

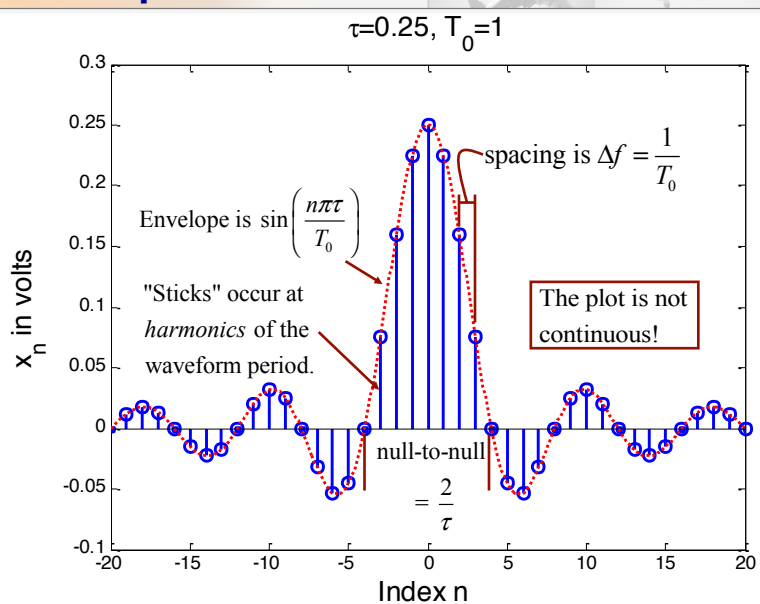
CMPE323 Intro to Fourier Series

Chapter 7

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We can plot the coefficients



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So this means

- We can write the periodic signal

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k e^{j\frac{2\pi kt}{T_0}} = \frac{A\tau}{T_0} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \text{sinc}\left(\frac{n\tau}{T_0}\right) e^{j\frac{2\pi kt}{T_0}}$$

- ...which is defined *only* at integer multiples of

$$f_0 = \frac{\omega_0}{2\pi} = \frac{1}{T_0}$$

- This expression is known as the **Fourier Series**, and it relates the time domain ($x(t)$) to the frequency domain

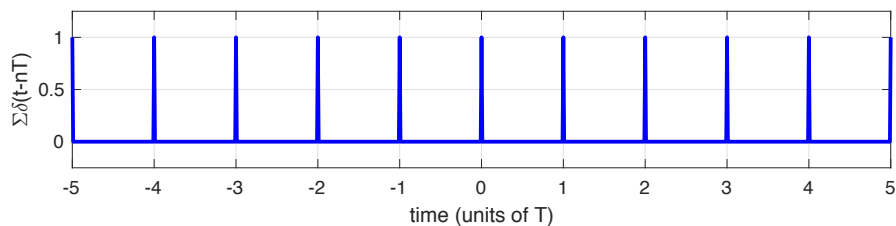
$$\{c_k\} \text{ or } X(f) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k \delta\left(f - \frac{k}{T}\right)$$

- And the inverse relationship hold as well

The periodic impulse train

- What about a periodic train of impulses?

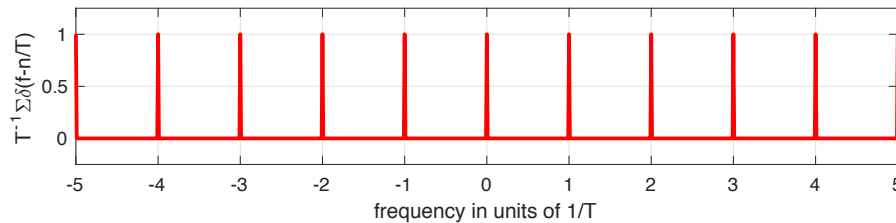
$$x(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - nT)$$



- Can we find its Fourier Series?

Analysis Equation

$$c_k = \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} \delta(t - 0T) e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{T}kt} dt = \frac{1}{T} \text{ for all } k!!$$



But what if the signal is not periodic?

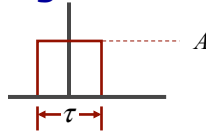
- There is an equivalent result for non-periodic signals
- A non-periodic signal can be viewed as the *limit* of a periodic signal as $T_0 \rightarrow \infty$

$$c_k = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{-T_0/2}^{T_0/2} x(t) e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{T_0}kt} dt \quad \frac{k}{T_0} \rightarrow f \quad \frac{T_0}{2} \rightarrow \infty \quad \frac{1}{T_0} \rightarrow df$$

$$X(f) \triangleq \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) e^{-j2\pi ft} dt \quad \text{contribution between } f \text{ and } f + df$$

- $X(f)$ is called the **Fourier Transform**, or the **voltage spectrum** of $x(t)$,
- ...and we have $x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f) e^{j2\pi ft} df = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega$
- Notice** $c_n = \frac{1}{T_0} X(f)_{f=\frac{n}{T_0}} = \frac{1}{T_0} X\left(\frac{n}{T_0}\right)$

But what if the signal is not periodic?



- We define the Fourier Transform of $x(t)$

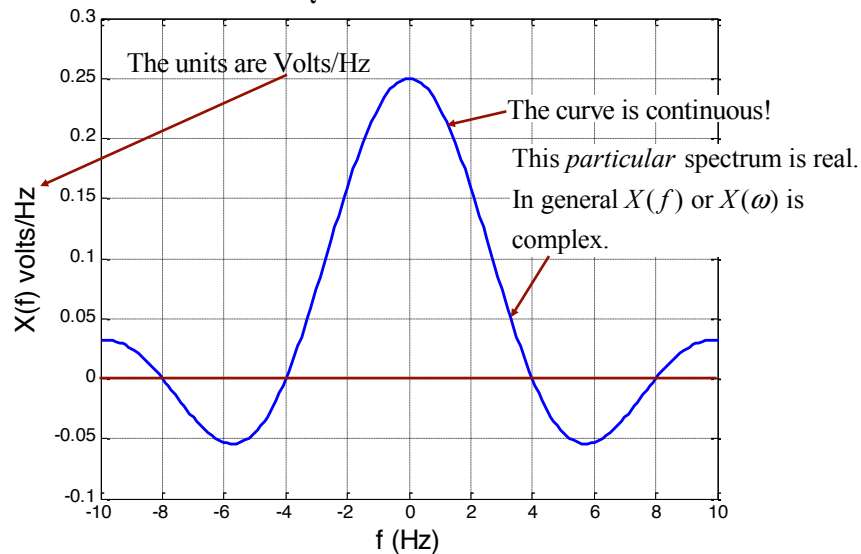
$$X(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) e^{-j2\pi ft} dt \quad \text{or} \quad \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt = X(\omega)$$

- In this case

$$\begin{aligned} X(f) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) e^{-j2\pi ft} dt = \int_{-\tau/2}^{\tau/2} A e^{-j2\pi ft} dt = \frac{A}{-j2\pi f} e^{-j2\pi ft} \bigg|_{-\tau/2}^{\tau/2} \\ &= \frac{A}{j2\pi f} (e^{j2\pi f \tau/2} - e^{-j2\pi f \tau/2}) = \frac{A}{\pi f} \frac{(e^{j\pi f \tau} - e^{-j\pi f \tau})}{j2} = A\tau \frac{\sin(\pi f \tau)}{\pi f \tau} = A\tau \text{sinc}(f\tau) \end{aligned}$$

And the plot is the **voltage spectrum**

$\tau = 0.25$ seconds



Properties of Fourier Transform

- **Duality:** $X(f) = \mathcal{F}(x(t)) \Rightarrow x(f) = \mathcal{F}(X(-t))$ and $x(-f) = \mathcal{F}(X(t))$
- **Linearity:** $z(t) = ax(t) + by(t) \Rightarrow Y(f) = aX(f) + bY(f)$
- **Time Shift:** $\mathcal{F}(x(t - t_0)) = e^{-j2\pi f t_0} \mathcal{F}(x(t))$
- **Scaling:** For $a \neq 0 \in \mathbb{R}$, $\mathcal{F}(x(at)) = \frac{1}{|a|} X\left(\frac{f}{a}\right)$
- **Modulation:** $\mathcal{F}(x(t)e^{j2\pi f_0 t}) = X(f - f_0)$
- **Conjugation:** $\mathcal{F}(x^*(t)) = X^*(-f)$
- **Parseval:** $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)y^*(t)dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f)Y^*(f)df = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(\omega)Y^*(\omega)d\omega$
- **Rayleigh:** $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |X(f)|^2 df = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(\omega)Y^*(\omega)d\omega$

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Advanced Properties of Fourier Transform

- **Integration:** $\mathcal{F}\left(\int_{-\infty}^t x(t)dt\right) = \frac{X(f)}{j2\pi f} + \frac{1}{2}X(0)\delta(f)$
- **Differentiation:** $\mathcal{F}\left(\frac{d}{dt}x(t)\right) = j2\pi fX(f)$
- **Moments:** $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} t^n x(t)dt = \left(\frac{j}{2\pi}\right)^n \frac{d^n}{df^n} X(f) \Big|_{f=0}$
- **Real Signals:** The Fourier transform of a real signal is **EVEN** in magnitude and **ODD** in phase

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The convolution theorem (very important!)

- The output of a LTI system with transfer function $H(f)$

$$Y(f) = X(f)H(f) \quad y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} Y(f)e^{j2\pi ft} df = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f)H(f)e^{j2\pi ft} df$$

$$\text{Write } H(f) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau)e^{-j2\pi f\tau} d\tau$$

$$\begin{aligned} y(t) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f) \left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau)e^{-j2\pi f\tau} d\tau \right) e^{j2\pi ft} df \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f)h(\tau)e^{j2\pi f(t-\tau)} df \right) d\tau \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau) \left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f)e^{j2\pi f(t-\tau)} df \right) d\tau \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau)x(t-\tau)d\tau = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(t-\tau)x(\tau)d\tau \end{aligned}$$

$$\triangleq x(t) * h(t) \text{ the CONVOLUTION}$$

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Summary

- We can decompose a periodic signal into the weighted sum of complex exponentials,...
- ...or, equivalently, to the weighted sum of sines and cosines.
- We write the weighted sum as a Fourier Series
- The frequency-domain representation consists of a series of harmonically-related terms, with separation equal to the period of the signal,
- The coefficients have units of volts (or amps)
- We can decompose a non-periodic signal into the weighted integral of complex exponentials,...
- ...or, equivalently, to the weighted integral of sines and cosines
- The frequency-domain representation has a continuous spectrum with units of volts/Hz (or amps/Hz).

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