

# Course Manual DSP

Digital Signal Processing

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## – General information

**Long name** Digital Signal Processing

**Approving CModule** [DSP MaCSN](#),  
[DSP MaTIN](#)

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**Valid from** winter semester  
2020/21

**Level** Master

**Semester in the year** winter semester

**Duration** Semester

**Hours in self-study** 60

**ECTS** 5

**Professors** Prof. Dr. Harald Elders-Boll  
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**Requirements** No formal requirements, but students will be expected to be familiar with:  
Basic Knowledge of Signals and Systems: Continuous-Time LTI-Systems and Convolution, Fourier-Transform  
Basic Knowledge of Probability and Random Variables

## Literature

John G. Proakis and Dimitris K. Manolakis. Digital Signal Processing (4th Edition). Prentice Hall, 2006.

Alan V. Oppenheim, Ronald W. Schaffer. Discrete-Time Signal Processing (3rd Edition). Prentice Hall, 2007.

Vinay Ingle and John Proakis. Digital Signal Processing using MATLAB. Cengage Learning Engineering, 2011.

## Final exam

<b>Language</b>	English
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<b>Separate final exam</b>	Yes

**Details**

In the written exam students shall demonstrate that they are able to solve problems dealing with the design, analysis and implementation of DSP systems in soft and hardware considering computational complexity and hardware resource limitation, by using their thorough understanding of the theoretical concepts, especially frequency domain analysis, and insights gained from the practical implementation of DSP systems in software using Python and on microprocessors, such that they are able to design, select, use and apply actual and future DSP systems for various signal processing application in commercial products.

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**Minimum standard**

At least 24 of the 50 points that can be gained in total in the final exam and the two midterm tests during the semester. In the final exam 40 points can be gained in total, in the two midterm test 5 points can be gained each yielding 10 points in total for the two tests.

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**Exam Type**

EN Klausur

## – Lecture / Exercises

### Learning goals

Goal type	Description
Knowledge	Signals, Systems and Digital Signal Processing Basic Elements of DSP Systems Classification of Signals Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals Deterministic and Random Signals Even and Odd Signals Periodic and Aperiodic Signals Energy and Power of Signals Some Fundamental Signals
Knowledge	Discrete-Time Linear Time-Invariant Systems Difference Equations Discrete-Time Convolution Unit-Pulse and Impulse Response Basic Systems Properties: Causality, Stability, Memory
Knowledge	Ideal Sampling and Reconstruction Ideal Sampling and the Sampling Theorem Aliasing
Knowledge	Fourier-Transform of Discrete-Time Signals Eigenfunctions of Discrete-Time LTI Systems Frequency response of Discrete-Time LTI Systems The Fourier-Transform of Discrete-Time Signals Ideal Continuous-Time Filters
Knowledge	The z-Transform The Two-sided z-Transform Properties of the z-Transform The Inverse z-Transform Analysis of LTI Systems using the z-Transform
Knowledge	Discrete Fourier-Transform Sampling the DTFT The DFT and the Inverse DFT The Fast Fourier Transform Radix-2 FFT Algorithms Linear Convolution Using the FFT Overlap-And-Add
Knowledge	Design of Digital Filters Design of FIR Filters Design of IIR Filters

### Special requirements

none

### Accompanying material

lecture slides as pdf-files, list of problems and solutions manual as pdf-files  
old exams and solutions

### Separate exam

Yes

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#### Exam Type

EN Übungsaufgabe mit fachlich / methodisch eingeschränktem Fokus unter Klausurbedingungen lösen

#### Details

Two midterm tests with exercises dealing with the subjects from the lecture/tutorial that were covered up to that point, such the by passing the midterm tests students demonstrate that they have the required skills to successfully participate in the corresponding labs and/or projects.

#### Minimum standard

Two out of five points that can be scored in total per test.

Knowledge Random Signals  
Review of Probability and Random Variables  
Ensemble Averages  
Correlation Functions  
Stationary and Ergodic Processes  
Power Spectral Density  
Transmission of Random Signals over LTI Systems

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Knowledge Advanced Sampling Techniques  
Quantization and Encoding  
Sampling of Bandpass Signals  
Sampling of Random Signals  
Sample Rate Conversion  
Sample Rate Reduction by an Integer Factor  
Sample Rate Increase by an Integer Factor  
Sample Rate Conversion by a Rational Factor  
Oversampling and Noise Shaping

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Knowledge Optimum Linear Filters  
Linear Prediction  
The Wiener Filter  
Orthogonality Principle  
FIR Wiener Filter  
IIR Wiener Filter

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Knowledge Spectrum Estimation  
The Periodogram  
Window Functions  
Eigenanalysis Algorithms  
MUSIC Algorithm  
ESPRIT Algorithm

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Skills Students understand the fundamentals of discrete-time signals and systems

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Skills Students can analyse the frequency content of a given signal using the appropriate Fourier-Transform and methods for spectrum estimation

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Skills Analysis of discrete-time LTI Systems  
Students can calculate the output signal via convolution  
Students can determine the frequency response of a given system  
Students can characterize a given system in the frequency domain and in the z-domain

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Skills            Implementation of discrete-time LTI systems  
Students can implement the convolution sum in software  
Students can implement different structures for IIR systems in software  
Students can use the FFT to implement an FIR system

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Skills            Analyze effects of practical sampling  
Quantization noise  
Aliasing  
Trade-off pros and cons of advanced implementations like noise shaping

### Expenditure classroom teaching

Type	Attendance (h/Wk.)
Lecture	2
Exercises (whole course)	2
Exercises (shared course)	0
Tutorial (voluntary)	0

## – Practical training

### Learning goals

Goal type	Description
Knowledge	Review of Probability and Random Variables Moments, Averages and Distribution Functions
Knowledge	Random Signals Ensemble Averages Correlation Functions Stationary and Ergodic Processes Power Spectral Density Transmission of Random Signals over LTI Systems
Knowledge	Sampling Sampling and coding for speech and/or audio signals
Skills	Analysis of random variables by means of Mean and moments Distribution
Skills	Analysis of random signals Determine whether a given random signal is stationary or not Analyse whether a random signal contains discrete harmonic components by using the autocorrelation function by using the power spectral density
Skills	Combatting noise Remove or suppress high-frequency noise from low-pass signals
Skills	Ability to trade-off different methods for digital coding of speech and audio signals
Skills	Determine the quantization noise and the SNR for different sampling schemes

### Special requirements

none

**Accompanying material** Instructions for lab experiments as pdf-files

**Separate exam** Yes

### Separate exam

**Exam Type** EN praxisnahes Szenario bearbeiten (z.B. im Praktikum)

**Details** Successful solution of the lab problems and/or projects in small groups consisting of two students, in general. The corresponding midterm test from the lecture/tutorial needs to be passed as a prerequisite for participation in the lab.

**Minimum standard** Successful participation of all labs and/or the corresponding small projects. To pass the corresponding midterm test 2 out of 5 points have to be gained.

### Expenditure classroom teaching

Type	Attendance (h/Wk.)

Practical training	1
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Tutorial (voluntary)	0