

# UniDyn--Demo-03.nb

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**Abstract:** This notebook demonstrates how to take the digital Fourier transform (DFT) of data.

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## Introductory example illustrating one-dimensional DFT data ordering

Transverse magnetization, detected off resonance, decaying due to T2. “Spike” the data with a dc offset (an oscillation at zero frequency). Make the dc offset large enough so we can see it but small enough so that it is *not* the largest peak in the spectrum.

```
In[25]:= Clear[y];  
y[t_] := Cos[2  $\pi$  (5.1) t] Exp[-t / 2] + 0.075
```

To plot, set the total number of points (NN) and the total time (T). We set NN equal to a power of 2 in anticipation of taking a digital Fourier transform.

```
In[27]:= NN = 2 ^ 10;  
T$final = 10.0;
```

From NN and T\$final we derive the time step (dt) and the frequency step (df). Now generate a list of data points based on the above function. At the same time, generate a list of time points (t) and frequency points (f) for plotting.

```
In[29]:= dt = T$final / (NN - 1);
df = 1 / dt;
```

```
Y = Table[y[t], {t, 0, T$final, dt}];
```

```
f = Table[jj / T$final, {jj, -NN / 2, NN / 2 - 1}];
t = Table[ii * dt, {ii, 0, NN - 1}];
```

```
Print["The time step is ", dt, " s"]
```

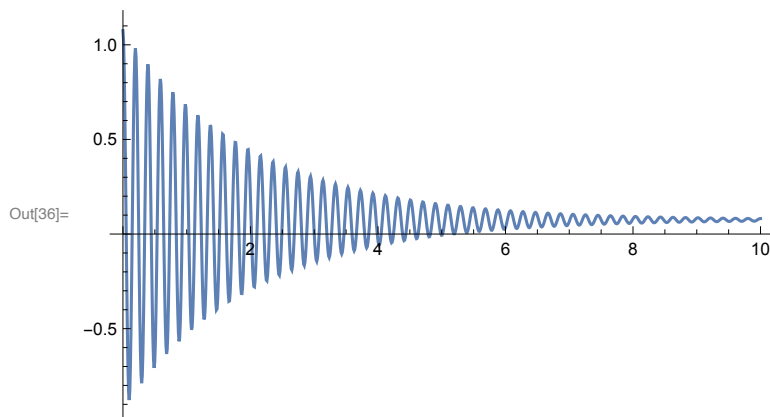
```
Print["The Nyquist frequency is ", 1 / (2 * dt), " Hz"]
```

The time step is 0.00977517 s

The Nyquist frequency is 51.15 Hz

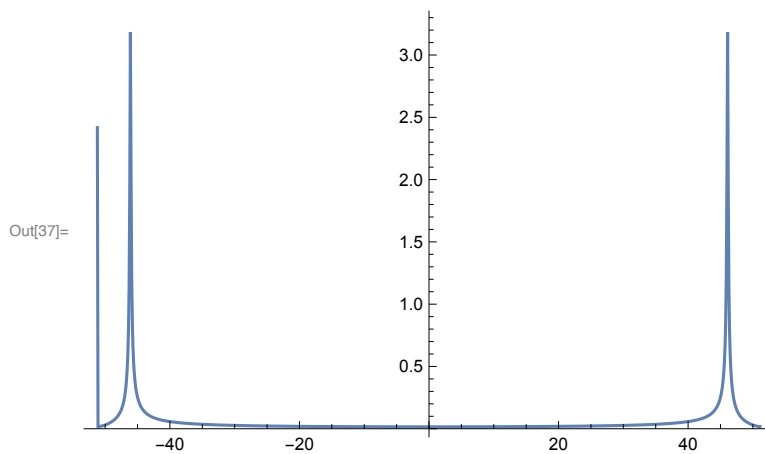
Plot the data versus time:

```
In[36]:= ListLinePlot[Transpose[{t, Y}], PlotRange → All]
```



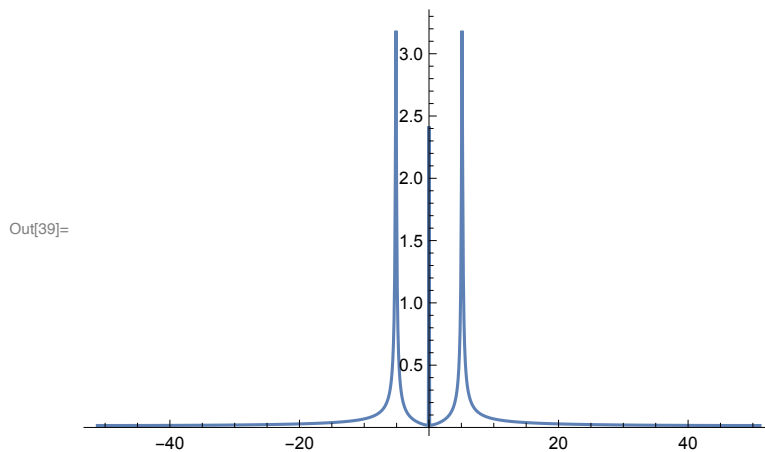
Take the Fourier transform and plot the absolute value of the Fourier transform.

```
In[37]:= ListLinePlot[
  Transpose[{f, Abs[Fourier[Y]]}], PlotRange -> All]
```



Note that we do not see peaks in the frequency spectrum where we expect. This is because the DFT algorithm returns the data in a funny order -- positive-frequency data first, then negative-frequency data. If we want the DFT'ed data running from negative frequency to positive frequency, then we need to reorder the data. Below we accomplish this reordering with the **RotateLeft[]** function.

```
In[38]:= FFTY = RotateRight[Fourier[Y], NN / 2];
ListLinePlot[Transpose[{f, Abs[FFTY]}], PlotRange -> All]
```



Now the plot looks right. Check that there is a peak at zero frequency due to the dc offset. Do this by printing out the data near the middle of the spectrum:

```
In[40]:= {f[[#]], Abs[FFTY][[#]] & /@ {NN / 2}
          {f[[#]], Abs[FFTY][[#]] & /@ {NN / 2 + 1}
          {f[[#]], Abs[FFTY][[#]] & /@ {NN / 2 + 2}}
```

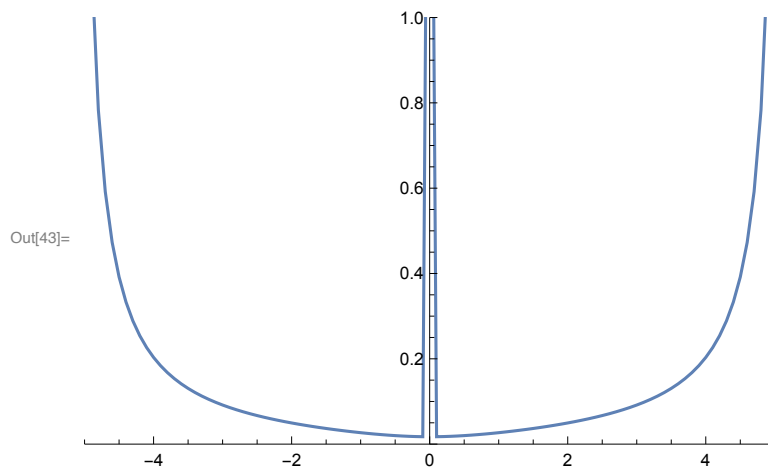
```
Out[40]= {{-0.1, 0.017401}}
```

```
Out[41]= {{0., 2.41729}}
```

```
Out[42]= {{0.1, 0.017401}}
```

We can zoom in on the spectrum near zero frequency:

```
In[43]:= ListLinePlot[Transpose[{f, Abs[FFTY]}],
                      PlotRange -> {{-5, 5}, {0, 1}}]
```

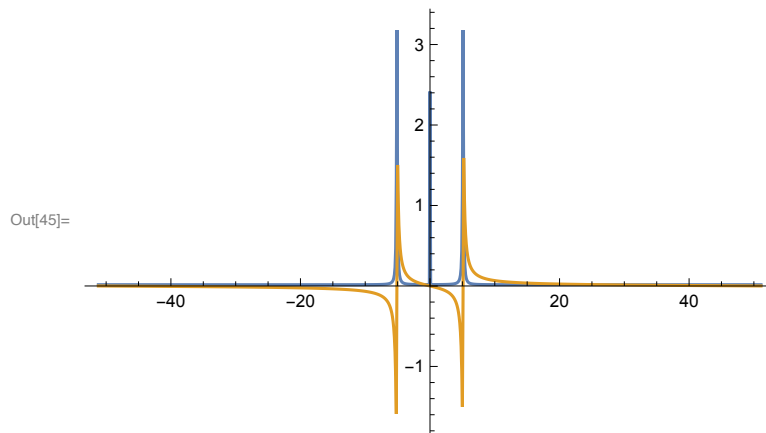


Print out the frequency of the peak in the absolute value of the Fourier Transform. We see that the peak occurs at the expected frequency.

```
In[44]:= f[[Ordering[Abs[FFTY]]][[-1]]]
```

```
Out[44]= 5.1
```

```
In[45]:= ListLinePlot[{Transpose[{f, Re[FFTY]}],  
  Transpose[{f, Im[FFTY]}]}], PlotRange -> All]
```



## Define our own one-dimensional DFT module and illustrate aliasing

This digital Fourier transform module, **DFFT[]**, takes inputs

$y$  = the signal, versus time  $t$

NN = number of data points to plot (ideally a multiple of 2)

T = the total length of time in seconds

and produces a plot of (1) the signal versus time and the (2) absolute value of  $\text{DFT}\{\text{signal}\}$  versus frequency.

```

In[46]:= DFFT[y_, NN_, T_] :=
  Module[{dt, df, Y, f, t},

    dt = T / (NN - 1);
    df = 1 / dt;

    Y = Table[y[t], {t, 0, T, dt}];

    f = Table[jj / T, {jj, -NN / 2, NN / 2 - 1}];
    t = Table[ii * dt, {ii, 0, NN - 1}];

    FFTY = RotateRight[Fourier[Y], NN / 2];

    p1 = ListLinePlot[
      {Transpose[{t, Re[Y]}], Transpose[{t, Im[Y]}]},
      PlotRange → {-1, 1},
      AxesLabel → {"time [s]", "signal"}];

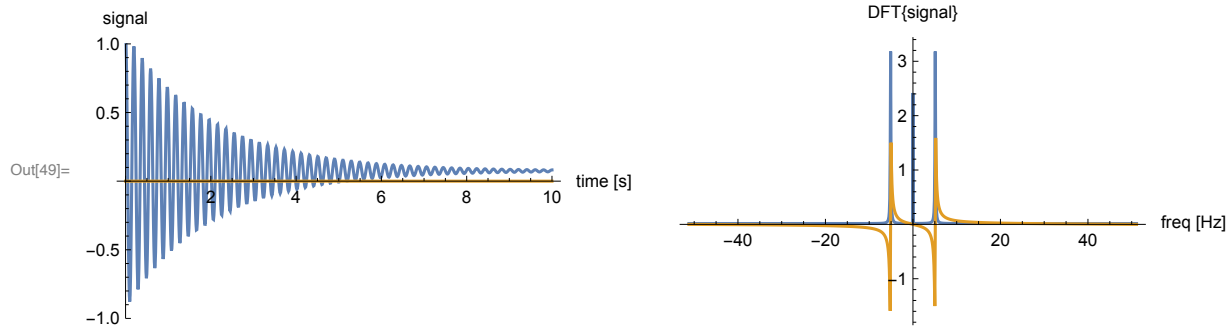
    p2 = ListLinePlot[
      {Transpose[{f, Re[FFTY]}], Transpose[{f, Im[FFTY]}]},
      PlotRange → All,
      AxesLabel → {"freq [Hz]", "DFT{signal}"}];

    Show[GraphicsGrid[{{p1, p2}}]]
  ]

```

Test drive the module. Feed the DFFT program a signal consisting of a cosine oscillation plus a constant term. The cosine oscillation gives rise to peaks at plus and minus the oscillation frequency in the Fourier transform. The constant term gives rise to a peak at zero frequency in the Fourier transform.

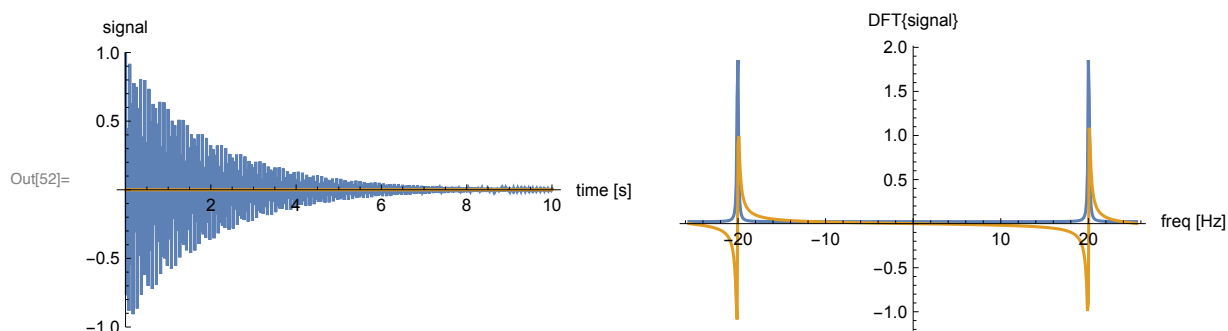
```
In[47]:= Clear[y];
y[t_] := Cos[2 π (5.1) t] Exp[-0.5 t] + 0.075
DFFT[y, 2 ^ 10, 10.]
```



Illustrate **aliasing** or **folding-in** as follows. The Nyquist frequency in this example is 25.575 Hz. Plot two example Cosine waves and their Fourier transforms.

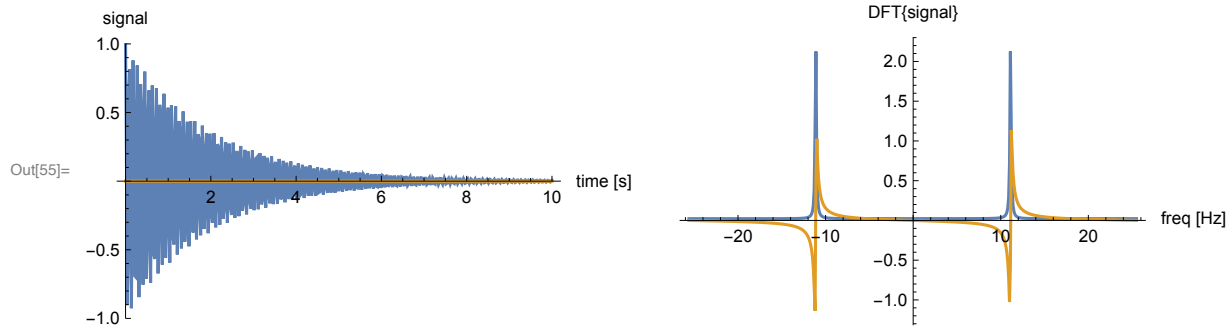
The wave below, **y1**, has an oscillation frequency of 20 Hz, and we see a peak at 20 Hz in the Fourier transform.

```
In[50]:= Clear[y1];
y1[t_] := Cos[2 π (20.0) t] Exp[-0.5 t]
DFFT[y1, 2 ^ 9, 10.]
```



The wave below, **y2**, has an oscillation frequency of 40 Hz, well above the Nyquist frequency. It “wants” to appear at a frequency  $40 - 25.575 = 14.425$  Hz *above* the Nyquist frequency. Instead, the peak *actually* appears at a frequency 14.425 Hz *below* the Nyquist frequency, at  $25.575 - 14.425 = 11.15$  Hz. This is due to “folding” or “aliasing”.

```
In[53]:= Clear[y2];
y2[t_] := Cos[2 π (40.) t] Exp[-0.5 t]
DFFT[y2, 2 ^ 9, 10.]
```

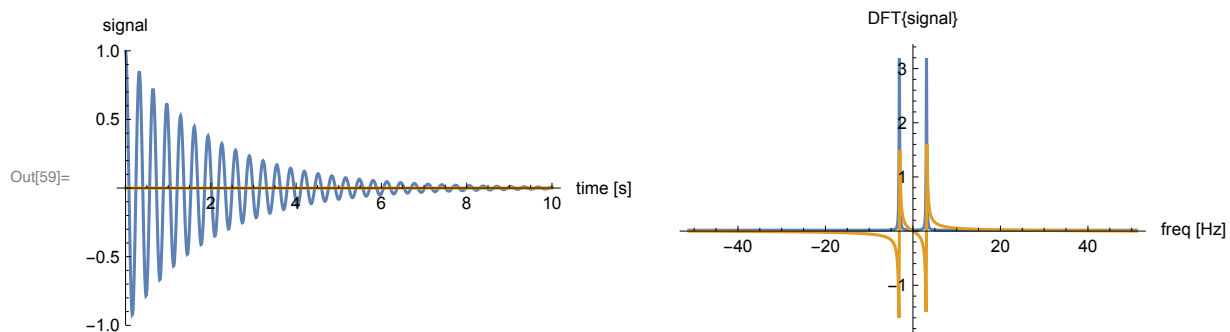


```
In[56]:= Clear[y1, y2]
```

## Fourier transforming complex-valued data

Fourier transform a decaying cosine wave.

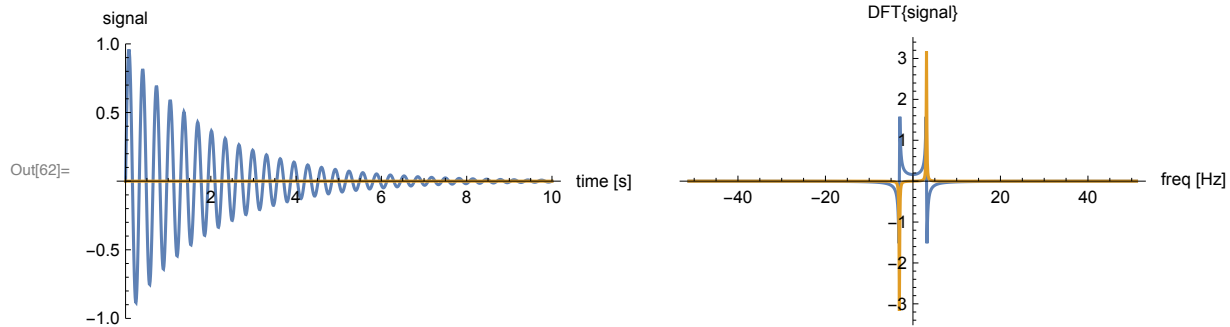
```
In[57]:= Clear[y];
y[t_] := Cos[2 π (3.1) t] Exp[-0.5 t]
DFFT[y, 2 ^ 10, 10.]
```



Fourier transform a decaying sine wave. How is the Fourier transform different?



```
In[60]:= Clear[y];
y[t_] := Sin[2  $\pi$  (3.1) t] Exp[-0.5 t]
DFFT[y, 2^10, 10.]
```

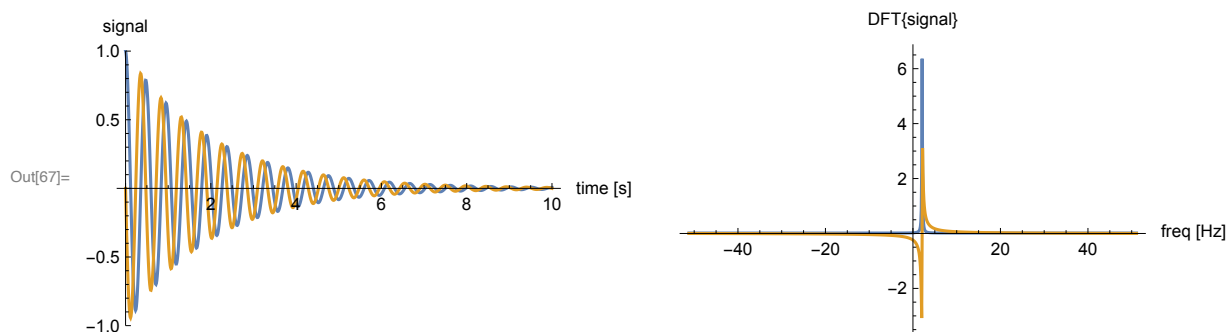


Make a *complex* signal from the real Cos[] and Sin[] signals. How is the Fourier transform of the complex signal different?

```
In[63]:= Clear[X, Y, y];

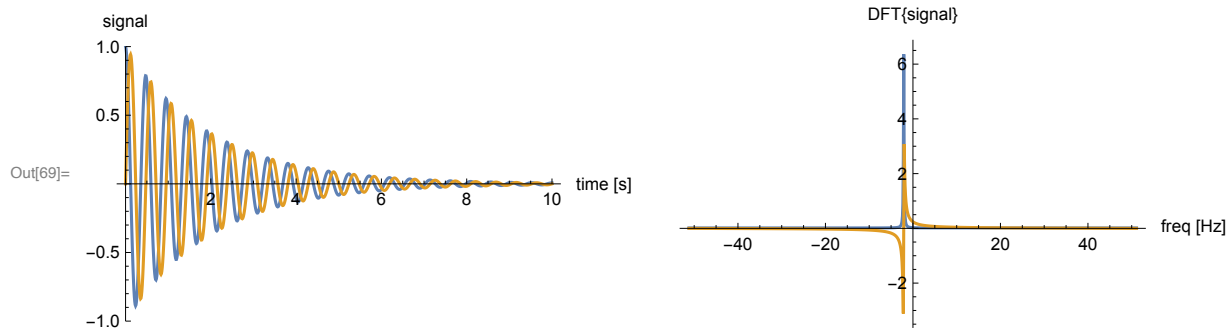
X[t_] := Cos[2  $\pi$  (2.1) t] Exp[-0.5 t]
Y[t_] := Sin[2  $\pi$  (2.1) t] Exp[-0.5 t]

y[t_] := X[t] - I Y[t]
DFFT[y, 2^10, 10.]
```



Change how we make the linear combination of the Cos[] and Sin[] signals.

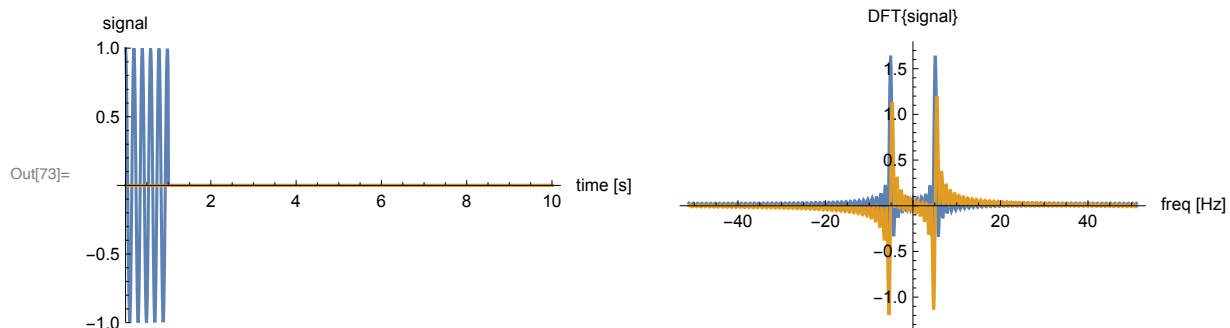
```
In[68]:= y[t_] := X[t] + I Y[t]
DFFT[y, 2 ^ 10, 10.]
```



## Apodization and Zero Filling

When the data abruptly stops ... you get “sinc” wiggles

```
In[70]:= Clear[y];
y[t_] := Cos[2 π (5.1) t] /; t ≤ 1
y[t_] := 0 /; t > 1
DFFT[y, 2 ^ 10, 10.]
```

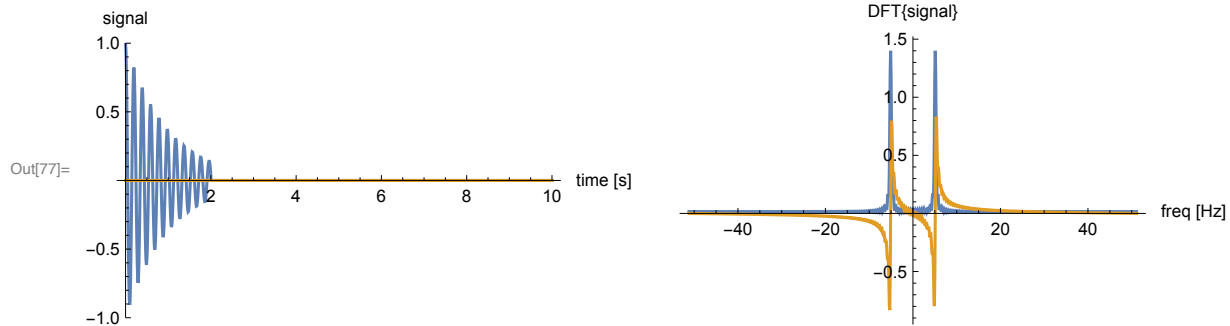


If, on the other hand, you force the data to decay ... then the sinc() wiggles largely go away.

```

In[74]:= Clear[y];
y[t_] := Cos[2  $\pi$  (5.1) t] Exp[-t/1] /; t ≤ 2
y[t_] := 0 /; t > 2
DFFT[y, 2 ^ 10, 10.]

```

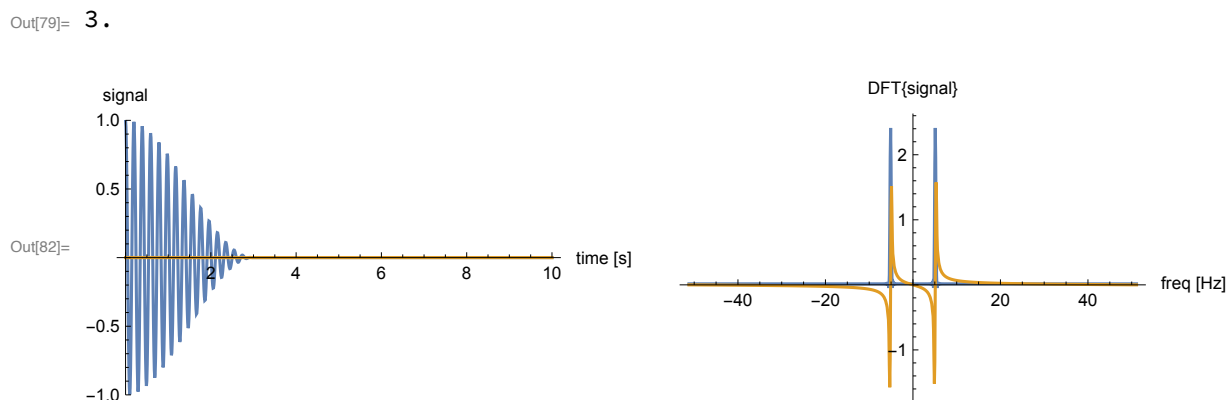


The Exp[] function is not exactly zero at the cutoff time of 1 second in the above example, so some sinc() wiggles remain. Are there better windows? A Hanning window forces the data to zero at the end.

```

In[78]:= Clear[y];
T$cut = 3.0
y[t_] :=
  Cos[2  $\pi$  (5.1) t] 0.5 (1 + Cos[ $\pi$  t / T$cut]) /; t ≤ T$cut
y[t_] := 0 /; t > T$cut
DFFT[y, 2 ^ 10, 10.]

```



Procedure:

- (1) Force data to zero with “apodization”
- (2) Extend the data with zeros until the length of the data is a power of 2
- (3) THEN Fourier transform

## Two-dimensional DFT

```

In[83]:= z[t1_, t2_] := Cos[2  $\pi$  (2.1) t1]
          Exp[-t1 / 5] Cos[2  $\pi$  (2.1) t2] Exp[-t2 / 5] + 0.010

In[84]:= NN = 2 ^ 7;
          T$final = 10.0;

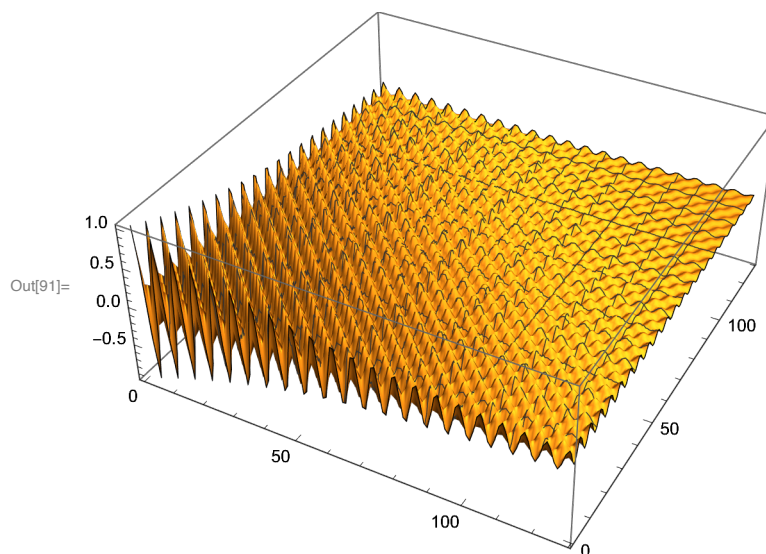
          dt = T$final / (NN - 1);
          df = 1 / dt;
          S = Table[z[t1, t2],
                    {t1, 0, T$final, dt}, {t2, 0, T$final, dt}];

          Print["The timestep is ", dt, " s"]
          Print["The Nyquist frequency is ", 1 / (2 * dt), " Hz"]

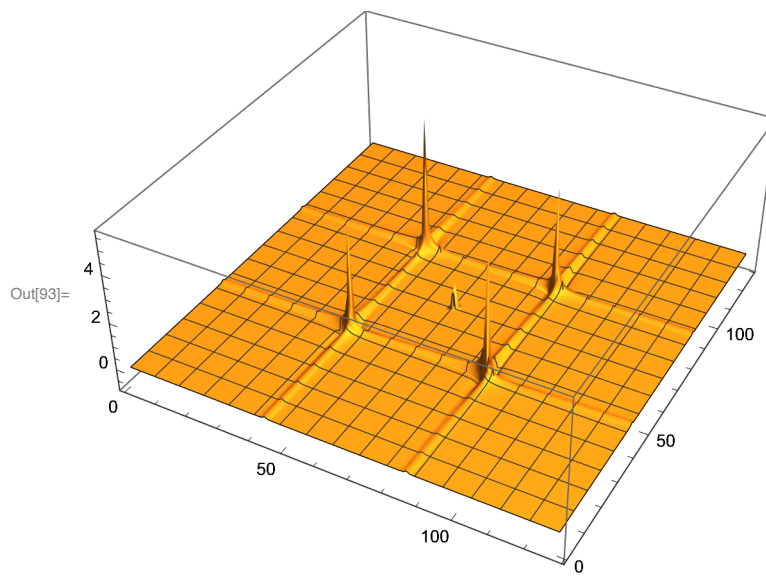
          The timestep is 0.0787402 s
          The Nyquist frequency is 6.35 Hz

In[91]:= ListPlot3D[S, PlotRange -> All]

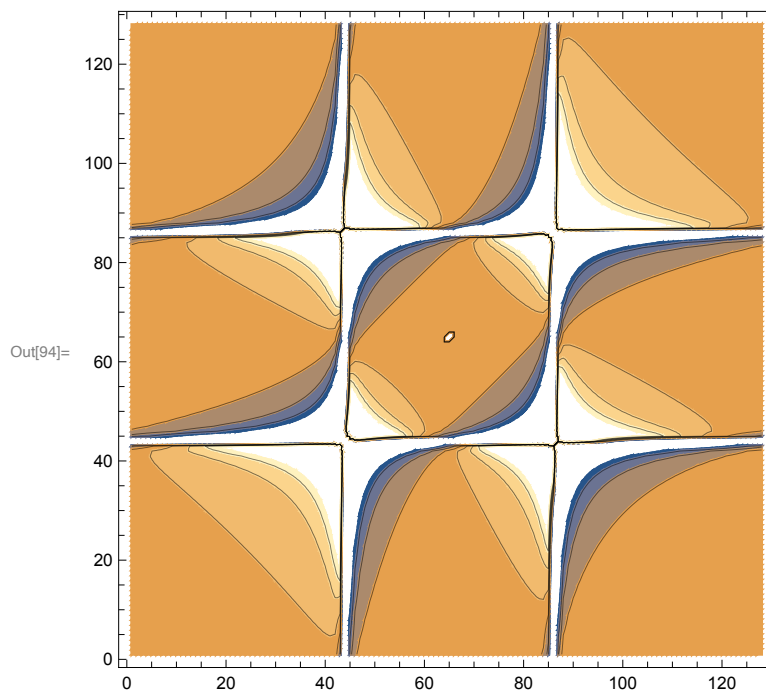
```



```
In[92]:= FFTS = RotateRight[Fourier[S], {NN/2, NN/2}];
ListPlot3D[Re[FFTS], PlotRange -> All]
```



```
In[94]:= ListContourPlot[-Re[FFTS]]
```



## 2D DFT module (phase-twist lineshape)

```

In[95]:= D2DFFT[z_, NN_, T_] :=
  Module[{dt, df, S, f, t},

    dt = T / (NN - 1);
    df = 1 / dt;

    S = Table[z[t1, t2], {t1, 0, T, dt}, {t2, 0, T, dt}];

    f = Table[jj / T, {jj, -NN / 2, NN / 2 - 1}];
    t = Table[ii * dt, {ii, 0, NN - 1}];

    Print["The time step is ", dt, " s"];
    Print["The Nyquist frequency is ", 1 / (2 * dt), " Hz"];

    FFTS = RotateRight[Fourier[S], {NN / 2, NN / 2}];

    SetOptions[ListPlot3D, PlotRange → All, PlotLabel → "",
      DataRange → {{f[[1]], f[[-1]]}, {f[[1]], f[[-1]]}}];

    ListPlot3D[Re[FFTS], PlotRange → All,
      AxesLabel → {"f1 [Hz]", "f2 [Hz]", "2D DFT{signal}"}]

  ]

```

An example of the phase-twist lineshape

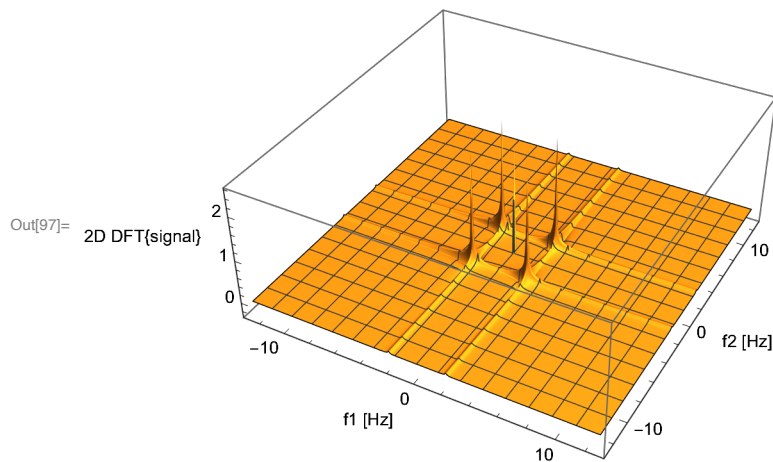
```

In[96]:= z[t1_, t2_] := Cos[2  $\pi$  (2.1) t1]
  Exp[-t1 / 2] Cos[2  $\pi$  (2.1) t2] Exp[-t2 / 2] + 0.010
D2DFFT[z, 2 ^ 8, 10.]

```

The time step is 0.0392157 s

The Nyquist frequency is 12.75 Hz



### 2D DFT module (pure absorption lineshape)

We obtain a pure absorption lineshape by Fourier transforming along one dimension, taking the real part, Fourier transforming along the other dimension, and taking the real part. Stepwise, the procedure is:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \text{Cos}[w_1 t_1] \text{Exp}[-k_1 t_1] \text{Cos}[w_2 t_2] \text{Exp}[-k_2 t_2] \\
 & \text{Cos}[w_1 t_1] \text{Exp}[-k_1 t_1] (A[w_2] + I D[w_2]) \\
 & \text{Cos}[w_1 t_1] \text{Exp}[-k_1 t_1] A[w_2] \\
 & (A[w_1] + I D[w_1]) A[w_2] \\
 & A[w_1] A[w_2]
 \end{aligned}$$

where we can see we end up with a pure abs lineshape at the end. Implimenting the FT along just one dimension in *Mathematica* is a pain -- I have to resort to looping over each row/column and doing a 1D Fourier transform .... very inelegant.

```

In[98]:= D2DFFTabs[z_, NN_, T_] :=
Module[{dt, df, f, S, t},

  dt = T / (NN - 1);
  df = 1 / dt;

  S = Table[z[t1, t2], {t1, 0, T, dt}, {t2, 0, T, dt}];

```

```

f = Table[jj/T, {jj, -NN/2, NN/2 - 1}];
t = Table[ii*dt, {ii, 0, NN - 1}];

Print["The time step is ", dt, " s"];
Print["The Nyquist frequency is ", 1/(2*dt), " Hz"];

Sr = S;
Srr = S;

Do[Sr[[ii]] = Re[Fourier[S[[ii]]]],
  {ii, 1, Dimensions[f][[1]]};
Do[Srr[[ii]] = Re[Fourier[Transpose[Sr][[ii]]]],
  {ii, 1, Dimensions[f][[1]]};

FFTS = RotateRight[Transpose[Srr], {NN/2, NN/2}];

SetOptions[ListPlot3D, PlotRange → All, PlotLabel → "",
  DataRange → {{f[[1]], f[[-1]]}, {f[[1]], f[[-1]]}}];

p1 = ListPlot3D[Re[FFTS], PlotRange → All,
  AxesLabel → {"f1 [Hz]", "f2 [Hz]", "2D DFT{signal}"}];

p2 = ListContourPlot[-Re[FFTS], PlotRange → All,
  AxesLabel → {"f1 [Hz]", "f2 [Hz]"}];

Show[GraphicsGrid[Transpose[{{p1, p2}}]]]
]

```

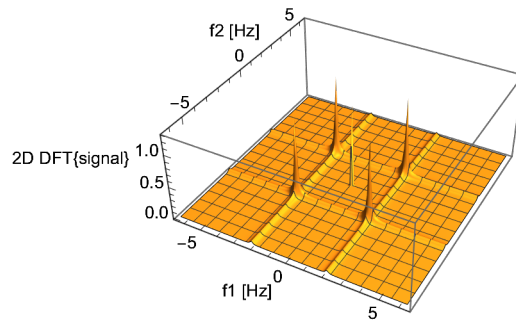
An example of a pure-absorption lineshape



```
In[99]:= z[t1_, t2_] := Cos[2  $\pi$  (2.1) t1]
      Exp[-t1 / 2] Cos[2  $\pi$  (2.1) t2] Exp[-t2 / 2] + 0.010
D2DFFFTabs[z, 2 ^ 7, 10.]
```

The time step is 0.0787402 s

The Nyquist frequency is 6.35 Hz



Out[100]=

