

Signal- und Systemtheorie I

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1 Generalized Functions

A distribution is a linear functional l , which operates via x on a test function φ . Often it can be represented in the following form:

$$l_x(\varphi) := \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)\varphi(t)dt \quad \text{e.g. } l_\delta(\varphi) = \varphi(0)$$

Properties:

Concatenation: $l_{x \circ g}(\varphi) = \frac{1}{|a|} l_x(\varphi(\frac{\cdot - b}{a}))$ where $g(t) = at + b$ $l_{\delta \circ g} = \frac{1}{|a|} \varphi(\frac{-b}{a})$

Convolution: $l_{x_1 * x_2}(\varphi) = l_{x_1}(\tilde{x}_2 * \varphi)$ where $\tilde{x}(t) = x(-t)$

Differentiation: $l_{x'}(\varphi) = -l_x(\varphi')$

Fourier Transform: $(\mathcal{F}l_x)(\varphi) := l_x(\mathcal{F}\varphi) = l_{\mathcal{F}x}(\varphi)$

2 Continuous-Time Fourier Series

A periodic signal can be expanded into a Fourier series:

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k e^{2\pi i \frac{k}{T} t} = c_0 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (c_k + c_{-k}) \cos(2\pi k t / T) + i(c_k - c_{-k}) \sin(2\pi k t / T)$$

$$\hat{x}(f) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k \delta(f - \frac{k}{T}) \Rightarrow y(t) = (Hx)(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k \hat{h}(\frac{k}{T}) e^{2\pi i \frac{k}{T} t}$$

3 Continuous-Time Fourier Transform

3.1 Representation of Aperiodic Signals

Continuous-Time Fourier Series as $T_0 \rightarrow \infty$ (needs to be bounded for convergence)

$$w_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T_0} \rightarrow dw, kw_0 \rightarrow w, \sum \rightarrow \int \quad x_k = \frac{1}{T_0} x(kw_0)$$

The spectrum of a periodic signal consists of discrete samples of the spectrum of its corresponding non-periodic signal. The spectrum of a non-periodic signal is the envelope of the spectrum of the corresponding periodic signal.

$$T_0 x_k = \int_{-T_0/2}^{T_0/2} x(t) e^{-ikw_0 t} dt \xrightarrow{T_0 \rightarrow \infty} x(w) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) e^{-iwt} dt \text{ spectral density}$$

$$x(t) = \frac{w_0}{2\pi} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(kw_0) e^{ikw_0 t} \xrightarrow{w_0 \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(w) e^{iwt} dw$$

Dirichlet Conditions for Existence of Fourier Tranform (sufficient but not necessary)
x(t) absolute integrable, finite number of finite extreme values and discontinuities on a finite interval

3.2 Representation of Periodic Signals

Fourier Series Expansion of Periodic Signal: $x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x_k e^{ikw_0 t}$

$$x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(w - w_0) e^{iwt} dw = e^{ikw_0 t} \rightarrow x(w) = 2\pi \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x_k \delta(w - w_0)$$

The Fourier transform of a periodic signal consists of a series of impulses, each of which is located at the frequency of each harmonic of the signal, with intensity proportional to the corresponding Fourier coefficient.

3.3 Properties

- FT of periodic signal is discrete, aperiodic signal is continuous. FT of a signal with finite support is not band-limited.
- The time shift of a signal only affects its phase-frequency characteristics, by a linear phase shift
- The real part or norm of a Fourier transform are symmetric, the imaginary part or phase are antisymmetric.

3.4 Frequency Response & Domain Analysis

Eigenfunctions of LTI-Systems $x(t) = e^{2\pi i f_0 t}$

An eigenfunction is the infinite dimensional analogue of an eigenvector for a system.

$$Hx(t) = \hat{h}(f_0) e^{2\pi i f_0 t}$$

4 Discrete-Time Fourier Transform (DTFT)

We consider the Fourier Transform of a sampled time-continuous signal.

$$\mathcal{F}\{x \cdot \delta_T\} = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{x}(f - \frac{k}{T}) \rightarrow \frac{1}{T} \text{periodic in } f$$

Its Fourier Series coefficients are $x(-IT)$, thus we can expand it as:

$$\hat{x}_d(\theta) = \mathcal{F}\{x \cdot \delta_T\} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] e^{-2\pi i n T f} \stackrel{\theta = Tf}{=} \frac{1}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{x}(\frac{\theta - k}{T}) \quad \theta := \frac{f}{f_s} = T_s f$$

Discrete-time Fourier Series as $N \rightarrow \infty$

$$\hat{x}[k] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] e^{-i \frac{2\pi}{N} kn} \xrightarrow[N \rightarrow \infty]{\frac{2\pi}{N} k \rightarrow w} \hat{x}(w) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] e^{-iwn}$$

$$x[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{2\pi} \hat{x}(w) e^{iwn} dw = \int_0^1 \hat{x}(\theta) e^{2\pi i n \theta} d\theta$$

5 Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT)

5.1 Representation of Aperiodic Signals

We consider a bounded, time-discrete signal of length N. For such signals, N values of the DTFT $\hat{x}(\theta)$ are enough to completely characterize $x[n]$, i.e. $\hat{x}[k]$ is a uniform sample of N points of $\hat{x}(\theta)$ for $\theta \in [0, 1)$.

$$\hat{x}[k] = \hat{x}(\theta)|_{\theta=\frac{k}{N}} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] e^{-i \frac{2\pi}{N} kn} \quad x[n] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{x}[k] e^{i \frac{2\pi}{N} kn}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \hat{x}[0] \\ \vdots \\ \hat{x}[N-1] \end{pmatrix} = \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & w_N & w_N^2 & \dots & w_N^{N-1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & w_N^{(N-1)} & w_N^{2(N-1)} & \dots & w_N^{(N-1)^2} \end{pmatrix}}_{[F_N]_{n,k} = w_N^{kn}} \begin{pmatrix} x[0] \\ \vdots \\ x[N-1] \end{pmatrix}$$

The columns of F_N are orthogonal, i.e.

$$\langle f_i, f_j \rangle = \begin{cases} N & i = j \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad F_N^H F_N = N I_N$$

Thus

$$x[n] = \frac{1}{N} F_N^H F_N x = \frac{1}{N} [f_0 f_1 \dots f_{N-1}] \begin{bmatrix} f_0^H \\ f_1^H \\ \vdots \\ f_{N-1}^H \end{bmatrix} x = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \langle x, f_k \rangle f_k$$

Since F_N^H or F_N^{-1} is unique, $x[n]$ is uniquely determined by $\hat{x}[k]$. The determinant of the Vandemonde matrix F_N can be computed as $\prod_{i=0 \dots N-1, j=0 \dots N-1, i < j} (\omega_N^j - \omega_N^i)$.

5.2 Convolution

5.2.1 Cyclic

Let x_1, x_2 be 2 N-periodic signals with N-point DFTs \hat{x}_1, \hat{x}_2 .

$$x_3[n] = \sum_{m=0}^{N-1} x_1[m] x_2[n-m]$$

in Matrix-form: $x_3 = X_2 x_1$ where X_2 is a $N \times N$ circular matrix with entries $[X_2]_{ij} = x_2[i-j] \quad i, j \in \{0, \dots, N-1\}$. It can be shown that the eigenvectors of a circular matrix are the columns of the normalised DFT matrix $1/\sqrt{N} F_N^H$ and the associated eigenvalues are given by the DFT of the first column.

$$X = \frac{1}{N} F_N^H \Lambda_{\hat{x}[k]} F_N$$

For a LTI-system H with impulse response h it holds:

$$y = Hx = h * x \quad \hat{y} = F_N y = \underbrace{\frac{1}{N} F_N F_N^H}_{I_N} \Lambda_{\hat{h}[k]} \underbrace{F_N x}_{\hat{x}} = \sum_k \hat{h}[k] \hat{x}[k]$$

5.2.2 Linear

Let x_1, x_2 be finite, non-periodic signals of length L/P. We define $\tilde{x}_i[n]$ as $x_i[n]$, if $n \leq P, L-1$ and 0 otherwise, i.e. zero-padded up to $N \geq P+L-1$. Then we compute the N-point DFTs of \tilde{x}_i . Thus, we can compute the linear convolution of arbitrary bounded signals over cyclic convolution.

5.3 FFT

The computational complexity of the DFT can be reduced from $\mathcal{O}(N^2)$ to $\mathcal{O}(4N \log_2(N))$ through the FFT-Algorithm of Cooley & Tukey, where $w_N = e^{-2\pi i / N}$ with $N = 2^n$.

$$F_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & w_1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} \hat{x}[0] = x[0] + x[1] \\ \hat{x}[1] = x[0] - x[1] \end{matrix}$$

6 Z-Transform

$\hat{x}(\theta) = X(e^{2\pi i \theta}) \rightarrow$ Z-transform applied on the unit circle

$$X(z) = DTFT\{x[k]r^{-k}\} = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k]r^{-k}e^{-i\omega k} = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k]z^{-k}$$

$$x(k) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{2\pi} X[r e^{i\omega}] r^k e^{i\omega k} d\omega \xrightarrow{dz = i r e^{i\omega} dw = iz dw} x(k) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \oint_c X[z] z^{k-1} dz$$

Region Of Convergence ROC $X(z) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k]z^{-k} < \infty$

Since $|z| = r$, the convergence areas are connected circular disks around the origin that must not contain any poles. Z-transform does not exist for any signal and does not converge for any z. X(z) and ROC uniquely determine a signal.

- X rational funtion: $X(z) = \frac{N(z)}{D(z)} = M \frac{\prod_i (z - z_i)}{\prod_p (z - z_p)} \rightarrow$ uniquely determined by its zero-pole diagram. ROC is always bounded by poles.
- Right-sided signals: ROC includes exterior of circle $[\max(p_i), \infty)$. If $N < 0 \rightarrow X(z)$ contains positive powers of z $\rightarrow \infty \notin \text{ROC}$.
- Left-sided signals: ROC includes interior of circle $(0, \min(p_i)]$. If $N > 0 \rightarrow X(z)$ contains negative powers of z $\rightarrow 0 \notin \text{ROC}$.

- Signals of finite length converge on the entire z-plane (excl. 0 and ∞)
- If ROC contains $\infty/0$ i.e. is outside of the largest pole/inside of the smallest pole, $x(n)$ is causal/anti-causal.
- If ROC includes unit circle, DTFT $\hat{x}(\theta)$ exists and system is stable.

Eigenfunctions of time-discrete LTI-Systems

$x[n] = z^n = r^n e^{2\pi i \theta n}$ $y[n] = (Hx)[n] = H(z)x[n]$ with eigenvalues being the Z-transform of the impulse response.

Properties

- Initial Value Theorem: $x[0] = \lim_{z \rightarrow \infty} X(z)$
- Final Value Theorem: $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} x[n] = \lim_{z \rightarrow 1} (z-1)X(z)$
- Differentiation in time: $\frac{dx[n]}{dn} = \frac{x[n] - x[n-1]}{n - (n-1)}$ $\circ \bullet \left(\frac{z-1}{z}\right)X(z)$

6.1 Differential Equations

We consider a LTI-system with additional conditions:

$$\sum_{k=0}^N a_k y[n-k] = \sum_{m=0}^M b_m x[n-m] \quad H(z) := \frac{Y(z)}{X(z)} = \frac{\sum_{m=0}^M b_m z^{-m}}{\sum_{k=0}^N a_k z^{-k}}$$

The solution consists of a homogeneous and a known particular part.

$$\sum_{k=0}^N a_k y_h[n-k] = 0$$

This condition can be interpreted as $y_h[n]$ being an eigenfunction of the LTI-System with impulse response $a[n]$ (limited to the intervall N) with eigenvalue 0.

We observe, that

$$A(z) = \sum_{k=0}^N a_k z^{-k}$$

is a polynome of degree N with zeros z_m . Thus, all solutions are of the form

$$y_h[n] = \sum_{m=1}^N A_m z_m^n \rightarrow \sum_{k=0}^N a_k y_h[n-k] = \sum_{k=0}^N a_k \sum_{m=1}^N A_m z_m^{n-k} = \sum_{m=1}^N A_m z_m^n \underbrace{\sum_{k=0}^N a_k z_m^{-k}}_{A(z_m)=0} = 0$$

The coefficients $A_m \in \mathbb{C}$ are determined through N values of $y[n]$.

$$y[n] = \sum_{m=0}^M \frac{b_m}{a_0} x[n-m] - \sum_{k=0}^N \frac{a_k}{a_0} y[n-k]$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} y[0] - y_p[0] \\ \vdots \\ y[N-1] - y_p[N-1] \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ z_1 & z_2 & \dots & z_N \\ z_1^2 & z_2^2 & \dots & z_N^2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ z_1^{N-1} & z_2^{N-1} & \dots & z_N^{N-1} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A_1 \\ \vdots \\ A_N \end{pmatrix}$$

7 Signals and Systems

For a LTI system, the output signal can be represented as a convolution of the impulse response and the input signal. 0 is mapped to 0.

- Linearity: every term contains $x(t)$ exactly once
- Time-Invariance: I/O characteristics of the system do not change with time-shifting. No time-scaling, coefficients do not contain t and t appears only in $x(t)$
- Causality: $y(t)$ cannot exist before $x(t)$ i.e. time argument of $x \leq y$ $h(t) = 0 \forall t < 0$
- Invertibility: bijective mapping (e.g. differentiator not invertible, integrator invertible)
- Memory: $h(t) = a\delta(t) \rightarrow$ causal
- Stability: $h(t) \in L_1 \rightarrow$ BIBO-stable

Overview of Transforms

Time Domain	Transformation	Frequency Domain
T-periodic & continuous	Fourier Series	c_k aperiodic & discrete
aperiodic & continuous	Fourier/Laplace	$\hat{x}(f)$ aperiodic & continuous
aperiodic & discrete	DTFT/Z-Transform	$\hat{x}(\theta)$ 1-periodic & continuous
N-periodic & discrete	DFT/FFT	$\hat{x}[k]$ N-periodic & discrete

8 Sampling Theorem

Sampling function: $\text{sinc}(t) = \frac{\sin(\pi t)}{\pi t}$ $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(\omega t)}{t} dt = \pi$ $\int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin(\omega t)}{t} dt = \frac{\pi}{2}$

Sample in frequency domain \rightarrow Periodization of $x(t)$:

$$\mathcal{F}^{-1}\{\hat{x}(f) \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(f - \frac{k}{T})\}(t) = (x * (T \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - kT)))(t) = T \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(t - kT)$$

Sample in time domain \rightarrow Periodization of $\hat{x}(f)$ with expansion coefficients $x(kT)$:

$$\hat{x}_s(f) = \mathcal{F}\{x(t) \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - kT)(t)\} = \frac{1}{T_s} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{x}(f - \frac{k}{T_s}) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(kT) e^{-2\pi i k f T}$$

The original band-limited signal can only be reconstructed if the periodized spectra do not overlap each other. The sampling rate $f_s = 1/T_s \geq 2f_g$, where f_g is the maximum frequency or the one-sided width of a bandpass signal. The sampled signal frequencies appear at $nf_s \pm f_g$. Then it follows:

$$\hat{x}(f) = \hat{x}_a(f) T \hat{h}_{Id}(f) \quad \text{where } f_g \leq f_c \leq f_s - f_g$$

$$x(t) = (x_a * (Th_{Id}))(t) = T \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(kT) h_{Id}(t - kT) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(kT) \frac{\sin(\frac{\pi}{T}(t - kT))}{\frac{\pi}{T}(t - kT)}$$

Properties of Nyquist Rate

1. $x(t) \rightarrow f_s$
2. $x(t \pm t_0) \rightarrow f_s$
3. $x(at) \rightarrow af_s$
4. $x(t)^n \rightarrow nf_s$
5. integration or derivation of $x(t) \rightarrow f_s$
6. $x_1(t)x_2(t) \rightarrow f_{s1} + f_{s2}$

Nyquist-Theorem A band-limited signal can be displayed in discrete time without loss of information if the sampling frequency is at least twice the highest frequency component of the signal.

9 Trivia

- Half-wave symmetry: $c_k = 0 \quad \forall k$ gerade, if $x(t) = -x(t - \frac{T}{2})$
- Delta-Comb: $\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} e^{-i2\pi \frac{n}{N} k} = N\delta_N[k] \quad \delta_T = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} e^{i2\pi \frac{k}{T} t}$
- Inverse DFT: $x[n] = \frac{1}{N} DFT_n\{\hat{x}[N-n]\}$
- Decimation in frequency: $\hat{x}[2k] = \sum_0^{N/2-1} (y[n] + z[n]) w_{N/2}^{kn} \quad \hat{x}[2k+1] = \sum_0^{N/2-1} (y[n] - z[n]) w_N^{kn} w_{N/2}^{kn}$
- $\log(1+z) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1} z^n}{n} \quad |z| < 1$
- $(Exp_N x)[n] = \begin{cases} x[n/N] & N|n \\ 0 & \text{sonst} \end{cases} \quad \circ \bullet \quad \hat{x}(N\theta)$
- $(Dez_N x)[n] = x[nN] \quad \circ \bullet \quad \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \hat{x}(\frac{\theta-k}{N}) \quad \circ \bullet \quad \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} X(z^{1/N} e^{2\pi i n/N})$
- Rate of change in time domain $|x'(t)| \leq 4\pi W \sup |x(t)|$
- Bandwidth:

$$x_1 + x_2 \rightarrow w = \max\{w_1, w_2\}$$

$$x_1 * x_2 \rightarrow w \leq w_1 + w_2$$

$$x_1 x_2 \rightarrow w = \min\{w_1, w_2\}$$

- For time-discrete periodic signals: $N = \min\{\frac{nk}{N}\} \in \mathbb{Z} = \frac{N}{\text{ggT}(N,k)} = \frac{k \text{gV}(N,k)}{k}$
- Derivative at discontinuities: $(Dx)(t) = x'(t) + (x(t_0^+) - x(t_0^-))\delta(t - t_0)$

- $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta'(t) dt = 0 \quad \int_{-\infty}^t \sigma(t) dt = t\sigma(t) \quad f(t) * \sigma(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t f(x) dx$
 $f[n] * \sigma[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^n f[k] \quad \sigma[n] * \sigma[n] = (n+1)\sigma[n]$
 $x(t) = f'(t) * \int g(t) = \int f(t) * g'(t)$

- Analysematrix: $c = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ \vdots \\ c_M \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} e_1^H \cdot x \\ \vdots \\ e_M^H \cdot x \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \langle x, e_1 \rangle \\ \vdots \\ \langle x, e_M \rangle \end{bmatrix} = Tx$ T quadratic & regular

- Synthesematrix: $\tilde{T}^H = T^{-1}$ dual basis with same coefficients, for unitary matrices $\tilde{T}^H = T^H$

- Gram-Schmidt: Für $j = 1, 2, \dots, n : v'_j = w_j - \sum_{i=1}^{j-1} \frac{\langle w_j, v_i \rangle}{\langle v_i, v_i \rangle} v_i \quad v_j = \frac{v'_j}{\|v'_j\|} \quad j \rightarrow j+1$

- Young'sche Ungleichung: $x_1 \in L_2, x_2 \in L_2 \rightarrow |(x_1 * x_2)(t)| \leq \|x_1\|_2 \|x_2\|_2$

- Riemann-Lebesgue Lemma: Es sei x ein absolut integrierbares Signal, d.h. $x \in L_1$. Dann ist $(Fx)(f) = \hat{x}(f)$ stetig und $\lim_{|f| \rightarrow \infty} \hat{x}(f) = 0$.

- $h[n] = \sum_{m=0}^{M-N} B_m \delta[n-m] + \sum_{k=1}^N A_k d_k^n \sigma[n] \rightarrow \text{FIR(no feedback, stable)+IIR}$
 $H(z) = \sum_{m=0}^{M-N} B_m z^{-m} + \sum_{k=1}^N \frac{A_k}{1 - d_k z^{-1}}$

- $|1 - ae^{-j\omega}| = \sqrt{1 - 2a \cos \omega + a^2}$

- $\text{sign}[n] \quad \circ \bullet \quad \frac{1+e^{-2\pi i \theta}}{1-e^{-2\pi i \theta}}$

- Convolution of 2 rectangular signals: $A_{\max} = A_1 A_2 \min\{T_1, T_2\}$, asc. $-(t_1 + t_2) + \min\{T_1, T_2\}$, const. $-(t_1 + t_2) + \max\{T_1, T_2\}$, desc. $-(t_1 + t_2) + T_1 + T_2$

- $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \frac{d^n \delta(x-a)}{dx^n} dx = (-1)^n \frac{d^n f(x)}{dx^n} |_{x=a}$