

# EE329 Project Report

Signals and Systems II

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1. Find the Fourier Series Coefficients  $a_k$

# Derivation of Fourier Series Coefficients $a_0$ and $a_k$

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) dt = \frac{1}{4} \int_{-2}^2 Zt dt = \frac{1}{4} (t^2)_{-2}^2 = \frac{1}{4}(4-4) = \boxed{0}$$

↳ this makes sense, as there's no DC offset for the signal.

$$\begin{aligned} a_k &= \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) e^{-j2\pi f_0 k t} dt = \frac{1}{4} \int_{-2}^2 Zt e^{-j2\pi(\frac{1}{4})k t} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^2 t e^{-j\frac{\pi k}{2} t} dt \rightarrow \text{IBP} \quad \begin{array}{l} u=t \quad du=dt \\ dv=e^{-j\frac{\pi k}{2} t} \quad v=\frac{2}{-j\pi k} e^{-j\frac{\pi k}{2} t} \end{array} \\ &= uv - \int v du = \frac{1}{2} \left[ t \cdot \frac{-2}{j\pi k} e^{-j\frac{\pi k}{2} t} + \frac{+2}{(j\pi k)^2} e^{-j\frac{\pi k}{2} t} \right] \Big|_{-2}^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{-4e^{-j\pi k} - 4e^{j\pi k}}{j\pi k} + \frac{2e^{-j\pi k} - 2e^{j\pi k}}{(j\pi k)^2} \right] \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{Eulers: } \frac{1}{2j}(e^{j\pi k} - e^{-j\pi k}) = \sin(\pi k) \\ \frac{1}{2}(e^{j\pi k} + e^{-j\pi k}) = \cos(\pi k) \end{array} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{-2 \cos(\pi k)}{j\pi k} + \frac{-4 \sin(\pi k)}{(\pi k)^2} \right] = \frac{-4 \cos(\pi k)}{j\pi k} - \frac{2 \sin(\pi k)}{(\pi k)^2} \rightarrow \text{zero} \\ &= -j \frac{4}{\pi k} \cos(\pi k) \Rightarrow \boxed{\frac{-j4(-1)^k}{\pi k}} \end{aligned}$$

## 2. Magnitude and Phase Spectra of $a_k$

# Calculations for Magnitude and Phase Spectra of $a_k$

$$|a_k|^2 = a_k \cdot a_k^* = -j \frac{4(-1)^k}{\pi k} \cdot j \frac{4(-1)^k}{\pi k} = \frac{4^2 \overbrace{(-1)^{2k}}^{\text{always 1}}}{(\pi k)^2} \rightarrow |a_k| = \boxed{\frac{4}{\pi |k|}}$$
$$\angle a_k = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\text{imaginary}}{\text{zero}} \right) = \boxed{\begin{cases} \pi/2, & k > 0 \\ -\pi/2, & k < 0 \end{cases}}$$

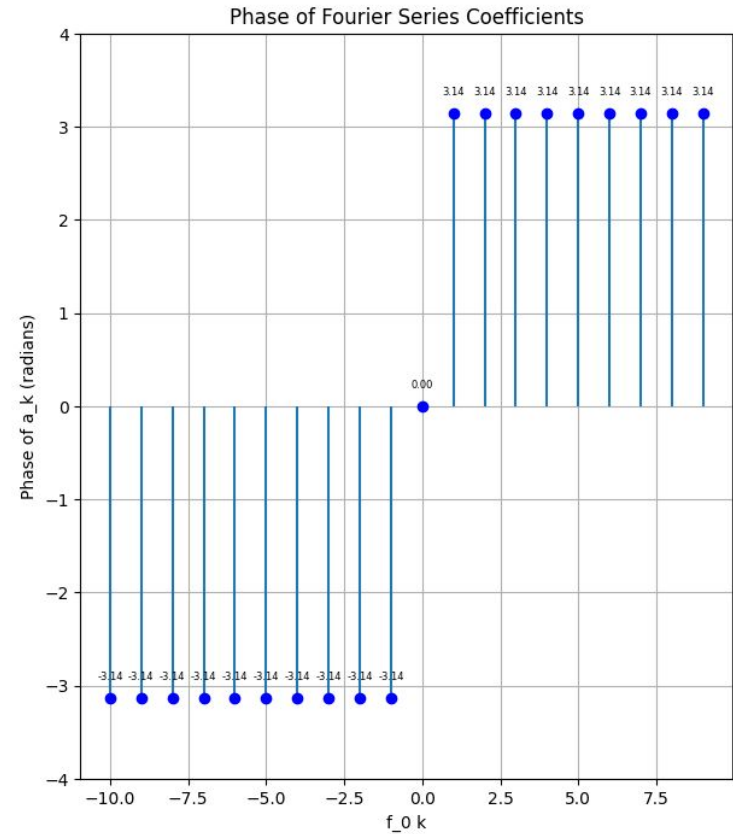
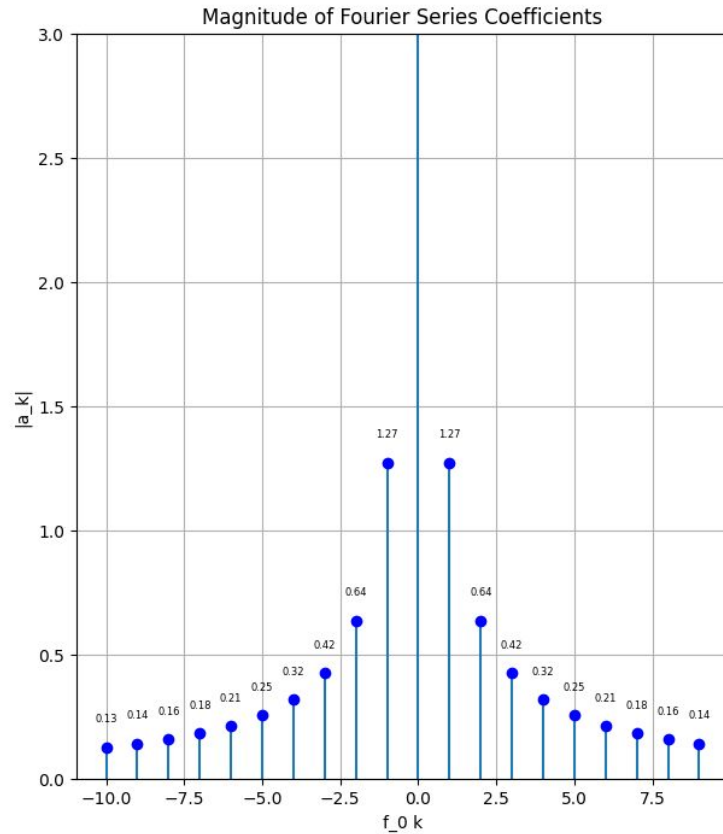
# Calculations of $a_k$ with $k$ in range $[-10,10]$

I calculated these results using the equations above in a for loop so that I didn't have to do it by hand:

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# calculations
mag_of_ak = []
phase_of_ak = []
for i in range(-10, 10):
    # magnitude
    if i == 0:
        mag_of_ak.append(1000) # its infinity but this is tall enough for the plot
    else:
        mag_of_ak.append(4 / (math.pi * abs(i)))

    # phase
    if i == 0:
        phase_of_ak.append(0.0)
    elif i > 0:
        phase_of_ak.append(math.pi)
    else:
        phase_of_ak.append(-math.pi)
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# Plots of $a_k$ with $k$ in range $[-10,10]$



### 3. Finding $b_k$ and $c_k$

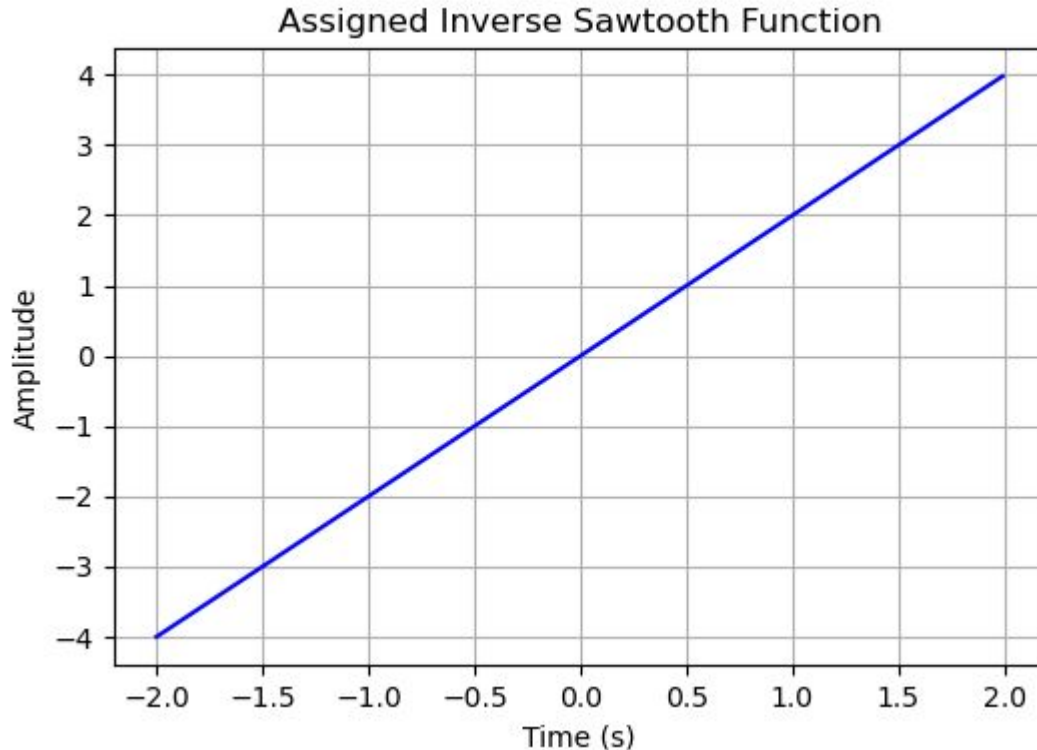


Finding  $b_k$  and  $c_k$  in terms of  $a_k$

$$b_0 = a_0 = \boxed{0} \rightarrow \text{Since it's an odd function,}$$
$$c_k = \boxed{0} \quad \text{and} \quad \boxed{b_k = \frac{4(-1)^k}{\pi k}}$$

## 4. Fourier Series Approximation

# Original Assigned Inverse Sawtooth Function



I was assigned parameters:

- $a = 4$
- $b = 2$

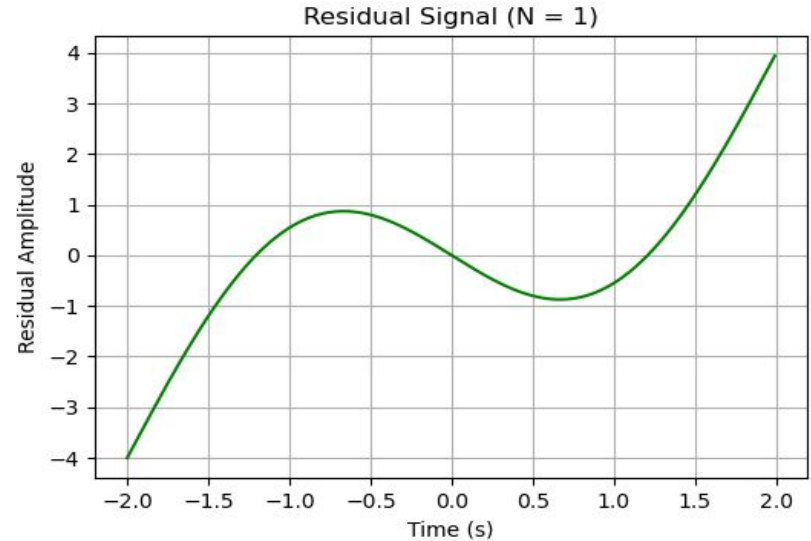
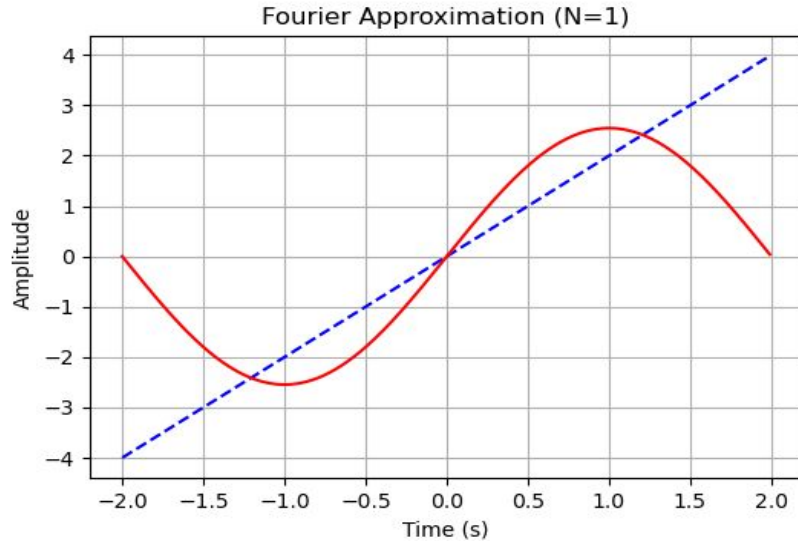
This results in:

- amplitude =  $a = 4$
- $T_0 = 2b = 4$

Additionally, I let:

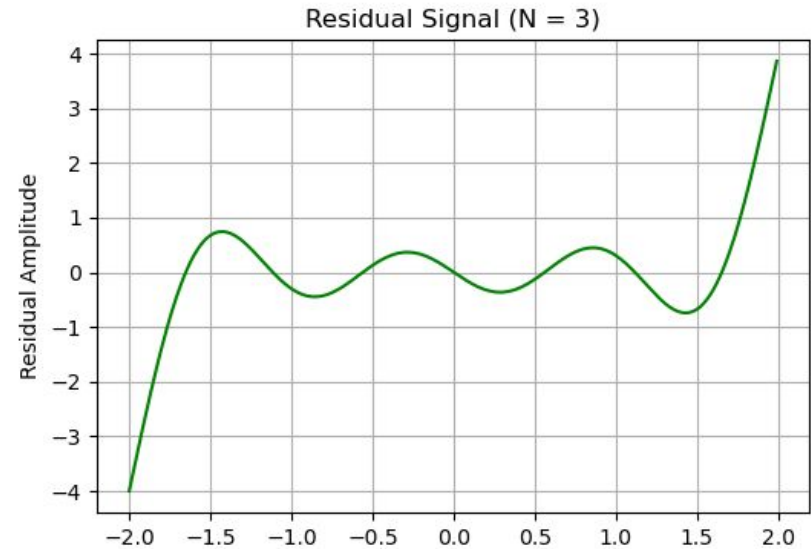
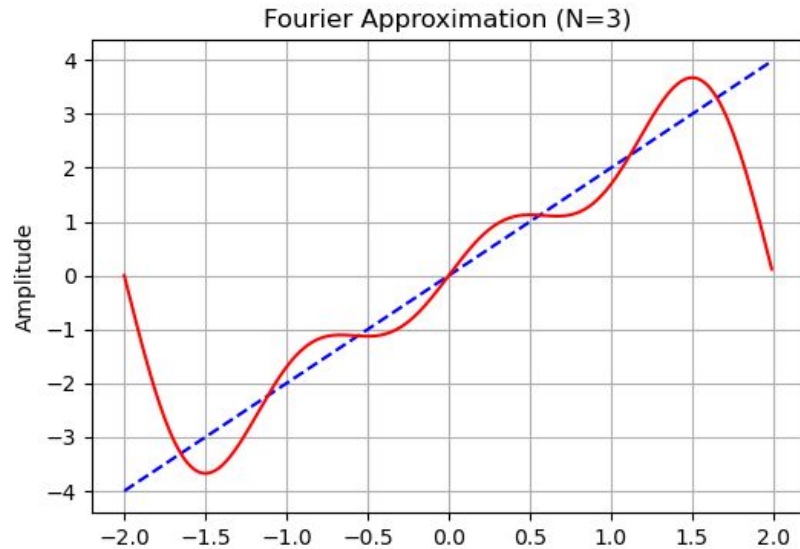
- $t_0 = -2$
- $f_0 = 1/T_0 = 0.25$

# Order of Approximation $N = 1$



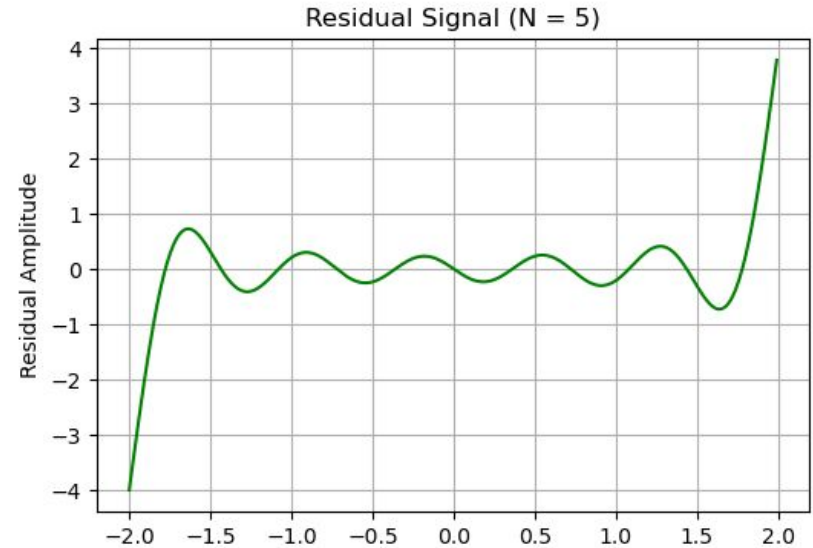
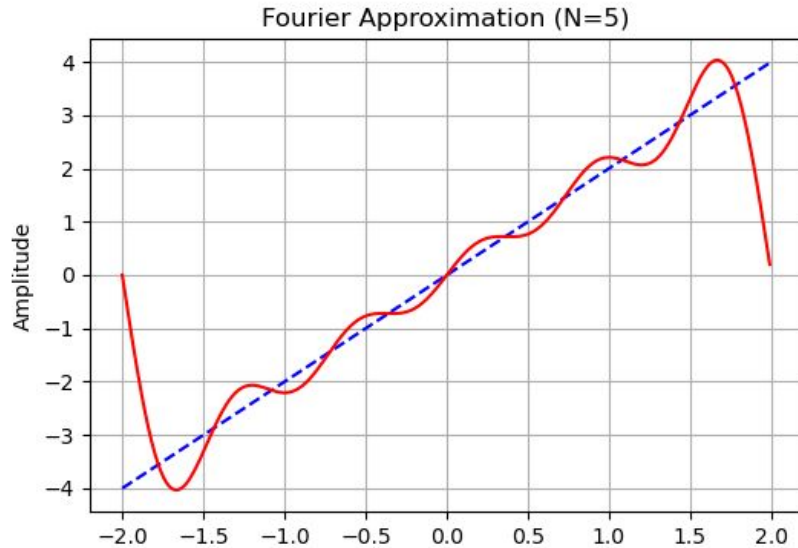
Power of residual signal = 2.0913 Watts

# Order of Approximation $N = 3$



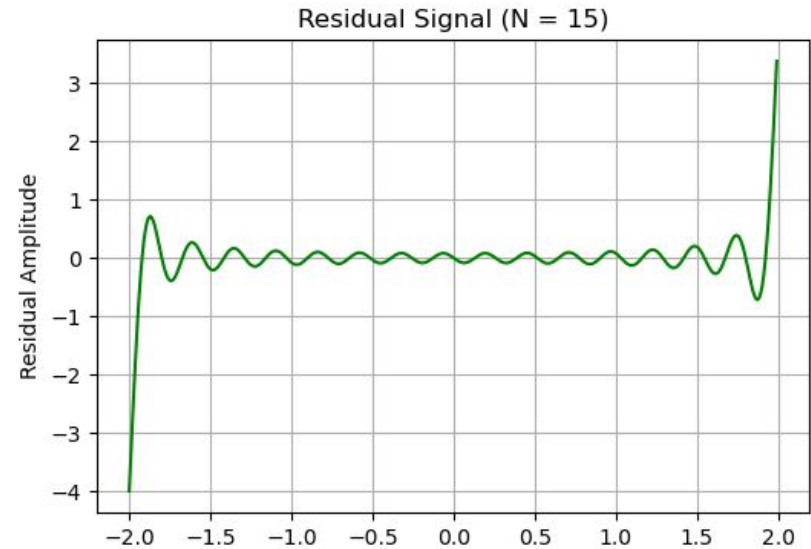
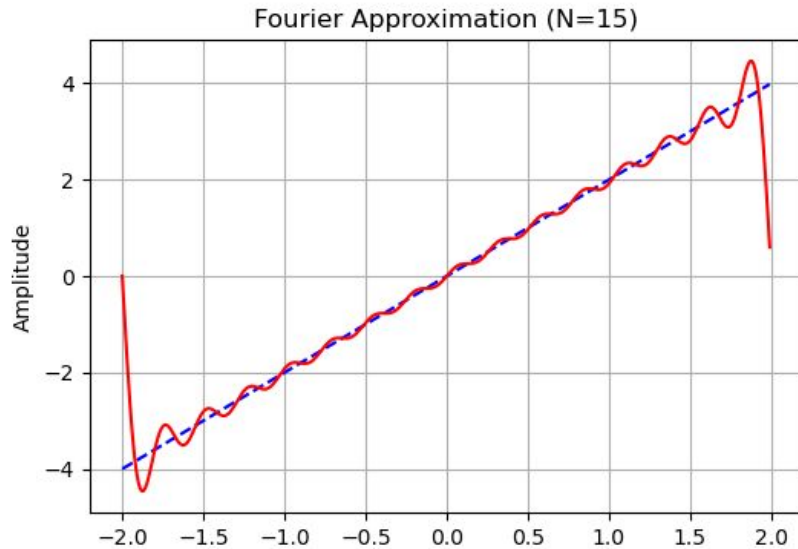
Power of residual signal = 0.9207 Watts

# Order of Approximation $N = 5$



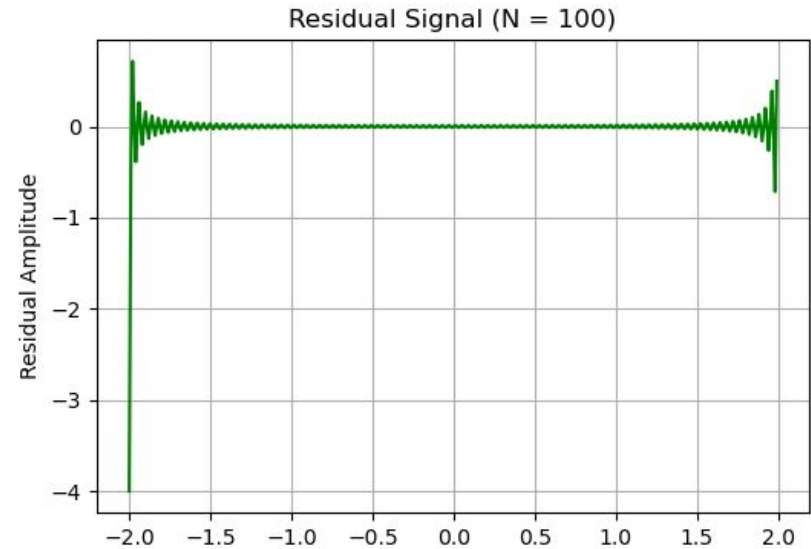
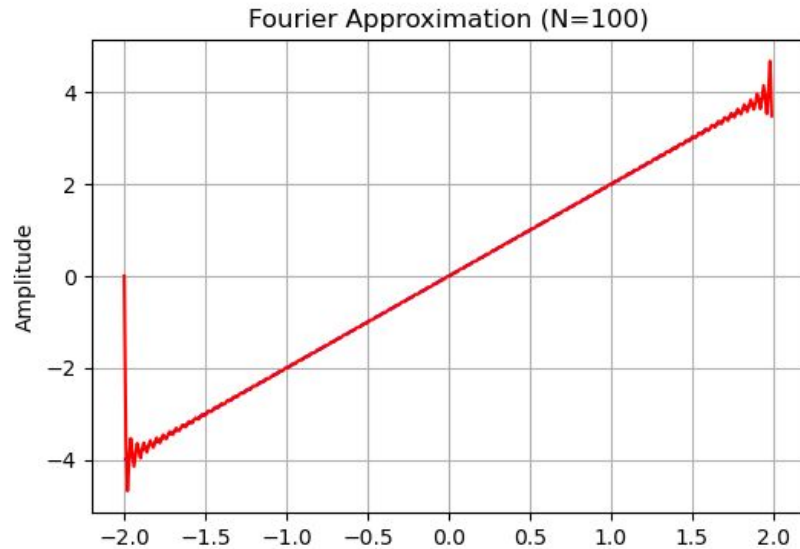
Power of residual signal = 0.5886 Watts

# Order of Approximation $N = 15$



Power of residual signal = 0.2112 Watts

# Order of Approximation $N = 100$



Power of residual signal = 0.0459 Watts

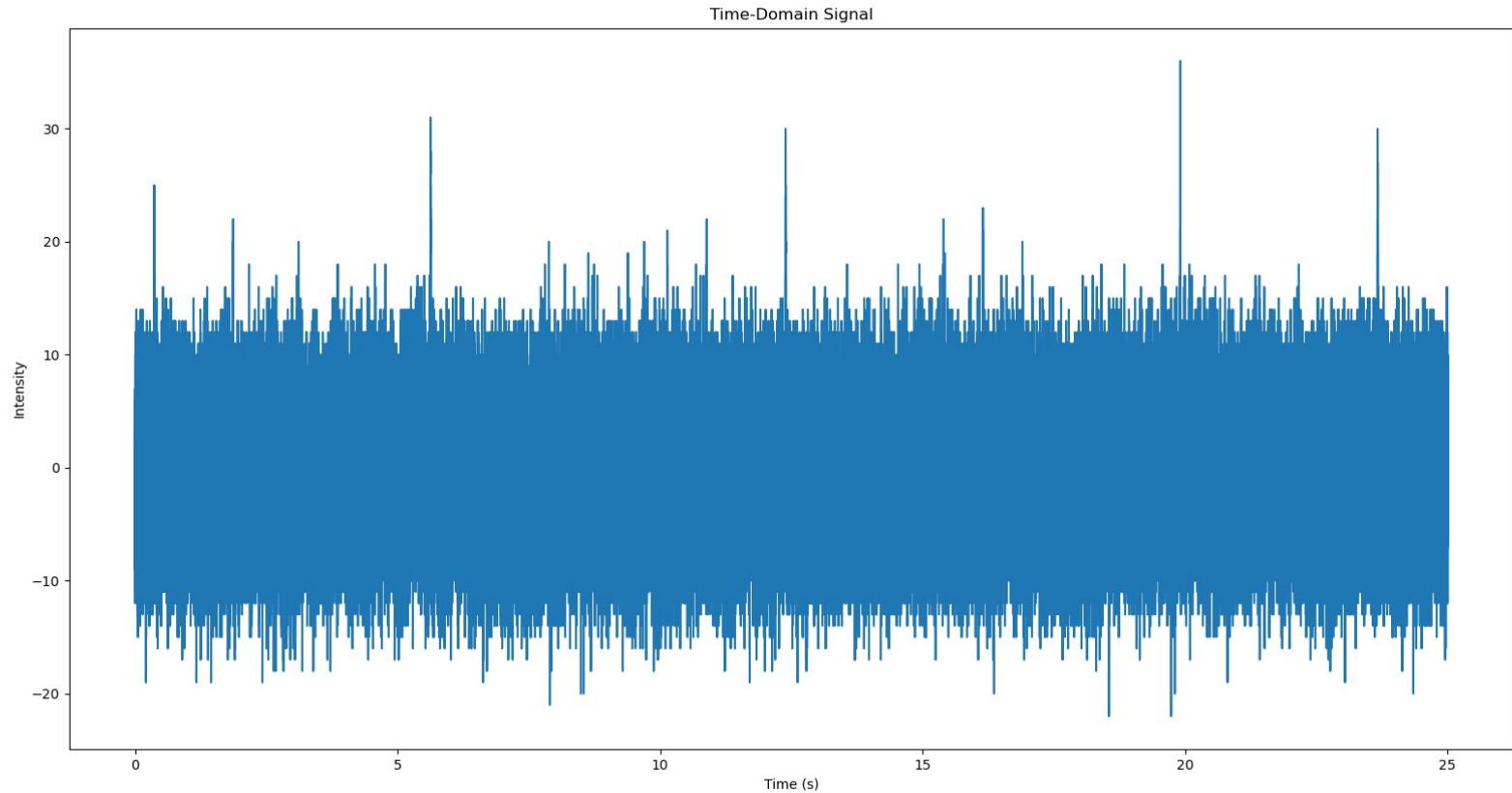


# Fourier Series Approximation Summary

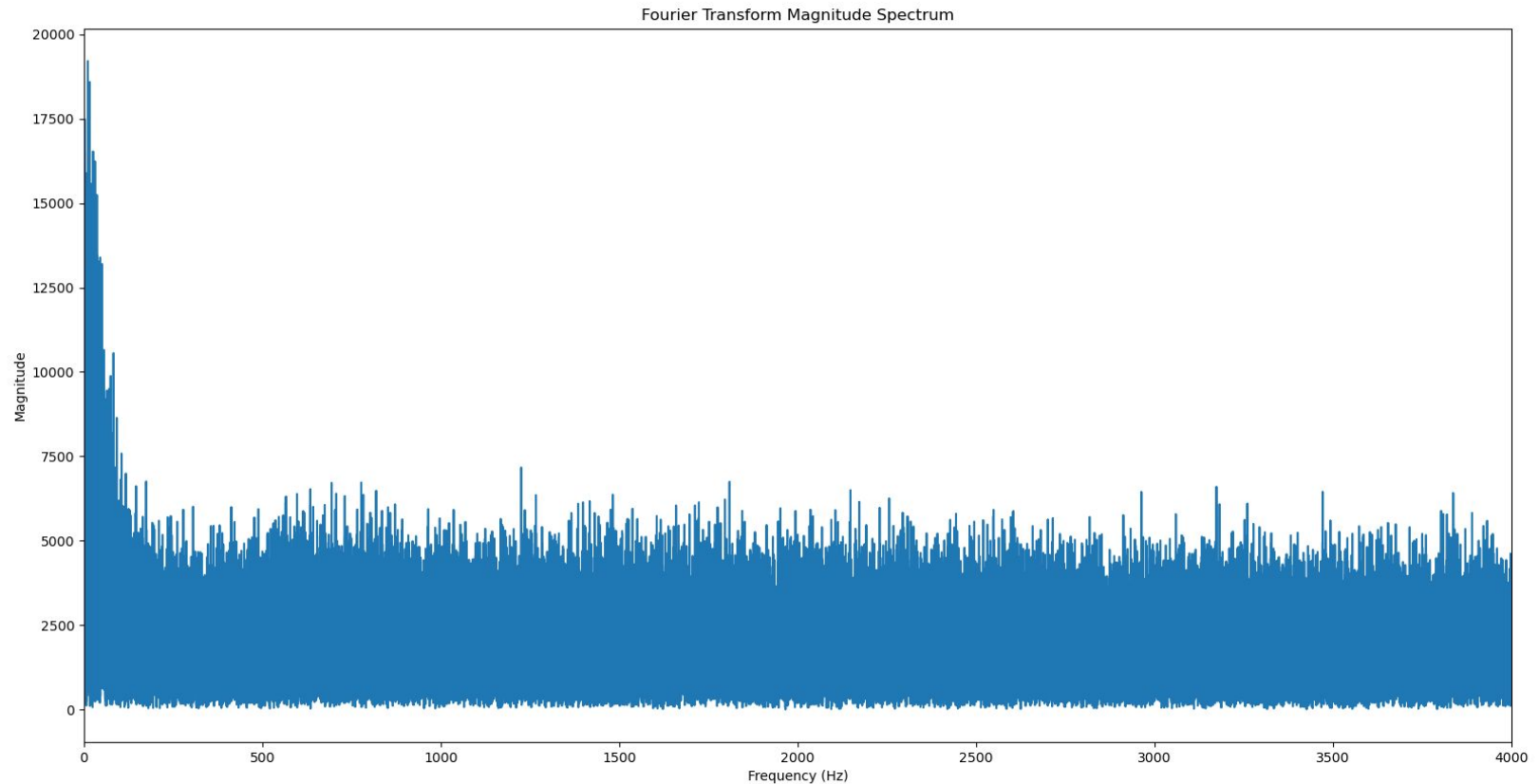
Approximation (N)	Power of residual signal (Watts)
1	2.0913
3	0.9207
5	0.5886
15	0.2112
100	0.0459

## 5. Fourier Transform Analysis

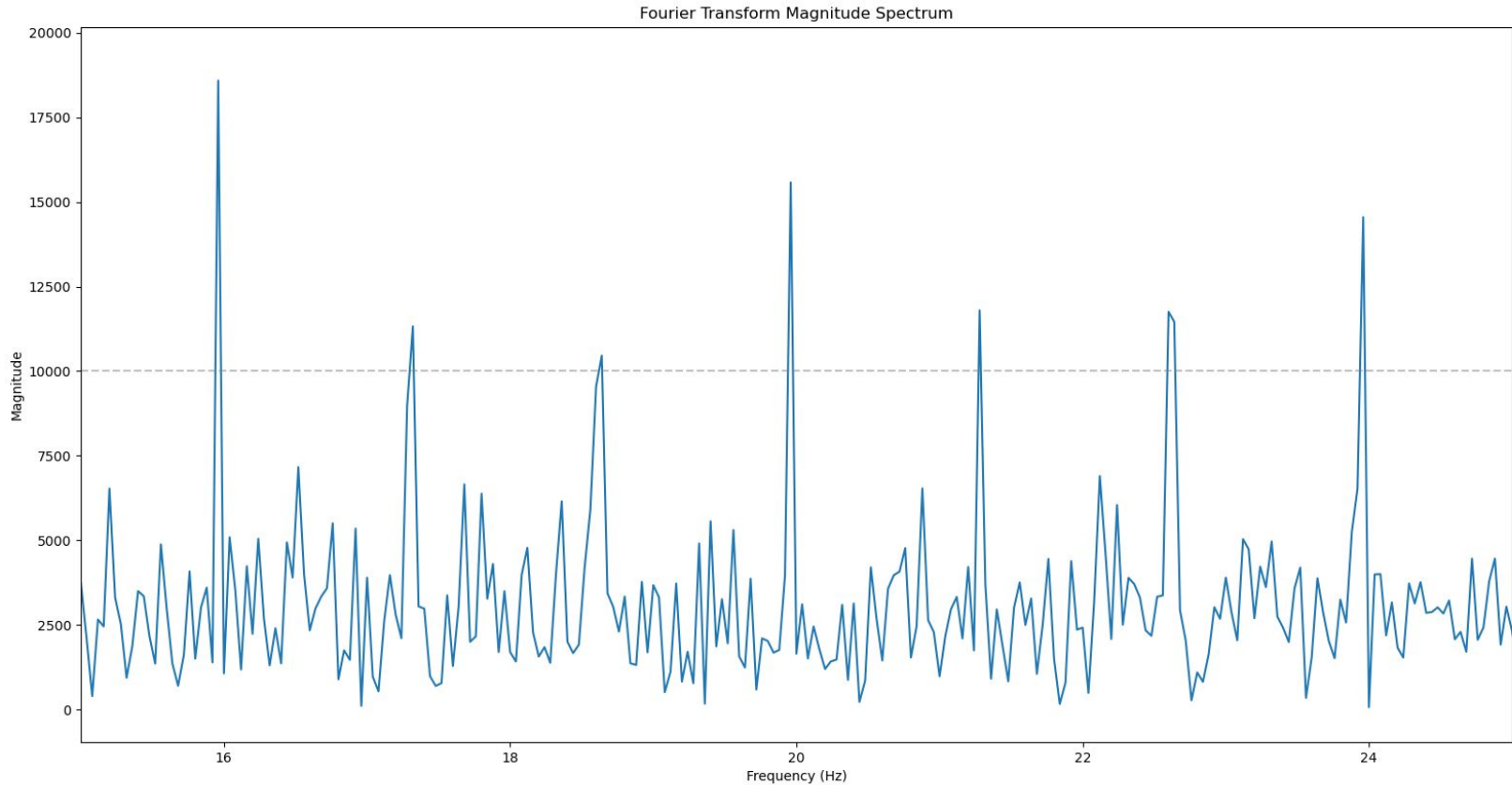
# Time Series



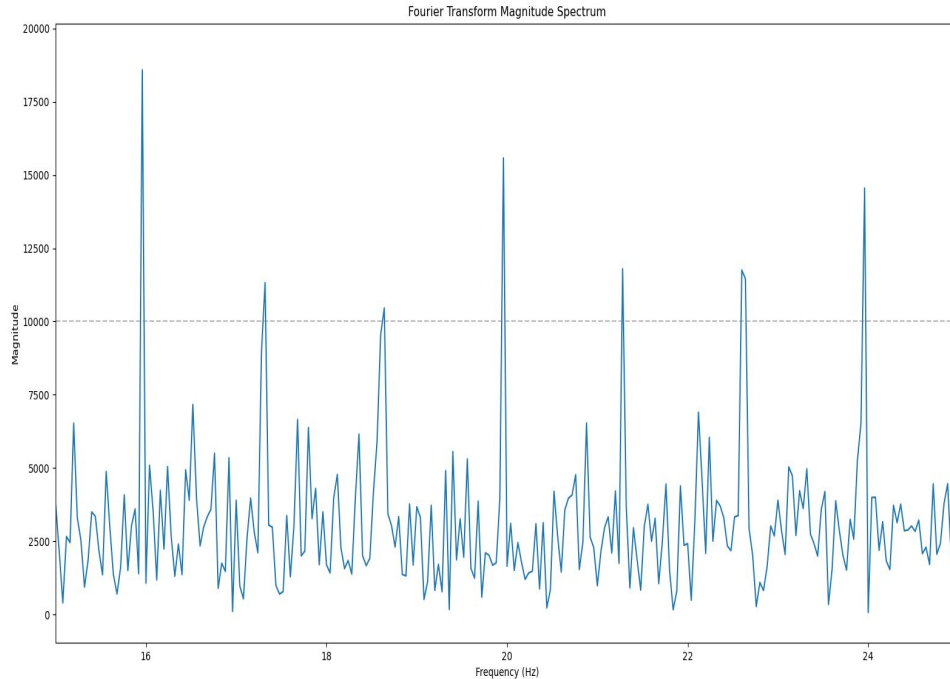
# Fourier Transform



# Further Illustration between 15 to 25 Hz



# FT Analysis - Fundamental Frequency and Period



Zooming in on the data allows us to see the distance between two adjacent peaks, which is the fundamental frequency. I defined the peaks as values above the horizontal dashed line at  $y = 10,000$ .

The fundamental frequency is:

- $f_0 \approx 1.32 \text{ Hz}$

The fundamental period is:

- $T_0 = 1/f_0 = 0.758 \text{ seconds}$