

Fourier Transform

synthesis

analysis

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} X(\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega \quad X(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

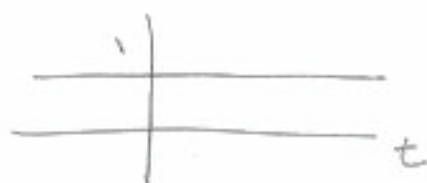
Examples of Fourier Transform

$$x(t) = \delta(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} X(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \delta(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt = 1$$



white noise
"rain drops" or "wind molecules"

$$x(t) = 1 \xleftrightarrow{F} X(\omega) = 2\pi \delta(\omega)$$



This is periodic, and the impulse in the Fourier transform is the equivalent of $a_0 = 1$ in the Fourier series. We need the 2π to make the synthesis equation work

$$x(t) = 1 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \underbrace{2\pi \delta(\omega)}_{X(\omega)} e^{j\omega t} d\omega$$

In general, for any phasor

$$a_k e^{j k \omega_0 t}$$

in a periodic signal, the

$$a_k$$

term in the Fourier Series becomes

$$a_k 2\pi \delta(\omega - k\omega_0)$$

in the Fourier Transform

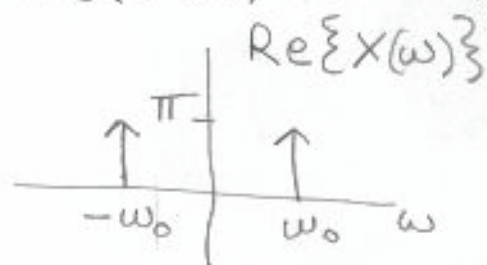
so, for example,

Fourier Series

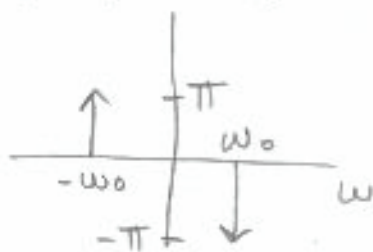
$$\frac{1}{2} \delta[k-1] + \frac{1}{2} \delta[k+1] \leftrightarrow \cos(\omega_0 t) \xleftrightarrow{F} \pi \delta(\omega - \omega_0) + \pi \delta(\omega + \omega_0)$$



Fourier Transform



$$-\frac{1}{2} j \delta[k-1] + \frac{1}{2} j \delta[k+1] \xleftrightarrow{Fs} \sin(\omega_0 t) \xleftrightarrow{F} -\pi j \delta(\omega - \omega_0) + \pi j \delta(\omega + \omega_0)$$



note: impulses
can be imaginary

for any periodic signal

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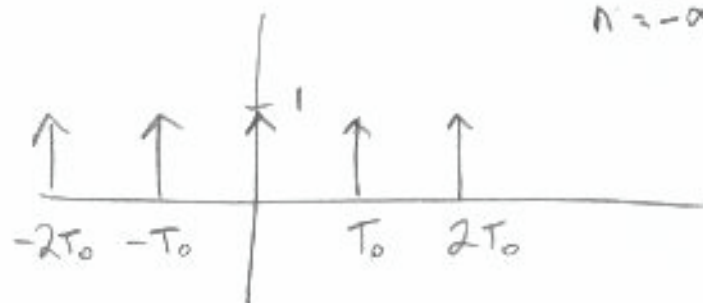
$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} a_k e^{j k \omega_0 t} \quad \xleftrightarrow{F} \quad 2\pi \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} a_k \delta(\omega - k \omega_0)$$

scaled
by
 2π

now
impulses
instead
of finite
values a_k

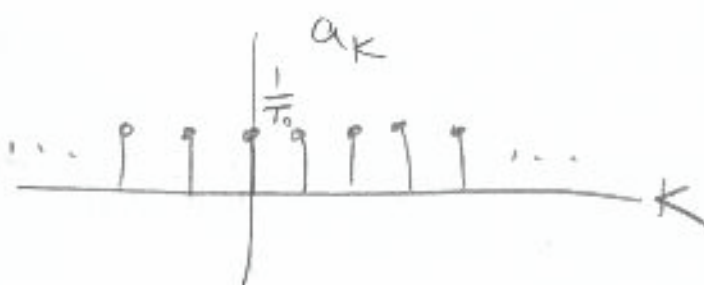
now a
function of
 ω instead
of k

$$x(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{+\infty} \delta(t - nT_0)$$



$$\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T_0}$$

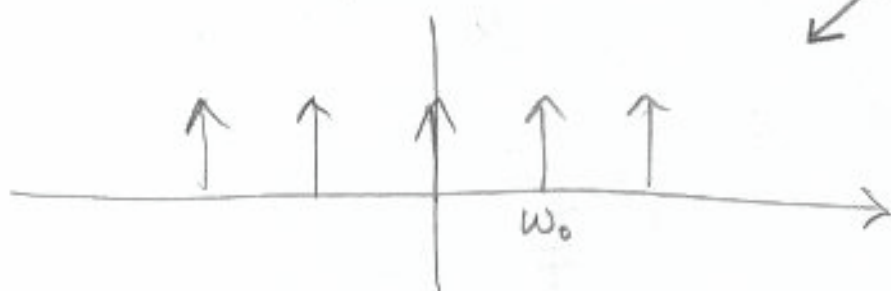
$$a_k = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{-T_0/2}^{+T_0/2} \delta(t) e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt = \frac{1}{T_0}$$



periodic signals
have finite
power
but
infinite
energy

Since $X(\omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} 2\pi a_k \delta(\omega - k\omega_0)$
for any periodic signal

$$X(\omega) = \frac{2\pi}{T_0} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} \delta(\omega - k\omega_0)$$

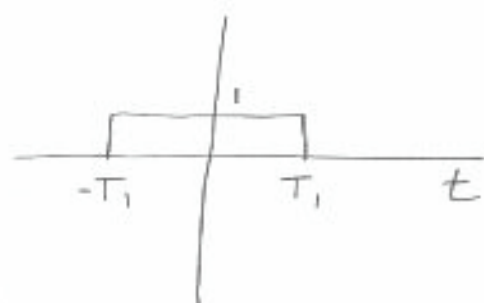


Fourier
Transform
has "boosted
the gain" to
see signals
with finite
energy,
i.e.,
non-period
signals

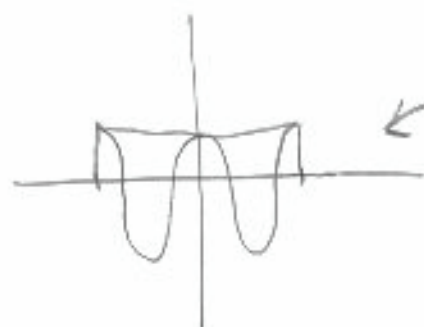
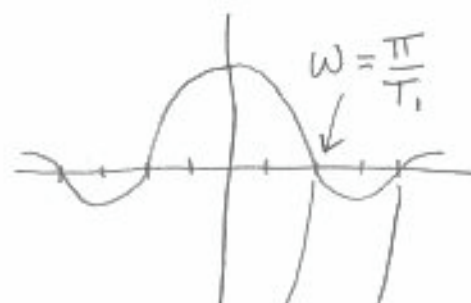
Example

"sinc" function

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & |t| < T_1 \\ 0, & |t| > T_1 \end{cases} \quad \xleftrightarrow{F} \quad \frac{2 \sin \omega T_1}{\omega}$$



$\xleftrightarrow{F}$



null points
correspond to
frequencies that
cannot contribute to
 $x(t)$

Like the Fourier Series, the Fourier Transform is

linear $x(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} X(\omega)$ $y(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} Y(\omega)$ a, b are real or complex

$$ax(t) + by(t) \longleftrightarrow aX(\omega) + bY(\omega)$$

time shifting $x(t - \tau) \xleftrightarrow{F} e^{-j\omega\tau} X(\omega)$

time reversal $x(-t) \xleftrightarrow{F} X(-\omega)$

time scaling $x(\alpha t) \xleftrightarrow{F} \frac{1}{\alpha} X\left(\frac{\omega}{\alpha}\right)$ real $\alpha > 0$

proof:

$$\text{let } \tau = \alpha t \\ d\tau = \alpha dt \quad \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(\alpha t) e^{-j\omega t} dt = \frac{1}{\alpha} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(\tau) e^{-j(\omega/\alpha)\tau} d\tau$$

(note: different from Fourier Series, which does not change with scaling)

differentiation

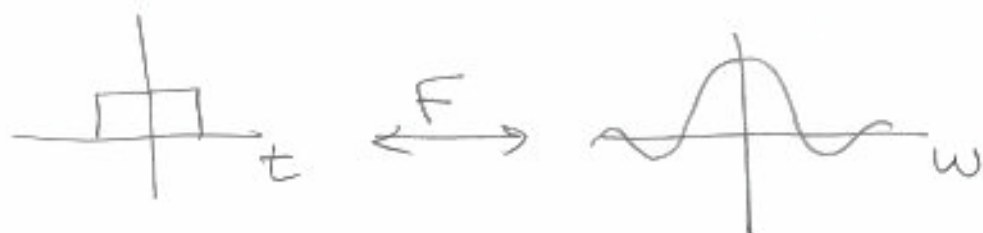
$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} \xleftrightarrow{F} j\omega X(\omega)$$

integration, assuming $X(0) = 0$ No D.C.

$$\int x(\tau) d\tau \xleftrightarrow{F} \frac{1}{j\omega} X(\omega)$$

more on Time scaling

$$x(\alpha t) \xleftrightarrow{F} \frac{1}{\alpha} X\left(\frac{\omega}{\alpha}\right)$$



$\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$
slowing down
 $x(t)$ compresses
spectrum to
lower ω 's



$\alpha \rightarrow 0$



$\alpha = 2$
speeding up
 $x(t)$ spreads
spectrum to
higher ω 's



$\alpha \rightarrow \infty$

COMPLEX CONJUGATES

For real $x(t)$

$$X(-\omega) = X^*(\omega) \quad \text{complex conjugate} \quad (a+bj)^* = (a-bj)$$

cosines

$$\operatorname{Re}\{X(\omega)\} = \operatorname{Re}\{X(-\omega)\}$$

sines

$$\operatorname{Im}\{X(\omega)\} = -\operatorname{Im}\{X(-\omega)\}$$

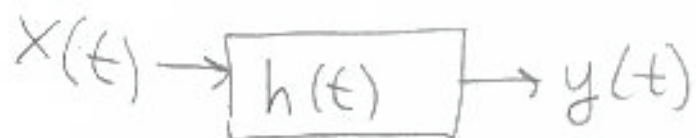
$$\operatorname{Ev}\{x(t)\} \xleftrightarrow{F} \operatorname{Re}\{X(\omega)\} \quad \text{cosines}$$

$$\operatorname{Od}\{x(t)\} \xleftrightarrow{F} \operatorname{Im}\{X(\omega)\} \quad \text{sines}$$

CONVOLUTION

$$x(t) * h(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} X(\omega) I(\omega)$$

Convolution in time domain equals multiplication in frequency domain



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

$$Y(\omega) = X(\omega) H(\omega)$$

The phasor in $x(t)$ at frequency ω is scaled and rotated by the phasor in $h(t)$ at frequency ω , to become a phasor in $y(t)$ at frequency ω . All that changes is magnitude and phase

power/energy comes from ohms law



$$\frac{V}{R} = I$$

$$IR = V$$

power $P = \overset{\substack{\text{force} \cdot \text{distance} \\ \downarrow \quad \downarrow}}{\text{time}}}{V I} = \frac{V^2}{R} = I^2 R$

energy $E = \int P dt$

how much gas
is in the
generator

instantaneous power
 $P = \frac{dE}{dt}$

how bright
is
the light bulb

average power

$$P_{\text{average}} = \frac{\Delta E}{\Delta t}$$

how much gas was
used over the
intire hour.