

Fourier Techniques

Chapters 2 & 3, Part I

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Fourier Technique Review:

Complex Exponential Fourier Series

- Complex Exponential Fourier Series
Consider a signal $x(t)$, $t_0 \leq t \leq t_0 + T_0$
- $x(t)$ satisfies Dirichlet conditions:
 - a) $x(t)$ has only a finite number of maxima & minima.
 - b) The number of discontinuities must be finite.
 - c) The discontinuities must be bounded.

Complex Exponential Fourier Series...

- Then,

$$x(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t} \quad t_0 \leq t \leq t_0 + T_0$$

$$X_n = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T} x(t) e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt$$

Complex Exponential Fourier Series...

- This complex exponential Fourier series represent $x(t)$ exactly, except at a point of jump discontinuity where it converges to the arithmetic mean of the left- and right-hand limits
- Dirichlet conditions are sufficient conditions, not necessary conditions.
- Outside the interval, nothing is guaranteed
- All of the periodic functions in practice obey Dirichlet conditions

Sufficient Condition and Necessary Condition

- Condition and Statement
- Sufficient condition (s.c.): If s.c. is satisfied, it is guaranteed that the statement holds. (if)
 - If s.c. is not satisfied, it is not clear if the statement holds.
- Necessary condition (n.c.): If the statement holds, it is necessary that n.c. holds. (only if)
 - If n.c. holds, it is not clear if the statement holds.
- Some condition is necessary and sufficient (if and only if (iff)).

Complex Exponential Fourier Series...

- The above complex exponential Fourier series (slide 3) can be viewed as a complete orthonormal series expansion

$$\phi_n(t) = e^{jn\omega_0 t} \quad n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$$

⇒ The complex exponential Fourier series are unique:

- If one finds a F.S. for $x(t)$ then there is no other F.S. expansion for $x(t)$

Orthogonality

- Definition
- A set of M signals

$$y_1(t), y_2(t), \dots, y_M(t)$$

is said to be orthogonal, if

$$\int_0^{T_b} y_i(t)y_j(t)dt = \begin{cases} c & i = j \\ 0 & i \neq j \end{cases}$$

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Example: Sinusoidal function – $\sin(k \cdot \omega t)$

An orthogonal signal

- One example of M orthogonal signals

$$y_k(t) = \begin{cases} \sin \frac{2\pi kt}{T_b} & 0 < t < T_b \quad k = 1, 2, \dots, M \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

In the set, M different frequencies are:

$$k \frac{1}{T_b} : \frac{1}{T_b}, \frac{2}{T_b}, \dots, \frac{M}{T_b}$$

Note: Integration of $\sin^2(x) \neq 0$ in 2π , integration of $\sin(x)\sin(2x) = 0$ in 2π .

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Complex Exponential Fourier Series Coefficients: Time average

- $$X_n = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt$$

- Define the time average as

$$\langle v(t) \rangle = \begin{cases} \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T v(t) dt & \text{If } v(t) \text{ not periodic} \\ \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} v(t) dt & \text{If } v(t) \text{ periodic} \end{cases}$$

Complex Exponential Fourier Series Coefficients: Time average ...

- $$X_0 = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) dt = \langle x(t) \rangle$$

= the time average of $x(t)$, or dc value of $x(t)$

$$X_n = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) \cos n\omega_0 t dt - j \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) \sin n\omega_0 t dt$$

$$= \langle x(t) \cos n\omega_0 t \rangle - j \langle x(t) \sin n\omega_0 t \rangle$$

Complex Exponential Fourier Series Coefficients: Symmetry

- If $x(t)$ is real, then

$$X_n^* = X_{-n}$$

According to definition
Also can be seen from above

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} X_n = |X_n| e^{j\angle X_n} \\ X_{-n} = |X_{-n}| e^{j\angle X_{-n}} \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} |X_n| = |X_{-n}| \\ \angle X_n = -\angle X_{-n} \end{array} \right\}$$

\Rightarrow Magnitude: Even symmetry
Phase angle: Odd symmetry

Complex Exponential Fourier series Coefficients: Symmetry ...

- If $x(t)$ is real and even, i.e., $x(t) = x(-t)$

$$X_n = \langle x(t) \cos n\omega_0 t \rangle$$

$$\therefore \langle \underbrace{x(t) \sin n\omega_0 t}_{\text{odd function}} \rangle = 0$$

(An odd function of t taking integration in an even interval with respect to $t=0$ axis.)

X_n is real

X_n is even w.r.t. n

Complex Exponential Fourier series Coefficients: Symmetry ...

- If $x(t)$ is real and odd, i.e., $x(t) = -x(-t)$

$$X_n = -j \langle x(t) \sin n \omega_0 t \rangle \neq 0 \quad \text{Imaginary, odd function of } n$$

$$\because \left\langle \underbrace{x(t) \cos n \omega_0 t}_{\text{odd}} \right\rangle = 0$$

(An odd function of t taking integration in an even interval with respect to $t=0$ axis.)

Fourier Technique Review: Trigonometric Form of Fourier Series

- **Compact form** of trigonometric FS (also referred to as **Polar form** FS)

$$x(t) = X_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2|X_n| \cos(n\omega_0 t + \angle X_n)$$

$x(t)$ is real

X_n is Fourier Coefficient

Trigonometric Form of Fourier Series (continue)

• Quadrature form of FS

$$x(t) = \frac{A_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \cos n\omega_0 t + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n \sin n\omega_0 t$$

$$A_n = \frac{2}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) \cos(n\omega_0 t) dt, \quad n = 0, 1, \dots$$

$$B_n = \frac{2}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) \sin(n\omega_0 t) dt, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$$

$$\left(X_0 = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) dt = \frac{A_0}{2} \right)$$

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Trigonometric Form of Fourier Series

- In either the trigonometric or the complex exponential form of the F.S.
 - X_0 : the average of $x(t)$
(or dc component of $x(t)$)
 - X_1 : the fundamental component
 - X_2 : the second harmonic component
 - X_3 : the third harmonic component
 - \vdots
- Meaning

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Trigonometric Form of Fourier Series (derivation from complex exponential form)

$$\begin{aligned}
 x(t) &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t} \\
 &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |X_n| e^{j\angle X_n} (\cos n\omega_0 t + j \sin n\omega_0 t) \quad (\because \text{Euler formula}) \\
 &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[|X_n| \cos \angle X_n + j |X_n| \sin \angle X_n \right] (\cos n\omega_0 t + j \sin n\omega_0 t) \\
 &\quad + \sum_{n=-1}^{-\infty} \left[|X_n| \cos \angle X_n + j |X_n| \sin \angle X_n \right] (\cos n\omega_0 t + j \sin n\omega_0 t) + X_0
 \end{aligned}$$

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If $x(t)$ is real, $\Rightarrow |X_n|$ is even, $\angle X_n$ is odd, w.r.t. n

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow x(t) &= X_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[|X_n| \cos \angle X_n \cos n\omega_0 t - |X_n| \sin \angle X_n \sin n\omega_0 t \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + j |X_n| \sin \angle X_n \cos n\omega_0 t + j |X_n| \cos \angle X_n \sin n\omega_0 t \right] \\
 &\quad + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[|X_n| \cos \angle X_n \cos n\omega_0 t - |X_n| \sin \angle X_n \sin n\omega_0 t \right. \\
 &\quad \left. - j |X_n| \sin \angle X_n \cos n\omega_0 t - j |X_n| \cos \angle X_n \sin n\omega_0 t \right] \\
 &= X_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2|X_n| \left[\cos \angle X_n \cos n\omega_0 t - \sin \angle X_n \sin n\omega_0 t \right] \\
 &= X_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2|X_n| \cos (n\omega_0 t + \angle X_n)
 \end{aligned}$$

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A formula in derivation

$$\begin{aligned} & \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2|X_n| \cos(n\omega_0 t + \angle X_n) \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2|X_n| \frac{e^{jn\omega_0 t + j\angle X_n} + e^{-jn\omega_0 t - j\angle X_n}}{2} \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |X_n| e^{jn\omega_0 t} e^{j\angle X_n} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |X_n| e^{-jn\omega_0 t} e^{-j\angle X_n} \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} X_{-n} e^{-jn\omega_0 t} \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t} + \sum_{n=-\infty}^{-1} X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t} \end{aligned}$$

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Definition of Sinc Function

$$\text{sinc}(x) = \frac{\sin(x)}{x}$$

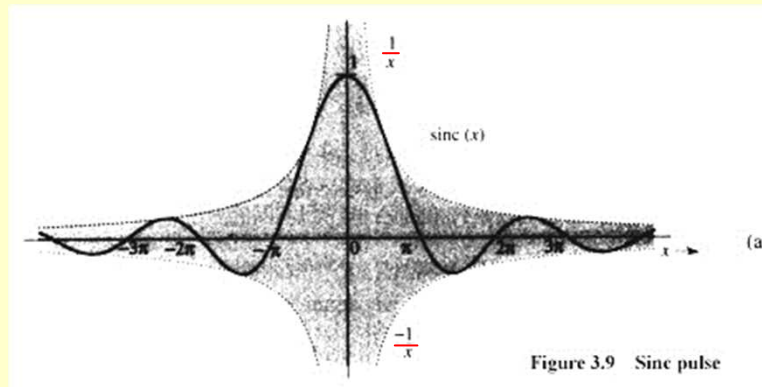
- Also, called interpolating function.
- Even function of x .
- Equal to 0 as $x \neq 0$ & $\sin x = 0$
($\sin x = 0$ for $x = n\pi$ as n is an integer).
- Note that $\text{sinc}(0) = 1$ due to L'Hopital's rule.
- $\text{sinc}(x)$ exhibits sinusoidal oscillations with amplitude decreasing continuously as $1/x$.

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Figure of $\text{sinc}(x)$



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Example: Rectangle function and its FS

- General form:

$$\underline{\Pi}(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & |t| < \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
$$\Pi\left(\frac{t}{\tau}\right) = \begin{cases} 1 & |t| < \frac{\tau}{2} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- Most general form: A , t_0 , τ

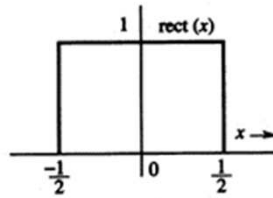
$$A\Pi\left(\frac{t-t_0}{\tau}\right)$$

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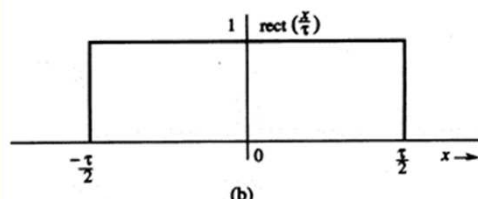
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Figure of rect(t)



(a)

Figure 3.7 Gate pulse.



(b)

Figure 3.7 Gate pulse.

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$$\begin{aligned}
 \underline{X_n} &= \frac{1}{1} \int_{-1/2}^{1/2} \Pi(t) \cdot e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt \\
 &= \int_{-1/2}^{1/2} (\cos(-n\omega_0 t) + j \sin(-n\omega_0 t)) dt \\
 &= 2 \int_0^{1/2} \cos(n\omega_0 t) dt = 2 \frac{\sin n\omega_0 t}{n\omega_0} \Big|_0^{1/2} \\
 &= 2 \frac{\sin 2\pi n t}{2\pi n} \Big|_0^{1/2} = \frac{\sin(\pi n)}{\pi n} = \underline{\sin c(\pi n)}
 \end{aligned}$$

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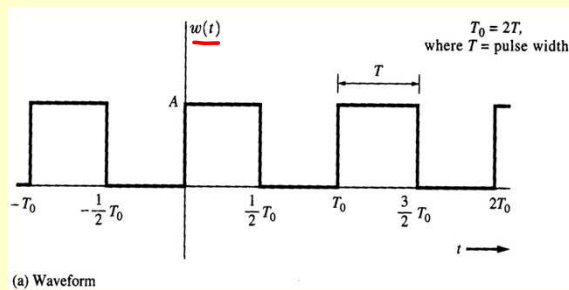
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Rectangle (window) function and its FS

- When $n=0$, $X_0=1$.
- When $n \neq 0$, $X_n = 0$.
- These make sense for $rect(t)$, don't they?

Spectrum (FS) of A Rectangular Pulse Train

- The pulse train is a signal of great interest in digital communications
 - A periodic sequential of rectangular pulses



Spectrum of the Rectangle Pulse Train ...

- Its complex Fourier series coefficient

$$X_n = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0/2} A e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt = j \frac{AT_0}{2\pi n} (e^{-jn\pi} - 1)$$

$$X_n = \frac{A}{T_0} V(nf_0) = \frac{A}{2} e^{-jn\pi/2} \frac{\sin(n\pi/2)}{n\pi/2}$$

where $V(f)$ is the Fourier Transform of a period of $w(t)$ [which is a rectangle].

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$$X_n = \begin{cases} \frac{A}{2}, & n = 0 \\ -j \frac{A}{n\pi}, & n = \text{odd} \\ 0, & n = \text{even} \end{cases}$$

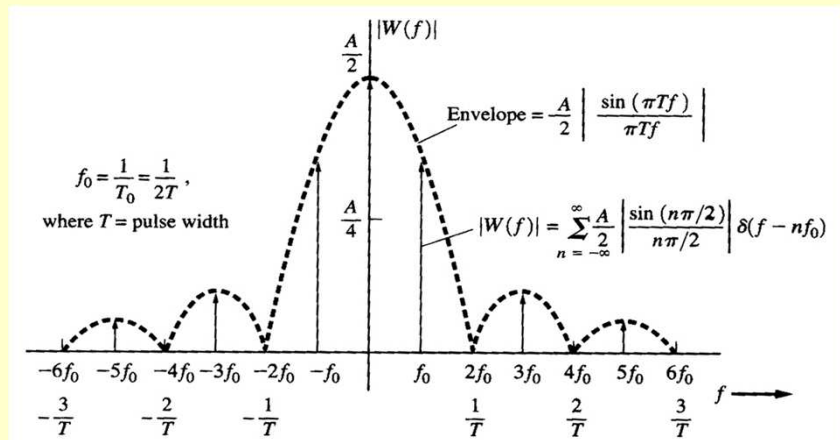
$$W(f) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{n=\infty} c_n \delta(f - nf_0)$$

- Line spectrum of periodic functions

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(b) Magnitude Spectrum

Figure 2-12 Periodic rectangular wave used in Example 2-12.

Magnitudes of FS coefficients, C_n , of the periodic signal $w(t)$

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**One Theorem:
Line Spectra for A Periodic Signal**

- If $w(t)$ is a periodic signal with period T_0 , then its spectrum (Fourier transform) is:

$$W(f) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{n=\infty} X_n \delta(f - nf_0)$$

- where $f_0 = 1/T_0$, and X_n are complex exponential FS coefficients, and δ is a unit impulse function.

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Another Theorem: FS Coefficients of A Periodic Signal

- If $w(t)$ is a periodic signal with period , T_0 , and

$$w(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{n=\infty} v(t - nT_0) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{n=\infty} X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t}$$

where

$$v(t) = \begin{cases} w(t), & |t| < \frac{T_0}{2} \\ 0, & t \text{ elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

then $X_n = f_0 V(nf_0)$, $V(f) = FT\{v(t)\}$, and $f_0 = 1/T_0$.

- Please read yourself
 - Text, page 50, Example 2.8, Figure 2.22
 - Text, page 52, Example 2.9, Figure 2.24

Fourier Transform

- Definition

$$\begin{cases} x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f) e^{j2\pi ft} df & IFT \\ X(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) e^{-j2\pi ft} dt & FT \end{cases}$$

- Comment:

- Compare the pair of formulae with that of FS ([the next slide](#))
- Note the similarity

Recall: Complex Exponential Fourier Series...

$$x(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t} \quad t_0 \leq t \leq t_0 + T_0$$

$$X_n = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T} x(t) e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt$$

Fourier Transform...

- Dirichlet's Conditions

1. Single-valued with a finite number of maxima and minima
2. A finite number of discontinuities in any finite time interval
3. Absolutely integrable, i.e., $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)| dt < \infty$

They are sufficient conditions for a signal to have a FT.

Fourier Transform...

- Loosely speaking, from Figure 2.12 (page 29), one can see

– When $T_0 \uparrow \Rightarrow \frac{1}{T_0} \downarrow, \Rightarrow$ line spectra, denser

– When $T_0 \rightarrow \infty,$ line spectra \rightarrow continuous

– Implies: FT of unit rectangle function \rightarrow sinc function

* Beginning of Ch3 in text contains a good description on this.

Amplitude & Phase Spectra

- $x(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} X(f)$ Spectrum

$$X(f) = |X(f)|e^{j\theta(f)}$$

Complex in general, even $x(t)$ is real.

- $|X(f)|$: Amplitude Spectrum
- $\theta(f) = \angle X(f)$: Phase Spectrum

Amplitude & Phase Spectra: Symmetry

- If $x(t)$ is real, $|X(f)|$ is even

$$\text{i.e., } |X(f)| = |X(-f)|$$

$\theta(f)$ is odd

$$\text{i.e., } \theta(f) = -\theta(-f)$$

just similar to the symmetry of FS Coefficients.

Amplitude & Phase Spectra: Symmetry ...

- $$\because R_e X(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) \cos(2\pi ft) dt \quad \text{Even w.r.t. } f$$

$$I_m X(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) \sin(2\pi ft) dt \quad \text{Odd w.r.t. } f$$

$$|X(f)| = \sqrt{[R_e X(f)]^2 + [I_m X(f)]^2} \quad \text{Even w.r.t. } f$$

$$\theta(f) = \text{arctg} \frac{I_m X(f)}{R_e X(f)} \quad \text{Odd w.r.t. } f$$

$\underbrace{\qquad\qquad\qquad}_{\text{odd}}$
 $\underbrace{\qquad\qquad\qquad}_{\text{odd}}$

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Symmetry Properties ...

- If $x(t)$ is real and even, [$x(t) = x(-t)$, even of t]

then $X(f)$ is real & even [$X(f) = X(-f)$ even of f]

$$\because \text{Re } X(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \underbrace{x(t) \cos(2\pi ft)}_{\text{even of } t} dt, \quad \text{even of } f$$

$$\text{Im } X(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \underbrace{x(t) \sin(2\pi ft)}_{\text{odd of } t} dt = 0$$

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Symmetry Properties ...

- If $x(t)$ is real and odd, [$x(t) = -x(-t)$, odd of t]

then $X(f)$ is imaginary, odd of f .

$$\therefore \operatorname{Re} X(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \underbrace{x(t)}_{\text{odd of } t} \underbrace{\cos(2\pi ft)}_{\text{even of } t} dt = 0$$

$$\operatorname{Im} X(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \underbrace{x(t)}_{\text{odd of } t} \underbrace{\sin(2\pi ft)}_{\text{even of } t} dt, \quad \text{odd of } f$$

Example

- $x(t) = A \Pi\left(\frac{t-t_0}{\tau}\right)$

$$\frac{t}{\tau} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow t = \frac{\tau}{2}$$

$$-\frac{t}{\tau} = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow t = -\frac{\tau}{2}$$

- \Rightarrow Consider $t_0 = 0$ temporarily

$$FT\{X(T)\} = A \left[\int_{-\frac{\tau}{2}}^{\frac{\tau}{2}} \cos(2\pi ft) dt - j \int_{-\frac{\tau}{2}}^{\frac{\tau}{2}} \sin(2\pi ft) dt \right]$$

$$= 2A \frac{\sin(2\pi ft) \Big|_0^{\frac{\tau}{2}}}{2\pi f} = A \frac{\sin(2\pi f \frac{\tau}{2})}{\pi f}$$

$$= A\tau \frac{\sin(\pi f \tau)}{\pi f \tau} = A\tau \text{sinc}(\pi f \tau)$$

After using the shift property of FT

i.e., (time-delay property of FT (a few slides later))

we can have:

$$X(f) = A\tau \text{sinc}(\pi f \tau) e^{-j2\pi ft_0}$$

Convolution

- Definition $x(t) = x_1(t) * x_2(t)$
$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x_1(\lambda)x_2(t-\lambda)d\lambda$$
$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x_1(t-\lambda)x_2(\lambda)d\lambda$$

A special type of integration.

t: is a parameter as far as the integration is concerned.

Convolution ...

- For a linear system: $x(t) \rightarrow \boxed{h(t)} \rightarrow y(t)$

$$y(t) = h(t) * x(t)$$

- The integrand is formed from x_1 and x_2 by three operations:
 1. Time reversal to $x_1(-\lambda)$ or $x_2(-\lambda)$
 2. Time shifting to obtain $x_1(t-\lambda)$ or $x_2(t-\lambda)$
 3. Multiplication of $x_1(\lambda)$ and $x_2(t-\lambda)$
or $x_1(t-\lambda)$ and $x_2(\lambda)$

Convolution ...

- Graphical analysis to determine
 - Different stages
 - Different integration limits
 - Not an easy job
- Fourier Transform Technique
 - Make it easier in the transformed domain
 - Also called frequency domain

Convolution Theorem

$$x_1(t) * x_2(t) \leftrightarrow X_1(f)X_2(f)$$

where

$$x_1(t) \leftrightarrow X_1(f)$$

$$x_2(t) \leftrightarrow X_2(f)$$

Linearity of FT (Superposition Theorem)

- $a_1x_1(t) + a_2x_2(t) \leftrightarrow a_1X_1(f) + a_2X_2(f)$

where a_1, a_2 are constants

$$x_1(t) \leftrightarrow X_1(f)$$

$$x_2(t) \leftrightarrow X_2(f)$$

- Proof: From definition of FT

Time-Delay Theorem

- $x(t - t_0) \leftrightarrow X(f)e^{-j2\pi ft_0}$

where $x(t) \leftrightarrow X(f)$

- Proof: From definition of FT

Scale-Change Theorem

- $x(at) \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{|a|} X\left(\frac{f}{a}\right)$

- Proof: if $a > 0$
if $a < 0$

(Using variable substitute and def. of FT)

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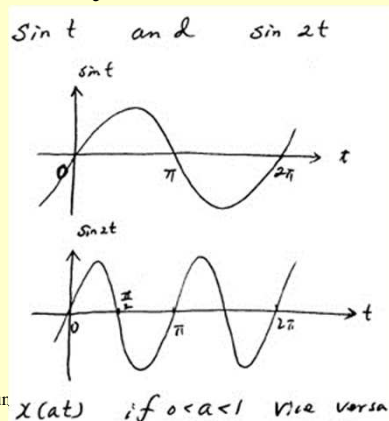
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Scale-Change Theorem...

- Meaning: $x(at)$, if $a > 1$, the diagram (graph) of $x(at)$ is shrunk by a time.

- $\sin t$ and $\sin 2t$



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Duality Theorem

- If $x(t) \leftrightarrow X(f)$
then $X(t) \leftrightarrow x(-f)$
- **Proof:** From definition

$$\begin{aligned} FT\{X(t)\} &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(t)e^{-j2\pi ft} dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(t)e^{-j2\pi(-f)t} dt \\ &= x(-f) \\ &\quad \uparrow \\ &\quad IFT \\ &\quad -f = f' \end{aligned}$$

Frequency Translation Theorem

- $x(t)e^{j2\pi f_0 t} \leftrightarrow X(f - f_0)$
- **Proof:** From definition of IFT

Modulation Theorem

$$x(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t) \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{2} X(f - f_0) + \frac{1}{2} X(f + f_0)$$

- Proof:

$$x(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t) = x(t) \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot [e^{-j2\pi f_0 t} + e^{j2\pi f_0 t}]$$

Using Frequency translation theorem

Differentiation Theorem

$$\frac{d^n x(t)}{dt^n} \leftrightarrow (j2\pi f)^n X(f)$$

Integration Theorem

$$\int_{-\infty}^t x(\lambda) d\lambda \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{j2\pi f} X(f) + \frac{1}{2} X(0)\delta(f)$$

Singularity Functions

- An important subclass of aperiodic signals.
- Two will be introduced:
 - $\delta(t)$: the unit impulse function.
 - $u(t)$: the unit step function.

The Unit Impulse Function “the delta function”

- Definition 1: $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)\delta(t-t_0)dt = x(t_0) = x(t)|_{t=t_0}$

$x(t)$ is a continuous function at $t = t_0$

This property is called the *sifting property*

- Definition 2:

$$\begin{cases} \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \delta(t-t_0)dt = 1 & t_1 < t_0 < t_2 \\ \delta(t-t_0) = 0 & t \neq t_0 \end{cases}$$

The Unit Impulse Function “the delta function”...

- Definition 3: $\lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} f(t) = \delta(t)$

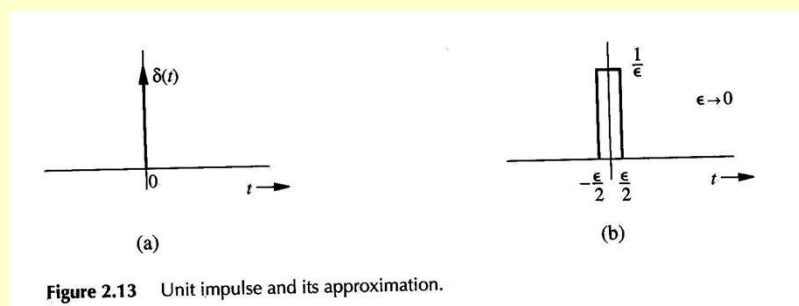


Figure 2.13 Unit impulse and its approximation.

- Any signal function having a unit area and zero width in the limit as some parameter approaches zero is a suitable representation for $\delta(t)$.
- Examples: triangle function.

Time domain Freq. domain

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \delta(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} 1 \\ 1 \xleftrightarrow{FT} \delta(-f) = \delta(f) \end{array} \right.$$

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Another way to say the above two relations:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \delta(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{j2\pi ft} df \\ \delta(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-j2\pi ft} dt \end{array} \right.$$

One more important formula:

$$\phi(t)\delta(t) = \phi(0)\delta(t)$$

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Spectrum of a Sinusoid

- Consider $x(t) = A \cos(2\pi f_0 t)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{FT: } X(f) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{A}{2} (e^{j2\pi f_0 t} + e^{-j2\pi f_0 t}) \cdot e^{-j2\pi f t} dt \\ &= \frac{A}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (e^{-j2\pi(f-f_0)t} + e^{-j2\pi(f+f_0)t}) \cdot dt \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \delta(f) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-j2\pi f t} dt \\ \therefore X(f) &= \frac{A}{2} [\delta(f - f_0) + \delta(f + f_0)] \end{aligned}$$

- For $y(t) = A \sin(2\pi f_0 t)$

$$Y(f) = \frac{A}{2j} [\delta(f - f_0) - \delta(f + f_0)]$$

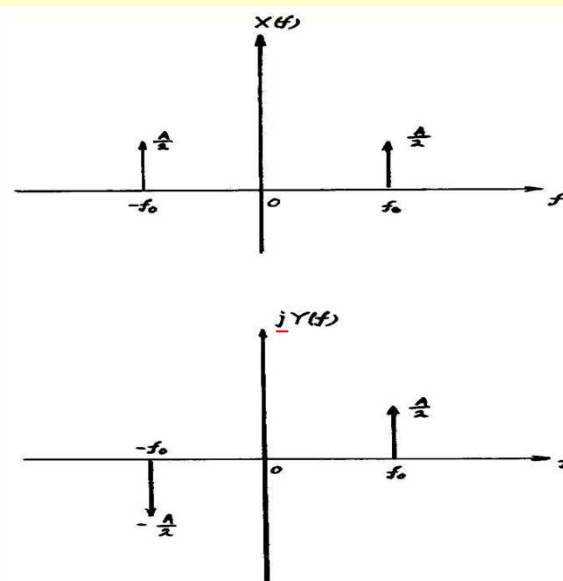
$$\therefore Y(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{A}{2j} [e^{j2\pi f_0 t} - e^{-j2\pi f_0 t}] \cdot e^{-j2\pi f t} dt$$

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FT of $\cos x$ and $\sin y$



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- Convolution of a function with a unit impulse function = the original function

$$\therefore x(t) \leftrightarrow X(f)$$

$$\text{and } \delta(t) \leftrightarrow 1$$

$$\therefore x(t) * \delta(t) \stackrel{FT}{\leftrightarrow} X(f)$$

$$\text{i.e., } x(t) * \delta(t) = x(t)$$

Similarly, in frequency domain:

$$\Rightarrow X(f) * \delta(f) = X(f)$$

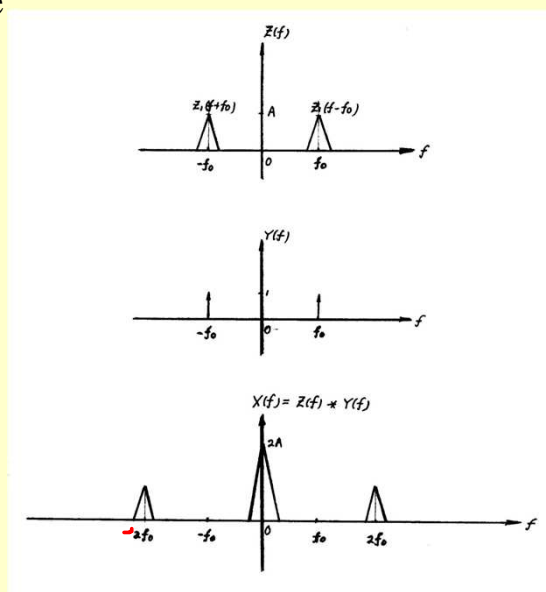
$$X(f) * \delta(f - f_0) = X(f - f_0)$$

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Example



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$$\begin{aligned}
&\because [Z_1(f - f_0) + Z_1(f + f_0)] * [\delta(f - f_0) + \delta(f + f_0)] \\
&= Z_1(f - f_0) * \delta(f - f_0) + \underline{Z_1(f - f_0) * \delta(f + f_0)} \\
&+ \underline{Z_1(f + f_0) * \delta(f - f_0)} + Z_1(f + f_0) * \delta(f + f_0) \\
&= \underline{2Z_1(f)} + Z_1(f - 2f_0) + Z_1(f + 2f_0)
\end{aligned}$$

Unit Step Function $u(t)$

$$u(t) \stackrel{\Delta}{=} \int_{-\infty}^t \delta(\lambda) d\lambda = \begin{cases} 0, & t < 0 \\ 1, & t > 0 \\ \text{undefined} & t = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\delta(t) = \frac{du(t)}{dt}$$

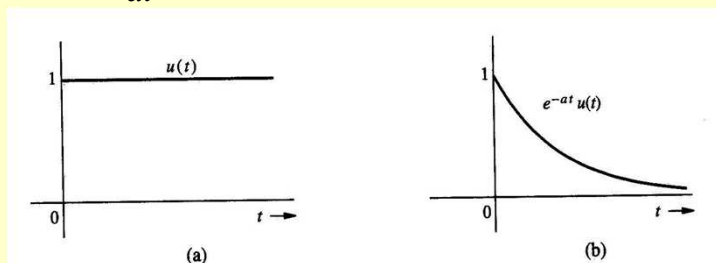


Figure 2.14 (a) Unit step function $u(t)$. (b) Causal exponential $e^{-at}u(t)$.

- The unit rectangular pulse can be defined as:

$$\Pi(t) = u\left(t + \frac{1}{2}\right) - u\left(t - \frac{1}{2}\right)$$

Multiplication Theorem

$$x_1(t)x_2(t) \leftrightarrow X_1(f) * X_2(f)$$

Examples

- Example 1

Since, $A\Pi\left(\frac{t}{\tau}\right) \leftrightarrow A\tau \operatorname{sinc}(f\tau)$ duality

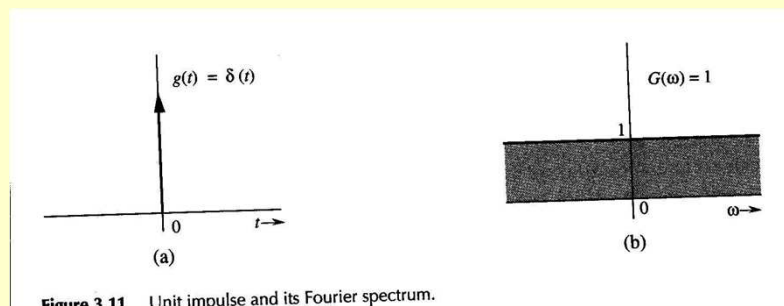
$$\therefore A\tau \operatorname{sinc}(f\tau) \leftrightarrow A\Pi\left(\frac{-f}{\tau}\right)$$

$$= A\Pi\left(\frac{f}{\tau}\right)$$

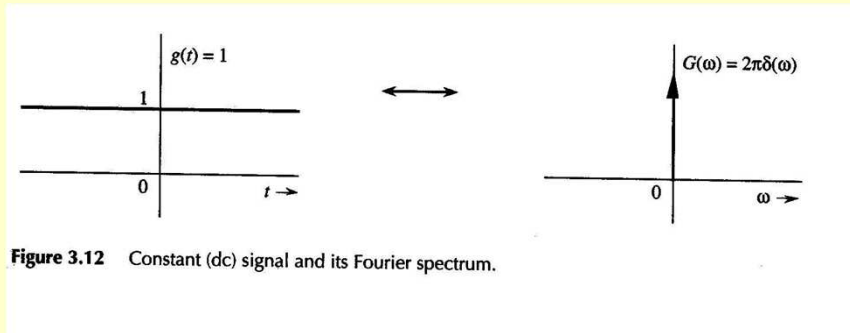
Examples

- Example 2:

1. $A\delta(t) \leftrightarrow A$ [or, $\delta(t) \leftrightarrow 1$] linearity



2. $A\delta(t-t_0) \leftrightarrow Ae^{-j2\pi ft_0}$ time delay
3. $A \leftrightarrow A\delta(f)$ [or, $1 \leftrightarrow \delta(f)$] linearity



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4. $Ae^{j2\pi f_0 t} \leftrightarrow A\delta(f-f_0)$ frequency translation

• Proof:

$$1. \quad FT\{\delta(t)\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t)e^{-j2\pi ft} dt = e^{-j2\pi f \cdot 0} = 1$$

$$2. \quad 1 \leftrightarrow \delta(-f) = \delta(f), \quad (\delta(f): \text{ even function})$$

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Summary

- Fourier series:
 - Complex exponential series
 - Trigonometric series: compact and quadrature
 - Properties
- Fourier transform
 - Definition
 - Properties
- Special functions: sinc, rect, delta, step
- Others:
 - Orthogonality
 - Dirichlet conditions
 - Some techniques in mathematical manipulation
- Tables 3.1 and Table 3.2