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Lecture 18

Introduction to the Fourier Transform

27-March-00

Info: Web-CT, Lab, HW

- **Calendar:**
 - **Quiz #3 is 7-April**
 - One page hand-written notes
 - Calculator
- **Prob Set #9 is due this week**
- **Lab #9 is NUMERICAL FOURIER SERIES**
 - **New Functions: `fplot.m` and `quad8.m`**

READING ASSIGNMENTS

- **This Lecture:**
 - Chapter 12, pp. 1200–1214
- **Other Reading:**
 - **Recitation: Chapter 11**
 - And Chapter 12, pp. 1207–1214, 1218–1222, 1232–1234
 - **Next Lecture: Chapter 12, pp. 1214–1218, 1223–1229, and 1236–1241**

LECTURE OBJECTIVES

- **Review**
 - Frequency Response
 - Fourier Series
- **Definition of **Fourier transform****

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

- **Relation to Fourier Series**
- **Examples of Fourier transform pairs**

THREE DOMAINS: ANALOG

Laplace-TRANSFORM-DOMAIN
POLYNOMIALS: $H(s)$

R, L, C

TIME-DOMAIN

FREQ-DOMAIN

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

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

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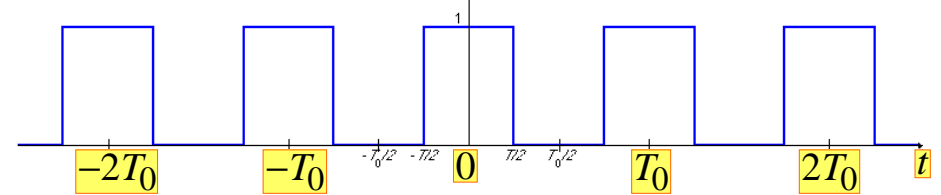
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Fourier Series: Periodic $x(t)$

$$x(t) = x(t + T_0)$$

$T_0 = 2T$



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

Fourier Synthesis

Fundamental Freq.

$$\omega_0 = 2\pi / T_0 = 2\pi f_0$$

$$a_k = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{-T_0/2}^{T_0/2} x(t)e^{-j\omega_0 k t} dt$$

Fourier Analysis

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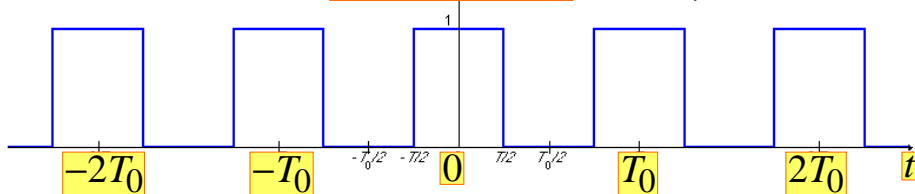
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Square Wave Signal

$$x(t) = x(t + T_0)$$

$T_0 = 2T$



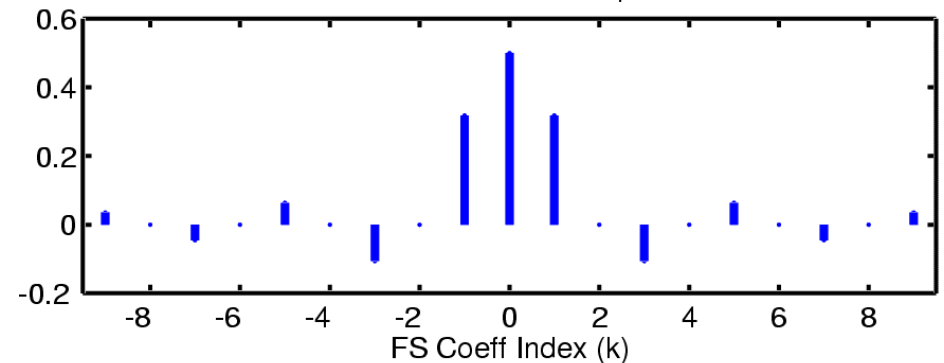
$$a_k = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{-T_0/4}^{T_0/4} (1)e^{-j\omega_0 k t} dt$$

$$a_k = \frac{e^{-j\omega_0 k T_0/4} - e^{-j\omega_0 k (-T_0/4)}}{-j\omega_0 k T_0} = \frac{e^{-j\pi k/2} - e^{j\pi k/2}}{-j2\pi k} = \frac{\sin(\pi k / 2)}{\pi k}$$

Spectrum from Fourier Series

$$a_k = \frac{\sin(\pi k / 2)}{\pi k} = \begin{cases} \neq 0 & k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 3, \dots \\ 0 & k = \pm 2, \pm 4, \dots \end{cases}$$

Fourier Series Coeffs for Square Wave



What if $x(t)$ is not periodic?

Sum of Sinusoids?

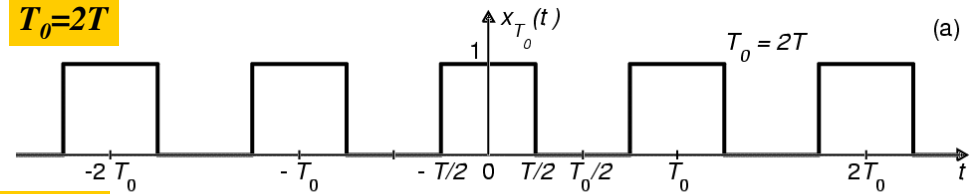
- Non-harmonically related sinusoids
- Would not be periodic, but would be non-zero for all t .

Fourier transform

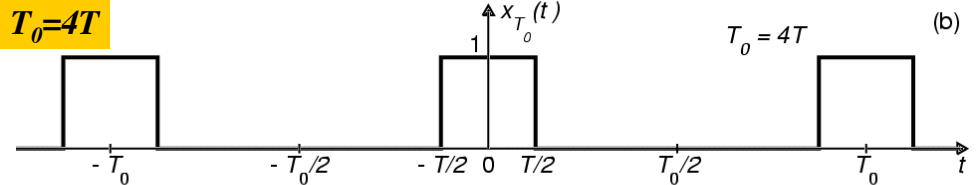
- gives a “sum” (actually an **integral**) that involves **ALL** frequencies
- can represent signals that are identically zero for negative t . !!!!!!!!!

Limiting Behavior of FS

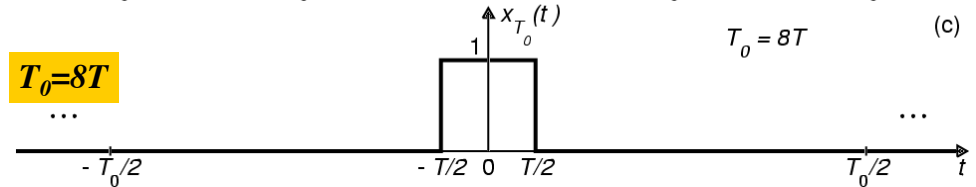
$T_0=2T$



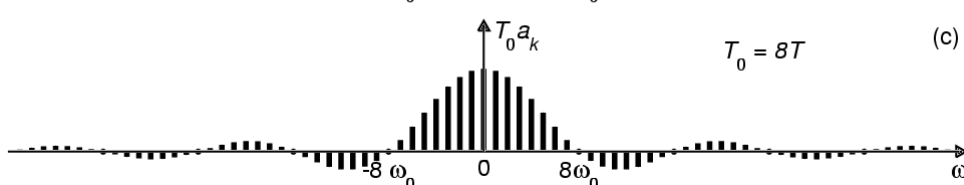
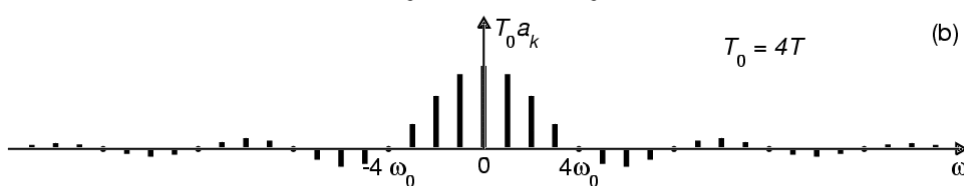
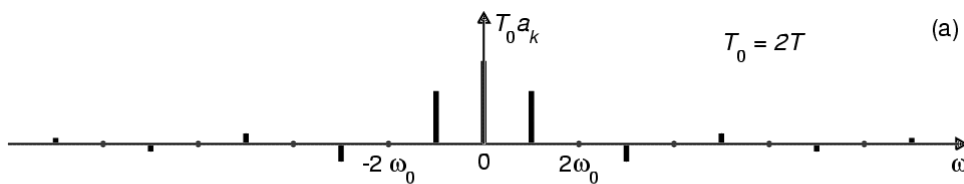
$T_0=4T$



$T_0=8T$



Limiting Behavior of Spectrum



FS in the LIMIT (long period)

$$x_{T_0}(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} (T_0 a_k) e^{j\omega_0 k t} \frac{2\pi}{T_0} \mapsto x(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega$$

Fourier Synthesis

$$\lim_{T_0 \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2\pi}{T_0} = d\omega$$

$$\lim_{T_0 \rightarrow \infty} \frac{2\pi}{T_0} k = \omega$$

$$T_0 a_k = \int_{-T_0/2}^{T_0/2} x_{T_0}(t) e^{-j\omega_0 k t} dt \mapsto X(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

Fourier Analysis

Fourier Transform

For non-periodic signals

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

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

Example 1:

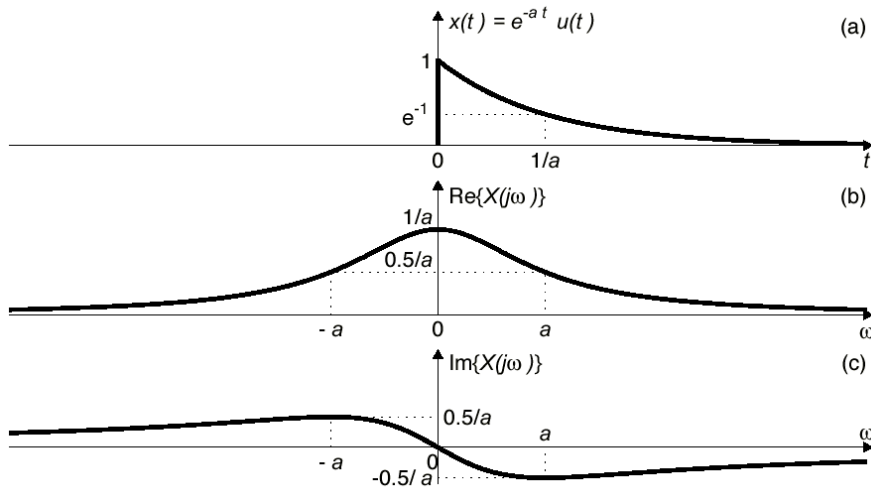
$$x(t) = e^{-at} u(t)$$

$$X(j\omega) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-at} e^{-j\omega t} dt = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-(a+j\omega)t} dt$$

$$X(j\omega) = -\frac{e^{-at} e^{-j\omega t}}{a+j\omega} \Big|_0^{\infty} = \frac{1}{a+j\omega} \quad a > 0$$

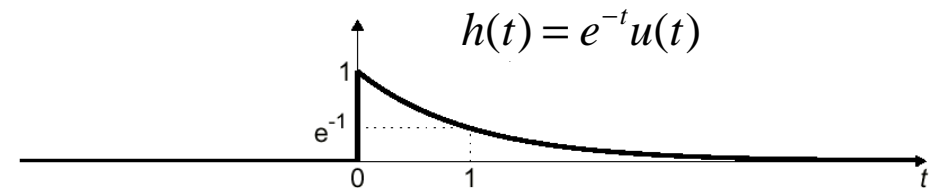
$$X(j\omega) = \frac{1}{a+j\omega}$$

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



Frequency Response

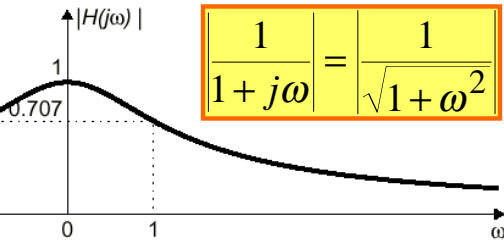
Fourier Transform of $h(t)$ is the Frequency Response



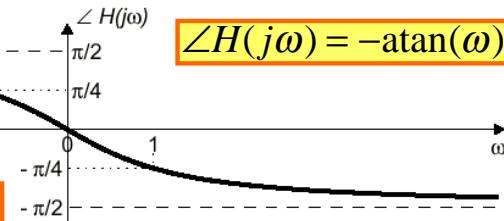
$$h(t) = e^{-t} u(t) \Leftrightarrow H(j\omega) = \frac{1}{1+j\omega}$$

Magnitude and Phase Plots

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{1}{1 + j\omega}$$



$$\angle H(j\omega) = -\text{atan}(\omega)$$



$$H(-j\omega) = H^*(j\omega)$$

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Example 2:

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & |t| < T/2 \\ 0 & |t| > T/2 \end{cases}$$

$$X(j\omega) = \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} (1)e^{-j\omega t} dt = \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

$$X(j\omega) = \frac{e^{-j\omega t}}{-j\omega} \Big|_{-T/2}^{T/2} = \frac{e^{-j\omega T/2} - e^{j\omega T/2}}{-j\omega}$$

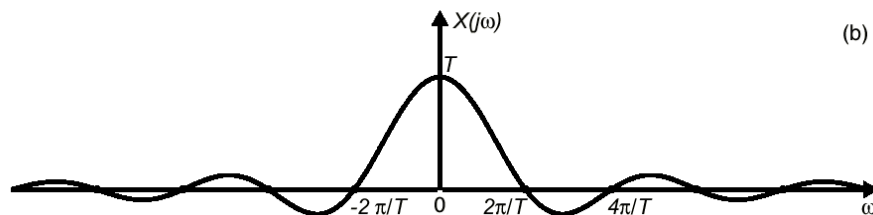
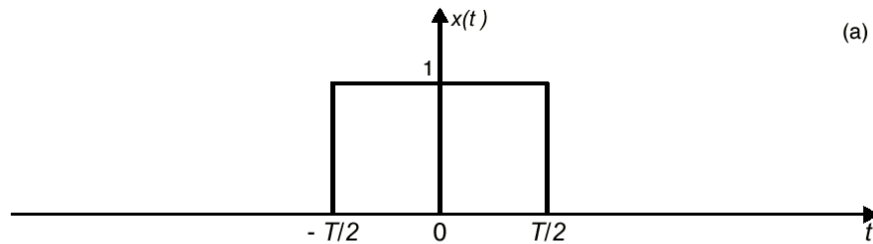
$$X(j\omega) = \frac{\sin(\omega T / 2)}{(\omega / 2)}$$

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



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Example 3:

$$X(j\omega) = \begin{cases} 1 & |\omega| < \omega_0 \\ 0 & |\omega| > \omega_0 \end{cases}$$

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

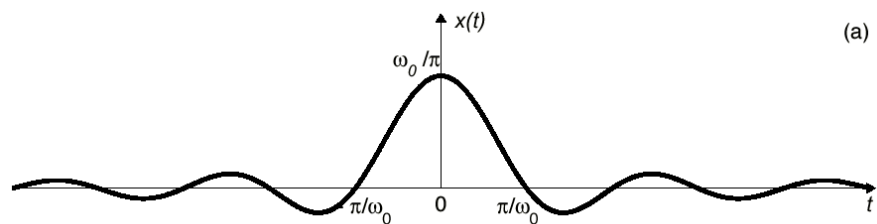
$$x(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{e^{j\omega t}}{jt} \Big|_{-\omega_0}^{\omega_0} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{e^{j\omega_0 t} - e^{-j\omega_0 t}}{jt}$$

$$x(t) = \frac{\sin(\omega_0 t)}{(\pi t)}$$

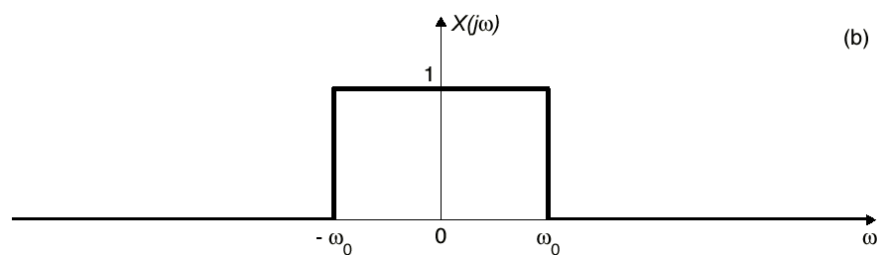
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$$x(t) = \frac{\sin(\omega_0 t)}{(\pi t)} \Leftrightarrow X(j\omega) = \begin{cases} 1 & |\omega| < \omega_0 \\ 0 & |\omega| > \omega_0 \end{cases}$$



(a)



(b)

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Example 4: $x(t) = \delta(t)$

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

Shifting Property of the Impulse

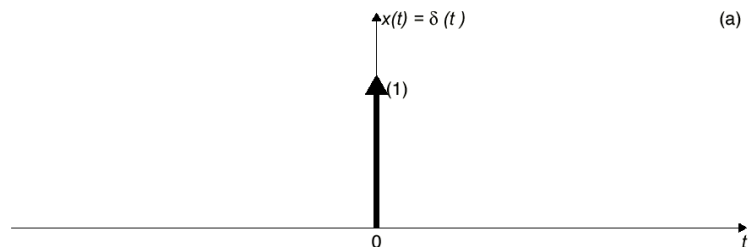
$$X(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - t_0) e^{-j\omega t} dt = e^{-j\omega t_0}$$

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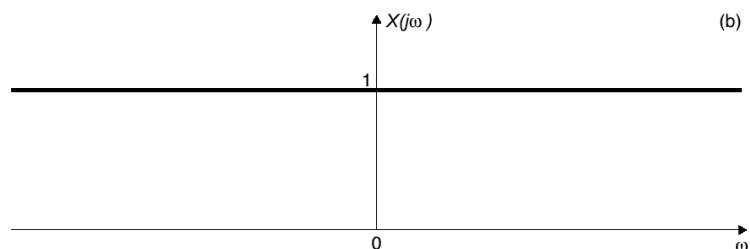
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$$x(t) = \delta(t) \Leftrightarrow X(j\omega) = 1$$



(a)



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Table of Fourier Transforms

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

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

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

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

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