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# The Inverse Z-Transform

## Scope and Background Reading

This session we will talk about the Inverse Z-Transform and illustrate its use through an examples class.

The material in this presentation and notes is based on Chapter 9 (Starting at Section 9.6) of [Steven T. Karris, Signals and Systems: with Matlab Computation and Simulink Modelling, 5th Edition.](http://site.ebrary.com/lib/swansea/docDetail.action?docID=10547416) (<http://site.ebrary.com/lib/swansea/docDetail.action?docID=10547416>) from the **Required Reading List**.

## Agenda

- Inverse Z-Transform
- Examples using PFE
- Examples using Long Division
- Analysis in Matlab

## The Inverse Z-Transform

The inverse Z-Transform enables us to extract a sequence  $f[n]$  from  $F(z)$ . It can be found by any of the following methods:

- Partial fraction expansion
- The inversion integral
- Long division of polynomials

### Partial fraction expansion

We expand  $F(z)$  into a summation of terms whose inverse is known. These terms have the form:

$$k, \frac{r_1 z}{z - p_1}, \frac{r_1 z}{(z - p_1)^2}, \frac{r_3 z}{z - p_2}, \dots$$

where  $k$  is a constant, and  $r_i$  and  $p_i$  represent the residues and poles respectively, and can be real or complex<sup>1</sup>.

## Notes

1. If complex, the poles and residues will be in complex conjugate pairs

$$\frac{r_i z}{z - p_i} + \frac{r_i^* z}{z - p_i^*}$$

## Step 1: Make Fractions Proper

- Before we expand  $F(z)$  into partial fraction expansions, we must first express it as a *proper* rational function.
- This is done by expanding  $F(z)/z$  instead of  $F(z)$
- That is we expand

$$\frac{F(z)}{z} = \frac{k}{z} + \frac{r_1}{z - p_1} + \frac{r_2}{z - p_2} + \dots$$

## Step 2: Find residues

- Find residues from

$$r_k = \lim_{z \rightarrow p_k} (z - p_k) \frac{F(z)}{z} = (z - p_k) \frac{F(z)}{z} \Big|_{z=p_k}$$

## Step 3: Map back to transform tables form

- Rewrite  $F(z)/z$ :

$$z \frac{F(z)}{z} = F(z) = k + \frac{r_1 z}{s - p_1} + \frac{r_2 z}{s - p_2} + \dots$$

## Example 1

Karris Example 9.4: use the partial fraction expansion to compute the inverse z-transform of

$$F(z) = \frac{1}{(1 - 0.5z^{-1})(1 - 0.75z^{-1})(1 - z^{-1})}$$



## Matlab solution

See [example1.mlx](https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example1.mlx) (<https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example1.mlx>). (Also available as [example1.m](https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example1.m) (<https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example1.m>).)

Uses Matlab functions:

- `collect` – expands a polynomial
- `sym2poly` – converts a polynomial into a numeric polynomial (vector of coefficients in descending order of exponents)
- `residue` – calculates poles and zeros of a polynomial
- `ztrans` – symbolic z-transform
- `iztrans` – symbolic inverse z-transform
- `stem` – plots sequence as a "lollipop" diagram

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syms z n
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The denominator of  $F(z)$

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Dz = (z - 0.5)*(z - 0.75)*(z - 1);
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Multiply the three factors of Dz to obtain a polynomial

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Dz_poly = collect(Dz)
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Dz\_poly =

$$z^3 - (9z^2)/4 + (13z)/8 - 3/8$$

## Make into a rational polynomial

$$z^2$$

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num = [0, 1, 0, 0];
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$$z^3 - 9/4z^2 - 13/8z - 3/8$$

In [19]:

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den = sym2poly(Dz_poly)
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den =

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1.0000 -2.2500 1.6250 -0.3750
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## Compute residues and poles

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[r,p,k] = residue(num,den);
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## Print results

- fprintf works like the c-language function

In [21]:

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fprintf('\n')
fprintf('r1 = %4.2f\t', r(1)); fprintf('p1 = %4.2f\n', p(1));...
fprintf('r2 = %4.2f\t', r(2)); fprintf('p2 = %4.2f\n', p(2));...
fprintf('r3 = %4.2f\t', r(3)); fprintf('p3 = %4.2f\n', p(3));
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r1 = 8.00      p1 = 1.00
r2 = -9.00     p2 = 0.75
r3 = 2.00      p3 = 0.50
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## Symbolic proof

$$f[n] = 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n - 9\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n + 8$$

In [22]:

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% z-transform
fn = 2*(1/2)^n-9*(3/4)^n + 8;
Fz = ztrans(fn)
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Fz =

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(8*z)/(z - 1) + (2*z)/(z - 1/2) - (9*z)/(z - 3/4)
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In [23]:

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% inverse z-transform
iztrans(Fz)
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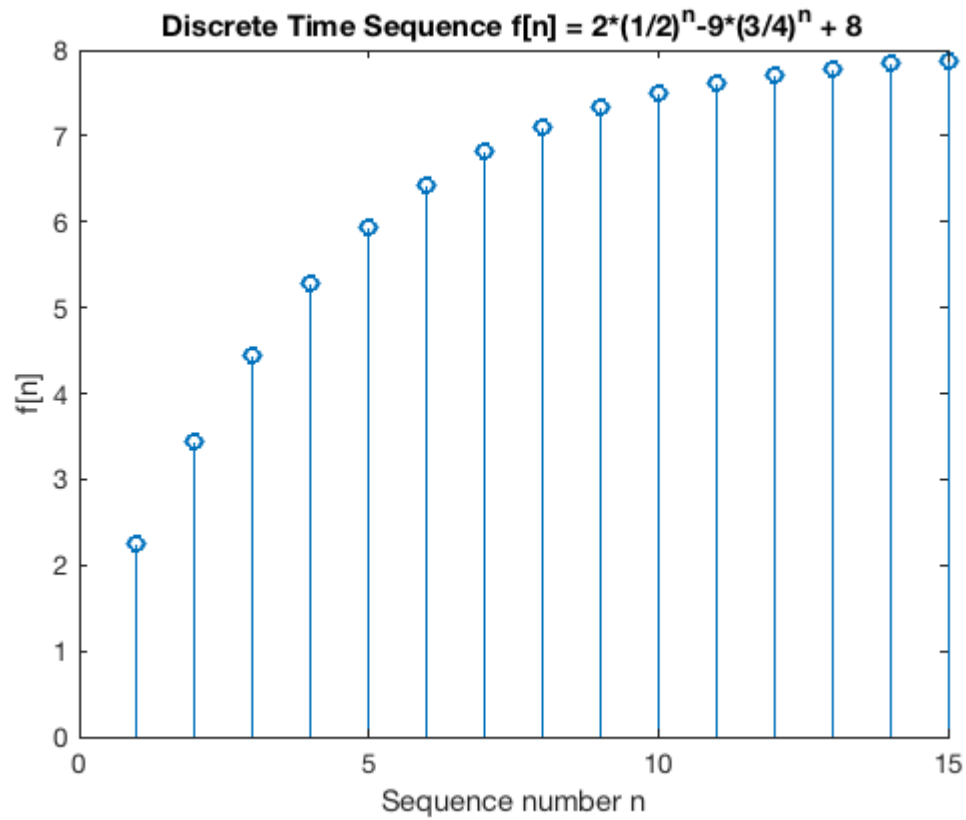
ans =

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2*(1/2)^n - 9*(3/4)^n + 8
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## Sequence

In [24]:

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n = 1:15;
sequence = subs(fn,n);
stem(n,sequence)
title('Discrete Time Sequence f[n] = 2*(1/2)^n-9*(3/4)^n + 8');
ylabel('f[n]')
xlabel('Sequence number n')
```



## Example 2

Karris example 9.5: use the partial fraction expansion method to compute the inverse z-transform of

$$F(z) = \frac{12z}{(z+1)(z-1)^2}$$



## Matlab solution

See [example2.mlx](https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example2.mlx) (<https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example2.mlx>). (Also available as [example2.m](https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example2.m) (<https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example2.m>).

Uses additional Matlab functions:

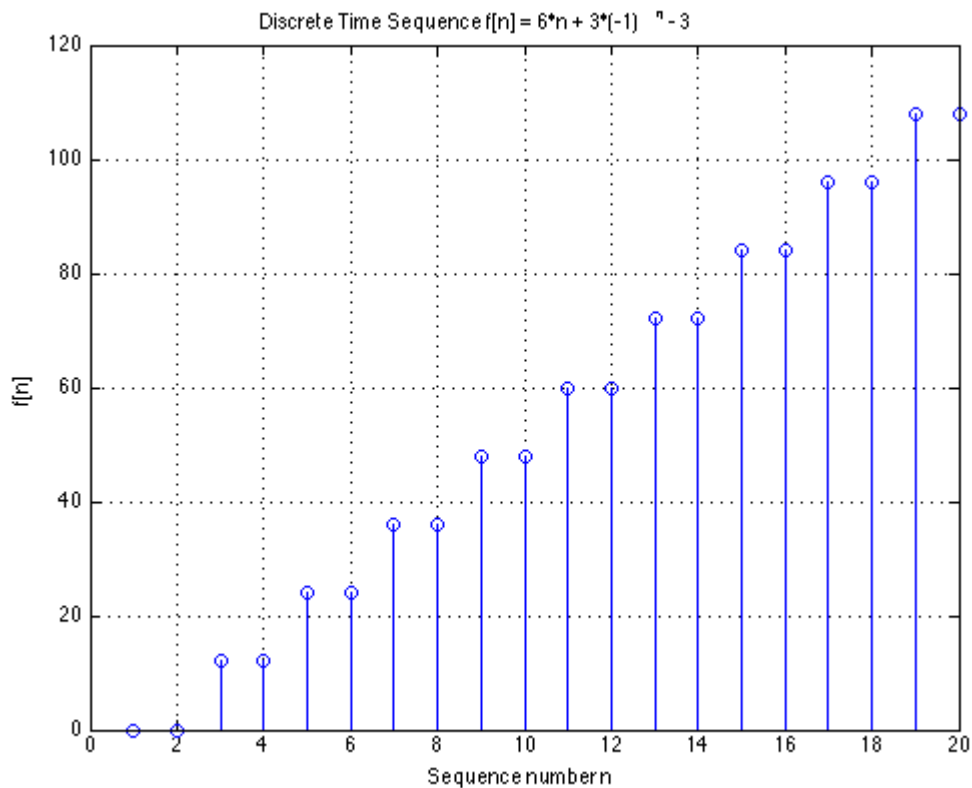
- `dimpulse` – computes and plots a sequence  $f[n]$  for any range of values of  $n$

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open example2
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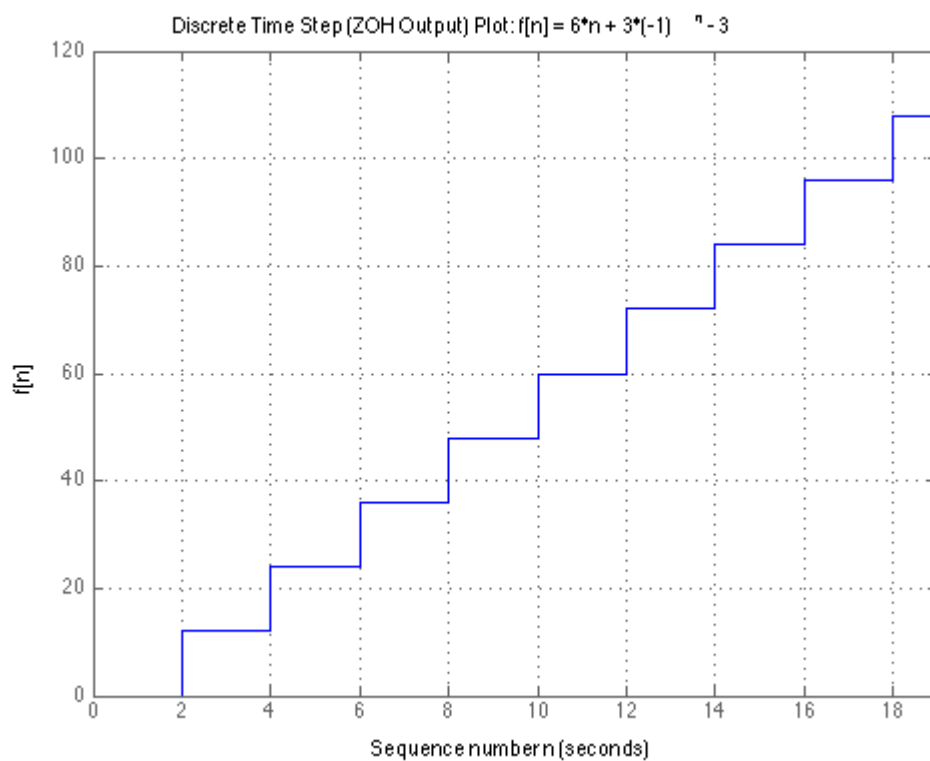
## Results

### 'Lollipop' Plot



### 'Staircase' Plot

Simulates output of Zero-Order-Hold (ZOH) or Digital Analogue Converter (DAC)





### Example 3

Karris example 9.6: use the partial fraction expansion method to compute the inverse z-transform of

$$F(z) = \frac{z + 1}{(z - 1)(z^2 + 2z + 2)}$$



### Matlab solution

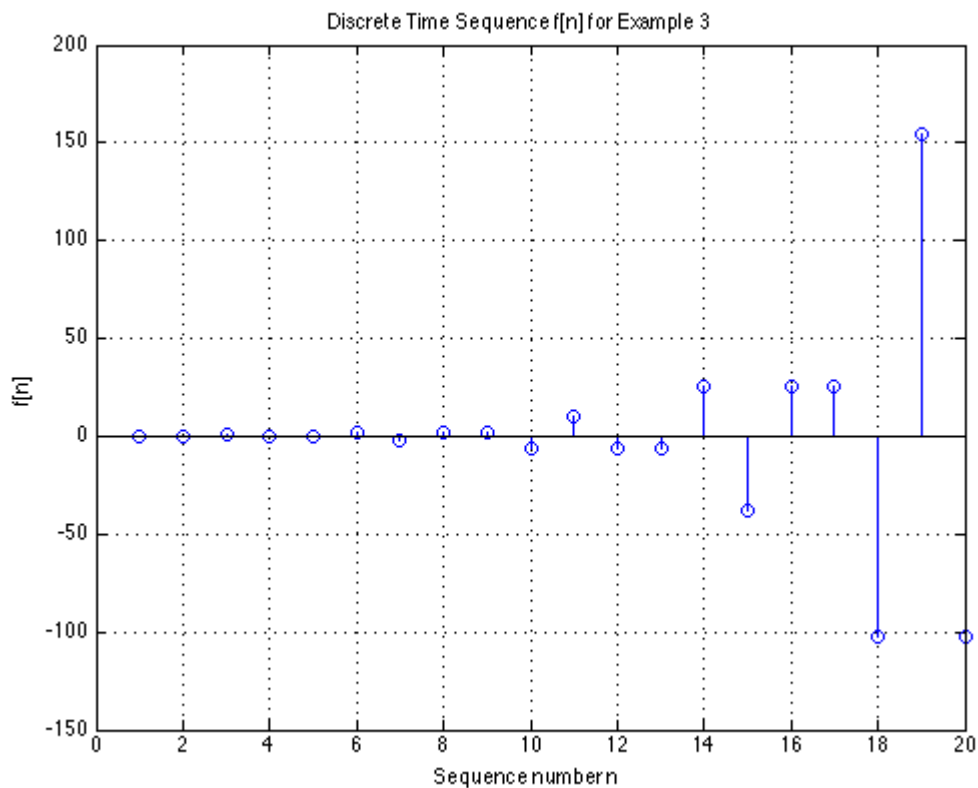
See [example3.mlx](https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example3.mlx) (<https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example3.mlx>). (Also available as [example3.m](https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example3.m) (<https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example3.m>).

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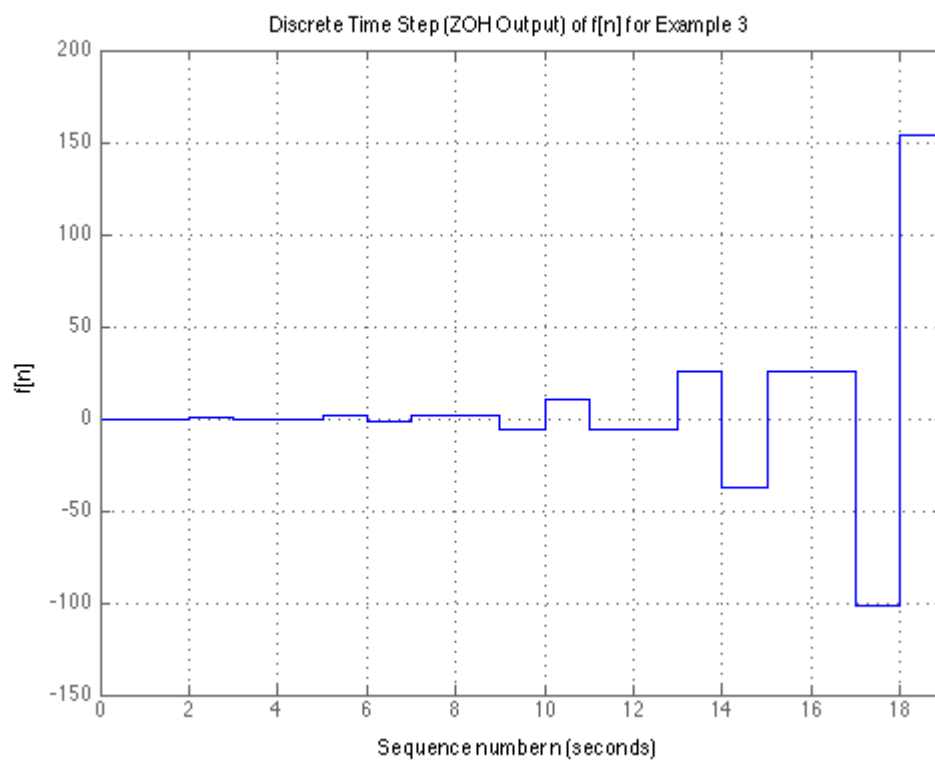
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open example3
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## Results

### Lollipop Plot



### Staircase Plot



## Inverse Z-Transform by the Inversion Integral

The inversion integral states that:

$$f[n] = \frac{1}{j2\pi} \oint_C F(z)z^{n-1} dz$$

where  $C$  is a closed curve that encloses all poles of the integrand.

This can (*apparently*) be solved by Cauchy's residue theorem!!

Fortunately (-), this is beyond the scope of this module!

See Karris Section 9.6.2 (pp 9-29—9-33) if you want to find out more.

## Inverse Z-Transform by the Long Division

To apply this method,  $F(z)$  must be a rational polynomial function, and the numerator and denominator must be polynomials arranged in descending powers of  $z$ .

### Example 4

Karris example 9.9: use the long division method to determine  $f[n]$  for  $n = 0, 1,$  and  $2,$  given that

$$F(z) = \frac{1 + z^{-1} + 2z^{-2} + 3z^{-3}}{(1 - 0.25z^{-1})(1 - 0.5z^{-1})(1 - 0.75z^{-1})}$$



## Matlab

See [example4.mlx](https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example4.mlx) (<https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example4.mlx>). (also available as [example4.m](https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example4.m) (<https://github.com/cpjobling/EG-247-Resources/blob/master/week9/matlab/example4.m>).

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open example4
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## Results

sym\_den =

$$z^3 - (3*z^2)/2 + (11*z)/16 - 3/32$$

fn =

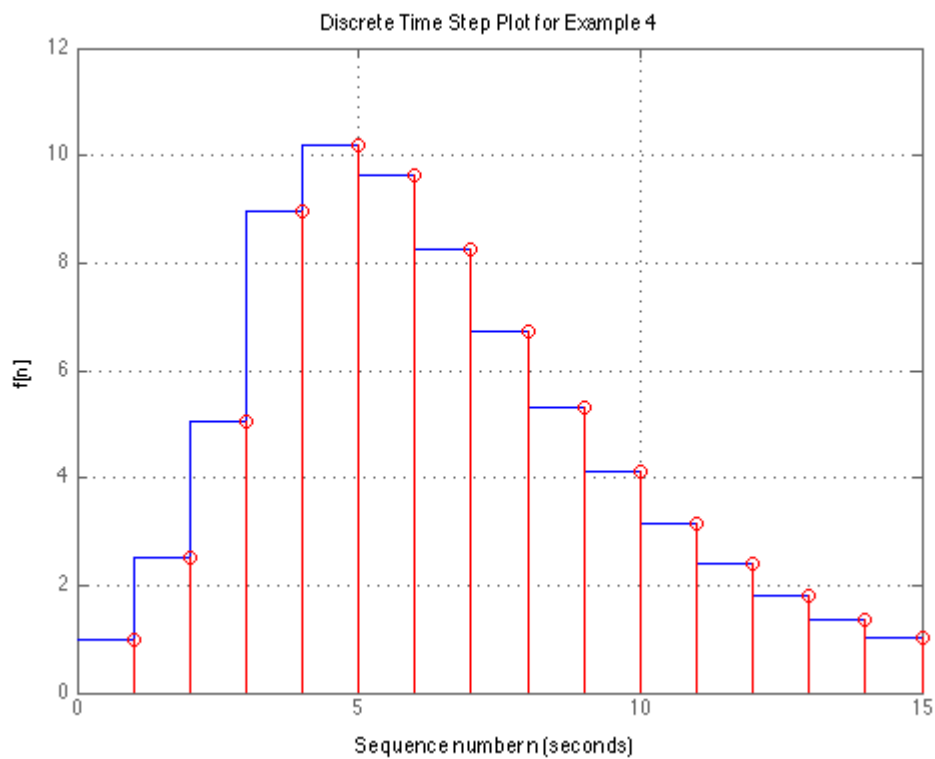
1.0000

2.5000

5.0625

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### Combined Staircase/Lollipop Plot



## Methods of Evaluation of the Inverse Z-Transform

Method	Advantages	Disadvantages
Partial Fraction Expansion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Most familiar.</li> <li>• Can use Matlab `residue` function.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires that <math>F(z)</math> is a proper rational function.</li> </ul>
Inversion Integral	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Can be used whether <math>F(z)</math> is rational or not</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires familiarity with the *Residues theorem* of complex variable analysis.</li> </ul>
Long Division	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Practical when only a small sequence of numbers is desired.</li> <li>• Useful when z-transform has no closed-form solution.</li> <li>• Can use Matlab `dimpulse` function to compute a large sequence of numbers.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Requires that <math>F(z)</math> is a proper rational function.</li> <li>• Division may be endless.</li> </ul>

## Summary

- Inverse Z-Transform
- Examples using PFE
- Examples using Long Division
- Analysis in Matlab

*Next time*

- DT transfer functions, continuous system equivalents, and modelling DT systems in Matlab and Simulink.

## Answers to Examples

### Answer to Example 1

$$f[n] = 2\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^n - 9\left(\frac{3}{4}\right)^n + 8$$

### Answer to Example 2

$$f[n] = 3(-1)^n + 6n - 3$$

**Answer to Example 3**

$$f[n] = -0.5\delta[n] + 0.4 + \frac{(\sqrt{2})^n}{10} \cos \frac{3n\pi}{4} - \frac{3(\sqrt{2})^n}{10} \sin \frac{3n\pi}{4}$$

**Answer to Example 4**

$$f[0] = 1, f[1] = 5/2, f[2] = 81/16, \dots$$