

UNIT IV

Continuous Time Fourier Transform (CTFT).... continued



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Properties of CTFT

1. Linearity

If $x(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} X(j\omega)$ and $y(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} Y(j\omega)$

$$ax(t) + by(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} aX(j\omega) + bY(j\omega)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Proof: } Z(j\omega) &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} [ax(t) + by(t)] e^{-j\omega t} dt \\
 &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} ax(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt + \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} by(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt \\
 &= a \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt + b \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} y(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt
 \end{aligned}$$

$$Z(j\omega) = aX(j\omega) + bY(j\omega) \quad \text{.....Proved}$$

2. Time shifting

$$\text{If } x(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} X(j\omega)$$

Then

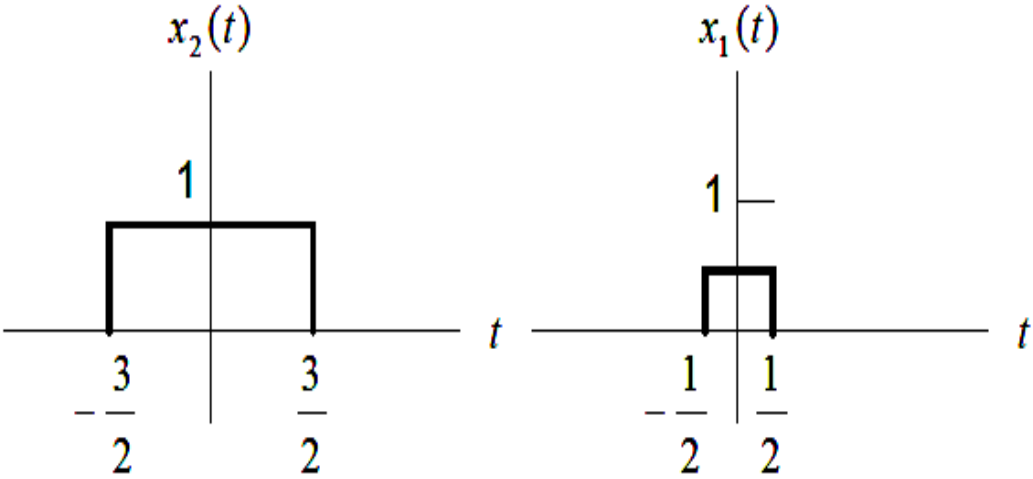
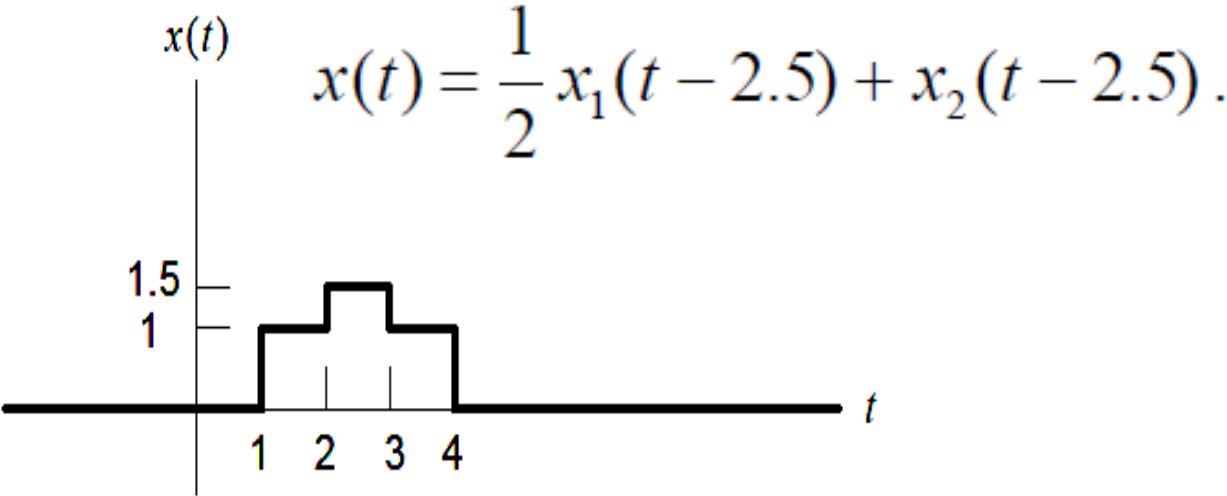
$$x(t - t_0) \xleftrightarrow{F} e^{-j\omega t_0} X(j\omega)$$

Or

$$F\{x(t - t_0)\} = e^{-j\omega t_0} X(j\omega) = |X(j\omega)| e^{j[\angle X(j\omega) - \omega t_0]}$$

*No Change in Magnitude observed,
 but produces phase shift of $+ \angle e^{-j\omega T_0}$
 i.e Phase Shift = $\angle X(j\omega) + \angle e^{-j\omega T_0} = \angle X(j\omega) + \omega T_0$*

Example: To evaluate the Fourier transform of the signal $x(t)$ shown in the figure below.



$x_1(t)$ and $x_2(t)$ are rectangular pulse signals and their Fourier transforms are

$$X(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt = \int_{-T_1}^{T_1} 1e^{-j\omega t} dt = 2 \frac{\sin \omega T_1}{\omega}.$$

$$X_1(j\omega) = \frac{2 \sin(\omega / 2)}{\omega} \text{ and } X_2(j\omega) = \frac{2 \sin(3\omega / 2)}{\omega}$$

Using the linearity and time-shifting properties of the Fourier transform yields

$$X(j\omega) = e^{-j5\omega/2} \left\{ \frac{\sin(\omega / 2) + 2 \sin(3\omega / 2)}{\omega} \right\}$$

3. Conjugation and conjugation symmetry

$$\text{If } x(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} X(j\omega)$$

Then

$$x^*(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} X^*(-j\omega).$$

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We can also prove that

- if $x(t)$ is both real and even, then $X(j\omega)$ will also be real and even.
- if $x(t)$ is both real and odd, then $X(j\omega)$ will also be purely imaginary and odd.

A real function $x(t)$ can be expressed in terms of the sum of an even function $x_e(t) = Ev\{x(t)\}$ and an odd function $x_o(t) = Od\{x(t)\}$

$$x(t) = x_e(t) + x_o(t)$$

Form the Linearity property,

$$F\{x(t)\} = F\{x_e(t)\} + F\{x_o(t)\},$$

$F\{x_e(t)\}$ is real function

$F\{x_o(t)\}$ is purely imaginary.

we conclude with $x(t)$ real,

$$x(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} X(j\omega)$$

$$Ev\{x(t)\} \xleftrightarrow{F} \operatorname{Re}\{X(j\omega)\}$$

$$Od\{x(t)\} \xleftrightarrow{F} j \operatorname{Im}\{X(j\omega)\}$$

Example: Using the symmetry properties of the Fourier transform and the result $e^{-at}u(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} \frac{1}{a + j\omega}$

evaluate the Fourier transform of the signal $x(t) = e^{-a|t|}$

where $a > 0$.

Since $x(t) = e^{-a|t|} = e^{-at}u(t) + e^{at}u(-t) =$

$$= 2 \left[\frac{e^{-at}u(t) + e^{at}u(-t)}{2} \right] = 2 \operatorname{Ev} \{ e^{-at}u(t) \},$$

$$\text{So } X(j\omega) = 2 \operatorname{Re} \left(\frac{1}{a + j\omega} \right) = \frac{2a}{a^2 + \omega^2}$$

4. Differentiation and Integration

$$\text{If } x(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} X(j\omega)$$

Then

$$\frac{dx(t)}{dt} \xleftrightarrow{F} j\omega X(j\omega).$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^t x(\tau) d\tau \xleftrightarrow{F} \frac{1}{j\omega} X(j\omega) + \pi X(0) \delta(\omega)$$

Time Differentiation Property

If

$$x(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} X(j\omega) \quad \text{Then,} \quad \frac{dx(t)}{dt} \xleftrightarrow{FT} j\omega X(j\omega)$$

Proof:

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

Differentiating both sides

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

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

Frequency Differentiation Property

$$\text{If } x(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} X(j\omega)$$

$$\text{then } -jtx(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} \frac{d}{d\omega} X(j\omega)$$

Example: Consider the Fourier transform of the unit step $x(t) = u(t)$.

$$g(t) = \delta(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} 1$$

Also note that

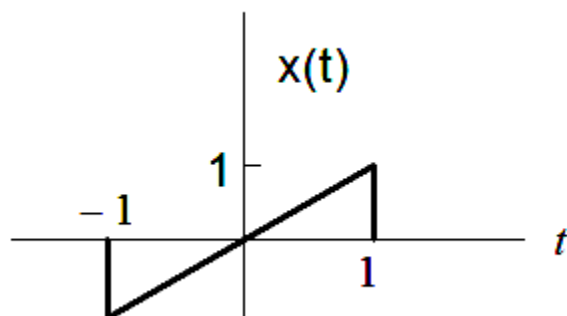
$$x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t g(\tau) d\tau$$

The Fourier transform of this function is

$$X(j\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega} + \pi G(0)\delta(\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega} + \pi\delta(\omega).$$

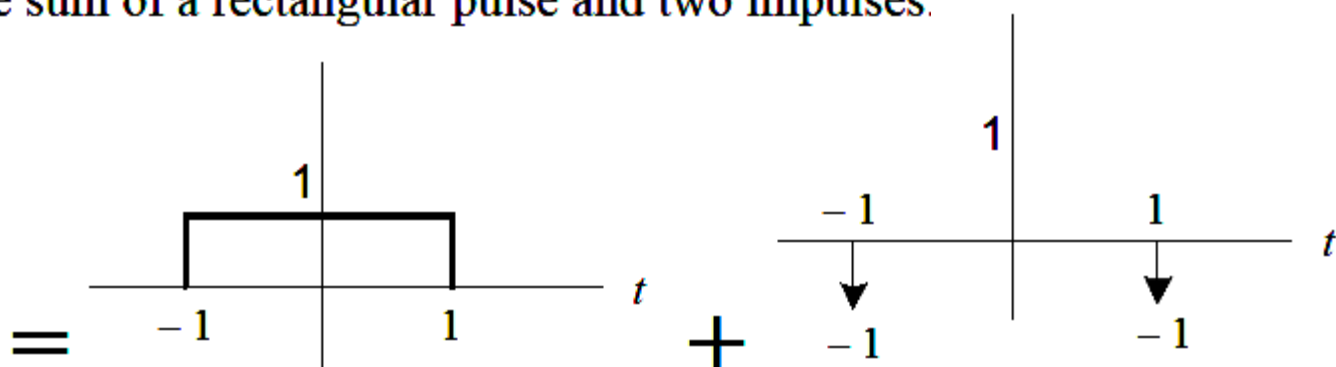
where $G(0) = 1$.

Example: Consider the Fourier transform of the function $x(t)$



$$g(t) = \frac{dx(t)}{dt}$$

$g(t)$ is the sum of a rectangular pulse and two impulses.



$$G(j\omega) = \left(\frac{2 \sin \omega}{\omega} \right) - e^{j\omega} - e^{-j\omega}$$

Note that $G(0) = 0$

using the integration property, we obtain

$$X(j\omega) = \frac{G(j\omega)}{j\omega} + \pi G(0)\delta(\omega) = \frac{2 \sin \omega}{j\omega^2} - \frac{2 \cos \omega}{j\omega}.$$

It can be found $X(j\omega)$ is purely imaginary and odd,

with the fact that $x(t)$ is real and odd.

5. Time and frequency scaling

$$x(t) \xleftrightarrow{F} X(j\omega),$$

Then

$$x(at) \xleftrightarrow{F} \frac{1}{|a|} X\left(\frac{j\omega}{a}\right).$$

From the equation we see that the signal is compressed in the time domain, the spectrum will be extended in the frequency domain.

Conversely, if the signal is extended, the corresponding spectrum will be compressed.

Proof: $Y(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \mathbf{y(t)} e^{-j\omega t} dt$

i.e $Y(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \mathbf{x(at)} e^{-j\omega t} dt$

Let $a > 0$; put $at = \lambda$

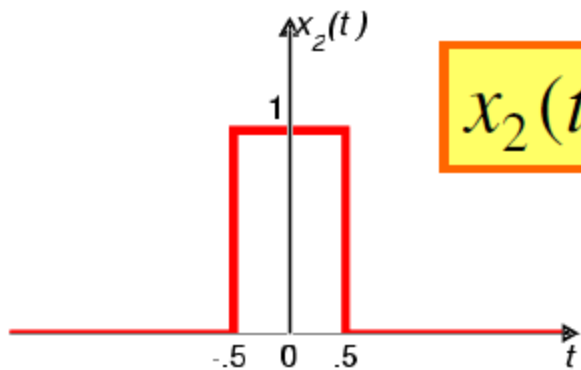
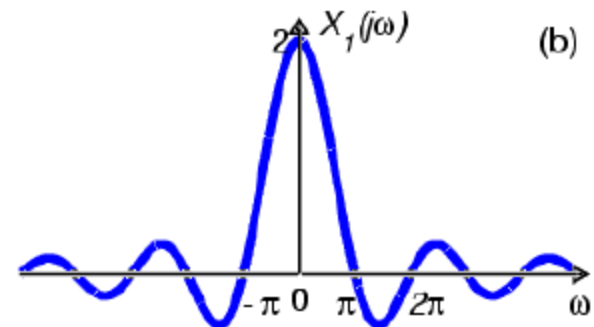
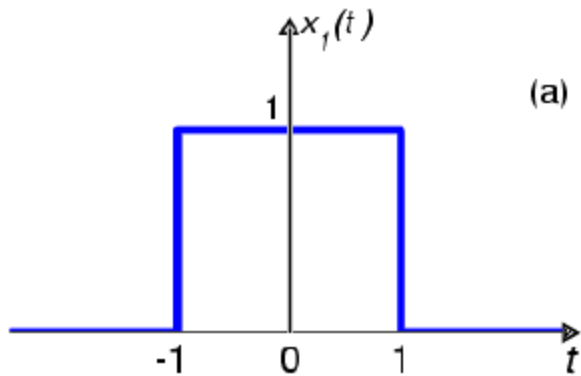
Then, $dt = \frac{d\lambda}{a}$

accordingly, $Y(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \mathbf{x(\lambda)} e^{-j(\lambda/a)\omega} \frac{d\lambda}{a}$

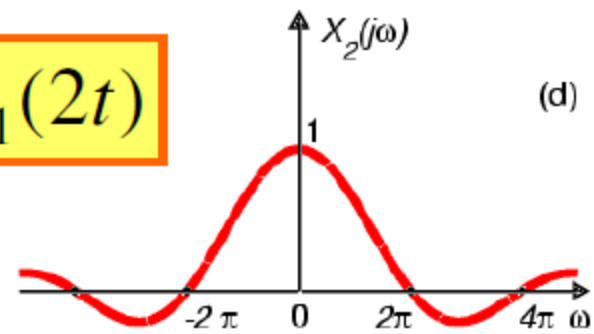
$= \frac{1}{a} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \mathbf{x(\lambda)} e^{-j\omega(\lambda/a)} d\lambda = \frac{1}{a} X\left(\frac{\omega}{a}\right) \dots\dots \text{proved}$

Scaling Property

$$x(at) \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{|a|} X(j\frac{\omega}{a})$$



$$x_2(t) = x_1(2t)$$



If $a = -1$, we get from the above equation,

$$x(-t) \xleftrightarrow{F} X(-j\omega).$$

That is, reversing a signal in time also reverses its Fourier transform.

6. Duality Property

If $x(t) \xleftrightarrow{\text{CTFT}} X(\omega)$, then

$$X(t) \xleftrightarrow{\text{CTFT}} 2\pi x(-\omega)$$

There is a high degree of symmetry in Forward And Inverse Fourier transform equation

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

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

Forward and inverse FT equations are identical except the factor 2π and different sign in ω of exponential function

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

Interchanging t and ω , we get

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

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Replacing ω with $-\omega$, we get

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$$2\pi x(-j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} X(t) e^{-jt\omega} dt$$

Hence, then $X(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} 2\pi x(-j\omega) \dots \text{proved}$

7. Frequency shift Property

$$x(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} X(j\omega)$$

Then,

$$y(t) = e^{j\beta t}x(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} Y(j\omega) = X(j(\omega - \beta))$$

Proof :

We know

$$\begin{aligned} Y(j\omega) &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} y(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{j\beta t} x(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(t) e^{-j(\omega - \beta)t} dt \\ &= X(j(\omega - \beta)) \quad \dots \text{proved} \end{aligned}$$

8. Convolution property

If $x(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} X(j\omega)$ and $y(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} Y(j\omega)$
then $z(t) = x(t) * y(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} Z(j\omega) = X(j\omega)Y(j\omega)$

Proof: we know,
$$Z(j\omega) = \int_{t=-\infty}^{+\infty} z(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

$$= \int_{t=-\infty}^{+\infty} x(t) * y(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt$$
$$= \int_{t=-\infty}^{+\infty} \left[\int_{T=-\infty}^{+\infty} x(T) y(t-T) dT \right] e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

rearranging the above, we get

$$Z(j\omega) = \int_{T=-\infty}^{+\infty} x(T) \left[\int_{t=-\infty}^{+\infty} y(t-T)e^{-j\omega t} dt \right] dT$$

put $t - T = \lambda$, then $dt = d\lambda$,

$$= \int_{T=-\infty}^{+\infty} x(T)e^{-j\omega T} dT \left[\int_{\lambda=-\infty}^{+\infty} y(\lambda)e^{-j\omega \lambda} d\lambda \right]$$

Accordingly we get,

$$Z(j\omega) = X(j\omega)Y(j\omega) \dots \dots \text{Proved}$$

9. Integration or accumulation Property

$$\text{If } x(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} X(j\omega)$$

$$\text{then, } \int_{-\infty}^t x(T) dT \xleftrightarrow{FT} \frac{1}{j\omega} X(j\omega) + \pi X(0)\delta(\omega)$$

$$\text{Proof: we can write, } \int_{-\infty}^t x(T) dT = x(t) * u(t)$$

$$\text{Hence, } \int_{-\infty}^t x(T) dT \xleftrightarrow{FT} X(j\omega)U(j\omega) \dots (1)$$

It has been proved that

$$u(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} U(j\omega) = \pi\delta(\omega) + \frac{1}{j\omega} \dots\dots (2)$$

Substituting (2) in (1) we get

$$\int_{-\infty}^t x(T)dT \xleftrightarrow{FT} X(j\omega) \left[\pi\delta(\omega) + \frac{1}{j\omega} \right]$$

please note that

$$X(j\omega)\delta(\omega) = X(0)\delta(\omega)$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^t x(T) dT \xleftrightarrow{FT} X(j\omega) \left[\pi\delta(\omega) + \frac{1}{j\omega} \right]$$

$$\xleftrightarrow{FT} \pi X(j\omega)\delta(\omega) + X(j\omega)\frac{1}{j\omega}$$

$$\xleftrightarrow{FT} \pi X(0)\delta(\omega) + X(j\omega)\frac{1}{j\omega} \dots \dots \textit{proved}$$

9. Modulation or Multiplication

$$\begin{aligned} \text{If } x(t) &\overset{FT}{\longleftrightarrow} X(j\omega) \\ \text{and } y(t) &\overset{FT}{\longleftrightarrow} Y(j\omega) \\ \text{then } z(t) = x(t)y(t) &\overset{FT}{\longleftrightarrow} \frac{1}{2\pi} [X(j\omega) * Y(j\omega)] \end{aligned}$$

Proof :

we know, $Z(j\omega) = \int_{t=-\infty}^{+\infty} z(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt$

$$= \int_{t=-\infty}^{+\infty} x(t)y(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt \dots \dots (3)$$

we also know, $x(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\lambda=-\infty}^{+\infty} X(\lambda) e^{j\lambda t} d\lambda \dots \dots (4)$

Substituting Eqn (4) in (3) we get,

$$Z(j\omega) = \int_{t=-\infty}^{+\infty} \left[\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\lambda=-\infty}^{+\infty} X(\lambda) e^{j\lambda t} d\lambda \right] y(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\lambda=-\infty}^{+\infty} X(\lambda) \int_{t=-\infty}^{+\infty} y(t) e^{-(j\omega-\lambda)t} dt d\lambda$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\lambda=-\infty}^{+\infty} X(\lambda) Y(\omega - \lambda) d\lambda = \frac{1}{2\pi} [X(j\omega) * Y(j\omega)] \dots \text{proved}$$

*Hence, multiplication in Time Domain is
equivalent to convolution in frequency Domain.
They are said to be Duals of each other*

10) Parseval's theorem or Rayleigh's theorem

$$\text{If } x(t) \xleftrightarrow{FT} X(j\omega)$$

$$\text{then, } E = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |X(j\omega)|^2 d\omega$$

where E is the total energy content

of the signal $x(t)$. Also $|x(\omega)|^2$ is defined

as the energy density spectrum of the signal $x(t)$

Parseval's Relation

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

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) x^*(t) dt \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) \left[\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X^*(j\omega) e^{-j\omega t} d\omega \right] dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X^*(j\omega) \left[\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt \right] d\omega \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X^*(j\omega) X(j\omega) d\omega \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |X(j\omega)|^2 d\omega \end{aligned}$$

