

Intro to

# Computer Vision

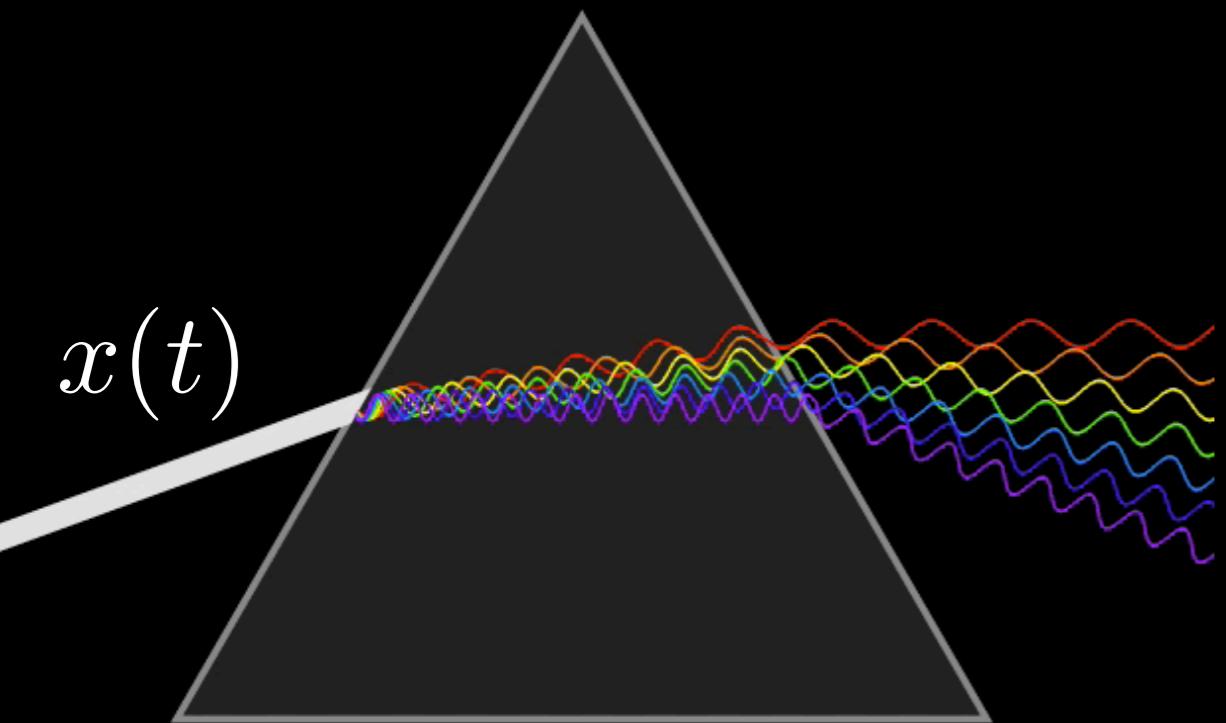
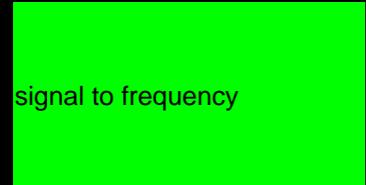
with Prof. Kosta Derpanis

## Frequency Analysis

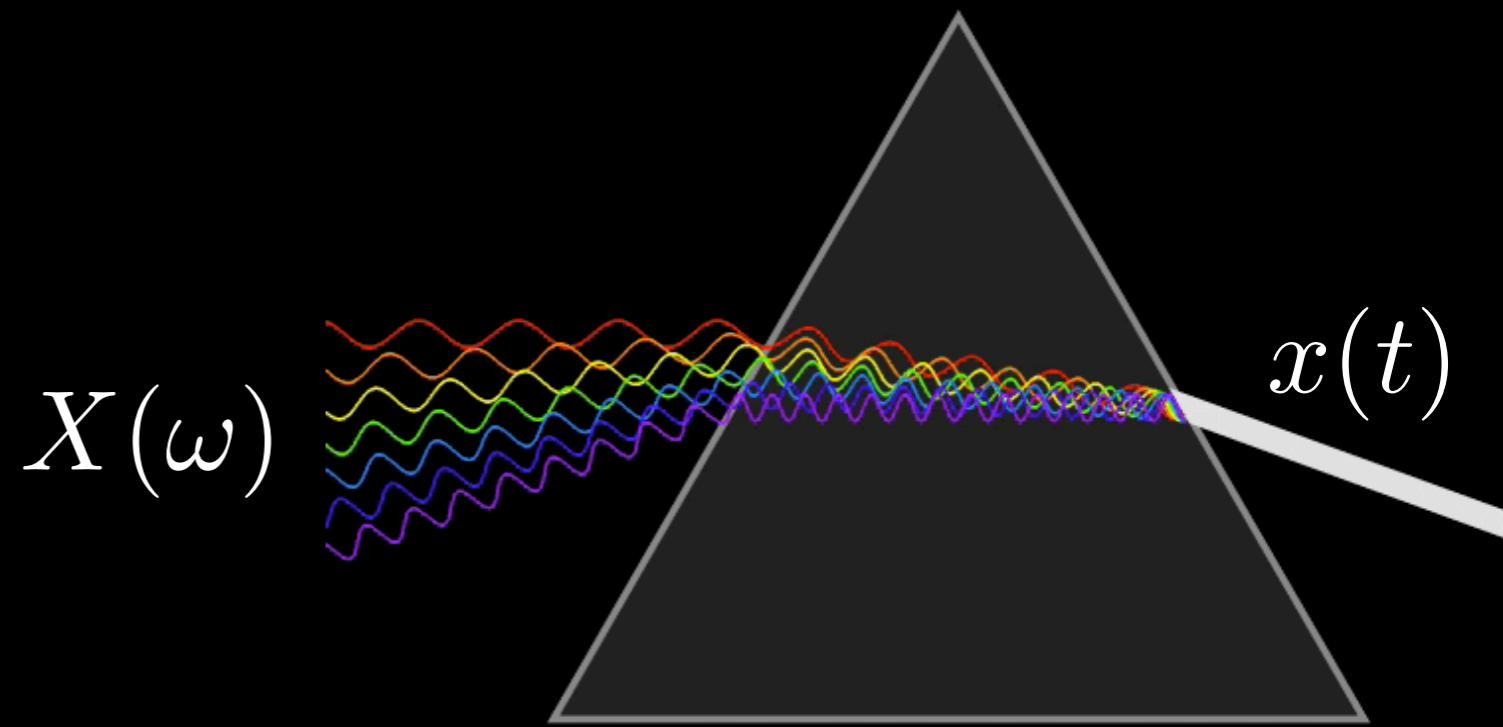


Part I

Thinking in terms of  
**FREQUENCY**

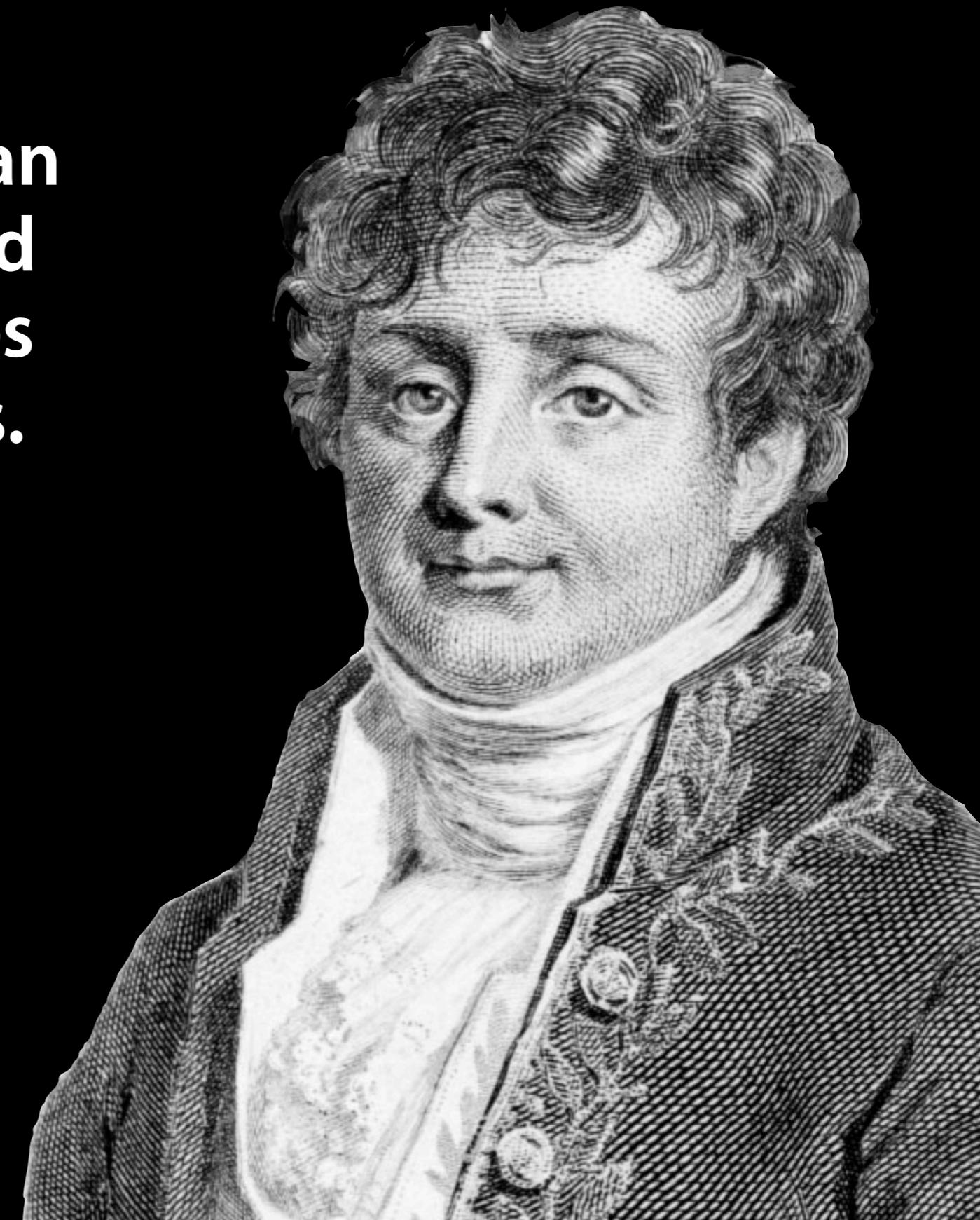


**Fourier Analysis**



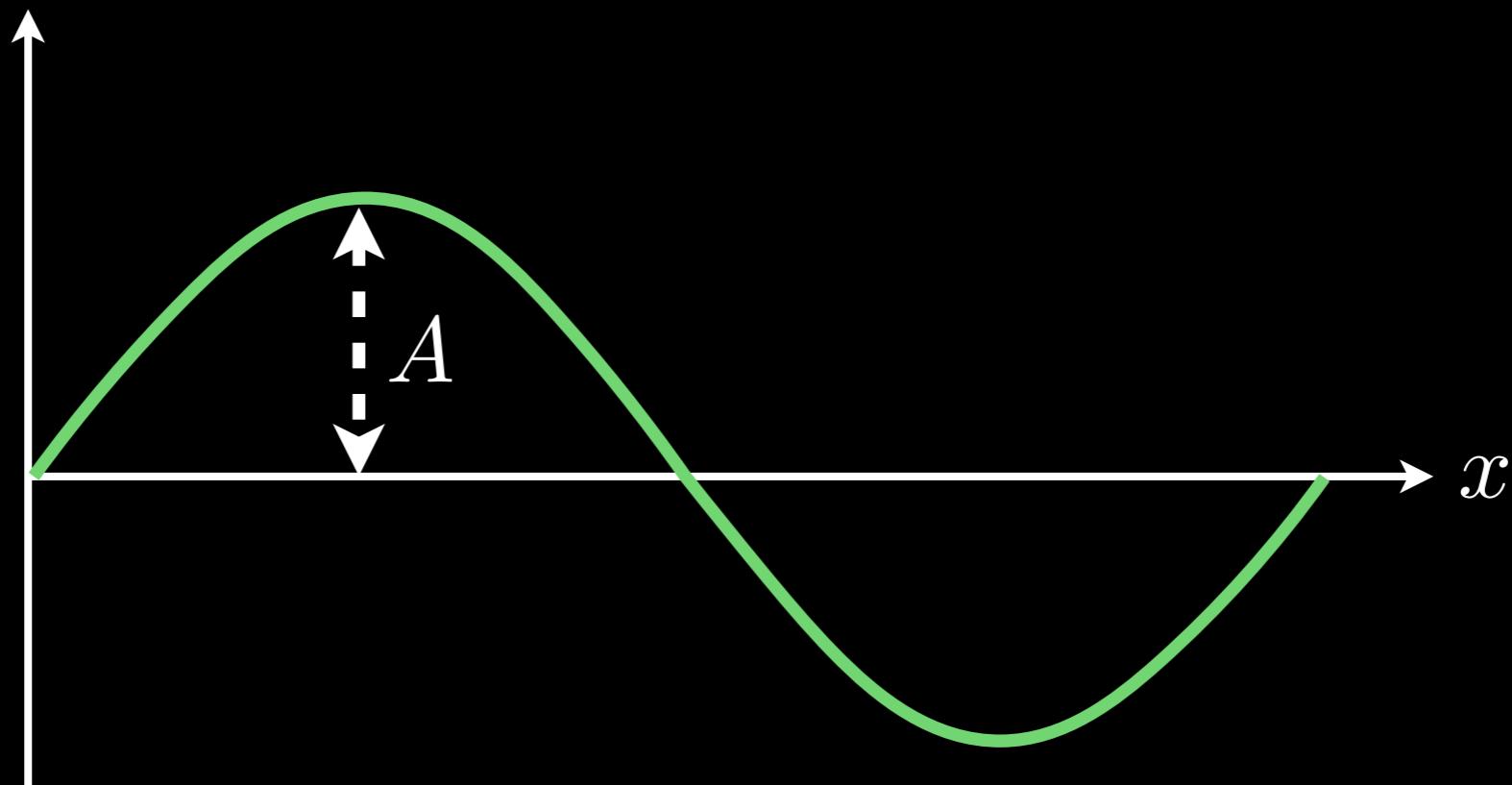
**Fourier Synthesis**

**ANY** periodic function can  
be written as a weighted  
sum of sines and cosines  
of different frequencies.



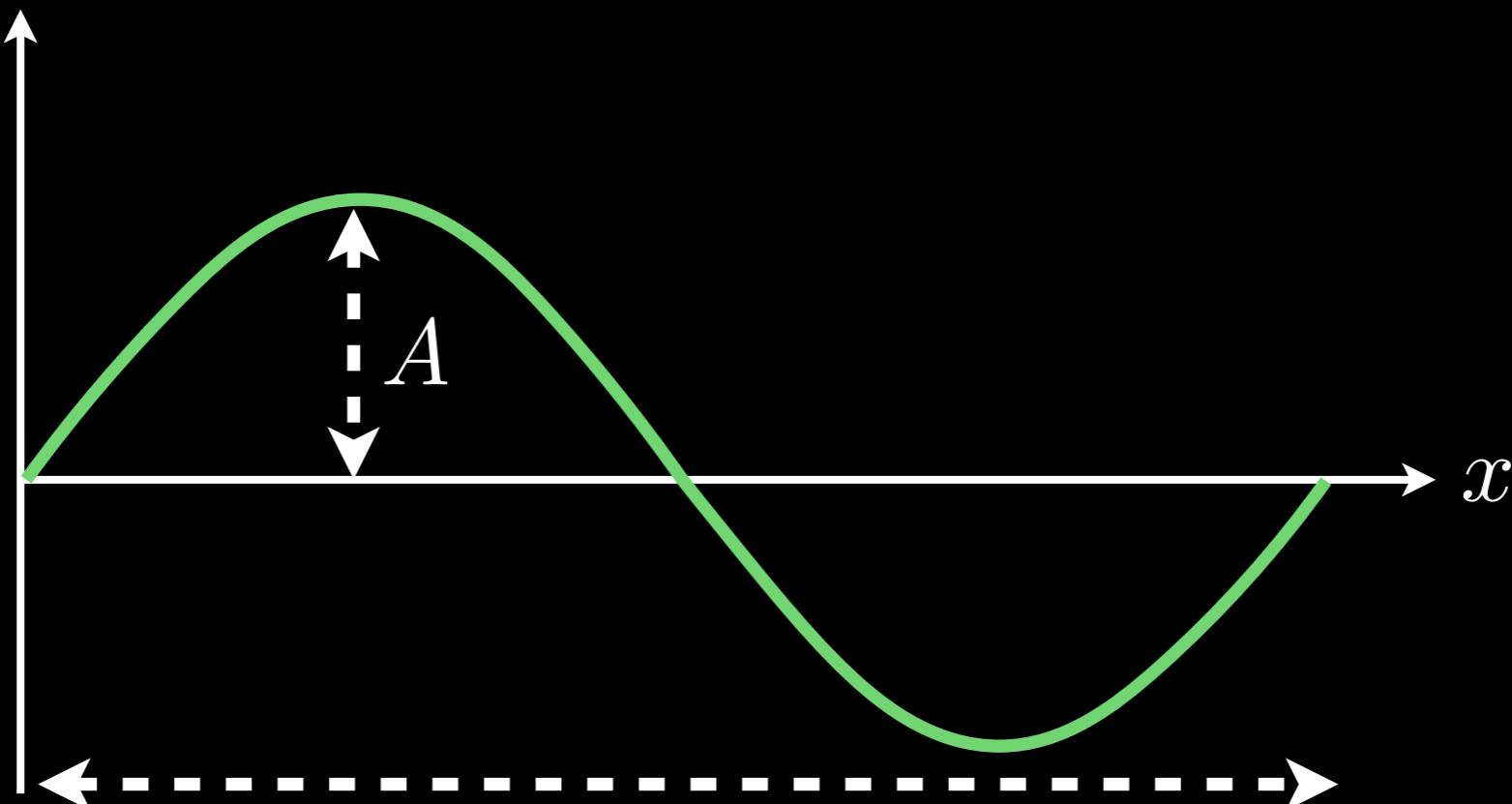
$A \sin(\omega x + \phi)$

amplitude



frequency

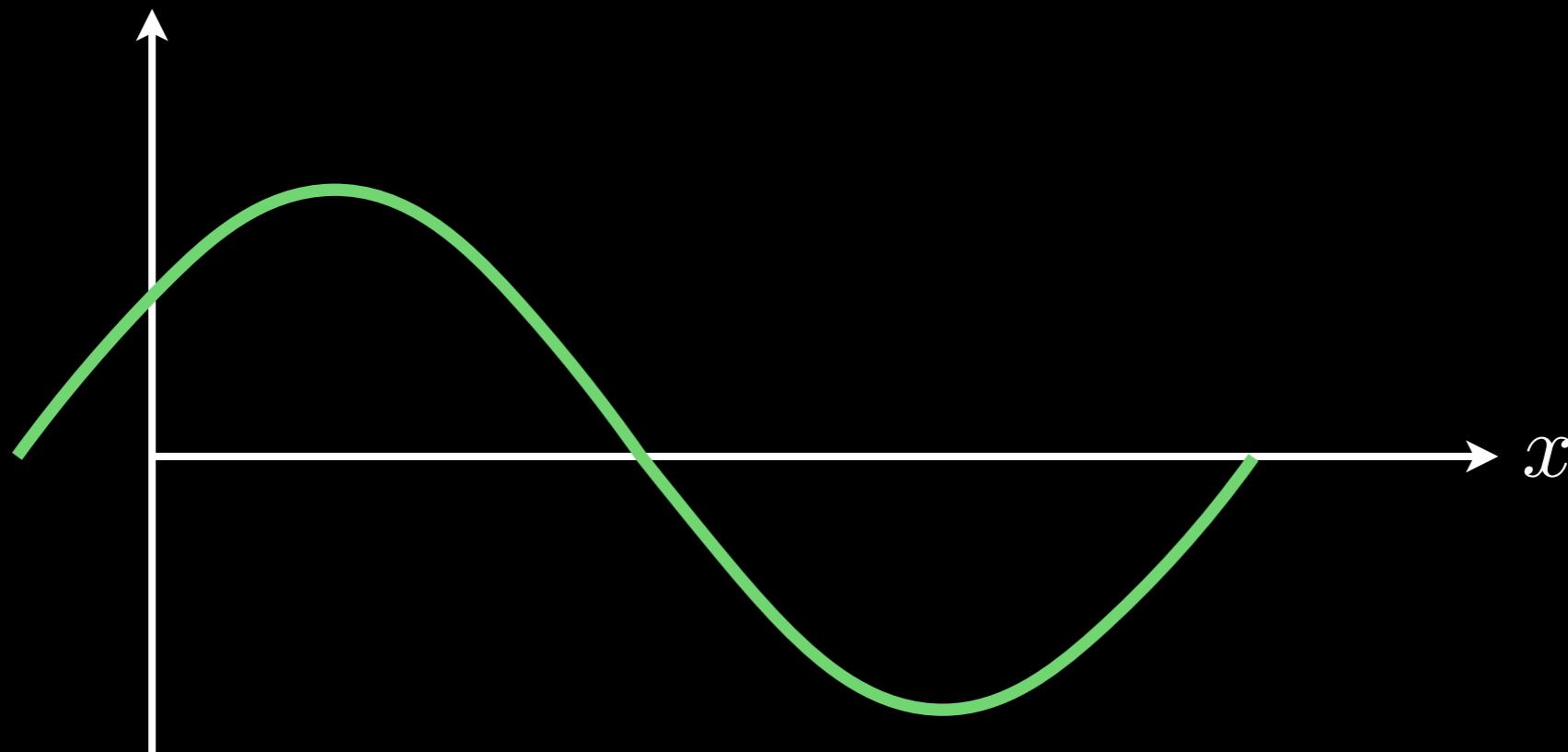
$$A \sin(\omega x + \phi)$$



$$T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega}$$

$$A \sin(\omega x + \phi)$$

phase shift



$$A \sin(\omega x + \phi)$$

$$= A[\sin(\phi) \cos(\omega x) + \cos(\phi) \sin(\omega x)]$$

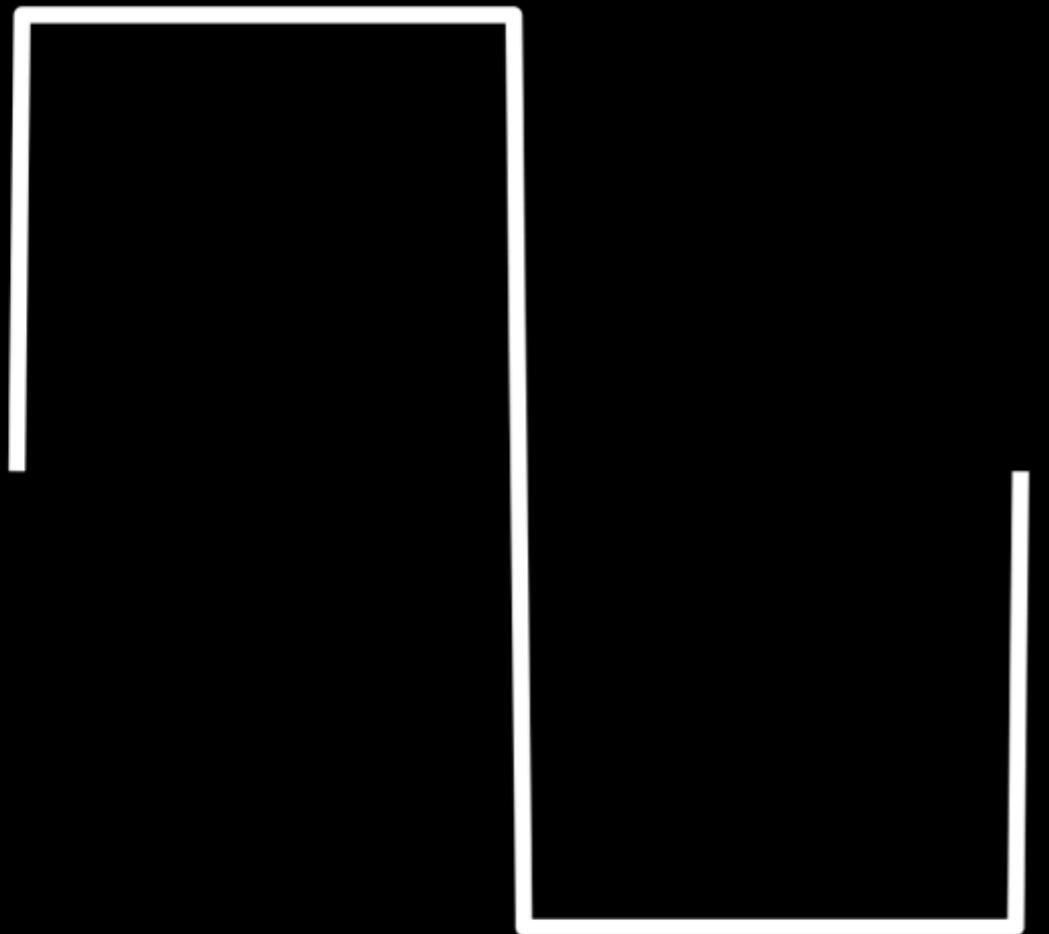
$$= A \sin(\phi) \cos(\omega x) + A \cos(\phi) \sin(\omega x)$$

constant

constant

$$\begin{aligned} & A \sin(\omega x + \phi) \\ &= A[\sin(\phi) \cos(\omega x) + \cos(\phi) \sin(\omega x)] \\ &= A \sin(\phi) \cos(\omega x) + A \cos(\phi) \sin(\omega x) \\ &= \alpha \cos(\omega x) + \beta \sin(\omega x) \end{aligned}$$

$$A\sin(\omega x+\phi)=\alpha\cos(\omega x)+\beta\sin(\omega x)$$



$$= \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(2\pi(2k-1)x)}{2k-1}$$

$$f(x) \longrightarrow \boxed{\text{Fourier transform}} \longrightarrow F(\omega)$$

For every  $\omega$ ,  $F(\omega)$  holds the amplitude,  $A$ , and phase,  $\phi$ , of the corresponding sinusoid function.

How can  $F(\omega)$  hold **BOTH** the amplitude and phase?  
**complex numbers**

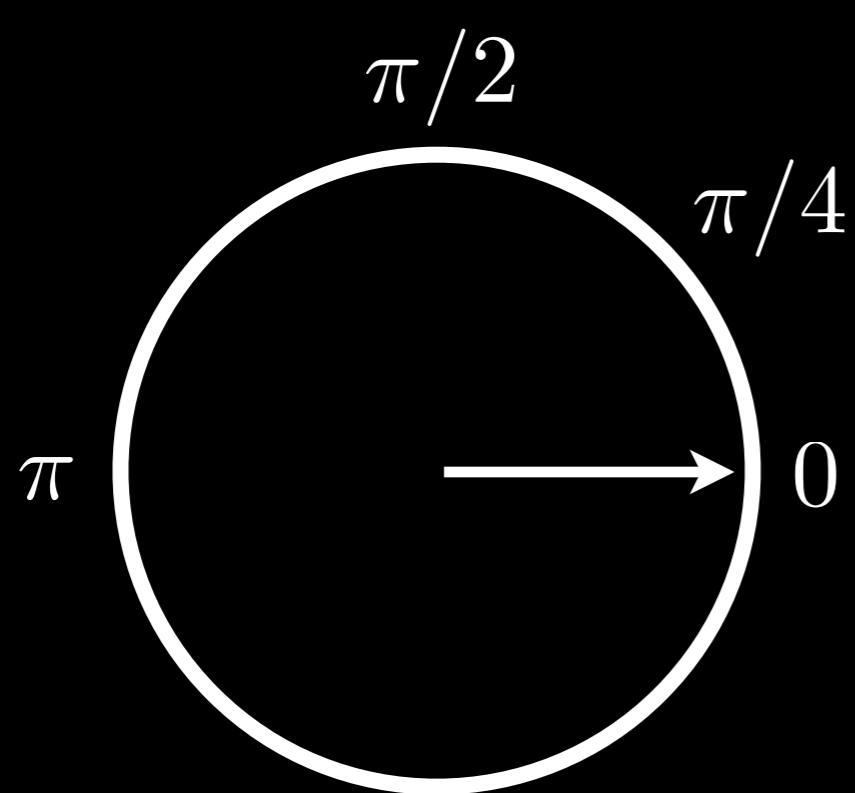
complex  
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$$\alpha + i\beta$$

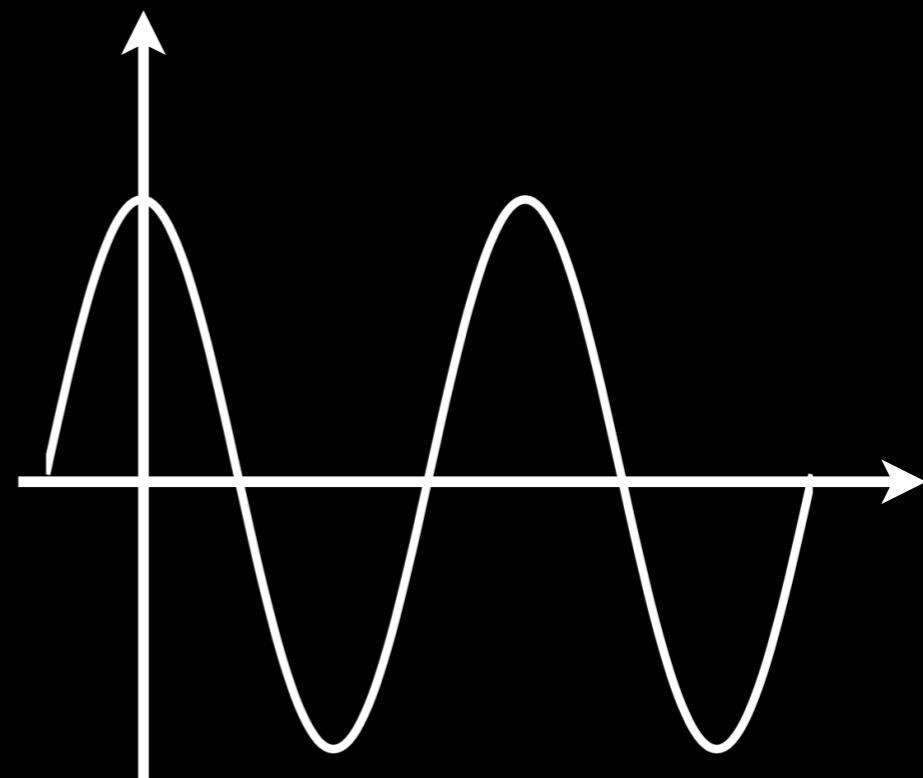
with

$$i = \sqrt{-1}$$

$$\alpha + i\beta = A(\cos(\theta) + i \sin(\theta)))$$



**complex plane**



$$f(x) \longrightarrow \boxed{\text{Fourier transform}} \longrightarrow F(\omega)$$

$$F(\omega) = \text{Real}(\omega) + i\text{Imaginary}(\omega)$$

$$M(\omega) = \|F(\omega)\| = \sqrt{\text{Real}(\omega)^2 + \text{Imaginary}(\omega)^2}$$

**Amplitude**

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$$\phi(\omega) = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\text{Imaginary}(\omega)}{\text{Real}(\omega)} \right)$$

**Phase**

Euler's  
Identity

$$Ae^{ik} = A(\cos(k) + i \sin(k))$$

# 1D Fourier Transform

$$F(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{-i2\pi\omega x} dx$$

where

$$e^{-i2\pi\omega x} = \cos(-2\pi\omega x) + i \sin(-2\pi\omega x)$$

**measures how much of each individual frequency  
is present in the function**

# 1D Fourier Transform

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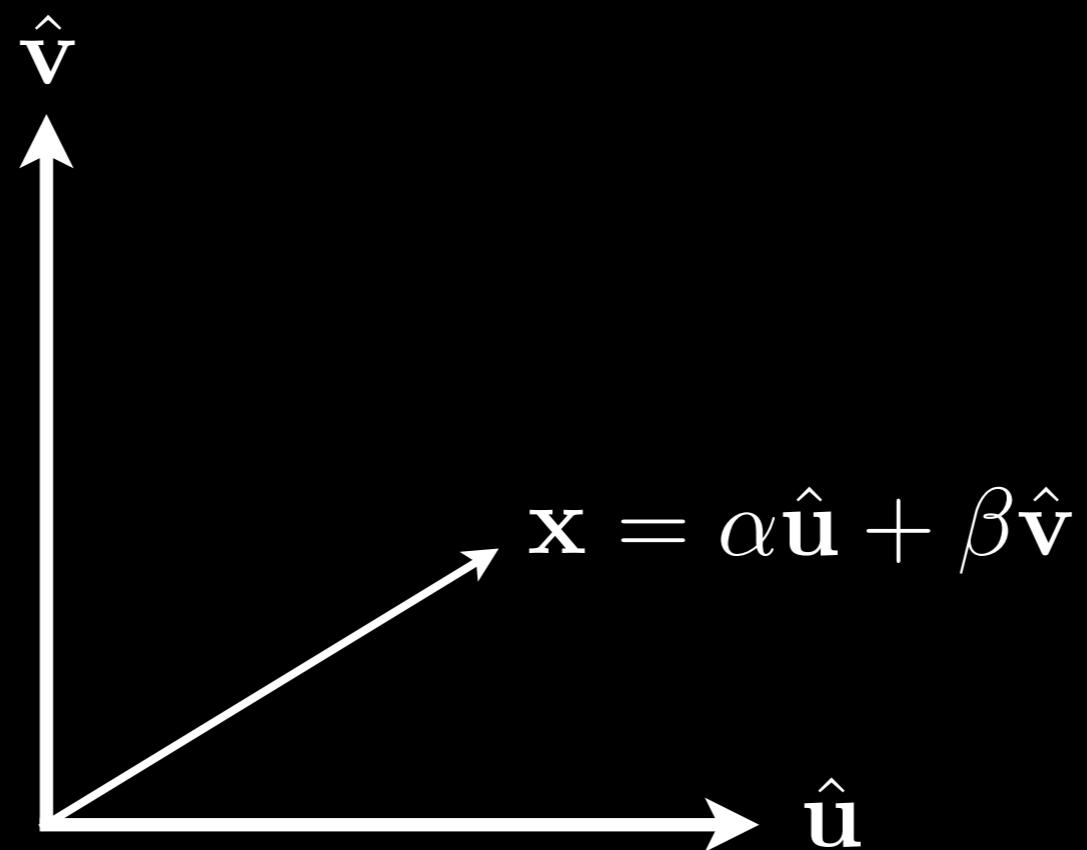
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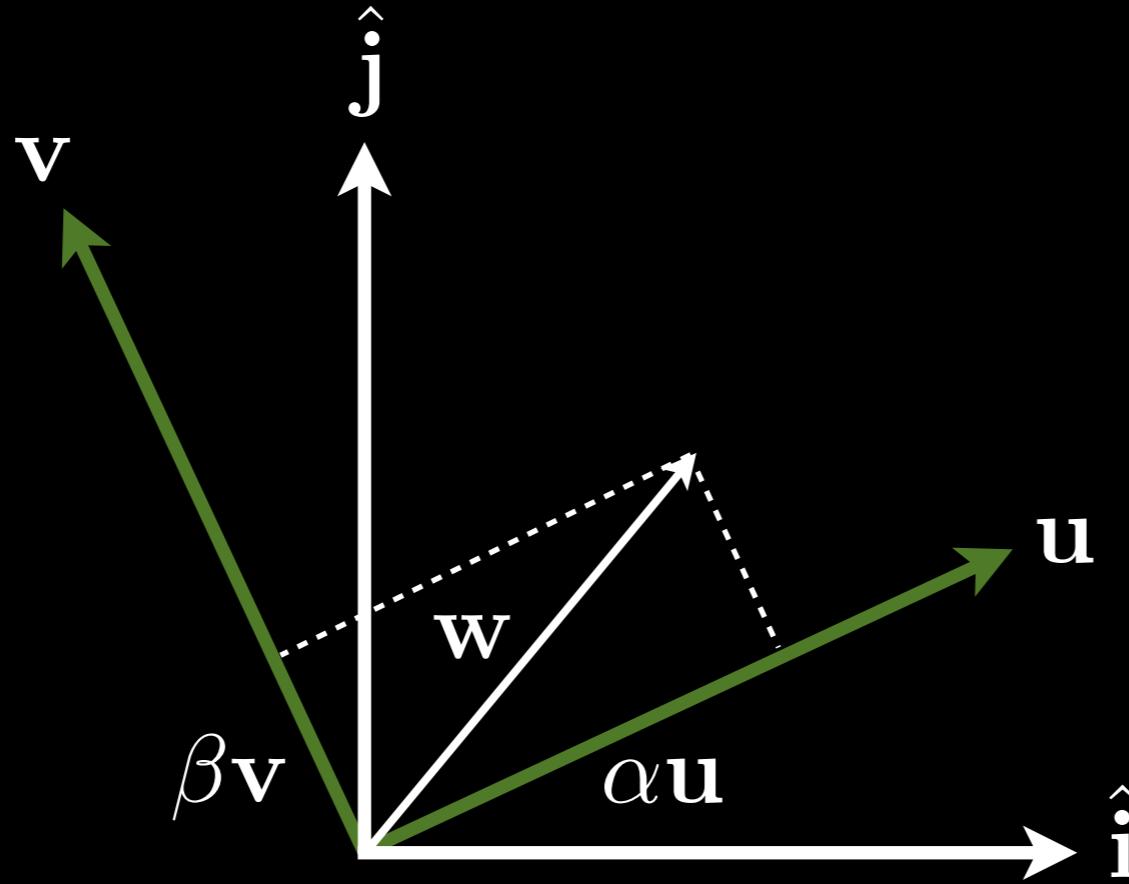
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$$F(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \cos(-2\pi\omega x) dx + i \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \sin(-2\pi\omega x) dx$$

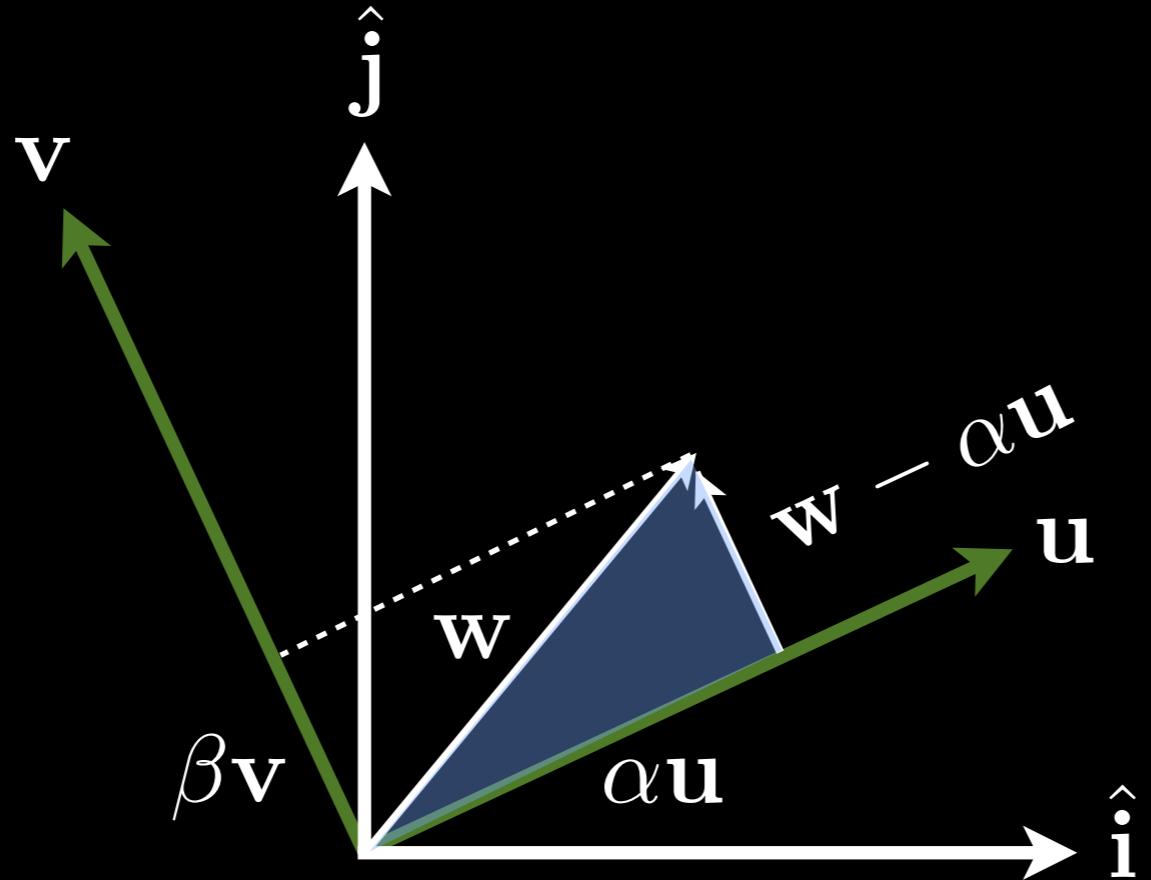
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A vector (in 2D) can be expressed as a sum of two vectors.



Assuming the basis is orthogonal, what is  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  ?

$$\alpha \mathbf{u} \cdot (\mathbf{w} - \alpha \mathbf{u}) = 0$$

$$\alpha \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{w} - \alpha \mathbf{u} \cdot \alpha \mathbf{u} = 0$$

$$\alpha \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u} = \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{w}$$

**Vector  
Projection**

$$\alpha = \frac{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{w}}{\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u}} \quad \beta = \frac{\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{w}}{\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{v}}$$

Images as  
points in  
vector space

**Given an image  $N \times N$ , can treat it as a vector**

$$[x_{00} \quad x_{10} \quad \cdots \quad x_{(N-1)(N-1)}]^\top$$

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**Standard basis** is the vector set with a single pixel set to one

$$[0 \quad 0 \quad 0 \quad \cdots \quad 0 \quad 1 \quad 0 \quad \cdots \quad 0]^\top$$

Standard  
Image Basis

3	8
10	50

Standard  
Image Basis

$$\begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 8 \\ 10 \\ 50 \end{bmatrix} = 3 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 8 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 10 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + 50 \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{u} = \sum \alpha_i \mathbf{e}_i = \sum (\mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{e}_i) \mathbf{e}_i$$

vector projection

# 1D Fourier Transform

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**Projection onto sinusoidal basis set**

# 1D Fourier Transform

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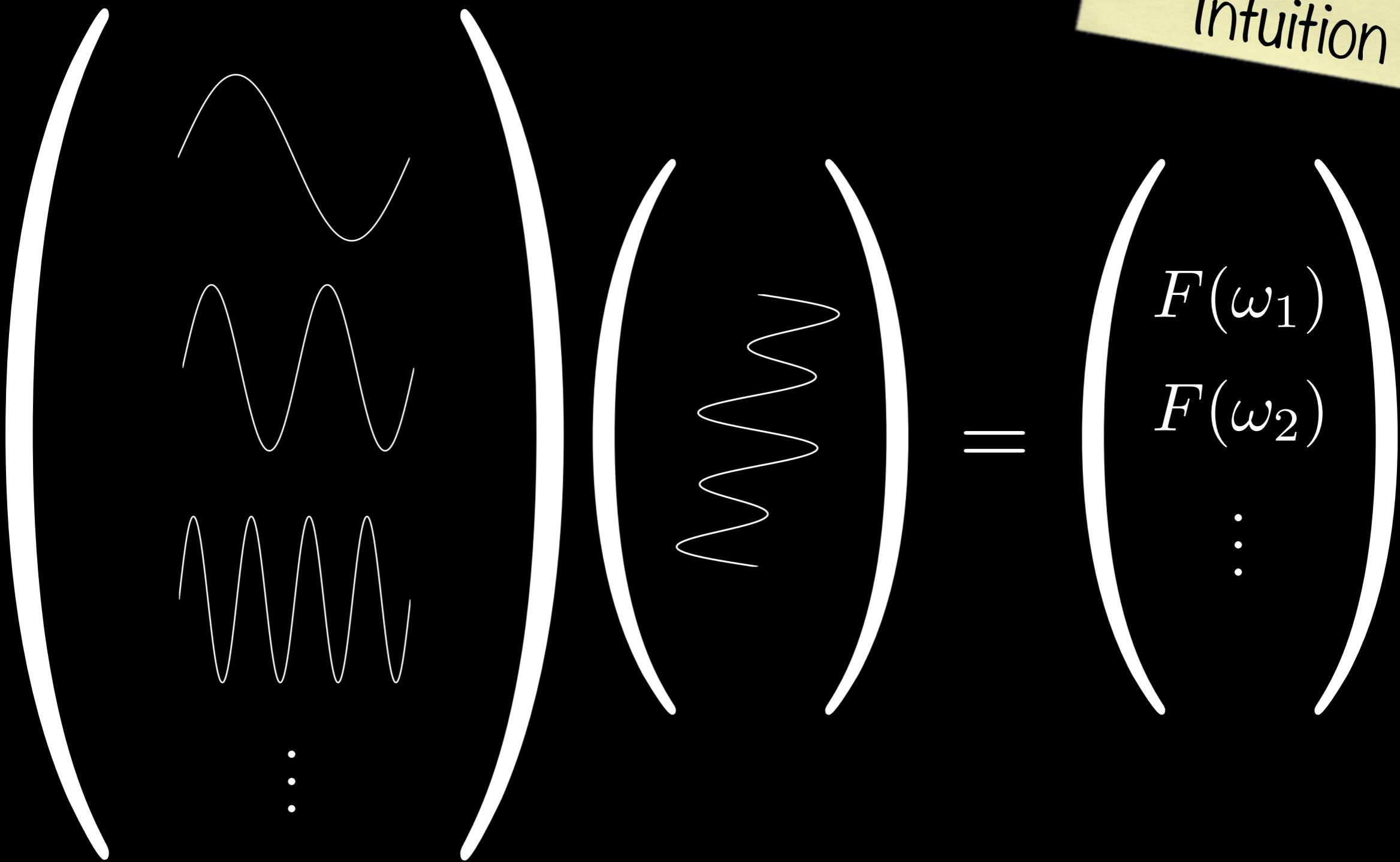
**sines and cosines are orthogonal**

# 1D Fourier Transform

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**sinusoids of different frequencies are orthogonal**

# Fourier Transform Intuition



Fourier  
Transform  
Intuition

Just a change of basis



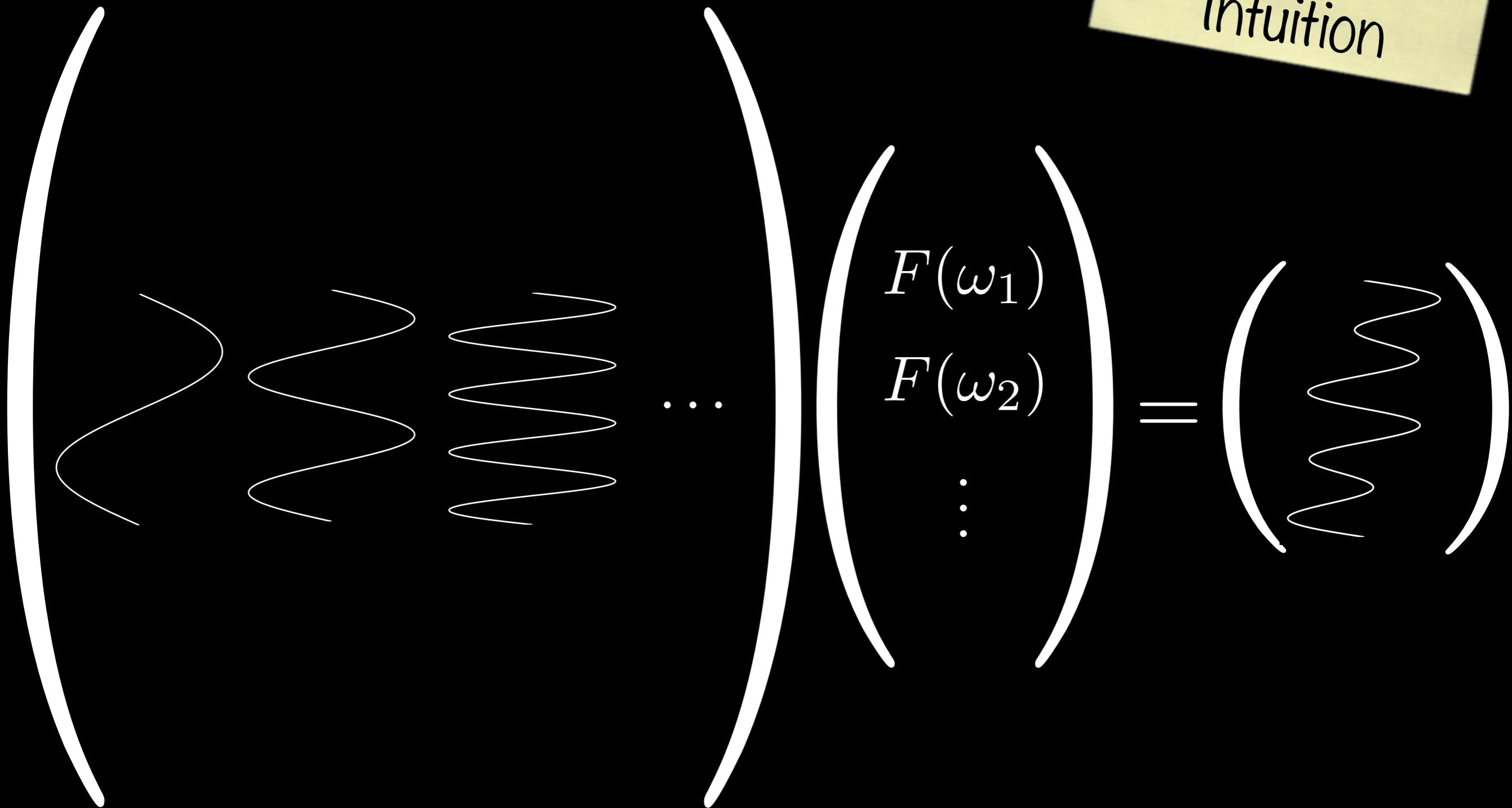
**NOT** an approximation

1D inverse  
Fourier  
Transform

$$f(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(\omega) e^{i2\pi\omega x} d\omega$$

combines the contributions of each frequency  
to represent the signal in the “spatial” domain

# Inverse Fourier Transform Intuition



# **forward transform**

$$F(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)e^{-i2\pi\omega x}dx$$

**versus**

$$f(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(\omega)e^{i2\pi\omega x}d\omega$$

# **inverse transform**

## forward transform

$$F(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{-i2\pi\omega x} dx$$

versus

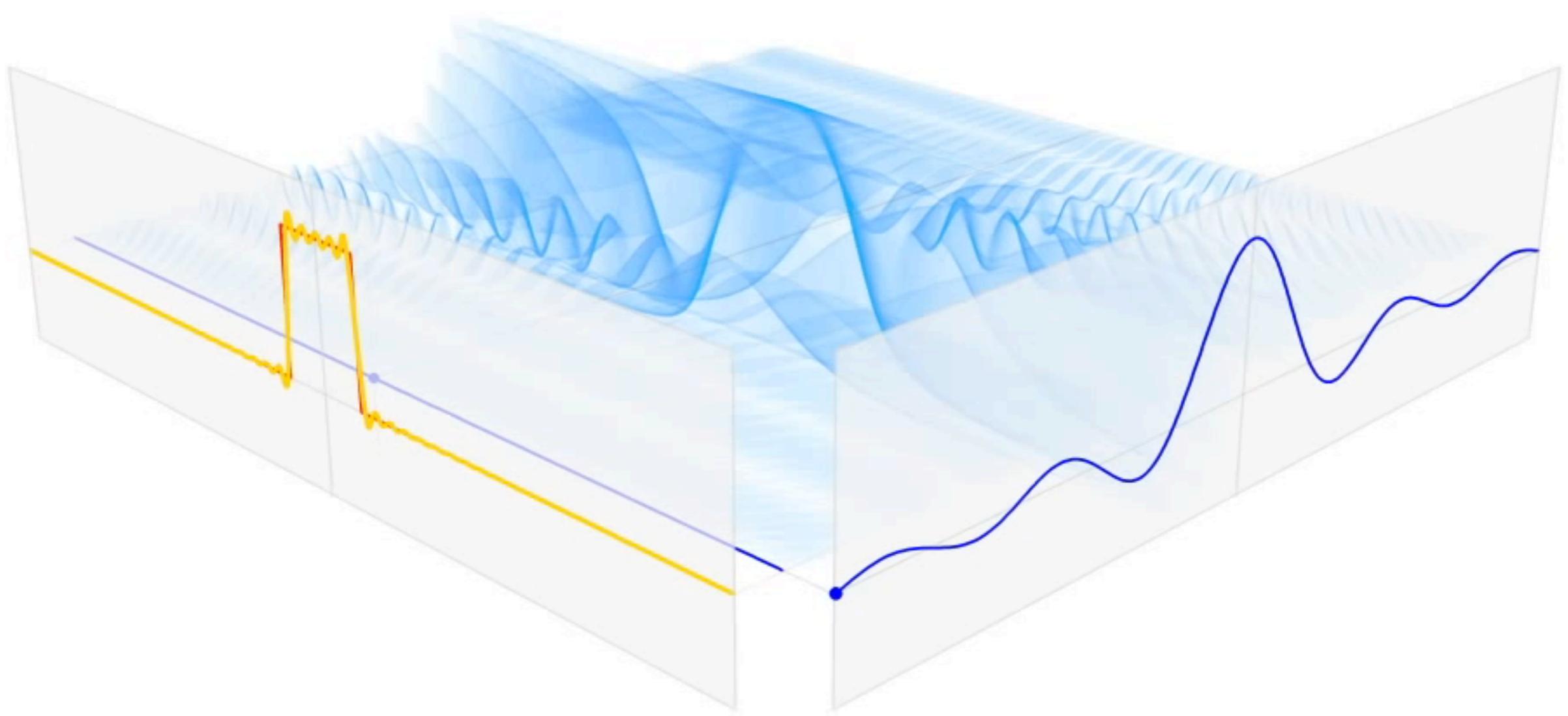
$$f(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(\omega) e^{i2\pi\omega x} d\omega$$

## inverse transform



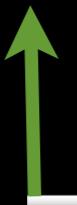
$$f(x)$$

$$F(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)e^{-i2\pi\omega x} dx$$

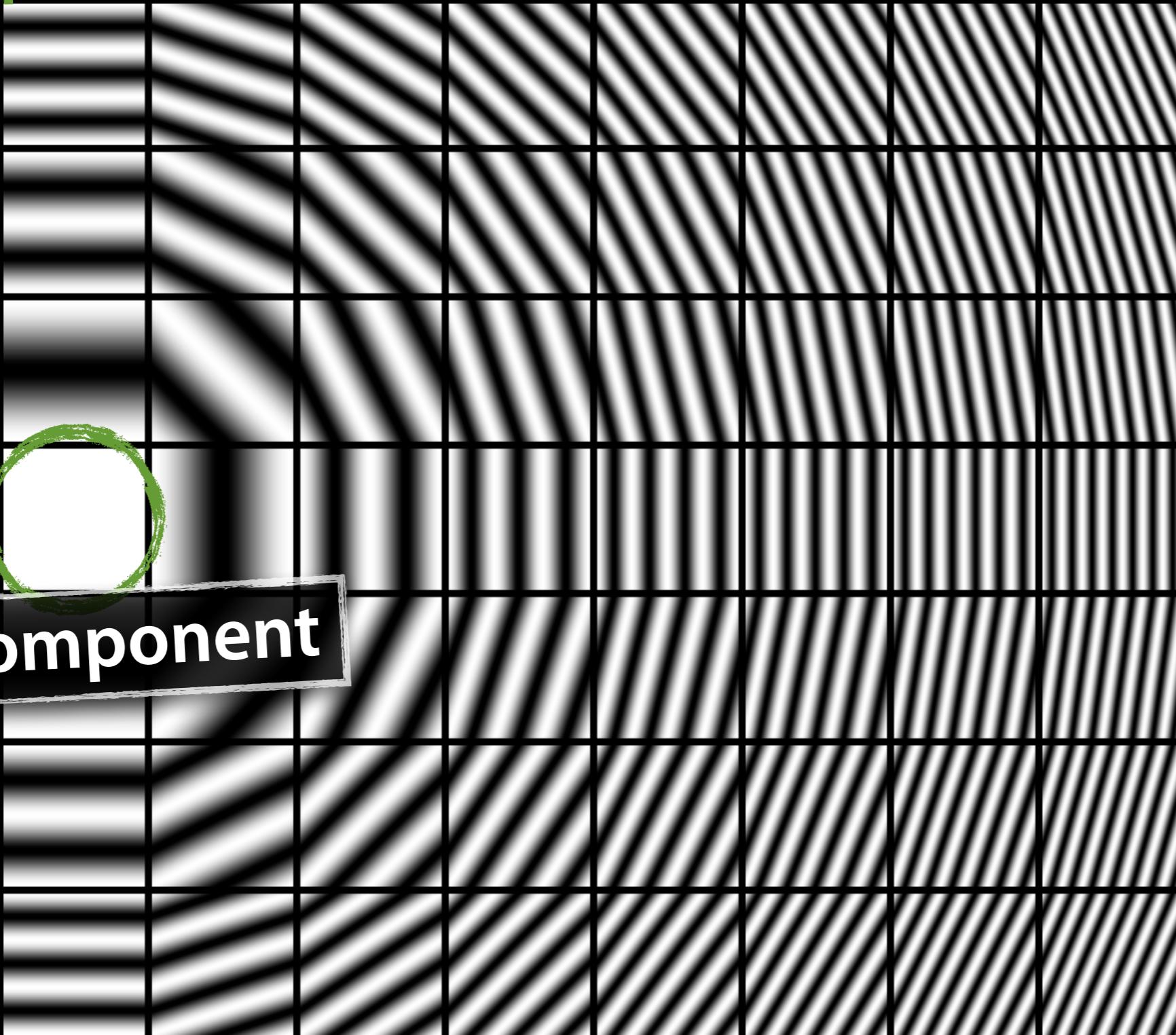


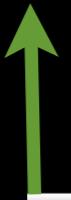


What about 2D?

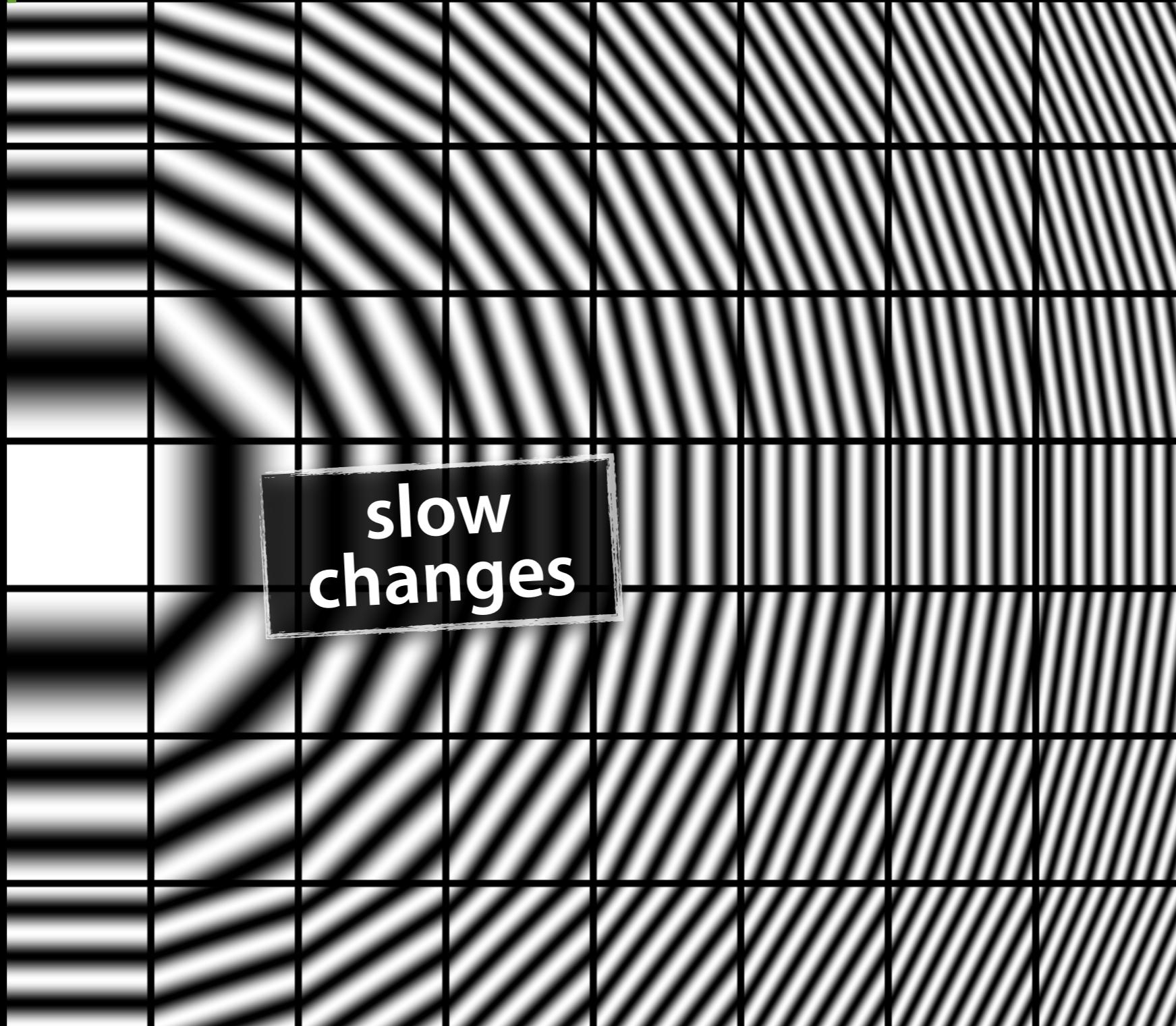
$\omega_y$ 

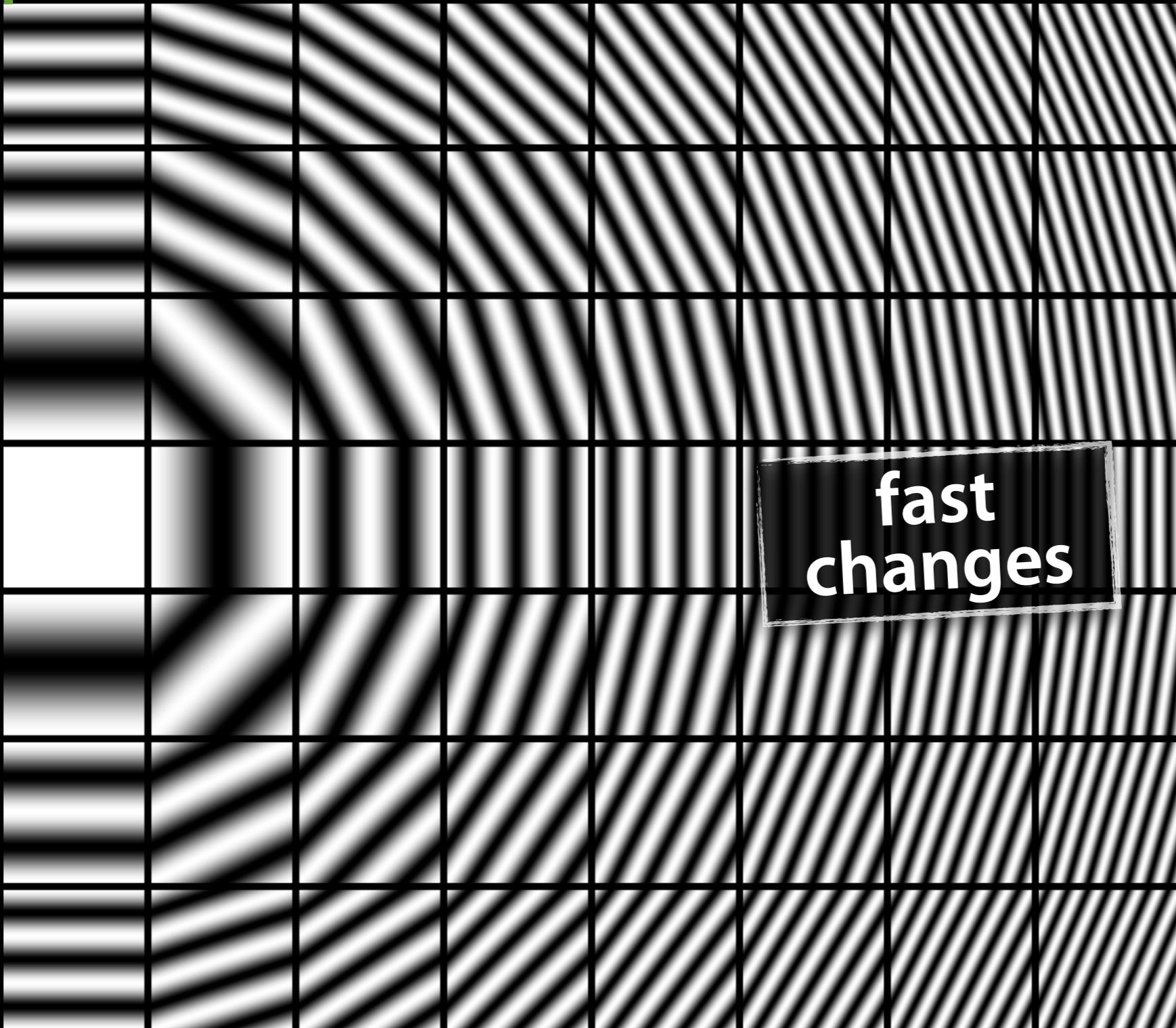
**DC component**

 $\omega_x$ 

$\omega_y$ 

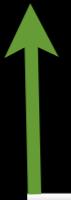
slow  
changes

 $\omega_x$ 

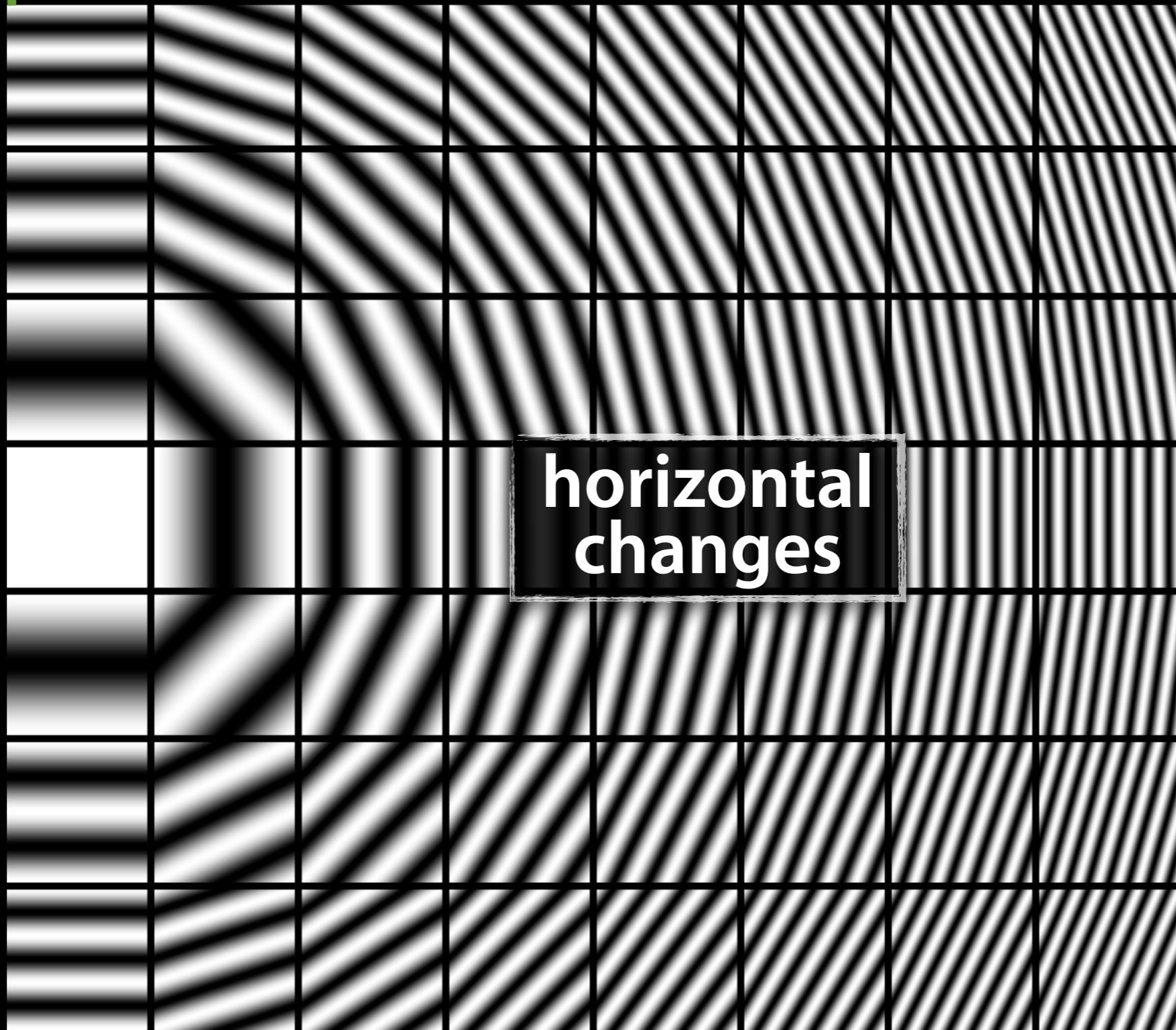
$\omega_y$ 

fast  
changes

 $\omega_x$

$\omega_y$ 

**horizontal  
changes**

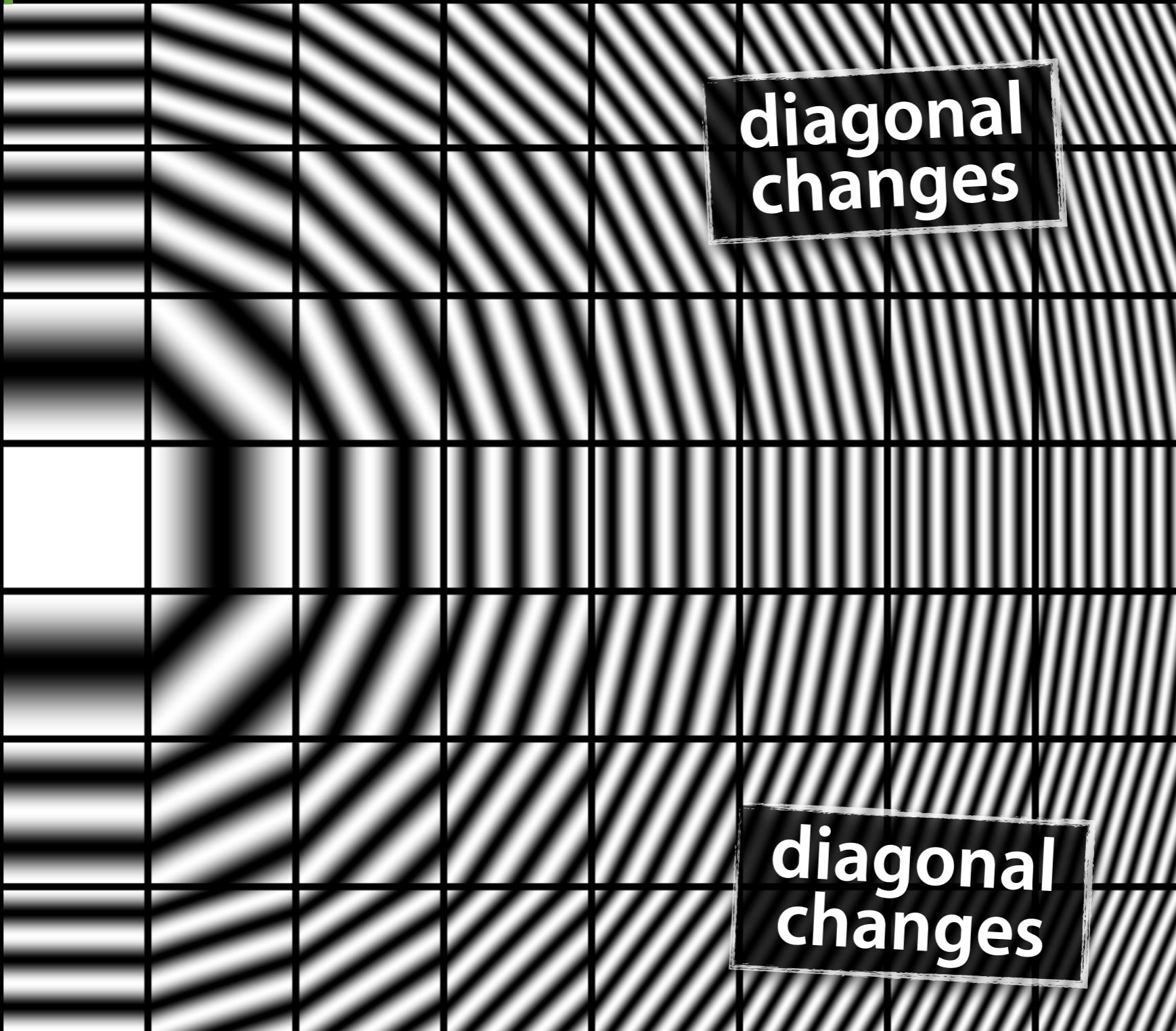
 $\omega_x$ 

$\omega_y$ 

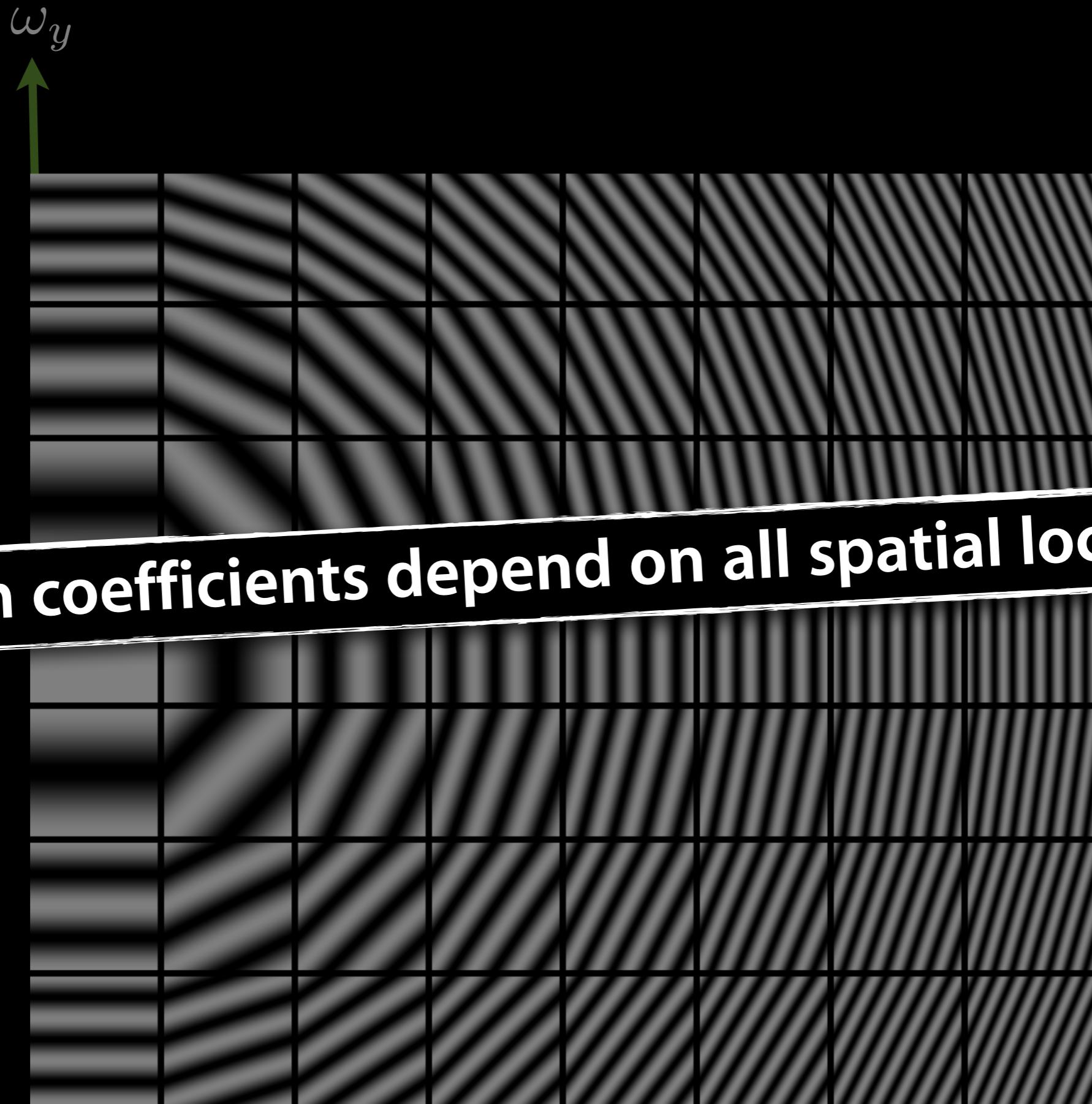
vertical  
changes

 $\omega_x$ 

vertical  
changes

$\omega_y$  $\omega_x$

**transform coefficients depend on all spatial locations**



# 2D Fourier Transform

$$F(\omega_x, \omega_y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) e^{-2\pi i(\omega_x x + \omega_y y)} dx dy$$

Euler's  
Identity

$$e^{2\pi(\omega_x x + \omega_y y)}$$

Euler's  
Identity

$$\cos(2\pi(\omega_x x + \omega_y y)) + i \sin(2\pi(\omega_x x + \omega_y y))$$

$$\cos(2\pi(\omega_xx+\omega_yy))$$

# 2D Fourier Transform

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2D inverse  
Fourier  
Transform

$$f(x, y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(\omega_x, \omega_y) e^{2\pi i (\omega_x x + \omega_y y)} d\omega_x d\omega_y$$

# DFT

Discrete Fourier Transform

Euler's  
Identity

$$Ae^{ik} = A(\cos(k) + i \sin(k))$$

# Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT)

$$F[u, v] = \sum_{x=0}^{M-1} \sum_{y=0}^{N-1} f[x, y] e^{-2\pi i (x \frac{u}{M} + y \frac{v}{N})}$$

where

$$u = 0, \dots, M - 1$$

$$v = 0, \dots, N - 1$$

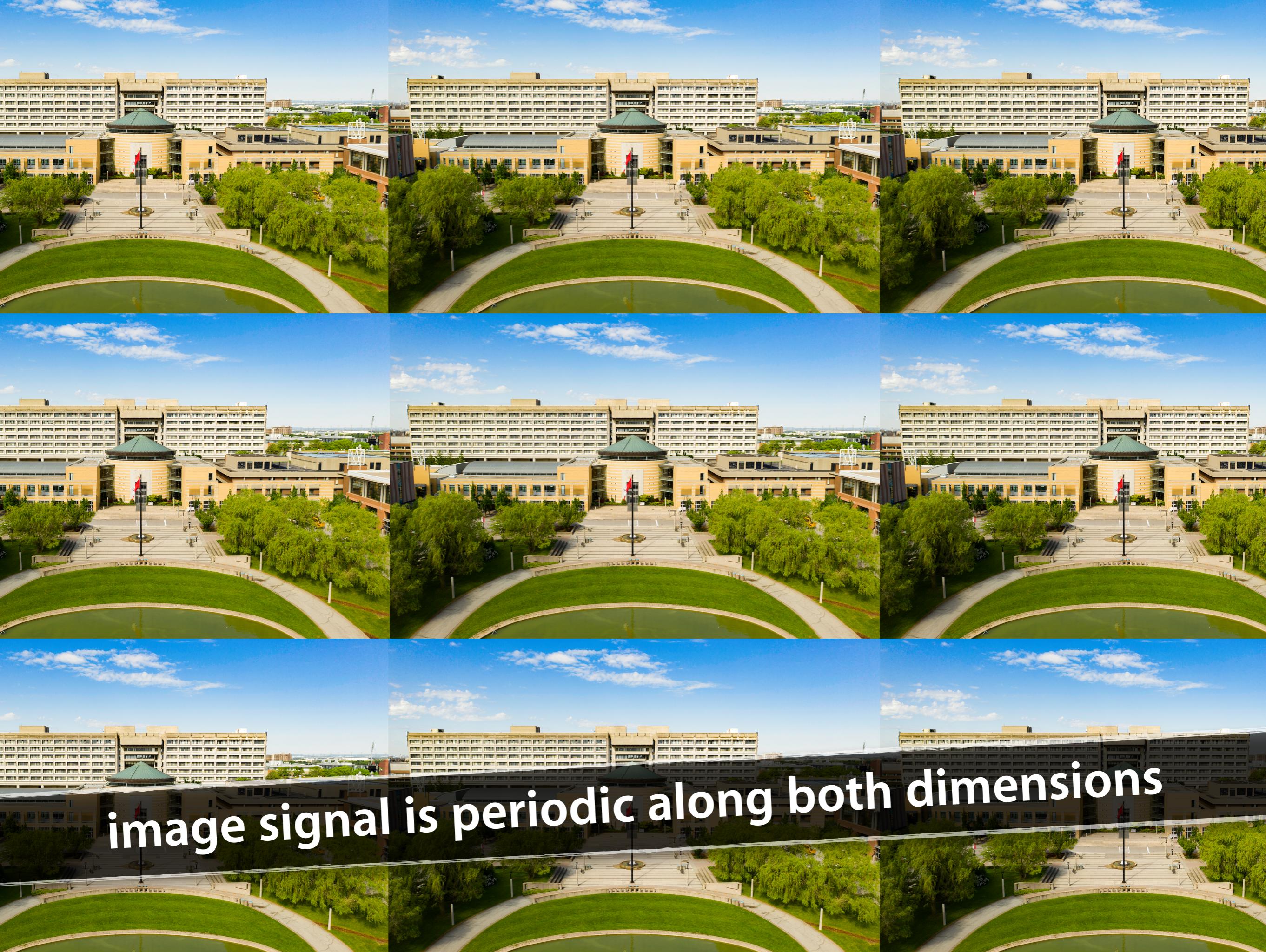
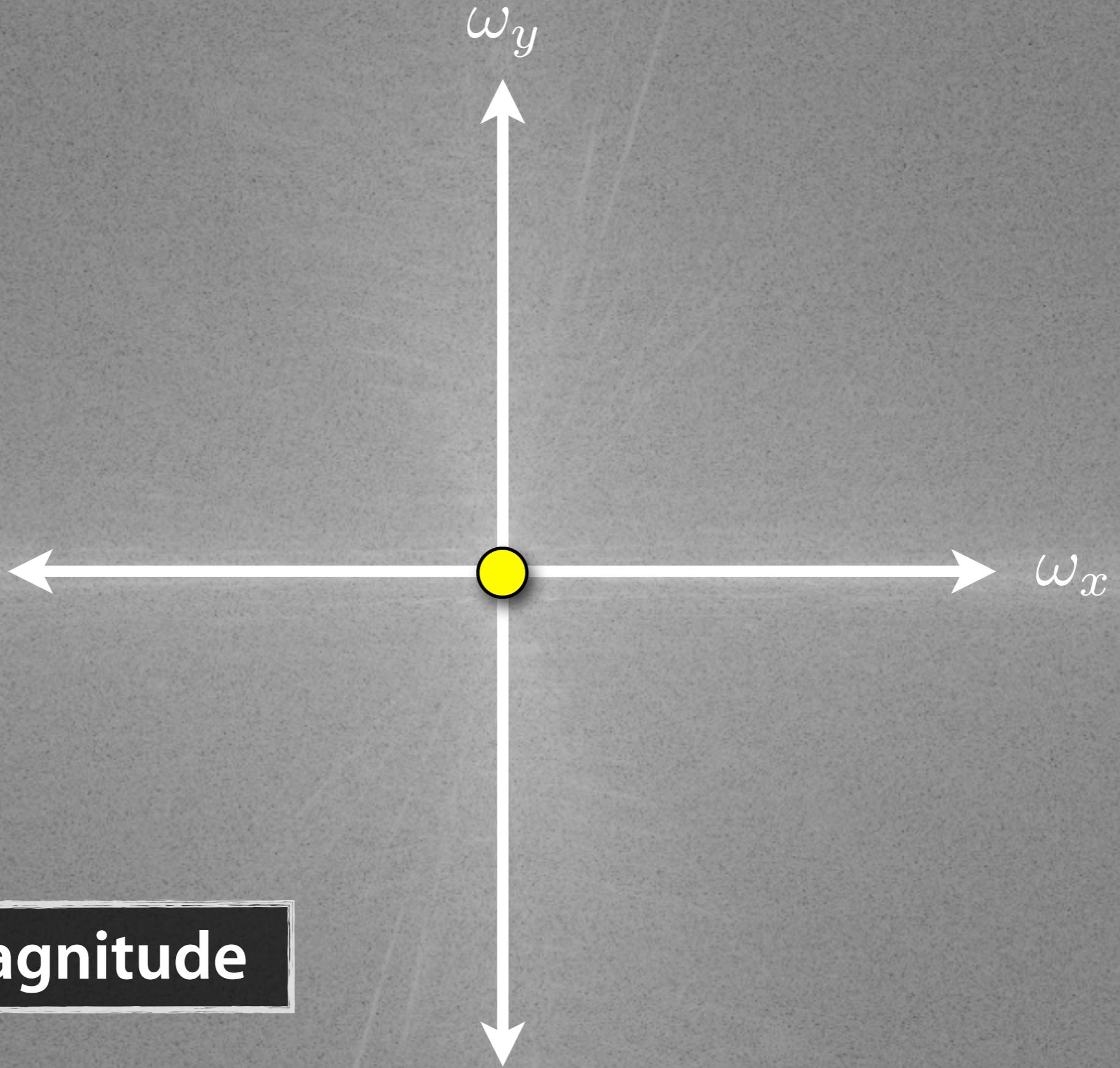


image signal is periodic along both dimensions

DFT magnitude



DFT magnitude

$\omega_y$

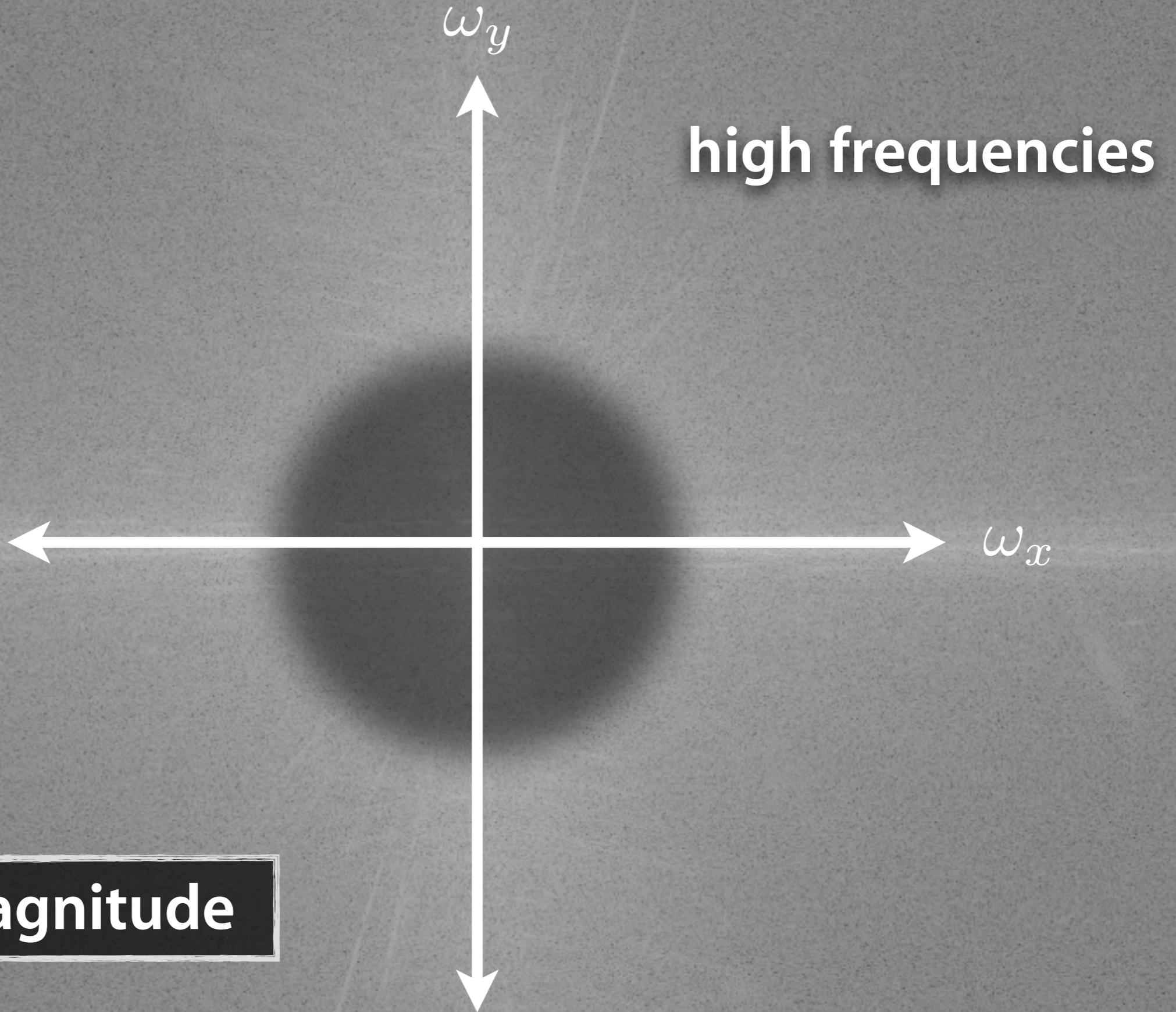


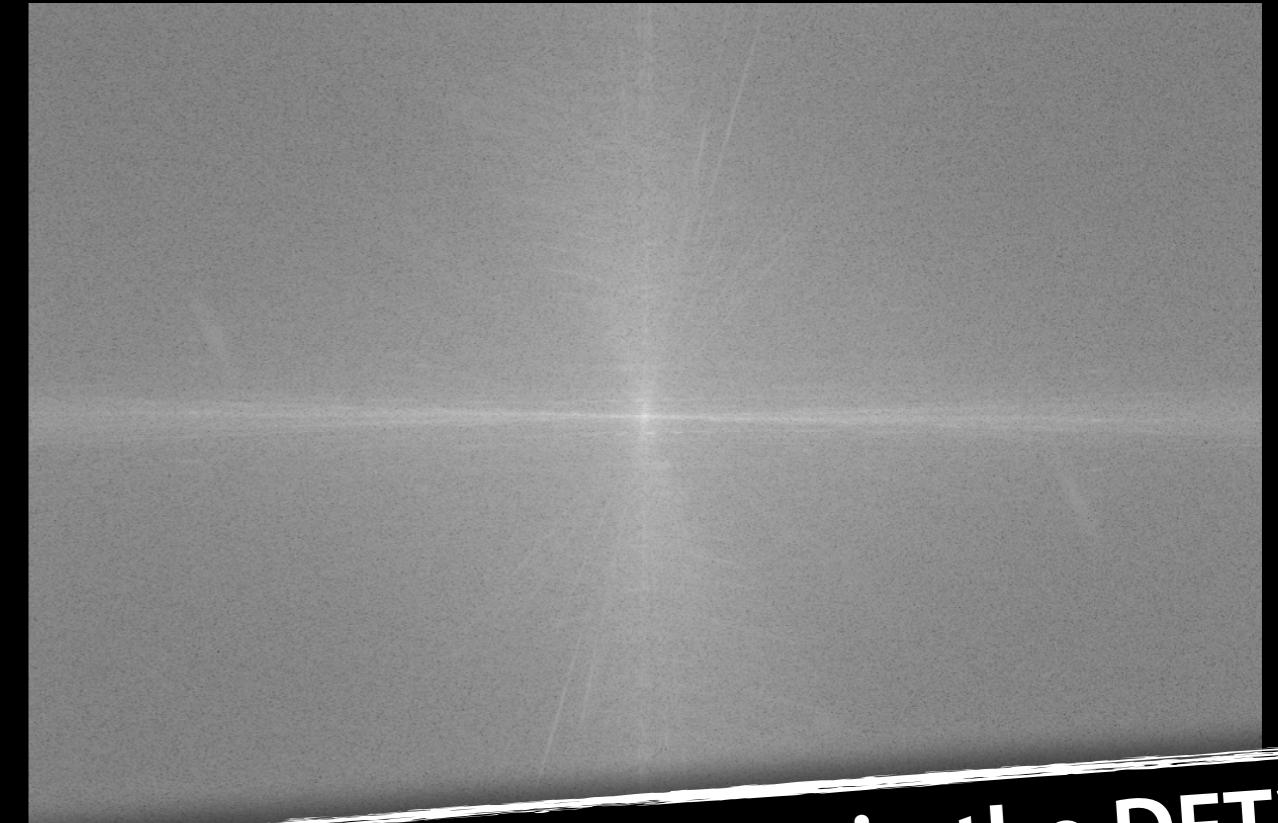
low frequencies

$\omega_x$



DFT magnitude



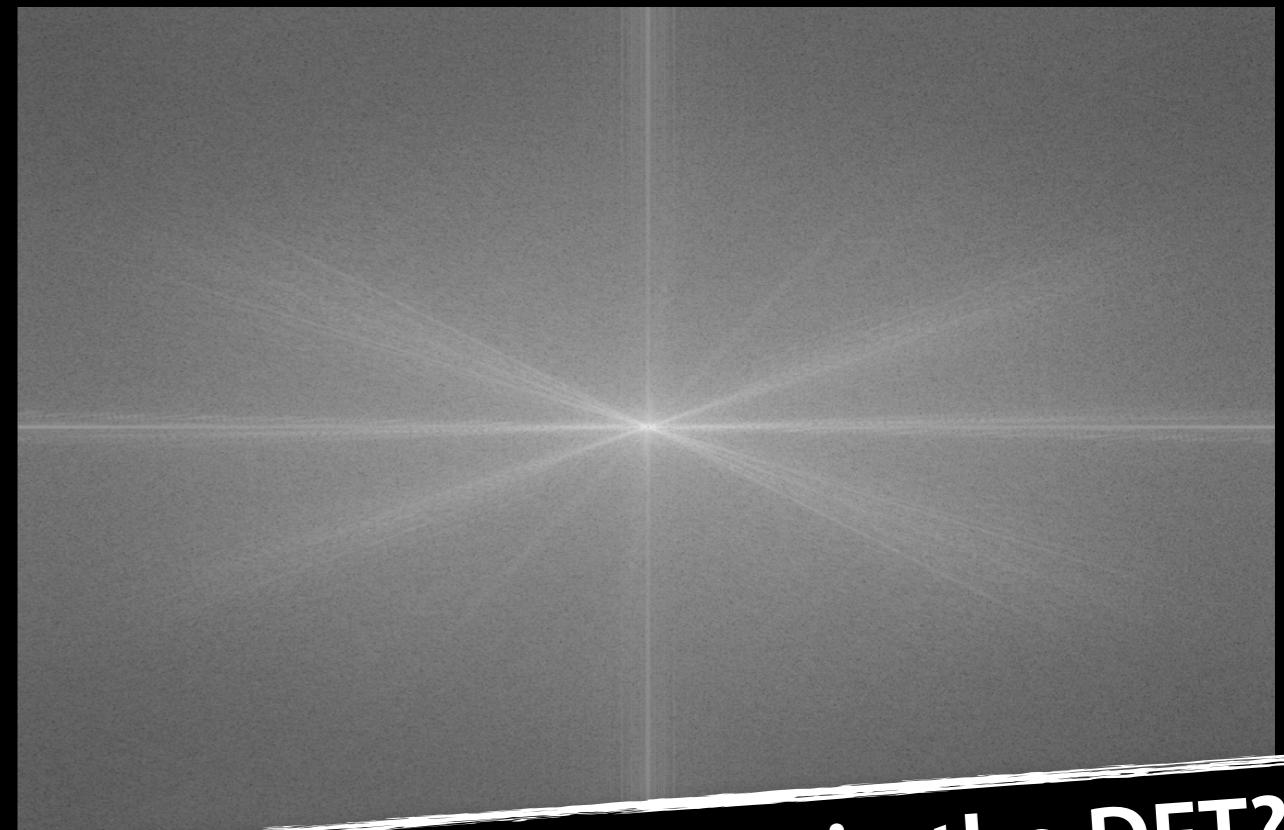
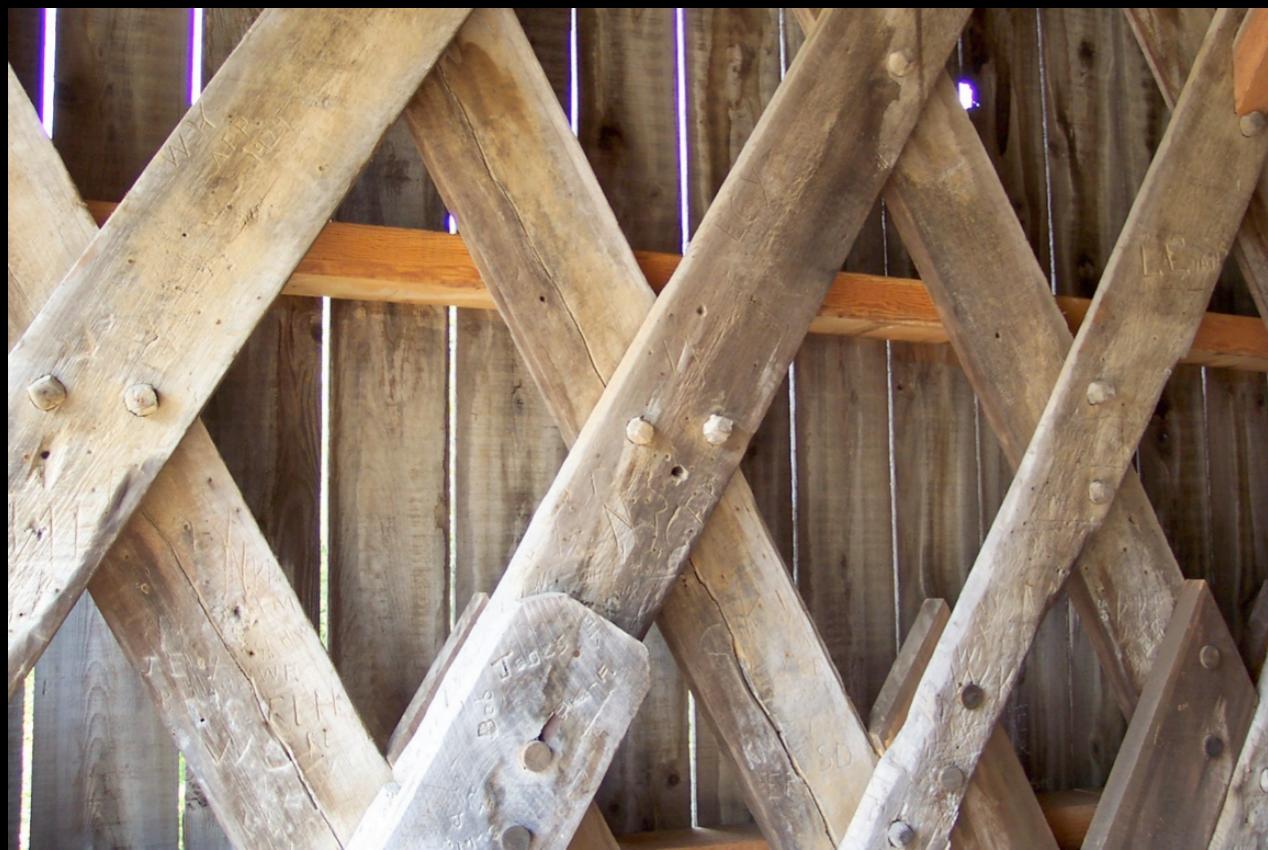


What is the source in the input of the horizontal line in the DFT?



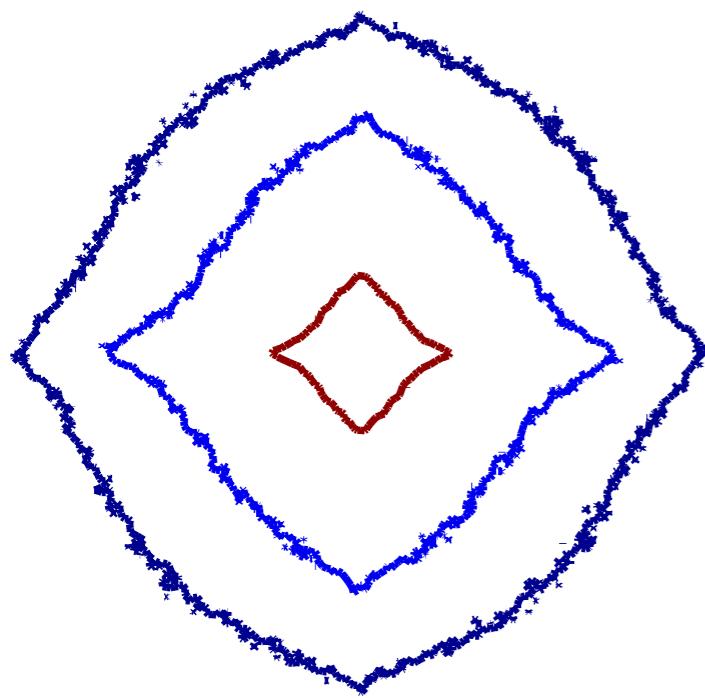
input image

**DFT magnitude**

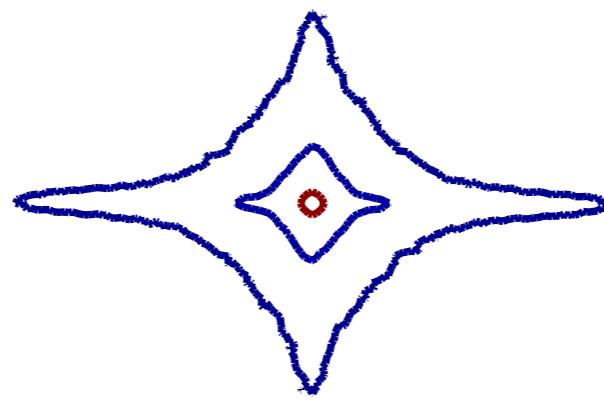


**What is the source in the input of the line structures in the DFT?**

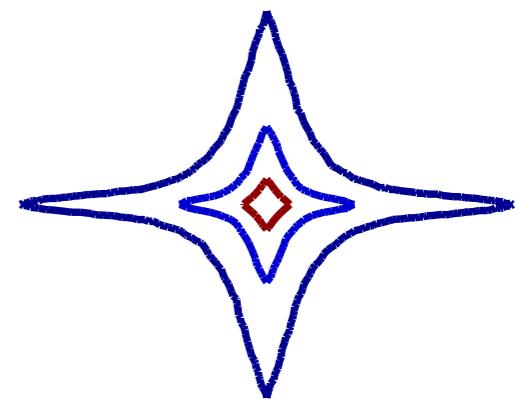
average  
magnitude  
spectrum



**Forest**



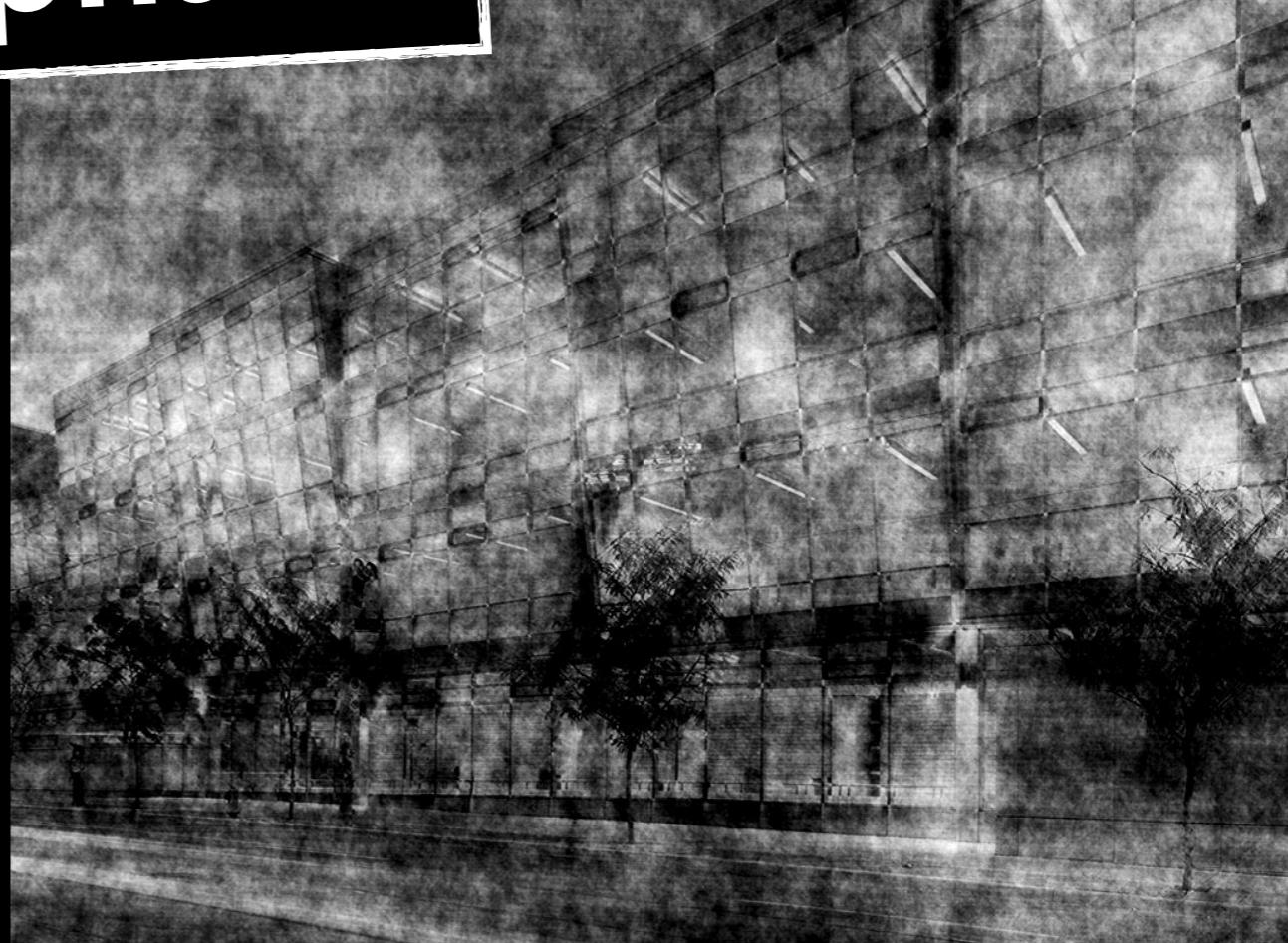
**Street**

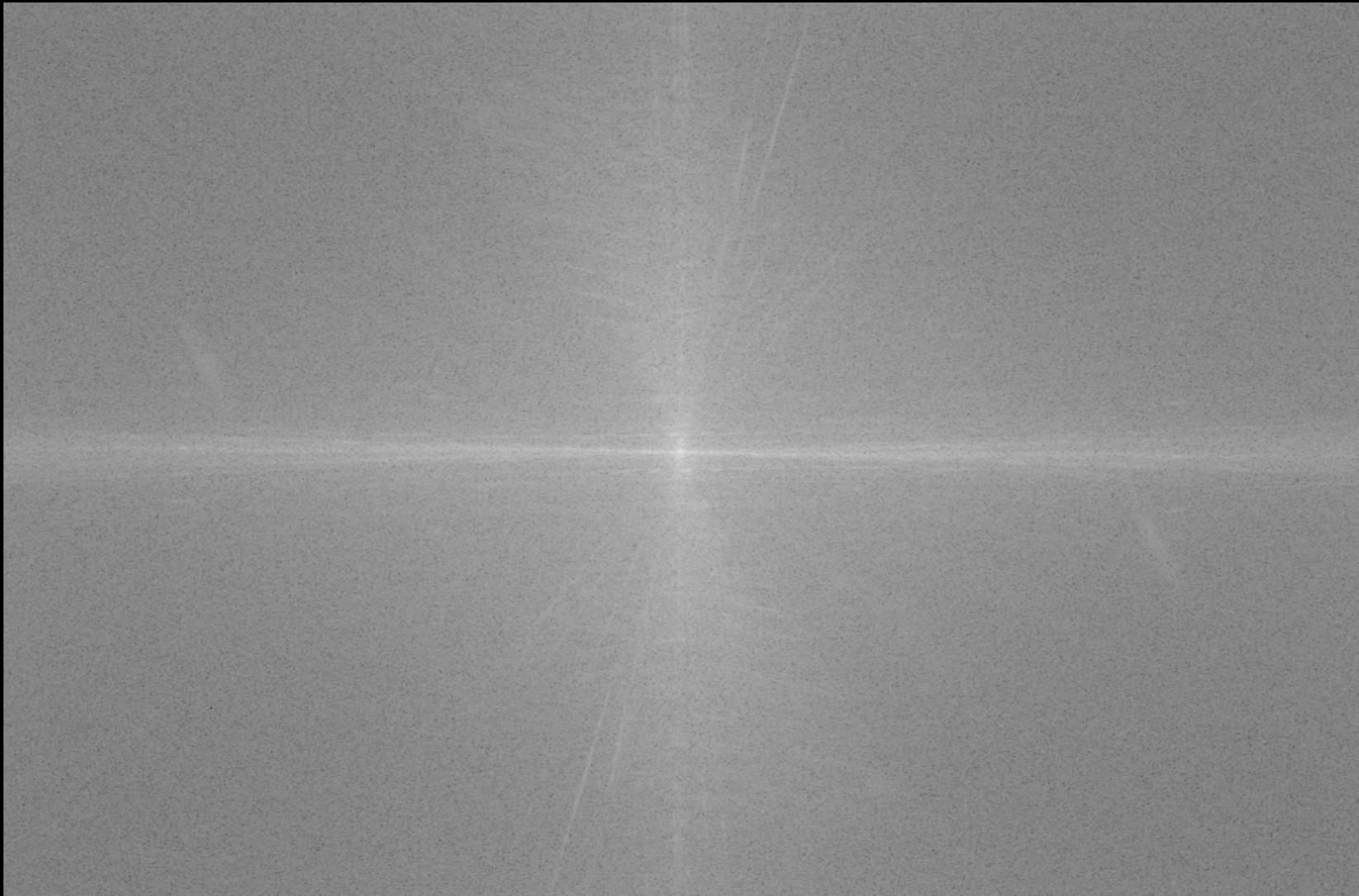


**Indoors**

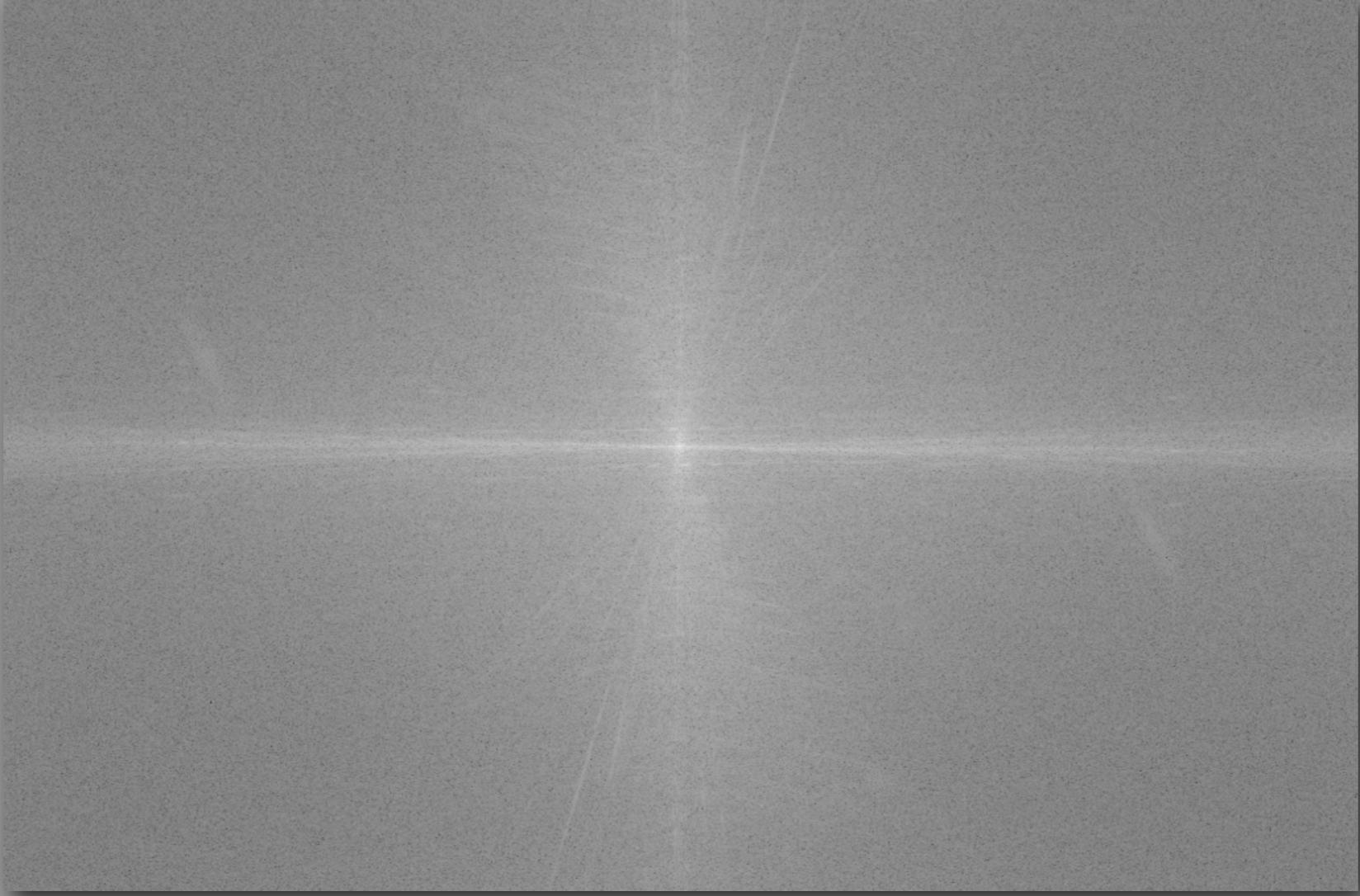


swap phase





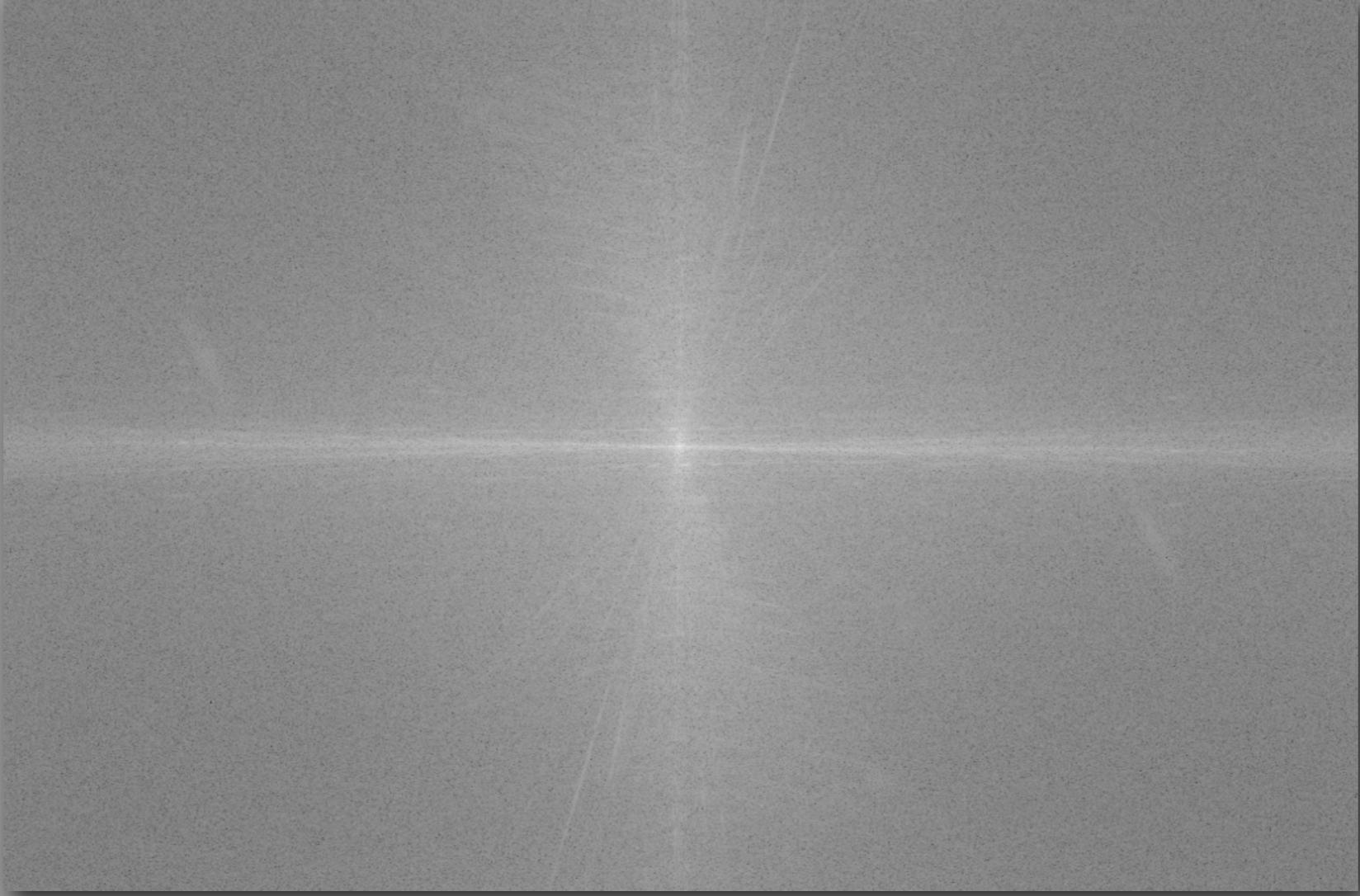
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>> img_fft = fft2(img);  
>> img_fft(1,1) = 0;  
>> img_fft = log(1 + abs(img_fft));  
>> imshow(fftshift(img_fft),[])
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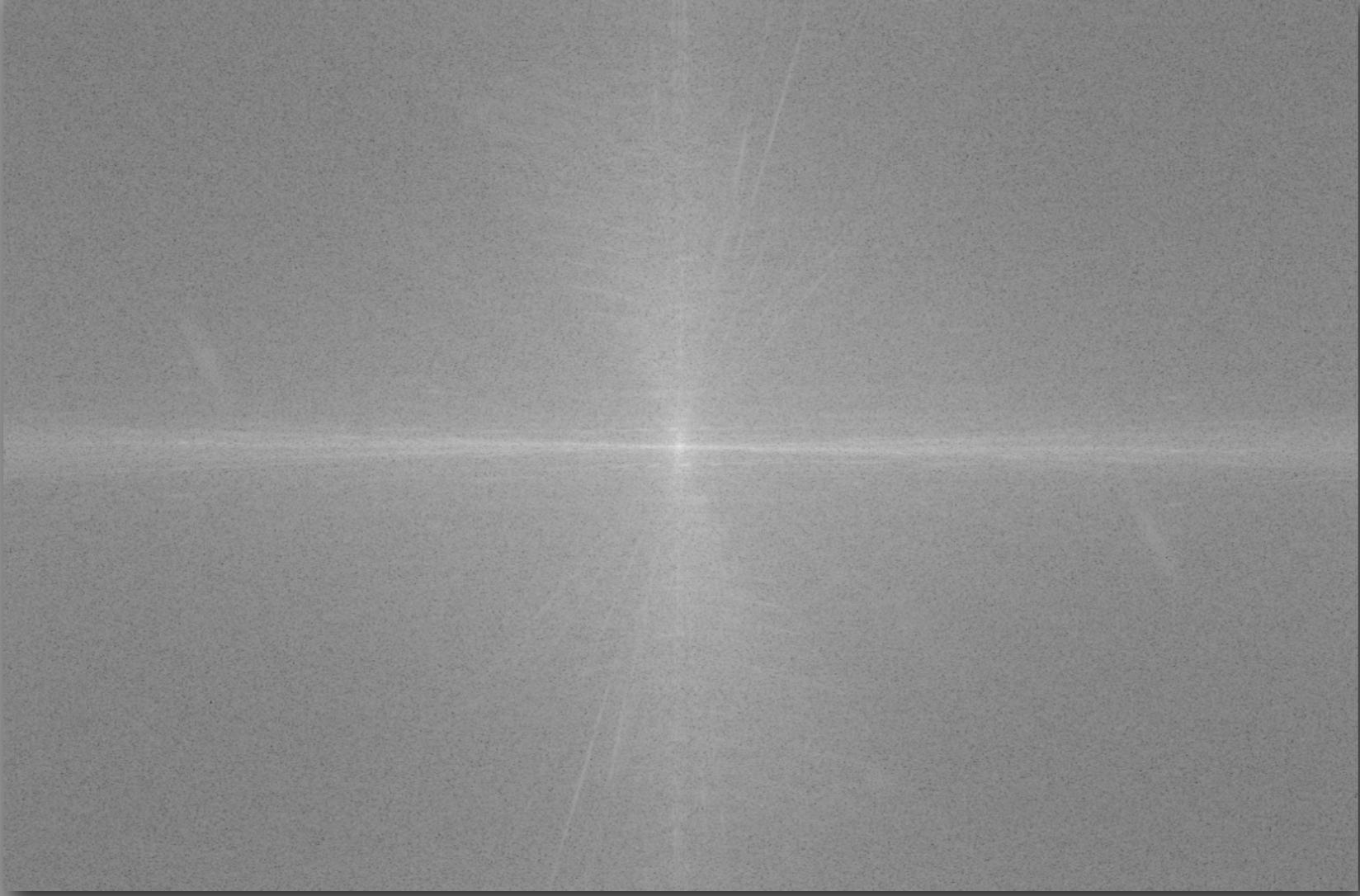
## two-dimensional discrete Fourier transform

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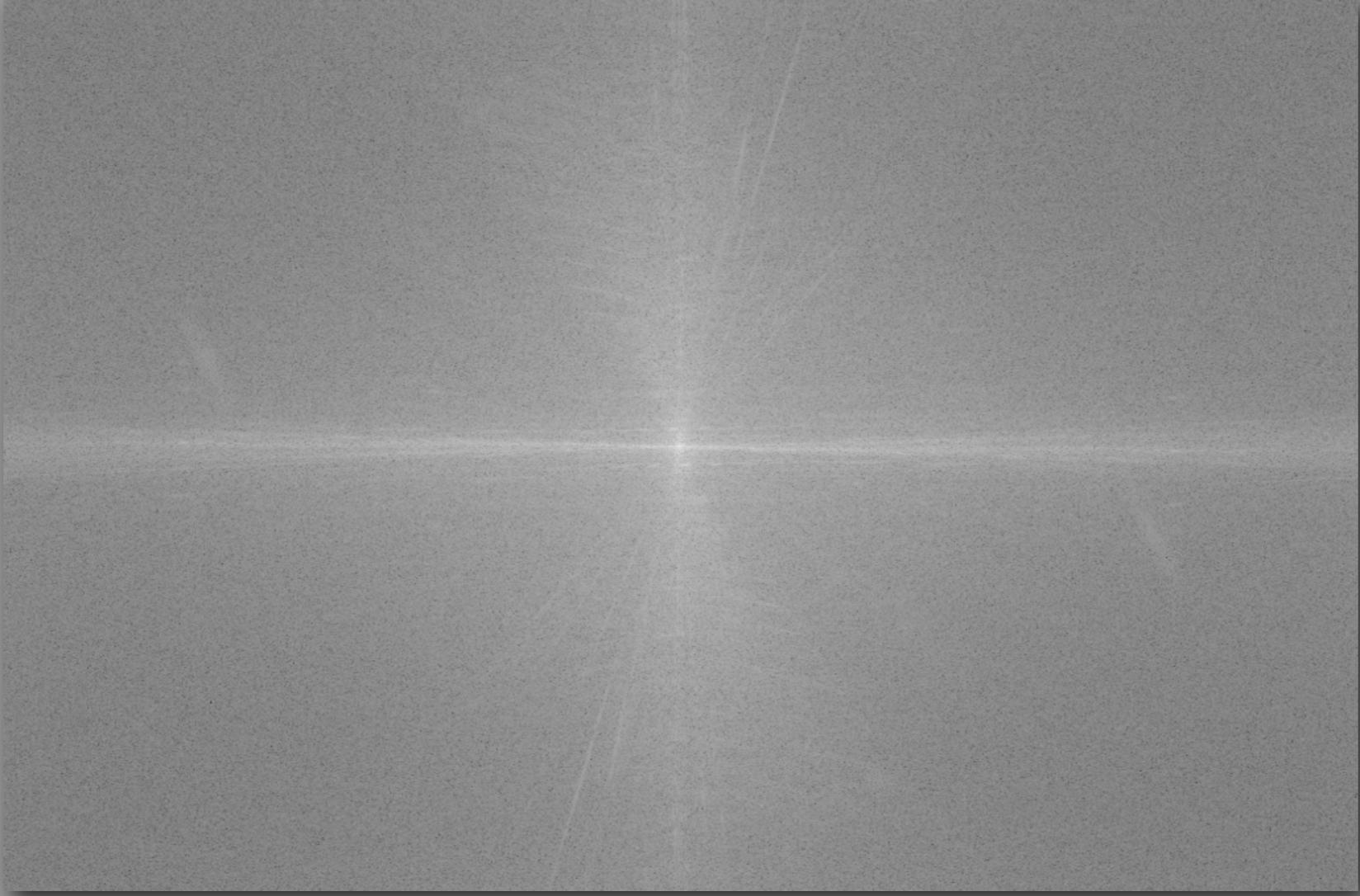


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**remove DC component to improve visualization**



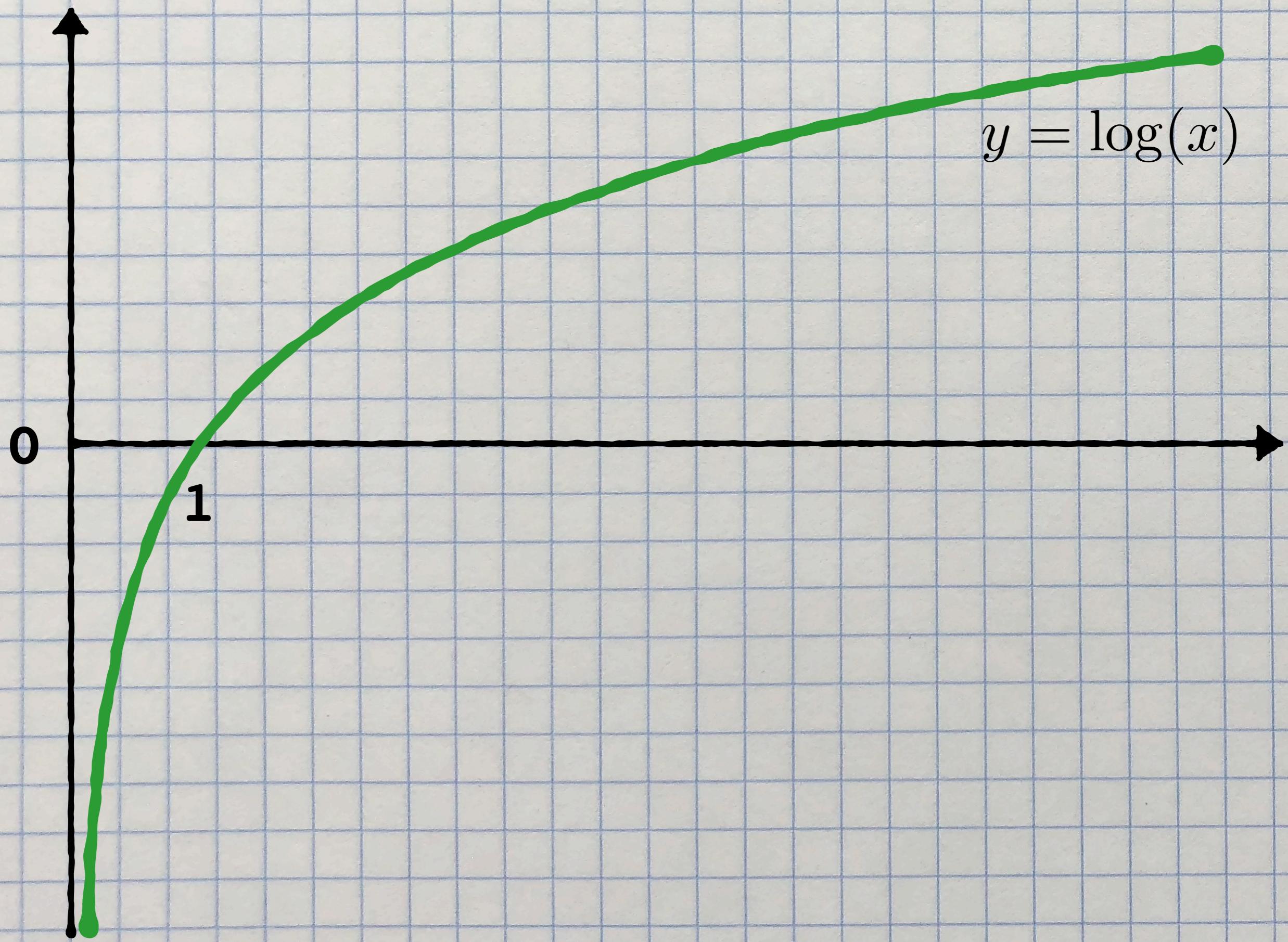
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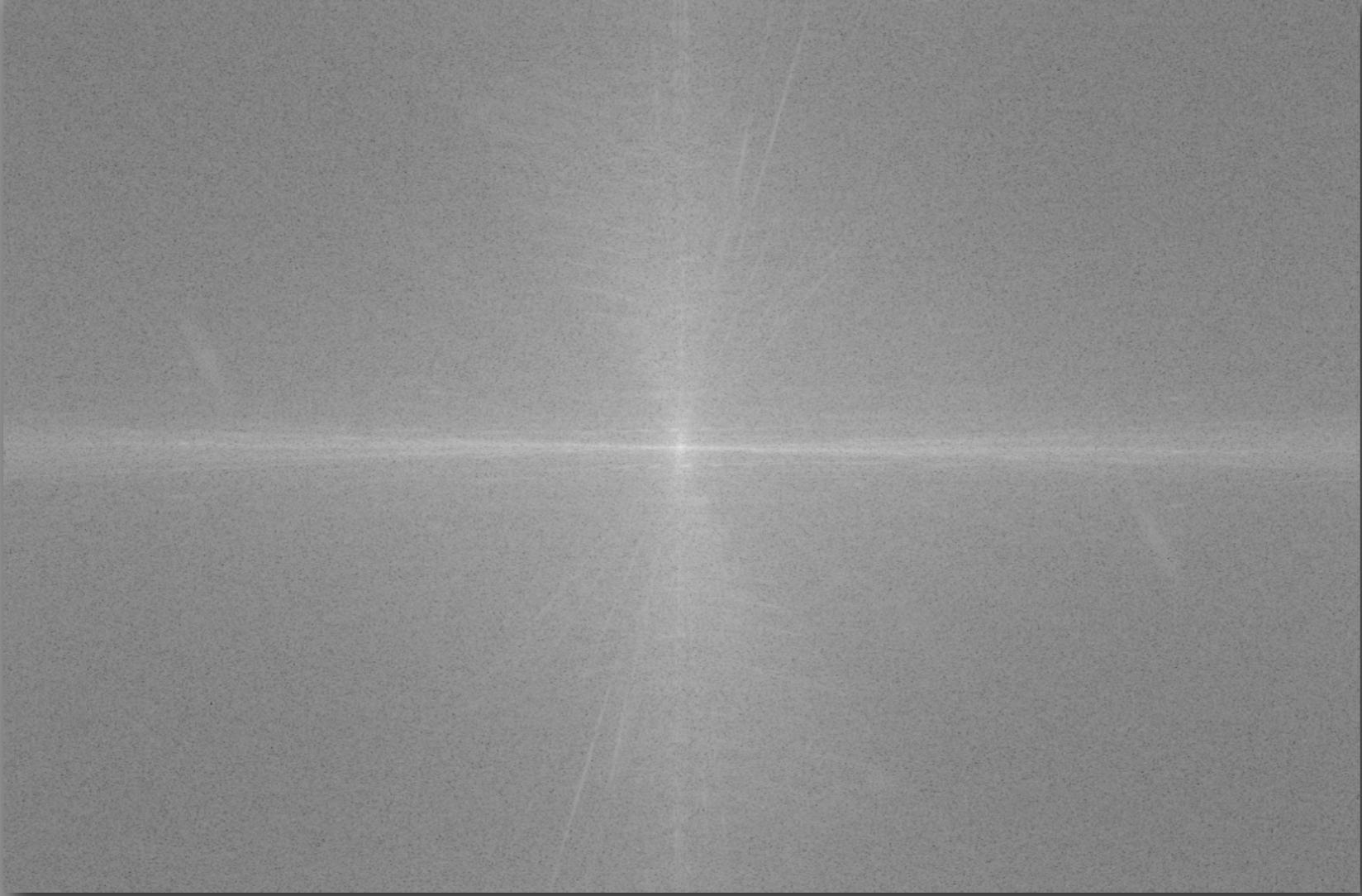


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magnitude spectrum  
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>> imshow(fftshift(img_fft),[])
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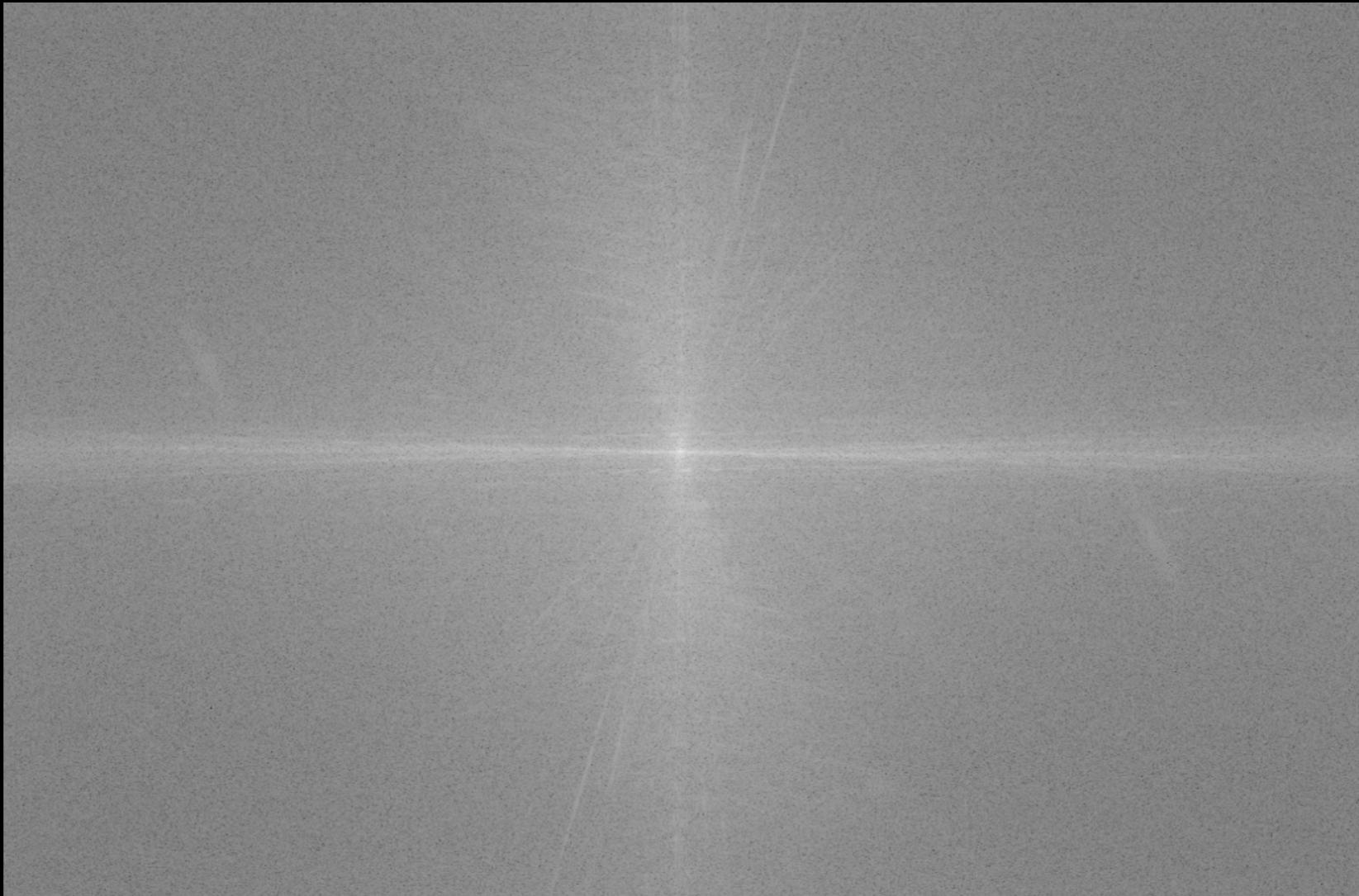
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>> imshow(fftshift(log(abs(img_fft))))
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improves visualization





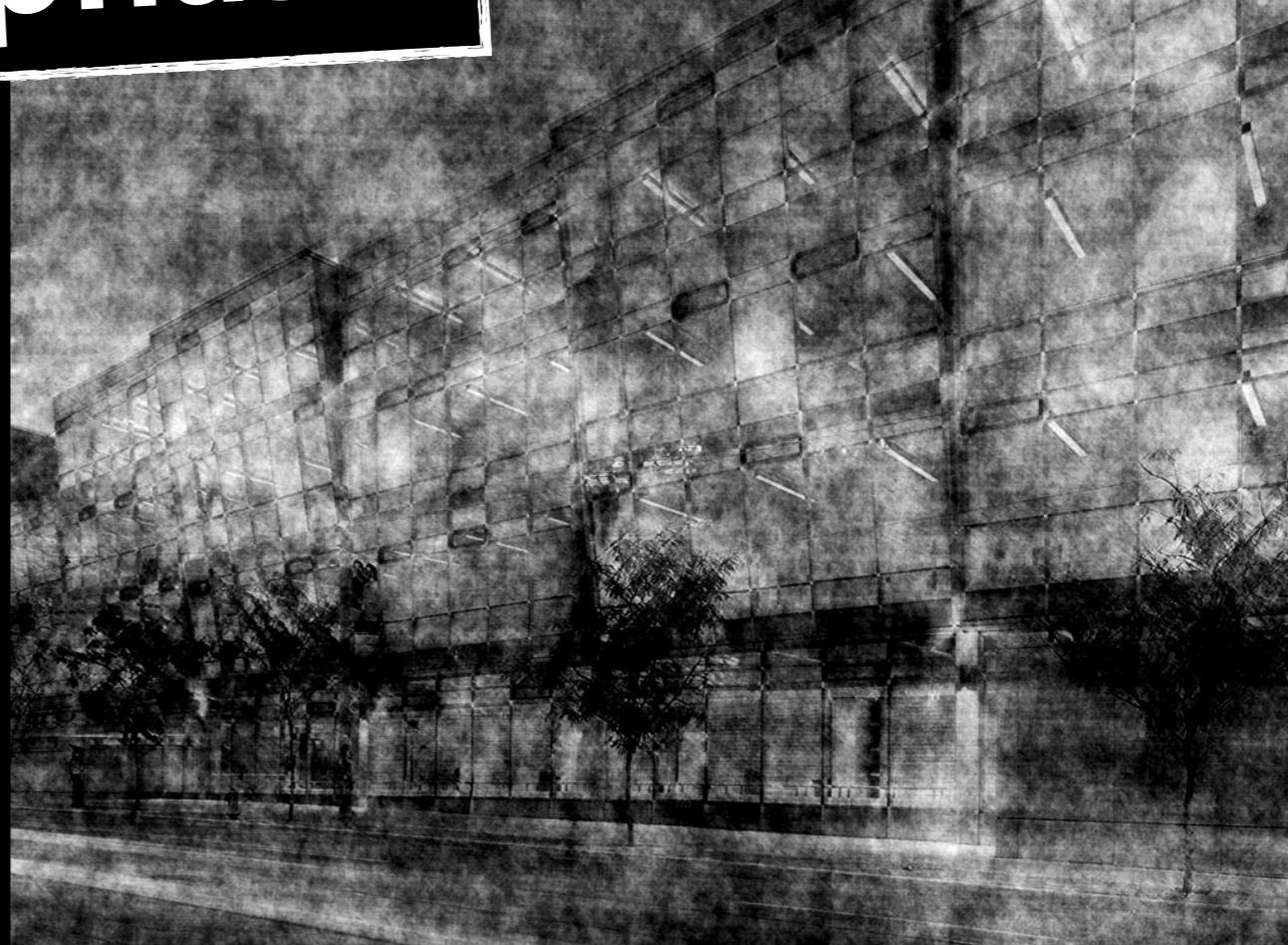
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rearrange spectrum  
>> imshow(fftshift(img_fft),[])
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>> imshow(fftshift(img_fft),[])
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swap phase



```
>> i1 = double(imread('SLC.png'));  
>> i2 = double(imread('ENG.png'));  
>> i1_fft = fft2(i1);  
>> i2_fft = fft2(i2);  
>> abs1_phase2 = abs(i1_fft).*exp(i*angle(i2_fft));  
>> abs2_phasel1 = abs(i2_fft).*exp(i*angle(i1_fft));  
>> i_abs1_phase2 = real(ifft2(abs1_phase2));  
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combine magnitude of one image with phase of other  
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>> abs2_phase1 = abs(i2_fft).*exp(i*angle(i1_fft));  
% abs1_phase2 = magnitude component of second image  
% abs2_phase1 = magnitude component of first image
```

**compute magnitude component of first image**

```
>> i1 = double(imread('SLC.png'));  
>> i2 = double(imread('ENG.png'));  
>> i1_fft = fft2(i1);  
>> i2_fft = fft2(i2);  
    i1_phase2 = abs(i1_fft).*exp(i*angle(i2_fft));
```

## compute phase component of second image

```
>> i_abs1_phase2 = real(ifft2(i1_phase2));  
>> i_abs2_phasel = real(ifft2(abs2_phasel));
```

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>> i1 = double(imread('SLC.png'));  
>> i2 = double(imread('ENG.png'));  
>> i1_fft = fft2(i1);  
>> i2_fft = fft2(i2);  
>> abs1_phase2 = abs(i1_fft).*exp(i*angle(i2_fft));  
>> abs2_phase1 = abs(i2_fft).*exp(i*angle(i1_fft));  
>> abs1_phase2 = real(ifft2(abs1_phase2));  
two-dimensional inverse discrete Fourier transform
```

DFT magnitude



A blurry black and white photograph of a landscape. In the foreground, there are dark, indistinct shapes that could be trees or bushes. Behind them, there's a lighter area that might be a clearing or a building, though it's very difficult to discern due to the lack of focus.

**low pass filtered**



input image

DFT magnitude

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high pass filtered

# FFT

Fast Fourier Transform

$O(N^2)$ 

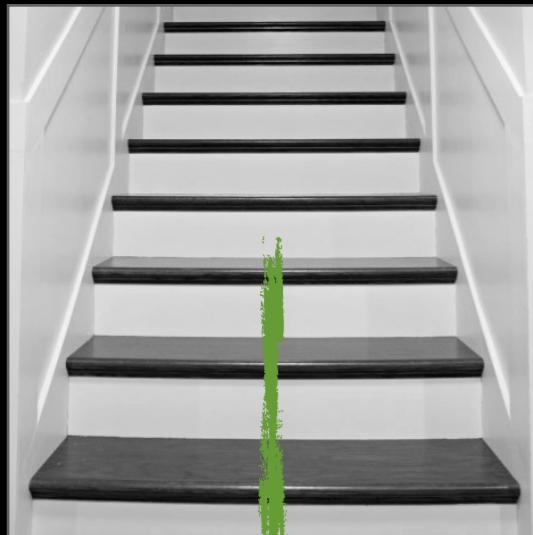
**time complexity of Discrete Fourier Transform**

$O(N \log N)$ 

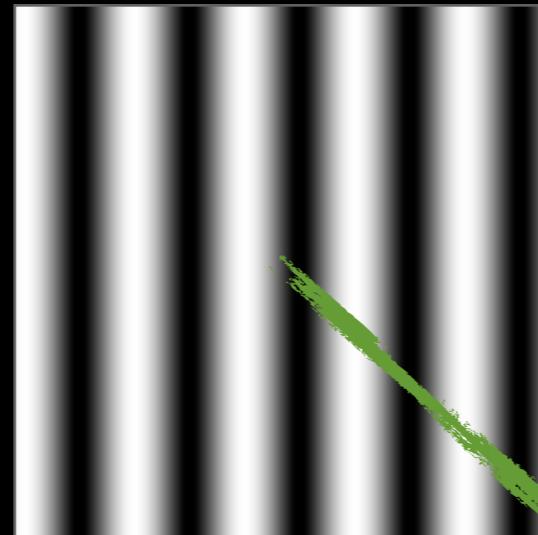
**time complexity of Fast Fourier Transform**

# Match the spatial domain image to the Fourier magnitude image

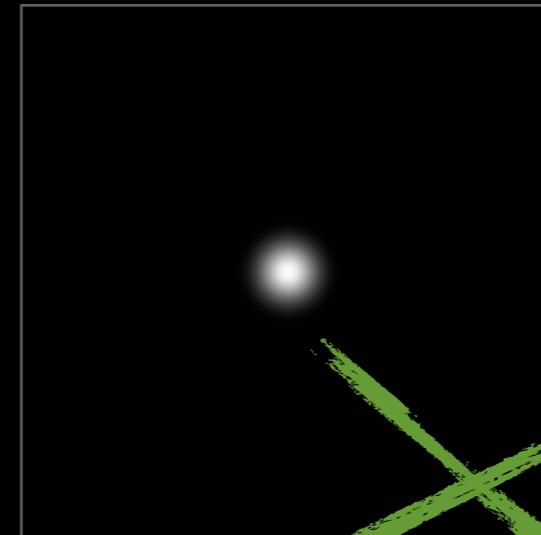
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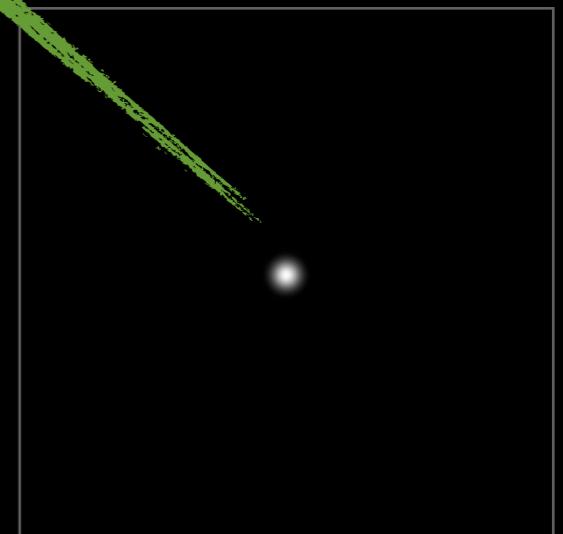
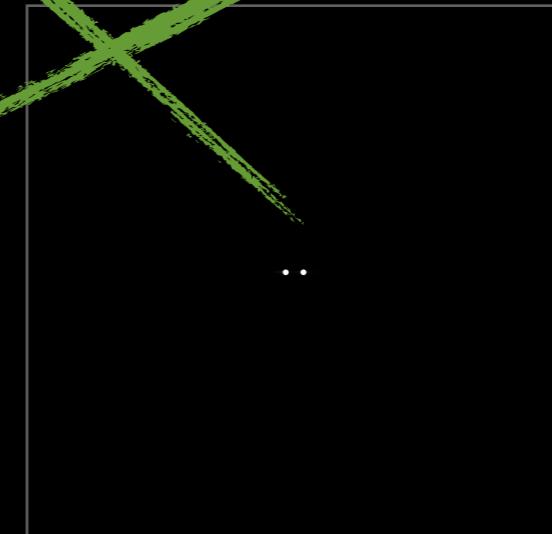
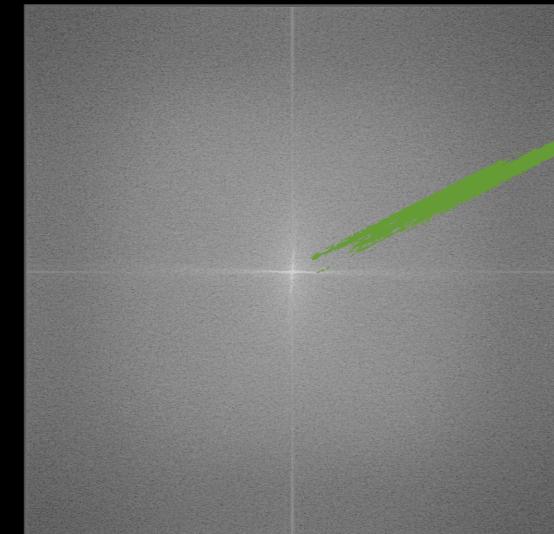
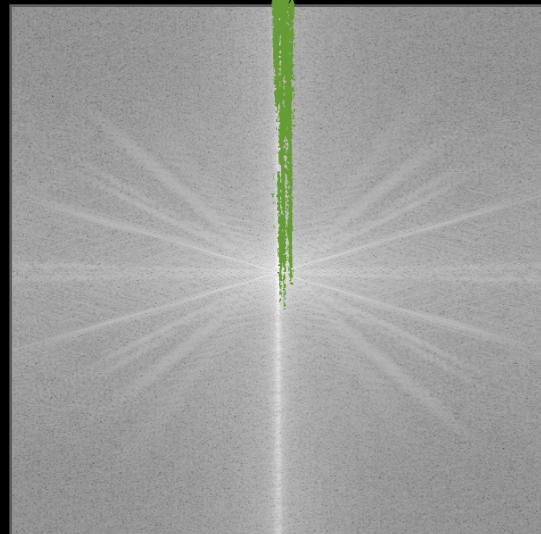
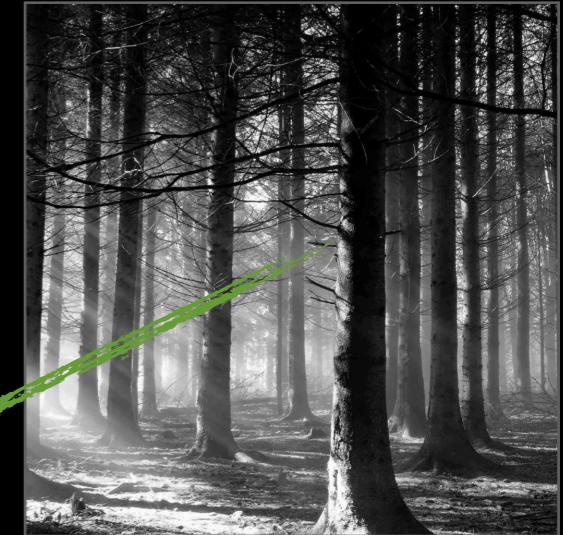
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a

b

c

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