

Signals and Systems

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Outline of Today's Lecture

- Introduction of signals and systems
- Overview of our course
- Classification of signals
- Operation on signals
- Summary

Introduction of Signals and Systems

- What are signals?
 - A **signal** is formally defined as a function of one or more variables that **conveys information** on the nature of a physical phenomenon
 - Our world is full of signals, both **natural and man-made**.
 - Variation in air pressure when we speak.
 - Voltage waveform in a circuit.
 - The periodic electrical signals generated by the heart.
 - Stock prices
 - Radar/infrared/optical images about outer space from a probe

Introduction of Signals and Systems

- Examples of Signal

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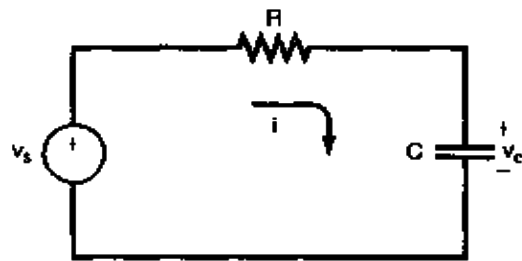
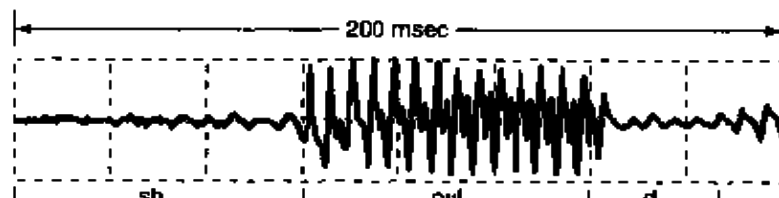
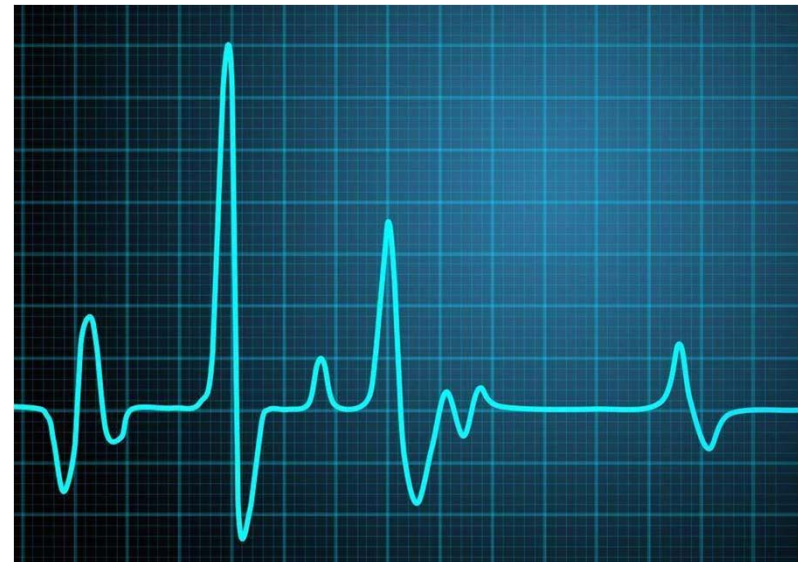


Figure 1.1 A simple RC circuit with source voltage v_s and capacitor voltage v_c .

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Introduction of Signals and Systems

■ What are systems?

- A system is a **generator** of signals or a **transformer** of signals.
- A system is formally defined as an entity that **manipulates one or more signals to accomplish a function**, thereby yielding new signals.



Figure 1.1 Block diagram representation of a system.

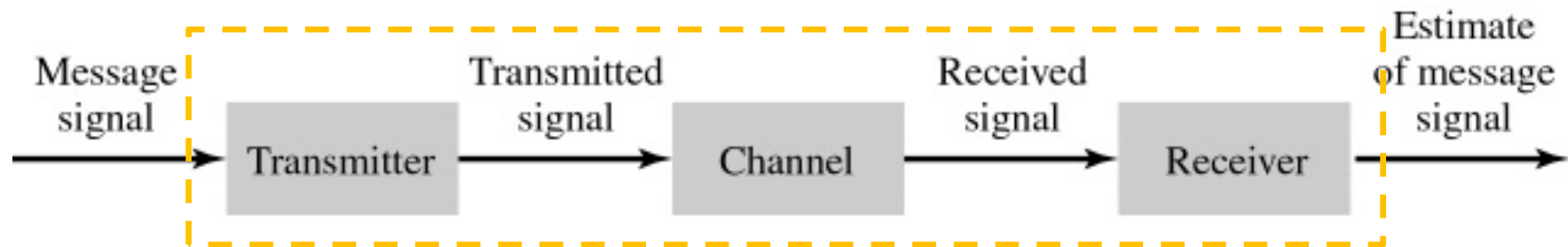
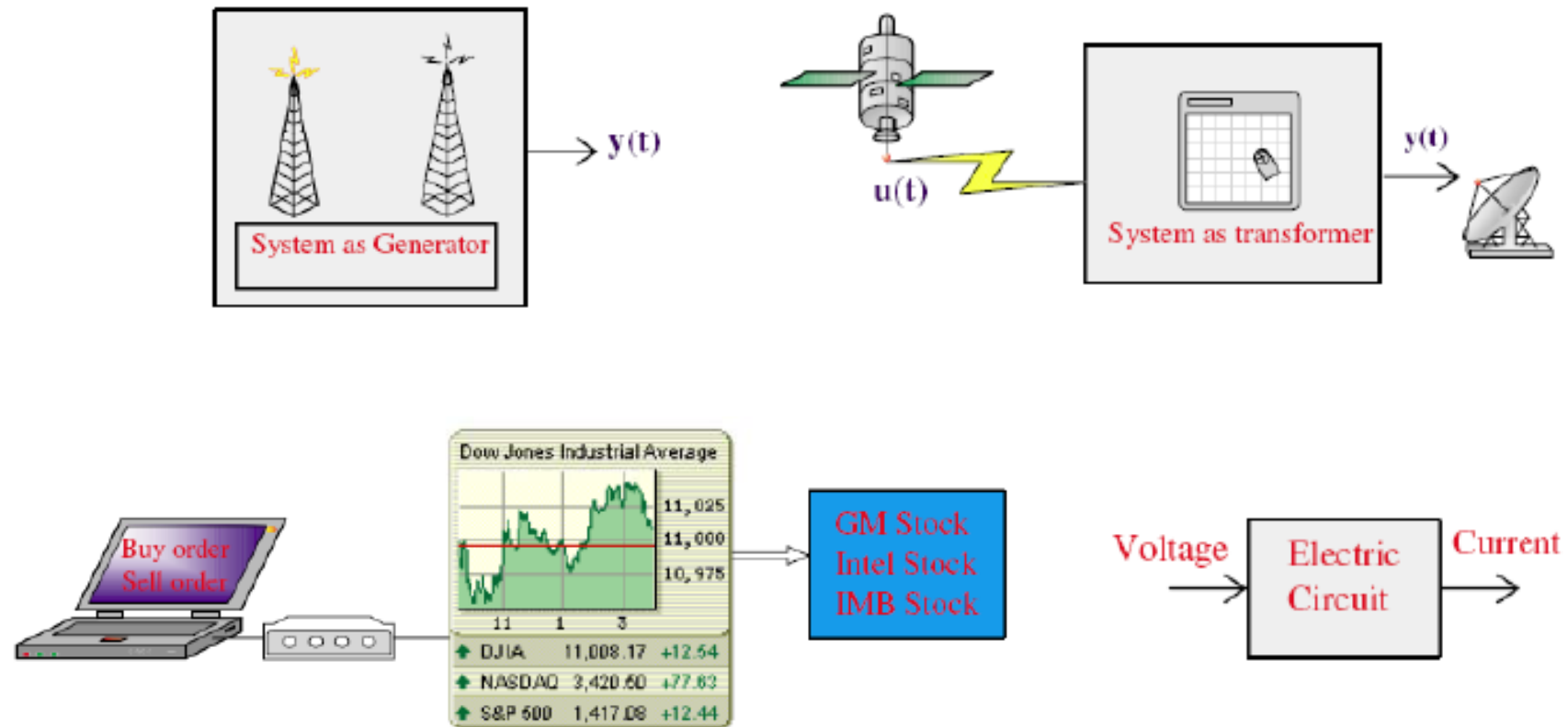


Figure 1.2 Elements of a communication system.

The transmitter changes the message signal into a form suitable for transmission over the channel. The receiver processes the channel output to produce an estimate of the message signal.

Introduction of Signals and Systems

- Examples of systems

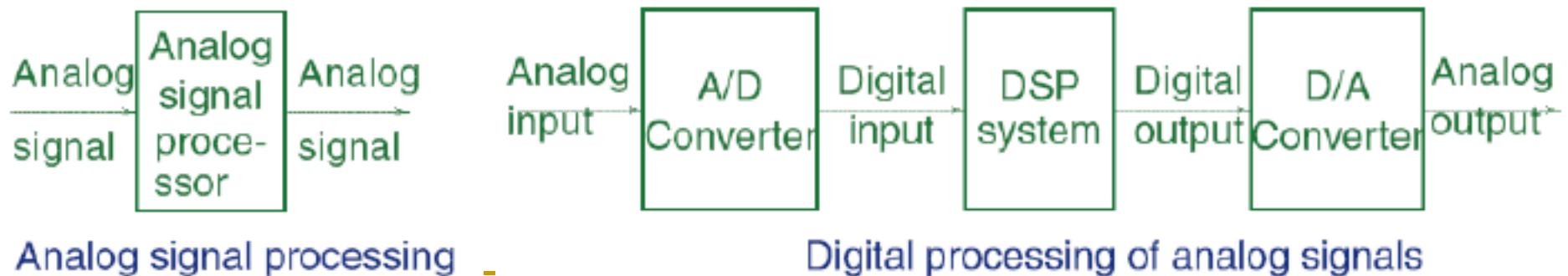


Introduction of Signals and Systems

- Typical systems in electrical and electronic engineering
 - Communication systems
 - Control systems
 - Computer systems

Introduction of Signals and Systems

- Signal processing involves enhancing, extracting, storing and transmitting useful information. Electrical signals are best suited for such manipulations. It is common to convert signals to electrical form for processing.
- Analog signal processing: relies on the use of analog circuit elements(resistors, capacitors, inductors, transistor amplifiers)
- Digital signal processing: relies on three basic digital computer elements: adders, multipliers and memory
 - Flexibility
 - Repeatability



Introduction of Signals and Systems

- Why study Signals and Systems?
 - ❑ Signals and Systems are fundamental to all of engineering!
 - ❑ Steps involved in engineering are:
 - **Model system:** Involves writing a mathematical description of input and output signals.
 - **Analyze system:** Study of the various signals associated with the system.
 - **Design system:** Requires deciding on a suitable system architecture, as well as finding suitable system parameters.
 - **Implement system/test system:** Check system, and the input and output signals, to see that the performance is satisfactory.

Overview of our course

- This course is about **signals** and their **processing by systems**. It involves:
 - **Modelling of signals** by mathematical functions
 - **Modelling of systems** by mathematical equations
 - **Solution** of the equations when excited by the functions
 - **Stability** of the systems
- The course will serve as the prerequisites for additional coursework in the study of communications, signal processing and control.

Overview of our course

■ Contents

- Introduction
- Time-domain representations of linear time-invariant systems
- Fourier representations of signals and linear time-invariant systems
- Applications of Fourier representations to mixed signal classes
- Representing signals by using continuous-time complex exponentials: the Laplace transform
- Representing signals by using discrete-time complex exponentials: the z-Transform.

Overview of our course

■ Textbook

- [Signals and Systems](#), 2nd edition, by S. Haykin and B. Van Veen, John Wiley & sons, Inc 2003

■ Reference books

- [Signals and Systems](#), 2nd edition, by By Alan V. Oppenheim, Alan S. Willsky and S. Hamid Nawab, 清华大学出版社, 影印版 2002
- [《信号与系统》](#), 郑君里, 应启珩, 杨为理, 高等教育出版社, 2000
- [Schaum's outline of signals and systems](#), Hwei P. Hsu, McGraw-Hill, 1995. Website: http://issuu.com/ek.korat/docs/schaum_s_outline_of_signals_and_systems

■ Teaching hours: $16W \times 3hr = 48$ hours

Overview of our course

Grading Scheme

Homework and attendance	20%
Final examination	80%
Total	100%

Lectures slides

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Classification of Signals

- Methods used for processing a signal or analysing the response of a system to a signal significantly depend on the **characteristic attributes** of the signal.
- Certain techniques apply to only specific types of signals – hence the need for classification
 - ❑ **continuous-time** & **discrete-time** signals
 - ❑ **even** and **odd** signals
 - ❑ **periodic** and **aperiodic** signals
 - ❑ **deterministic** and **random** signals
 - ❑ **energy** and **power** signals

Continuous-time and discrete-time signals

- A **continuous-time signal** is defined for all time t , except at some discontinuous point.
- A **discrete-time signal** is defined only at discrete instants of time.

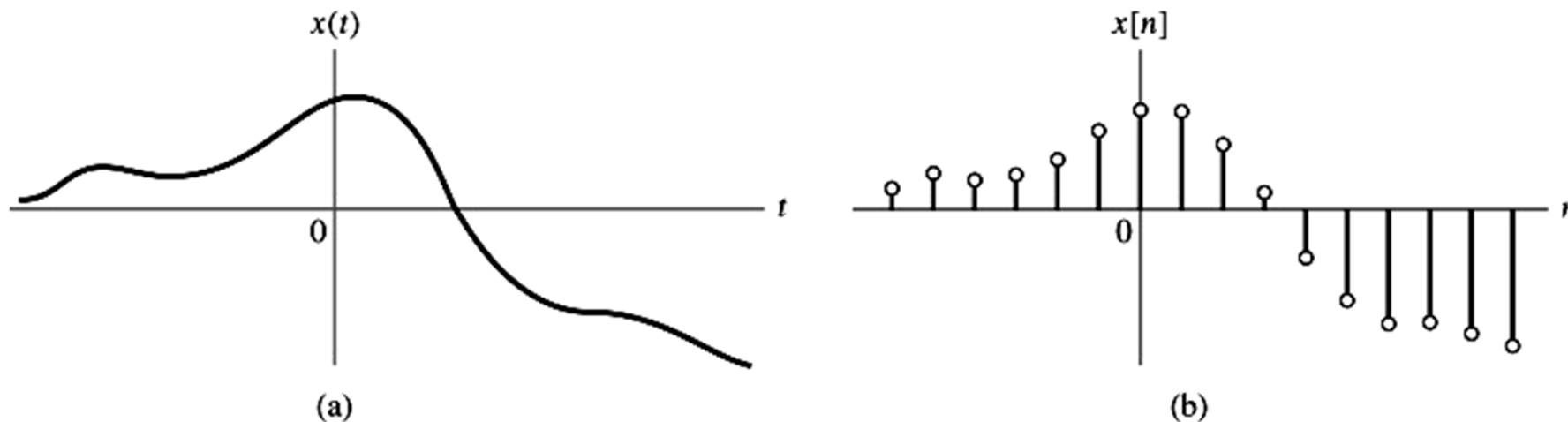


Figure 1.12 (a) Continuous-time signal $x(t)$.
(b) Representation of $x(t)$ as a discrete-time signal $x[n]$.

Continuous-time and discrete-time signals

- A **discrete-time signal** is often derived from A **continuous-time signal** by sampling it at a uniform rate.

$$x[n] = x(t)|_{t=nT_s} = x(nT_s)$$

T_s : sampling period; n denote an integer

In this lecture, we use t to denote time for a continuous-time signal, and n to denote time for a discrete-time signal.

Continuous-time signals: $x(t)$

Parentheses (\cdot)

Discrete-time signals:

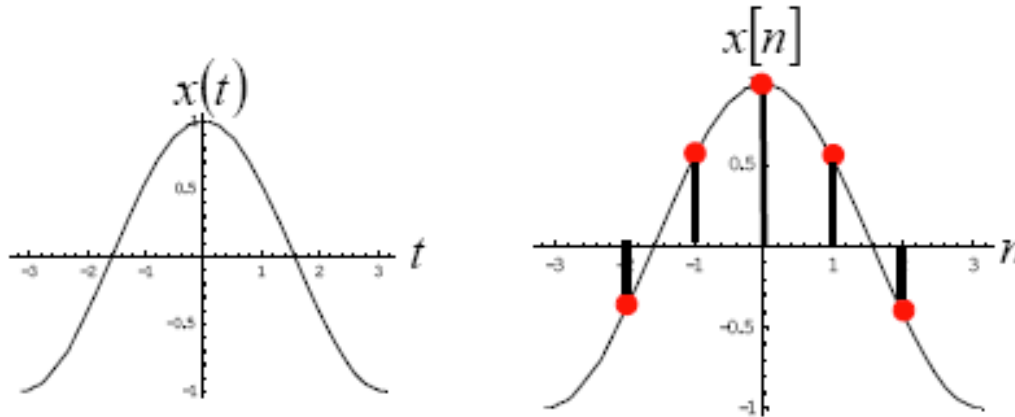
$$x[n] = x(nT_s), \quad n=0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$$

where $t = nT_s$

Brackets [\cdot]

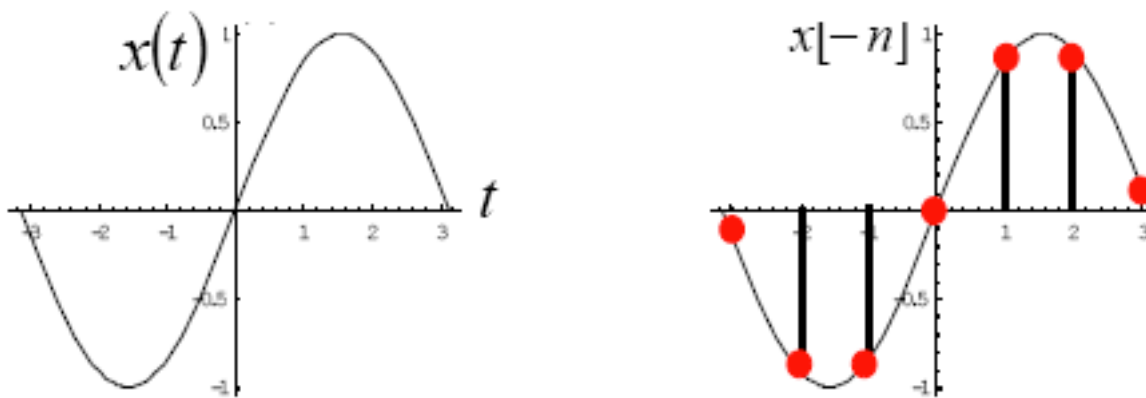
Even and odd signals

- Even signals: $x(-t) = x(t)$, $x[-n] = x[n]$ for all t



Symmetric about vertical axis

- odd signals: $x(-t) = -x(t)$, $x[-n] = -x[n]$ for all t



Antisymmetric about origin

Even and odd signals

Example 1.1 Consider the signal

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{T}\right), & -T \leq t \leq T \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Is the signal $x(t)$ an even or an odd function of time?

<Sol.>

$$x(-t) = \begin{cases} \sin\left(-\frac{\pi t}{T}\right), & -T \leq t \leq T \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} = \begin{cases} -\sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{T}\right), & -T \leq t \leq T \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$= -x(t), \text{ for all } t \implies \text{odd function}$$

Even and odd signals

■ Even-odd decomposition of $x(t)$:

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

where $x_e(-t) = x_e(t)$

$$x_o(-t) = -x_o(t)$$

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

⇒ $x_e(t) = \frac{1}{2}[x(t) + x(-t)]$

$$x_o(t) = \frac{1}{2}[x(t) - x(-t)]$$

Example 1.2 Find the even and odd components of the signal

$$x(t) = e^{-2t} \cos t$$

<Sol.>

$$x(-t) = e^{2t} \cos(-t) = e^{2t} \cos t$$

Even component:

$$x_e(t) = \frac{1}{2}(e^{-2t} \cos t + e^{2t} \cos t) \\ = \cosh(2t) \cos t$$

Odd component: $x_o(t) = \frac{1}{2}(e^{-2t} \cos t - e^{2t} \cos t) = -\sinh(2t) \cos t$

Even and odd signals

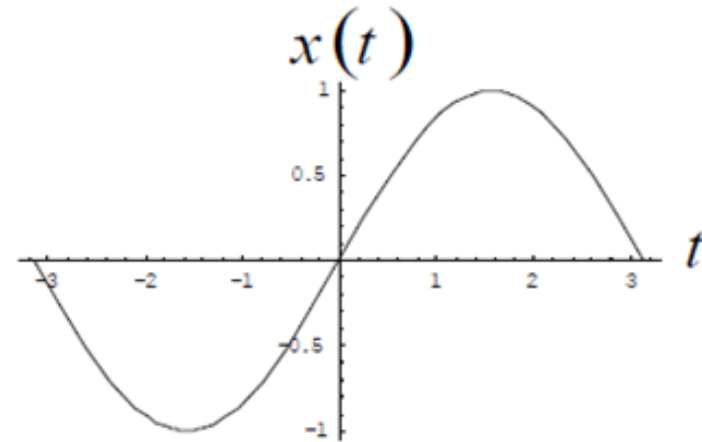
■ **PRODUCT rule**

ODD * ODD = EVEN

EVEN * EVEN = EVEN

EVEN * ODD = ODD

ODD * EVEN = ODD



$$s = \int_{-T}^T x(t) dt = 0, \quad \text{always if } x(t) \text{ is odd.}$$

$$s = \int_{-T}^T x(t) dt = 2 \int_0^T x(t) dt, \quad \text{for } x(t) \text{ is even.}$$

Periodic and Aperiodic Signals

■ Continuous-Time Case

□ Periodic signals:

$$x(t) = x(t+T) \quad \forall t, \text{ where } T \text{ is a positive constant.}$$

$$T = T_0, 2T_0, 3T_0, \dots$$

■ Fundamental period: $T = T_0$

■ Fundamental frequency: $f = \frac{1}{T}$, measured in hertz(Hz).

cycles per second. how frequent the periodic signal repeats itself.

■ Angular frequency: $\omega = 2\pi f = \frac{2\pi}{T}$, measured in radians per second (rad/s)

□ Aperiodic signals: $x(t)$ where T_0 does not exist.

Periodic and Aperiodic Signals

■ Continuous-Time Case

Example of periodic and nonperiodic signals.

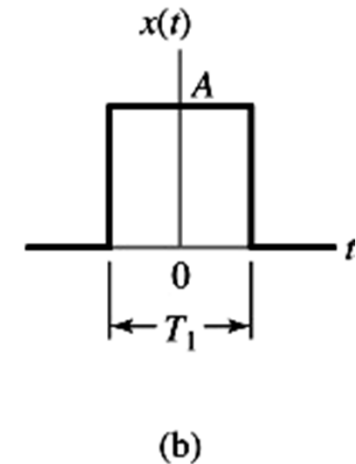
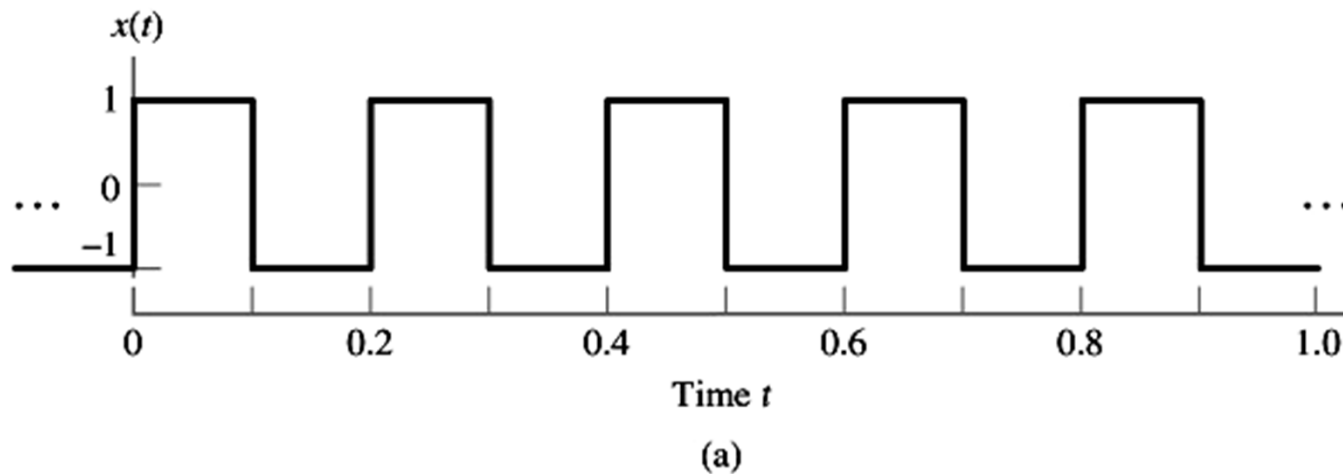


Figure 1.14

(a) Square wave with amplitude $A = 1$ and period $T = 0.2\text{s}$.

(b) Rectangular pulse of amplitude A and duration T_1 .

$$T = 0.2\text{s} \implies f = \frac{1}{T} = 5\text{Hz}, \quad \omega = \frac{2\pi}{T} = 10\pi \text{ rad/s}$$

Periodic and Aperiodic Signals

■ Discrete-Time Case

□ **Periodic signals:** $x[n] = x[n + N]$ for integer n

- Fundamental period: The **smallest** integer value of N for which the periodicity holds
- Fundamental (angular) frequency: $\Omega = \frac{2\pi}{N}$, measured in **radians**.

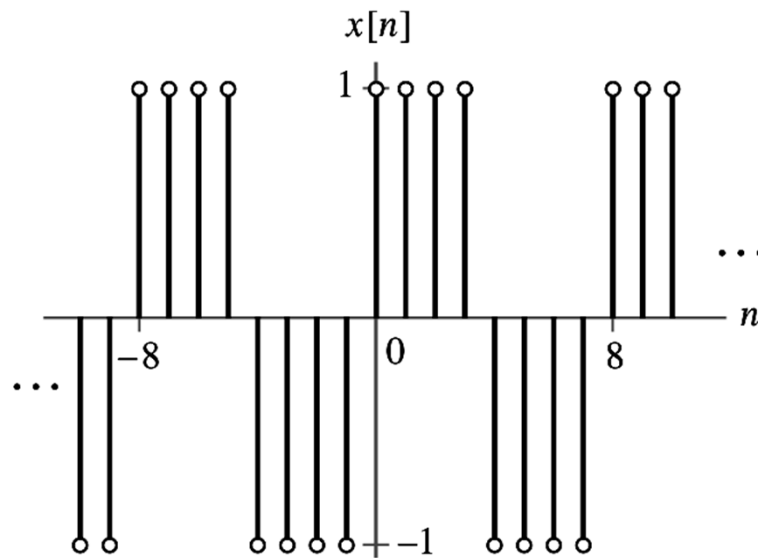


Figure 1.16 Discrete-time square wave alternative between -1 and $+1$.

$$N = 8 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \Omega = \frac{2\pi}{8} = \frac{\pi}{4} \text{ radians.}$$

Periodic and Aperiodic Signals

■ Discrete-Time Case

□ Aperiodic signals:

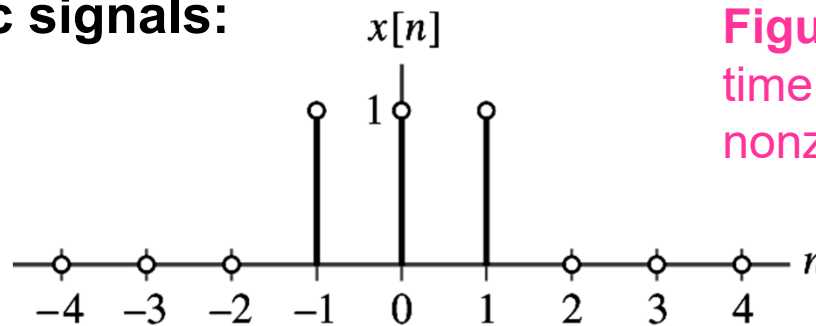


Figure 1.17 Aperiodic discrete-time signal consisting of three nonzero samples.

■ Notes

- A sequence obtained by uniform sampling of a periodic continuous-time signal **may not** be periodic.
- The sum of two continuous-time periodic signals **may not** be periodic.
- The sum of two **periodic sequences** is always periodic.

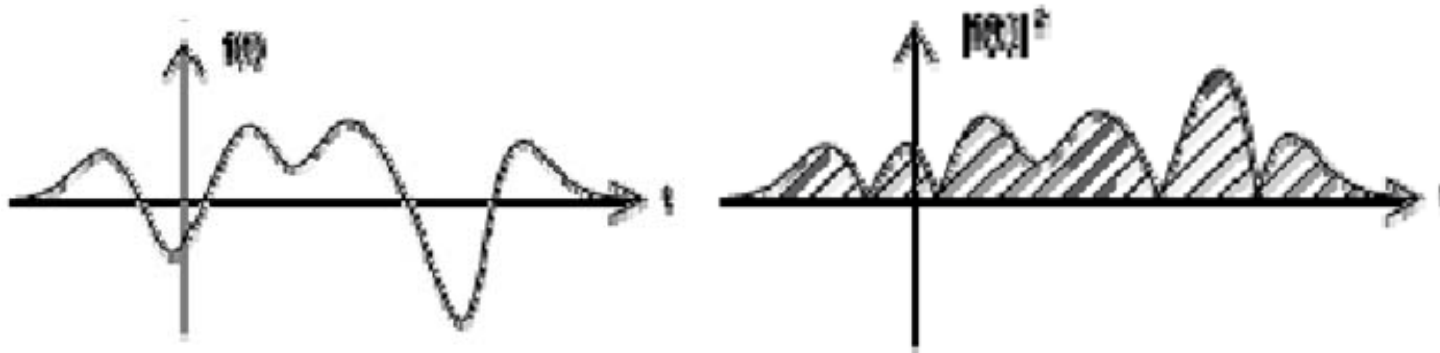
Deterministic signals and random signals

- ❑ *Deterministic signals* are those signals whose values are completely **specified** for any given time. Thus, a deterministic signal can be modeled by a known function of time
- ❑ *Random signals* are those signals that take **random values** at any given time and must be characterized statistically.
- ❑ Random signals will not be discussed in this text.

Energy and Power Signals

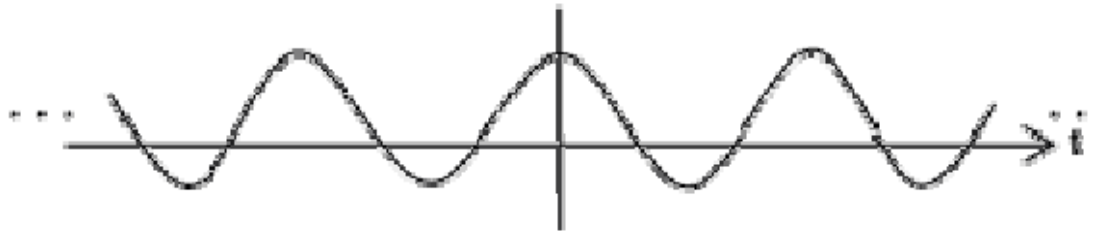
- Strength of a signal: area under the curve.
- **Energy** of a signal: area under the squared signal.

$$E = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(t)|^2 dt$$



Energy and Power Signals

- If the signal does not decay: **infinite energy**



A simple, common signal with infinite energy.

- **Instantaneous power:** $p(t) = \frac{v^2(t)}{R} = Ri^2(t)$

If $R = 1\Omega$ and $x(t)$ represents a current or a voltage,

$$p(t) = x^2(t)$$

- **Power:** a time average of energy (energy per unit time).

Energy and Power Signals

■ continuous-time signal $x(t)$

□ Total energy:

$$E = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-\frac{T}{2}}^{\frac{T}{2}} x^2(t) dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2(t) dt$$

□ Time-averaged/average power

$$P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-\frac{T}{2}}^{\frac{T}{2}} x^2(t) dt$$

□ For periodic signal,

$$P = \frac{1}{T} \int_{-\frac{T}{2}}^{\frac{T}{2}} x^2(t) dt$$

■ discrete-time signal $x(n)$

□ Total energy:

$$E = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x^2[n]$$

□ average power

$$P = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2N} \sum_{n=-N}^N x^2[n]$$

□ For periodic signal,

$$P = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x^2[n]$$

Energy and Power Signals

- **Energy signal**

If and only if the total energy of the signal satisfies the condition

$$0 < E < \infty$$

- **Power signal**

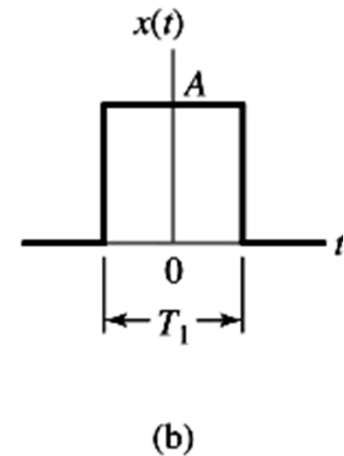
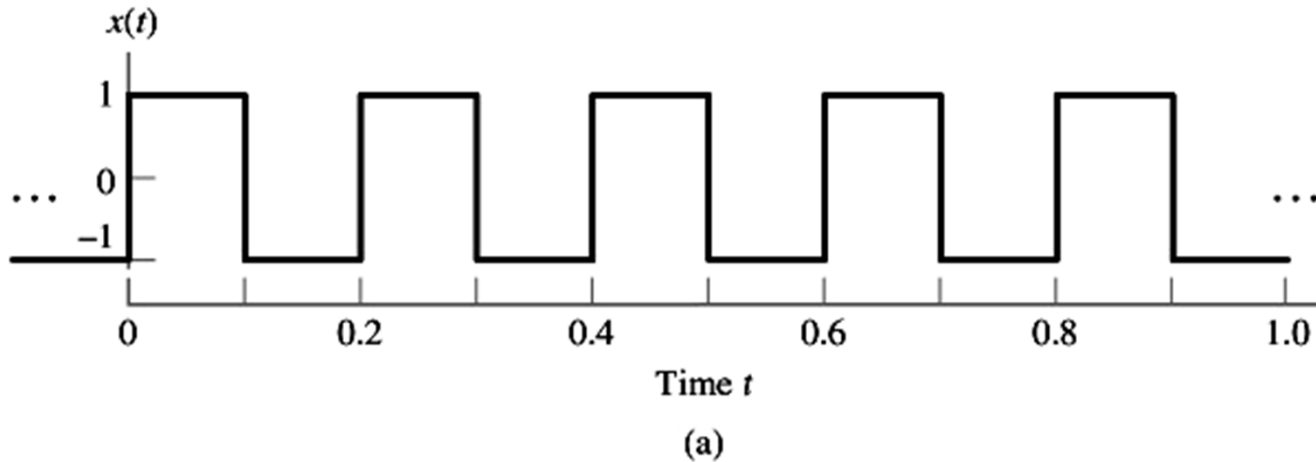
If and only if the average power of the signal satisfies the condition

$$0 < P < \infty$$

- Energy signal has zero time-average power (why?)
- Power signal has infinite energy (why?)
- Energy signal and power signal are mutually exclusive.
- Periodic signal and random signal are usually viewed as power signal.
- Nonperiodic and deterministic signal are usually viewed as energy signal.

Energy and Power Signals

Problem 1.6



□ (a) square wave: **power signal**

$$P = \frac{1}{T} \int_{-\frac{T}{2}}^{\frac{T}{2}} x^2(t) dt = \frac{1}{T} \int_{-\frac{T}{2}}^{\frac{T}{2}} 1^2 dt = 1$$

□ (b) rectangular pulse: **energy signal**

$$E = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2(t) dt = \int_{-\frac{T_1}{2}}^{\frac{T_1}{2}} A^2 dt = A^2 T_1$$

Orthogonality (正交性)

- Orthogonality is fundamental to almost everything that is subsequent in signals and systems theory.
- For **discrete signals**, if the product of two signals averages to zero over the period T , then those two signals are **ORTHOGONAL** in that interval (T).

$$\frac{1}{T} \sum_{n=0}^N x_1[n] x_2[n] = 0$$

- For **continuous signals**, if the product of two signals integrates to zero over the period T , then those two signals are **ORTHOGONAL** in that interval (T).

$$\int_0^T x_1(t) x_2(t) dt = 0$$

Operation on Signals

- An issue of fundamental importance in the signals and systems is the **use of systems to process or manipulate signals**. This issue usually involves a combination of some basic operations in signals.
 - Three transformation in amplitude
 - **Amplitude scaling**
 - **Addition**
 - **Multiplication**
 - Three transformations in time domain
 - **Time Scaling** (尺度变换)
 - **Time Reflection** (折叠)
 - **Time Shifting** (时移)

Transformation in Amplitude

- **Amplitude scaling:** $y(t) = cx(t)$ c : scaling factor

$$y[n] = cx[n]$$

- Performed by amplifier or resistor

- **Addition:** $y(t) = x_1(t) + x_2(t)$

$$y[n] = x_1[n] + x_2[n]$$

- E.g. audio mixer

- **Multiplication:** $y(t) = x_1(t)x_2(t)$

$$y[n] = x_1[n]x_2[n]$$

- E.g. AM radio signal

Transformation in Amplitude

■ **Differentiation:** $y(t) = \frac{d}{dt} x(t)$

□ E.g. inductor $v(t) = L \frac{d}{dt} i(t)$

■ **Integration:**

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

□ E.g. capacitor $v(t) = \frac{1}{C} \int_{-\infty}^t i(\tau) d\tau$

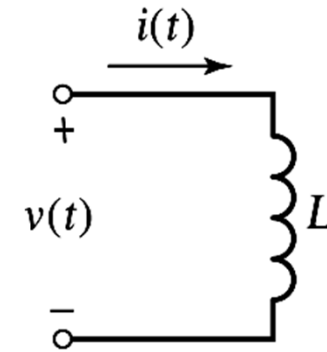


Figure 1.18 Inductor

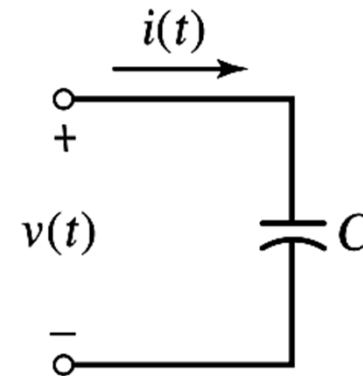


Figure 1.19 Capacitor

Time Scaling

■ Continuous-Time Case

$$y(t) = x(at), \quad a > 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \begin{cases} a > 1: \text{compressed} \\ 0 < a < 1: \text{expanded} \end{cases}$$

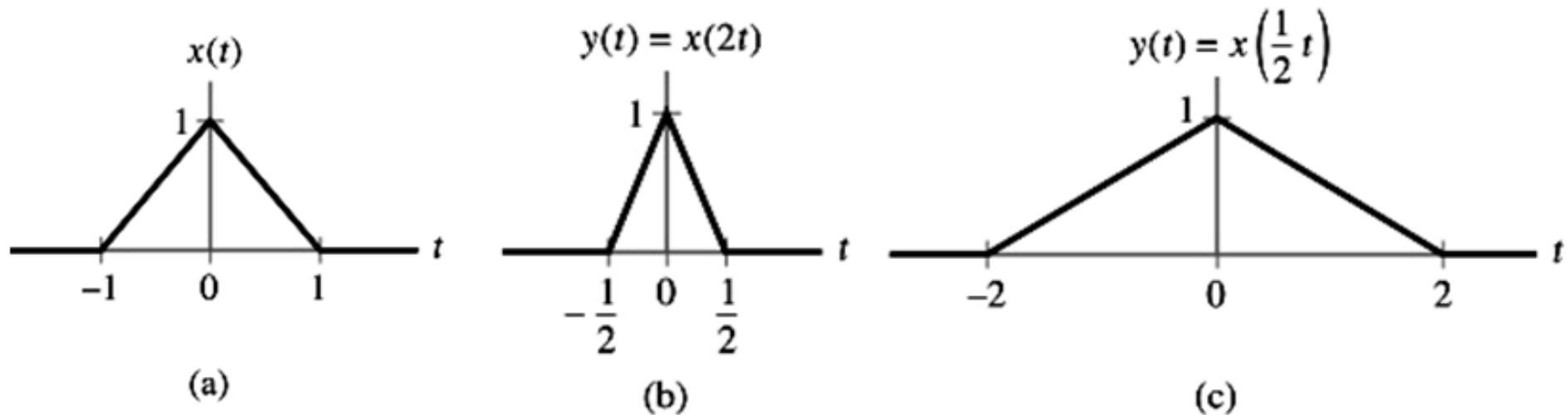


Figure 1.20

Time-scaling operation; (a) continuous-time signal $x(t)$, (b) version of $x(t)$ compressed by a factor of 2, and (c) version of $x(t)$ expanded by a factor of 2.

Time Scaling

■ Discrete-Time Case

$$y[n] = x[kn], \quad k > 0$$

$k = \text{integer}$ \Rightarrow Some values lost!

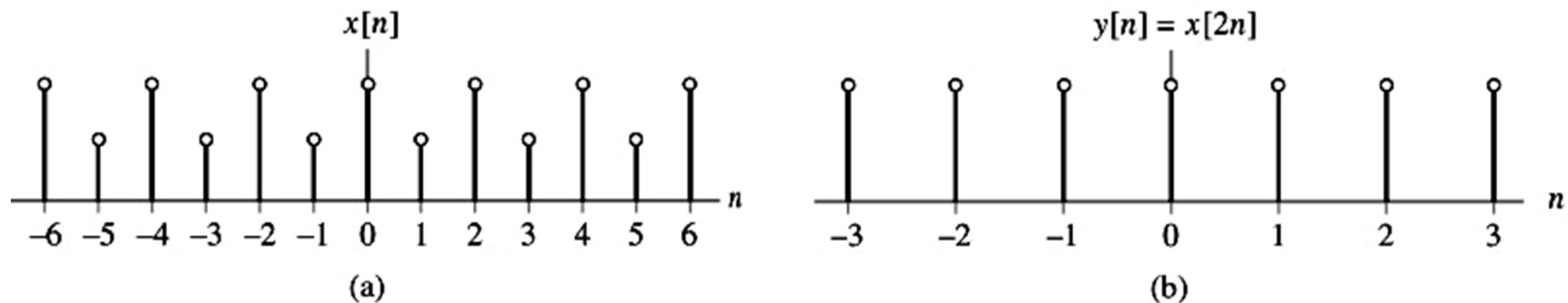


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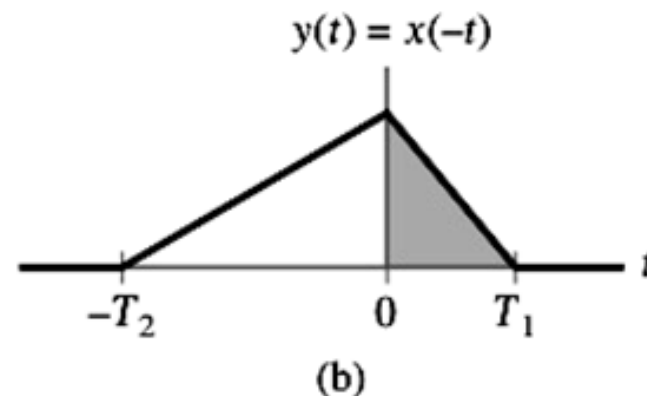
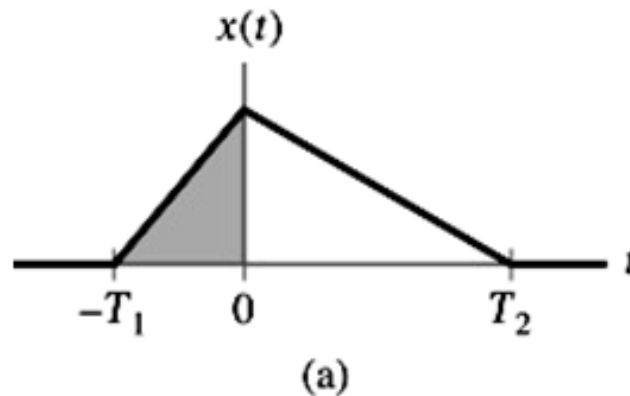
Effect of time scaling on a discrete-time signal: (a) discrete-time signal $x[n]$ and (b) version of $x[n]$ compressed by a factor of 2, with some values of the original $x[n]$ lost as a result of the compression.

Time Reflection

$y(t) = x(-t)$ \Rightarrow $y(t)$ represents a reflected version of $x(t)$ about $t = 0$.

- An even signal is the same as its reflected version: $x(-t) = x(t)$
- An odd signal is the negative of its reflected version: $x(-t) = -x(t)$

Ex. 1-3 Consider the triangular pulse $x(t)$ shown in Fig. 1-22(a). Find the reflected version of $x(t)$ about the amplitude axis (i.e., the origin).



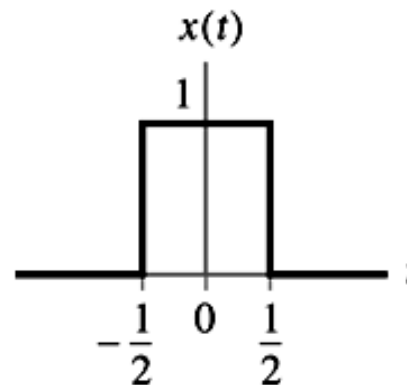
$$x(t) = 0 \quad \text{for} \quad t < -T_1 \quad \text{and} \quad t > T_2 \quad \Rightarrow \quad y(t) = 0 \quad \text{for} \quad t > T_1 \quad \text{and} \quad t < -T_2$$

Time Shifting

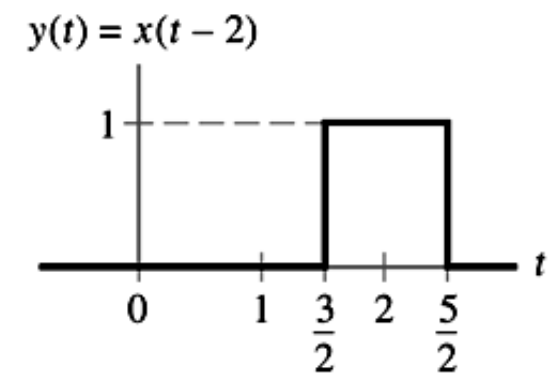
■ Continuous-Time Case

$$y(t) = x(t - t_0) \quad \Rightarrow \quad \begin{aligned} t_0 > 0: & \text{ shift toward right} \\ t_0 < 0: & \text{ shift toward left} \end{aligned}$$

Ex.1-4 $y(t) = x(t - 2)$



(a)



(b)

■ Discrete-Time Case

$$y[n] = x[n - m] \quad \text{where } m \text{ is a positive or negative integer}$$

Precedence Rule for Time Shifting and Time Scaling

- **Combination of time shifting and time scaling**

$$y(t) = x(at - b) \Rightarrow \begin{cases} y(0) = x(-b) \\ y\left(\frac{b}{a}\right) = x(0) \end{cases}$$

□ Operation order :

1st step: time shifting $v(t) = x(t - b)$

2nd step: time scaling $y(t) = v(at) = x(at - b)$

or

1st step: time scaling $v(t) = x(at)$

2nd step: time shifting

$$y(t) = v\left(t - \frac{b}{a}\right) = x\left(a\left(t - \frac{b}{a}\right)\right) = x(at - b)$$

Precedence Rule for Time Shifting and Time Scaling

Ex. 1-5. Consider the rectangular pulse $x(t)$ in Fig. 1-24(a). Find
 $y(t) = x(2t + 3)$.

<Sol.> Case 1: Shifting first, then scaling

➡ $v(t) = x(t + 3)$

$$y(t) = v(2t) = x(2t + 3)$$

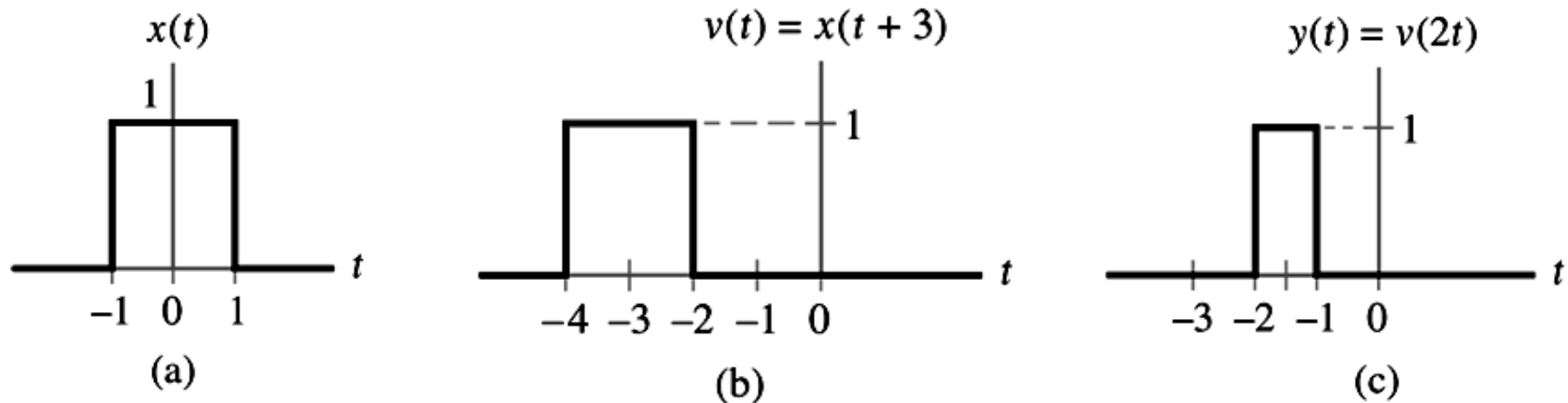


Figure 1.24 The proper order of time scaling and time shifting operations

Precedence Rule for Time Shifting and Time Scaling

Case 2: Scaling first, then shifting

➡ $v(t) = x(2t)$

$$y(t) = v(t + 3) = x(2(t + 3)) \neq x(2t + 3)$$

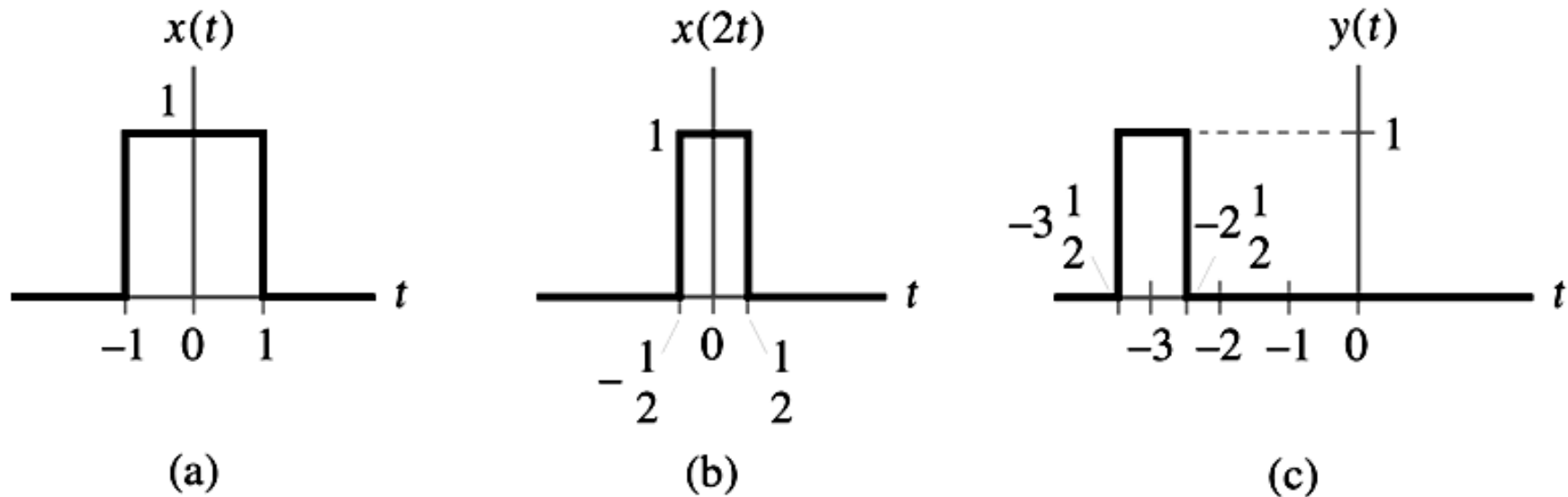


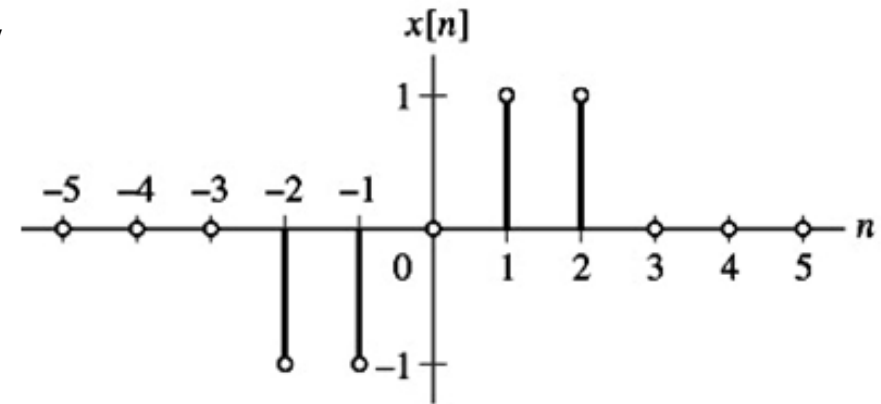
Figure 1.25 The incorrect way of applying the precedence rule.

Precedence Rule for Time Shifting and Time Scaling

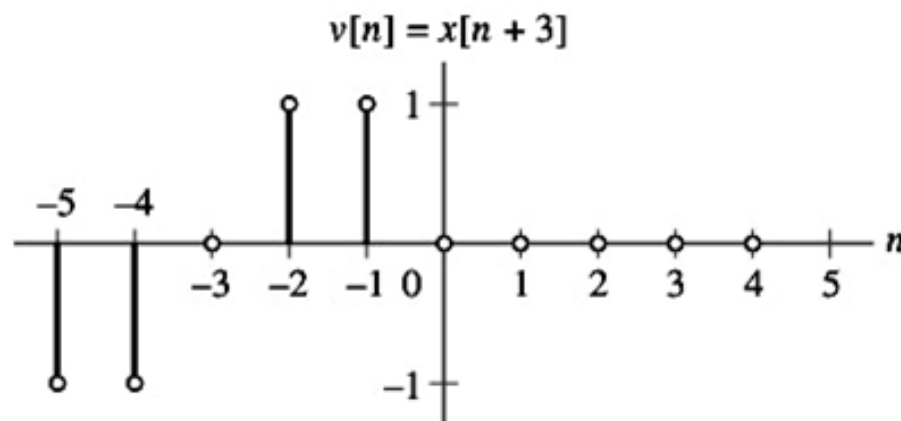
Ex. 1-6 A discrete-time signal is defined by

$$x[n] = \begin{cases} 1, & n = 1, 2 \\ -1, & n = -1, -2 \\ 0, & n = 0 \text{ and } |n| > 2 \end{cases}$$

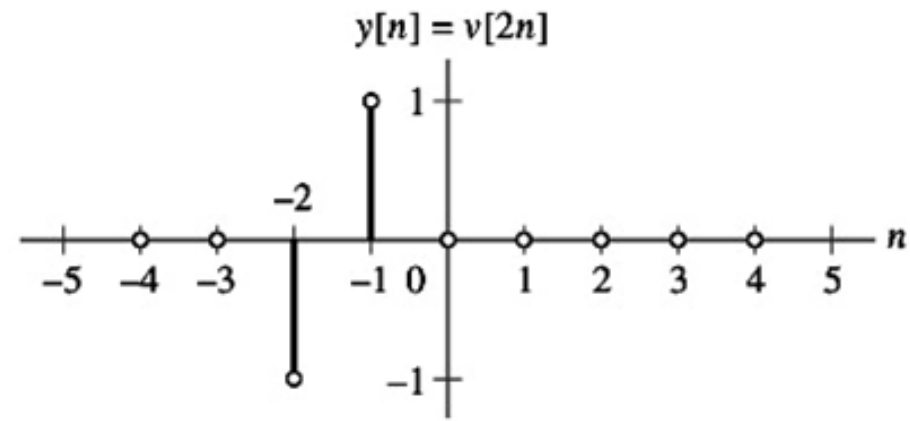
Find $y[n] = x[2n + 3]$.



(a)



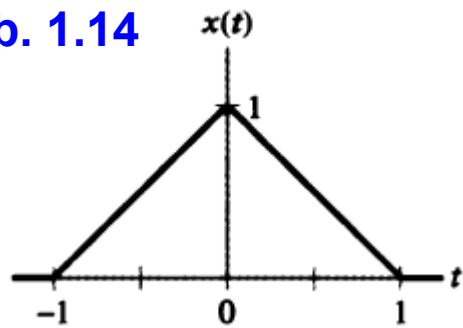
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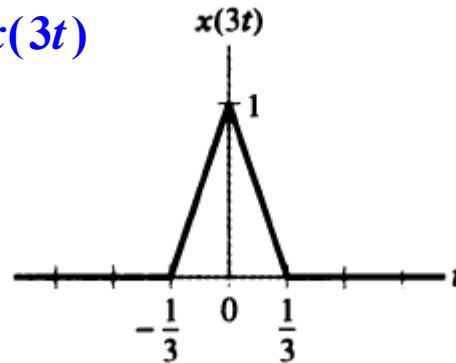
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Precedence Rule for Time Shifting and Time Scaling

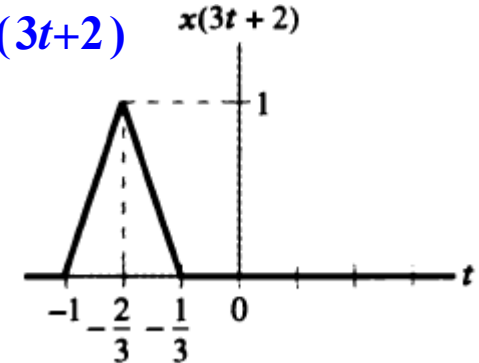
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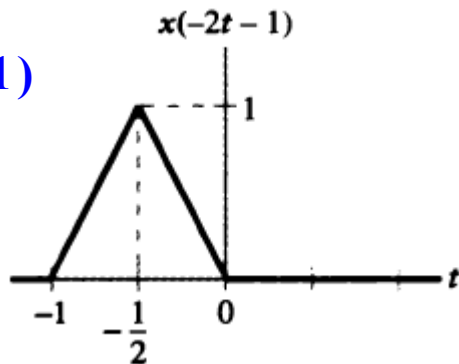
a) $x(3t)$



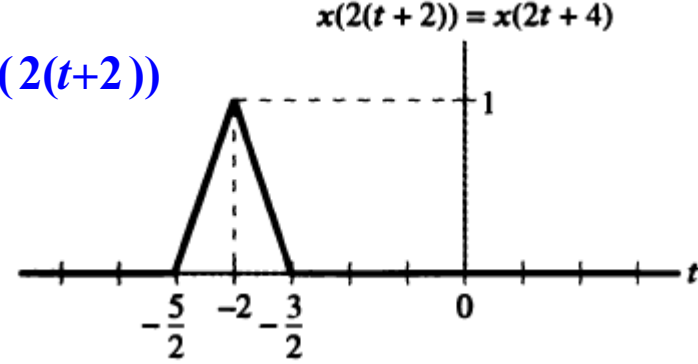
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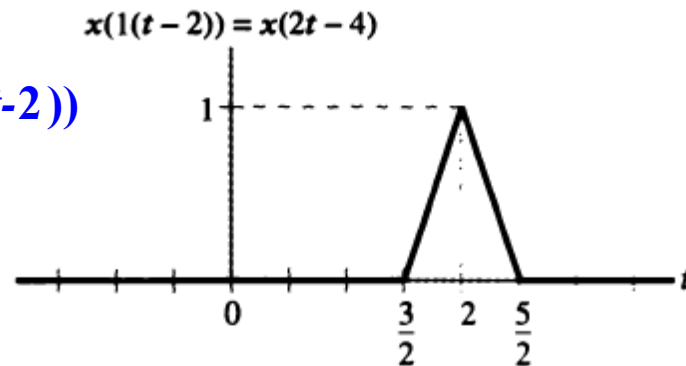
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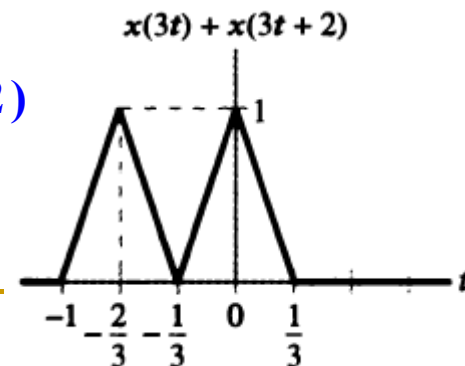
d) $x(2(t+2))$



e) $x(2(t-2))$



f) $x(3t) + x(3t+2)$



Summary

- Signals and systems introduction
- Overview of our course
- Classification of signals
- Operation on Signals

- Reference in textbook:
 - 1.1,1.2,1.4,1.5
 - 1.3 (optional)
- Homework: 1.42, 1.44, 1.46, 1.51, 1.56