

Small Kernels with Big Transfer Functions

Centered DFT, pseudoinverse MMSE, and truncated FIR

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$$j := \sqrt{-1} \quad N := 14 \quad i := 0..N-1 \quad k := 0..N-1$$

$$M := 7 \quad m := 0..M-1 \quad n := 0..M-1$$

The 1-D Discrete Fourier Transform computes an M-point transfer function from an M-point impulse response:

$$F_n := \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{M}} \right) \cdot \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} f_m \cdot \exp\left(-j \cdot 2 \cdot \pi \cdot n \cdot \frac{m}{M}\right) \quad \text{or} \quad F := W \cdot f \quad \text{where} \quad W_{n,m} := \frac{1}{\sqrt{M}} \cdot \exp\left(-j \cdot 2 \cdot \pi \cdot n \cdot \frac{m}{M}\right)$$

is an M by M kernel matrix. Both [f] and [F] have the central element at the left end of the vector.

$$f := (1 \ .5 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ .5)^T \quad F := W \cdot f \quad F^T = (0.76 \ 0.61 \ 0.29 \ 0.04 \ 0.04 \ 0.29 \ 0.61)$$

Now let f(m) be an M - point FIR, rotated (a places) to the center of the vector.

$$f := (0 \ 0 \ .5 \ 1 \ .5 \ 0 \ 0)^T \quad a := \text{floor}\left(\frac{M}{2}\right) \quad a = 3 \quad b := \text{floor}\left(\frac{N}{2}\right) \quad b = 7$$

Its M-point transform is

$$F_n := \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{M}} \right) \cdot \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} f_m \cdot \exp\left(-j \cdot 2 \cdot \pi \cdot n \cdot \frac{m-a}{M}\right) \quad F^T = (0.76 \ 0.61 \ 0.29 \ 0.04 \ 0.04 \ 0.29 \ 0.61)$$

For the M-point transform, this works for any rotation, a, of the vector, for example, zero: $f := (1 \ .5 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ .5)^T$

$$F_n := \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{M}} \right) \cdot \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} f_m \cdot \exp\left(-j \cdot 2 \cdot \pi \cdot n \cdot \frac{m-0}{M}\right) \quad F^T = (0.76 \ 0.61 \ 0.29 \ 0.04 \ 0.04 \ 0.29 \ 0.61)$$

Now we can compute N points on its transform:

$$f := (0 \ 0 \ .5 \ 1 \ .5 \ 0 \ 0)^T \quad G_k := \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{M}} \right) \cdot \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} f_m \cdot \exp\left(-j \cdot 2 \cdot \pi \cdot k \cdot \frac{m-a}{N}\right)$$

$$G^T = (0.76 \ 0.72 \ 0.61 \ 0.46 \ 0.29 \ 0.14 \ 0.04 \ 0 \ 0.04 \ 0.14 \ 0.29 \ 0.46 \ 0.61 \ 0.72)$$

But for its N-point transform, the vector length is wrong and it doesn't wrap properly

$$G_k := \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{M}} \right) \cdot \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} f_m \cdot \exp\left(-j \cdot 2 \cdot \pi \cdot k \cdot \frac{m-0}{N}\right)$$

$$G^T = (0.76 \ 0.16 - 0.7j \ -0.55 - 0.27j \ -0.29 + 0.36j \ 0.18 + 0.23j \ 0.13 - 0.06j \ -0.01 - 0.04j \ 0 \ -0.01 + 0.04j \ 0.13 + 0.$$

If the M-point function is centered on element a,
and we want its N-point spectrum to be centered on element b, we can use:

$$f := (0 \ 0 \ .5 \ 1 \ .5 \ 0 \ 0)^T \quad M = 7 \quad a = 3 \quad N = 14 \quad b = 7$$

so the transform is

$$G_k := \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{M}} \right) \cdot \sum_{m=0}^{M-1} f_m \cdot \exp\left[-j \cdot 2 \cdot \pi \cdot (k-b) \cdot \frac{m-a}{N}\right] \quad \text{or} \quad G := T \cdot f \quad \text{where} \quad T_{k,m} := \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \cdot \exp\left[-j \cdot 2 \cdot \pi \cdot (k-b) \cdot \frac{m-a}{N}\right]$$

$$G := T \cdot f \quad \text{or} \quad \sqrt{\frac{N}{M}} \cdot G^T = (0 \ 0.04 \ 0.14 \ 0.29 \ 0.46 \ 0.61 \ 0.72 \ 0.76 \ 0.72 \ 0.61 \ 0.46 \ 0.29 \ 0.14 \ 0.04)$$

This scaling preserves the amplitude of the spectrum as it expands to N points.
This is then the general M-point to N-point centered DFT.

Small kernel from large MTF

Suppose the desired TF, given as an N-point spectrum vector centered on element b, is

$$\sigma := 1.0$$

$$G_i := \exp\left[-\frac{(i-b)^2}{2 \cdot \sigma \cdot \sigma}\right] \quad G^T = (0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0.01 \ 0.14 \ 0.61 \ 1 \ 0.61 \ 0.14 \ 0.01 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0)$$

$$M = 7$$

$$N = 14$$

whose N-point FIR is:

$$W_{i,k} := \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \cdot \exp\left[-j \cdot 2 \cdot \pi \cdot (i-b) \cdot \frac{k-b}{N}\right] \quad g := (W^{-1} \cdot G)$$

$$g^T = (0.01 \ 0.02 \ 0.05 \ 0.13 \ 0.27 \ 0.45 \ 0.61 \ 0.67 \ 0.61 \ 0.45 \ 0.27 \ 0.13 \ 0.05 \ 0.02)$$

We solve $G = T f$ (by the pseudoinverse method) for an M-point MMSE approximation FIR, $f(m)$:

$$K := \left[\left((\bar{T})^T \cdot T \right)^{-1} \cdot (\bar{T})^T \right] \quad f := K \cdot G \quad f^T = (0.27 \ 0.45 \ 0.61 \ 0.67 \ 0.61 \ 0.45 \ 0.27)$$

which, we observe, is simply the truncated FIR. The constant rescales T to preserve the amplitude of the FIR.
We can transform this back to an N-point spectrum, to see the approximation TF:

$$F := T \cdot f \quad F^T = (-0.05 \ 0 \ 0.05 \ -0.02 \ -0.05 \ 0.2 \ 0.65 \ 0.89 \ 0.65 \ 0.2 \ -0.05 \ -0.02 \ 0.05 \ 0)$$

$$G^T = (0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0.01 \ 0.14 \ 0.61 \ 1 \ 0.61 \ 0.14 \ 0.01 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0)$$

Using the N-point formulation as a check on the computation,

$$h := \text{augment}\left[(0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0), \text{augment}\left[f^T, (0 \ 0 \ 0)\right]\right]^T$$

$$h^T = (0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0.27 \ 0.45 \ 0.61 \ 0.67 \ 0.61 \ 0.45 \ 0.27 \ 0 \ 0 \ 0)$$

$$H := W \cdot h \quad H^T = (-0.05 \ 0 \ 0.05 \ -0.02 \ -0.05 \ 0.2 \ 0.65 \ 0.89 \ 0.65 \ 0.2 \ -0.05 \ -0.02 \ 0.05 \ 0)$$

We can compute the MSE of the approximation

$$f^T = (0.27 \ 0.45 \ 0.61 \ 0.67 \ 0.61 \ 0.45 \ 0.27)$$

$$g^T = (0.01 \ 0.02 \ 0.05 \ 0.13 \ 0.27 \ 0.45 \ 0.61 \ 0.67 \ 0.61 \ 0.45 \ 0.27 \ 0.13 \ 0.05 \ 0.02)$$

$$\text{RMSE} := \sqrt{\frac{1}{N} \cdot \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} (F_i - G_i)^2}$$

$$\text{RMSE} = 0.0550761$$

