

Lecture 6

Fourier Series and Bandlimited Signals

29-January-01

Web-CT Info

- Check the Bulletin Board for msgs
- Get Notes on Fourier Series
 - 17 pages, posted to WebCT
 - Replacement for pp. 62-66 in Chapter 3
- Prob Set #3 due this week - solution posted at 6pm on Thursday 1-Feb.
- **Problem Set #4 posted. Mon. and Tues. Recitations turn in PS #4 at lab on Weds. and Thurs. next week.**

Quiz #1 Info

- **Quiz #1 on 2-Feb (Friday)**
 - Calculator OK, and one page of notes
 - Coverage: HW #1, #2, and #3
- Old Quizzes & Problems are linked via WebCT: **Resources**
- **ECE2025B and Prof. McClellan's Rec. (L11) report to Room VL-457 for exam**
- **REVIEW SESSION: Thursday, 1-Feb. 7:30-9:30pm in VanLeer Auditorium. Will be broadcast to GTREP students.**

Lab Info

- Lab #2 Report
 - Turn in during your lab time
 - Write-up section 4 on "multipath"
 - Finish INSTRUCTOR VERIFICATION in Lab
 - ERRATA ? ALWAYS Check Bulletin Board
- Lab #3 is posted
 - Learn some Music Notation

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My Office Hours

- Monday 1 - 3 pm
- Thursday 4 - 6 pm
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READING ASSIGNMENTS

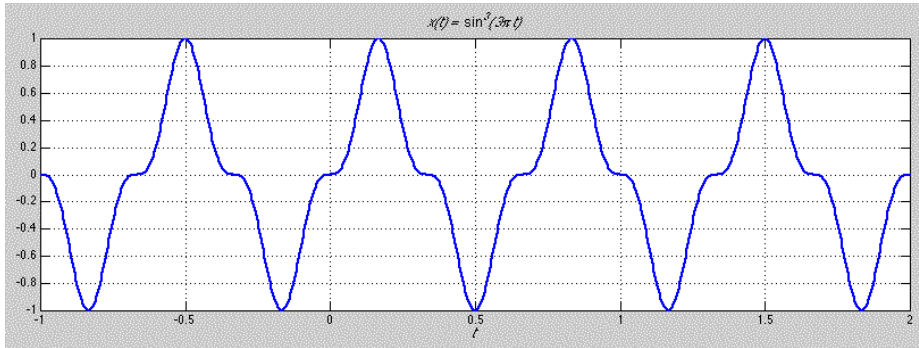
- This Lecture:
 - **Notes on Fourier Series**
 - 17 pages, posted to WebCT
 - Replace pp 62-66 in Chapter 3
- Other Reading:
 - Next Lecture: Chap. 4 on Sampling

LECTURE OBJECTIVES

- Continue the discussion of Fourier series
- **ANALYSIS** via Fourier Series
 - For **PERIODIC** signals: $x(t+T_0) = x(t)$
 - **SPECTRUM from the Fourier Series**
- Introduce the concept of a bandlimited signal.

Example

$$x(t) = \sin^3(3\pi t)$$



$$x(t) = \left(\frac{j}{8}\right)e^{j9\pi t} + \left(\frac{-3j}{8}\right)e^{j3\pi t} + \left(\frac{3j}{8}\right)e^{-j3\pi t} + \left(\frac{-j}{8}\right)e^{-j9\pi t}$$

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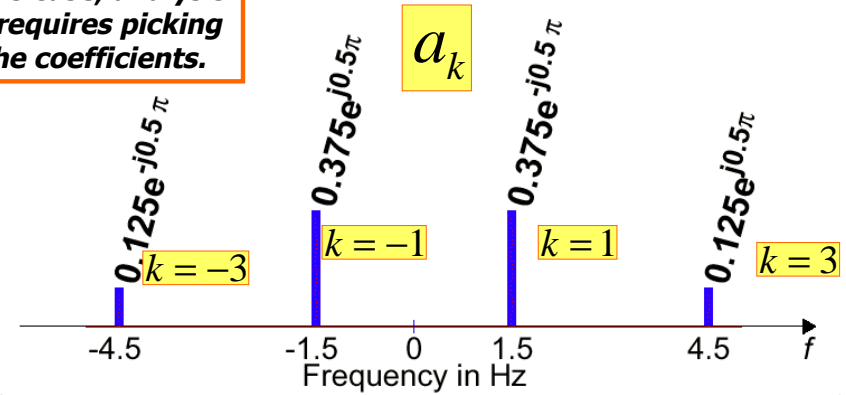
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In this case, analysis just requires picking off the coefficients.

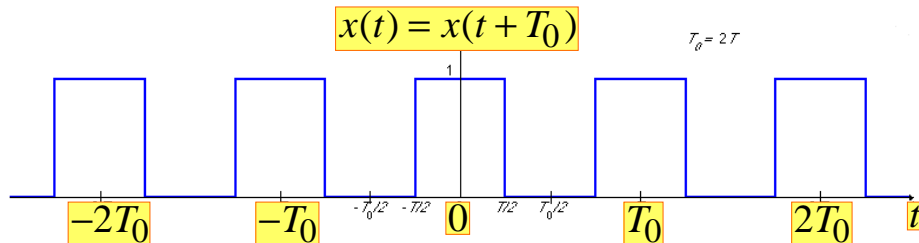


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General Periodic Signals



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

Fourier Synthesis

Fundamental Freq.

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

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

Fourier Analysis

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Fourier Series Integral

HOW do you determine a_k from $x(t)$?

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

FUNDAMENTAL
FREQ: $f_0 = 1/T_0$
or $\omega_0 = 2\pi/T_0$

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} x(t) dt \quad (\text{DC Component})$$

$$a_{-k} = a_k^* \quad \text{when } x(t) \text{ is real}$$

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ORTHOGONALITY of exp(j)

INTEGRATE over ONE PERIOD

$$\int_0^{T_0} e^{-j2\pi mt/T_0} dt = \frac{T_0}{-j2\pi m} e^{-j2\pi mt/T_0} \Big|_0^{T_0}$$
$$= \frac{T_0}{-j2\pi m} (e^{-j2\pi m} - 1)$$

$$\int_0^{T_0} e^{-jm\omega_0 t} dt = 0 \quad \omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T_0}$$

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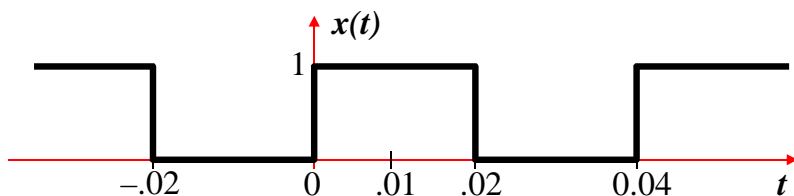
$$\frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} e^{j2\pi \ell t/T_0} e^{-j2\pi k t/T_0} dt = \begin{cases} 0 & k \neq \ell \\ 1 & k = \ell \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} e^{j2\pi(\ell-k)t/T_0} dt$$

SQUARE WAVE EXAMPLE

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 \leq t < \frac{1}{2} T_0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{2} T_0 \leq t < T_0 \end{cases}$$

for $T_0 = 0.04$ sec:



FS for a SQUARE WAVE

$$a_k = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} x(t) e^{-j2\pi k t/T_0} dt \quad (k \neq 0)$$

$$a_k = \frac{1}{.04} \int_0^{.02} 1 e^{-j2\pi k t/.04} dt = \frac{1}{.04(-j\pi k/.02)} e^{-j\pi k t/.02} \Big|_0^{.02}$$
$$= \frac{1}{(-2j\pi k)} (e^{-j\pi k} - 1) = \frac{1 - (-1)^k}{j2\pi k}$$

DC Coefficient, a_0

$$a_k = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} x(t) e^{-j2\pi kt/T_0} dt \quad (k = 0)$$

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} x(t) dt = \frac{1}{T_0} (\text{AREA})$$

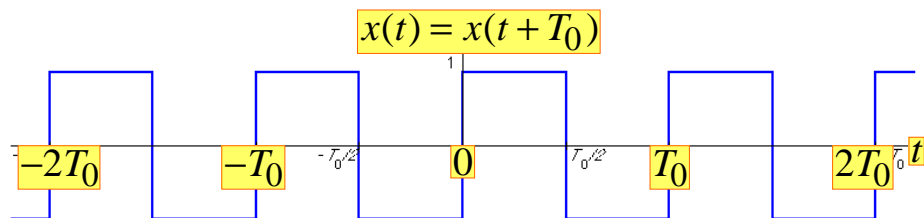
$$a_0 = \frac{1}{.04} \int_0^{.02} dt = \frac{1}{.04} (.02 - 0) = \frac{1}{2}$$

Fourier Coefficients a_k

- a_k is a function of k
 - Complex Amplitude for k -th Harmonic
 - This one doesn't depend on the period, T_0

$$a_k = \frac{1 - e^{-j\pi k}}{j2\pi k} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{j\pi k} & k = \pm 1, \pm 3, \dots \\ 0 & k = \pm 2, \pm 4, \dots \\ \frac{1}{2} & k = 0 \end{cases}$$

Square Wave Signal



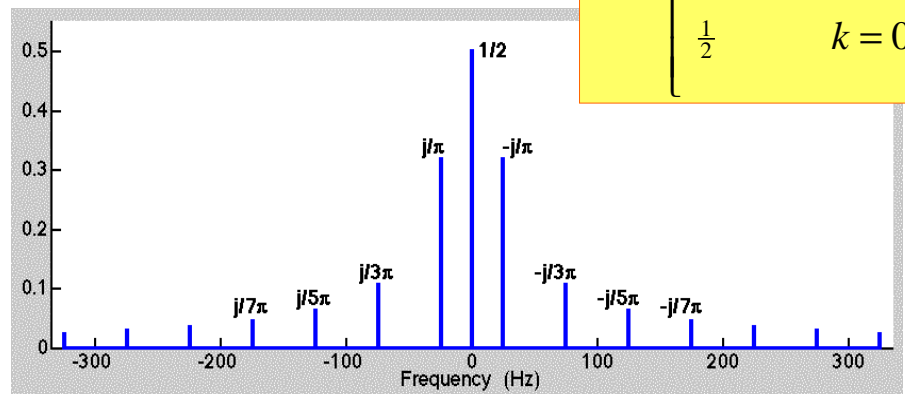
$$a_k = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0/2} (1) e^{-j\omega_0 kt} dt + \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{T_0/2}^{T_0} (-1) e^{-j\omega_0 kt} dt$$

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

Spectrum from Fourier Series

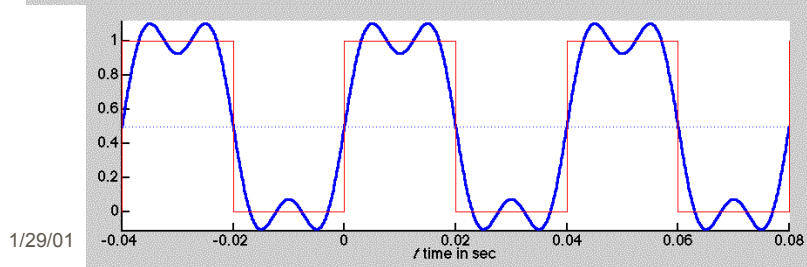
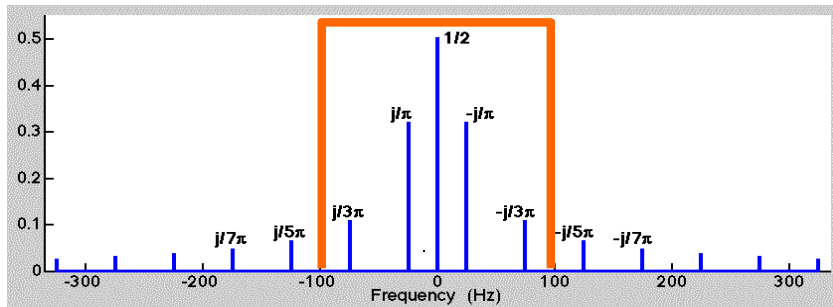
$$\omega_0 = 2\pi / (0.04) = 2\pi(25)$$

$$a_k = \begin{cases} \frac{-j}{\pi k} & k = \pm 1, \pm 3, \dots \\ 0 & k = \pm 2, \pm 4, \dots \\ \frac{1}{2} & k = 0 \end{cases}$$



Synthesis: 1st & 3rd Harmonics

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{\pi} \cos(2\pi(25)t - \frac{\pi}{2}) + \frac{2}{3\pi} \cos(2\pi(75)t - \frac{\pi}{2})$$

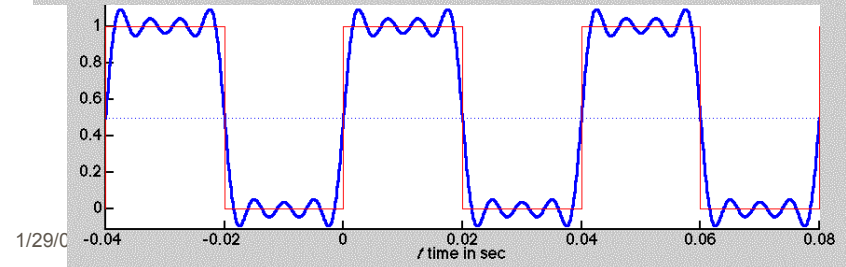
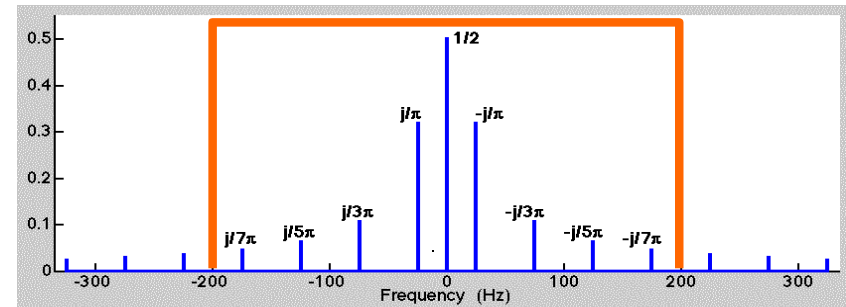


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Synthesis: up to 7th Harmonic

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{\pi} \cos(50\pi t - \frac{\pi}{2}) + \frac{2}{3\pi} \sin(150\pi t) + \frac{2}{5\pi} \sin(250\pi t) + \frac{2}{7\pi} \sin(350\pi t)$$

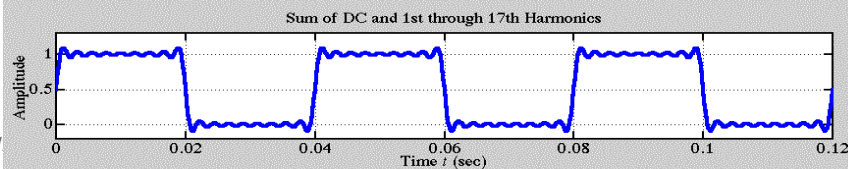
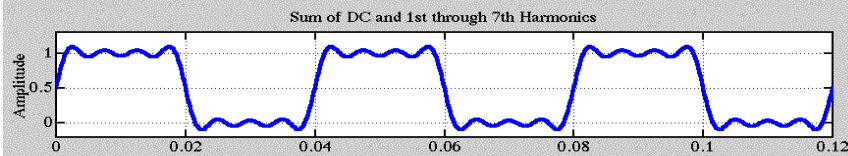
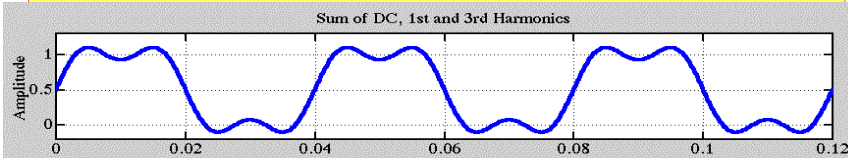


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Fourier Synthesis

$$x_N(t) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{\pi} \sin(\omega_0 t) + \frac{2}{3\pi} \sin(3\omega_0 t) + \dots$$

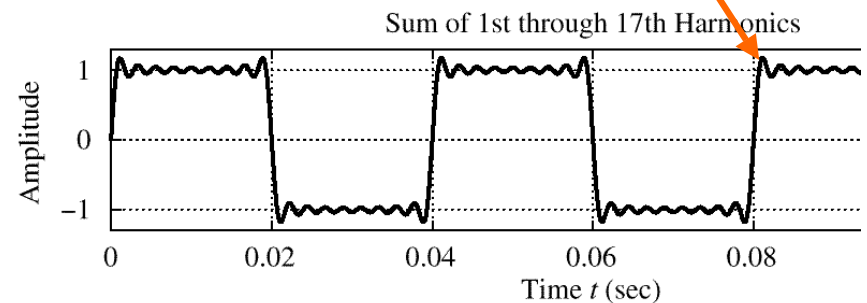


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Gibbs' Phenomenon

- Convergence at **DISCONTINUITY** of $x(t)$
 - There is always an **overshoot**
 - 9%** for the Square Wave case



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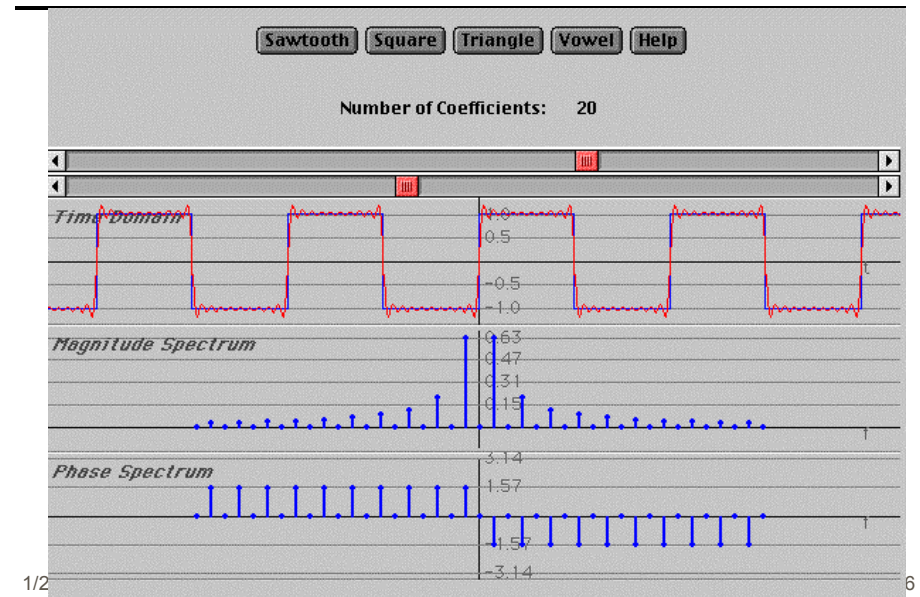
Fourier Series Demo

Fourier Series Java Applet

- Greg Slabaugh
- Interactive

<http://users.ece.gatech.edu/~slabaugh/java/fourier/fourier.html>

Fourier Series Java Applet



Bandlimited Signals

A bandlimited signal has all its frequencies below a certain limit ω_N .

- A square wave is *not* a bandlimited signal since its non-zero spectrum components go all the way up to infinity.
- Bandlimited signals are very smooth.
- Bandlimited signals can be sampled and then reconstructed exactly. This is the basis for all of modern communications and signal processing.