

# Package ‘zeitgebr’

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**Title** Analyse and Visualise Circadian Behaviours

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**Description** Use behavioural variables to compute period, rhythmicity and other circadian parameters.

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behavr

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lomb,  
ggplot2

**Suggests** testthat

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periodogram_methods	<i>Methods For Computing Periodograms</i>
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## Description

These functions provides a series of methods to assess periodicity of circadian processes.

**Usage**

```
chi_sq_periodogram(x, period_range = c(hours(16), hours(32)),
  sampling_rate = 1/mins(1), alpha = 0.05, time_resolution = hours(0.1))

fourier_periodogram(x, period_range = c(hours(16), hours(32)),
  sampling_rate = 1/mins(1), alpha = 0.05)

ls_periodogram(x, period_range = c(hours(16), hours(32)),
  sampling_rate = 1/mins(1), alpha = 0.05, oversampling = 8)
```

**Arguments**

x	numeric vector
period_range	vector of size 2 defining minimal and maximal range of period to study (in seconds)
sampling_rate	the – implicitly regular – sampling rate of x (in hertz)
alpha	significance level
time_resolution	the resolution of periods to scan
oversampling	the oversampling factor

**Details**

TODO

**Value**

a [data.table](#) with the columns:

- period – the period (in s)
- power – the power (or equivalent) for a given period
- signif\_threshold – the significance threshold of the power (at alpha)

**See Also**

- [lomb::lsp](#) the original function for `ls_periodogram`
- [xsp::chiSqPeriodogram](#) (code derived from)

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