

Robust Algorithms for Chebyshev Polynomials and Related Approximations

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Introduction

Chebyshev Polynomials and their Relatives

approximation view

numerical view

nonlinear differential eq. \Rightarrow linear differential eq.



parametric solution

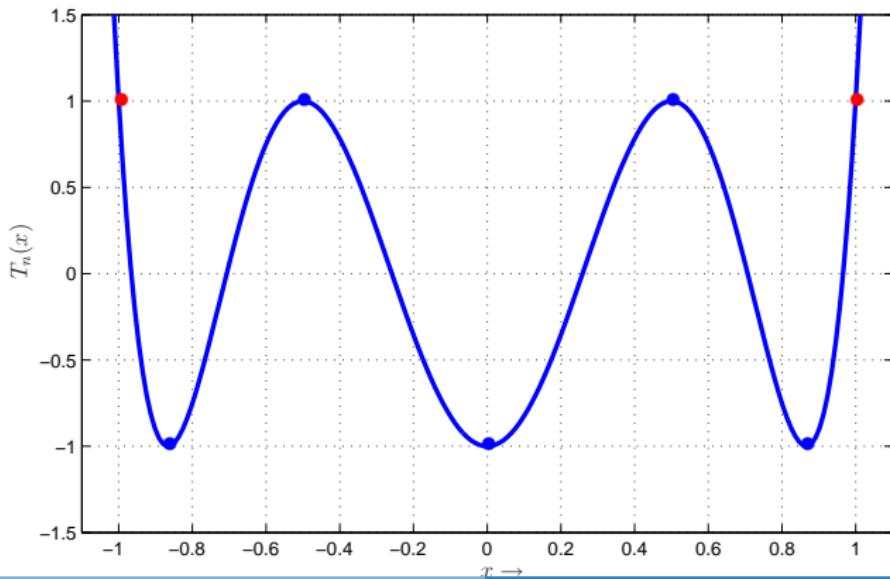


recursive algorithms



Chebyshev polynomials - approximation view

$$(1 - x^2) \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = n^2 (1 - y^2)$$



Parametric solutions of differential equation

$$(1 - x^2) \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = n^2 (1 - y^2)$$



$$\frac{dy}{\sqrt{1 - y^2}} = n \frac{dx}{\sqrt{1 - x^2}}$$

$x = \cos \phi$	De Moivre's formula	
$y = \cos n\phi$	\Rightarrow	$y(x) = T_n(\cos \phi)$



The second order differential equation

$$(1 - x^2) \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = n^2 (1 - y^2)$$



$$(1 - x^2) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - x \frac{dy}{dx} + n^2 y = 0$$

$$y(x) \equiv T_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^n t(k)x^k$$

.. is a polynomial of variable x



Recursive evalution of the coefficients $t(k)$

given n
initialisation $t(n) = 2^{n-1}$
 $t(n - 1) = 0$

recursive body

(for $k = n - 2$ to 0
$$t(k) = -\frac{(k+2)(k+1)}{n^2 - k^2} t(k+2)$$

end)

- Algorithm produces the coefficients $t(k)$ for Chebyshev polynomials $T_n(x)$ as expected.

	x^0	x^1	x^2	x^3	x^4	x^5	x^6	x^7	x^8	x^9
T_0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T_1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T_2	-1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T_3	0	-3	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
T_4	1	0	-8	0	8	0	0	0	0	0
T_5	0	5	0	-20	0	16	0	0	0	0
T_6	-1	0	18	0	-48	0	32	0	0	0
T_7	0	-7	0	56	0	-112	0	64	0	0
T_8	1	0	-32	0	160	0	-256	0	128	0
T_9	0	9	0	-120	0	432	0	-576	0	256

Comments

- The second order differential equation converts parametric representation to the explicit form
- In contrast to the explicit formula

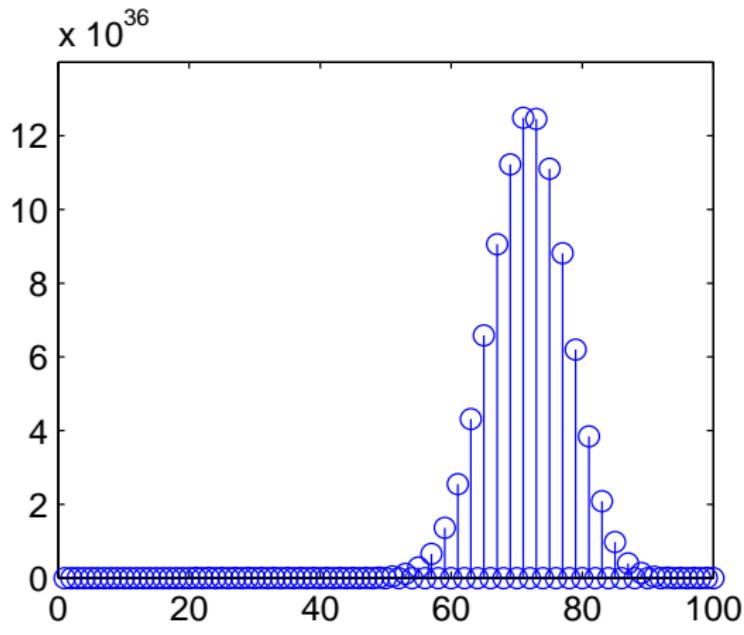
$$T_n(x) = \frac{n}{2} \sum_{m=0}^n \frac{(-1)^m(n-m-1)!}{m!(n-2m)!} (2x)^{n-2m}$$

the algorithm computes $t(k)$ for quite high order polynomials ($n \approx 100$'s)

- The maximum of the coefficients appears at $\approx \frac{\sqrt(2)}{2} \times n$

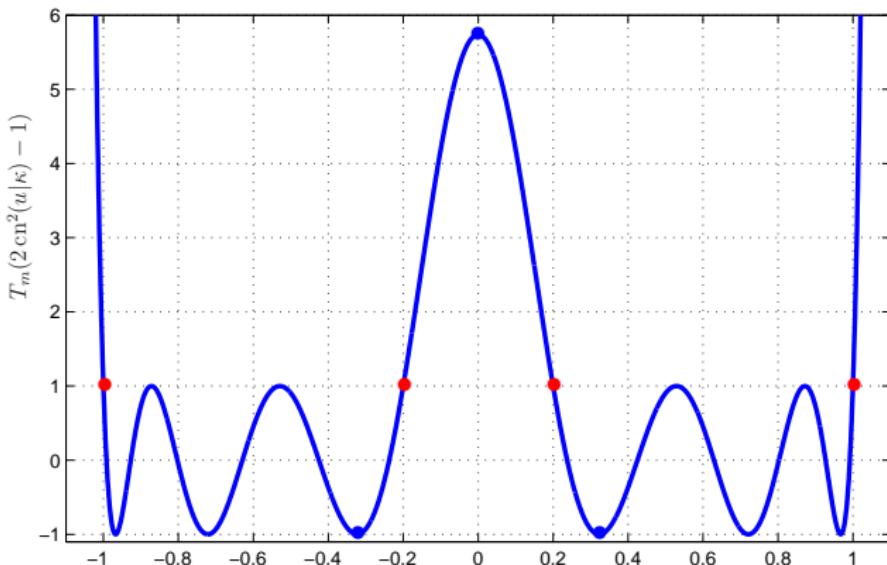


Absolute values of the coefficients $n = 100$



Symmetrical Zolotarev polynomials-approximation

$$(1 - x^2)(x^2 - \kappa'^2) \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = 4 m^2 x^2 (1 - y^2)$$



Parametric solutions of differential equation

$$(1 - x^2)(x^2 - \kappa'^2) \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = 4 m^2 x^2 (1 - y^2)$$



$$\frac{dy}{\sqrt{1 - y^2}} = 2m \frac{x dx}{\sqrt{(1 - x^2)(x^2 - \kappa'^2)}}$$

$$x = \operatorname{dn}(u|\kappa)$$

Jacobi elliptic functions

$$y = T_m(2 \operatorname{cn}^2(u|\kappa) - 1) \Rightarrow y(x) = T_m \left(\frac{2x^2 - 1 - \kappa'^2}{1 - \kappa'^2} \right)$$



The second order differential equation

$$(1 - x^2)(x^2 - \kappa'^2) \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = 4 m^2 x^2 (1 - y^2)$$



$$x(x^2 - \kappa'^2) \left[(1 - x^2) \frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - x \frac{dy}{dx} \right] + \kappa'^2 (1 - x^2) \frac{dy}{dx} + 4 m^2 x^3 y = 0$$

$$y(x) \equiv T_m \left(\frac{2x^2 - 1 - \kappa'^2}{1 - \kappa'^2} \right) = \sum_{k=0}^m b(2k) x^{2k}$$

.. is a polynomial of variable x



Recursive evalution of the coefficients $b(2k)$

given m

initialisation $b(2m) = \frac{2^{2m-1}}{(1 - \kappa'^2)^m}, b(2m + 2) = 0$

recursive body

(for $k = m - 1$ to 0

$$b(2k) = -(1 + \kappa'^2) \frac{(2k+2)(2k+1)}{4m^2 - 4k^2} b(2k+2)$$

$$+ \kappa'^2 \frac{(2k+4)(2k+2)}{4m^2 - 4k^2} b(2k+4)$$

end

An alternative representation

$$y(x) \equiv T_m \left(\frac{2x^2 - 1 - \kappa'^2}{1 - \kappa'^2} \right) = \sum_{k=0}^m a(2k) T_{2k}(x)$$

.. is developed in terms of Chebyshev polynomials

Inserting $y(x) = \sum_{k=0}^m a(2k) T_{2k}(x)$ in differential equation

$$x(x^2 - \kappa'^2) \left[(1 - x^2) \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} - x \frac{dy}{dx} \right] + \kappa'^2 (1 - x^2) \frac{dy}{dx} + 4 m^2 x^3 y = 0$$

we obtain...

Recursive algorithm for the coefficients $a(2k)$

given m
initialisation $a(2m) = \frac{1}{(1 - \kappa'^2)^m}$
 $a(2m + 2) = a(2m + 4) = 0$
recursive body
(for $k = m - 1$ to 0
 $- [m^2 - k^2] a(2k) =$
 $+ [3(m^2 - (k + 1)^2) + (2k + 2)(2k + 1)\kappa'^2] a(2k + 2)$
 $+ [3(m^2 - (k + 2)^2) + (2k + 4)(2k + 5)\kappa'^2] a(2k + 4)$
 $+ [m^2 - (k + 3)^2] a(2k + 6)$
end)



Comments

- Properties of Jacobi elliptic functions as

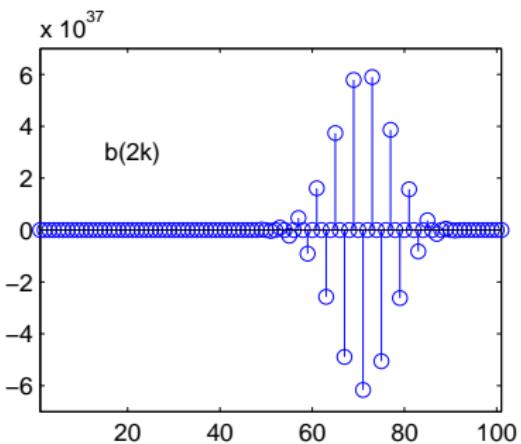
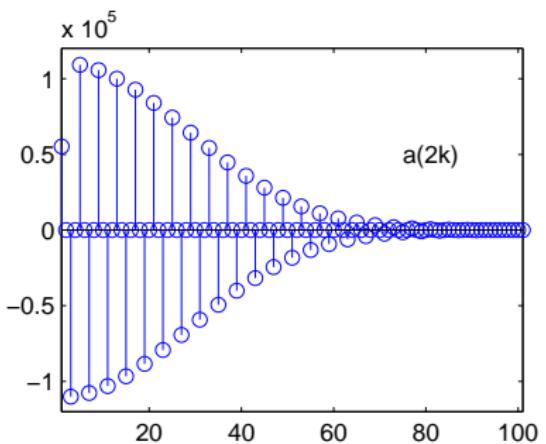
$$\kappa'^2 + \kappa^2 \operatorname{cn}^2(u|\kappa) = \operatorname{dn}^2(u|\kappa)$$

convert parametric representation to the explicit form

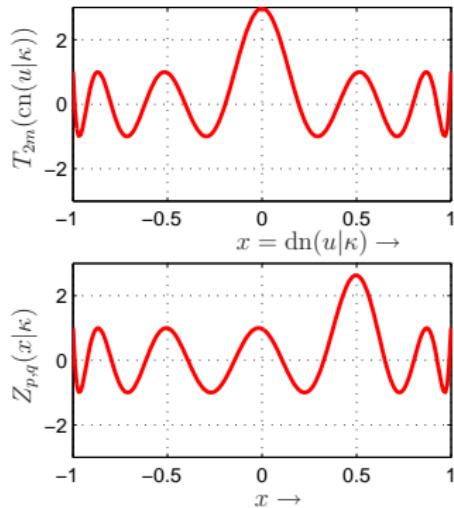
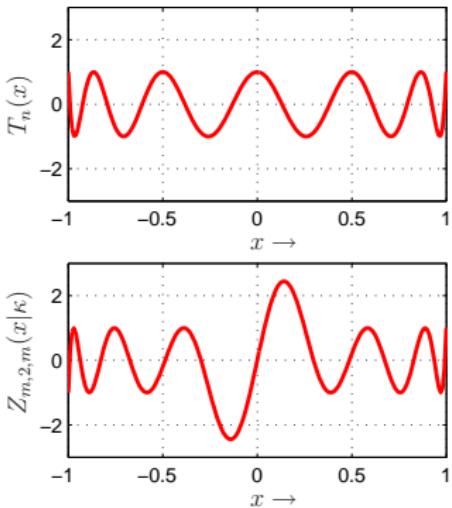
- The second order differential equation produces recursive algorithms for coefficients $b(2k)$ and $a(2k)$
- The dynamic range of coefficients $a(2k)$ is far better than $b(2k)$ and it enables to evaluate safely the symmetrical Zolotarev polynomial of order ($n \approx 1000$'s)



Dynamic range of both representations $m = 50$



Equiripple polynomials



Differential equations - approximation view

$$f(x) \left(\frac{dy}{dx} \right)^2 = n^2 g(x)(1 - y_i^2) \quad (1)$$

$$y_a : \quad f(x) = 1 - x^2 \quad g(x) = 1$$

$$y_b : \quad f(x) = (1 - x^2)(x^2 - \kappa'^2) \quad g(x) = x^2$$

$$y_c : \quad f(x) = (1 - x^2)(x^2 - x_p^2)(x^2 - x_s^2) \quad g(x) = (x^2 - x_m^2)^2$$

$$y_d : \quad f(x) = (1 - x^2)(x - x_p)(x - x_s) \quad g(w) = (x - x_m)^2$$



Linear differential equation

By derivation of eq. (1) we obtain

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} + \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{f'(x)}{f(x)} - \frac{g'(x)}{g(x)} \right] \frac{dy}{dx} + n^2 \frac{g(x)}{f(x)} y = 0,$$

or in *canonical form*

$$\frac{d^2y}{dx^2} - \frac{d}{dx} \ln \sqrt{\frac{g(x)}{f(x)}} \frac{dy}{dx} + n^2 \frac{g(x)}{f(x)} y = 0.$$

Wronskian and general solutions

Two linearly independent solutions of eq. (2) $y_1(x)$ a $y_2(x)$, form Wronskian determinant

$$\mathcal{W}(y_1(x), y_2(x)) \equiv y_1(x)y'_2(x) - y'_1(x)y_2(x) =$$

$$= \exp \int \frac{d}{dx} \ln \sqrt{\frac{g(x)}{f(x)}} dx = \sqrt{\frac{g(x)}{f(x)}}.$$



Solutions

In order to avoid relatively complicated parametric representation...

$$Z_{p,q}(\mathcal{A}_{\frac{p}{n}}(u|\kappa)) = (-1)^p \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(\frac{\vartheta_1 \left(v - \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{p}{p+q} \right)}{\vartheta_1 \left(v + \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{p}{p+q} \right)} \right)^n + \left(\frac{\vartheta_1 \left(v + \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{p}{p+q} \right)}{\vartheta_1 \left(v - \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{p}{p+q} \right)} \right)^n \right]$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{\frac{p}{n}}(u|\kappa) = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{\vartheta_1 \left(v - \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{p}{p+q} \right)}{\vartheta_1 \left(v + \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{p}{p+q} \right)} + \frac{\vartheta_1 \left(v + \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{p}{p+q} \right)}{\vartheta_1 \left(v - \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{p}{p+q} \right)} \right]$$



... the recursive algorithms

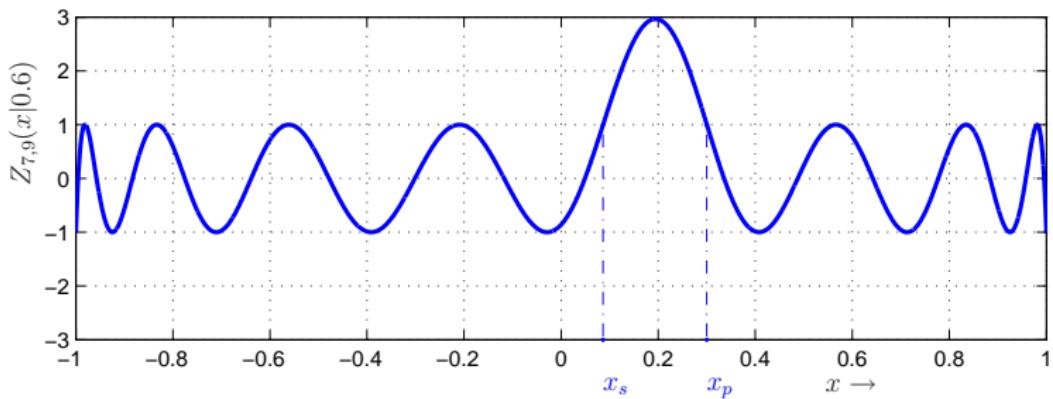
for the coefficients $b(m)$ and $a(m)$ have been developed.

$$Z_{p,q}(x|\kappa) = \sum_{m=0}^n b(m)x^m$$

$$Z_{p,q}(x|\kappa) = \sum_{m=0}^n a(m)T_m(x)$$



Zolotarev polynomial

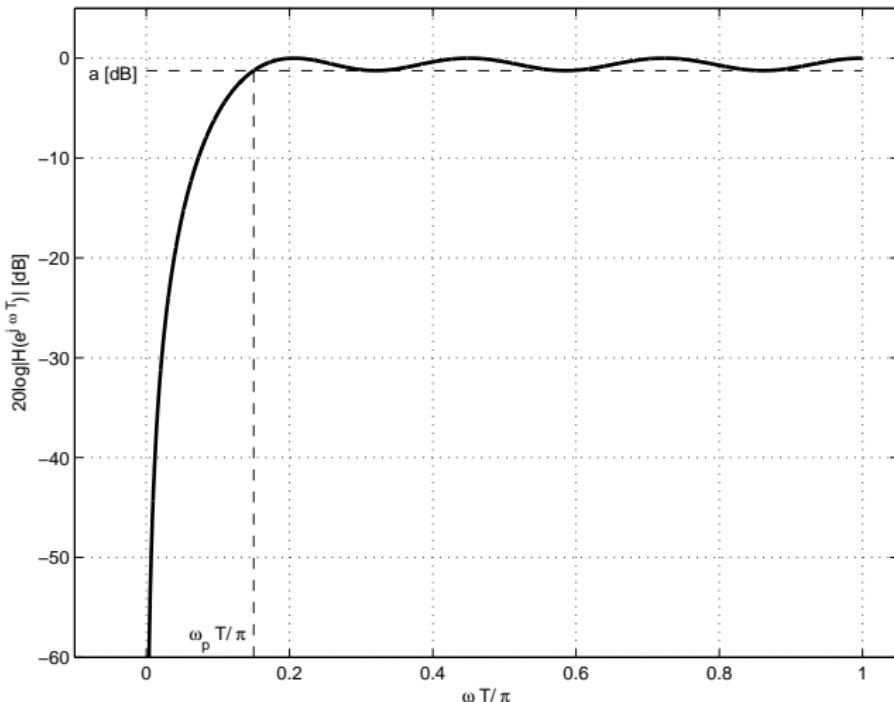


Application in Filter Design

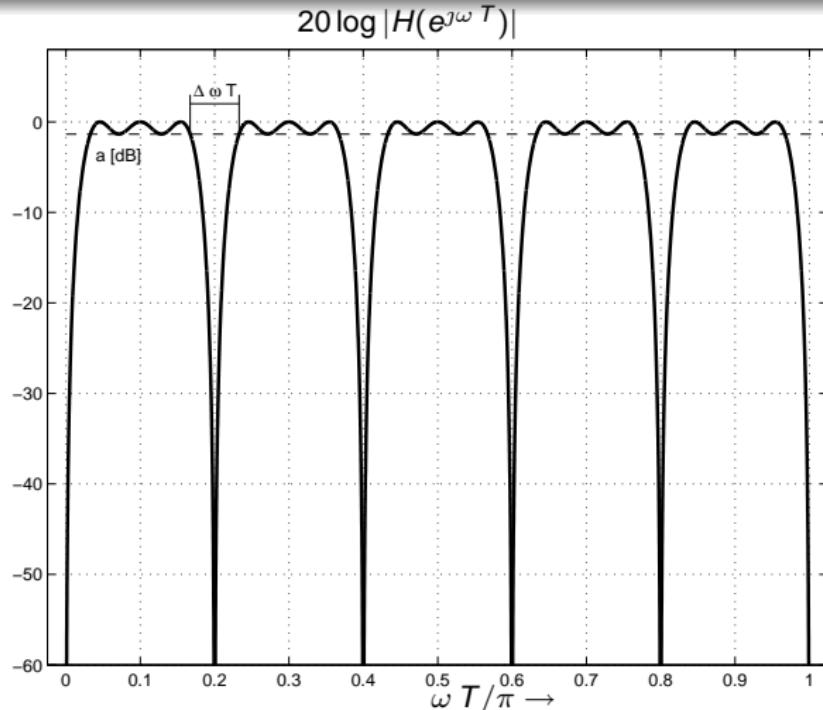
- Design of digital FIR filters: DC-Notch FIR filters and Comb FIR filters
- Based on differential equation developed for Chebyshev polynomials as $T_n(\lambda w + \lambda - 1)$ and $T_n[\lambda T_r(w)]$



Example of DC-Notch: $\omega_p T = 0.15\pi$, $a = -1.2446$ dB



Example of Comb: $\Delta\omega_p T = 0.066\pi$, $a = -0.65$ dB



Differential Equation for $T_n(\lambda w + \lambda - 1)$

$$\left[1 - w^2 + 2\frac{1-\lambda}{\lambda}(1-w)\right] \frac{d^2F(w)}{dw^2} - \left(w - \frac{1-\lambda}{\lambda}\right) \frac{dF(w)}{dw} + n^2 F(w) = 0$$

... by substitution of $F(w) = \sum_{m=0}^n \alpha(m) T_m$ we obtain



Recursive algorithm for coefficients

given n (integer value), λ (real value)

initialization $\alpha(n) = \lambda^n$, $\alpha(n+1) = \alpha(n+2) = \alpha(n+3) = 0$

body
(for $k = 2 \dots n+1$)
$$\alpha(n+1-k) =$$

$$\{ 2 [(k-1)(2n+1-k) - ((1-\lambda)/\lambda)(n+1-k)(2n+1-2k)] \alpha(n+2-k)$$

$$+ 4 ((1-\lambda)/\lambda)(n+2-k) \alpha(n+3-k)$$

$$- 2 [(k-3)(2n+3-k) - ((1-\lambda)/\lambda)(n+3-k)(2n+7-2k)] \alpha(n+4-k)$$

$$+ (k-4)(2n+4-k) \alpha(n+5-k) \} / k(2n-k)$$

(end loop on k)
$$\alpha(0) = \frac{\alpha(0)}{2}$$

Differential Equation for $T_n[\lambda T_r(w)]$

$$\begin{aligned} U_{r-1}(w) \left(\kappa^2 - T_r^2(w) \right) & \left[(1-w^2) \frac{d^2 F_{nr}(w)}{dw^2} - w \frac{dF_{nr}(w)}{dw} \right] \\ & - r(1-\kappa^2) T_r(w) \frac{dF_{nr}(w)}{dw} \\ & + n^2 r^2 U_{r-1}(w) \left(1 - T_r^2(w) \right) F_{nr}(w) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

... by substitution of $F_{nr}(w) = \sum_{m=0}^{n \times r} \tilde{a}(m) T_m(w)$ we obtain



Basic recursive algorithm for $\tilde{a}(nr - 2\mu r) = \alpha(n - 2\mu)$

given

n (even integer), r (integer), $\lambda > 1$ (real)

initialization

$$\kappa = \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

$$\alpha(n) = \lambda^n$$

$$\alpha(n+2) = \alpha(n+4) = \alpha(n+6) = 0$$

body

(for $\mu = 1 \dots \frac{n}{2}$)

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha(n - 2\mu) = \\ \{ & \alpha(n - 2(\mu - 1)) \\ & \times \left[(1 - \kappa^2)(n - (2\mu - 1))(n - (2\mu - 2)) + 3(\mu - 1)(n - (\mu - 1)) \right] \\ & - \alpha(n - 2(\mu - 2)) \\ & \times \left[(1 - \kappa^2)(n - (2\mu - 4))(n - (2\mu - 5)) + 3(\mu - 2)(n - (\mu - 2)) \right] \\ & + \alpha(n - 2(\mu - 3))(\mu - 3)(n - (\mu - 3)) \} / \mu(n - \mu) \end{aligned}$$

(end loop on μ)

$$\alpha(0) = \frac{\alpha(0)}{2}$$

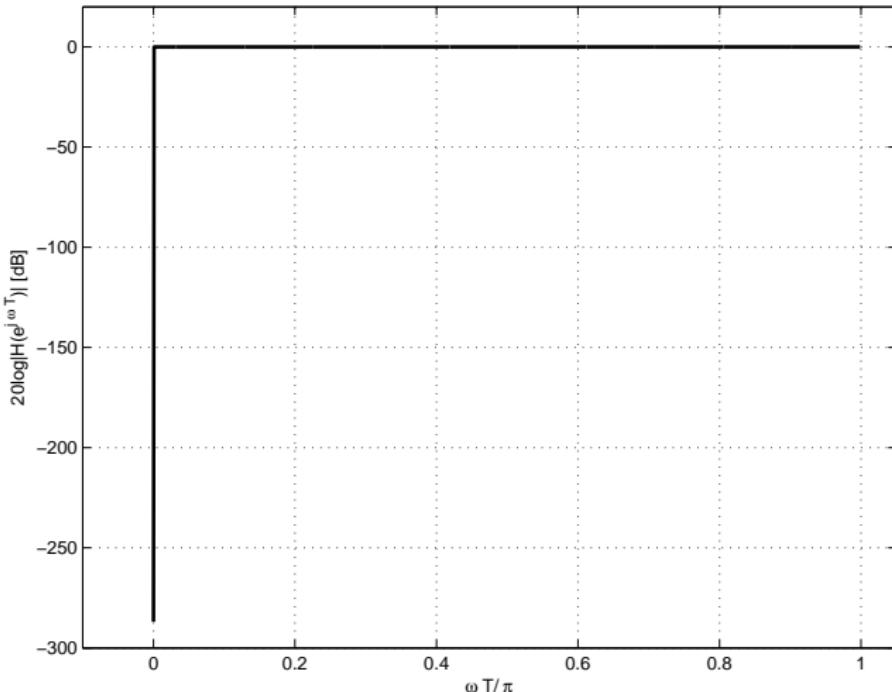
Robustness of Algorithms

Strange filter specification $\omega_p T = 0.00001\pi$, $a = -0.01$ dB
requires to evaluate expression

$$1 - \frac{T_{259524}(1.00000000024674w + 0.00000000024674) + 1}{T_{259524}(1.00000000049348) + 1}$$



Robustness of Algorithms



- ① Chebyshev polynomials and their relatives were presented in unified approach
- ② recursive algorithms were developed
- ③ the role of the linear differential equations was emphasized
- ④ numerical robustness was shown



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