

# ① Transformations of the independent variable.

Time shifting, Time Scaling, Time reversal.

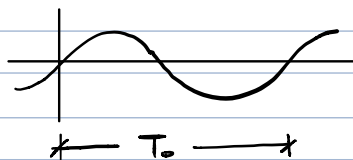
② Periodicity : Signal  $x(t)$  is periodic if for every  $t$ , there is a  $T$  that satisfied :  $x(t) = x(t+T)$  and  $T$  is called the period.

(The smallest positive  $T$  is referred to as the fundamental period  $T_0$ .)

Aperiodic  $\rightarrow$  not periodic.

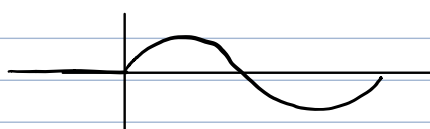
periodic

$$x(t) = A \sin(\omega t + \alpha)$$



Aperiodic

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} A \sin(\omega t + \alpha) & t > 0 \\ 0 & t < 0 \end{cases}$$



"because we cannot find a 'T' for all values of  $t$ ."

Example: Find the period of  $x(t) = A \sin(\omega t + \alpha)$

$$\therefore x(t) = x(t+T) \rightarrow A \sin(\omega t + \alpha) = A \sin(\omega(t+T) + \alpha)$$

$$\therefore \sin(\beta) = \sin(\beta + 2\pi k) \quad , \quad \omega t + \alpha = \beta \quad \omega T = 2\pi k$$

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

$$T_0 = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} \text{ Fundamental period.}$$

Proposition: If  $x(t)$  and  $y(t)$  are periodic signals w/ periods  $T_x$  and  $T_y$ ,

then  $z(t) = x(t) + y(t)$  is periodic if  $T_x/T_y$  is a rational number.

The period of  $z(t)$ ,  $T_z$ , is often given by  $T_z = \text{LCM}(T_x, T_y)$  (LCM: least common multiplier.)

The above proposition is valid also for  $z(t) = x(t)y(t)$ .

Example. Find the Fundamental period of  $x(t) = \cos(t) + \sin(\pi t)$

$$\text{period of } \cos(t) = 2\pi$$

$$\text{period of } \sin(\pi t) = 2$$

$$\frac{T_{x_1}}{T_{y_1}} = \frac{2\pi}{2} = \pi \leftarrow \text{irrational number.}$$

$\Rightarrow x(t)$  is a aperiodic

$$y(t) = \cos\left(\frac{3\pi}{4}t + \frac{\pi}{6}\right) + \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}t - \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$$

$$\frac{2\pi}{\omega} = \frac{2\pi}{\frac{3\pi}{4}} = 2\pi \times \frac{4}{3\pi} = \frac{8}{3} \quad \frac{2\pi}{\omega} = 2\pi \times \frac{3}{2\pi} = 3$$

$$T_y = \text{LCM}\left(\frac{8}{3}, 3\right) = 24$$

Instead of the time it takes for a signal to be repeated, we are often

interested in the # of times that a signal is repeated during a given period of time.

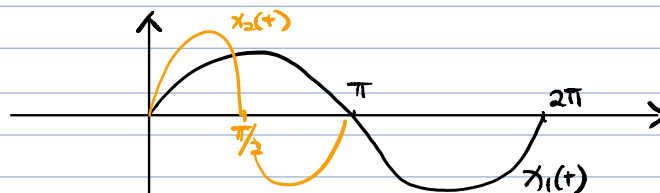
Fundamental frequency:  $f_0 = \frac{1}{\text{fundamental period. } (T_0)}$   $[1/\text{sec}] = [\text{Hz}]$

$$f = \frac{2\pi}{T_0} \text{ Rad/sec. (if want freq. in rad/sec.)}$$

Harmonic:  $x_1(t) = A_1 \sin(\omega_1 t + \phi_1)$ ,  $x_m(t) = A_m \sin(m\omega_1 t + \phi_m)$

$m \in \mathbb{N}$   $x_m(t)$  is the  $m^{\text{th}}$  harmonic of  $x(t)$ .

$$x_1(t) = \sin(t) \quad , \quad x_2(t) = \sin(2t)$$



③ Energy and power of signals:

Energy of  $x(t)$  between  $t_1$  and  $t_2$ :      Power of  $x(t)$  between  $t_1$  &  $t_2$

$$E \triangleq \int_{t_1}^{t_2} |x(t)|^2 dt$$

$$P \triangleq \frac{1}{t_2 - t_1} \int_{t_1}^{t_2} |x(t)|^2 dt$$

for total energy and power,  $t_1$  &  $t_2$  approach  $-\infty$  &  $+\infty$

$$E_{\infty} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-T}^T |x(t)|^2 dt$$

$$P_{\infty} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T |x(t)|^2 dt$$

Energy signal: A finite non-zero total energy. The total power of an energy signal is zero.

power signal: The total power of a power signal is finite and non-zero.

The total energy of a power signal is not finite.

Remark: periodic signals are normally power signals. The total power of a periodic signal is equal to the power of the signal over one period.