

DISCRETE TIME (DT) FOURIER SERIES

DT Sinusoids Frequency & Rate of Oscillation

- for the CT signal $x(t) = e^{j\omega_0 t}$ we have the following two properties:
 1. the larger the magnitude of ω_0 , the higher the rate of oscillation in the signal
 2. $e^{j\omega_0 t}$ is periodic for any value of ω_0

DT Sinusoids Frequency & Rate of Oscillation

- for the DT signal $x[n] = e^{j\omega_0 n}$ these properties don't hold for the following reason:

$$e^{j(\omega_0 + 2\pi)n} = e^{j2\pi n} e^{j\omega_0 n} = e^{j\omega_0 n}$$

- thus the exponential at frequency $\omega_0 + 2\pi$ is the same as the exponential at frequency $\omega_0 \Rightarrow$ we only need to consider the frequency interval $-\pi \leq \omega < \pi$
- a DT sinusoid, $e^{j\omega_0 n}$, is periodic of period N only when:

$$e^{j\omega_0(n+N)} = e^{j\omega_0 n} \Rightarrow e^{j\omega_0 N} = 1$$

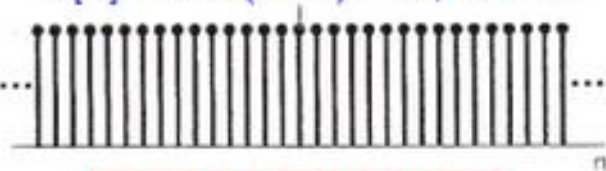
$$\omega_0 N = 2\pi m \text{ for some integer } m$$

$$\frac{\omega_0}{2\pi} = \frac{m}{N}$$

- if the above condition is not met, the DT sinusoid is not periodic

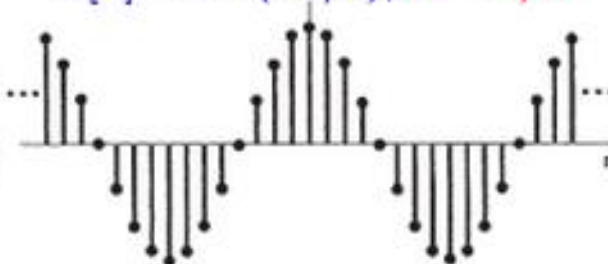
DT Sinusoids Frequency & Rate of Oscillation

$$x[n] = \cos(0 \cdot n) = 1, \Omega = 0$$



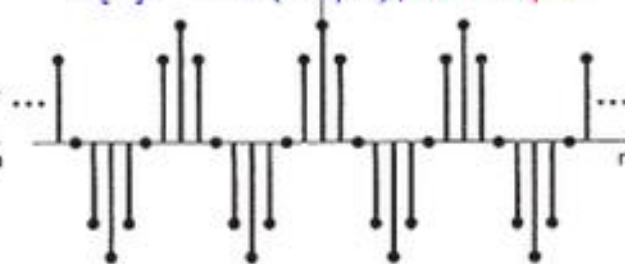
MINIMUM OSCILLATION

$$x[n] = \cos(\pi n/8), \Omega = \pi/8$$



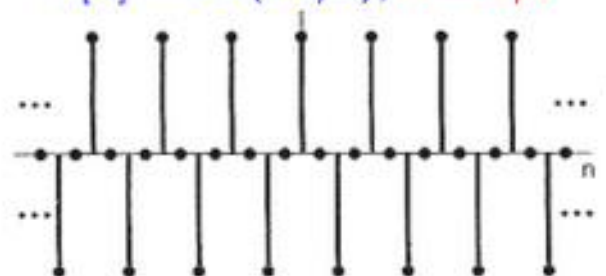
(b)

$$x[n] = \cos(\pi n/4), \Omega = \pi/4$$



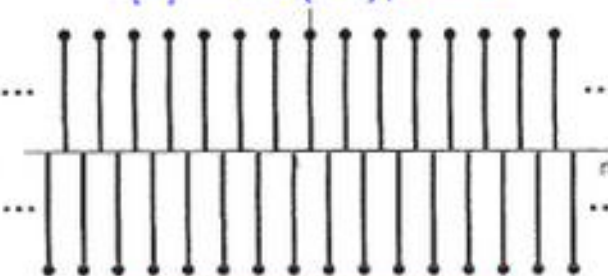
(c)

$$x[n] = \cos(\pi n/2), \Omega = \pi/2$$



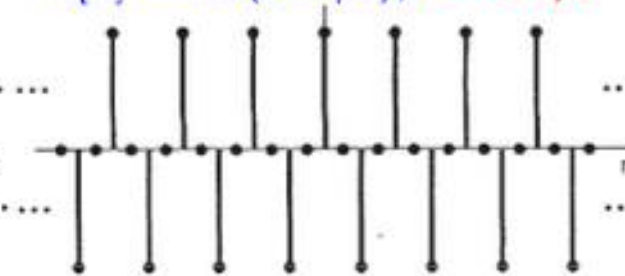
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$$x[n] = \cos(\pi n), \Omega = \pi$$



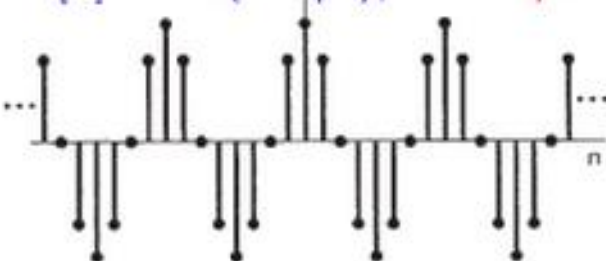
MAXIMUM OSCILLATION

$$x[n] = \cos(3\pi n/2), \Omega = 3\pi/2$$



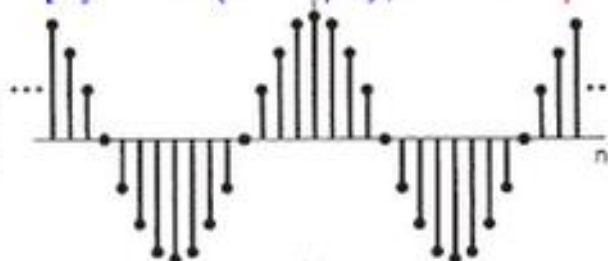
(f)

$$x[n] = \cos(7\pi n/4), \Omega = 7\pi/4$$



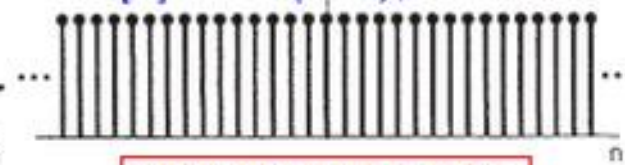
(g)

$$x[n] = \cos(15\pi n/8), \Omega = 15\pi/8$$



(h)

$$x[n] = \cos(2\pi n), \Omega = 2\pi$$



MINIMUM OSCILLATION

DTFS for Periodic Signals

- $x[n]$ - periodic with fundamental period N , fundamental frequency

$$x[n + N] = x[n] \quad \text{and} \quad \omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{N}$$

- There are only N different signals in the set of discrete-time complex exponential signals

- There are only N distinct signals of this form

$$e^{j(k+N)\omega_0 n} = e^{jk\omega_0 n} \overbrace{e^{jN\omega_0 n}}^{2\pi n} = e^{jk\omega_0 n}$$

- Only $e^{j\omega n}$ which are periodic with period N will appear in the FS

DTFS for Periodic Signals

- Remember - FS uses harmonically related complex exponentials with fundamental frequencies that are integer multiples of the fundamental frequency of the periodic signal to be represented
- Since the exponential sequences are distinct only over a range of N successive values of k , the FS summation may be written as:

$$x[n] = \sum_{k=\langle N \rangle} a_k e^{jk(2\pi/N)n}$$

— This is a *finite* series

DTFS for Periodic Signals

Any DT periodic signal has a Fourier series representation

$$x[n] = \sum_{k=\langle N \rangle} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 n}$$

\Downarrow

$$x[0] = \sum_{k=\langle N \rangle} a_k$$

$$x[1] = \sum_{k=\langle N \rangle} a_k e^{jk\omega_0}$$

$$x[2] = \sum_{k=\langle N \rangle} a_k e^{j2k\omega_0}$$

\vdots

$$x[N-1] = \sum_{k=\langle N \rangle} a_k e^{j(N-1)k\omega_0}$$

N equations for N unknowns, a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{N-1}

DTFS for Periodic Signals

So, from $x[n] = \sum_{k=\langle N \rangle} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 n}$



multiply both sides by $e^{-jm\omega_0 n}$
and then $\sum_{n=\langle N \rangle}$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{n=\langle N \rangle} x[n] e^{-jm\omega_0 n} &= \sum_{n=\langle N \rangle} \left(\sum_{k=\langle N \rangle} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 n} \right) e^{-jm\omega_0 n} \\ &= \sum_{k=\langle N \rangle} a_k \underbrace{\left(\sum_{n=\langle N \rangle} e^{j(k-m)\omega_0 n} \right)}_{=N\delta[k-m] - \text{orthogonality}} \\ &= Na_m \end{aligned}$$

DT Fourier Series Pair

$$x[n] = \sum_{k=\langle N \rangle} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 n} \quad (\text{Synthesis equation})$$

$$a_k = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=\langle N \rangle} x[n] e^{-jk\omega_0 n} \quad (\text{Analysis equation})$$

Note: It is convenient to think of a_k as being defined for *all* integers k . So:

- 1) $a_{k+N} = a_k$ — Special property of DT Fourier Coefficients
(k gives the location of the coefficient on the frequency axis)
- 2) We only use N consecutive values of a_k in the synthesis equation. (Since $x[n]$ is periodic, it is specified by N numbers, either in the time or frequency domain)

DTFS Example

$$x[n] = \sin(\omega_0 n)$$

$$\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{N} \quad (N \text{ an integer})$$

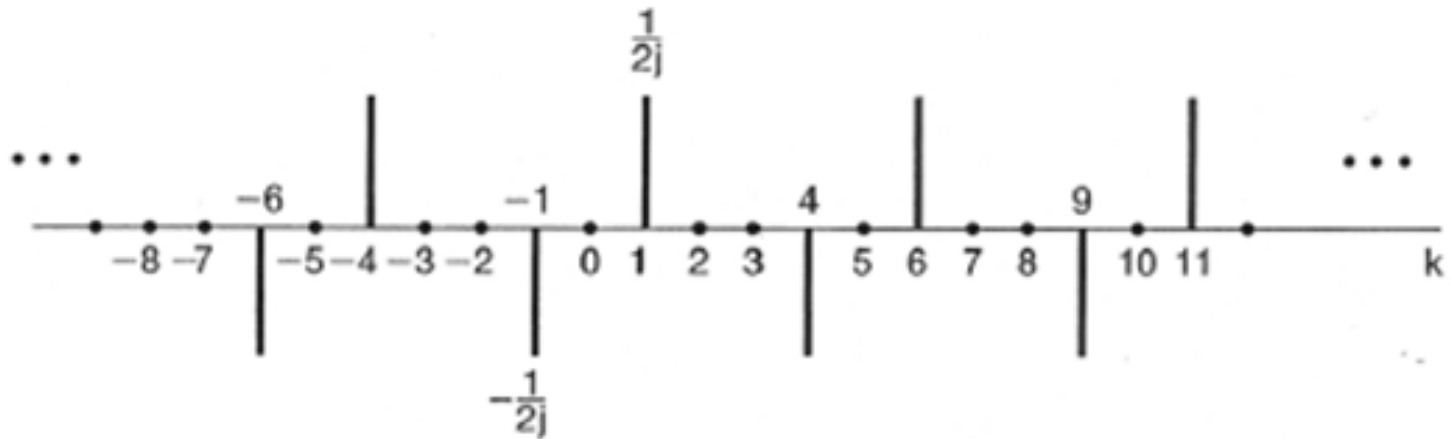
$$x[n] = \frac{1}{2j} e^{j(2\pi/N)n} - \frac{1}{2j} e^{-j(2\pi/N)n}$$

$$a_1 = \frac{1}{2j}, \quad a_{-1} = -\frac{1}{2j}, \quad (a_k = 0, k \neq \pm 1)$$

$$a_{N+1} = a_{kN+1} = a_1$$

DTFS Example

Period $N=5$



Fourier coefficients for $x[n] = \sin[(2\pi/5)n]$

DTFS Example

$$\begin{aligned} x[n] &= \cos(\pi n/8) + \cos(\pi n/4 + \pi/4) \\ &\text{-- periodic with period } N = 16 \Rightarrow \omega_0 = \pi/8 \end{aligned}$$

DTFS Example

$x[n] = \cos(\omega_0 n) + \cos(2\omega_0 n + \pi/4)$; first and second harmonics

$$x[n] = \frac{1}{2} [e^{j\omega_0 n} + e^{-j\omega_0 n}] + \frac{1}{2} [e^{j\pi/4} e^{j2\omega_0 n} + e^{-j\pi/4} e^{-j2\omega_0 n}]$$

$$a_0 = 0$$

$$a_1 = 1/2$$

$$a_{-1} = 1/2$$

$$a_2 = e^{j\pi/4}/2$$

$$a_{-2} = e^{-j\pi/4}/2$$

$$a_3 = 0$$

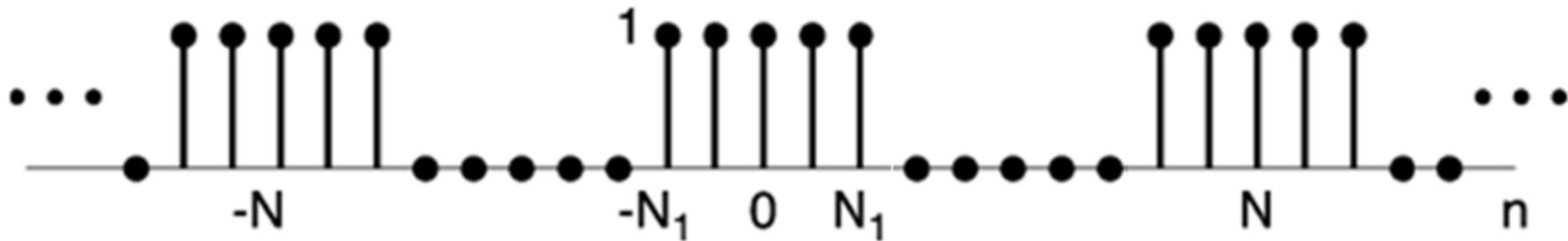
$$a_{-3} = 0$$

$$\vdots$$
$$\Downarrow$$

$$a_{15} = a_{-1+16} = a_{-1} = 1/2$$

$$a_{66} = a_{2+4 \times 16} = a_2 = e^{j\pi/4}/2$$

DTFS Square Wave

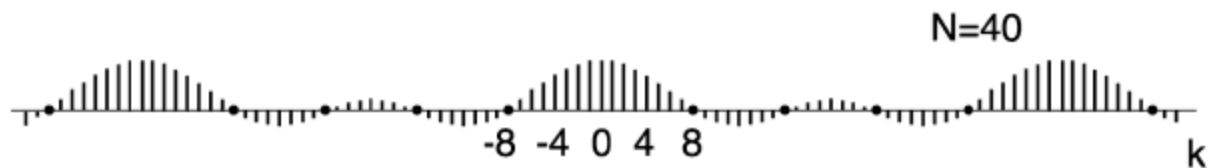
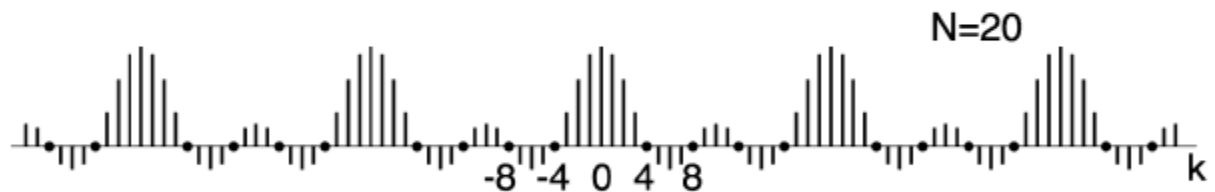
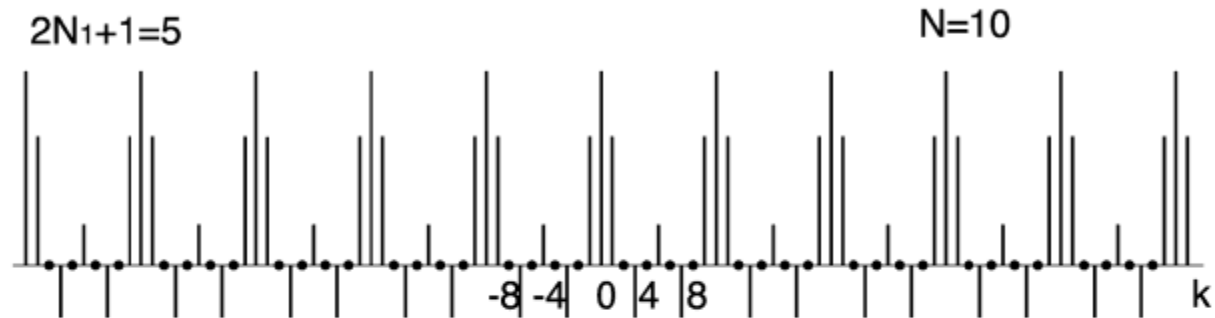


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DTFS Square Wave

$$a_k = \frac{1}{N} \frac{\sin[2\pi k(N_1 + 1/2)/N]}{\sin(\pi k/N)}$$



DTFS Square Wave Convergence

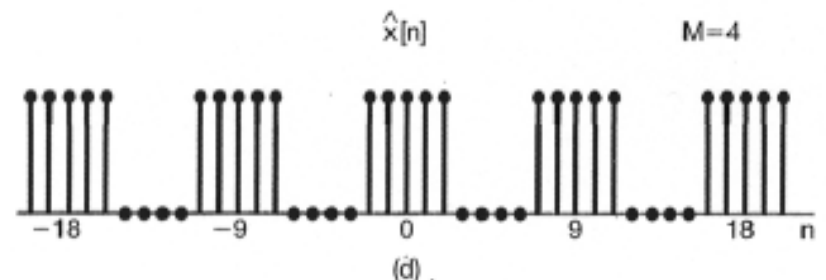
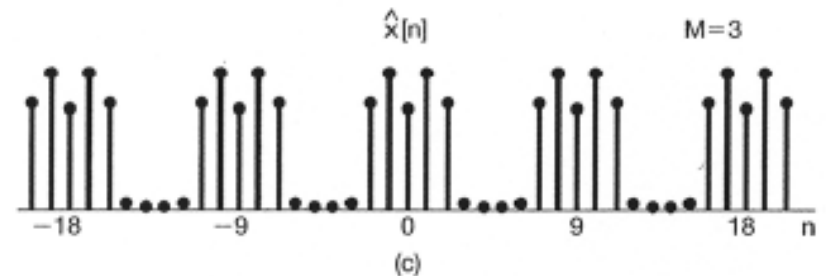
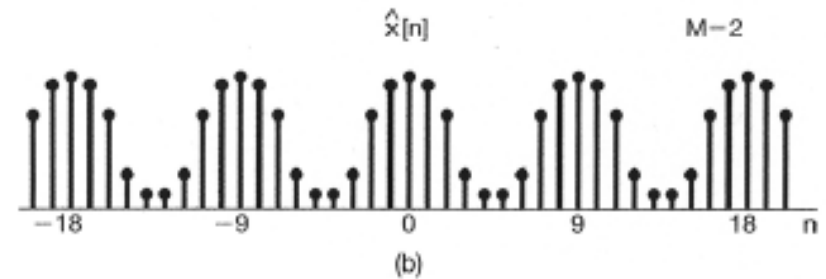
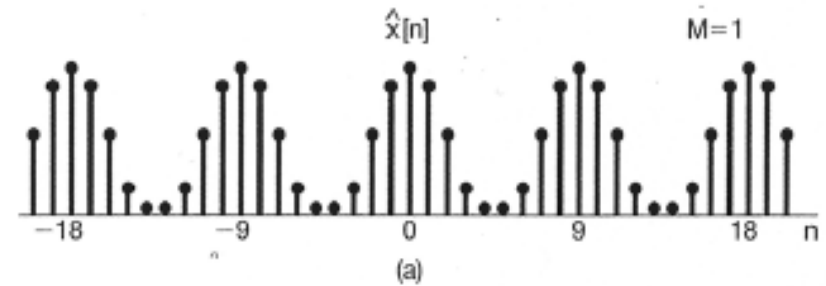
$$\hat{x}[n] = \sum_{k=-M}^M a_k e^{jk(2\pi/N)n}$$

N=9 square wave;

$$2N_1+1=5;$$

M=# Terms in partial sum

No Gibbs phenomenon –
convergence to ideal square wave
in finite number of terms of
summation.



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