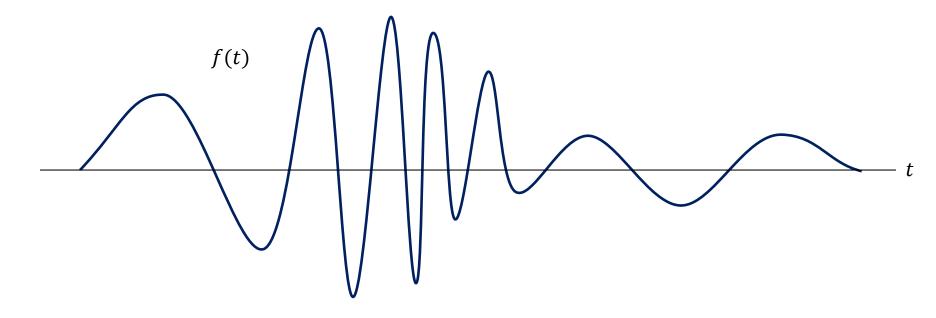
# Speech Signal Fundamentals I

# "Signals"

• Functions of "independent variables"



waveform => time-domain signal

# Signal Dimension

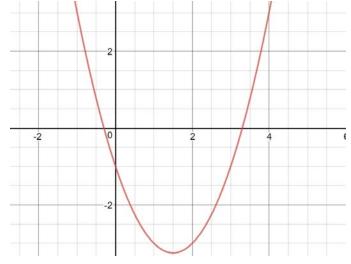
 = No. of variables needed to represent the signals

Speech Image Video

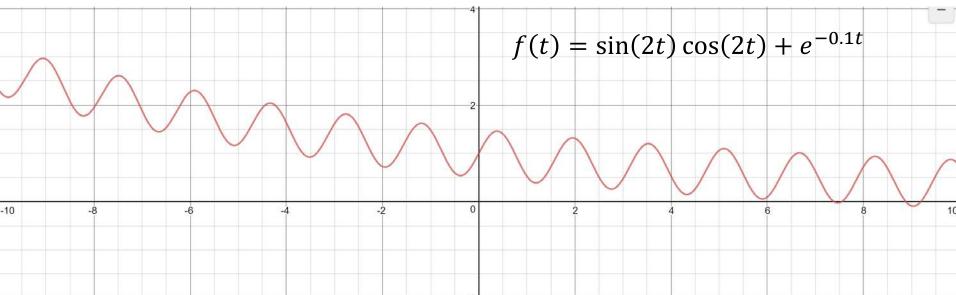
Stereo Sounds RGB values of images

# Deterministic Signals



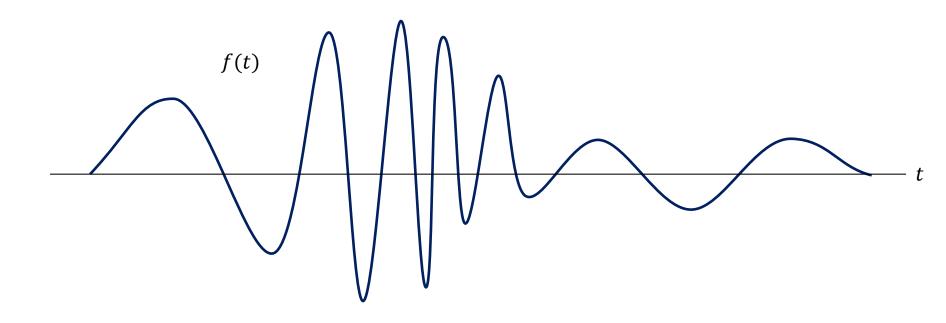


$$f(t) = t^2 - 3t - 8$$

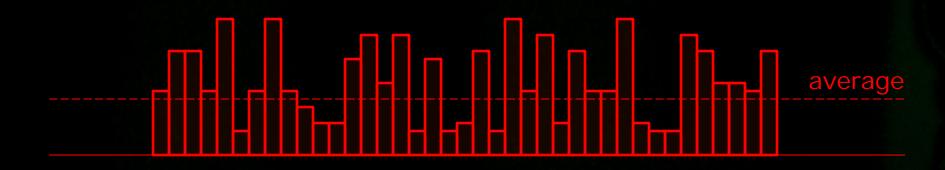


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# Deterministic Signals

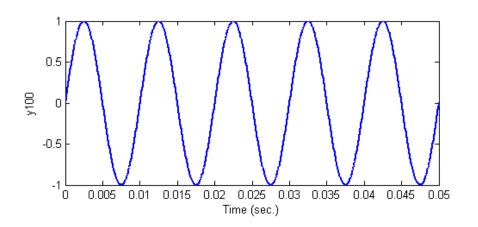


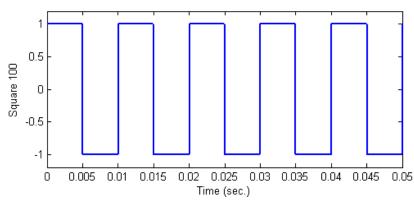
# Random Signals





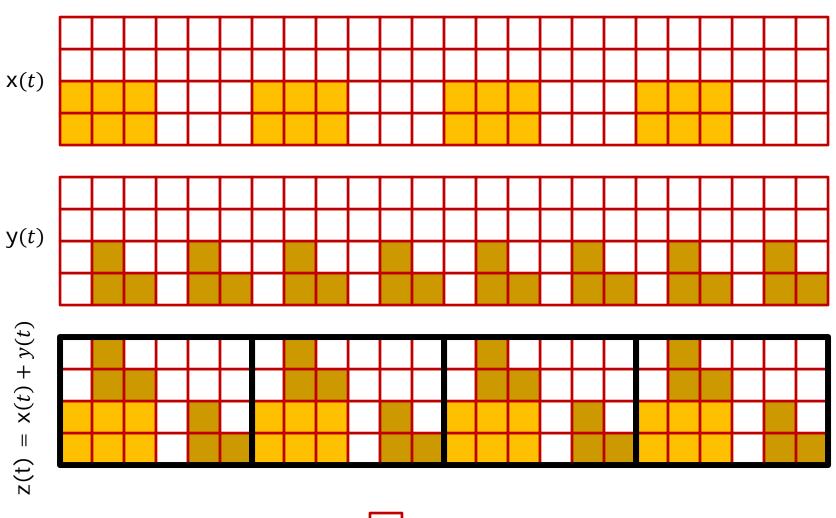
# Periodicity





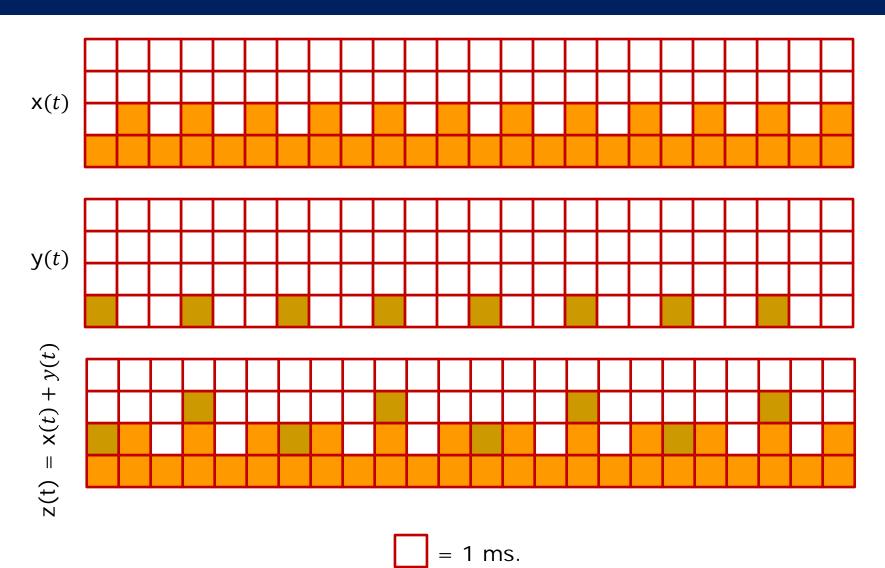
• A "Periodic Signal" is a signal that ...

# Linear Combination of Periodic Signals



$$= 1 \text{ ms}.$$

# Linear Combination of Periodic Signals



# Linear Combination of Periodic Signals

$$s(t) = x_1(t) + x_2(t) + ... + x_k(t)$$

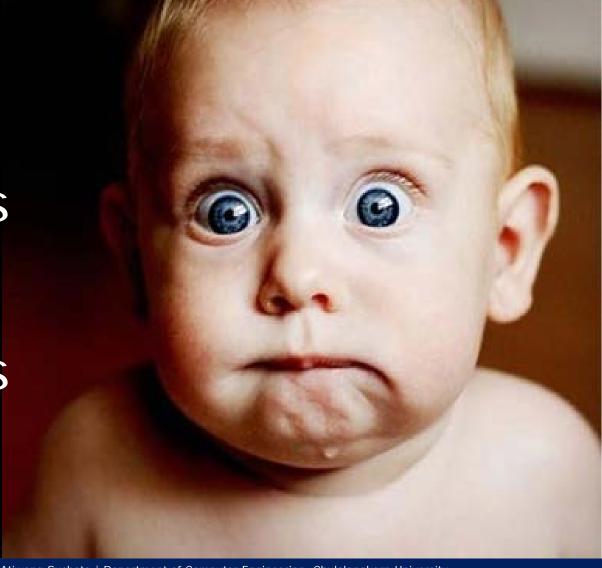
$$T_s =$$

# Our Friendly Signals

Impulses

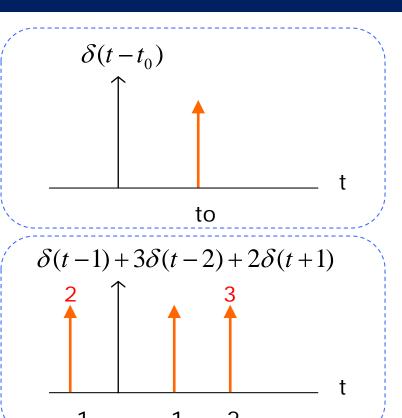
Sinusoids

Complex Sinusoids



## **Impulse**

$$\mathcal{S}(t-t_0) = \begin{cases} \infty & ; \quad t = t_0 \\ 0 & ; \quad t \neq t_0 \end{cases}$$
and
$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \mathcal{S}(t-t_0) dt = 1$$



# Sinusoidal Signal

$$y = A\sin(2\pi f t + \phi)$$

$$f = 100Hz.$$

$$\phi = 0$$

$$f = 100Hz.$$

$$\phi = \pi$$

$$f = 200Hz.$$

$$\phi = 0$$

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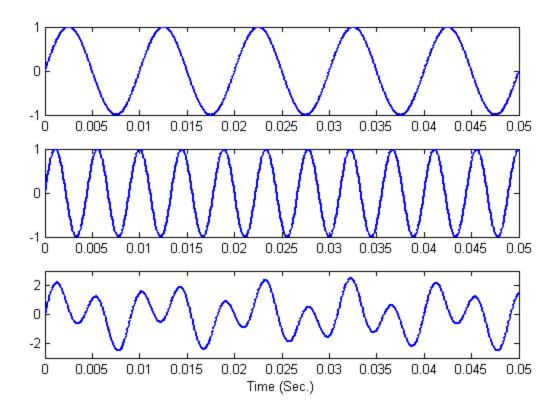
# Linear Combination of Signals

$$s = a_1 y_1 + a_2 y_2 + \dots + a_N y_N$$

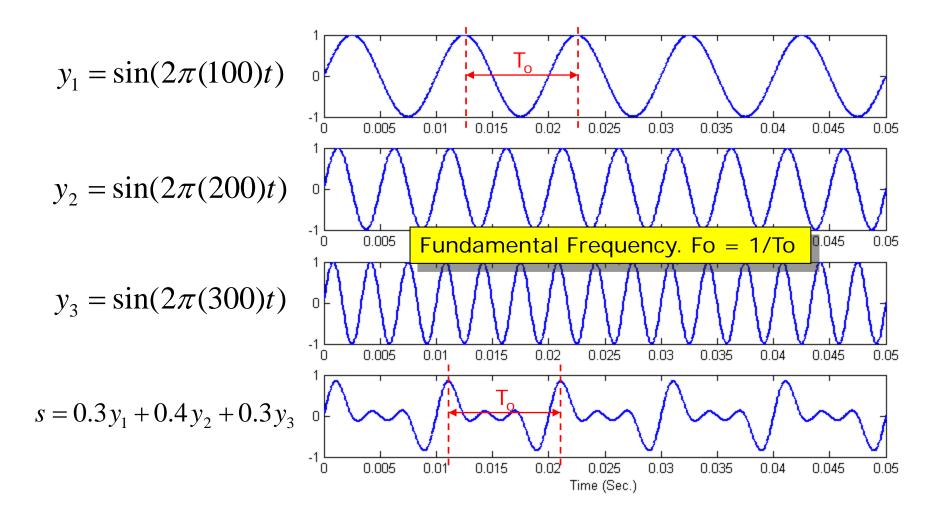
$$y_1 = \sin(2\pi(100)t)$$

$$y_2 = \sin(2\pi(225)t)$$

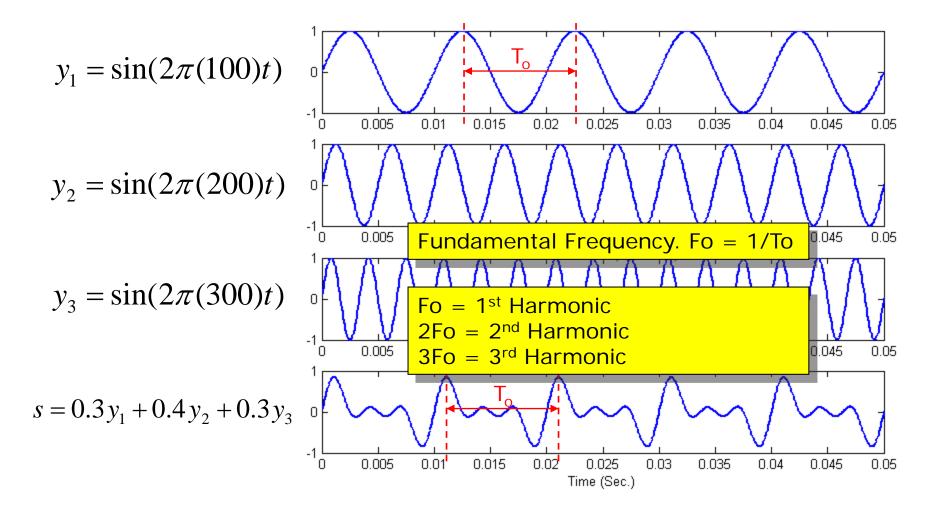
$$s = y_1 + 1.5y_2$$



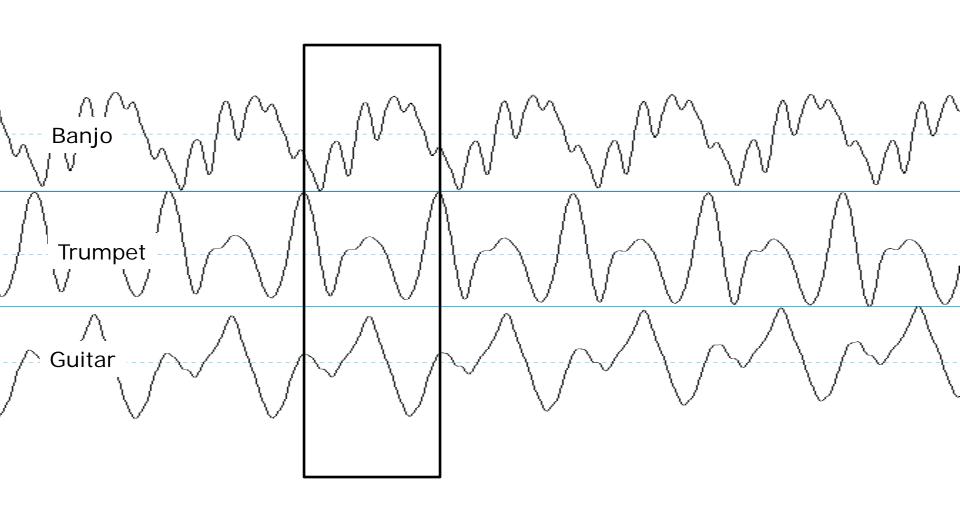
# Fundamental Frequency and Harmonics



## Fundamental Frequency and Harmonics



# A Single Note of Musical Instruments



## Complex Sinusoids

$$s(t) = Ae^{j(2\pi ft + \emptyset)}$$
  
=  $A\cos(2\pi ft + \emptyset) + jA\sin(2\pi ft + \emptyset)$ 

Basis function of Fourier Transform

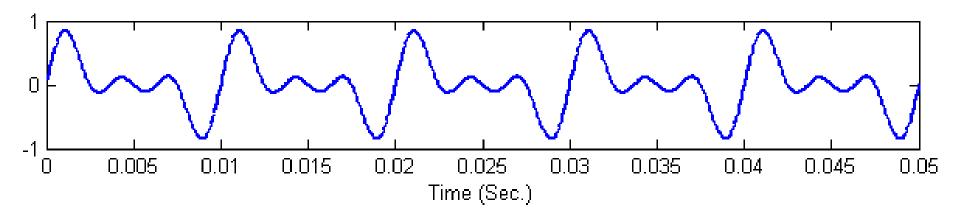
#### See animation:

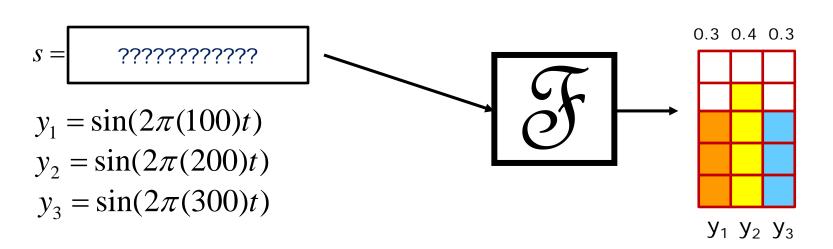
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# Our Friendly Signals

Exciting a "Transfer function" in a Linear System Impulses **Building block of Discrete-time Signal** Sinusoids Simple harmonic vibration Complex Re. & Im. components of Complex sinusoids Sinusoids Basis function of Fourier Transform

#### Fourier Transform





# How does Fourier Transform work? : Basis Functions

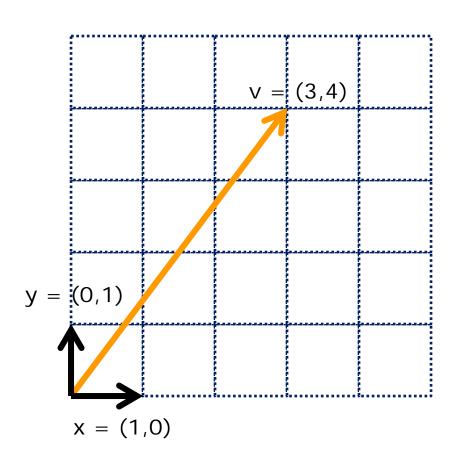
Every continuous function in the function space can be represented as:

A linear combination of basis functions

(just as every vector in a vector space can be represented as a linear combination of basis vectors)

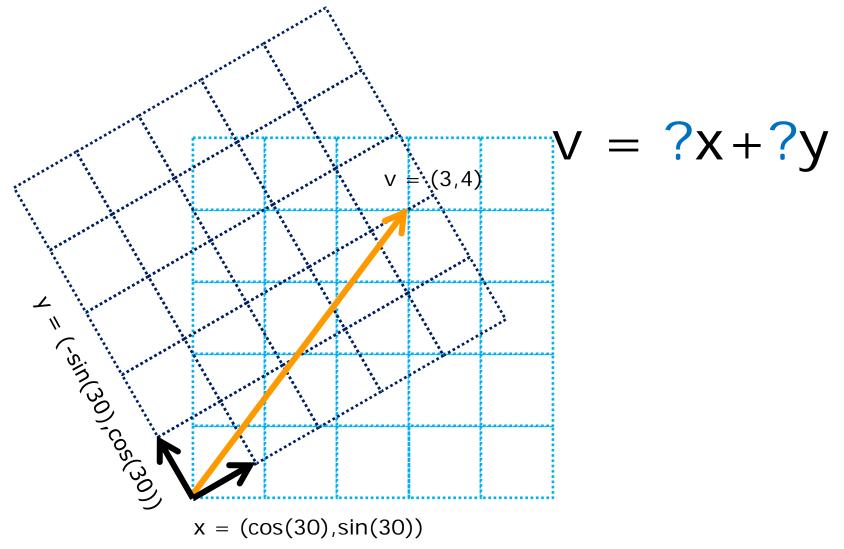
# How does Fourier Transform work?: Vector Decomposition

Draw an analogy from a 2D Vector space

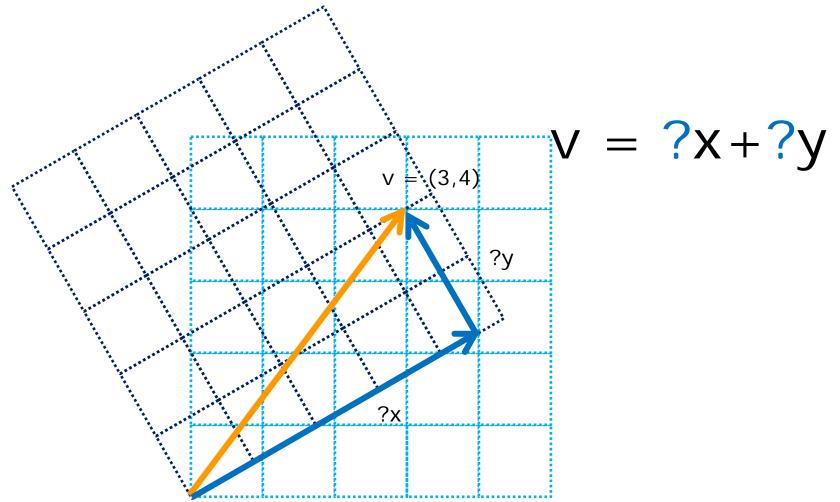


$$v = 3x + 4y$$

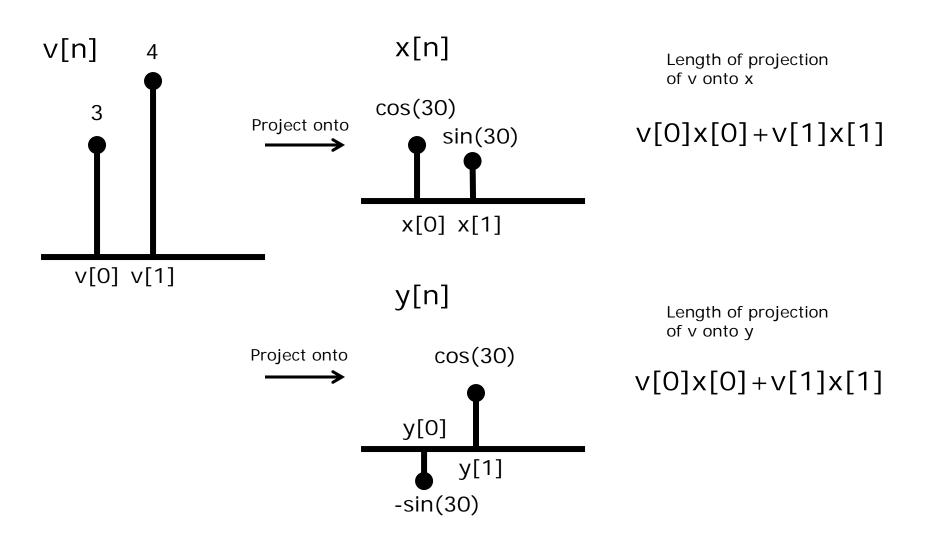
# How does Fourier Transform work?: Vector Decomposition



# How does Fourier Transform work?: Vector Decomposition



# How does Fourier Transform work?: Vectors & Functions

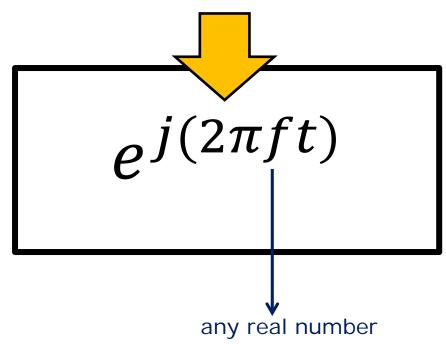


# How does Fourier Transform work?: Inner Product of Complex Vectors

$$\langle x, y \rangle = x_1 \bar{y}_1 + x_2 \bar{y}_2 + \dots + x_k \bar{y}_k$$
Complex Conjugate

#### **Fourier Basis Functions**

Every continuous function can be represented as a linear combination of basis functions.



### Continuous-Time Fourier Transform (CTFT)

$$x(t) \Leftrightarrow \Im(x(t)) = X(f)$$

Fourier Transform 
$$\mathcal{F}(x(t))$$
  $X(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j2\pi ft}dt$ 

Inverse Fourier Transform  $x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j2\pi ft}dt$ 
 $x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f)e^{j2\pi ft}df$ 

## Continuous-Time Fourier Transform (CTFT)

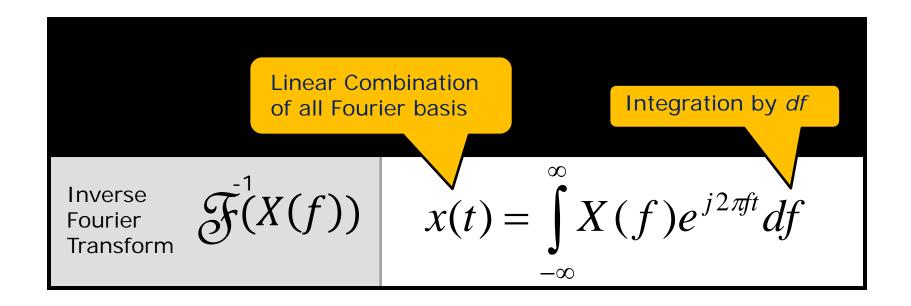
$$x(t) \Leftrightarrow \mathfrak{I}(x(t)) = X(f)$$
Complex Conjugate of the Fourier basis with Fo =  $f$ 

Fourier Transform  $\mathfrak{F}(x(t))$  X(f) =

Projection of x(t) onto this basis

### Continuous-Time Fourier Transform (CTFT)

$$x(t) \Leftrightarrow \Im(x(t)) = X(f)$$



### Magnitude and Phase

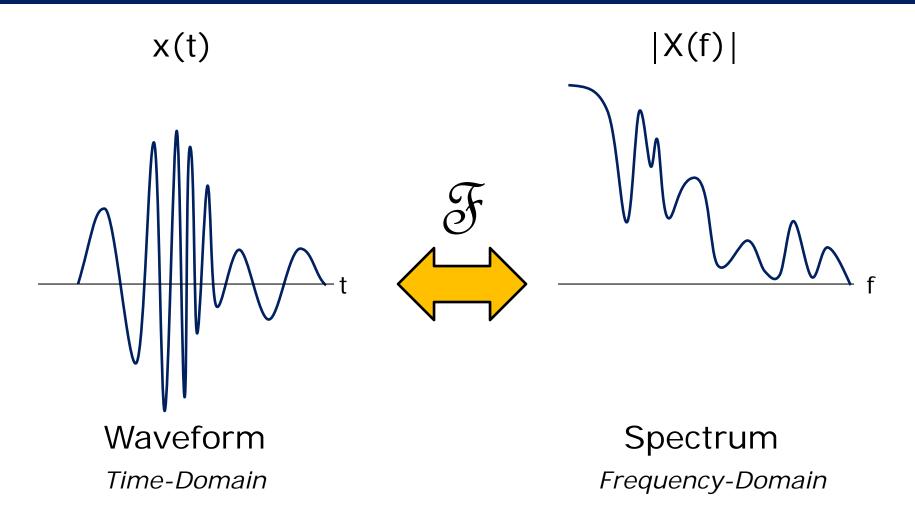
Fourier transform can be a complex number.

$$x(t) \Leftrightarrow X(f) = a + jb$$

$$|X(f)| = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$

$$\angle X(f) = \arctan(\frac{b}{a})$$

# Waveform ⇔ Spectrum



# Spectra of Periodic Signals



# Fourier Transform of an Impulse

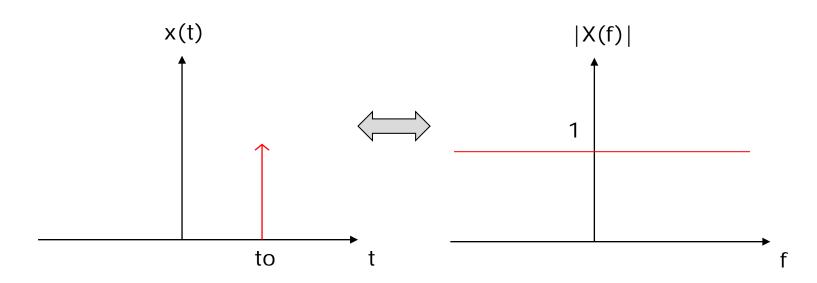
$$x(t) = \delta(t - t_0)$$

$$X(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - t_0) e^{-j2\pi ft} dt = e^{-j2\pi ft_0}$$

$$\therefore \delta(t-t_0) \Longleftrightarrow e^{-j2\pi t_0 f}$$

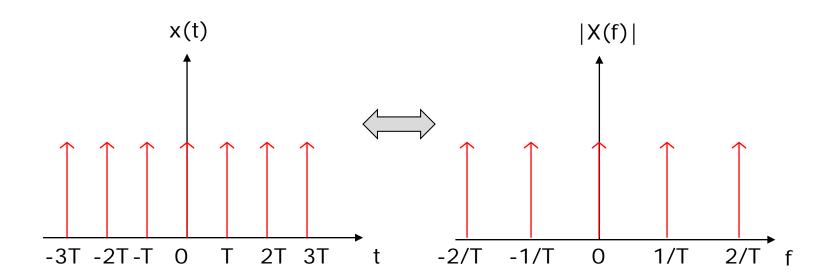
# Fourier Transform of an Impulse

$$\delta(t-t_0) \Leftrightarrow e^{-j2\pi t_0 f}$$



# Fourier Transform of Impulse Train

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t-nT) \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(f-\frac{k}{T})$$



#### Fourier Transform of Pure Sine

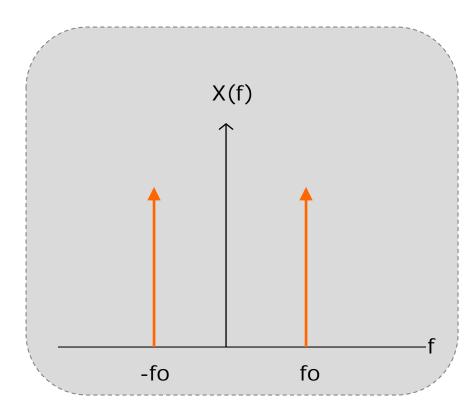
$$x(t) = \cos(2\pi f_0 t)$$

$$X(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \cos(2\pi f_0 t) e^{-j2\pi f_0 t} dt$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{j2\pi f_0 t} + e^{-j2\pi f_0 t}}{2} e^{-j2\pi f_0 t} dt$$

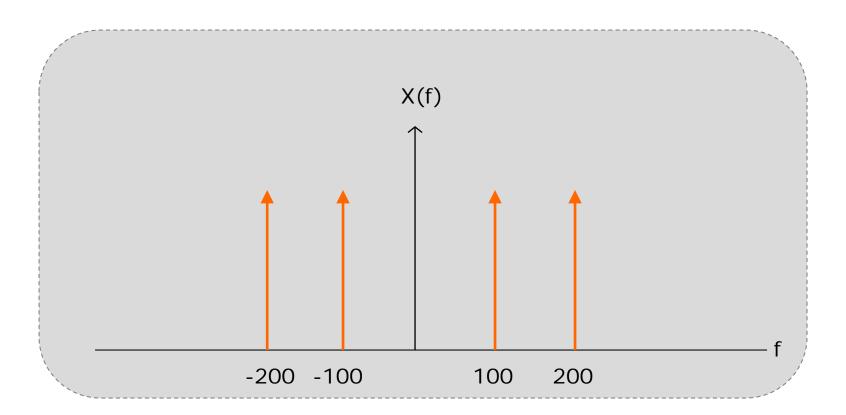
$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-j2\pi (f - f_0)t} + e^{-j2\pi (f + f_0)t}}{2} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left( \delta(f - f_0) + \delta(f + f_0) \right)$$



## Frequency Components

$$x(t) = \cos(2\pi(100)t) + \cos(2\pi(200)t)$$

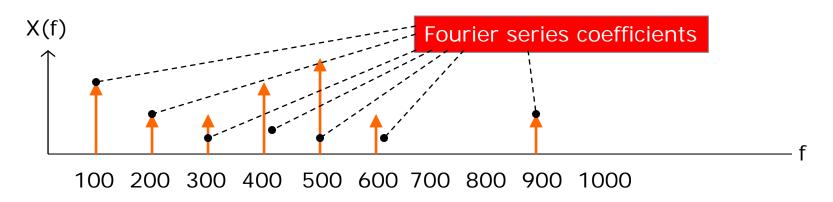


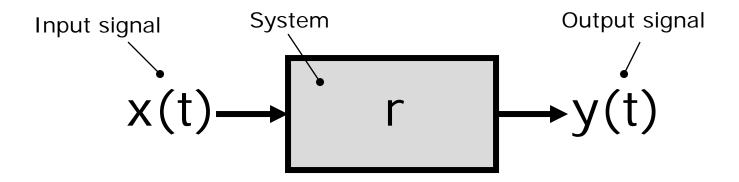
#### Fourier Series

 Linear combination of sinusoidal signals with frequency:

Fo nFo; n = 2,3,4,... results in periodic signals.

Their Fourier transforms are discrete.



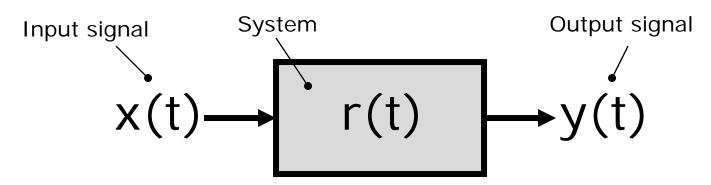


$$x_1(t) \longrightarrow r \longrightarrow y_1(t)$$
 $x_2(t) \longrightarrow r \longrightarrow y_2(t)$ 

$$x_1(t) \longrightarrow r \longrightarrow y_1(t)$$

$$\vdots \\ x_1(t+\tau) \longrightarrow r \longrightarrow y_1(t+\tau)$$

Any LTI system can be characterized entirely by a single function, r(t)

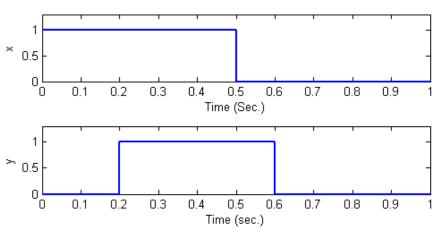


such that:

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

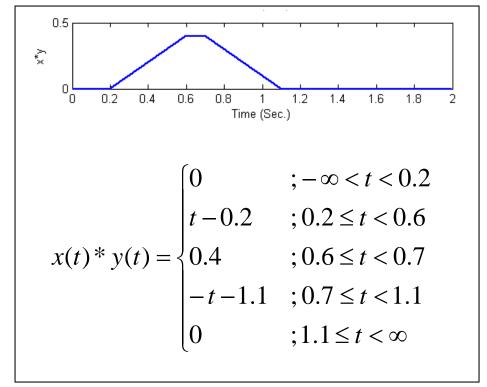
#### Convolution

$$x(t) * y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) y(t - \tau) d\tau$$

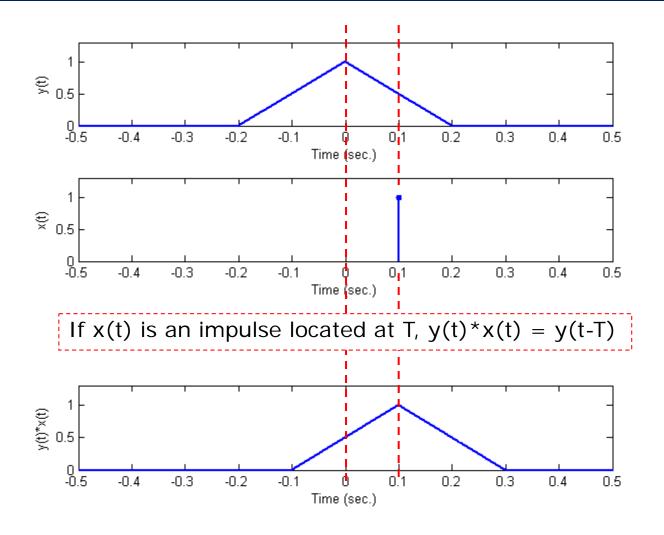


$$x(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & ; -\infty < t < 0, \ 0.5 \le t < \infty \\ 1 & ; \ 0 \le t < 0.5 \end{cases}$$

$$y(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & ; -\infty < t < 0.2, \ 0.6 \le t < \infty \\ 1 & ; \ 0.2 \le t < 0.6 \end{cases}$$



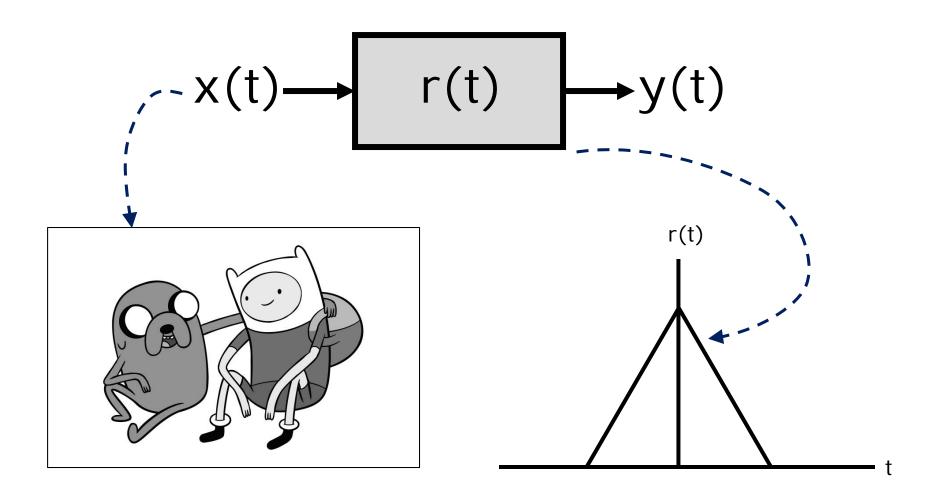
## Convolution with Impulse



$$x(t) \longrightarrow r(t) \longrightarrow y(t)$$

$$y(t) = x(t) * r(t)$$
Impulse Response

# Linear Time-Invariant (LTI) Systems: Example

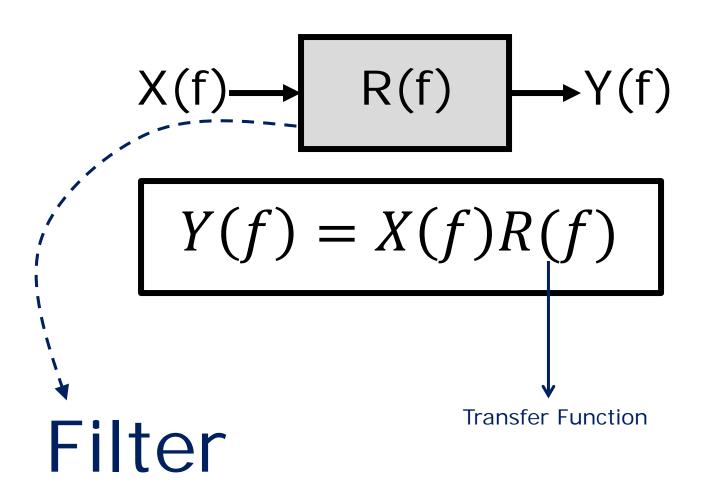




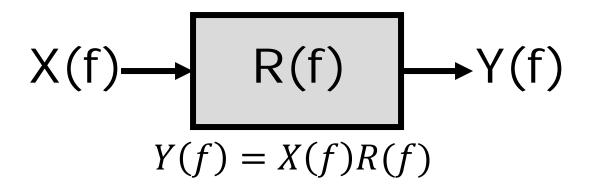
## Properties of Fourier Transform

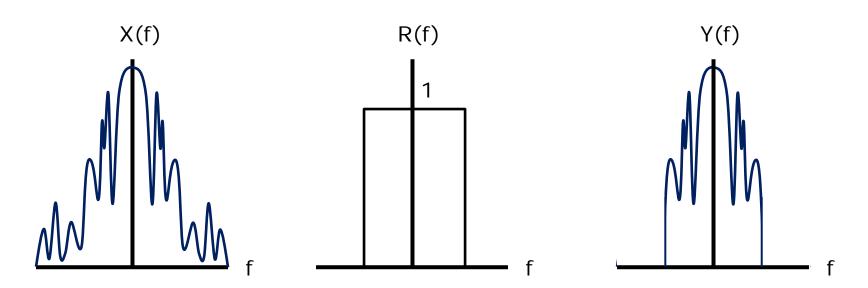
$$x(t) * y(t) \iff X(f)Y(f)$$

$$x(t)y(t) \longrightarrow X(f) * Y(f)$$

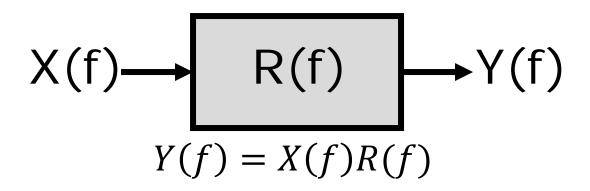


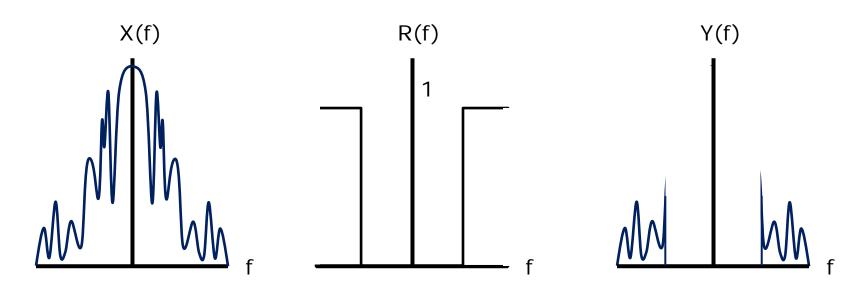
### Low-Pass Filter



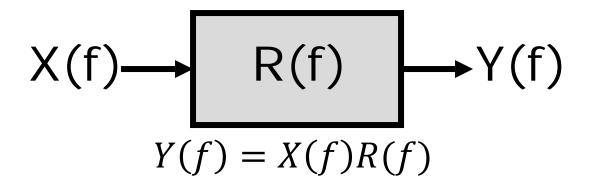


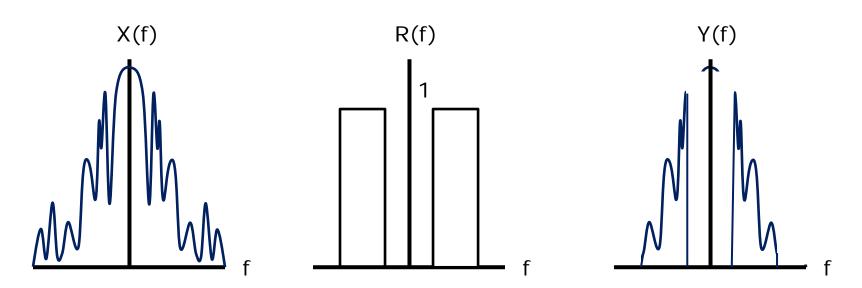
## High-Pass Filter





### **Band-Pass Filter**



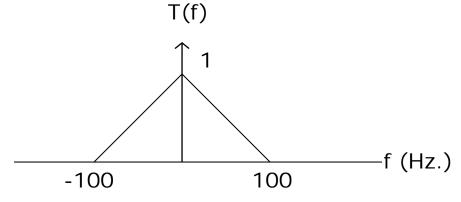


### Exercise

• Find the Fourier transform of:  $s(t) = 3\cos(2\pi(50)t) - \sin(2\pi(100)t)$ 

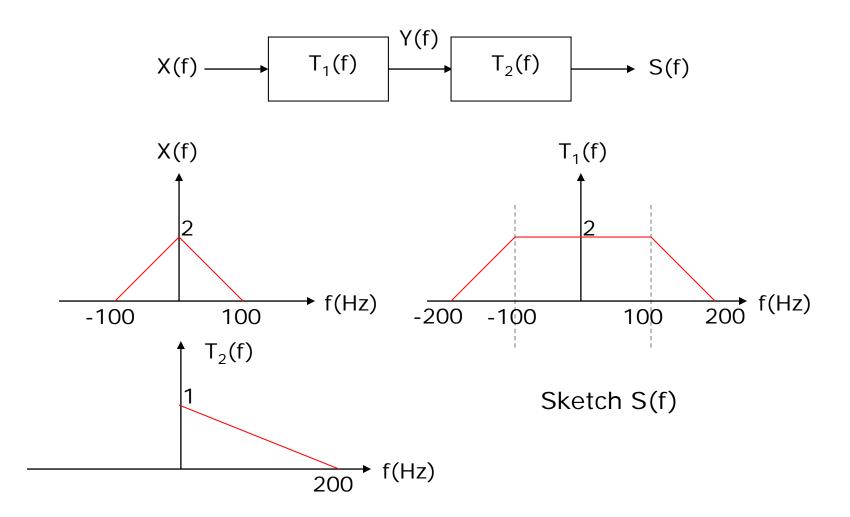
For a linear system below:





Find y(t).

## Exercise



#### What're Next?

- Real-world limitation
  - Finite signal length
- Sampling & Quantization
- Discrete-Time Fourier Transform (DTFT)
- Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT)
- Signal Analysis / Processing Tools