



~~##~~  $x_0 = t_0 = 0$

~~##~~  $x_{n-1} = \frac{2(n-1)\pi}{n} = t_{n-1}$

$\vec{f} = (f_0 \dots f_{n-1})^T = (f(x_0) \dots f(x_{n-1}))^T$

sample vector

"Sampling at  $n$  equally spaced sample points cannot detect periodic signals of frequency  $n$ "?

Corollary:  $e^{i(kn)x} + e^{ikx}$  are indistinguishable?

"We need use only the first  $\frac{n}{2}$  periodic complex exponentials to represent any  $2\pi$  periodic sampled signal:

$f_0(x) = 1, f_1(x) = e^{ix}, f_{n-1}(x) = e^{i(n-1)x}$ "

C: When sampled with  $n$  points over  $2\pi$  domain, the signals  $e^{-ikx}$  and  $e^{i(n-k)x}$  are indistinguishable.  $\rightarrow$  aliasing

"Discrete Fourier <sup>transformation</sup> decomposes <sup>sampled</sup>  $f(x)$  into linear combination of  $n$  exponentials:

$f(x) \sim p(x) = c_0 + c_1 e^{ix} + c_2 e^{2ix} + \dots + c_{n-1} e^{i(n-1)x} = \sum_{k=0}^{n-1} c_k e^{ikx} \quad (i)$

$f(x_j) = p(x_j) \quad j=0, \dots, n-1, \quad c_k x_j = \frac{2\pi(j-k)}{n}$

C: Now, sample each exponential  $e^{ikx}$  with the domain values  $\{x_0, \dots, x_{n-1}\}$ :

$\vec{w}_k = (e^{ikx_0}, e^{ikx_1}, \dots, e^{ikx_{n-1}})^T$ , or using  $x_j = \frac{2\pi j}{n}$  for  $j=0, \dots, n-1$ ,  
 $= (1, e^{\frac{2\pi i k}{n}}, \dots, e^{\frac{2\pi i k (n-1)}{n}})^T$

So, in terms of the samples  $\vec{x} = (x_0, \dots, x_{n-1})^T$ , we can write:

$\vec{f} = c_0 \vec{w}_0 + c_1 \vec{w}_1 + \dots + c_{n-1} \vec{w}_{n-1}$

Note:  $\vec{w}_0, \dots, \vec{w}_{n-1}$  form orthonormal basis of  $\mathbb{C}^n$ .

Using orthonormality, we can take dot products to compute coefficients  $c_0, \dots, c_{n-1}$ :

$c_k = \langle \vec{f}, \vec{w}_k \rangle$

Problem with (i): Higher order frequencies in second half. Assuming  $n=2m$ , use identity for

$c_k e^{-ikx}, c_{n-k} e^{i(n-k)x}, c_k = c_{n-k}^* \rightarrow e^{i(n-k)x} = e^{i(n-k)\frac{2\pi j}{n}} = e^{i2\pi j - i2\pi k \frac{j}{n}} = e^{-i2\pi k \frac{j}{n}} = e^{-ikx}$  eg for  $m=4, c_0 c_1 c_2 c_3 \rightarrow c_{-2} c_{-1} c_0 c_1$

$c_{-2} = c_2, c_{-1} = c_1$

So:  $\hat{p}(x) = \sum_{k=-m}^{m-1} c_k e^{ikx} = \sum_{k=-m/2}^{m/2-1} c_k e^{ikx}$