

## EE2023 TUTORIAL 2 (SOLUTIONS)

### Solution to Q.1

Description of  $x(t)$ :

- $x(t)$  is a REAL & EVEN function of  $t$
- $x(t)$  has an average (or DC) value of 2
- $x(t)$  is APERIODIC
- $x(t)$  is a POWER SIGNAL
- $x(t)$  is a dc + sum of three real cosines
- Zero-frequency component has value 2
- $\{\pi, \pi^2, \pi^3\}$  ..... has no common factor
- $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Spectrum is defined only at discrete} \\ \text{frequency points (sum of sinusoids)} \end{array} \right.$

Since  $x(t)$  is non-periodic, it does not have a Fourier series expansion.

### Solution to Q.2

- (a) The fundamental frequency of  $x(t) = 6\sin(12\pi t) + 4\exp\left(j\left(8\pi t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)\right) + 2$  is  $\begin{cases} f_p = \text{HCF}\{6, 4\} = 2 \\ T_p = 0.5 \end{cases}$ .

*Re-write  $x(t)$  as a sum of weighted zero-phase complex exponentials and arrange the terms in ascending frequency order:*

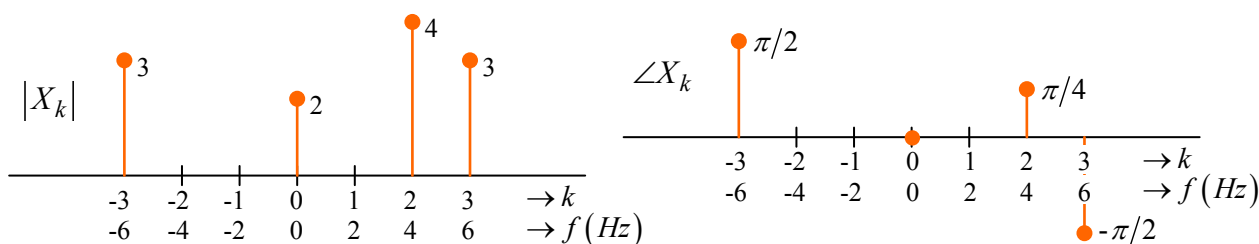
$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= \frac{6}{j2} [\exp(j12\pi t) - \exp(-j12\pi t)] + 4\exp(j\pi/4)\exp(j8\pi t) + 2 \\ &= j3\exp(-j12\pi t) + 2 + 4\exp(j\pi/4)\exp(j8\pi t) - j3\exp(j12\pi t) \end{aligned} \quad (1)$$

*Express  $x(t)$  as a complex exponential Fourier series:*

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} X_k \exp\left(j2\pi \frac{k}{T_p} t\right) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} X_k \exp(j4\pi k t) \\ &= \left( \begin{array}{l} \cdots + X_{-3} \exp(-j12\pi t) + X_{-2} \exp(-j8\pi t) + X_{-1} \exp(-j4\pi t) \\ \quad \quad \quad + X_0 \\ \quad + X_1 \exp(j4\pi t) + X_2 \exp(j8\pi t) + X_3 \exp(j12\pi t) + \cdots \end{array} \right) \end{aligned} \quad (2)$$

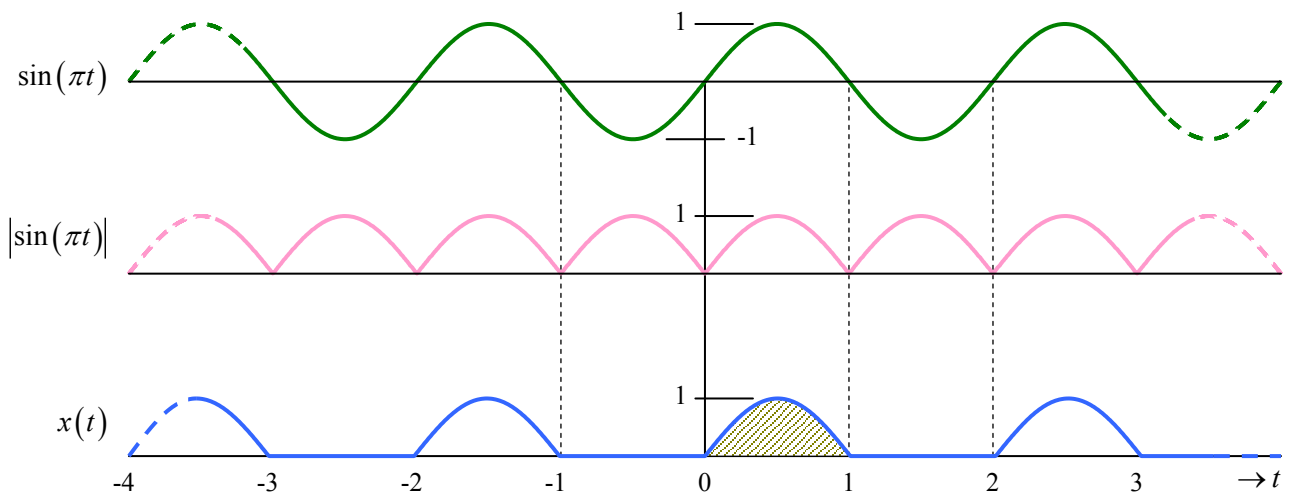
Comparing coefficients of complex exponential terms in (1) and (2), we conclude that:

$$X_{-3} = j3, \quad X_0 = 2, \quad X_2 = 4\exp\left(j\frac{\pi}{4}\right), \quad X_3 = -j3 \quad \text{and} \quad [X_k = 0; k \neq 0, 2, \pm 3].$$



**Remarks:** If a periodic signal is given as a sum of sinusoids, then its Fourier series coefficients can be evaluated using the above method without the need to perform any integration.

(b)  $x(t) = \frac{1}{2}(|\sin(\pi t)| + \sin(\pi t))$ : Half-wave rectification of  $\sin(\pi t)$ .



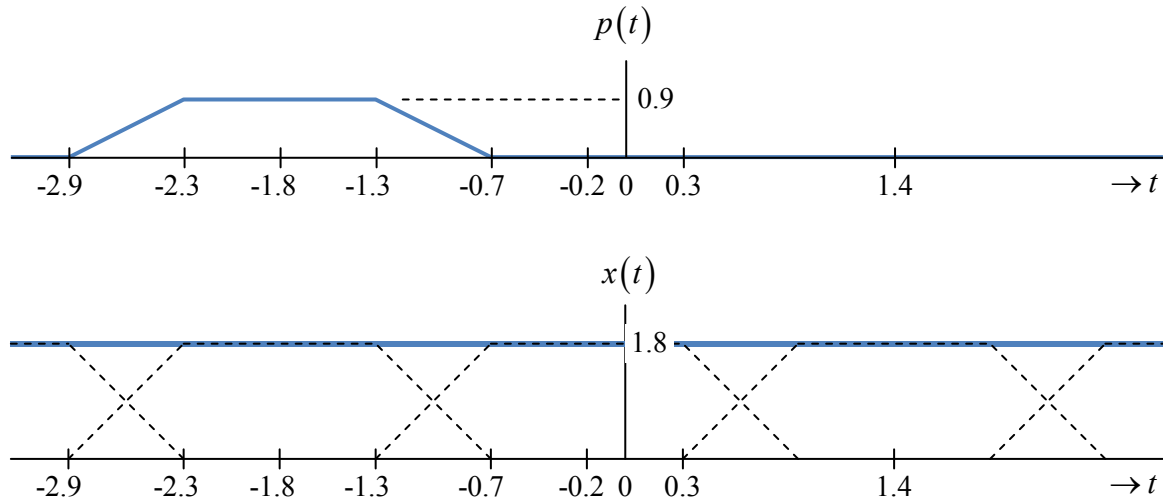
Period of  $x(t)$ :  $T = 2$

Coefficients of complex exponential Fourier series expansion of  $x(t)$ :

$$\begin{aligned}
 X_k &= \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T x(t) \exp(-j2\pi kt/T) dt = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^2 x(t) \exp(-j\pi kt) dt \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \sin(\pi t) \exp(-j\pi kt) dt \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{1}{j2} [\exp(j\pi t) - \exp(-j\pi t)] \exp(-j\pi kt) dt \\
 &= \frac{1}{j4} \int_0^1 \exp(-j\pi(k-1)t) - \exp(-j\pi(k+1)t) dt \\
 &= \frac{1}{j4} \left[ \frac{\exp(-j\pi(k-1)t)}{-j\pi(k-1)} - \frac{\exp(-j\pi(k+1)t)}{-j\pi(k+1)} \right]_0^1 \\
 &= \frac{1}{j4} \left[ \left( \frac{\exp(-j\pi(k-1))}{-j\pi(k-1)} - \frac{\exp(-j\pi(k+1))}{-j\pi(k+1)} \right) - \left( \frac{1}{-j\pi(k-1)} - \frac{1}{-j\pi(k+1)} \right) \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{j4} \left[ \exp(-j\pi k) \left( \frac{-1}{-j\pi(k-1)} - \frac{-1}{-j\pi(k+1)} \right) + \left( \frac{-1}{-j\pi(k-1)} - \frac{-1}{-j\pi(k+1)} \right) \right] \\
 &= \frac{\exp(-j\pi k) + 1}{2\pi(1-k^2)} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{\pi(1-k^2)}; & k \text{ even} \\ j/4; & k = -1 \\ -j/4; & k = 1 \\ 0; & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Solution to Q.3**

Graphically, we observe that  $x(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} 2p(t-1.6n) = 1.8$ .

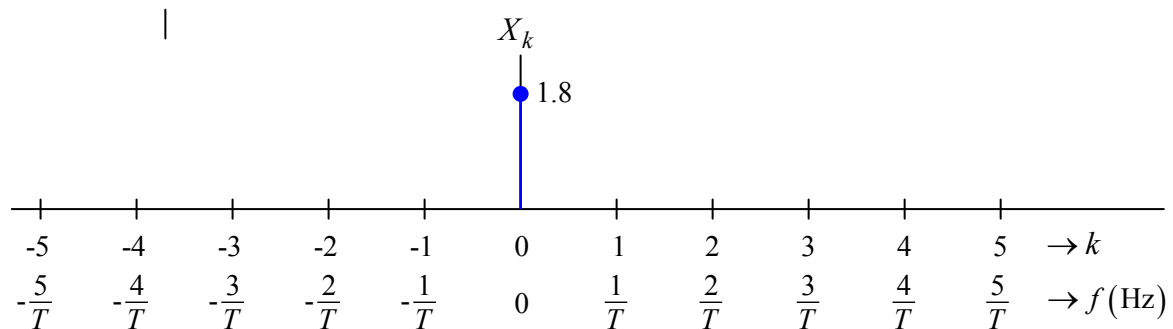
**By Deduction:**

- $x(t)$  has a zero-frequency component of value 1.8, which implies that  $X_0 = 1.8$ .
- $x(t)$  has no non-zero frequency components, which implies that  $X_k = 0$ ;  $k \neq 0$ .

**By Derivation:**

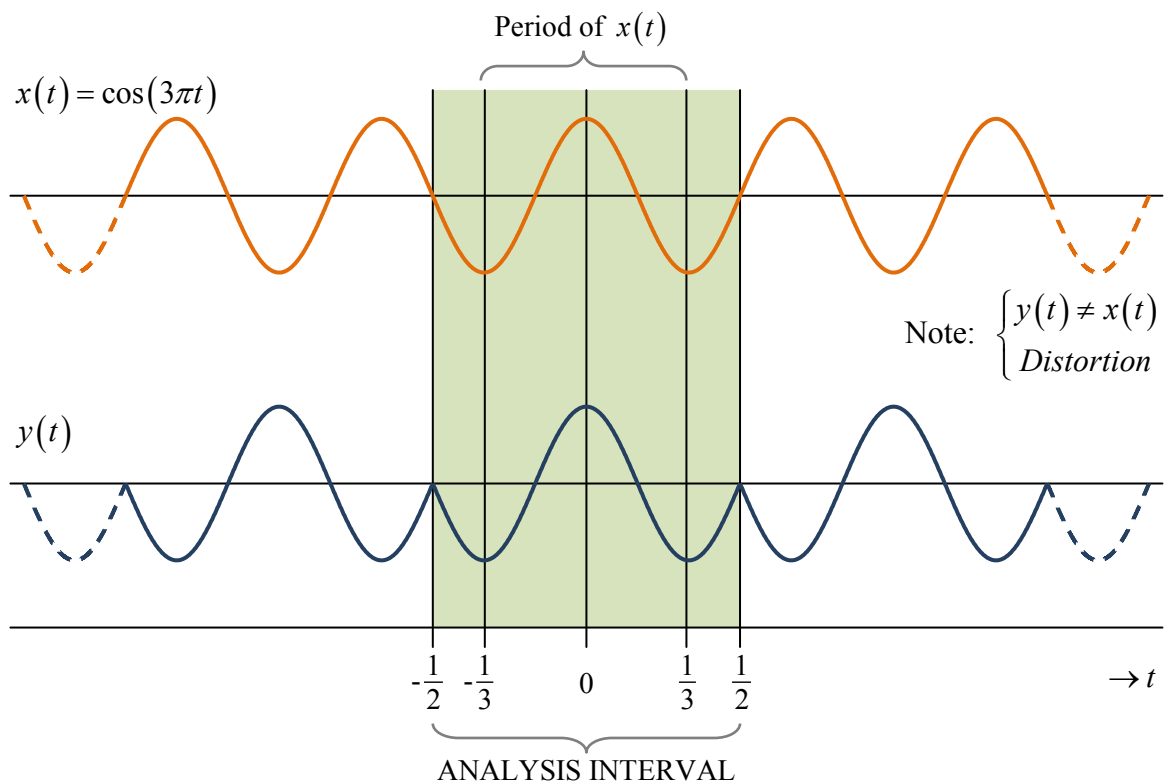
Since  $x(t)$  is a constant (or a DC signal), it may be treated as a periodic signal of arbitrary period  $T$ , where  $0 < T < \infty$ . Its Fourier series coefficients can thus be computed as

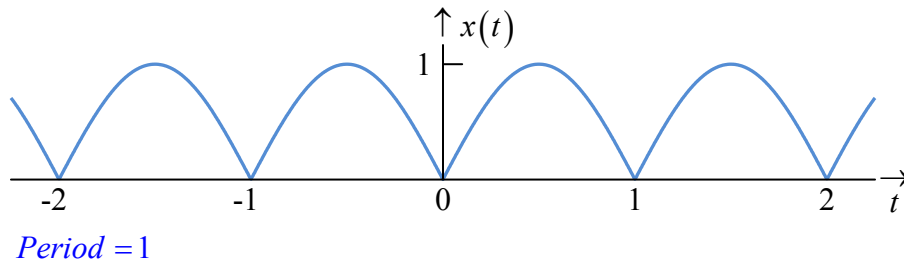
$$\begin{aligned}
 X_k &= \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} 1.8 \exp\left(-j2\pi \frac{k}{T} t\right) dt = \frac{1.8}{T} \left[ \frac{\exp(-j2\pi kt/T)}{-j2\pi k/T} \right]_{-T/2}^{T/2} \\
 &= \frac{1.8}{T} \left[ \frac{\exp(-j\pi k)}{-j2\pi k/T} - \frac{\exp(j\pi k)}{-j2\pi k/T} \right] \\
 &= 1.8 \frac{\sin(\pi k)}{\pi k} = 1.8 \operatorname{sinc}(k) = \begin{cases} 1.8; & k = 0 \\ 0; & k \neq 0 \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$



## Solution to Q.4

- (a) The analysis subsystem computes the Fourier series coefficients,  $\mu_k$ , of an input periodic signal of period equal to 1.
- (b) The synthesis subsystem uses  $\mu_k$  as Fourier series coefficients to synthesize an output periodic signal of period equal to 1.
- (c) The analysis subsystem uses an analysis interval of 1 (from -0.5 to 0.5). Thus, the segment  $[x(t); |t| \leq 0.5]$  is implicitly treated by the system as one period of the input signal although the actual period of  $x(t)$  is  $2/3$ . The output signal is simply obtained by replicating the segment  $[x(t); |t| \leq 0.5]$  at regular intervals of duration 1. With this notion we may sketch  $y(t)$  without the need to compute  $y(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \mu_k \exp(j2\pi kt)$ .



**Solution to S.1****(a)****(b)**

$$\begin{aligned}
 X_k &= \frac{1}{1} \int_0^1 \sin(\pi t) \exp(-j2\pi kt) dt \\
 &= \frac{1}{j2} \int_0^1 [\exp(j\pi t) - \exp(-j\pi t)] \exp(-j2\pi kt) dt \\
 &= \frac{1}{j2} \int_0^1 \exp[j\pi(1-2k)t] - \exp[-j\pi(1+2k)t] dt \\
 &= \frac{1}{j2} \left[ \frac{\exp[j\pi(1-2k)t]}{j\pi(1-2k)} - \frac{\exp[-j\pi(1+2k)t]}{-j\pi(1+2k)} \right]_0^1 \\
 &= \frac{1}{j2} \left[ \frac{\exp[j\pi(1-2k)] - 1}{j\pi(1-2k)} - \frac{\exp[-j\pi(1+2k)] - 1}{-j\pi(1+2k)} \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{\pi(2k+1)} - \frac{1}{\pi(2k-1)} = -\frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{4k^2 - 1}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} X_k \exp(j2\pi kt) = -\frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4k^2 - 1} \exp(j2\pi kt)$$

**(c)**

$$a_k = \frac{X_{-k} + X_k}{2} = -\frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{4k^2 - 1}$$

$$b_k = \frac{X_{-k} - X_k}{j2} = 0$$

$$x(t) = a_0 + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k \cos(2\pi kt) + b_k \sin(2\pi kt) = \frac{2}{\pi} - \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{4k^2 - 1} \cos(2\pi kt)$$

**Solution to S.2**

$$\begin{aligned}
X_k &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} t^2 \exp(-jkt) dt = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left( \left[ t^2 \frac{\exp(-jkt)}{-jk} \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} - \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} 2t \frac{\exp(-jkt)}{-jk} dt \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left( \left[ t^2 \frac{\exp(-jkt)}{-jk} \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} - \left[ 2t \frac{\exp(-jkt)}{(-jk)^2} \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} + \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} 2 \frac{\exp(-jkt)}{(-jk)^2} dt \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left( \left[ t^2 \frac{\exp(-jkt)}{-jk} \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} - \left[ 2t \frac{\exp(-jkt)}{(-jk)^2} \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} + \left[ 2 \frac{\exp(-jkt)}{(-jk)^3} \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} \right) \\
&= \pi \left[ \frac{\sin(\pi k)}{k} \right] + \left[ \frac{2 \cos(\pi k)}{k^2} \right] - \frac{2}{\pi} \left[ \frac{\sin(\pi k)}{k^3} \right] \\
&= \pi^2 \left[ \frac{\sin(\pi k)}{\pi k} \right] + \left[ \frac{2\pi k \cos(\pi k) - 2 \sin(\pi k)}{\pi k^3} \right] = \begin{cases} 2(-1)^k / k^2; & k \neq 0 \\ \pi^2/3; & k = 0 \end{cases}
\end{aligned}$$

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} X_k \exp(jkt) = \frac{\pi^2}{3} + \sum_{\substack{k=-\infty \\ k \neq 0}}^{\infty} \frac{2(-1)^k}{k^2} \exp(jkt) = \frac{\pi^2}{3} + 4 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k^2} \cos(kt)$$

**Solution to S.3**

$$\begin{aligned}
x(t) &= C_0 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} C_k \cos\left(2\pi \frac{k}{T_0} t - \theta_k\right) \\
&= \underbrace{C_0}_{a_0} + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \underbrace{0.5 C_k \cos(\theta_k)}_{a_k} \cos\left(2\pi \frac{k}{T_0} t\right) + \underbrace{0.5 C_k \sin(\theta_k)}_{b_k} \sin\left(2\pi \frac{k}{T_0} t\right)
\end{aligned}$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} X_{-k} &= X_k^* \quad (\because x(t) \text{ is real}) \\ a_k &= \frac{X_{-k} + X_k}{2} = \operatorname{Re}[X_k] \\ b_k &= \frac{X_{-k} - X_k}{j2} = -\operatorname{Im}[X_k] \end{aligned} \right\} \rightarrow \begin{cases} C_0 = a_0 = X_0 \\ C_k = 2\sqrt{a_k^2 + b_k^2} = \sqrt{\operatorname{Re}^2[X_k] + \operatorname{Im}^2[X_k]} = 2|X_k| \\ \theta_k = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{b_k}{a_k}\right) = -\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\operatorname{Im}[X_k]}{\operatorname{Re}[X_k]}\right) \end{cases}$$