$$

$$? \longleftrightarrow -z \frac{dX}{dz} \quad \text{ROC ?}$$

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

$$\frac{dX(z)}{dz} = \frac{d}{dz} \left[ \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] z^{-n} \right]$$

$$= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] \frac{d}{dz} z^{-n}$$

This operation is allowed because  
the power series is absolutely convergent  
in the ROC

$$= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} (-n)x[n]z^{-n-1}$$

$$-z \frac{dX}{dz} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} n x[n] z^{-n}$$

Hence,  $n x[n] \longleftrightarrow -z \frac{dX(z)}{dz}$

Since  $X(z)$  is analytic in the ROC, it can be differentiated infinite no. of times. Hence, the above property can be repeatedly applied

The ROC of  $-z \frac{dX}{dz}$  is the same as the ROC of  $X(z)$  except possibly for the deletion of the boundary circle (if it were part of the original ROC)

Example

$$a^n u[n] \longleftrightarrow \frac{1}{1 - az^{-1}} \quad |z| > |a|$$

$$\begin{aligned} -z \frac{d}{dz} \left[ \frac{1}{1 - az^{-1}} \right] &= \frac{(-z)(-1)(-a)(-z^{-2})}{(1 - az^{-1})^2} \quad |z| > |a| \\ &= \frac{az^{-1}}{(1 - az^{-1})^2} \quad |z| > |a| \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{e.g., } n a^n u[n] \longleftrightarrow \frac{az^{-1}}{(1 - az^{-1})^2} \quad |z| > |a|$$

$$(n+1) a^{n+1} u[n+1] \longleftrightarrow \frac{a}{(1 - az^{-1})^2} \quad |z| > |a|$$

$$(n+1) \alpha^n u[n+1] \longleftrightarrow \frac{1}{(1-\alpha z^{-1})^2} \quad |z| > |\alpha|$$

Can be rewritten as,

$$(n+1) \alpha^n u[n] \longleftrightarrow \frac{1}{(1-\alpha z^{-1})^2} \quad |z| > |\alpha|$$

Repeat the above steps by starting with  $\frac{1}{1-\alpha z^{-1}}$  but with ROC  $|z| < |\alpha|$ . At what index does the first non-zero sample begin?

### 5) Complex Conjugation

$$x^*[n] \longleftrightarrow X^*(z^*) \quad r_1 < |z| < r_2$$

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

$$= X^*(z^*) \quad r_1 < |z| < r_2$$

The corresponding property for the DTFT is :

$$X^*(z^*) \Big|_{z=e^{j\omega}} = X^*(e^{-j\omega})$$

If  $x[n] \in \mathbb{R}$ , then  $x^*[n] = x[n]$

Hence, for real-valued sequences, the  $z$ -transform satisfies

$$X(z) = X^*(z^*)$$

For such sequences, if  $z_0$  is a zero of  $X(z)$ , then  $X(z_0) = 0$ .

Therefore,  $X(z_0) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow X(z_0) = X^*(z_0^*)$$

$$\Rightarrow X^*(z_0^*) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow X(z_0^*) = 0$$

$\Rightarrow z_0^*$  is also a zero of  $X(z)$

Thus, zeros occur in complex conjugate pairs.

Similarly, it is easy to see that poles also occur in complex conjugate pairs.

Also, for real-valued sequences,  $X(e^{j\omega}) = X^*(e^{-j\omega})$  [conjugate even]  
 $\Rightarrow |X(e^{j\omega})| = |X^*(e^{-j\omega})|$   
 $= |X(e^{j\omega})|$  DTFT mag. is an  
even function of  $\omega$

### Exercise

Starting from  $X(e^{j\omega}) = X^*(e^{-j\omega})$ , show that  
Δ  $X(e^{j\omega})$  is an odd function of  $\omega$

## 6) Time Reversal

$$x[n] \longleftrightarrow X(z) \quad r_1 < |z| < r_2$$

$$x[-n] \longleftrightarrow X(z^{-1}) \quad \frac{1}{r_2} < |z| < \frac{1}{r_1}$$

This operation makes a causal sequence non-causal and vice-versa

### Example

$$\alpha^n u[n] \longleftrightarrow \frac{1}{1 - \alpha z^{-1}} \quad |z| > |\alpha|$$

Using the time-reversal property,

$$\alpha^{-n} u[-n] \longleftrightarrow \frac{1}{1 - \alpha z} \quad |z| < \frac{1}{|\alpha|}$$

$$\frac{1}{1-\bar{a}z} = \frac{-\bar{a}'z^{-1}}{1-\bar{a}'z^{-1}} \quad |z| < \frac{1}{|\bar{a}|}$$

$$\bar{a}^n u[-n] \leftrightarrow \frac{-\bar{a}'z^{-1}}{1-\bar{a}'z^{-1}} \quad |z| < \frac{1}{|\bar{a}|}$$

$$\bar{a}^{-n-1} u[-n-1] \leftrightarrow \frac{-\bar{a}'}{1-\bar{a}'z^{-1}} \quad |z| < \frac{1}{|\bar{a}|}$$

$$-\bar{a}^{-n} u[-n-1] \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1-\bar{a}'z^{-1}} \quad |z| < |\bar{a}'|$$

Let  $b = \bar{a}'$ . Hence,

$$-b^n u[-n-1] \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1-bz^{-1}} \quad |z| < |b|$$

as before.