

# Discrete-time Fourier Transform (DTFT)

- The DTFT pair is defined as follows: Let  $x[n]$  be a discrete-time signal,  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ .

**Forward DTFT:**

$$X(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n] e^{-j\omega n}$$

**Inverse DTFT:**

$$x[n] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} X(e^{j\omega}) e^{j\omega n} d\omega$$

# Convolution of Discrete-time Signals

- Definition of **discrete-time convolution**:

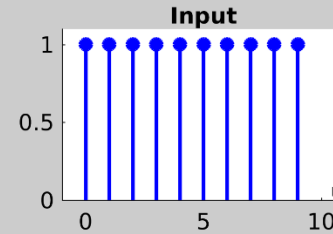
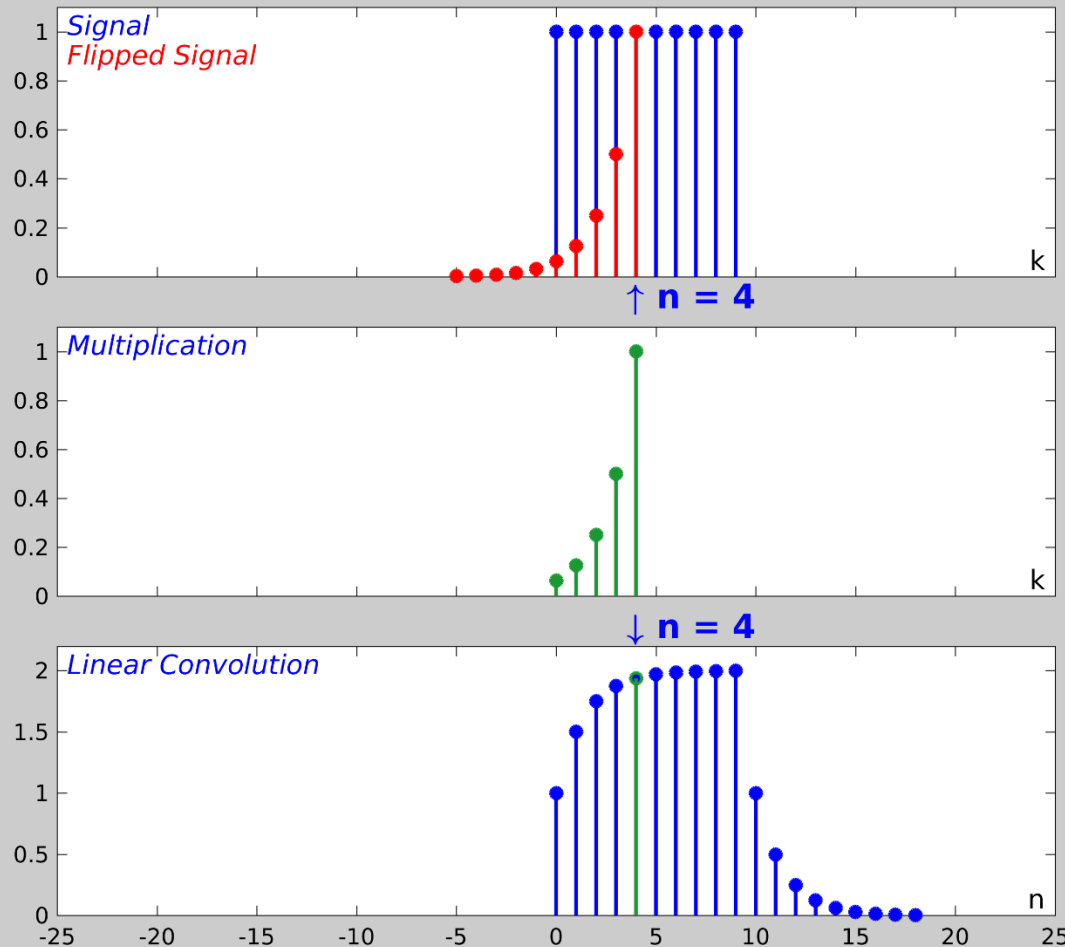
$$\begin{aligned} y[n] &\equiv x[n] * h[n] \\ &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[k] h[n-k] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x[n-k] h[k] \end{aligned}$$

- Convolution is commutative

$$y[n] \equiv x[n] * h[n] = h[n] * x[n]$$

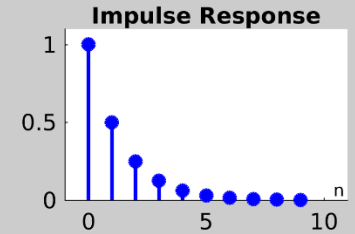
- Similar to the definition for the continuous-time signals, but summation is used instead of integration.

# Example



Get x[n]

☐ Flip x[n]



Get h[n]

☒ Flip h[n]

Signal Axis:

• =  $x[k]$

• =  $h[n - k]$

Multiplication Axis:

• =  $x[k]h[n - k]$

Convolution Axis:

$$y[n] = \sum x[k]h[n - k]$$

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# Example

- $h_1[n] * h_2[n]$

$n$	$n < 0$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	$n > 6$
$h_1[n]$	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
$h_2[n]$	0	0	1	1	1				
$h_2[0]h_1[n]$	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$h_2[1]h_1[n-1]$	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0
$h_2[2]h_1[n-2]$	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
$h_2[3]h_1[n-3]$	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0
$h[n]$	0	0	1	2	3	3	2	1	0

# Analogous to the arithmetic multiplication

- In fact, convolution has an intuitive explanation: it is just the “arithmetic multiplication”

- Eg.,

$$x[n] = 0., 0, 5, 2, 3, 0, 0...$$

$$h[n] = 0., 0, 1, 4, 3, 0, 0...$$

- $x[n] * h[n]$ :

$$\begin{array}{r}
 0., 0, 5, 2, 3, 0, 0, ... \\
 *) 0., 0, 1, 4, 3, 0, 0, ... \\
 \hline
 ....0, 0, 5, 2, 3, 0, 0, 0, ..... \\
 .....0, 0, 20, 8, 12, 0, 0, 0, ..... \\
 .....0, 0, 15, 6, 9, 0, 0, 0, ..... \\
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 0, 0, 5, 22, 26, 18, 9, 0, 0, 0, .....
 \end{array}$$

**Convolution result**

# Interpreted as Polynomial Multiplication

- Convolution can also be explained as **polynomial multiplication**:
- Consider  $f[n] * h[n]$

3. Let  $f(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} f[n]z^n$

$$h(z) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} h[n]z^n$$

then  $g[n]$  is the coefficient of  $z^n$  for the polynomial  $g(z)$  obtained by  $g(z) = f(z) \times h(z)$

4.

	$f_0$	$f_1$	$f_2$	$f_3$	$f_4$	$f_5$
$h_0$	$f_0h_0$	$f_1h_0$	$f_2h_0$	$f_3h_0$	$f_4h_0$	$f_5h_0$
$h_1$	$f_0h_1$	$f_1h_1$	$f_2h_1$	$f_3h_1$	$f_4h_1$	$f_5h_1$
$h_2$	$f_0h_2$	$f_1h_2$	$f_2h_2$	$f_3h_2$	$f_4h_2$	$f_5h_2$
$h_3$	$f_0h_3$	$f_1h_3$	$f_2h_3$	$f_3h_3$	$f_4h_3$	$f_5h_3$
$h_4$	$f_0h_4$	$f_1h_4$	$f_2h_4$	$f_3h_4$	$f_4h_4$	$f_5h_4$

$g_0$   $g_1$   $g_2$   $g_3$   $g_4$   $g_9$

- Summing up along the arrow gives the  $g[n]$

# DTFT Theorems **Reviews** (From **Oppenheim**)

## ■ **Linearity**

$$x_1[n] \leftrightarrow X_1(e^{j\omega}) \text{ and } x_2[n] \leftrightarrow X_2(e^{j\omega})$$

**implies that**

$$a_1 x_1[n] + a_2 x_2[n] \leftrightarrow a_1 X_1(e^{j\omega}) + a_2 X_2(e^{j\omega})$$

## ■ **Time shifting**

$$x[n] \leftrightarrow X(e^{j\omega})$$

**implies that**

$$x[n - n_d] \leftrightarrow e^{-j\omega n_d} X(e^{j\omega})$$

# DTFT Theorems Reviews (continue)

## ■ Frequency shifting

$$x[n] \leftrightarrow X(e^{j\omega})$$

implies that

$$e^{j\omega_0 n} x[n] \leftrightarrow X(e^{j(\omega - \omega_0)})$$

## ■ Time reversal

$$x[n] \leftrightarrow X(e^{j\omega})$$

If the sequence is time reversed as being  $x[-n]$ ,  
then  $x[-n] \leftrightarrow X(e^{-j\omega})$



# DTFT Theorems Reviews (continue)

## ■ Differentiation in frequency

$$x[n] \leftrightarrow X(e^{j\omega})$$

implies that

$$nx[n] \leftrightarrow j \frac{dX(e^{j\omega})}{d\omega}$$

# DTFT Theorems (continue)

- **Parseval's theorem**

$$x[n] \leftrightarrow X(e^{j\omega})$$

implies that

$$E = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |x[n]|^2 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |X(e^{j\omega})|^2 d\omega$$

# DTFT Theorems (continue)

## ■ The convolution theorem

$$x[n] \leftrightarrow X(e^{j\omega}) \text{ and } h[n] \leftrightarrow H(e^{j\omega}),$$

and if  $y[n] = x[n] * h[n]$ , then

$$Y(e^{j\omega}) = X(e^{j\omega})H(e^{j\omega})$$

## ■ The modulation or windowing theorem

$$x[n] \leftrightarrow X(e^{j\omega}) \text{ and } w[n] \leftrightarrow W(e^{j\omega}),$$

and if  $y[n] = x[n]w[n]$ , then

$$Y(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} X(e^{j\theta}) W(e^{j(\omega-\theta)}) d\theta$$

Periodic convolution,  
 $Y(e^{j\omega}) = Y(e^{j(\omega+2\pi)})$

# DTFT Theorems (continue)

- Hence, unlike continuous Fourier transform, DTFT's **time and frequency domains are not that analogous**.
- For example, **convolution in the time domain implies multiplication in the frequency domain**.
- But **multiplication in the time domain implies periodic-convolution in the frequency domain**.

## DTFT Pairs

$$\delta[n] \leftrightarrow 1$$

$$\delta[n - n_0] \leftrightarrow e^{-j\omega n_0}$$

$$1 \quad (-\infty < n < \infty) \leftrightarrow \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} 2\pi \delta[\omega + 2\pi k]$$

# DTFT Pairs (continue)

## Real Exponentials

$$a^n u[n] \quad (|a| < 1) \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1 - ae^{-jw}}$$

$$u[n] \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1 - e^{-jw}} + \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \pi \delta[w + 2\pi k]$$

$$(n+1)a^n u[n] \quad (|a| < 1) \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{(1 - ae^{-jw})^2}$$

## Example: Determining a Fourier Transform Pair-wise Formulas

- Suppose we wish to find the DTFT of

$$x[n] = a^n u[n - 5], \quad |a| < 1$$

$$x_1[n] = a^n u[n] \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{1 - ae^{-j\omega}} = X_1(e^{j\omega})$$

$$x_2[n] = x_1[n - 5]$$

$$\text{Thus, } X_2(e^{j\omega}) = e^{-j5\omega} X_1(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{e^{-j5\omega}}{1 - ae^{-j\omega}}$$

$$x[n] = a^5 x_2[n], \text{ so } X(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{a^5 e^{-j5\omega}}{1 - ae^{-j\omega}}$$

# Symmetry Property

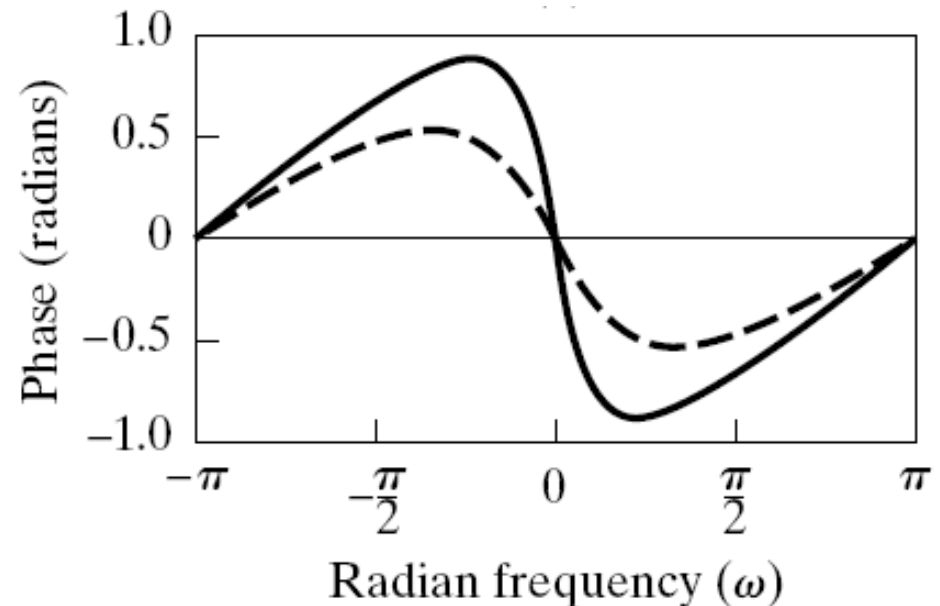
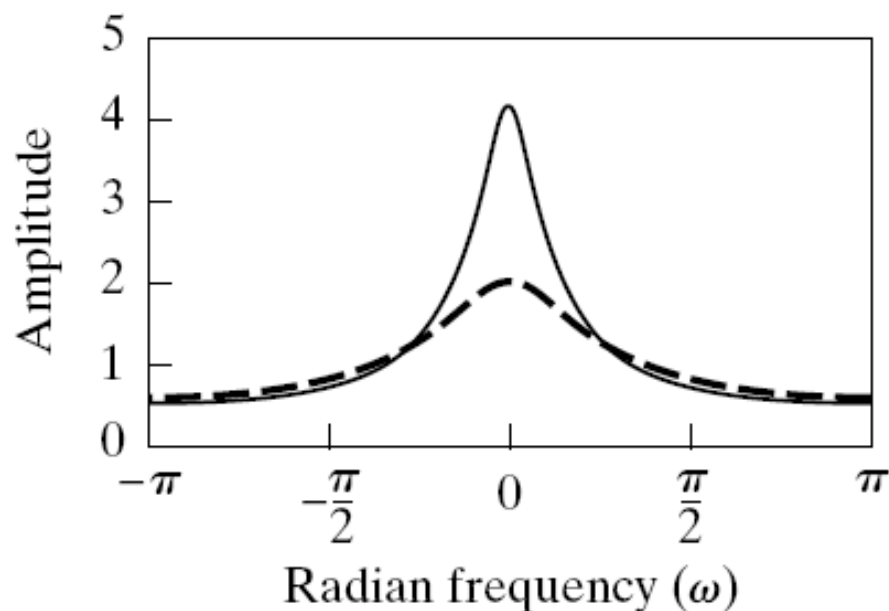
- Even function:  $f[n] = f[-n]$
- Odd function:  $f[n] = -f[-n]$
- If  $x[n]$  is a **real-valued** sequence (i.e.,  $x[n]$  is real) then
  - $|X(e^{j\omega})| = |X(e^{-j\omega})|$  (**magnitude is an even function**)
  - $\angle X(e^{j\omega}) = -\angle X(e^{-j\omega})$  (**phase is an odd function**)



# Example of Symmetry Properties

- The Fourier transform of the real sequence  $x[n] = a^n u[n]$  for  $a < 1$  is 
$$X(e^{j\omega}) = \frac{1}{1 - ae^{-j\omega}}$$

- Its magnitude is an even function, and phase is



## Symmetry Property (cont.)

- If  $x[n]$  is both **real and even**, then  $X(e^{j\omega})$  is also both **real and even**.
  - Eg., rectangular function, cosine function.

# More detailed table for your ref.

## DTFT Theorems and Properties

Property	Time Domain	Frequency Domain
Notation:	$x(n)$	$X(\omega)$
	$x_1(n)$	$X_1(\omega)$
	$x_2(n)$	$X_2(\omega)$
Linearity:	$a_1x_1(n) + a_2x_2(n)$	$a_1X_1(\omega) + a_2X_2(\omega)$
Time shifting:	$x(n - k)$	$e^{-j\omega k}X(\omega)$
Time reversal	$x(-n)$	$X(-\omega)$
Convolution:	$x_1(n) * x_2(n)$	$X_1(\omega)X_2(\omega)$
Multiplication:	$x_1(n)x_2(n)$	$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{2\pi} X_1(\lambda)X_2(\omega - \lambda)d\lambda$
Correlation:	$r_{x_1x_2}(l) = x_1(l) * x_2(-l)$	$S_{x_1x_2}(\omega) = X_1(\omega)X_2(-\omega)$ $= X_1(\omega)X_2^*(\omega)$ [if $x_2(n)$ real]
Frequency Differentiation:	$nx(n)$	$j \frac{dX(\omega)}{d\omega}$
Wiener-Khintchine:	$r_{xx}(l) = x(l) * x(-l)$	$S_{xx}(\omega) =  X(\omega) ^2$

In this table,  $X(e^{j\omega})$  is abbreviated as  $X(\omega)$

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## DTFT Symmetry Properties

Time Sequence	DTFT
$x(n)$	$X(\omega)$
$x^*(n)$	$X^*(-\omega)$
$x^*(-n)$	$X^*(\omega)$
$x(-n)$	$X(-\omega)$
$x_R(n)$	$X_e(\omega) = \frac{1}{2}[X(\omega) + X^*(-\omega)]$
$jx_I(n)$	$X_o(\omega) = \frac{1}{2}[X(\omega) - X^*(-\omega)]$
$x(n)$ real	$X(\omega) = X^*(-\omega)$
	$X_R(\omega) = X_R(-\omega)$
	$X_I(\omega) = -X_I(-\omega)$
	$ X(\omega)  =  X(-\omega) $
	$\angle X(\omega) = -\angle X(-\omega)$
$x'_e(n) = \frac{1}{2}[x(n) + x^*(-n)]$	$X_R(\omega)$
$x'_o(n) = \frac{1}{2}[x(n) - x^*(-n)]$	$jX_I(\omega)$

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