

1 Part 1

1.1 Motivation

How long does it take to double anything

$$\left(1 + \frac{x}{100}\right)^n = 2 \quad (1)$$

Where x is the growth rate and n is the number of years.

$$n \approx \frac{70}{x} \quad (2)$$

1.2 Fundamental Concepts

For a probability distribution

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)dx = 1 \quad (3)$$

Expectation $E[X]$ and variance σ^2 are given in the databook.

1.2.1 Fourier Transforms

Fourier Transforms (F) changes between time domain and frequency domain

$$X(f) = F\{x(t)\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j2\pi ft}dt \quad (4)$$

$$x(t) = F^{-1}\{X(f)\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f)e^{j2\pi ft}df \quad (5)$$

1.2.2 Delta function

Infinitesimally brief

$$\delta(x - a) = 0 \quad x \neq a \quad (6)$$

Normalised

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(x - a)dx = 1 \quad (7)$$

Sifting

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)\delta(x - a)dx = f(a) \quad (8)$$

Fourier transform of delta function

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(f \pm f_0)e^{\pm j2\pi f\tau}df = e^{\pm j2\pi f_0\tau} \quad (9)$$

1.2.3 Transfer function

The FT of an impulse response is the transfer function

For an RC circuit the impulse is given by Equation (10).

$$h(t) = \frac{1}{RC}e^{-\frac{t}{RC}} \quad t \geq 0 \quad (10)$$

The transfer function is given by Equation (11)

$$H(f) = \frac{1}{1 + j2\pi fRC} \quad (11)$$

1.2.4 Autocorrelation

Measure of signal similarity at different times

$$R_{ff}(\tau) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t+\tau)f^*(t)d\tau \quad (12)$$

$$R_{ff}(\tau) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t)f^*(t-\tau)d\tau \quad (13)$$

Where f^* represents the complex conjugate (real function, $f^* = f$).

Also,

$$R_{xx} = E \{x(t)x(t-\tau)\} = E \{x(t+\tau)x(t)\} \quad (14)$$

Can be written as $R_x(\tau)$

1.2.5 Signal Energy and Power

The energy of a signal is given by

$$E = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(t)|^2 dt \text{ Joules} \quad (15)$$

which is a slight problem for infinitely long signals, so practically,

$$P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-\frac{T}{2}}^{\frac{T}{2}} |f(t)|^2 dt \text{ Watts} \quad (16)$$

The DC power is given from the autocorrelation function

$$\lim_{\tau \rightarrow \pm\infty} \{R_x(\tau)\} \quad (17)$$

and the mean power is given as

$$R_x(0)$$

1.2.6 Parseval's Theorem

$$E = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(t)|^2 dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \underbrace{|F(f)|^2}_{\text{Energy Density}} df \text{ Joules} \quad (18)$$

or

$$P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-\frac{T}{2}}^{\frac{T}{2}} |f(t)|^2 dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \underbrace{|S(f)|}_{\text{Power Spectral Density}} df \text{ Watts} \quad (19)$$

1.2.7 Wiener-Kinchine Theorem

For random signals, the autocorrelation function and PSD form a Fourier transform pair

$$P(f) = F(R(\tau))$$

1.3 Digitisation

2 Part 2

2.1 Baseband Pulse Transmission

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3.1 Modulated Data Transmission

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4.1 ECC

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5.1 Data Compression and Cryptography