

**Metric Prefixes**

peta	P	$10^{15}$	1 000 000 000 000 000
tera	T	$10^{12}$	1 000 000 000 000
giga	G	$10^9$	1 000 000 000
mega	M	$10^6$	1 000 000
kilo	k	$10^3$	1 000
hecto	h	$10^2$	100
deca	da	$10^1$	10
one		$10^0$	1
deci	d	$10^{-1}$	0.1
centi	c	$10^{-2}$	0.01
milli	m	$10^{-3}$	0.001
micro	$\mu$	$10^{-6}$	0.000 001
nano	n	$10^{-9}$	0.000 000 001
pico	p	$10^{-12}$	0.000 000 000 001
femto	f	$10^{-15}$	0.000 000 000 000 001

**Complex Numbers**

- $z = x + iy = re^{i\theta} = r[\cos(\theta) + i\sin(\theta)]$
- $[r(\cos(\theta) + i\sin(\theta))]^n = r^n[\cos(n\theta) + i\sin(n\theta)]$
- $z^n = (re^{i\theta})^n = r^n e^{in\theta}$
- $\frac{1}{i} = -i$
- $\sqrt[n]{z} = \sqrt[n]{r} e^{i\frac{\theta}{n} + \frac{2k\pi}{n}}$  for  $n \in \mathbb{N}^*$  (ints  $\geq 0$ )
- $e^{j\theta} = \cos(\theta) + j\sin(\theta)$
- $e^{-j\theta} = \cos(\theta) - j\sin(\theta)$
- $\cos(\theta) = \frac{1}{2}(e^{j\theta} + e^{-j\theta})$
- $\sin(\theta) = \frac{1}{2j}(e^{j\theta} - e^{-j\theta})$
- normalized:  $\text{sinc}(t) = \frac{\sin(\pi t)}{\pi t}$

**Trig**

- $\cos^2(a) + \sin^2(a) = 1$
- $\cos(2a) = \cos^2(a) - \sin^2(a) = 2\cos^2(a) - 1 = 1 - 2\sin^2(a)$
- $\sin(2a) = 2\sin(a)\cos(a)$
- $\cos^2(a) = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos(2a))$
- $\sin^2(a) = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \cos(2a))$

**Signals**

- Even/Odd**
  - even:  $x(-t) = x(t)$  for all  $t$
  - odd:  $x(-t) = -x(t)$  for all  $t$
- Auto Correlation:** compare signal with a time-delayed version of itself
 
$$\phi(\tau) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) * x(t + \tau) dt$$
  - \* peaks will be at multiples of the period
- Cross Correlation:** like autocorrelation, but for two different signals
 
$$\phi(\tau) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x_1(t) * x_2(t + \tau) dt$$
  - \* to easily tell if one signal is a shifted version of another
- Shifting and scaling: just always remember you're replacing **just**  $t$  with an expression involving  $t$
- Unit Step Signal**
  - \*  $u(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t < 0 \\ 1, & t > 0 \end{cases}$

**Discrete Unit Impulse Signal**

$$\delta[n] = \begin{cases} 0, & n \neq 0 \\ 1, & n = 0 \end{cases}$$

- \* any discrete signal can be represented as a sum of shifted unit impulse signals
- \*  $\delta[n] = u[n] - u[n - 1]$

**Continuous Unit Impulse Signal**

$$x(t) = \delta(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t \neq 0 \\ \infty, & t = 0 \end{cases}$$

- \* discontinuous at  $t = 0$
- \*  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t) dt = 1$
- \* pick out values from discrete function: (shifting property)
 
$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t) * f(t) dt = f(0)$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - a) * f(t) dt = f(a)$$

**Shifting Property:**  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)\sigma(t - t_0)dt = x(t_0)$ **Bounded:**  $x(t) \leq M$  for all  $t$ , some  $M$ 

- \* unbounded signals typically are infinite at some time instant

**Causal** iff  $x(t) = 0$  for all  $t < 0$ **Energy:**  $E_x = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt$ 

- \* signal is an energy signal if  $0 < E_x < \infty$

**Power:**  $P_x = \frac{1}{T} \int_T |x(t)|^2 dt$ 

- \* (for periodic signals)
- \* signal is an power signal if  $0 < P_x < \infty$

**Convolution**

- \*  $\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(k)h(n - k)$  or  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau)h(t - \tau)d\tau$

**graphically:**

- \* choose one function to be  $h$
- \* flip around origin with  $t \rightarrow -t$
- \* shift back and forth on form  $h(t - \tau)$
- \* shift is reversed because the negative
- \* multiply by  $x(t)$  and then sum
- \* if the system is LTI invariant, then the convolution of  $x(t)$  with the impulse response  $h(t)$  is the same as if  $x(t)$  were the input of the system
- \* convolution with shifted unit impulse is the same as shifting the original system:

$$h(t) * \sigma(t - a) = h(t - a)$$

- \* Step response is just convolution with impulse response. worked out:  $u(t) * h(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t h(\tau) d\tau$
- \* only works for LTI systems!

**Geometric Series**

$$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} ar^k = \frac{a}{1-r}$$

- \*  $a$  is first term of the series

$$r \text{ is ratio between terms: } r = \frac{a_1}{a_0} = \frac{a_2}{a_1} \dots$$

**Systems**

- \* A system is an operation that transforms an input signal into an output signal
  - \* you can add/subtract signals
  - \* composing signals (one input to another) is convolution (easier to just shift if input is shifted unit step (because LTI))

- **BIBO stability:** output is stable iff input signal is stable
  - \* also if impulse response  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |h(t)|dt < \infty$  (for LTI systems)
  - \* bounded:  $h(t) < M$  for all  $t$  and some  $M$
- **Memory:** iff the system depends on past or future values of the input
- **Causality:** iff the output depends only on the current or past values of the input
  - \* (cannot depend on future values of input)
- **Invertibility:** iff the system's input can be recovered from the output
- **Time Invariance:** iff shifting the input signal shifts the output
  - \* integral is time invariant
- **Superposition:** additive commutativity
  - \*  $H\{x_1(t) + x_2(t)\} = H\{x_1(t)\} + H\{x_2(t)\}$
- **Homogeneity:**
  - \*  $H\{ax(t)\} = aH\{x(t)\}$
- **Linearity:** iff satisfies Superposition and Homogeneity
  - \*  $H\{ax_1(t) + bx_2(t)\} = aH\{x_1(t)\} + bH\{x_2(t)\}$
  - \* averaging filter is linear
- **LTI:** both Linear and Time Invariant
  - \* simplest systems
- system from block diagram:
  - \* add/subtract signals just like you would
  - \* for signals  $h_1(t) \rightarrow h_2(t)$  (in series), you get  $y(t) = h_1(t) * h_2(t)$  (convolution of the two signals)
  - \* basic method is to keep combining adjacent signal blocks using convolution, scaling, and addition until you get a single block
- system from differential equation:
  - \* solve equation for  $y(t)$
  - \* stuff in terms of input goes on the left; output on the right
  - \* add constants scaling to each output, and sum it all together

### Linearity

- system is linear if it satisfies superposition (additive) and homogeneity (scalable)
  - \* superposition:  $h(a) + h(b) = h(a + b)$
  - \* homogeneity:  $ah(b) = h(ab)$

### Noise

- unwanted signals generated externally or internally
- thermal noise is a thing

### Impulse Response

- output of a system when the input is  $\sigma(t)$ 
  - memoryless if  $h(t) = c\sigma(t)$
  - causal if  $h(t) = 0$  for  $t < 0$
- BIBO stable if  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |h(t)|dt < \infty$
- invertible if  $h(t) * h^{inv}(t) = \sigma(t)$
- \* same for discrete time

### even/odd signals

- $f(t) = f_e(t) + f_o(t)$
- $f_e(t) = \frac{1}{2}(f(t) + f(-t))$
- $f_o(t) = \frac{1}{2}(f(t) - f(-t))$

### Fourier Series

- Harmonic:  $e^{jk2\pi F_0 t}$
- Synthesis:  $f(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} X[k]e^{jk2\pi F_0 t}$
- Analysis:  $X[k] = \frac{1}{T_p} \int_0^{T_p} x(t)e^{-jk2\pi F_0 t} dt$ 
  - \* note the different sign!
- $X[k] = C_k$
- Parseval's theorem: (energy of a signal)
 
$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |X(j\omega)|^2 d\omega$$
- FT of fraction of two polynomials: use partial fraction decomposition

### Fourier Transform

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

### Fourier Properties

- linearity:
 
$$z(t) = ax(t) + by(t) \leftrightarrow Z(k) = aX(k) + bY(k)$$
- time shift:  $x(t - t_0) \leftrightarrow X(k)e^{-jk\omega_0 t_0}$
- frequency shift:  $x(t)e^{jk_0\omega_0 t} \leftrightarrow X(k - k_0)$
- time scaling: same coefficients,  $x(at) \rightarrow \omega = a\omega_0$  (for  $a > 0$ )
- time reversal:  $x(-t) \leftrightarrow X(-k)$
- convolution:  $x(t) * z(t) \leftrightarrow TX(k)Z(k)$
- multiplication:  $x(t)z(t) \leftrightarrow \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} X(k)Z(k - l)$ 
  - \* similar to convolution
- derivative:  $\frac{d}{dt}(x(t)) \leftrightarrow jk\omega_0 X(k)$
- integral:  $\int_{-\infty}^t x(t)dt \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{jk\omega_0} X(k)$
- Symmetry: if  $x(t) = x_r(t) + jx_i(t)$  then
 
$$x^*(t) = x_r(t) - jx_i(t)$$
- if  $x(t)$  is real and even,  $X(k)$  is real and even
- if  $x(t)$  is real and odd,  $X(k)$  is imaginary and odd
- unnormalized sinc:  $\text{sinc}(t) = \frac{\sin(t)}{t}$
- normalized sinc:  $\text{sinc}(t) = \frac{\sin(\pi t)}{\pi t}$

### Frequency Response

- how the system will respond to a particular frequency
- the Fourier Transform of the impulse response (we don't have to convolve it here, just multiply since it's frequency domain)
- find using  $H(\omega) = \frac{Y(\omega)}{X(\omega)}$ 
  - \* if the starting equation is expressed as a differential equation, you can (usually) derive this from that.
- usually represented as  $H(\omega) = |H(\omega)|e^{j\theta_H(\omega)}$  (magnitude and phase)
  - \* magnitude:  $|H(\omega)|$ , phase:  $\theta_H(\omega)$
- magnitude and phase can be linearly combined

### Filtering

- multiply signal by a filter to filter it
- pass: allow through (not filtered out)

- stop: filter out, remove
- *something* pass filter passes *something*; same for stop
- low pass filter: passes  $\omega$  lower than  $b$ , drops higher  

$$H(\omega) = \begin{cases} 0: |\omega| > b \\ 1: |\omega| < b \end{cases}$$
- high pass filter: opposite of low pass filter
- band pass filter: pass a specific band of frequency.
  - \* That frequency is specified by magnitude, so it can be on the positive or negative side of the graph
- Notch filter: band stop filter with a narrow stop band
- An ideal filter has exact edges, but real filters don't
  - \* This is impossible in practice. Typically there is vertical variation inside the pass band and stop band, and also a trans band ( $\omega_s$ ), as transition between pass and stop band.

## Sampling

- sampling: independent variable (input); continuous  $\rightarrow$  discrete
- quantization: dependent variable (output); continuous  $\rightarrow$  discrete
- aliasing: different signals being indistinguishable after sampling due to sampling rate.
- $F_{CT}$ : continuous time frequency;  $f_{DT}$ : discrete time frequency,  $F_s$ : sampling frequency
- $F_{CT} \rightarrow f_{DT}$  is a many to one mapping
  - \* Folding Frequency =  $F_s/2$ , where frequency wraps-around
  - \* restrict to one-to-one: satisfy  $|F| < F_s/2$
- **Nyquist Rate:** signal with maximum frequency  $f_{max}$  can be recovered exactly if it is sampled at least  $f_s > 2f_{max}$
- continuous to discrete:
  - \*  $x[n] = x_a(n/F_s)$
  - \*  $X(f) = F_s \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \infty X_a[(f - k)F_s]$
- sampling is equivalent to convolving with a delta chain (dirac comb)
- under-sampling:  $f_s < 2f_{max}$ . Generally bad

## DFT

- discrete in both time domain and frequency domain
- zero padding (on the right) increases frequency domain resolution
- frequency domain is on range  $[0, 2\pi)$
- TODO

## DTFT

- Discrete Time Fourier Transform
- Discrete in time, continuous in frequency
- $X(e^{j\Omega}) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n]e^{-j\Omega n}$
- $x[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} X(e^{j\Omega})e^{j\Omega n} d\Omega$
- frequency domain is periodic, range  $[-\pi, \pi]$  is repeated
  - \* if aliasing happens ( $F_s < 2f_{max}$ ) then parts will overlap, and won't work right