

Ve216 Introduction to Signals and Systems: Summary
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Signals and Systems: Summary 1

- Circuits: $v(t) = Ri(t)$, $v(t) = L\frac{d}{dt}i(t)$, $i(t) = C\frac{d}{dt}v(t)$
- Notation: $x(t) = \begin{cases} e^{-t}, & t > 2, \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} = e^{-t}u(t-2)$
- Time transformation:
 - $x\left(\frac{t-t_0}{w}\right)$. First scale according to w , then shift according to t_0 .
 - $x(at-b)$. First time-delay by b , then time-scale by a
- Integrator system $y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t x(\tau) d\tau = x(t) * u(t)$
- Even symmetry: $x(-t) = x(t)$, Odd symmetry: $x(-t) = -x(t)$
- $\text{Ev}\{x(t)\} = \frac{1}{2}(x(t) + x(-t))$, $\text{Od}\{x(t)\} = \frac{1}{2}(x(t) - x(-t))$, $x(t) = \text{Ev}\{x(t)\} + \text{Od}\{x(t)\}$.

- Average value: $A \triangleq \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T x(t) dt$
- Energy: $E \triangleq \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt$
- Average power: $P \triangleq \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T |x(t)|^2 dt$
- Energy signal: $E < \infty$, $P = 0$.
- Power signal: $E = \infty$, $0 < P < \infty$.
- Power of periodic signal: $P = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} |x(t)|^2 dt$

- Step function: $u(t) = 1$ for $t > 0$.
- Rect function: $\text{rect}(t) = 1$ for $-1/2 < t < 1/2$, $\text{rect}(t) = u(t+1/2) - u(t-1/2) = u(t+1/2)u(1/2-t)$
- Impulse functions
 - Sifting property: $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)\delta(t-t_0) dt = x(t_0)$ if $x(t)$ is continuous at t_0
 - Sampling property: $x(t)\delta(t-t_0) = x(t_0)\delta(t-t_0)$ if $x(t)$ is continuous at t_0
 - unit area property: $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t-t_0) dt = 1$ for any t_0
 - scaling property: $\delta(at+b) = \frac{1}{|a|}\delta(t+b/a)$ for $a \neq 0$.
 - symmetry property: $\delta(t) = \delta(-t)$
 - support property: $\delta(t-t_0) = 0$ for $t \neq t_0$
 - relationships with unit step function: $\delta(t) = \frac{d}{dt}u(t)$, $u(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t \delta(\tau) d\tau$

Continuous-time system properties

- Stability (BIBO): all bounded input signals produce bounded output signals
- Invertibility: each output signal is the response to only one input signal
- Causal: output signal value $y(t)$ at any time t depends only on present and past input signal values.
- Static (memoryless): output at any time only depends on input signal at the same time. (otherwise dynamic)
- Time invariant:

- $x(t) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{T}} y(t)$ implies that $x(t - t_0) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{T}} y(t - t_0)$
- Recipe for showing time-invariance.
 - Determine output signal $y(t)$ due to a generic input signal $x(t)$.
 - Determine the delayed output signal $y(t - t_0)$, by replacing t with $t - t_0$ in $y(t)$ expression.
 - Determine output signal $y_d(t)$ due to a delayed input signal $x_d(t) = x(t - t_0)$.
 - If $y_d(t) = y(t - t_0)$, then system is time-invariant.
- Linear systems:
 - superposition property: $\mathcal{T}[\sum_k a_k x_k(t)] = \sum_k a_k \mathcal{T}[x_k(t)]$
 - additivity property: $\mathcal{T}[x_1(t) + x_2(t)] = \mathcal{T}[x_1(t)] + \mathcal{T}[x_2(t)]$
 - scaling property: $\mathcal{T}[ax(t)] = a\mathcal{T}[x(t)]$

LTI systems

input-output relationship described by convolution integral:

$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t - \tau)h(\tau) d\tau = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(t - \tau)x(\tau) d\tau$$

Properties:

- Commutative property: $x(t) * h(t) = h(t) * x(t)$
- Associative property: $[x(t) * h_1(t)] * h_2(t) = x(t) * [h_1(t) * h_2(t)]$
- Distributive property: $x(t) * [h_1(t) + h_2(t)] = [x(t) * h_1(t)] + [x(t) * h_2(t)]$
- The order of serial connection of LTI systems does not affect the overall impulse response.
- $x(t) * \delta(t) = x(t)$
- Delay property: $x(t) * \delta(t - t_0) = x(t - t_0)$
- $\delta(t - t_0) * \delta(t - t_1) = \delta(t - t_0 - t_1)$
- Time-invariance: If $y(t) = x(t) * h(t)$, then $x(t - t_0) * h(t - t_1) = y(t - t_0 - t_1)$

LTI system properties

- causal: $h(t) = 0$ for all $t < 0$
- static: $h(t) = k\delta(t)$, otherwise dynamic
- stable: $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |h(t)| dt < \infty$
- invertible: $h(t) * h_i(t) = \delta(t)$ for some $h_i(t)$
If $h(t) * x(t) = 0$ for some nonzero signal $x(t)$, then not invertible
- step response: $h(t) = \frac{d}{dt}s(t)$, where $u(t) \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} s(t)$

Linear, constant coefficient, differential equation systems

- LTI and causal if initially at rest
- dynamic unless $N = M = 0$
- homogenous solution, natural response:
 $y_h(t) = \sum_l C_l e^{s_l t}$, where s_l 's are the N roots of the characteristic polynomial $\sum_{k=0}^N a_k s^k = 0$.
- particular solution, forced response: $y_p(t) = P_0 x(t) + P_1 \frac{d}{dt}x(t) + \dots$

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Fourier Series

- Analysis equation: $c_k = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} x(t) e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt$, $k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$
- DC value: $c_0 = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} x(t) dt$.
- Synthesis equation: $x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k e^{jk\omega_0 t}$
- Combined trigonometric form: $x(t) = c_0 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2|c_k| \cos(k\omega_0 t + \angle c_k)$, if $x(t)$ is real.
- Trigonometric form: $x(t) = c_0 + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} A_k \cos(k\omega_0 t) - B_k \sin(k\omega_0 t)$, where $A_k = \text{real}\{c_k\}$ and $B_k = \text{Imag}(c_k)$

Convergence properties

- Error signal $e_N(t) = x(t) - x_N(t)$ where $x_N(t) = \sum_{k=-N}^N c_k e^{jk\omega_0 t}$ when c_k 's chosen according to above FS analysis equation
- Error signal energy $E_N = \int_{T_0} |e_N(t)|^2 dt \rightarrow 0$ as $N \rightarrow \infty$, provided $x(t)$ square integrable: $\int_{T_0} |x(t)|^2 dt < \infty$
- $e_N(t) \rightarrow 0$ as $N \rightarrow \infty$ provided Dirichlet conditions hold
- Near the discontinuity there will usually be overshoot and/or undershoot that persists even as N increases, which is called Gibbs phenomenon.

One-signal properties (Fourier series transformations)

- Amplitude transformation: $ax(t) + b \leftrightarrow \begin{cases} b + ac_0, & k = 0 \\ ac_k, & k \neq 0. \end{cases}$
- Time transformation: $x(at + b) \leftrightarrow \begin{cases} c_k e^{jk\omega_0 b}, & a > 0 \\ c_{-k} e^{jk\omega_0 b}, & a < 0. \end{cases} \quad \omega_1 = |a|\omega_0$
- Time shift: $x(t - t_0) \leftrightarrow c_k e^{-jk\omega_0 t_0}$
- Conjugation: $[x(t)]^* \leftrightarrow c_{-k}^*$
- Complex modulation (frequency shift): $x(t) e^{j\omega_0 t N} \leftrightarrow c_{k-N}$
- Differentiation: $y(t) = \frac{d}{dt} x(t) \leftrightarrow jk\omega_0 c_k$

Properties

- If $x(t)$ is real, then $c_{-k} = c_k^*$.
- Linearity (add coefficients if same period T_0)
- Multiplication $c_k = \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} a_l b_{k-l}$. (discrete convolution)
- Filtering: see below
- Circular convolution: skip
- Total harmonic distortion: $\text{THD} = (1 - 2|c_1|^2/P) \cdot 100\%$
- Power of $ce^{jk\omega_0 t}$ is $|c|^2$
- Power of $A \cos(\omega t + \phi)$ is $A^2/2$
- Parseval's theorem: $P = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{T_0} |x(t)|^2 dt = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |c_k|^2$
- Power density spectrum: $|c_k|^2$
- Magnitude spectrum: $|c_k|$. Phase spectrum: $\angle c_k$

Foundations of Filtering

- $x(t) = e^{st} \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y(t) = H(s) e^{st}$
- Laplace transform of $h(t)$, aka system function: $H(s) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(t) e^{-st} dt$
- $x(t) = e^{j\omega t} \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y(t) = H(j\omega) e^{j\omega t} = |H(j\omega)| e^{j(\omega t + \angle H(j\omega))}$
- Fourier transform of $h(t)$, aka frequency response: $H(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt = H(s)|_{s=j\omega} = |H(j\omega)| e^{j\angle H(j\omega)}$
- $x(t) = \sum_k c_k e^{j\omega_k t} \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y(t) = \sum_k c_k H(j\omega_k) e^{j\omega_k t}$
- If $h(t)$ is real, then $H^*(s) = H(s^*)$ and $H(-j\omega) = H^*(j\omega)$. (Hermitian symmetry)
- If $h(t)$ is real, $x(t) = \cos(\omega t + \phi) \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y(t) = |H(j\omega)| \cos(\omega t + \phi + \angle H(j\omega))$
- $x(t) = \sum_k A_k \cos(\omega_k t + \phi_k) \rightarrow \boxed{\text{LTI } h(t)} \rightarrow y(t) = \sum_k A_k |H(j\omega_k)| \cos(\omega_k t + \phi_k + \angle H(j\omega_k))$

Fourier Transform

- Fourier transform (analysis): $F(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t)e^{j\omega t} dt$.
- Inverse Fourier transform (synthesis): $f(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(\omega)e^{j\omega t} d\omega$
- The FT of a signal $f(t)$ exists (converges) if $f(t)$ is absolutely integrable, i.e., $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(t)| dt < \infty$. (more rigorously, $f(t)$ satisfies the Dirichlet conditions)
- For periodic signals: $x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k e^{jk\omega_0 t} \xleftrightarrow{\mathcal{F}} X(\omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k 2\pi \delta(\omega - k\omega_0)$.
- $x(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} g(t - nT_0) \xleftrightarrow{\mathcal{F}} X(\omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \omega_0 G(k\omega_0) \delta(\omega - k\omega_0)$
- Energy density spectrum: $|X(\omega)|^2$
- Energy over a spectral band: $E_B = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_B |X(\omega)|^2 d\omega$
- Symmetry properties

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|-------------|-----|-----------------|-----|-------------------|-----|-----------------|----------|-------------------|
| $f(t)$ | $=$ | $f_R^e(t)$ | $+$ | $j f_I^e(t)$ | $+$ | $f_R^o(t)$ | $+$ | $j f_I^o(t)$ |
| | | \downarrow | | \downarrow | | | \times | |
| $F(\omega)$ | $=$ | $F_R^e(\omega)$ | $+$ | $j F_I^e(\omega)$ | $+$ | $F_R^o(\omega)$ | $+$ | $j F_I^o(\omega)$ |

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Sampling

- Impulse train sampling: $x_s(t) = x(t) \left[\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - nT_s) \right] \xrightarrow{\mathcal{F}} X_s(\omega) = \frac{1}{T_s} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} X(\omega - k\omega_s)$.
- If $x(t)$ is bandlimited to $\pm\omega_{\max}$, then one can recover $x(t)$ from its samples $x(nT_s)$ (or equivalently from $x_s(t)$) if ω_s exceeds the Nyquist sampling rate $2\omega_{\max}$.
- A lowpass filter with cutoff frequency $\omega_{\max} < \omega_c < \omega_s - \omega_{\max}$ will recover $X(\omega)$ from $X_s(\omega)$ and hence $x(t)$ from $x_s(t)$.
- In time domain:

$$x_r(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(nT_s) \frac{\omega_c T_s}{\pi} \operatorname{sinc}\left(\frac{\omega_c(t - nT_s)}{\pi}\right)$$

- More generally, for a periodic signal $p(t)$ with fundamental frequency ω_0 :

$$y(t) = x(t)p(t) = x(t) \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k e^{jk\omega_0 t} \xrightarrow{\mathcal{F}} Y(\omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k X(\omega - k\omega_0),$$

for which the sampling requirements in general depend on c_k 's

- Non-sinc interpolation:

$$x_s(t) \rightarrow \boxed{h_1(t)} \rightarrow y(t) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{F}} Y(\omega) = X_s(\omega) H_1(\omega)$$

Modulation

- Double sideband suppressed carrier amplitude modulation or DSB/SC-AM.
 - Modulation property $y(t) = x(t)c(t) = x(t) \cos(\omega_c t + \theta_c) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{F}} Y(\omega) = \frac{1}{2}[e^{j\theta_c} X(\omega - \omega_c) + e^{-j\theta_c} X(\omega + \omega_c)]$
 - Synchronous demodulation:

$$y(t) \rightarrow \begin{matrix} \otimes \\ \uparrow \\ \cos(\omega_c t + \theta_c) \end{matrix} \rightarrow w(t) \rightarrow \boxed{H(\omega) = 2 \operatorname{rect}\left(\frac{\omega}{2\omega_{\max}}\right)} \rightarrow x(t),$$

where ω_{\max} is the maximum frequency of $M(\omega)$.

$$W(\omega) = \frac{1}{4} e^{2j\theta_c} X(\omega - 2\omega_c) + \frac{1}{2} X(\omega) + \frac{1}{4} e^{-2j\theta_c} X(\omega + 2\omega_c)$$

- DSB/WC-AM(with carrier)
 - Modulation property: $y(t) = (A + x(t)) \cos(\omega_c t) \xrightarrow{\mathcal{F}} Y(\omega) = A\pi[\delta(\omega - \omega_c) + \delta(\omega + \omega_c)] + \frac{1}{2}[X(\omega - \omega_c) + X(\omega + \omega_c)]$
 - Asynchronous demodulation: $y(t) \rightarrow \boxed{\text{Envelope detector}} \rightarrow \boxed{\text{DC blocking filter}} \rightarrow \hat{x}(t)$
 - Two basic assumptions are required, so that the envelop is easily tracked.
 - $x(t)$ be positive. Solution: $x(t) + A$.
 - $x(t)$ vary slowly compared to ω_c .
- Frequency-division multiplexing
 - Different stations are allocated different carrier frequencies, separated by (at least) the allowed bandwidth of each station.
 - Superheterodyning receiver

$$y(t) \rightarrow \boxed{\text{tunable bandpass at } \omega_c, 900\text{kHz wide}} \rightarrow \boxed{\text{mix at } \omega_0 = \omega_c + \omega_{\text{IF}}} \rightarrow \boxed{\text{bandpass at } \omega_{\text{IF}}/2\pi = 455\text{kHz} \pm 5\text{kHz}} \\ \rightarrow \boxed{\text{asynchronous demodulate}} \rightarrow \text{audio}$$

Bilateral Laplace transform

- $X(s) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-st} dt = \mathcal{F}\{x(t)e^{-\sigma t}\}$, $s = \sigma + j\omega$
 - ROC is subset of \mathbb{C} where $x(t)e^{-\text{real}\{s\}t}$ is absolutely integrable
 - ROC is “strips” (including RHP or LHP or all of \mathbb{C})
 - ROC never contains poles
 - ROC of bounded finite signal is \mathbb{C}
 - ROC of right-sided signal is a RHP
 - ROC of left-sided signal is a LHP
 - ROC of two-sided signal is a strip
 - ROC of rational LT is strip bounded by poles
 - $X(\omega) = X(s)|_{s=j\omega}$ if ROC includes $j\omega$ axis
 - pole-zero plots + gain + ROC describe rational LT
 - For rational $H(s)$:
 - pole locations describe modes of system
 - system is stable if ROC of $H(s)$ includes $j\omega$ axis
 - system is causal if ROC is a RHP
 - a causal system is stable iff all poles within LHP
 - if $M > N$, then there are $M - N$ poles at $s = \infty$, so system is unstable and non-causal.
 - PFE for inverse LT when rational
 - magnitude, phase response from pole-zero by geometry (draw vectors from pole/zero to $(0, j\omega)$, angle counter-clock wise from real axis)
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Methods for finding response $y(t)$ of LTI system due to input $x(t)$

- Convolution $x(t) \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y(t) = x(t) * h(t)$
- LTI/convolution properties, e.g. if $x_1(t) \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y_1(t)$, and $x_2(t) \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y_2(t)$, then

$$x(t) = a_1x_1(t - t_1) + a_2x_2(t - t_2) \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y(t) = a_1y_1(t - t_1) + a_2y_2(t - t_2).$$

- Impulse properties (for finite set of impulses):

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=1}^n a_k \delta(t - t_k) \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y(t) = \sum_{k=1}^n a_k h(t - t_k)$$

- Eigenfunctions $x(t) = e^{s_0 t} \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y(t) = H(s_0)e^{s_0 t}$
 - $x(t) = e^{j\omega t} \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y(t) = H(j\omega)e^{j\omega t} = |H(j\omega)|e^{j(\omega t + \angle H(j\omega))}$
 - $x(t) = \sum_k c_k e^{j\omega_k t} \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y(t) = \sum_k c_k H(j\omega_k) e^{j\omega_k t}$
 - If $h(t)$ is real, then $x(t) = \cos(\omega t + \phi) \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y(t) = |H(j\omega)| \cos(\omega t + \phi + \angle H(j\omega))$
 - $x(t) = \sum_k A_k \cos(\omega_k t + \phi_k) \rightarrow \boxed{\text{LTI } h(t)} \rightarrow y(t) = \sum_k A_k |H(j\omega_k)| \cos(\omega_k t + \phi_k + \angle H(j\omega_k))$
 - Fourier series $x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k e^{jk\omega_0 t} \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} y(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k H(jk\omega_0) e^{jk\omega_0 t}$
 - Fourier transform convolution property $X(\omega) \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} Y(\omega) = X(\omega)H(\omega)$. (Useful whenever $Y(\omega) = X(\omega)H(\omega)$ easily inverted.)
 - Laplace transform convolution property $X(s) \xrightarrow{\text{LTI}} Y(s) = X(s)H(s)$. (Best for rational $X(s)$ and $H(s)$.)
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LTI system properties

| | Time | Fourier | Laplace (rational) |
|------------|---|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Invertible | $h(t) * h_i(t) = \delta(t)$, for some $h_i(t)$ | $\forall \omega, H(\omega) \neq 0$ | no zeros on $j\omega$ axis |
| Causal | $h(t) = 0$ for $t < 0$ | ? | ROC is a RHP |
| Stable | $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(t) dt < \infty$ | ? | ROC includes $j\omega$ axis |
| Memory | $h(t) \neq \delta(t)$ | $H(\omega)$ not constant | $H(s)$ not constant |

Table of Laplace transform pairs

| $f(t)$ | $F(s)$ | ROC |
|--------------------|--------------------------|--|
| $\delta(t)$ | 1 | $\forall s$ |
| $u(t)$ | $\frac{1}{s}$ | $\text{real}\{s\} > 0$ |
| $t^n u(t)$ | $\frac{n!}{s^{n+1}}$ | $\text{real}\{s\} > 0$ |
| $e^{-at} u(t)$ | $\frac{1}{s+a}$ | $\text{real}\{s\} > \text{real}\{-a\}$ |
| $-e^{-at} u(-t)$ | $\frac{1}{s+a}$ | $\text{real}\{s\} < \text{real}\{-a\}$ |
| $t^n e^{-at} u(t)$ | $\frac{n!}{(s+a)^{n+1}}$ | $\text{real}\{s\} > \text{real}\{-a\}$ |

| $f(t)$ | $F(s)$ | notes |
|--|---|--|
| $\sin(\omega_0 t) u(t)$ | $\frac{\omega_0}{s^2 + \omega_0^2}$ | $\text{real}\{s\} > 0$ |
| $\cos(\omega_0 t) u(t)$ | $\frac{s}{s^2 + \omega_0^2}$ | $\text{real}\{s\} > 0$ |
| $e^{-at} \cos(\omega_0 t) u(t)$ | $\frac{s+a}{(s+a)^2 + \omega_0^2}$ | $\text{real}\{s\} > \text{real}\{-a\}$ |
| $e^{-at} \sin(\omega_0 t) u(t)$ | $\frac{\omega_0}{(s+a)^2 + \omega_0^2}$ | $\text{real}\{s\} > \text{real}\{-a\}$ |
| $u_n(t) = \frac{d^n}{dt^n} \delta(t)$ | s^n | $\forall s$ |
| $u_{-n}(t) = \underbrace{u(t) * \dots * u(t)}_{n \text{ times}}$ | $\frac{1}{s^n}$ | $\text{real}\{s\} > 0$ |

Properties of the Laplace Transform

| | Time | Laplace | ROC (of result) |
|-----------------------------|--|---|---|
| Linearity | $a_1 f_1(t) + a_2 f_2(t)$ | $a_1 F_1(s) + a_2 F_2(s)$ | contains $\text{ROC}_1 \cap \text{ROC}_2$ |
| Time shift | $f(t - \tau)$ | $e^{-s\tau} F(s)$ | same |
| Time-scaling | $f(at), a \neq 0$ | $\frac{1}{ a } F\left(\frac{s}{a}\right)$ | ROC/a |
| Time reversal | $f(-t)$ | $F(-s)$ | $-\text{ROC}$ |
| Convolution | $f_1(t) * f_2(t)$ | $F_1(s) \cdot F_2(s)$ | contains $\text{ROC}_1 \cap \text{ROC}_2$ |
| Frequency shift | $f(t)e^{j\omega_0 t}$ | $F(s - j\omega_0)$ | same |
| Frequency shift | $f(t)e^{s_0 t}$ | $F(s - s_0)$ | $\text{ROC} + \text{real}\{s_0\}$ |
| Time Differentiation | $\frac{d^n}{dt^n} f(t)$ | $s^n F(s)$ | contains ROC |
| s -domain Differentiation | $(-t)^n f(t)$ | $\frac{d^n}{ds^n} F(s)$ | same |
| Integration | $\int_{-\infty}^t f(\tau) d\tau = f(t) * u(t)$ | $\frac{1}{s} F(s)$ | contains $\text{ROC} \cap \{\text{real}\{s\} > 0\}$ |
| DC Value | $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) dt = F(0)$ | | must contain $s = 0$ |

Table of Fourier Series for Common Signals

| Name | Waveform | c_0 | $c_k, k \neq 0$ | Comments |
|----------------------|----------|--------------------|--|--|
| Sawtooth | | $\frac{X_0}{2}$ | $j \frac{X_0}{2\pi k}$ | |
| Impulse train | | $\frac{X_0}{T_0}$ | $\frac{X_0}{T_0}$ | |
| Rectangular wave | | $\frac{TX_0}{T_0}$ | $\frac{TX_0}{T_0} \text{sinc}\left(\frac{Tk\omega_0}{2\pi}\right)$ | $\frac{Tk\omega_0}{2\pi} = \frac{Tk}{T_0}$ |
| Square wave | | 0 | $-j \frac{2X_0}{\pi k}$ | $c_k = 0, k \text{ even}$ |
| Triangular wave sine | | $\frac{X_0}{2}$ | $\frac{-2X_0}{(\pi k)^2}$ | $c_k = 0, k \text{ even}$ |

Table of Fourier transform pairs

| $f(t)$ | $F(\omega)$ |
|--|---|
| $\delta(t)$ | 1 |
| 1 | $2\pi \delta(\omega) = \delta\left(\frac{\omega}{2\pi}\right)$ |
| $u(t)$ | $\pi \delta(\omega) + \frac{1}{j\omega}$ |
| $\text{sgn}(t)$ | $\frac{2}{j\omega}$ |
| $e^{j\omega_0 t}$ | $2\pi \delta(\omega - \omega_0)$ |
| $\cos \omega_0 t$ | $\pi \delta(\omega - \omega_0) + \pi \delta(\omega + \omega_0)$ |
| $\sin \omega_0 t$ | $\frac{\pi}{j} \delta(\omega - \omega_0) - \frac{\pi}{j} \delta(\omega + \omega_0)$ |
| e^{-bt^2} | $\sqrt{\pi/b} e^{-\omega^2/(4b)}$ |
| $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - nT_0)$ | $\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \omega_0 \delta(\omega - k\omega_0)$ |

| $f(t)$ | $F(\omega)$ |
|---|---|
| $\frac{1}{b^2 + t^2}$ | $\frac{\pi}{b} e^{-b \omega }$ |
| $e^{-b t }$ | $\frac{2b}{b^2 + \omega^2}$ |
| $\text{rect}\left(\frac{t}{T}\right)$ | $T \text{sinc}\left(T\frac{\omega}{2\pi}\right)$ |
| $\text{tri}(t)$ | $\text{sinc}^2\left(\frac{\omega}{2\pi}\right)$ |
| $\frac{\omega_0}{2\pi} \text{sinc}\left(\frac{\omega_0}{2\pi} t\right)$ | $\text{rect}\left(\frac{\omega}{\omega_0}\right)$ |
| $\text{sinc}^2(t)$ | $\text{tri}\left(\frac{\omega}{2\pi}\right)$ |
| $e^{-at} u(t)$ | $\frac{1}{j\omega + a}$ |
| $\frac{t^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-at} u(t)$ | $\frac{1}{(j\omega + a)^n}$ |
| $\frac{j}{\pi t}$ | $\text{sgn}(\omega)$ |

b is a real positive number throughout. a is a real or complex number throughout, with positive real part.

Properties of the Continuous-Time Fourier Transform

| | Time | Fourier |
|----------------------------|---|--|
| Synthesis, Analysis | $f(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega$ | $F(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt$ |
| Eigenfunction | $h(t) * e^{j\omega_0 t} = H(\omega_0) e^{j\omega_0 t}$ | $H(\omega) 2\pi \delta(\omega - \omega_0)$ $= H(\omega_0) 2\pi \delta(\omega - \omega_0)$ |
| Linearity | $a_1 f_1(t) + a_2 f_2(t)$ | $a_1 F_1(\omega) + a_2 F_2(\omega)$ |
| Time transformation | $f(at + b), a \neq 0$ | $\frac{1}{ a } e^{j\omega b/a} F(\omega/a)$ |
| Time shift | $f(t - \tau)$ | $F(\omega) e^{-j\omega \tau}$ |
| Time reversal | $f(-t)$ | $F(-\omega)$ |
| Time-scaling | $f(at), a \neq 0$ | $\frac{1}{ a } F\left(\frac{\omega}{a}\right)$ |
| Convolution | $f_1(t) * f_2(t)$ | $F_1(\omega) \cdot F_2(\omega)$ |
| Time-domain Multiplication | $f_1(t) \cdot f_2(t)$ | $\frac{1}{2\pi} F_1(\omega) * F_2(\omega)$ |
| Frequency shift | $f(t) e^{j\omega_0 t}$ | $F(\omega - \omega_0)$ |
| Modulation (cosine) | $f(t) \cos(\omega_0 t)$ | $\frac{F(\omega - \omega_0) + F(\omega + \omega_0)}{2}$ |
| Time. Differentiation | $\frac{d^n}{dt^n} f(t)$ | $(j\omega)^n F(\omega)$ |
| Freq. Differentiation | $(-jt)^n f(t)$ | $\frac{d^n}{d\omega^n} F(\omega)$ |
| Integration | $\int_{-\infty}^t f(\tau) d\tau = f(t) * u(t)$ | $\frac{1}{j\omega} F(\omega) + \pi F(0) \delta(\omega)$ |
| Conjugation | $f^*(t)$ | $F^*(-\omega)$ |
| Duality | $F(t)$ | $2\pi f(-\omega)$ |
| Relation to Laplace | $F(\omega) = F(s) _{s=j\omega}$, if ROC includes $j\omega$ axis | |
| Parseval's Theorem | $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_1(t) f_2^*(t) dt = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F_1(\omega) F_2^*(\omega) d\omega$ | |
| Parseval/Rayleigh Theorem | $E = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) ^2 dt = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(\omega) ^2 d\omega$ | |
| DC Value | $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) dt = F(0)$ | |

A function that satisfies $f(t) = f^*(-t)$ is said to have **Hermitian symmetry**.

Topics

Chap. 1

- signal classes
- signal notation
- * time transformations
- amplitude transformations
- signal operations
- integrator system (running integral operation)
- * even/odd signals
- * energy and power signals
- periodicity
- * unit step / rect signals
- * unit impulse function
- * impulse function properties (sifting, sampling)
- CT systems
- block diagrams
- system classes
- * amplitude properties: linearity, stability, invertibility
- * time properties: causality, memory, time-invariance

Chap. 2

- impulse response $h(t)$
- convolution for CT LTI systems
- * graphical convolution
- * properties of convolution and LTI systems
- impulse response vs step response
- * properties of convolution and impulse response
- LTI system properties characterized by $h(t)$ (causality, memory, stability, invertibility)
- diffeq systems
- solutions of diffeq

Ch. 3

- eigenfunctions of LTI systems (complex-exponential signals)
- * Fourier series (3.3)
- Convergence of Fourier series (Gibbs phenomenon)(3.4)
- Properties of Fourier series (3.5)
- trigonometric forms of FS
- system transfer function (Laplace)
- frequency response (Fourier)
- Parsevals Relation for CT Periodic Signals(3.5.7)
- Power density spectrum
- magnitude/phase spectrum
- * Fourier Series and LTI Systems (3.8)
- differentiation/modulation properties
- Filtering (3.9)
- * Filters described by diffeqs (3.10)
- Rational transfer functions for diffeq systems

Ch. 4

- Defined FT and inverse FT by limits of FS
- Existence of FT

- * FT of many important signals
- * FT properties
- FT of periodic signals
- Parsevals relation (Energy density spectrum)
- * convolution property and LTI systems
- * Application of FT to RLC and diff eq systems

Ch. 6

- * Ideal filters (6.3)
- Real filters (6.4)
- Bode Plots (6.2.3)
- Bandwidth
- Tim-bandwidth product

Ch. 7

- DSP, A/D conversion
- * impulse train sampling, sampling theorem
- * Nyquist sampling rate
- * lowpass reconstruction
- * sinc interpolation
- * linear interpolation (first order hold)
- * nearest neighbor interpolation (zero order hold)
- non-impulse sampling

Ch. 8

- * double sideband, suppressed carrier, amplitude modulation (DSB/SC-AM)
- * double sideband, with carrier, amplitude modulation (DSB/WC-AM)
- * synchronous demodulation
- * asynchronous demodulation
- Frequency-division multiplexing (superheterodyning receiver)
- Systems-level analysis of communication system

Ch. 9

- Laplace transform definition / computation by integration
- * ROC of Laplace transform / properties
- relation to Fourier transform
- * rational Laplace transforms / pole-zero plot
- * inverse Laplace transform by PFE
- FT magnitude from pole-zero plot
- properties of LT
- * ROC and causality and stability of LTI systems
- * System functions and block diagram representations
- Feedback Control

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