

Fourier series

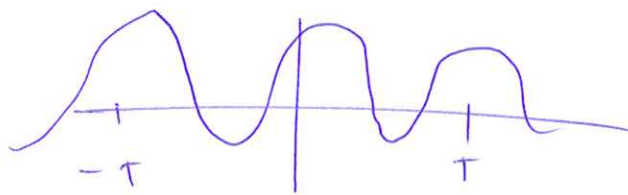
Every periodic continuous-time signal can be written as a sum of sinusoids

$$x(t + T) = x(t)$$

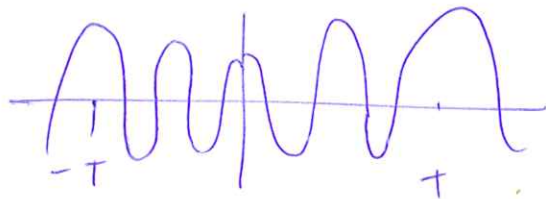
Are there signals that have period T ?

Other

→ cos



$$\cos \omega_0 t = \cos \frac{2\pi}{T} t$$



$$\cos 2\omega_0 t = \cos \frac{4\pi}{T} t$$

→ $\cos k \omega_0 t$, k is int

→ complex signal

$$e^{jk\omega_0 t} = \cos k\omega_0 t + j \sin k\omega_0 t \quad \text{thanks to Euler formula}$$

similarly $\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t}$ is also periodic with period T

↳ beft that change Amplitude, (any complex number)

we could do

$$x_c(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) \left(\cos \frac{2\pi}{T} k t + j \sin \frac{2\pi}{T} k t \right) dk$$

$$= a_1 \cdot \text{[waveform]} + a_2 \cdot \text{[waveform]} + a_3 \cdot \text{[waveform]}$$

GOAL: represent $x(t) = \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} a_l e^{jk\omega_0 t}$

→ fourier series

How to find $\{a_l\}$'s? After integrating both sides:
(formulas not shown)

$$a_l = \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T x(t) e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt$$

$\{a_l\}$ are the fourier series coeff of $x(t)$

demo applet (fourier series applet on falstad.com)

-> squares: more terms, best fit

coeffs decreasing: normal: $\frac{1}{n}$ responsible for $\sin n\omega_0 t$
(magnitude)

we don't

want wavy wiggles

-> a_n is small

function of square is not continuous,

(not differentiable)

-> there is

a shoulder



-> triangles: looks like sin, complex

find $\{a_l\}$ and it fits

-> sawtooth: same shoulder because not continuous

-> square: phase shift button

-> magnitude doesn't change but phase does

-> same with cosines and sine

-> GIBBS: we can't go below 9% of the height

Fourier transform

(4)

Discrete

	continuous	discrete
periodic	FS	DFT/FFT
aperiodic	FT	DTFT

DFT samples the DTFT in the frequency domain

DTFT evaluates the z-transform of $x(n)$ for an infinite number of values ω

FS

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(k) e^{j k \frac{2\pi}{T} t} \quad \leftarrow \omega_0 \text{ (frequency fundamental)}$$

(a_p)

if $x(t)$ wiggles infinitely fast, need an infinite number of a_p

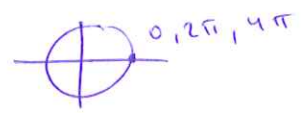
let's try

$$x(n) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(k) e^{j k \frac{2\pi}{N} n} \quad n = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

doesn't work: discrete n and summing an infinite number of values?

work around

$$\rightarrow e^{j k \frac{2\pi}{N} (n+N)} = e^{j k \frac{2\pi}{N} n} \underbrace{e^{j k 2\pi}}_{\text{always } = 1}$$



$$= e^{j k \frac{2\pi}{N} n}$$

there are only N unique complex e^{jk} of period N

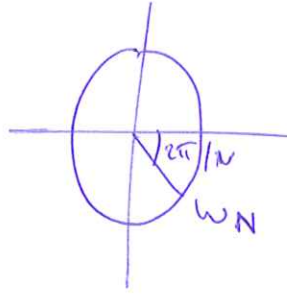
$$\rightarrow X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) e^{-j k \frac{2\pi}{N} n} \quad k = 0, \dots, N-1$$

Let's pose

$$W_N = e^{-j \frac{2\pi}{N}}$$

$$(W_N)^N = 1$$

W_N is the N^{th} root of 1

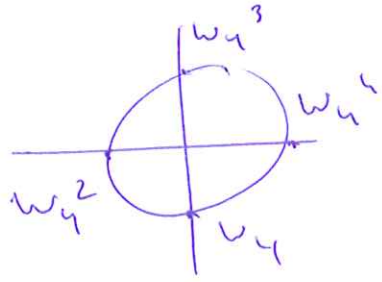


We rewrite

$$x(l) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) W_N^{ln}$$

4 echantillons

W_4 ?



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$$W_4 = e^{j \frac{2\pi}{4}} = e^{j \frac{\pi}{2}} \quad W_4^4 = e^{-2\pi j}$$

$$W_4^2 = e^{-\pi j} = e^{-4\pi j}$$

$$W_4^3 = e^{-\frac{3\pi j}{2}} = e^{-6\pi j}$$

$$W_4^4 = e^{-2\pi j} = e^{-8\pi j}$$