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1. Compute the energy and power of the following signals and find out whether the signal is an energy signal or power signal, or neither.

a) $x(t) = 4 \sin(2\pi t); -\infty < t < \infty$

b) $x(t) = 2e^{-2|t|}; -\infty < t < \infty.$

c) $x(t) = \begin{cases} 2/\sqrt{t}; & t > 1 \\ 0; & t \leq 1 \end{cases}$

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Solution 1(a)

$$E = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |4 \sin(2\pi t)|^2 dt = 16 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\frac{1 - \cos(4\pi t)}{2} \right] dt = 8 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dt - 8 \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \cos(4\pi t) dt = \infty$$

$$P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} x^2(t) dt = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} 16 \sin^2(2\pi t) dt = 8 \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} dt - 16 \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} \frac{\cos(4\pi t)}{2} dt = 8$$

As the energy of $x(t)$ is infinite, and average power is finite. Thus $x(t)$ is a power signal.

Solution 1(b)

$$E = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |2e^{-2|t|}|^2 dt = 4 \int_{-\infty}^0 e^{4t} dt + 4 \int_0^{\infty} e^{-4t} dt = 2$$

$$P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} x^2(t) dt = 4 \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^0 e^{4t} dt + 4 \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^{T/2} e^{-4t} dt = 0$$

The energy of $x(t)$ is finite, and average power is zero. Thus $x(t)$ is an energy signal.

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Solution 1(c)

$$\begin{aligned}
 P &= \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} x^2(t) dt = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_1^{T/2} \frac{4}{t} dt \\
 &= 4 \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{T} \ln [t]^{1T/2} \right) = 4 \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{T} \ln \left[\frac{T}{2} \right] - \frac{1}{T} \ln [1] \right) \\
 &= 4 \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{T} \ln \left[\frac{T}{2} \right] \right) \\
 &= 4 \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\ln \left[\frac{T}{2} \right]}{T} \right)
 \end{aligned}$$

Using L'Hospital's rule we have,

$$P = 4 \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\ln \left[\frac{T}{2} \right]}{T} \right) = 4 \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{\frac{2}{T}}{1} \right) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 E &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt = \int_1^{\infty} \frac{4}{t} dt \\
 &= 4 \ln [t]_1^{\infty} \\
 &= \infty
 \end{aligned}$$

The energy of the signal is infinite & its average power is zero; $x(t)$ is neither energy signal nor power signal.

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2. Determine the power and RMS value of the following signal.

$$x(t) = e^{j2t} \cos(10t)$$

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Solution 2

$$\begin{aligned}x(t) &= e^{j2t} \cos(10t) \\&= (\cos 2t + j \sin 2t) \cos(10t) \\&= \frac{(\cos 12t + \cos 8t)}{2} + j \frac{(\sin 12t - \sin 8t)}{2}\end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Power of the signal} = \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2}{2} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2}{2} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2}{2} + \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^2}{2} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\text{RMS value of the signal} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\cos(10t) = \frac{e^{j10t} + e^{-j10t}}{2}$$

$$x(t) = e^{j2t} \cdot \frac{e^{j10t} + e^{-j10t}}{2} = \frac{1}{2} (e^{j(12t)} + e^{-j8t})$$

$$P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T |x(t)|^2 dt \quad |x(t)|^2 = \left| \frac{1}{2} (e^{j12t} + e^{-j8t}) \right|^2 = \frac{1}{4} |e^{j12t} + e^{-j8t}|^2$$

$$|a + b|^2 = |a|^2 + |b|^2 + 2\text{Re}(ab^*) \quad a = e^{j12t}, b = e^{-j8t}$$

$$|x(t)|^2 = \frac{1}{4} (1 + 1 + 2 \cos(20t)) = \frac{1}{4} (2 + 2 \cos(20t)) = \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos(20t))$$

$$P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos(20t)) dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \left[\frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T 1 dt + \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T \cos(20t) dt \right] \quad P = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{2T}{2T} + 0 \right) = \frac{1}{2}$$

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3. Find the odd and even components of the following signal.

$$x(t) = \sin 2t + \sin 2t \cos 2t + \cos 2t$$

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Solution 3

$$x(t) = \sin 2t + \sin 2t \cos 2t + \cos 2t$$

$$\begin{aligned} x(-t) &= \sin(-2t) + \sin(-2t)\cos(-2t) + \cos(-2t) \\ &= -\sin 2t - \sin 2t \cos 2t + \cos 2t \end{aligned}$$

Therefore the odd and even components are calculated as,

$$x_e(t) = \frac{1}{2} [x(t) + x(-t)] = \cos 2t$$

$$x_o(t) = \frac{1}{2} [x(t) - x(-t)] = \sin 2t + \sin 2t \cos 2t$$

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4. The energies of the two energy signals $x(t)$ and $y(t)$ are E_x and E_y , respectively.
- a) If $x(t)$ and $y(t)$ are orthogonal, then show that the energy of the signal $x(t) \pm y(t)$ is given by $E_x + E_y$.

- b) The cross-energy of the two signals is defined as,
$$E_{xy} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) y^*(t) dt$$

If $z(t) = x(t) \pm y(t)$, then show that, $E_z = E_x + E_y \pm (E_{xy} + E_{yx})$

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Solution 4(a)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |x(t) \pm y(t)|^2 dt &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt + \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |y(t)|^2 dt \pm \underbrace{\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(t) y^*(t) dt}_{=0} \pm \underbrace{\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x^*(t) y(t) dt}_{=0} \\
 &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt + \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |y(t)|^2 dt \\
 &= E_x + E_y
 \end{aligned}$$

Solution 4(b)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |x(t) \pm y(t)|^2 dt &= \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt + \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} |y(t)|^2 dt \pm \underbrace{\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(t) y^*(t) dt}_{\text{Cross Energy Component}} \pm \underbrace{\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x^*(t) y(t) dt}_{\text{Cross Energy Component}} \\
 &= E_x + E_y \pm (E_{xy} + E_{yx})
 \end{aligned}$$

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5. Show that an exponential signal e^{-at} starting at $-\infty$ is neither energy nor a power signal for any real value of 'a'. However, if imaginary, it is a power signal with unity power, regardless of the value of 'a'.

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Solution 5

For real 'a',

$$E_g = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} (e^{-at})^2 dt = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{-2at} dt = \infty$$

$$P_g = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{+T/2} (e^{-at})^2 dt = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} e^{-2at} dt = \infty$$

Hence for real value of 'a', the signal e^{-at} starting at $-\infty$ is neither energy nor a power signal.

Consider, a is imaginary and given by $a = j\omega$.

$$E_g = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} (e^{j\omega t})(e^{-j\omega t}) dt = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} dt = \underline{1} \text{ (Am)}$$

Hence the statement is proved.

In case of imaginary

$$\begin{aligned} |x(t)|^2 &= x(t) x^*(t) \\ &= e^{j\omega t} e^{-j\omega t} = e^0 = 1 \end{aligned}$$