

2.3 Inversion of z-transform.

$$x[n] = \mathcal{Z}^{-1} \{ X(z) \}$$

A) Inspection method.

Ex: $X(z) = \frac{1}{1 - az^{-1}} \quad |z| > |a|$

$$\therefore x[n] = a^n u[n]$$

B) Long division method.

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As the ROC is outside, it is a right sided seq, we will use long division to get the series in powers of z^{-1}

$$\begin{array}{r}
 1 + az^{-1} + a^2 z^{-2} + \dots \\
 1 - az^{-1} \overline{) 1} \\
 \underline{1 - az^{-1}} \\
 az^{-1} \\
 \underline{az^{-1} - a^2 z^{-2}} \\
 a^2 z^{-2} + \dots
 \end{array}$$

$$\therefore x[n] = a^n u[n]$$

Ex: $x(z) = \frac{1}{1-az^{-1}}, |z| < |a|$

In this we will use long division to get a series of powers of z .

$$\begin{array}{r}
 -az^{-1} + 1 \quad | \quad \begin{array}{l} 1 \\ -az^{-1} + 1 \\ \hline -az^{-1} \\ -a^2z^{-2} + az^{-1} \\ \hline -a^2z^{-2} \end{array} \\
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 \end{array}$$

c) Partial fraction.

1) Write $x(z)$ in terms of z .

B) Obtain $\frac{x(z)}{z}$

c) If $X(z)/z$ has a numerator degree \geq the denominator degree; the extract the principle part by polynomial division and then do the partial fraction on the rest.

D) Multiply both sides by z and invert term by term.