

# Signals and Systems: Energy and Power Signals

## 信号与系统：能量和功率信号

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### Energy Signal 能量信号

A signal is said to be an energy signal if and only if its total energy  $E$  is finite, i.e.,  $0 < E < \infty$ . For an energy signal, the average power  $P = 0$ . The nonperiodic signals are the examples of energy signals.

当且仅当信号的总能量  $E$  是有限的，即  $0 < E < \infty$  时，信号才被称为能量信号。对于能量信号，平均功率  $P=0$ 。非周期信号是能量信号的例子。

### Power Signal 电源信号

A signal is said to be a power signal if its average power  $P$  is finite, i.e.,  $0 < P < \infty$ . For a power signal, the total energy  $E = \infty$ . The periodic signals are the examples of power signals.

如果信号的平均功率  $P$  是有限的，即  $0 < P < \infty$ ，则称该信号为功率信号。对于功率信号，总能量  $E = \infty$ 。周期信号是功率信号的示例。

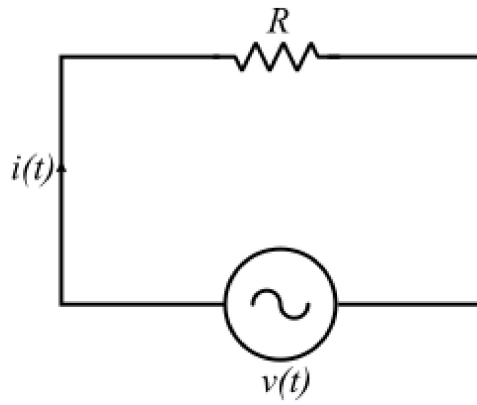
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### Continuous Time Case 连续时间情况

In electric circuits, the signals may represent current or voltage. Consider a voltage  $v(t)$  applied across a resistance  $R$  and  $i(t)$  is the current flowing through it as shown in the figure.

在电路中，信号可以代表电流或电压。考虑施加在电阻  $R$  上的电压  $v(t)$ ， $i(t)$  是流过电阻  $R$  的电流，如图所示。



The instantaneous power in the resistance  $R$  is given by,

电阻  $R$  中的瞬时功率由下式给出：

$$p(t) = v(t) \cdot i(t) \dots (1)$$

By Ohm's law, 根据欧姆定律,

$$p(t) = v(t) \frac{v(t)}{R} = \frac{v^2(t)}{R} \dots (2)$$

Also, 还,

$$p(t) = i(t)R \cdot i(t) = i^2(t)R \dots (3)$$

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When the values of the resistance  $R = 1\Omega$ , then the power dissipated in it is known as normalised power. Hence,

当电阻  $R$  的值  $= 1\Omega$  时, 其中消耗的功率称为归一化功率。因此,

$$\text{Normalised power, } p(t) = v^2(t) = i^2(t) \dots (4)$$

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If  $v(t)$  or  $i(t)$  is denoted by a continuous-time signal  $x(t)$ , then the instantaneous power is equal to the square of the amplitude of the signal, i.e.,

如果  $v(t)$  或  $i(t)$  用连续时间信号  $x(t)$  表示, 则瞬时功率等于信号幅度的平方, 即

$$p(t) = |x(t)|^2 \dots (5)$$

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Therefore, the average power or normalised power of a continuous time signal  $x(t)$  is given by,

因此，连续时间信号  $x(t)$  的平均功率或归一化功率由下式给出：

$$P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-(T/2)}^{(T/2)} |x(t)|^2 dt \text{ Watts} \quad \dots (6)$$

The total energy or normalised energy of a continuous time signal is defined as,  
连续时间信号的总能量或归一化能量定义为，

$$E = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-(T/2)}^{(T/2)} |x(t)|^2 dt \text{ Joules} \quad \dots (7)$$

## Discrete Time Case 离散时间案例

For the discrete time signal  $x(n)$ , the integrals are replaced by summations. Hence, the total energy of the discrete time signal  $x(n)$  is defined as

对于离散时间信号  $x(n)$ ，积分由求和代替。因此，离散时间信号  $x(n)$  的总能量定义为

$$E = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |x(n)|^2$$

The average power of a discrete time signal  $x(n)$  is defined as

离散时间信号  $x(n)$  的平均功率定义为

$$P = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2N+1} \sum_{n=-N}^N |x(n)|^2$$

## Important Points 要点

- Both energy and power signals are mutually exclusive, i.e., no signal can be both power signal and energy signal.

能量和功率信号是互斥的，即没有信号可以同时是功率信号和能量信号。

- A signal is neither energy nor power signal if both energy and power of the signal are equal to infinity.

如果信号的能量和功率都等于无穷大，则信号既不是能量信号也不是功率信号。

- All practical signals have finite energy; thus they are energy signals.

所有实际信号的能量都是有限的；因此它们是能量信号。

- In practice, the physical generation of power signal is impossible since it requires infinite duration and infinite energy.

在实践中，功率信号的物理生成是不可能的，因为它需要无限的持续时间和无限的能量。

- All finite duration signals of finite amplitude are energy signals.

所有有限幅度的有限持续时间信号都是能量信号。

- Sum of an energy signal and power signal is a power signal.

能量信号和功率信号之和是功率信号。

- A signal whose amplitude is constant over infinite duration is a power signal.

幅度在无限持续时间内恒定的信号是功率信号。

- The energy of a signal is not affected by the **time shifting** and time inversion. It is only affected by the **time scaling**.

信号的能量不受**时移**和时间反转的影响。它仅受**时间缩放**的影响。

## Numerical Example 数值例子

Determine the power and energy of the signal  $x(t) = A \sin(\omega_0 t + \varphi)$ .

确定信号的功率和能量  $x(t) = A \sin(\omega_0 t + \varphi)$ 。

## Solution 解决方案

Given signal is, 给定信号是,

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## Average Power of the Signal

### 信号平均功率

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

$$\Rightarrow P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-(T/2)}^{(T/2)} |A \sin(\omega_0 t + \varphi)|^2 dt$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow P &= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{A^2}{T} \int_{-(T/2)}^{(T/2)} \left| \frac{1 - \cos(2\omega_0 t + 2\varphi)}{2} \right| dt \\
 \Rightarrow P &= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{A^2}{2T} \int_{-(T/2)}^{(T/2)} dt - \frac{A^2}{2T} \int_{-(T/2)}^{(T/2)} \cos(2\omega_0 t + 2\varphi) dt \\
 \Rightarrow P &= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{A^2}{2T} \int_{-(T/2)}^{(T/2)} dt - 0 = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{A^2}{2T} \left[ \frac{T}{2} + \frac{T}{2} \right] = \frac{A^2}{2}
 \end{aligned}$$

## Normalised Energy of the Signal

信号的归一化能量

$$\begin{aligned}
 E &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |A \sin(\omega_0 t + \varphi)|^2 dt \\
 \Rightarrow E &= A^2 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{1 - \cos(2\omega_0 t + 2\varphi)}{2} \right] dt \\
 \Rightarrow E &= \frac{A^2}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt - \frac{A^2}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \cos(2\omega_0 t + 2\varphi) dt \\
 \Rightarrow E &= \frac{A^2}{2} [t]_{-\infty}^{\infty} - 0 = \infty
 \end{aligned}$$