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I. INTRODUCTION

The Walsh-Hadamard transform (WHT) and discrete Fourier transform (DFT) are widely used in signal processing [1], [2]. In particular, these transforms are used in image coding and processing [3] and error-control coding [4]–[6]. Variations of these two transforms, called the center weighted Hadamard transform (CWHT) and the complex reverse jacket transform (CRJT) have been reported [7]–[10]. The jacket transform is so named because it brings to mind a reversible jacket. Just as the jacket is easily reversed (turned inside out), so too the jacket matrix is easily inverted. The CWHT and CRJT can be seen as generalizations of the WHT. Recently, the CWHT and CRJT have been generalized to give a transform using the 2nth roots of unity, for any positive integer n [11]. In this paper we present a jacket transform (JT) which does not derive from the WHT or its generalizations.

In this section we briefly discuss the WHT, CWT and CRJT.

A. The WHT

Given a real vector $(a_0, a_1, \ldots, a_{n-1})$ of length $n = 2^m$, the transform vector is an *n*-length real vector $(A_0, A_1, \ldots, A_{n-1})$ given by

$$A_{j} = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (-1)^{\langle j,i \rangle} a_{i}$$
 (1)

for $0 \le j \le n-1$, where $\langle j, i \rangle$ is the modulo 2 inner product of j and i:

$$\langle j,i\rangle = j_{m-1}i_{m-1}\oplus j_{m-2}i_{m-2}\oplus\cdots\oplus j_0i_0.$$

(Here $\langle \langle i_{m-1}, i_{m-2}, \dots, i_0 \rangle \rangle$ is the binary representation of i, and \oplus denotes modulo two addition.)

The inverse transform is given by

$$a_j = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (-1)^{\langle j,i \rangle} A_i.$$

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B. The CWHT

The CWHT is obtained by weighting the center portion of the transform matrix given by (1). Thus the CWHT is given by

$$A_j = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (-1)^{\langle j,i \rangle} (w)^{(i_{r-1} \oplus i_{r-2})(j_{r-1} \oplus j_{r-2})} a_i \qquad (2)$$

where the weight w is any real number. The inverse transform is given by

$$a_{j} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (-1)^{\langle j,i \rangle} (w^{-1})^{(i_{r-1} \oplus i_{r-2})(j_{r-1} \oplus j_{r-2})} A_{i}$$

The 4×4 and the 8×8 CWHT are then

$$[W]_{4\times4} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -w & w & -1 \\ 1 & w & -w & -1 \\ 1 & -1 & -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
(3)

and

$$[W]_{8\times 8}$$

Observe that when we set w = 1, we get the WHT.

In [8], a class of transform called CRJT is constructed by setting the weight w equal to the complex number $j = \sqrt{-1}$. The CRJT is orthogonal and a fast algorithm to compute CRJT is given in [8]. We note for later reference that putting w = jin (3) and (4) yields the CRJT $[C]_{4\times 4}$ and $[C]_{8\times 8}$ respectively.

II. THE PROPOSED JACKET TRANSFORM

In [11], Lee *et al.* showed that the CRJT could be generalized to give a transform that used the complex 2nth roots of unity, where *n* is a positive integer. We look at a different set of jacket matrices due to a construction in [12] and present the corresponding transforms. These jacket transforms use the complex pth roots, where p is an odd prime. The resulting matrix is $2p \times 2p$. In this section we obtain this matrix, using a mixed-radix representation of integers between 0 and 2p-1.

Definition 1: Let $n \ge 2$ be an arbitrary positive integer. For any integer $i \in \{0, 1, ..., 2n - 1\}$, its mixed-radix representation $\langle \langle i_1, i_0 \rangle \rangle$ is given by $i = ni_1 + i_0$, where $i_1 \in \{0, 1\}$ and $i_0 \in \{0, 1, ..., n - 1\}$.

Definition 2: Let p be an odd prime, and let α denote a primitive pth root of unity on the complex circle. For any real or complex 2p-length vector $(a_0, a_1, \ldots, a_{2p-1})$ the transformed vector $(A_0, A_1, \ldots, A_{2p-1})$ is given by

$$A_j = \sum_{i=0}^{2p-1} (-1)^{j_1 i_1} \alpha^{\phi(p,j)\phi(p,i)} a_i$$
(5)

where $\phi(p, j) = pj_1 + (1 - j_1)j_0 + j_1(p - 1 - j_0)$ and $\langle \langle j_1, j_0 \rangle \rangle$ and $\langle \langle i_1, i_0 \rangle \rangle$ are the mixed-radix representation of j and i respectively.

It is easily verified that the inverse transform is given by

$$a_j = \frac{1}{2p} \sum_{i=0}^{2p-1} (-1)^{j_1 i_1} \alpha^{-\phi(p,j)\phi(p,i)} A_i.$$

Example 1: Let p = 3. Then $\alpha = e^{\sqrt{-1}(2\pi/3)}$. The transform matrix and inverse matrix corresponding to Definition 2 are

$$[M]_{6\times 6} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha & \alpha^2 & \alpha^2 & \alpha & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha^2 & \alpha & \alpha & \alpha^2 & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha^2 & \alpha & -\alpha & -\alpha^2 & -1 \\ 1 & \alpha & \alpha^2 & -\alpha^2 & -\alpha & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$
(6)

and

$$[M]_{6\times 6}^{-1} = \frac{1}{6} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha^2 & \alpha & \alpha & \alpha^2 & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha & \alpha^2 & \alpha^2 & \alpha & 1 \\ 1 & \alpha & \alpha^2 & -\alpha^2 & -\alpha & -1 \\ 1 & \alpha^2 & \alpha & -\alpha & -\alpha^2 & -1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & -1 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}.$$
(7)

Example 2: Let p = 5. Then $\alpha = e^{\sqrt{-1}(2\pi/5)}$. The transform matrix corresponding to Definition 1 is

$$[M]_{10 \times 10} =$$

and the inverse matrix is also easily calculated.

We can further generalize this jacket transform to size $2^{\ell}p$, where p is an odd prime and ℓ is a positive integer. To do so, we need the following more general definition of mixed-radix representation of integers.

Definition 3: Let $N = 2^t n$, where t and n are positive integers. For any integer $i \in \{0, 1, ..., N - 1\}$, its mixedradix representation $\langle \langle i_t, i_{t-1}, ..., i_1, i_0 \rangle \rangle$ is given by

$$i = i_t (n2^{t-1}) + i_{t-1} 2^{t-1} + i_{t-2} 2^{t-2} + \dots + i_1 2 + i_0,$$

where $i_k \in \{0,1\}$ for $0 \le k \le t$, $k \ne t-1$ and $i_{t-1} \in \{0,1,\ldots,N-1\}$.

Definition 4: Let $N = 2^{\ell}p$, where p is an odd prime and ℓ is a positive integer, and let α be a primitive pth root of unity on the complex circle. For any real or complex valued N-length vector $(a_0, a_1, \ldots, a_{2p-1})$, the transformed vector $(A_0, A_1, \ldots, A_{2p-1})$ is given by

$$A_j = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} (-1)^{\ll j, i \gg} \alpha^{\varphi(p,j)\varphi(p,i)} a_i \tag{9}$$

where $\varphi(p, j) = p j_{\ell} + (1 - j_{\ell}) j_{\ell-1} + j_{\ell} (p - 1 - j_{\ell-1})$ and $\ll j, i \gg = j_{\ell} i_{\ell} \oplus j_{\ell-2} i_{\ell-2} \oplus j_{\ell-3} i_{\ell-3} \oplus \cdots \oplus j_1 i_1 \oplus j_0 i_0$

with $\langle \langle j_{\ell}, \ldots, j_1, j_0 \rangle \rangle$ and $\langle \langle i_{\ell}, \ldots, i_1, i_0 \rangle \rangle$ the mixed-radix representation of j and i respectively.

It is easy to verify that the inverse transform is given by

$$a_j = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} (-1)^{j_1 i_1} (-1)^{\ll j, i \gg} \alpha^{-\varphi(p, j)\varphi(p, i)} A_i.$$

We observe that the JT given by Definitions 2 and 4 are orthogonal.

Lastly, we remark that the ratio of the number of weighted elements to the total number of elements is

$$\frac{2t(n-1)}{2^t n},$$

where $N = 2^t n = 2^\ell p$. Here t and n are the numbers used to form the mixed-radix representation. For a fixed N, different choices of t and n give different mixed-radix representations, and so yield different JT. Thus the ratio depends on our choice of t and n.

A. The Jacket Transform Over Finite Fields

In this section, we discuss the applicability of the new JT over finite fields and its usefulness to construct codes. We show how this new class of JT may be constructed over finite fields. In turn, the JT may be used to construct codes, though we do not give details of code construction here.

Definition 3: Let $N = 2^{\ell}n$, where ℓ, n are positive integers. Let T be a jacket transform of vectors of length N, with T using the rth root of unity over the complex circle (denoted α). Also let F_q be a finite field with q elements, where 2r and q are relatively prime, and F_{q^m} be an extension field of F_q where m is the least integer such that r divides $q^m - 1$ and $rh = q^m - 1$. Let γ be a primitive element of F_{q^m} . Then the element γ^h , which we denote by β , has order r. We modify the

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jacket transform T by putting β in place of α . The resulting transform T' is a transform of vectors of length N over F_q .

Example 3: We begin by considering the CRJT $[C]_{4\times 4}$. This is a jacket transform using the fourth roots of unity on the complex circle. Thus we have N = 4, n = 2, $\ell = 1$ and r = 4. We choose q = 5. Then m = 2 and h = 6. We construct F_{5^2} with the prime polynomial $x^2 + x + 1$. Thus the elements of the field are the set {00, 10, 20, 30, 40, 01, 11, 21, 31, 41, 02, 12, 22, 32, 42, 03, 13, 23, 33, 43, 04, 14, 24, 34, 44}, where ab = a + bx and $a, b \in F_5$. The element 13 is primitive, so we take $\gamma = 13$. Then $\beta = \gamma^6 = 20$, $\beta^2 = 40$ and $\beta^3 = 30$. The transform matrix of the resulting JT is

$$[F]_{4\times4} = \begin{vmatrix} 10 & 10 & 10 & 10 \\ 10 & 30 & 20 & 40 \\ 10 & 20 & 30 & 40 \\ 10 & 40 & 40 & 10 \end{vmatrix} .$$
 (10)

Likewise, $[C]_{8\times 8}$ is a JT using the fourth roots of unity over the complex circle. We have N = 8, n = 2, $\ell = 2$ and r = 4. We can again choose q = 5, yielding m = 2 and h = 6. So the field and the choice of γ are as in the previous paragraph. The modified JT will have the following transform matrix:

Example 4: We take the JT with transform matrix (6). It uses the cube roots of unity over the complex circle. We have N = 6, n = 3, $\ell = 1$ and r = 3. We can again choose q = 5, with m = 2 and h = 8. We are still using F_{5^2} , as constructed in Example 3, with $\gamma = 13$. But now $\beta = \gamma^8 = 44$ and $\beta^2 = 01$. So the resulting JT has the transform matrix

$$[F]_{6\times 6} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 10 & 10 & 10 & 10 & 10 \\ 10 & 44 & 01 & 01 & 44 & 10 \\ 10 & 01 & 44 & 44 & 01 & 10 \\ 10 & 01 & 44 & 11 & 04 & 40 \\ 10 & 44 & 01 & 04 & 11 & 40 \\ 10 & 10 & 10 & 40 & 40 & 40 \end{bmatrix}.$$
(12)

Example 5: We take the JT with transform matrix (8). We have N = 10, $\ell = 1$, n = 5 and r = 5. We choose q = 3, giving m = 4 and h = 16. We construct F_{34} with the polynomial $x^4 + x + 2$. (We omit the elements of the field for brevity.) The element $\gamma = 0100$ is primitive, where $abcd = a + bx + cx^2 + dx^3$. Then $\beta = \gamma^{16} = 2102$, $\beta^2 = 2021$, $\beta^3 = 2220$ and $\beta^4 = 2002$. The resulting transform matrix is (13).

III. CONCLUSION

In this paper, we have presented a new class of jacket transform that uses the complex pth root of unity, where p is any odd prime. We have also shown how to construct these transforms over finite fields. The applications of these transforms to image processing, error control coding and sequences have been cited.

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