

Assignment 9a - The Discrete-Time Fourier Transform

5.3. Determine the Fourier transform for $-\pi \leq \omega < \pi$ in the case of each of the following periodic signals:

a) $\sin(\frac{\pi}{3}n + \frac{\pi}{4})$

Answers:

Let $x[n] = \sin(\pi/3 + \pi/4)$ and $\Omega = \pi/3$. Since $\Omega = 2\pi/N$, we have fundamental period $N=6$. We can express the signal as:

$$x[n] = (1/2j)e^{j(\frac{\pi}{3}n + \frac{\pi}{4})} - (1/2j)e^{-j(\frac{\pi}{3}n + \frac{\pi}{4})} = (1/2)e^{j\frac{\pi}{4}}e^{j\frac{2\pi}{6}} - (1/2j)e^{-j\frac{\pi}{4}}e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{6}}$$

Therefore, we can get the non-zero Fourier coefficients:

$$a_1 = (1/2j)e^{j\frac{\pi}{4}} \text{ and } a_{-1} = -(1/2j)e^{j\frac{\pi}{4}}.$$

Therefore, in the interval $-\pi \leq \omega \leq \pi$, we have:

$$X(e^{j\omega}) = 2\pi a_1 \delta(\omega - \frac{2\pi}{6}) + 2\pi a_{-1} \delta(\omega + \frac{2\pi}{6})$$

$$X(e^{j\omega}) = (\pi/j)e^{j\pi/4}\delta(\omega - 2\pi/6) - e^{-j\pi/4}\delta(\omega + 2\pi/6)$$

b) $2 + \cos(\frac{\pi}{6}n + \frac{\pi}{8})$

Answers:

Let $x[n] = 2 + \cos(\frac{\pi}{6}n + \frac{\pi}{8})$ and $\Omega = \pi/6$, the fundamental period $N=12$.

$$x[n] = (1/2j)e^{j(\frac{\pi}{6}n + \frac{\pi}{8})} - (1/2j)e^{-j(\frac{\pi}{6}n + \frac{\pi}{8})} = (1/2j)e^{j\frac{\pi}{8}}e^{j\frac{\pi}{12}} - (1/2j)e^{-j\frac{\pi}{8}}e^{-j\frac{\pi}{12}}.$$

From this, we obtain the non-zero Fourier series coefficients a_k of $x_2[n]$ in the range $-5 \leq k \leq 6$ as

$$a_0 = 2, a_1 = (1/2)e^{j\frac{\pi}{8}}, a_{-1} = (1/2)e^{-j\frac{\pi}{8}}.$$

Therefore, in the range $-\pi \leq \omega \leq \pi$, we obtain

$$X(e^{j\omega}) = 2\pi a_0 \delta(\omega) + 2\pi a_1 \delta(\omega - \frac{2\pi}{12}) + 2\pi a_{-1} \delta(\omega + \frac{2\pi}{12})$$

$$X(e^{j\omega}) = 4\pi \delta(\omega) + \pi e^{j\frac{\pi}{8}} \delta(\omega - \frac{\pi}{6}) + e^{-j\frac{\pi}{8}} \delta(\omega + \frac{\pi}{6})$$

5.4. Use the Fourier transform synthesis equation (5.8) to determine the inverse Fourierb transforms of:

$$\text{a) } X_1(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} [2\pi\delta(\omega - 2\pi k) + \pi\delta(\omega - \frac{\pi}{2} - 2\pi k) + \pi\delta(\omega + \frac{\pi}{2} - 2\pi k)]$$

Answers:

Using the Fourier transform synthese equation 5.8,

$$x_1[n] = (1/2\pi) \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} X_1(e^{j\omega}) e^{j\omega n} d\omega$$

$$x_1[n] = (1/2\pi) \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} 2\pi\delta(\omega) + \pi\delta(\omega - \frac{\pi}{2}) + \pi\delta(\omega + \frac{\pi}{2}) e^{j\omega n} d\omega$$

$$x_1[n] = e^{j0} + (1/2)e^{j(\pi/2)n} + (1/2)e^{-j(\pi/2)n}$$

$$x_1[n] = 1 + \cos(\pi n/2)$$

$$\text{b) } X_2(e^{j\omega}) = \begin{cases} 2j, & 0 < \omega \leq \pi, \\ -2j, & -\pi < \omega \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

Answers:

Using the Fourier transform synthese equation 5.8,

$$x_2[n] = (1/2\pi) \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} X_2(e^{j\omega}) e^{j\omega n} d\omega$$

$$x_2[n] = -(1/2\pi) \int_{-\pi}^0 2je^{j\omega n} d\omega + (1/2\pi) \int_0^{\pi} 2je^{j\omega n} d\omega$$

$$x_2[n] = (j/\pi) - \frac{1 - e^{-jn\pi}}{jn} + \frac{e^{jn\pi} - 1}{jn}$$

$$x_2[n] = -(4/(n\pi))\sin^2(n\pi/2)$$

5.6. Given that $x[n]$ has Fourier transform $X(e^{j\omega})$, express the Fourier transforms of the following signals in terms of $X(e^{j\omega})$. You may use the Fourier transform properties listed in Table 5.1.

a) $x_1[n] = x[1 - n] + x[-1 - n]$

Given $x[n] \leftrightarrow X(e^{j\omega})$, by time reversal property, we have:

$$x[-n] \leftrightarrow X(e^{-j\omega})$$

Apply time shifting property, we have

$$x[-n + 1] \leftrightarrow e^{-j\omega} X(e^{-j\omega}) \text{ and } x[-n - 1] \leftrightarrow e^{j\omega} X(e^{-j\omega})$$

Therefore,

$$x_1[n] = x[-n + 1] + x[-n - 1] \leftrightarrow e^{-j\omega} X(e^{-j\omega}) + e^{j\omega} X(e^{-j\omega})$$

$$x_1[n] = x[-n + 1] + x[-n - 1] \leftrightarrow 2X(e^{-j\omega}) \cos \omega$$

Answers:

b) $x_2[n] = \frac{x * [-n] + x[n]}{2}$

Using time reversal property (Sec 5.3.6), we have

$$x[-n] \leftrightarrow X(e^{-j\omega})$$

Using the conjugation property on this, we have

$$x * [-n] \leftrightarrow X * (e^{j\omega})$$

Therefore,

$$x_2[n] = (1/2)(x * [-n] + x[n]) \leftrightarrow (1/2)(X(e^{j\omega}) + X * (e^{j\omega}))$$

$$x_2[n] = (1/2)(x * [-n] + x[n]) \leftrightarrow \text{Re}X(e^{j\omega})$$

Answers:

c) $x_3[n] = (n - 1)^2 x[n]$

Answers:

Using the differentiation in frequency property (Sec 5.3.8), we have

$$nx[n] \leftrightarrow j \frac{dX(e^{j\omega})}{d\omega}$$

Using the same property a second time,

$$n^2 x[n] \leftrightarrow \frac{d^2 X(e^{j\omega})}{d^2 \omega}$$

Therefore,

$$x_3[n] = n^2 x[n] - 2nx[n] + 1 \leftrightarrow \frac{d^2 X(e^{j\omega})}{d\omega^2} - 2j \frac{dX(e^{j\omega})}{d\omega} + X(e^{j\omega})$$

5.28. The signals $x[n]$ and $g[n]$ are known to have Fourier transforms $X(e^{j\omega})$ and $G(e^{j\omega})$, respectively. Furthermore, $X(e^{j\omega})$ and $G(e^{j\omega})$ are related as follows:

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} X(e^{j\theta}) G(e^{j(\omega-\theta)}) d\theta = 1 + e^{-j\omega} \quad (\text{P5.28-1})$$

a) If $x[n] = (-1)^n$ determine a sequence $g[n]$ such that its Fourier transform $G(e^{j\omega})$ satisfies eq. (P5.28-1). Are there other possible solutions for $g[n]$?

Answers:

If $x[n] = (-1)^n$, $g[n]$ only have non-zero value when $n=0$ or $n=1$, such that, $g[0]=1$ and $g[1]=-1$.

Therefore, $g[n] = \delta[n] - \delta[n-1]$.

b) Repeat the previous part for $x[n] = (\frac{1}{2})^n u[n]$

Answers:

If $x[n] = (\frac{1}{2})^n u[n]$ has to be chosen such that $g[n] = \{ 1, n=0; -2, n=1; 0, n>1; \text{any value, otherwise} \}$

Therefore there are many possible choices for $g[n]$

5.31. An LTI system S with impulse response $h[n]$ and frequency response $H(e^{j\omega})$ is known to have the property that, when $-\pi \leq \omega_0 \leq \pi$,

$$\cos \omega_0 n \rightarrow \omega_0 \cos \omega_0 n.$$

a) Determine $H(e^{j\omega})$.

Answers:

From the given information, it is clear that when the input to the system is a complex exponential of frequency ω_0 , the output is a complex exponential of the same frequency but scaled by the $|\omega_0|$. Therefore, the frequency response of the system is $H(e^{j\omega}) = |\omega|$, for $0 \leq |\omega| \leq \pi$.

b) Determine $h[n]$.

Answers:

Take the inverse Fourier transform of the frequency response, we obtain

$$h[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} H(e^{j\omega}) e^{j\omega n} d\omega$$

$$h[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 -\omega e^{j\omega n} d\omega + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \omega e^{j\omega n} d\omega$$

$$h[n] = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \omega \cos(\omega n) d\omega$$

$$h[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{\cos(n\pi) - 1}{n^2}$$