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Lecture 19
Fourier Transform Properties
9-Nov-01

Info: Web-CT, Lab, HW

- Calendar:
 - Quiz #3 is Monday, 19-Nov
 - One page hand-written notes
 - Calculator is OK
- **REVIEW: Sunday (18-Nov) at 6:30pm**
 - **ECE Auditorium**
- Prob Set #10 is due NEXT WEEK
 - Solution will be posted Friday

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Strategy for using the FT

- Develop a set of known Fourier transform pairs.
- Develop a set of “theorems” or properties of the Fourier transform.
- Develop skill in formulating the problem in either the time-domain or the frequency-domain, *which ever leads to the simplest solution.*

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READING ASSIGNMENTS

- This Lecture:
 - Chapter 12, pp. 1093-1097, 1102-1118
 - **Tables on pp. 1117 & 1118**
- Other Reading:
 - Recitation: All of Chapter 12
 - Next Lecture: Chapter 13, pp. 1143-1156

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LECTURE OBJECTIVES

The Fourier transform

$$X(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

- More examples of Fourier transform pairs
- Basic properties of Fourier transforms
 - Convolution** property
 - Multiplication** property

Fourier Transform

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

Fourier Synthesis
(Inverse Transform)

$$X(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

Fourier Analysis
(Forward Transform)

Time - domain \Leftrightarrow Frequency - domain

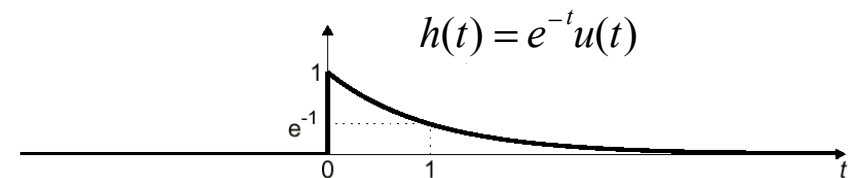
$$x(t) \Leftrightarrow X(j\omega)$$

WHY use the Fourier transform?

- Manipulate the **"Frequency Spectrum"**
- Analog Communication Systems
 - AM: Amplitude Modulation; FM
 - What are the **"Building Blocks"**?
 - Abstract Layer**, not implementation
- Ideal Filters: mostly BPFs
- Frequency Shifters
 - Modulators, or Multipliers: $x(t)p(t)$

Frequency Response

- Fourier Transform of $h(t)$ is the Frequency Response



$$h(t) = e^{-t}u(t) \Leftrightarrow H(j\omega) = \frac{1}{1 + j\omega}$$

Table of Fourier Transforms

$$x(t) = e^{-at} u(t) \Leftrightarrow X(j\omega) = \frac{1}{a + j\omega}$$

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & |t| < T/2 \\ 0 & |t| > T/2 \end{cases} \Leftrightarrow X(j\omega) = \frac{\sin(\omega T/2)}{(\omega/2)}$$

$$x(t) = \frac{\sin(\omega_0 t)}{(\pi t)} \Leftrightarrow X(j\omega) = \begin{cases} 1 & |\omega| < \omega_0 \\ 0 & |\omega| > \omega_0 \end{cases}$$

$$x(t) = \delta(t - t_0) \Leftrightarrow X(j\omega) = e^{-j\omega t_0}$$

$$x(t) = e^{j\omega_0 t} \Leftrightarrow X(j\omega) = 2\pi\delta(\omega - \omega_0)$$

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Example 5: $X(j\omega) = 2\pi\delta(\omega - \omega_0)$

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} 2\pi\delta(\omega - \omega_0) e^{j\omega t} d\omega = e^{j\omega_0 t}$$

$$x(t) = e^{j\omega_0 t} \Leftrightarrow X(j\omega) = 2\pi\delta(\omega - \omega_0)$$

$$x(t) = 1 \Leftrightarrow X(j\omega) = 2\pi\delta(\omega)$$

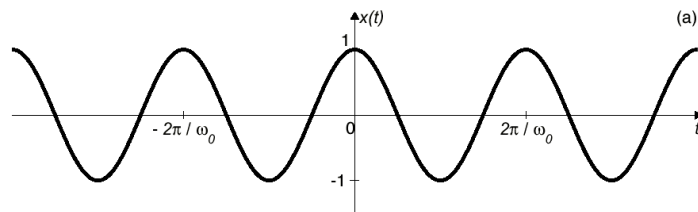
$$x(t) = \cos(\omega_0 t) \Leftrightarrow$$

$$X(j\omega) = \pi\delta(\omega - \omega_0) + \pi\delta(\omega + \omega_0)$$

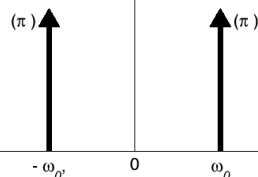
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$$x(t) = \cos(\omega_0 t) \Leftrightarrow X(j\omega) = \pi\delta(\omega - \omega_0) + \pi\delta(\omega + \omega_0)$$



$$X(j\omega) = \pi\delta(\omega - \omega_0) + \pi\delta(\omega + \omega_0)$$



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Fourier Transform of a General Periodic Signal

- If $x(t)$ is periodic with period T_0 ,

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t} \quad a_k = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} x(t) e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt$$

Therefore, since $e^{jk\omega_0 t} \Leftrightarrow 2\pi\delta(\omega - k\omega_0)$

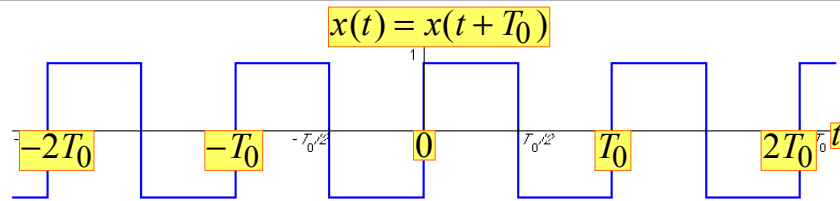
$$X(j\omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} 2\pi a_k \delta(\omega - k\omega_0)$$

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Square Wave Signal



$$a_k = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0/2} (1) e^{-j\omega_0 kt} dt + \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{T_0/2}^{T_0} (-1) e^{-j\omega_0 kt} dt$$

$$a_k = \left. \frac{e^{-j\omega_0 kt}}{-j\omega_0 k T_0} \right|_0^{T_0/2} - \left. \frac{e^{-j\omega_0 kt}}{-j\omega_0 k T_0} \right|_{T_0/2}^{T_0} = \frac{1 - e^{-j\pi k}}{j\pi k}$$

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Square Wave Fourier Transform

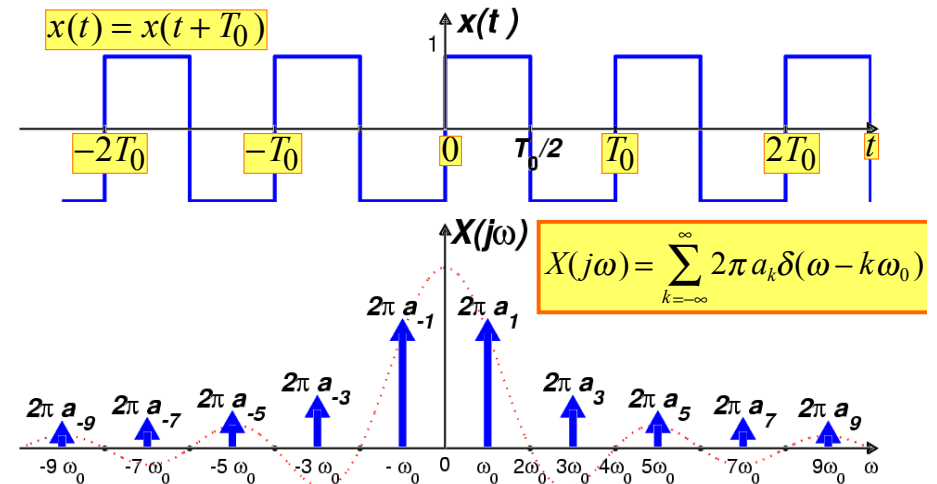


Table of Easy FT Properties

Linearity Property

$$ax_1(t) + bx_2(t) \Leftrightarrow aX_1(j\omega) + bX_2(j\omega)$$

Delay Property

$$x(t - t_d) \Leftrightarrow e^{-j\omega t_d} X(j\omega)$$

Frequency Shifting

$$x(t) e^{j\omega_0 t} \Leftrightarrow X(j(\omega - \omega_0))$$

Scaling

$$x(at) \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{|a|} X(j\left(\frac{\omega}{a}\right))$$

Scaling Property

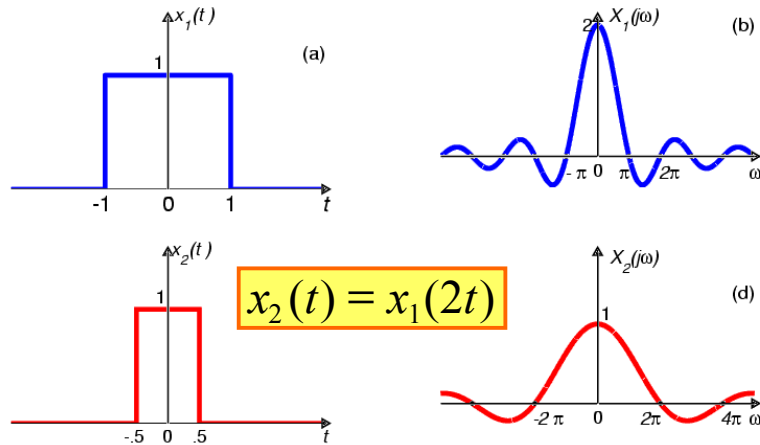
$$x(at) \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{|a|} X(j\left(\frac{\omega}{a}\right))$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(at) e^{-j\omega t} dt &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) e^{-j\omega(\tau/a)} \left(\frac{1}{|a|}\right) d\tau \\ &= \frac{1}{|a|} X(j\left(\frac{\omega}{a}\right)) \end{aligned}$$

$$x(2t) \text{ shrinks; } \frac{1}{2} X(j\left(\frac{\omega}{2}\right)) \text{ expands}$$

Scaling Property

$$x(at) \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{|a|} X(j\frac{\omega}{a})$$



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Uncertainty Principle

- Try to make $x(t)$ shorter
 - Then $X(j\omega)$ will get wider
 - Narrow pulses have wide bandwidth
- Try to make $X(j\omega)$ narrower
 - Then $x(t)$ will have longer duration
- **Cannot simultaneously reduce time duration and bandwidth**

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Significant FT Properties

$$x(t) * h(t) \Leftrightarrow H(j\omega)X(j\omega)$$

$$x(t)p(t) \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{2\pi} X(j\omega) * P(j\omega)$$

$$x(t)e^{j\omega_0 t} \Leftrightarrow X(j(\omega - \omega_0))$$

Differentiation Property

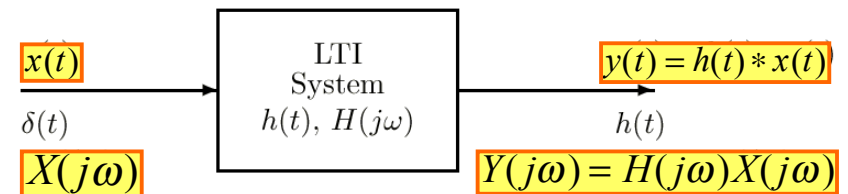
$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} \Leftrightarrow (j\omega)X(j\omega)$$

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Convolution Property



- Convolution in the time-domain

$$y(t) = h(t) * x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau)x(t - \tau)d\tau$$

corresponds to **MULTIPLICATION** in the frequency-domain

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

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Convolution Example

- Bandlimited **Input** Signal

- "sinc" function

- Ideal LPF (Lowpass Filter)

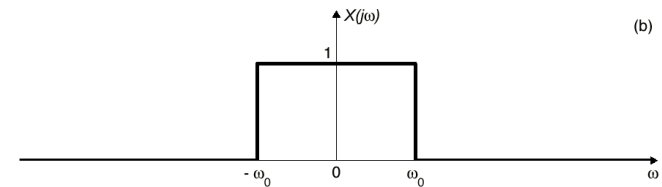
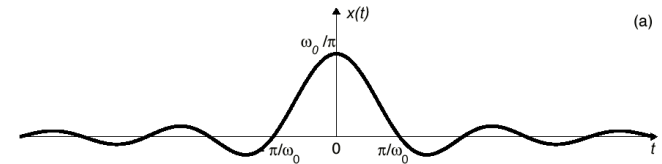
- $h(t)$ is a "sinc"

- Output** is Bandlimited

- Convolve "sincs"

Ideally Bandlimited Signal

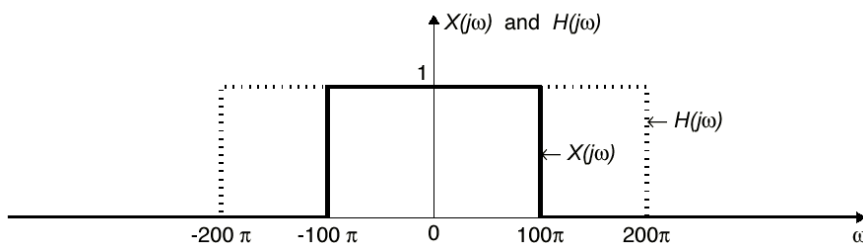
$$x(t) = \frac{\sin(100\pi t)}{(\pi t)} \Leftrightarrow X(j\omega) = \begin{cases} 1 & |\omega| < 100\pi \\ 0 & |\omega| > 100\pi \end{cases}$$



Convolution Example

$$x(t) * h(t) \Leftrightarrow H(j\omega)X(j\omega)$$

$$\frac{\sin(100\pi t)}{\pi t} * \frac{\sin(200\pi t)}{\pi t} = \frac{\sin(100\pi t)}{\pi t}$$



Cosine Input to LTI System

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

$$= H(j\omega)[\pi\delta(\omega - \omega_0) + \pi\delta(\omega + \omega_0)]$$

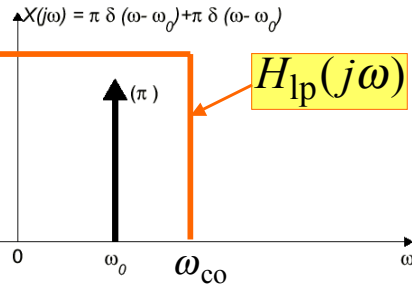
$$= H(j\omega_0)\pi\delta(\omega - \omega_0) + H(-j\omega_0)\pi\delta(\omega + \omega_0)$$

$$y(t) = H(j\omega_0)\frac{1}{2}e^{j\omega_0 t} + H(-j\omega_0)\frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega_0 t}$$

$$= H(j\omega_0)\frac{1}{2}e^{j\omega_0 t} + H^*(j\omega_0)\frac{1}{2}e^{-j\omega_0 t}$$

$$= |H(j\omega_0)|\cos(\omega_0 t + \angle H(j\omega_0))$$

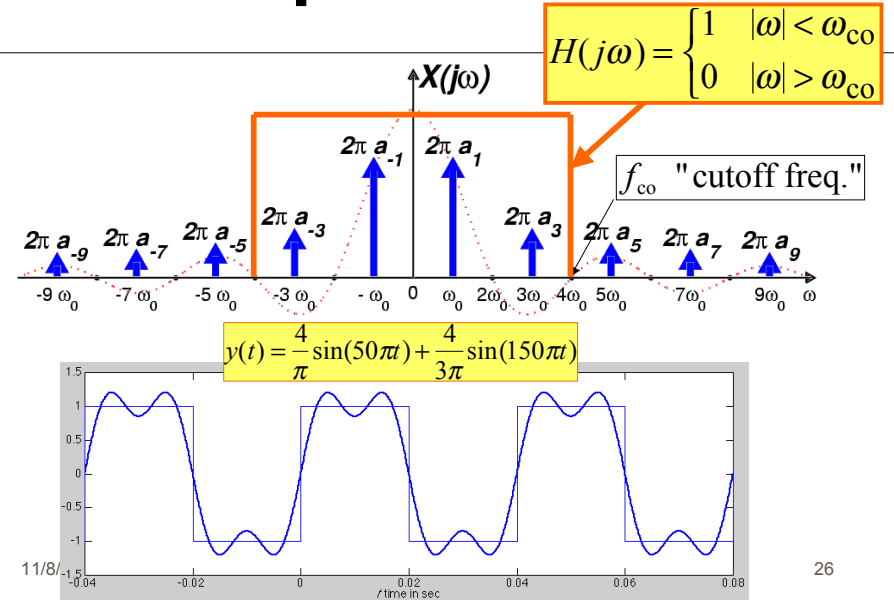
Ideal Lowpass Filter



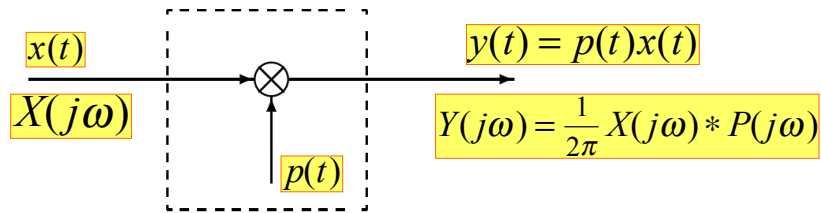
$$y(t) = x(t) \quad \text{if } \omega_0 < \omega_{c0}$$

$$y(t) = 0 \quad \text{if } \omega_0 > \omega_{c0}$$

Ideal Lowpass Filter



Signal Multiplier (Modulator)



■ Multiplication in the time-domain corresponds to **convolution** in the frequency-domain.

$$Y(j\omega) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\theta)P(j(\omega - \theta))d\theta$$

Differentiation Property

$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} \left(\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega)e^{j\omega t} d\omega \right)$$

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

Multiply by $j\omega$

$$\frac{d}{dt} (e^{-at}u(t)) = -ae^{-at}u(t) + e^{-at}\delta(t)$$

$$= \delta(t) - ae^{-at}u(t)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \frac{j\omega}{a + j\omega}$$