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Week 5 Discussion

Signals & Systems

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1. Fourier transform of basic signals

Find the Fourier transform of each of the following signals and sketch the magnitude and phase as a function of frequency, including both positive and negative frequencies.

(a)
$$x(t) = \delta(t - 5)$$

(b)
$$x(t) = e^{(-1+j2)t}u(t)$$

2. Fourier transform of arbitrary signals

Compute the Fourier transform of each of the following signals:

(a)
$$x(t) = \{e^{-\alpha t} \cos(\omega_0 t)\} u(t), \quad \alpha > 0$$

(b)
$$x(t) = e^{-3|t|} \sin(2t)$$

3. Fourier transform properties

(a) Linearity property.

In the lecture, we derived the transform of $x(t) = e^{-at}u(t)$. Using the linearity and scaling properties, derive the Fourier transform of $e^{-a|t|} = x(t) + x(-t)$.

(b) **Duality property.**

Using part (a) and the duality property, determine the fourier transform of

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{1+t^2}$$

- (c) Scaling property.
 - i. If

$$r(t) = \frac{1}{1 + (3t)^2}$$

find R(jw).

ii. x(t) is sketched below. If $y(t)=x(\frac{t}{2}),$ sketch y(t), Y(jw), and X(jw).

