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III. Fourier Series

Basic Idea

- to be able to represent a signal as a linear combination of basic signals
- to take advantage of LTI system properties

1) Response of LTI systems to complex exponentials

$$x(t) = e^{st}$$

⇓

$$y(t) =$$

$$x(t) = \sum a_i e^{s_i t}$$

⇓

$$y(t) =$$

2) Fourier Series (for a periodic signal)

- Periodic signal \Rightarrow

- $x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t}$ periodic? ; period?

$$x(t) = \sum_{u=-\infty}^{+\infty} a_u e^{jk\omega_0 t} \quad ; \text{Fourier series representation}$$

$k = 0 \quad \rightarrow$
 $k = \pm 1 \quad \rightarrow$
 $k = \pm 2 \quad \rightarrow$

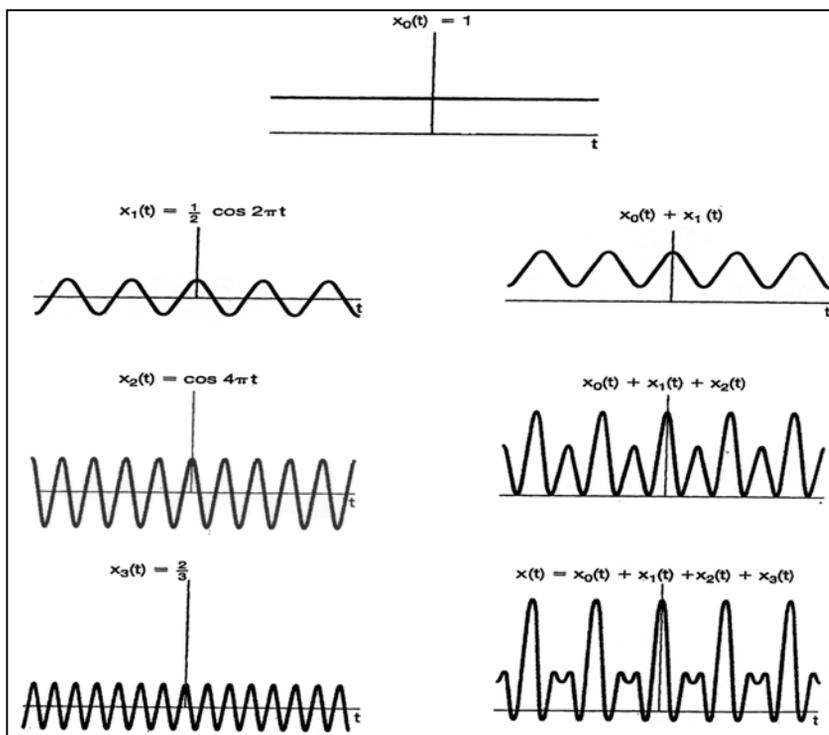


Figure 3.4
Construction of the signal $x(t)$ as a linear combination of harmonically related sinusoidal signals.

Example

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-3}^3 a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t}$$

3) Fourier Series Property for Real, Periodic $x(t)$

$$x(t) = x^*(t)$$

4) How to Define a_k ?

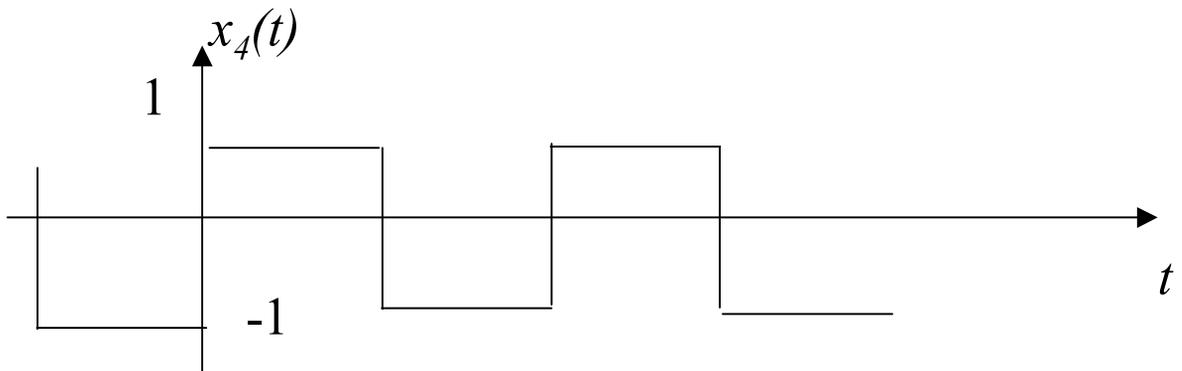
$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t}$$

- Examples: compute the Fourier series decomposition

$$x_1(t) = \cos(2t)$$

$$x_2(t) = 3\sin(3t + \pi/3)$$

$$x_3(t) = \cos(5t) - 2\sin(15t)$$



5) Fourier Series Coefficient Properties

$$x(t) \text{ real + even} \Rightarrow a_k \text{ real}$$

$$x(t) \text{ real + odd} \Rightarrow a_k \text{ imaginary}$$

❖ Proof:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 x(t) & \longleftrightarrow & a_k \\
 y(t) & \longleftrightarrow & b_k
 \end{array}$$

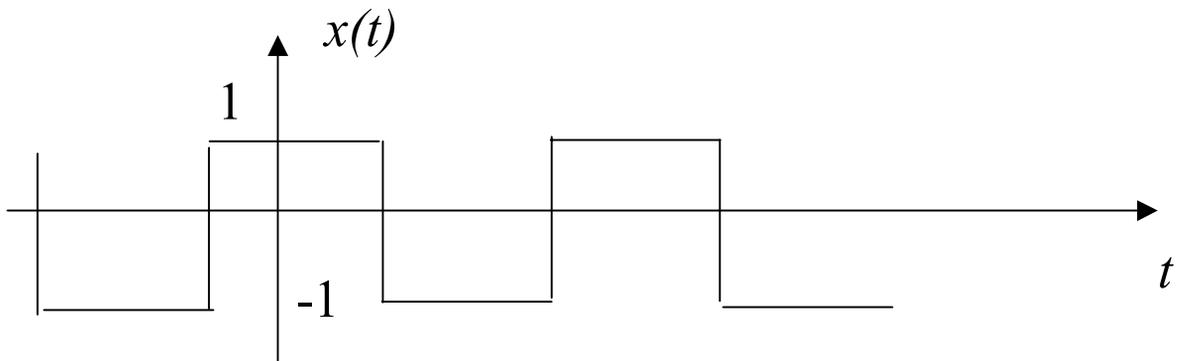
x(t) and y(t) with same period T

Property	Signal	Coefficients
Linearity	$Ax(t) + By(t)$	$Aa_k + Bb_k$
Time-shift	$x(t - t_0)$	$a_k e^{-jk\omega_0 t_0}$
Time reversal	$x(-t)$	a_{-k}
Conjugation	$x^*(t)$	a_{-k}^*

Parseval's relation: $\frac{1}{T} \int_T |x(t)|^2 dt = \sum_k |a_k|^2$

Proofs:

- Example



6) Truncation of Fourier Series

– Gibbs' Phenomenon

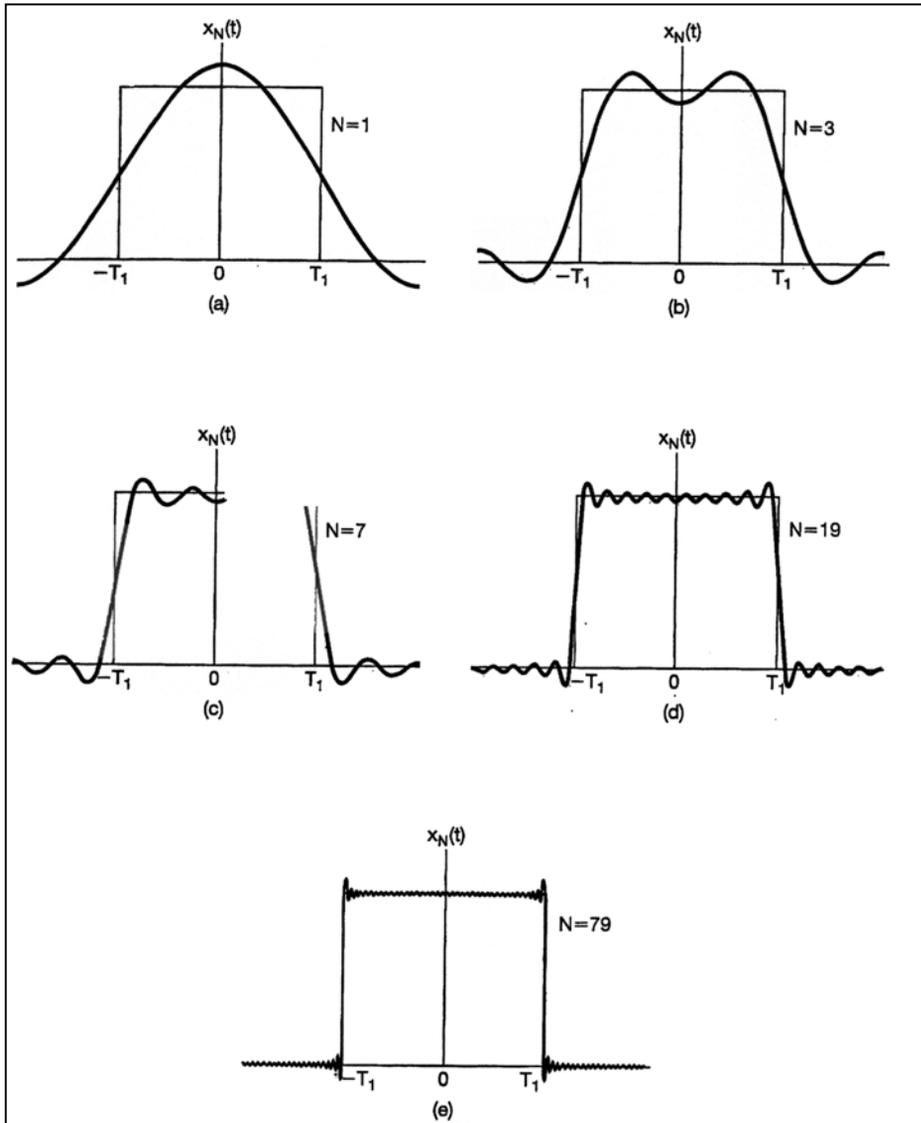


Figure 3.9 Convergence of the Fourier series representation as a square wave: an illustration of the Gibbs phenomenon.

Here, we have depicted the finite series approximation

$$x_N(t) = \sum_{k=-N}^N a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t} \quad \text{for several values of } N.$$

7) Convergence of Fourier Series

- ❖ Not all periodic functions can be represented by Fourier series

Why?

- $\rightarrow a_n = \frac{1}{T} \int x(t) e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt$ may DV
- \rightarrow series may not CV to the original function

- ❖ Conditions for CV of series: Dirichlet's Conditions

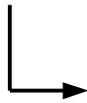
(1) $x(t)$ is absolutely integrable over and period T_0
↳

(2) $x(t)$ has bounded variations
↳ no more than a finite number of maxima or minima during T

(3) $x(t)$ has a finite number of discontinuities

11) Fourier Series for Discrete-Time Periodic Signals

- ❖ Differences with results obtained for continuous-time periodic signals



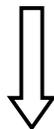
- ❖ Recall – periodic discrete-time signal $x[n]$ defined as:



- periodic continuous-time signal $x(t)$ expressed in Fourier series expansion as:

$$x(t) =$$

- periodic discrete-time complex exponential defined as:



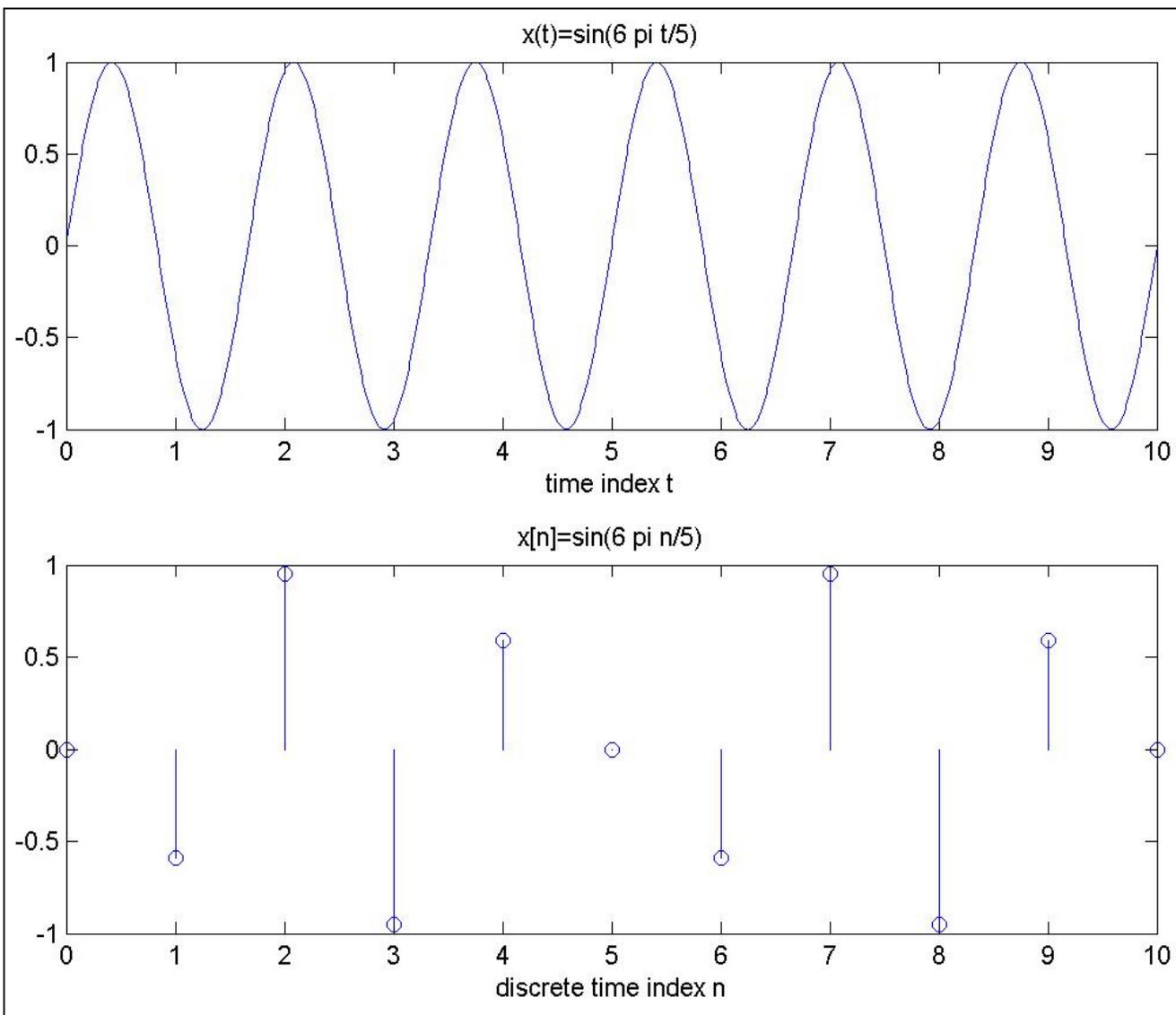
$x[n] =$
$a_k =$

- Examples:

$$x[n] = \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{5}n\right)$$

$$y[n] = \sin\left(\frac{6\pi}{5}n\right)$$

$$z[n] = 1 + \sin(2\pi / 5) + 3 \cos(2\pi n / 5) - \cos(3\pi n / 5 + \pi / 3)$$



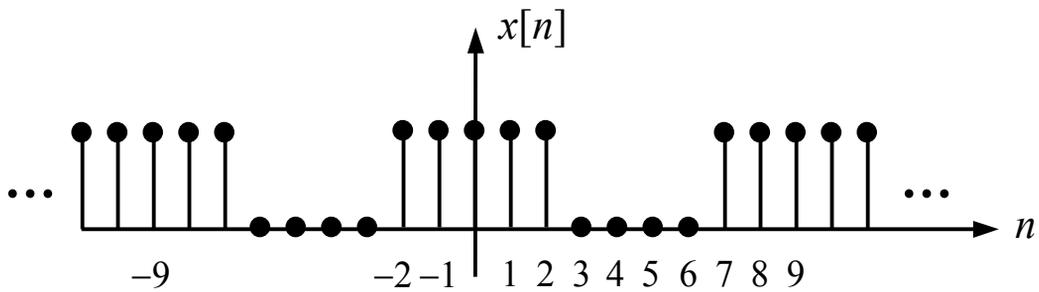


Figure 3.16 Discrete-time periodic square wave.

$$x[n] = 1 \text{ for } -N_1 \leq n \leq N_1 (N_1 = 2) + \text{periodic } (N=9)$$

$$\rightarrow a_k = \frac{2N_1 + 1}{N} ; k = 0, \pm N, \pm 2N \dots (3.105)$$

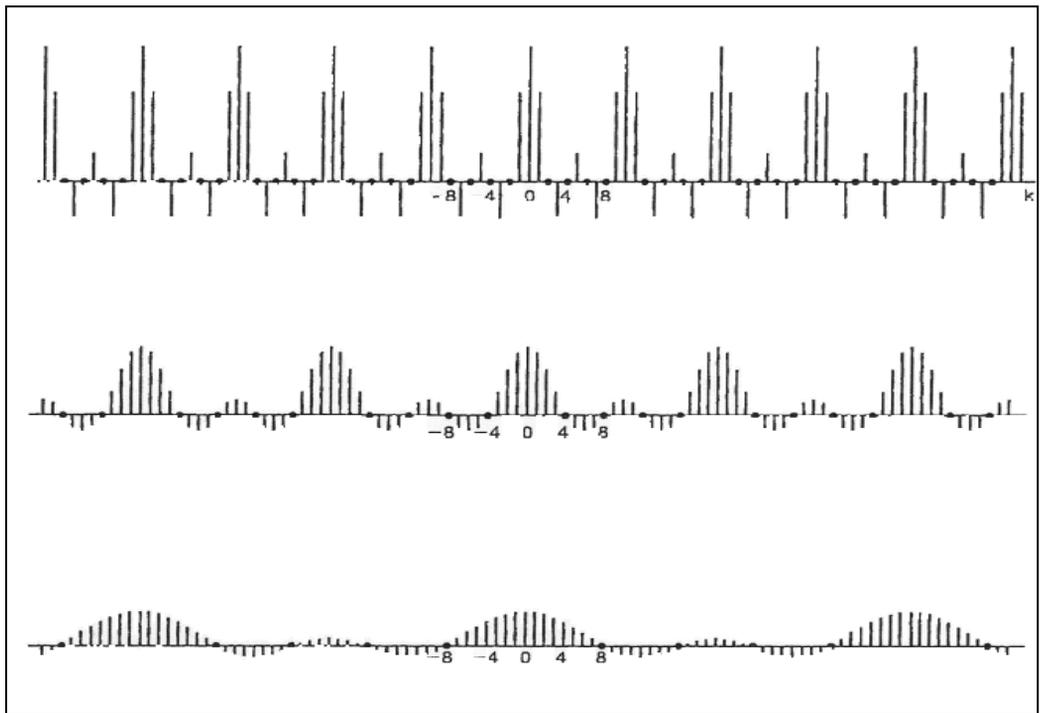


Figure 3.17 Fourier series coefficients for the periodic square wave of Example 3.12; plots of Na_k for $\underbrace{2N_1 + 1}_{N_1 - 2} = 5$ and $N = 10$; (b) $N = 20$; and (c) $N = 40$.

❖ Partial Synthesis Issues

$$x[n] = \sum_{\langle N \rangle} a_k e^{jk2\pi n/N} \quad N: \text{period of } x[n]$$

$$= \sum$$

Example

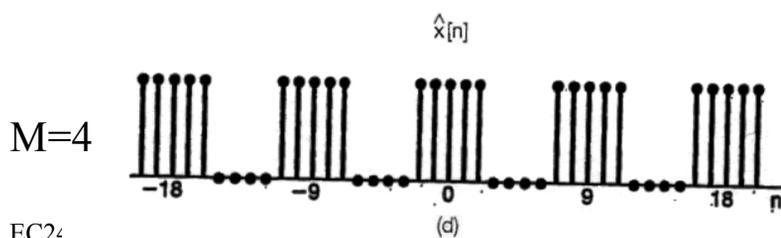
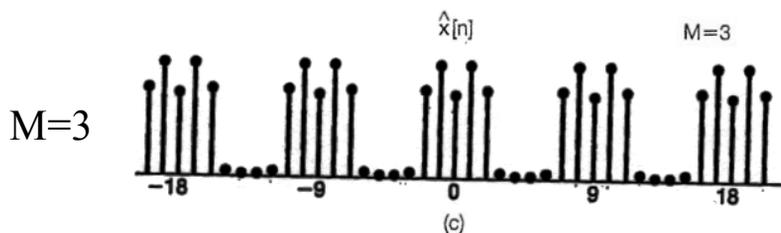
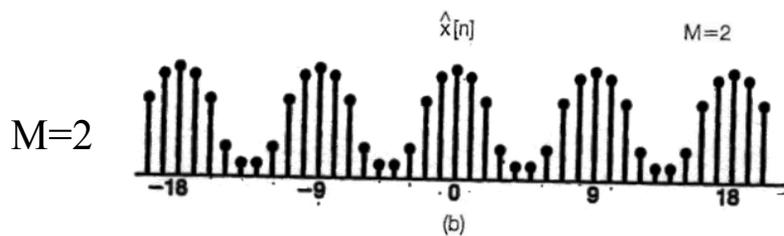
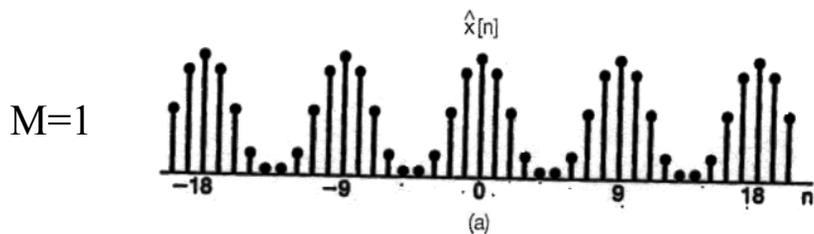
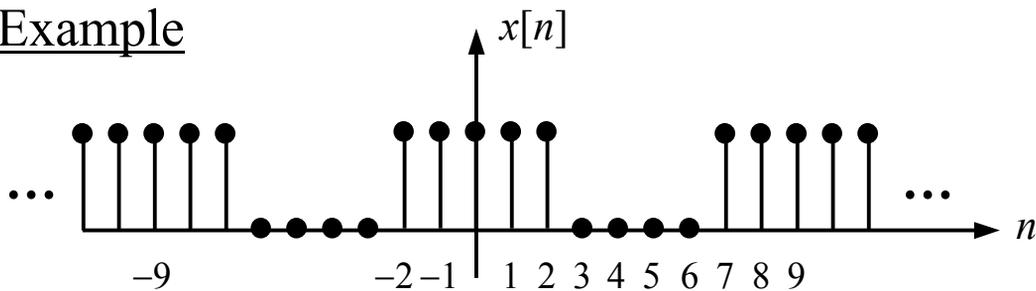


Table 3.1 Properties of Continuous-Time Fourier Series

Property	Section	Periodic Signal	Fourier Series Coefficients
		$\left. \begin{matrix} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{matrix} \right\} \begin{matrix} \text{Periodic with period } T \text{ and} \\ \text{fundamental frequency } \omega_0 = 2\pi/T \end{matrix}$	$\begin{matrix} a_k \\ b_k \end{matrix}$
Linearity	3.5.1	$Ax(t) + By(t)$	$Aa_k + Bb_k$
Time Shifting	3.5.2	$x(t - t_0)$	$a_k e^{-jk\omega_0 t_0} = a_k e^{-jk(2\pi/T)t_0}$
Frequency Shifting		$e^{jM\omega_0 t} = e^{jM(2\pi/T)t} x(t)$	a_{k-M}
Conjugation	3.5.6	$x^*(t)$	a_{-k}^*
Time Reversal	3.5.3	$x(-t)$	a_{-k}
Time Scaling	3.5.4	$x(\alpha t), \alpha > 0$ (periodic with period T/α)	a_k
Periodic Convolution		$\int_T x(\tau)y(t - \tau)d\tau$	$Ta_k b_k$
Multiplication	3.5.5	$x(t)y(t)$	$\sum_{l=-\infty}^{+\infty} a_l b_{k-l}$
Differentiation		Differentiation	$jk\omega_0 a_k = jk \frac{2\pi}{T} a_k$
Differentiat		Integration	$\left(\frac{1}{jk\omega_0}\right) a_k = \left(\frac{1}{jk(2\pi/T)}\right) a_k$
Differentiation	Differa	Different	$\begin{aligned} \int a_k &= a_{-k}^* \\ \text{Re}\{a_k\} &= \text{Re}\{a_{-k}\} \\ \text{Im}\{a_k\} &= -\text{Im}\{a_{-k}\} \\ a_k &= a_{-k} \\ \angle a_k &= -\angle a_{-k} \end{aligned}$
Real and Even Signals	3.5.6	$x(t)$ real and even	a_k real and even
Real and Odd Signals	3.5.6	$x(t)$ real and odd	a_k purely imaginary and odd
Even-Odd Decomposition of Real Signals		$\begin{cases} x_e(t) = \mathcal{E}\{x(t)\} & [x(t) \text{ real}] \\ x_o(t) = \mathcal{O}\{x(t)\} & [x(t) \text{ real}] \end{cases}$	$\begin{aligned} \text{Re}\{a_k\} \\ j\text{Im}\{a_k\} \end{aligned}$
Parseval's Relation for Periodic Signals			
$\frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t) ^2 dt = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} a_k ^2$			

Table 3.2 Properties of Discrete-Time Fourier Series

Property	Periodic Signal	Fourier Series Coefficients
	$\left. \begin{array}{l} x[n] \\ y[n] \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{Periodic with period } N \text{ and} \\ \text{fundamental frequency } \omega_0 = 2\pi/N \end{array}$	$\left. \begin{array}{l} a_k \\ b_k \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{Periodic with} \\ \text{period } N \end{array}$

Linearity	$Ax[n] + By[n]$	$Aa_k + Bb_k$
Time Shifting	$x[n - n_0]$	$a_k e^{-jk(2\pi/N)n_0}$
Frequency Shifting	$e^{jM(2\pi/N)n} x[n]$	a_{k-M}
Conjugation	$x^*[n]$	a_{-k}^*
Time Reversal	$x[-n]$	a_{-k}
Time Scaling	$x_{(m)}[n] = \begin{cases} x[n/m], & \text{if } n \text{ is a multiple of } m \\ 0, & \text{if } n \text{ is not a multiple of } m \end{cases}$ <p style="text-align: center;">(periodic with period mN)</p>	$\frac{1}{m} a_k$ (viewed as periodic with period mN)
Periodic Convolution	$\sum_{r=(N)} x[r]y[n-r]$	$Na_k b_k$
Multiplication	$x[n]y[n]$	$\sum_{l=(N)} a_l b_{k-l}$
First Difference	$x[n] - x[n-1]$	$(1 - e^{-jk(2\pi/N)})a_k$
Running Sum	$\sum_{k=-\infty}^n x[k]$ (finite valued and periodic only) (if $a_0 = 0$)	$\left(\frac{1}{1 - e^{-jk(2\pi/N)}} \right) a_k$
Conjugate Symmetry for Real Signals	$x[n]$ real	$\begin{cases} a_k = a_{-k}^* \\ \text{Re}\{a_k\} = \text{Re}\{a_{-k}\} \\ \text{Im}\{a_k\} = -\text{Im}\{a_{-k}\} \\ a_k = a_{-k} \\ \angle a_k = -\angle a_{-k} \end{cases}$
Real and Even Signals	$x[n]$ real and even	a_k real and even
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Even-Odd Decomposition of Real Signals	$\begin{cases} x_e[n] = \text{Ev}\{x[n]\} & [x[n] \text{ real}] \\ x_o[n] = \text{Od}\{x[n]\} & [x[n] \text{ real}] \end{cases}$	$\begin{cases} \text{Re}\{a_k\} \\ j\text{Im}\{a_k\} \end{cases}$

Parseval's Relation for Periodic Signals		
$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=(N)} x[n] ^2 = \sum_{k=(N)} a_k ^2$		

9) Fourier Series and LTI Systems

- Recall if $x(t) = e^{st}$ — LTI $y(t) = e^{st} H(s)$

Called eigenfunction

$$H(s) = \int e^{-st} h(\tau) d\tau$$

$$x[n] = z^n \rightarrow y[n] = \sum x[n-k] \cdot h[k]$$

$$=$$

$$\Rightarrow H(z) =$$

- $\left. \begin{matrix} H(s) \\ H(z) \end{matrix} \right\} \rightarrow$ called _____

- for $s = j\omega$ $H(j\omega) =$

called _____

- if $x(t)$ expressed in a Fourier series decomposition

$$x(t) =$$

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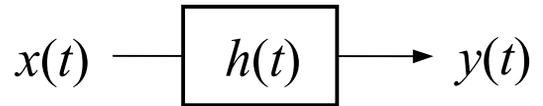
$$y(t) =$$

$$x[n] =$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$y[n] =$$

Example: • $x(t) = 1 + \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\pi t + \cos 4\pi t$



- LTI system with $h(t) = e^{-t} u(t)$

(1) Compute the frequency response $H(j\omega)$

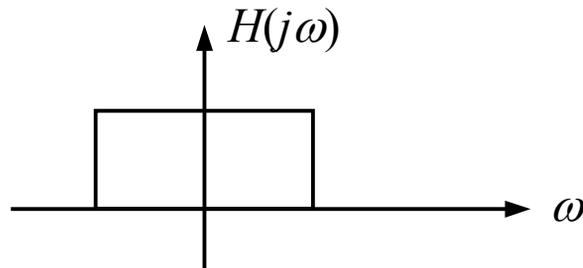
(2) Compute $y(t)$

Example: $x(n) = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{10}\right)$, $h[n] = 0.5^n u(n)$ LTI

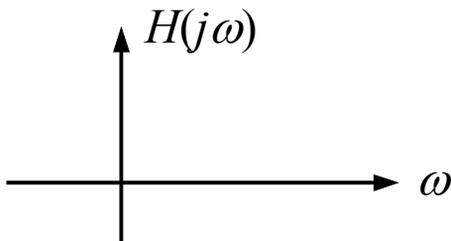
- (1) Period of $x[n]$
- (2) Frequency response $H(j\omega)$
- (3) Filter output $y[n]$ to $x[n]$

10) Filtering

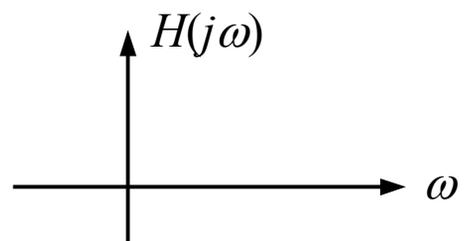
- Goal: to change the relative amplitudes of signal frequency components
- Different types of filters



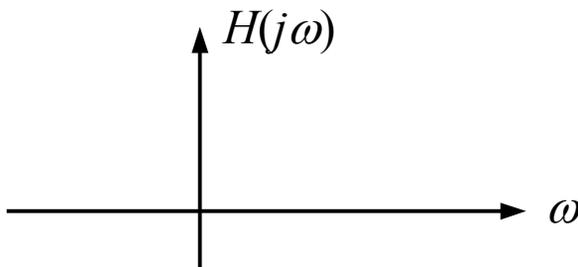
(1) Low Pass Filter (LP)



(2) Bandpass Filter (BP)

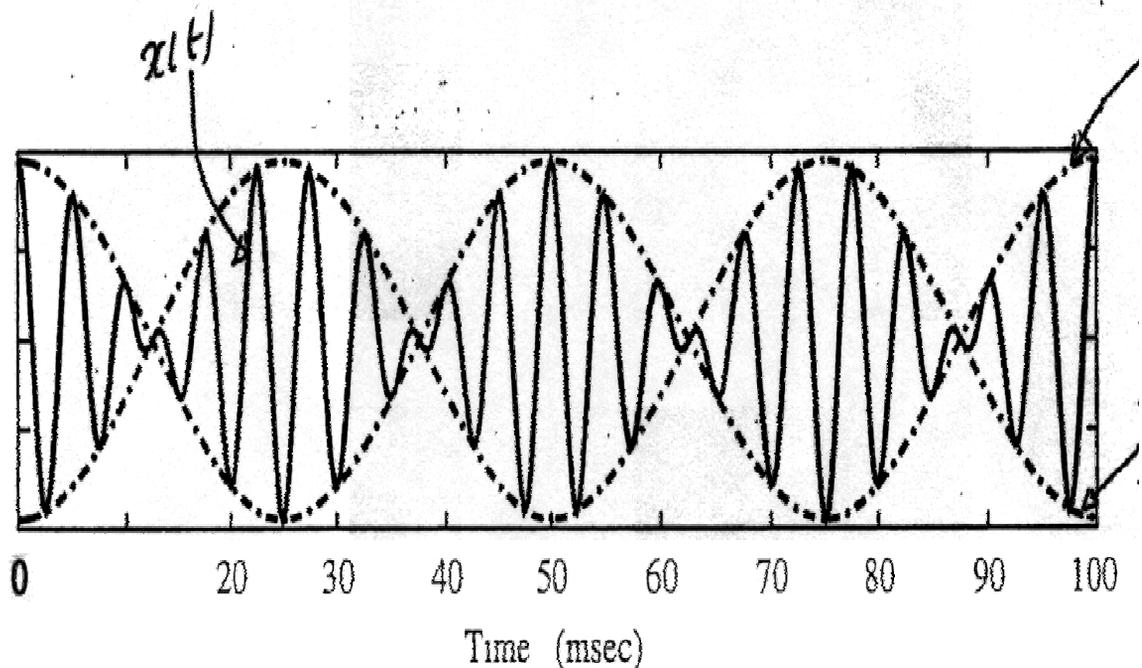
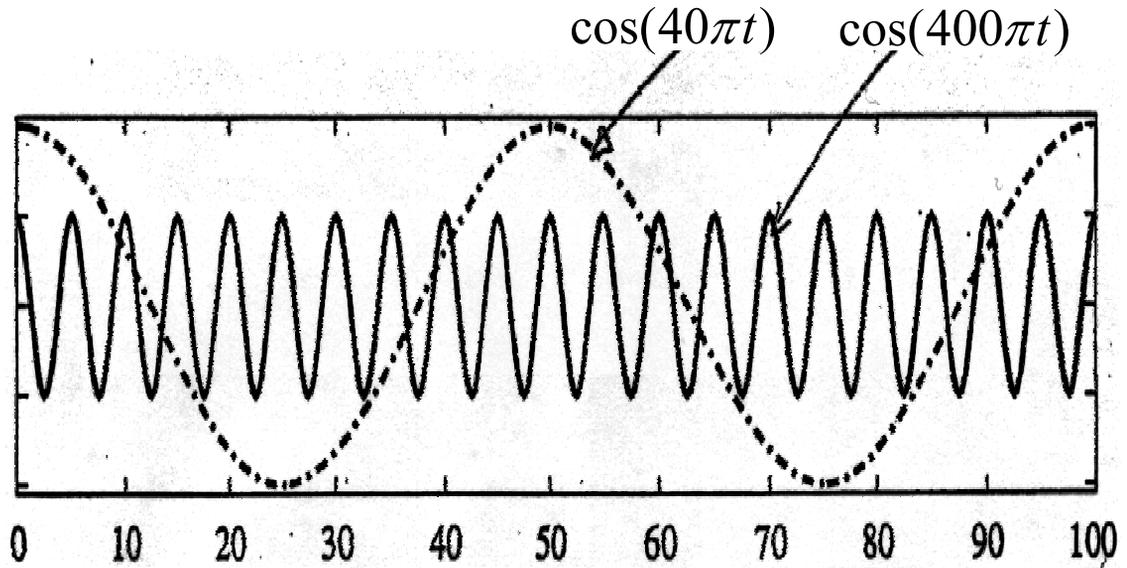


(3) High Pass Filter (HP)



10) Applications to Amplitude Modulation (AM)

$$x(t) = \cos(40\pi t) \cdot \cos(400\pi t)$$



Questions:

- 1) Is $x(t)$ periodic ? If so, what is the period ?
- 2) Compute the Fourier series decomposition of $x(t)$
- 3) Plot the spectrum of $x(t)$