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Consider a discrete-time signal with period N=5. Let the discrete-time Fourier series (DTFS) representation be $x[n]=\sum\limits_{k=0}^4 a_k e^{\frac{jk2\pi n}{5}}$, where $a_0=1$, $a_1=3j$, $a_2=2j$, $a_3=-2j$, $a_4=-3j$. The value of the sum $\sum\limits_{n=0}^4 x[n]\sin\left(\frac{4\pi n}{5}\right)$ is

Solution:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{4} x(n) \sin\left(\frac{4\pi n}{5}\right) = \sum_{n=0}^{4} x[n] \left[\frac{e^{\frac{j4\pi n}{5}} - e^{\frac{-j4\pi n}{5}}}{2j}\right]$$
 (1)

$$\sum_{n=0}^{4} x(n) \sin\left(\frac{4\pi n}{5}\right) = \frac{1}{2j} \left[\sum_{n=0}^{4} x[n] e^{\frac{j2\pi(2)n}{5}} - \sum_{n=0}^{4} x[n] e^{\frac{-j2\pi(2)n}{5}} \right]$$
(2)

DFTS coefficient is given by,

$$a_k = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) e^{\frac{-j2\pi kn}{N}}$$
 (3)

Given that time period of x(n) is N=5 sec.

$$a_k = \frac{1}{5} \sum_{n=0}^{4} x(n) e^{\frac{-j2\pi kn}{5}}$$
 (4)

$$\sum_{n=0}^{4} x(n)e^{\frac{-j2\pi kn}{5}} = 5a_k \tag{5}$$

Referencing from equation(5), equation(2) can be written as:

$$\sum_{n=0}^{4} x(n) \sin\left(\frac{4\pi n}{5}\right) = \frac{1}{2j} \left[5a_{-2} - 5a_2\right] \tag{6}$$

From the property of discrete Fourier series. $a_k = a_{k+N}$, where N is the time period. So, equation(6) becomes,

$$\sum_{n=0}^{4} x(n) \sin\left(\frac{4\pi n}{5}\right) = \frac{1}{2j} \left[5a_3 - 5a_2\right] \tag{7}$$

$$\sum_{n=0}^{4} x(n) \sin\left(\frac{4\pi n}{5}\right) = -10 \tag{8}$$