

**18-799F Algebraic Signal Processing Theory**  
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 Solutions: Assignment 4

1. (40 pts)

(a)  $\phi$  is a linear mapping on  $\mathbb{C}[x]/p(x)$  because:

- (i)  $\mathbb{C}[x]/p(x)$  is a  $\mathbb{C}$ -vector space ;
- (ii)  $\phi$  is well-defined:

$$\begin{aligned} v(x) \in [q(x)] &\iff p(x)|(q(x) - v(x)) \iff p(x)|x((q(x) - v(x))) \\ &\iff p(x)|(xq(x) - xv(x)) \iff [xv(x)] = [xq(x)]; \end{aligned}$$

(iii) For any  $q(x), v(x) \in \mathbb{C}[x]/p(x)$  and  $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{C}$ :

$$\phi(\alpha q(x) + \beta v(x)) = x(\alpha q(x) + \beta v(x)) = \alpha xq(x) + \beta xv(x) = \alpha\phi(q(x)) + \beta\phi(v(x)).$$

(b) Since  $p(x) = \sum_{i=0}^n \beta_i x^i = 0$ , then  $\phi$  maps the basis of  $\mathbb{C}[x]/p(x)$  as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &\mapsto x \\ x &\mapsto x^2 \\ &\dots \\ x^{n-1} &\mapsto x^n = \frac{p(x) - \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} \beta_i x^i}{\beta_n} \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the matrix  $B_\phi$  is

$$B_\phi = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & -\frac{\beta_0}{\beta_n} \\ 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & -\frac{\beta_1}{\beta_n} \\ 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 & -\frac{\beta_2}{\beta_n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & -\frac{\beta_{n-1}}{\beta_n} \end{pmatrix}$$

(c) When  $p(x) = x^n - 1$ , then  $\beta_0 = -1, \beta_n = 1, \beta_i = 0$  for  $i = 1, \dots, n-1$ . In this case  $B_\phi$  becomes a **circular shift** matrix:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

2. (30 pts)

(a)  $\phi$  maps each  $x^i, i = 0, \dots, n-1$  to  $(\alpha_0^i, \dots, \alpha_{n-1}^i)$ . Thus, matrix  $B_\phi$  is

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & \alpha_0 & \alpha_0^2 & \dots & \alpha_0^{n-1} \\ 1 & \alpha_1 & \alpha_1^2 & \dots & \alpha_1^{n-1} \\ 1 & \alpha_2 & \alpha_2^2 & \dots & \alpha_2^{n-1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & \alpha_{n-1} & \alpha_{n-1}^2 & \dots & \alpha_{n-1}^{n-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

(b) If  $p(x) = x^n - 1 = \prod_{i=0}^{n-1} (x - w_n^i)$ , where  $w_n = e^{\frac{2\pi\sqrt{-1}}{n}}$  is the  $n$ -th root of unity, then matrix  $B_\phi$  becomes a **DFT<sub>n</sub>** matrix:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & w_n & w_n^2 & \dots & w_n^{n-1} \\ 1 & w_n^2 & w_n^4 & \dots & w_n^{2(n-1)} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & w_n^{n-1} & w_n^{2(n-1)} & \dots & w_n^{(n-1)(n-1)} \end{pmatrix}$$

3. (30 pts)

(a) Applying the solution from problem 2(b), we immediately get

$$B_\phi = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & i & -1 & -i \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -i & -1 & i \end{pmatrix}$$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned} \psi : \mathbb{C}[x]/(x^4 - 1) &\rightarrow \mathbb{C}[x]/(x^2 - 1) \oplus \mathbb{C}[x]/(x^2 + 1) \\ q(x) &\mapsto (q(x) \bmod (x^2 - 1), q(x) \bmod (x^2 + 1)) \end{aligned}$$

Then with respect to bases  $\{1, x\}$  in both  $\mathbb{C}[x]/(x^2 - 1)$  and  $\mathbb{C}[x]/(x^2 + 1)$ , the basis of  $\mathbb{C}[x]/(x^4 - 1)$  is mapped as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &\mapsto ((1, 0), (1, 0)) \\ x &\mapsto ((0, 1), (0, 1)) \\ x^2 &\mapsto ((1, 0), (-1, 0)) \\ x^3 &\mapsto ((0, 1), (0, -1)) \end{aligned}$$

The matrix of this mapping is

$$B_\psi = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = DFT_2 \otimes I_2$$

4. (30 pts)

(a) Applying the Chinese Remainder Theorem, we get mapping

$$\begin{aligned} \mu : \mathbb{C}[x]/(x^2 - 1) \oplus \mathbb{C}[x]/(x - 1) &\rightarrow \mathbb{C}[x]/(x + 1) \oplus \mathbb{C}[x]/(x^2 + 1) \oplus \mathbb{C}[x]/(x - i) \oplus \mathbb{C}[x]/(x + i) \\ (q(x), r(x)) &\mapsto (q(1), q(-1), r(i), r(-i)) \end{aligned}$$

The basis of  $\mathbb{C}[x]/(x^2 - 1) \oplus \mathbb{C}[x]/(x - 1)$  is  $\{(1, 0), (x, 0), (0, 1), (0, x)\}$ .  $\mu$  maps it as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} (1, 0) &\mapsto (1, 1, 0, 0) \\ (x, 0) &\mapsto (1, -1, 0, 0) \\ (0, 1) &\mapsto (0, 0, 1, 1) \\ (0, x) &\mapsto (0, 0, i, -i) \end{aligned}$$

Hence, the matrix of the mapping is

$$B_\mu = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & i \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -i \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & i \end{pmatrix} = (I_2 \otimes DFT_2) T_2^4$$

(b) We can decompose mapping  $\phi$  into a composition of mappings  $\psi$  and  $\mu$ . The only problem is the order of the roots of  $x^4 - 1$ : in case of  $\phi$  it is  $1, i, -1, -i$ , while for  $\psi$  and  $\mu$  it is  $1, -1, i, -i$ . We need one more step in the decomposition, namely the permutation that swaps the second and third summands  $\mathbb{C}[x]/(x - i)$  and  $\mathbb{C}[x]/(x + 1)$ . The corresponding matrix is called a *permutation matrix*

$$L_2^4 = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Combining  $L_2^4, B_\psi$  and  $B_\mu$ , we decompose  $B_\phi$  as

$$\begin{aligned}
 B_\phi &= L_2^4 B_\mu B_\psi = L_2^4 (I_2 \otimes DFT_2) T_2^4 (DFT_2 \otimes I_2) \\
 \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & i & -1 & -i \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & -i & -1 & i \end{pmatrix} &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \left( \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & i \end{pmatrix} \right) \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & i \end{pmatrix} \left( \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \otimes \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$