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Lecture 5

**Periodic Signals, Harmonics
& Time-Varying Sinusoids**

24-Jan-03

General Information

◆ **Bulletin Board: OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

◆ Old Quizzes & Problems are linked via WebCT

◆ **Quiz #1 on 31-Jan-03 (Friday)**

◆ Allowed one page of notes (Handwritten)

◆ Review Session planned

◆ **HW #3 due NEXT WEEK in Recitation**

◆ Solution will be posted at 7pm on Thurs

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Lab Info

◆ **Prepare** for On-line Pre-Post-Lab Questions

◆ Take advantage of Help Sessions

◆ **Lab #2 Report**

◆ Turn in at beginning your lab time

◆ Write-up lab report on Direction Finding

◆ Discuss lab report standards with your TA

◆ **Miscellaneous**

◆ **ERRORS ? ALWAYS Check Bulletin Board**

◆ Complete INSTRUCTOR VERIFICATION in Lab

The Rules

◆ **Quizzes**

◆ NO make-ups given

◆ Next Quiz would count for the one missed, IF excused

◆ **Excused Absence**

◆ Must be written (by an “official”)

◆ Notify ahead of time via e-mail

◆ **Consult “INFO” on Web-CT for more details**

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READING ASSIGNMENTS

◆ This Lecture:

- ◆ Chapter 3, Sections 3-2 and 3-3
- ◆ Chapter 3, Sections 3-7 and 3-8

◆ Next Lecture:

◆ Fourier Series ANALYSIS

- ◆ Sections 3-4, 3-5 and 3-6

Problem Solving Skills

◆ Math Formula

- ◆ Sum of Cosines
- ◆ Amp, Freq, Phase

◆ Plot & Sketches

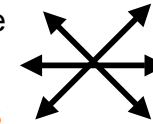
- ◆ S(t) versus t
- ◆ Spectrum

◆ Recorded Signals

- ◆ Speech
- ◆ Music
- ◆ No simple formula

◆ MATLAB

- ◆ Numerical
- ◆ Computation
- ◆ Plotting list of numbers



LECTURE OBJECTIVES

◆ Signals with HARMONIC Frequencies

- ◆ Add Sinusoids with $f_k = kf_0$

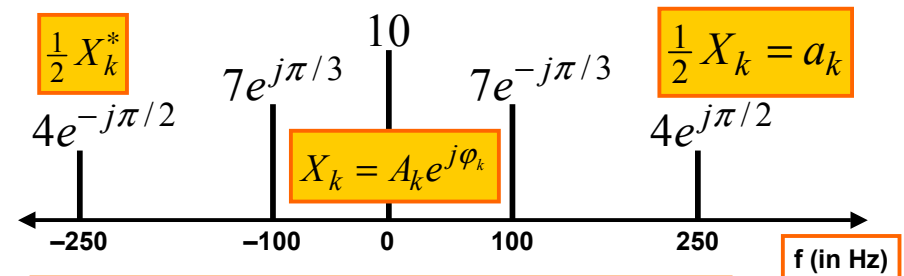
$$x(t) = A_0 + \sum_{k=1}^N A_k \cos(2\pi k f_0 t + \varphi_k)$$

◆ FREQUENCY can change vs. TIME

- ◆ Chirps: $x(t) = \cos(\alpha t^2)$
- ◆ Introduce Spectrogram Visualization (`specgram.m`) (`plotspec.m`)

SPECTRUM DIAGRAM

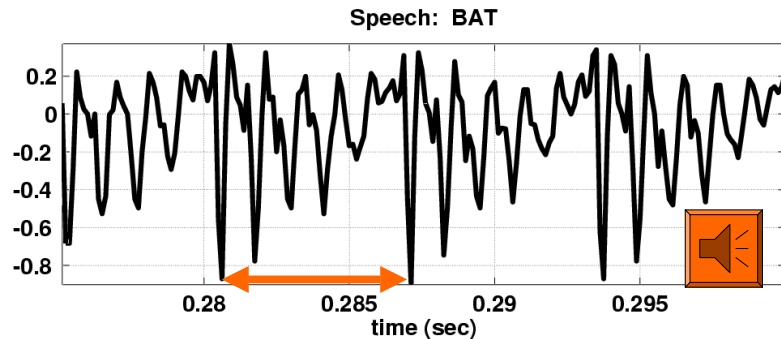
◆ Recall Complex Amplitude vs. Freq



$$x(t) = 10 + 14 \cos(2\pi(100)t - \pi/3) + 8 \cos(2\pi(250)t + \pi/2)$$

SPECTRUM for PERIODIC ?

- ◆ Nearly **Periodic** in the Vowel Region
 - ◆ Period is (Approximately) $T = 0.0065$ sec



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PERIODIC SIGNALS

- ◆ Repeat every T secs

- ◆ Definition

$$x(t) = x(t + T)$$

- ◆ Example:

$$x(t) = \cos^2(3t)$$

$$T = ?$$

$$T = \frac{2\pi}{3} \quad T = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

- ◆ Speech can be “quasi-periodic”

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Period of Complex Exponential

$$x(t) = e^{j\omega t}$$

$$x(t + T) = x(t) ?$$

Definition: Period is T

$$e^{j\omega(t+T)} = e^{j\omega t}$$

$$e^{j2\pi k} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow e^{j\omega T} = 1 \Rightarrow \omega T = 2\pi k$$

$$\omega = \frac{2\pi k}{T} = \left(\frac{2\pi}{T}\right)k = \omega_0 k$$

$k = \text{integer}$

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Harmonic Signal Spectrum

Therefore, we can only have: $f_k = k f_0$

$$x(t) = A_0 + \sum_{k=1}^N A_k \cos(2\pi k f_0 t + \phi_k)$$

$$f_0 = \frac{1}{T}$$

$$X_k = A_k e^{j\phi_k}$$

$$x(t) = X_0 + \sum_{k=1}^N \left\{ \frac{1}{2} X_k e^{j2\pi k f_0 t} + \frac{1}{2} X_k^* e^{-j2\pi k f_0 t} \right\}$$

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DEFINE FUNDAMENTAL

$$x(t) = A_0 + \sum_{k=1}^N A_k \cos(2\pi k f_0 t + \varphi_k)$$

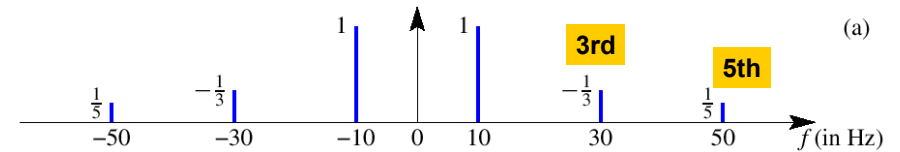
$$f_k = k f_0 \quad (\omega_0 = 2\pi f_0)$$

$$f_0 = \frac{1}{T_0}$$

f_0 = fundamental Frequency

T_0 = fundamental Period

Harmonic Signal (3 Freqs)

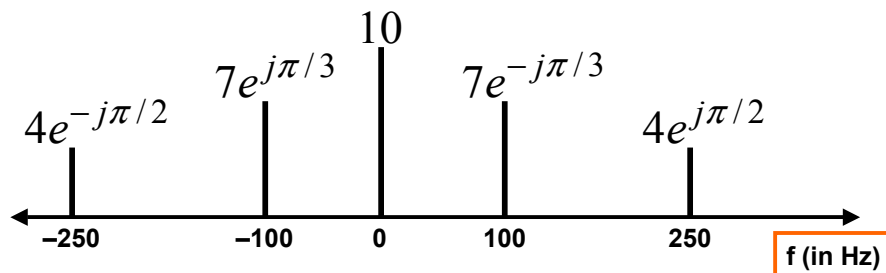


What is the fundamental frequency?

10 Hz

POP QUIZ: FUNDAMENTAL

◆ Here's another spectrum:

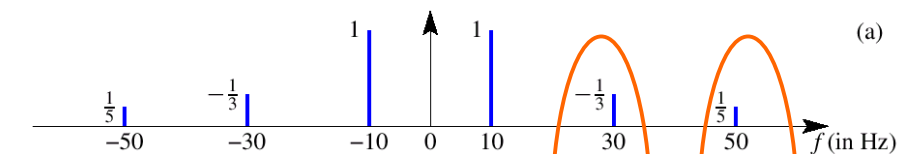


What is the fundamental frequency?

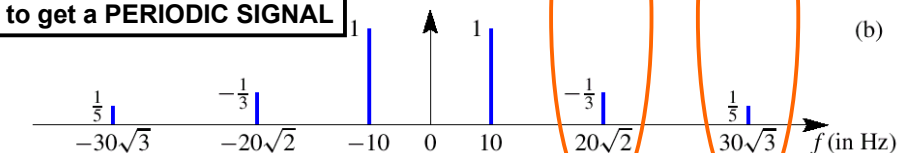
100 Hz ?

50 Hz ?

IRRATIONAL SPECTRUM

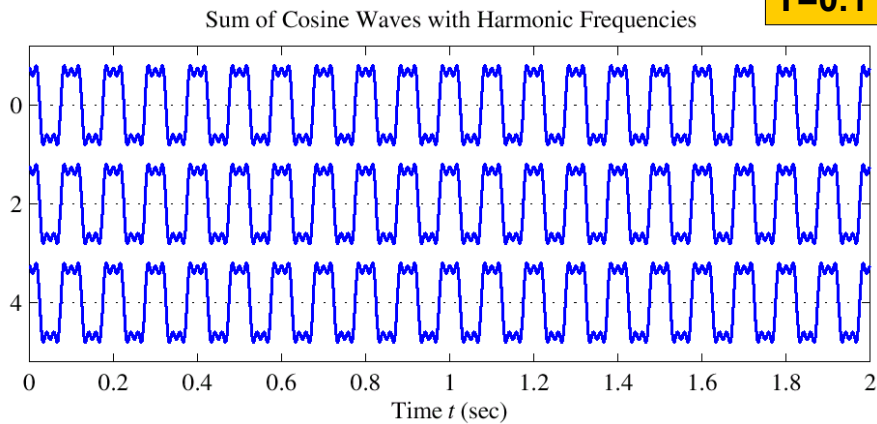


SPECIAL RELATIONSHIP
to get a PERIODIC SIGNAL



Harmonic Signal (3 Freqs)

T=0.1



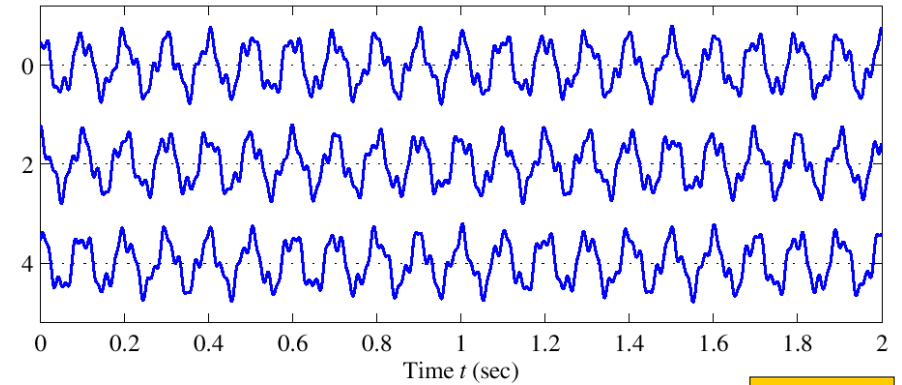
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NON-Harmonic Signal

Sum of Cosine Waves with Nonharmonic Frequencies



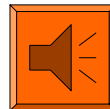
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NOT PERIODIC

FREQUENCY ANALYSIS

- ◆ Now, a much HARDER problem
- ◆ Given a recording of a song, have the computer write the music



- ◆ Can a machine extract frequencies?
 - ◆ Yes, if we COMPUTE the spectrum for $x(t)$
 - ◆ During short intervals

Time-Varying FREQUENCIES Diagram

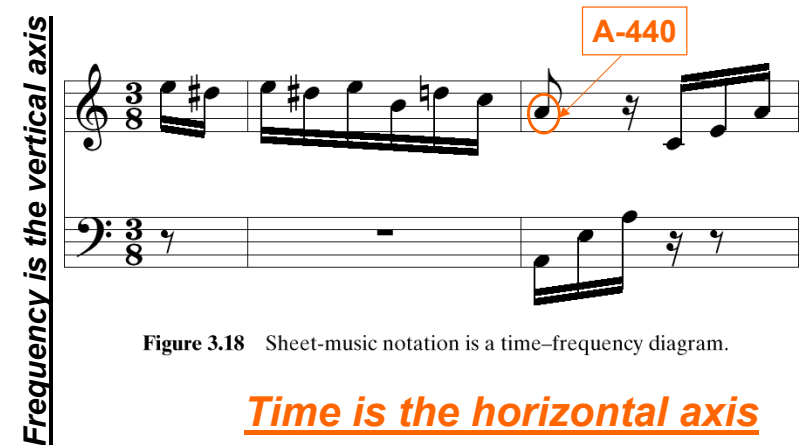


Figure 3.18 Sheet-music notation is a time-frequency diagram.

Time is the horizontal axis

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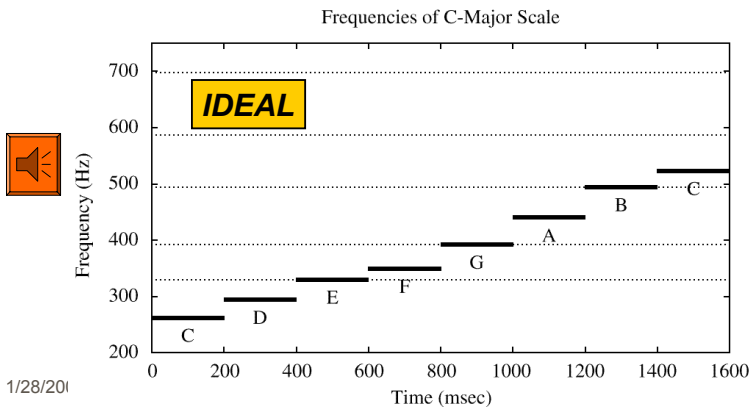
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SIMPLE TEST SIGNAL

- ◆ C-major SCALE: stepped frequencies
- ◆ Frequency is constant for each note



R-rated: ADULTS ONLY

- ◆ SPECTROGRAM Tool
 - ◆ MATLAB function is `specgram.m`
 - ◆ DSP First has `spectgr.m` (no plotting)
- ◆ **ANALYSIS** program
 - ◆ Takes $x(t)$ as input
 - ◆ Produces spectrum values X_k
 - ◆ Breaks $x(t)$ into **SHORT TIME SEGMENTS**
 - ◆ Then uses the FFT (Fast Fourier Transform)

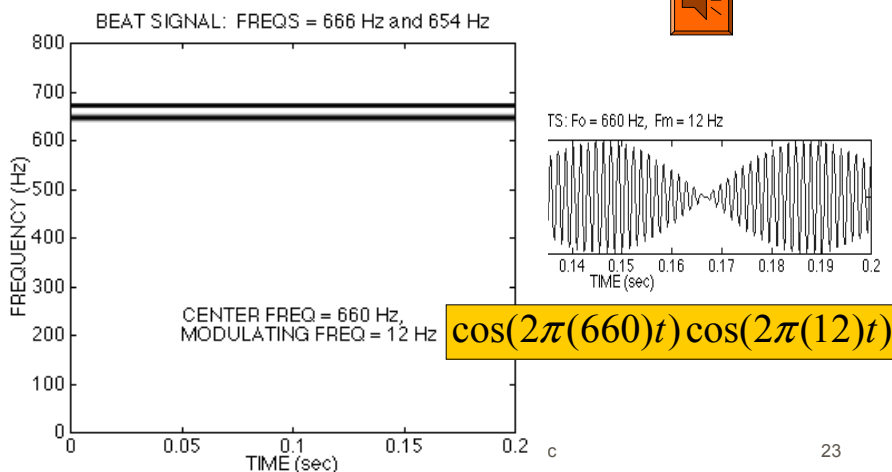
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SPECTROGRAM EXAMPLE

- ◆ Two **Constant** Frequencies: Beats



AM Radio Signal

- ◆ Same as BEAT Notes

$$\cos(2\pi(660)t)\cos(2\pi(12)t)$$

BEATS: Fo = 660 Hz, Fm = 12 Hz

$$\frac{1}{2} \left(e^{j2\pi(660)t} + e^{-j2\pi(660)t} \right) \frac{1}{2} \left(e^{j2\pi(12)t} + e^{-j2\pi(12)t} \right)$$

$$\frac{1}{4} \left(e^{j2\pi(672)t} + e^{-j2\pi(672)t} + e^{j2\pi(648)t} + e^{-j2\pi(648)t} \right)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \cos(\pi(672)t) + \frac{1}{2} \cos(2\pi(648)t)$$

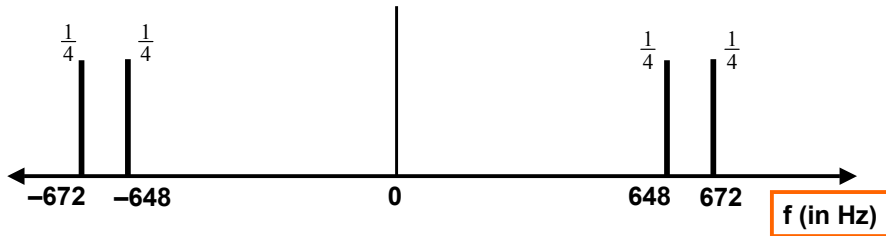
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SPECTRUM of AM (Beat)

◆ 4 complex exponentials in AM:



What is the fundamental frequency?

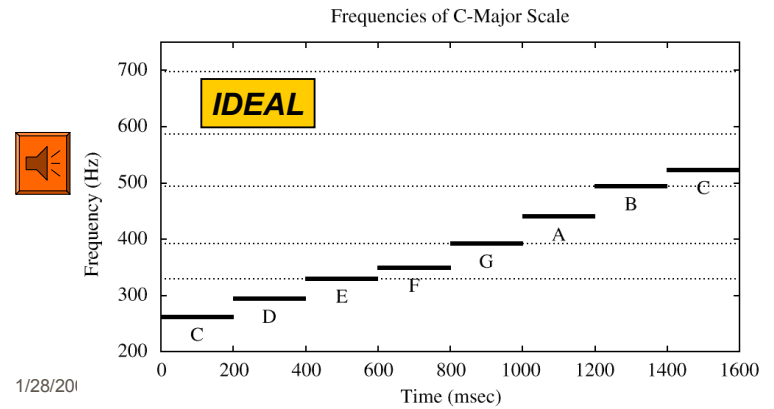
648 Hz ?

24 Hz ?

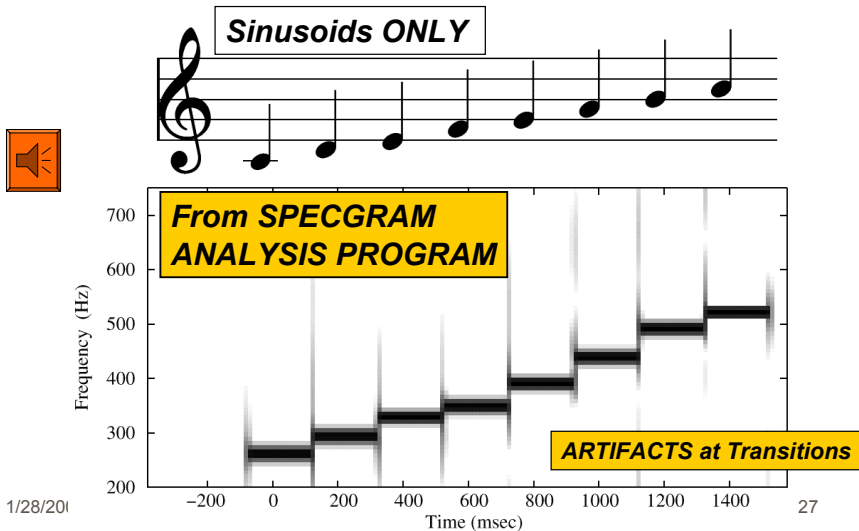
STEPPED FREQUENCIES

◆ C-major SCALE: successive sinusoids

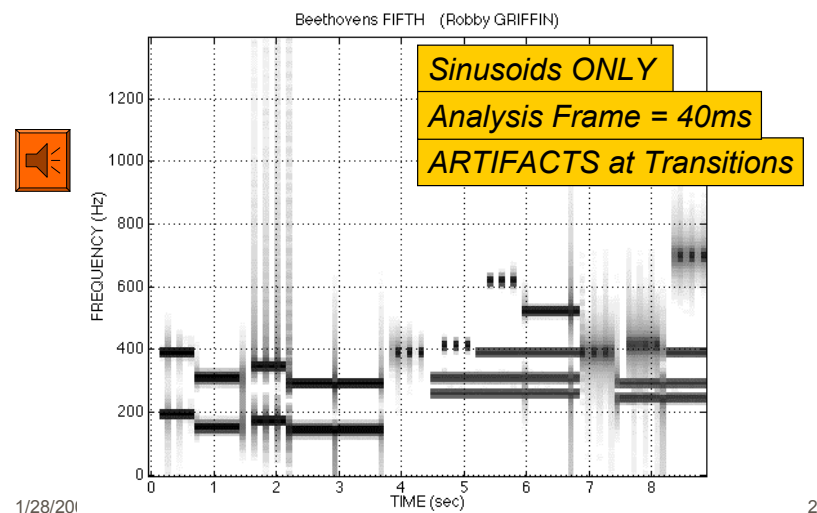
◆ Frequency is constant for each note



SPECTROGRAM of C-Scale



Spectrogram of LAB SONG



Time-Varying Frequency

- ◆ Frequency can change **vs. time**

- ◆ Continuously, not stepped

- ◆ **FREQUENCY MODULATION (FM)**

$$x(t) = \cos(2\pi f_c t + v(t))$$

VOICE

- ◆ CHIRP SIGNALS 

- ◆ Linear Frequency Modulation (LFM)

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New Signal: Linear FM

- ◆ Called **Chirp** Signals (LFM)

- ◆ Quadratic phase

QUADRATIC

$$x(t) = A \cos(\alpha t^2 + 2\pi f_0 t + \varphi)$$

- ◆ Freq will change **LINEARLY** vs. time

- ◆ Example of Frequency Modulation (FM)

- ◆ Define “instantaneous frequency”

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INSTANTANEOUS FREQ

- ◆ Definition

$$x(t) = A \cos(\psi(t))$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_i(t) = \frac{d}{dt} \psi(t)$$

Derivative
of the “Angle”

- ◆ For Sinusoid:

$$x(t) = A \cos(2\pi f_0 t + \varphi)$$

$$\psi(t) = 2\pi f_0 t + \varphi$$

Makes sense

$$\Rightarrow \omega_i(t) = \frac{d}{dt} \psi(t) = 2\pi f_0$$

INSTANTANEOUS FREQ of the Chirp

- ◆ **Chirp** Signals have Quadratic phase

- ◆ Freq will change **LINEARLY** vs. time

$$x(t) = A \cos(\alpha t^2 + \beta t + \varphi)$$

$$\Rightarrow \psi(t) = \alpha t^2 + \beta t + \varphi$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_i(t) = \frac{d}{dt} \psi(t) = 2\alpha t + \beta$$

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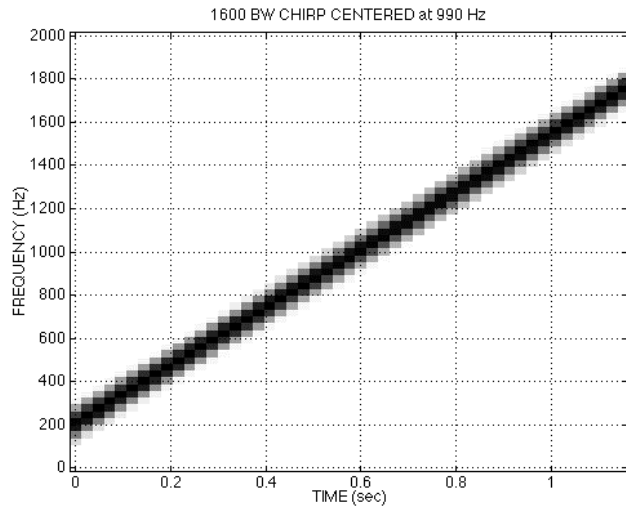
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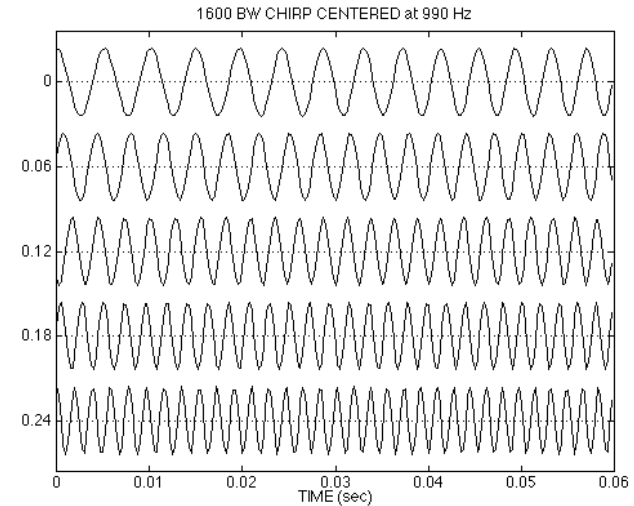
CHIRP SPECTROGRAM



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CHIRP WAVEFORM



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OTHER CHIRPS

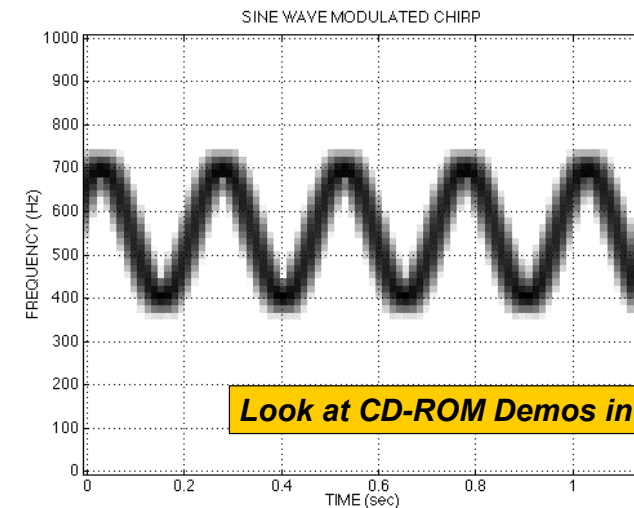
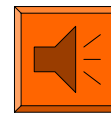
- ◆ $\psi(t)$ can be anything:

$$x(t) = A \cos(\alpha \cos(\beta t) + \varphi)$$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_i(t) = \frac{d}{dt} \psi(t) = -\alpha \sin(\beta t)$$

- ◆ $\psi(t)$ could be speech or music:
 - ◆ FM radio broadcast

SINE-WAVE FREQUENCY MODULATION (FM)



Look at CD-ROM Demos in Ch 3

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