

Ch 4: The Continuous-Time Fourier Transform

Fourier Transform of $x(t)$ \longrightarrow

$$X(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

Inverse Fourier Transform \longrightarrow

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

Continuous-time aperiodic signals

Example 4.1

Consider the signal $x(t) = e^{-at}u(t)$, $a > 0$

Find its Fourier transform.

$$X(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

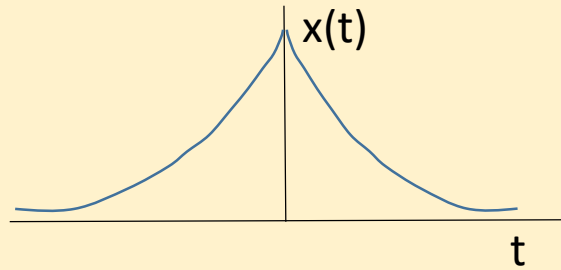
$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-at}u(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-(a+j\omega)t} dt = \frac{e^{-(a+j\omega)t}}{-(a+j\omega)t} \Big|_0^{\infty} = \frac{1}{a+j\omega}$$

$$|X(j\omega)| = \left| \frac{1}{a+j\omega} \right| = \left| \frac{a-j\omega}{a^2+\omega^2} \right| = \sqrt{\frac{a^2}{(a^2+\omega^2)^2} + \frac{\omega^2}{(a^2+\omega^2)^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2+\omega^2}}$$

$$\angle X(j\omega) = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{-\omega}{a^2+\omega^2} / \frac{a}{a^2+\omega^2} \right) = -\tan^{-1} \left(\frac{\omega}{a} \right)$$

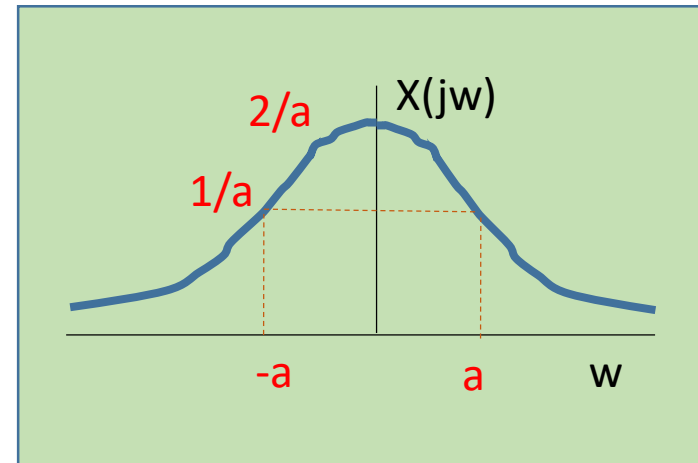
Example 4.2

$$x(t) = e^{-a|t|}, \quad \text{for } a > 0$$



← Time-domain

frequency-domain

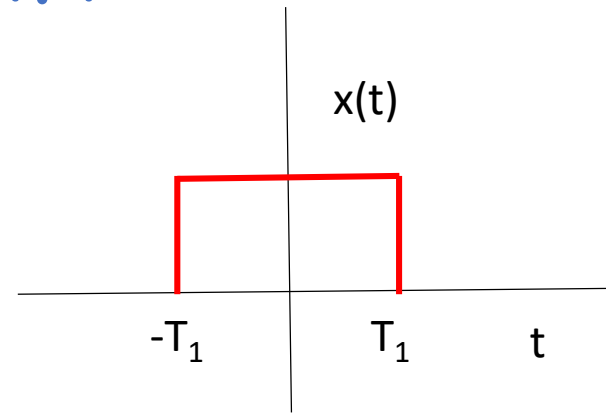


The Fourier transform of the signal is:

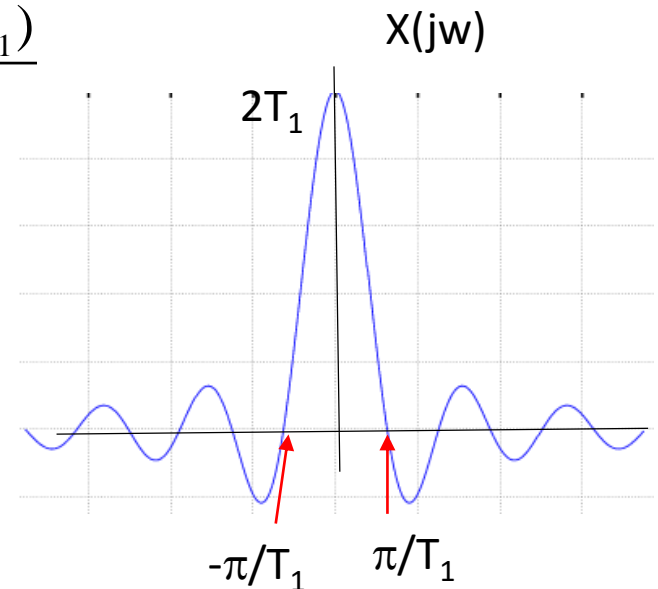
$$\begin{aligned} X(j\omega) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-a|t|} e^{-j\omega t} dt \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^0 e^{at} e^{-j\omega t} dt + \int_0^{\infty} e^{-at} e^{-j\omega t} dt \\ &= \frac{e^{(a-j\omega)t}}{(a-j\omega)} \Big|_{-\infty}^0 + \frac{e^{-(a+j\omega)t}}{-(a+j\omega)} \Big|_0^{\infty} \\ &= \frac{1}{a-j\omega} + \frac{1}{a+j\omega} = \frac{a+j\omega+a-j\omega}{a^2+\omega^2} \\ &= \frac{2a}{a^2+\omega^2} \end{aligned}$$

Example 4.4

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & |t| < T_1 \\ 0, & |t| > T_1 \end{cases}$$



$$\begin{aligned} X(j\omega) &= \int_{-T_1}^{T_1} 1 \cdot e^{-j\omega t} dt = \frac{e^{-j\omega t}}{-j\omega} \Big|_{-T_1}^{T_1} = -\frac{1}{j\omega} \left[e^{-j\omega T_1} - e^{j\omega T_1} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{j\omega} \left[e^{j\omega T_1} - e^{-j\omega T_1} \right] = \frac{2j \sin(\omega T_1)}{j\omega} = \frac{2 \sin(\omega T_1)}{\omega} \end{aligned}$$



Example 4.5

$$X(j\omega) = \begin{cases} 1, & |\omega| < W \\ 0, & |\omega| > W \end{cases}$$

Complete by yourself.

Draw the signals.

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-W}^W 1 e^{j\omega t} d\omega = \frac{\sin(Wt)}{\pi t}$$

Problem 4.1

Use the Fourier transform analysis equation to calculate the Fourier transforms of

(a) $e^{-2(t-1)}u(t-1)$ (b) $e^{-2|t-1|}$

(a)

$$\begin{aligned} X(j\omega) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-2(t-1)}u(t-1)e^{-j\omega t} dt \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-2\tau}u(\tau)e^{-j\omega(\tau+1)}d\tau = e^{-j\omega} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-2\tau}u(\tau)e^{-j\omega\tau}d\tau \\ &= e^{-j\omega} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-(2+j\omega)\tau}d\tau = e^{-j\omega} \left. \frac{e^{-(2+j\omega)\tau}}{-(2+j\omega)} \right|_0^{\infty} \\ &= \frac{e^{-j\omega}}{2+j\omega} \end{aligned}$$

$\tau = t-1$

(b)

$$\begin{aligned} X(j\omega) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-2|t-1|}e^{-j\omega t} dt \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-2|\tau|}e^{-j\omega(\tau+1)}d\tau = e^{-j\omega} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-2|\tau|}e^{-j\omega\tau}d\tau \\ &= e^{-j\omega} \int_{-\infty}^0 e^{2\tau}e^{-j\omega\tau}d\tau + e^{-j\omega} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-2\tau}e^{-j\omega\tau}d\tau \\ &= e^{-j\omega} \left[\left. \frac{e^{(2-j\omega)\tau}}{(2-j\omega)\tau} \right|_{-\infty}^0 + \left. \frac{e^{-(2+j\omega)\tau}}{-(2+j\omega)\tau} \right|_0^{\infty} \right] \\ &= \frac{4e^{-j\omega}}{4+\omega^2} \end{aligned}$$

Problem 4.2

Use the Fourier transform analysis equation to calculate the Fourier transform of

(a) $\delta(t + 1) + \delta(t - 1)$

$$\begin{aligned} X(j\omega) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} [\delta(t + 1) + \delta(t - 1)]e^{-j\omega t} dt \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t + 1)e^{-j\omega t} dt + \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - 1)e^{-j\omega t} dt \\ &= e^{-j\omega(-1)} + e^{-j\omega(1)} = e^{j\omega} + e^{-j\omega} \\ &= 2 \times \left(\frac{e^{j\omega} + e^{-j\omega}}{2} \right) = 2 \cos \omega \end{aligned}$$

$$|X(j\omega)| = 2 |\cos(\omega)|$$

Some useful Fourier transform:

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= \delta(t) \\ \Rightarrow X(j\omega) &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= \delta(t + 1) \\ \Rightarrow X(j\omega) &= e^{j\omega} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= \delta(t - 1) \\ \Rightarrow X(j\omega) &= e^{-j\omega} \end{aligned}$$

Problem 4.2

$$(b) \frac{d}{dt} \{u(-2-t) + u(t-2)\}$$

$$X(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{d}{dt} \{u(-2-t) + u(t-2)\} e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

$$= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} -\delta(-2-t) e^{-j\omega t} dt + \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t-2) e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

$$= I_1 + I_2$$

$$I_1 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} -\delta(-2-t) e^{-j\omega t} dt, \text{ Let } \tau = -2-t, d\tau = -dt$$

$$= \int_{\infty}^{-\infty} -\delta(\tau) e^{j\omega(\tau+2)} (-d\tau) = -e^{2j\omega} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(\tau) e^{j\omega\tau} d\tau = -e^{2j\omega}$$

$$I_2 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t-2) e^{-j\omega t} dt = e^{-2j\omega}$$

$$\begin{aligned} X(j\omega) &= -e^{2j\omega} + e^{-2j\omega} \\ &= -2j \times \left(\frac{e^{2j\omega} - e^{-2j\omega}}{2j} \right) \\ &= -2j \sin(2\omega) \end{aligned}$$

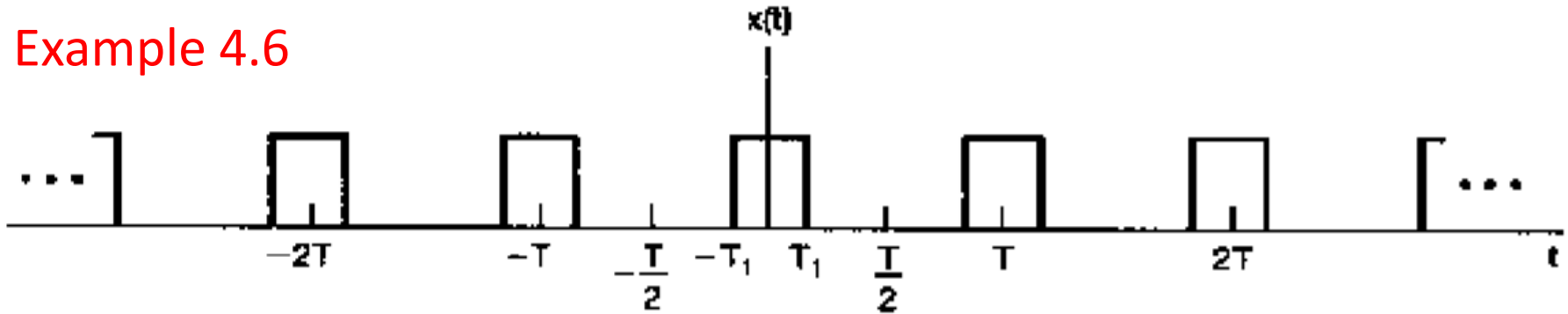
$$|X(j\omega)| = 2 |\sin(2\omega)|$$

Fourier Transform for Periodic Signals

$$X(j\omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k 2\pi\delta(\omega - k\omega_0)$$

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t}$$

Example 4.6

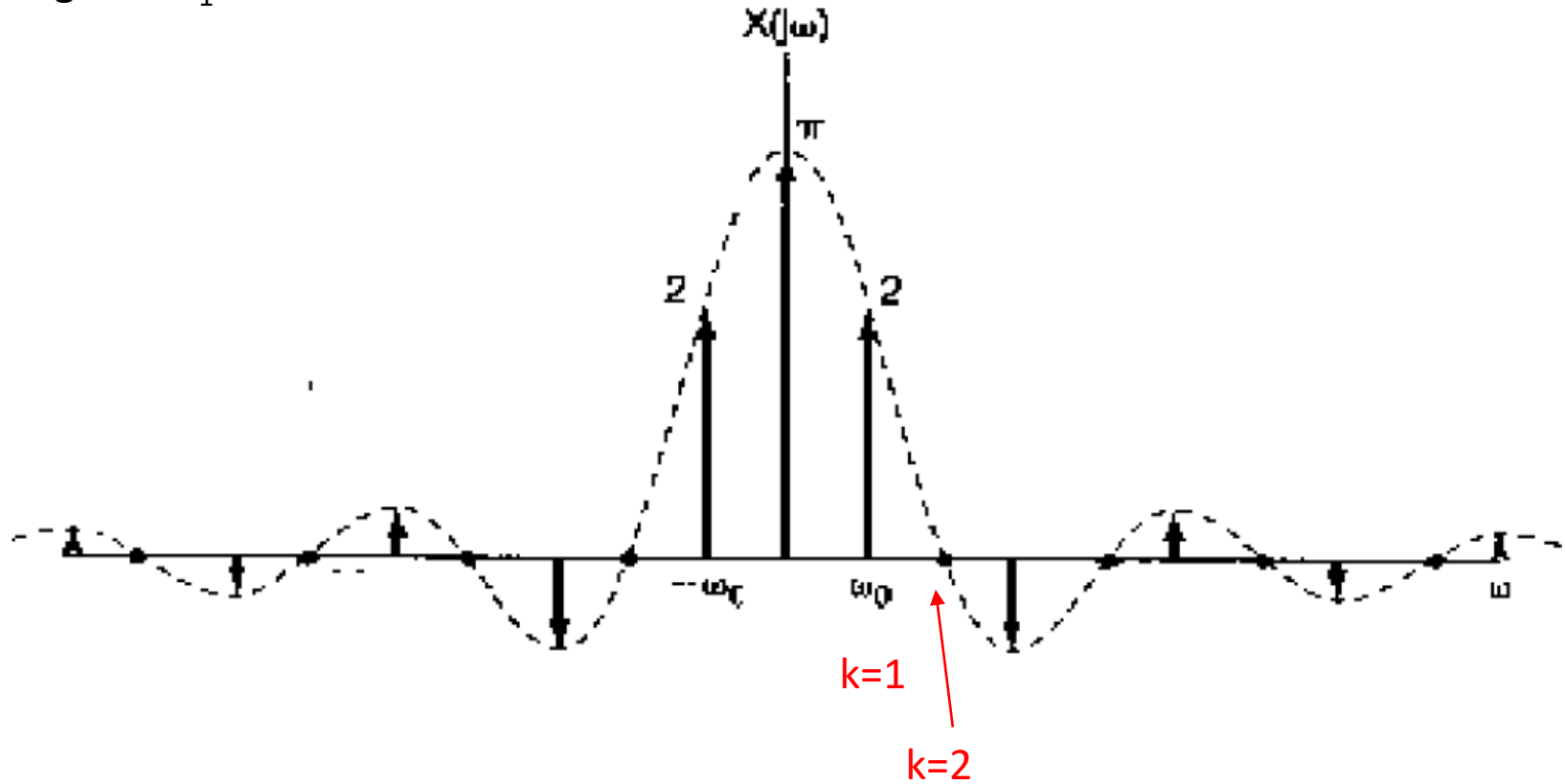


The Fourier series coefficients of the above periodic signal: $a_k = \frac{\sin(k\omega_0 T_1)}{\pi k}$

$$X(j\omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} 2\pi \frac{\sin(k\omega_0 T_1)}{\pi k} \delta(\omega - k\omega_0) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} 2 \frac{\sin(k\omega_0 T_1)}{k} \delta(\omega - k\omega_0)$$

Example 4.6 - continued

Using $T = 4T_1$



Example 4.7

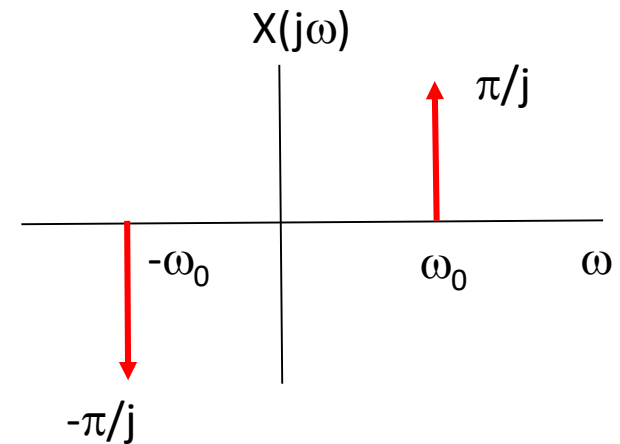
$$x(t) = \sin(\omega_0 t)$$

$$x(t) = \sin(\omega_0 t) = \frac{1}{2j} e^{j\omega_0 t} - \frac{1}{2j} e^{-j\omega_0 t}$$

Fourier series coefficients: $a_1 = \frac{1}{2j}, a_{-1} = -\frac{1}{2j}, a_k = 0$ for $|k| \neq 1$

Find Fourier transform: $X(j\omega)$.

$$\begin{aligned} X(j\omega) &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k 2\pi \delta(\omega - k\omega_0) \\ &= \frac{2\pi}{2j} \delta(\omega - \omega_0) - \frac{2\pi}{2j} \delta(\omega + \omega_0) \\ &= \frac{\pi}{j} \delta(\omega - \omega_0) - \frac{\pi}{j} \delta(\omega + \omega_0) \end{aligned}$$

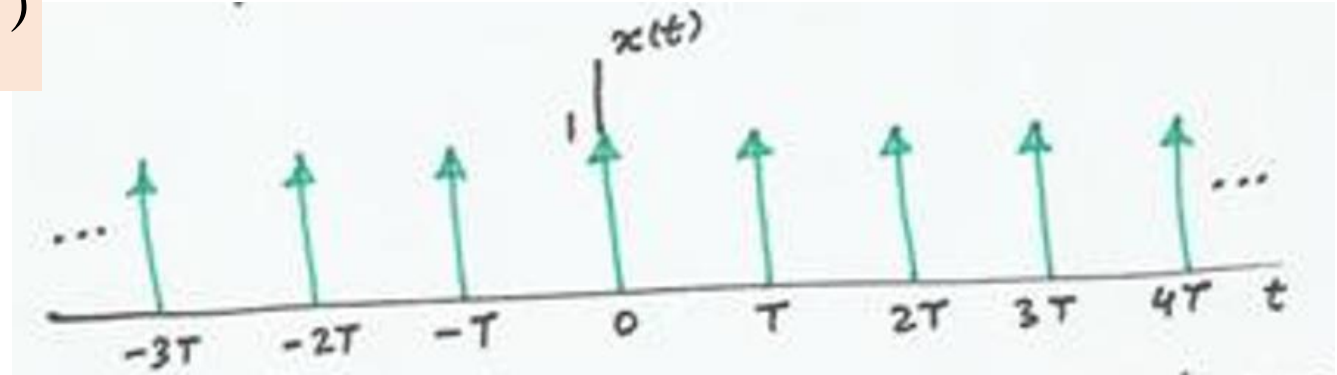


Do for $x(t) = \cos(\omega_0 t)$

Example 4.8

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - kT)$$

Impulse train with
a period of T .



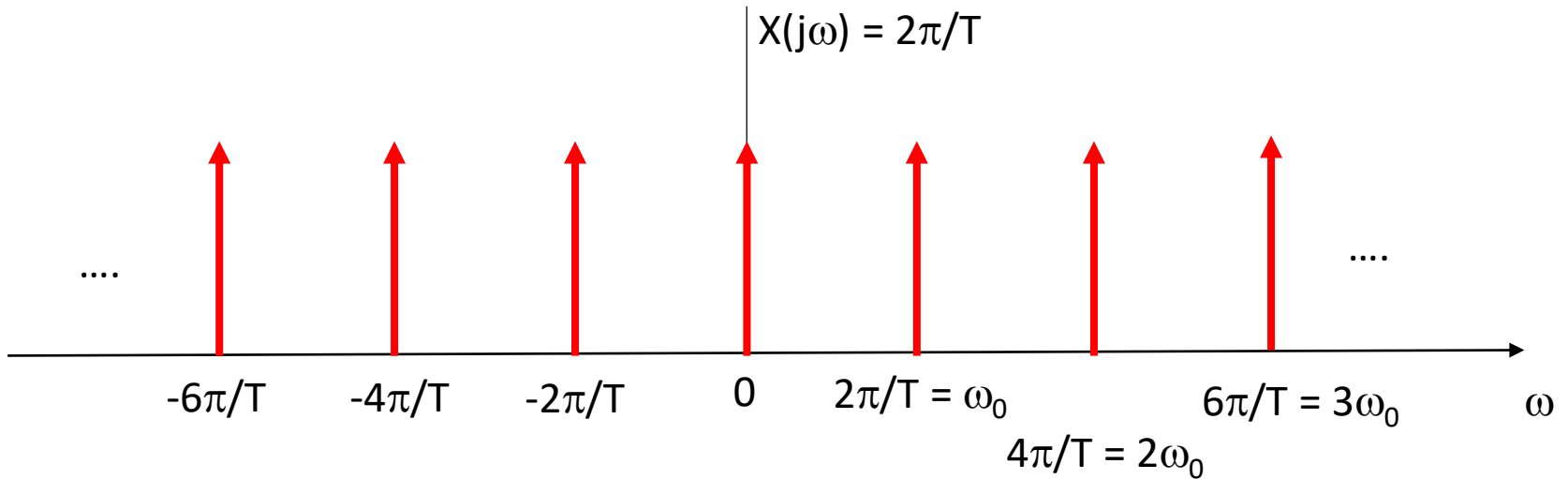
The Fourier series coefficients for this signal are:

$$a_k = \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t) e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt = \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} \delta(t) e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt = \frac{1}{T} e^0 = \frac{1}{T}$$

Therefore, the Fourier transform is:

$$\begin{aligned} X(j\omega) &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} 2\pi a_k \delta(\omega - k\omega_0) = \frac{2\pi}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(\omega - k\omega_0) \\ &= \frac{2\pi}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta\left(\omega - \frac{2\pi}{T}k\right) \end{aligned}$$

Example 4.8 - contd.



Problem 4.3

Determine the Fourier transform of each of the following periodic signals.

(a) $\sin\left(2\pi t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$

(b) $1 + \cos\left(6\pi t + \frac{\pi}{8}\right)$

Solution:

(a) $x(t) = \sin\left(2\pi t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$; comparing with $x(t) = \sin\left(\omega_0 t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right)$, and $T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_0}$

$$\omega_0 = 2\pi; T = 1$$

$$x(t) = \frac{e^{j(\omega_0 t + \pi/4)} - e^{-j(\omega_0 t + \pi/4)}}{2j} = \frac{e^{j\pi/4}}{2j} e^{j\omega_0 t} - \frac{e^{-j\pi/4}}{2j} e^{-j\omega_0 t}$$

a_1 a_{-1}

$a_k = 0$, for
all other k

Problem 4.3-contd.

The Fourier transform of the periodic signal

$$X(j\omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k 2\pi\delta(\omega - k\omega_0) = \frac{\pi}{j} e^{j\pi/4} \delta(\omega - 2\pi) - \frac{\pi}{j} e^{-j\pi/4} \delta(\omega + 2\pi)$$

(b)

$$x(t) = 1 + \cos\left(6\pi t + \frac{\pi}{8}\right) = e^0 + \frac{e^{j(6\pi t + \pi/8)} + e^{-j(6\pi t + \pi/8)}}{2}$$

$$= \underbrace{1}_{a_0} e^{j(0)t} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} e^{j\pi/8}}_{a_1} e^{j6\pi t} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} e^{-j\pi/8}}_{a_{-1}} e^{-j6\pi t}$$

$$\omega_0 = 6\pi$$

All other $a_k = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} X(j\omega) &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k 2\pi\delta(\omega - k\omega_0) \\ &= 2\pi\delta(\omega) + \pi e^{j\pi/8} \delta(\omega - 6\pi) + \pi e^{-j\pi/8} \delta(\omega + 6\pi) \end{aligned}$$

Problem 4.4

Use the Fourier synthesis equations to determine the Fourier transform of

(a) $X_1(j\omega) = 2\pi\delta(\omega) + \pi\delta(\omega - 4\pi) + \pi\delta(\omega + 4\pi)$

(b) $X_2(j\omega) = \begin{cases} 2, & 0 \leq \omega < 2 \\ -2, & -2 \leq \omega < 0 \\ 0, & |\omega| > 0 \end{cases}$

Solution:

(a)

$$\begin{aligned} x_1(t) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} [2\pi\delta(\omega) + \pi\delta(\omega - 4\pi) + \pi\delta(\omega + 4\pi)] e^{j\omega t} d\omega \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega + \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(\omega - 4\pi) e^{j\omega t} d\omega + \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(\omega + 4\pi) e^{j\omega t} d\omega \\ &= e^0 + \frac{1}{2} e^{j4\pi t} + \frac{1}{2} e^{-j4\pi t} \\ &= 1 + \cos(4\pi t) \end{aligned}$$

Problem 4.4 - contd.

Solution:

(b)

$$\begin{aligned}x_2(t) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[\int_0^2 2e^{j\omega t} d\omega + \int_{-2}^0 -2e^{j\omega t} d\omega \right] \\&= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\frac{e^{j\omega t}}{jt} \Big|_0^2 - \frac{e^{j\omega t}}{jt} \Big|_{-2}^0 \right] = \frac{1}{\pi jt} \left[(e^{j2t} - 1) - (1 - e^{-j2t}) \right] \\&= \frac{1}{\pi jt} \left[(e^{jt})^2 + (e^{-jt})^2 - 2e^{jt}e^{-jt} \right] = \frac{1}{\pi jt} (e^{jt} - e^{-jt})^2 \\&= \frac{-4}{\pi jt} \left(\frac{e^{jt} - e^{-jt}}{2j} \right) = \frac{-4}{j\pi t} \sin^2(t)\end{aligned}$$

4.3 Properties of Cont. Time Fourier Trans.

Linearity

$$\text{If } \begin{cases} x(t) \xleftrightarrow{\mathfrak{F}} X(j\omega) \\ y(t) \xleftrightarrow{\mathfrak{F}} Y(j\omega) \end{cases}$$

Then

$$ax(t) + by(t) \xleftrightarrow{\mathfrak{F}} aX(j\omega) + bY(j\omega)$$

Time shifting

$$x(t - t_0) \xleftrightarrow{\mathfrak{F}} e^{-j\omega t_0} X(j\omega)$$

If a signal is time-shifted, the magnitude of the Fourier transform does not change; only there is a phase-shift in the Fourier transform.

Proof:

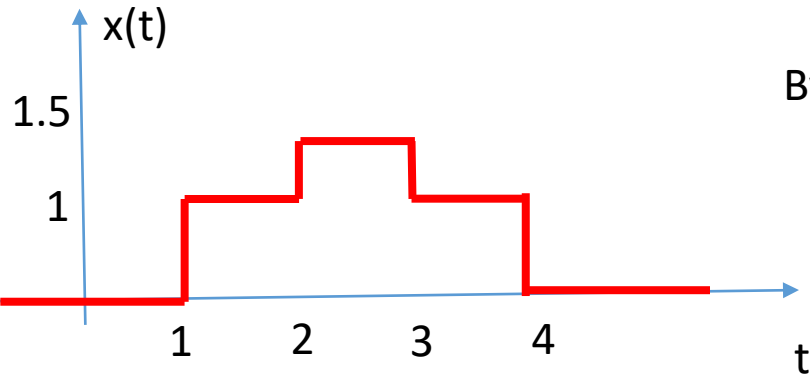
$$x(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega$$

$$\Rightarrow x(t - t_0) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) e^{j\omega(t-t_0)} d\omega$$

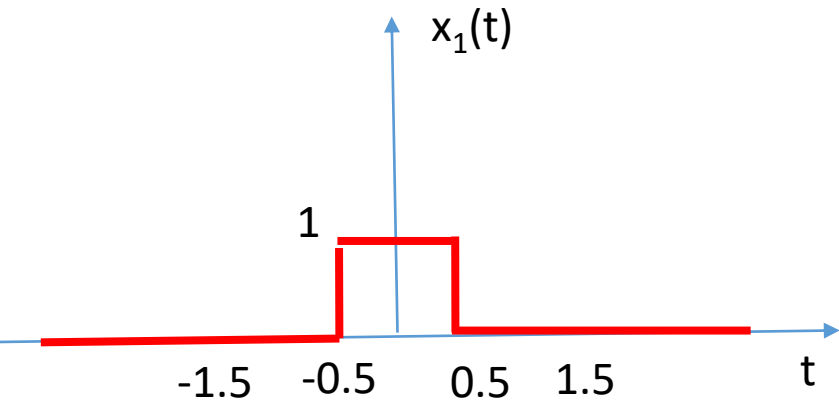
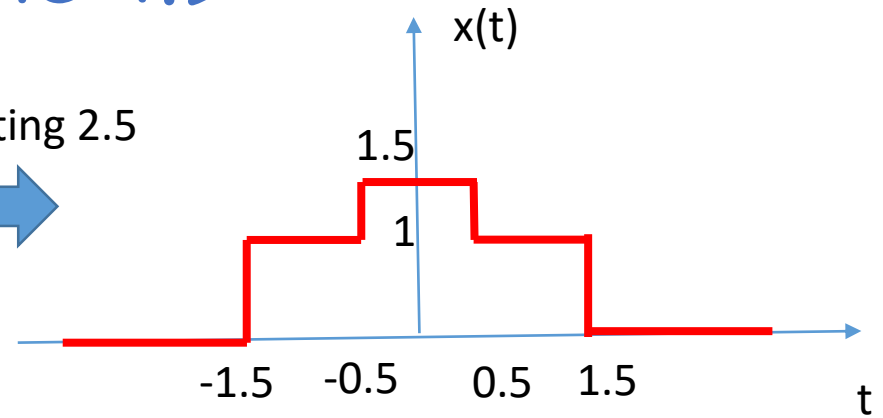
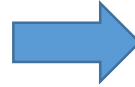
$$\Rightarrow x(t - t_0) = e^{-j\omega t_0} \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathfrak{F}(x(t - t_0)) = e^{-j\omega t_0} X(j\omega)$$

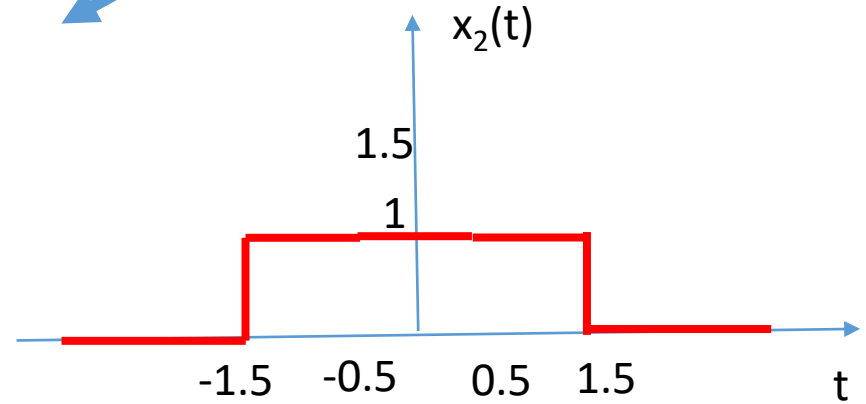
Example 4.9



By shifting 2.5



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$$x(t) = \frac{1}{2} x_1(t - 2.5) + x_2(t - 2.5)$$

Example 4.9 - contd.

From Example 4.4 and the signals of the previous slide, we get:

$$X_1(j\omega) = \frac{2\sin(\omega/2)}{\omega} \quad \text{and} \quad X_2(j\omega) = \frac{2\sin(3\omega/2)}{\omega}$$

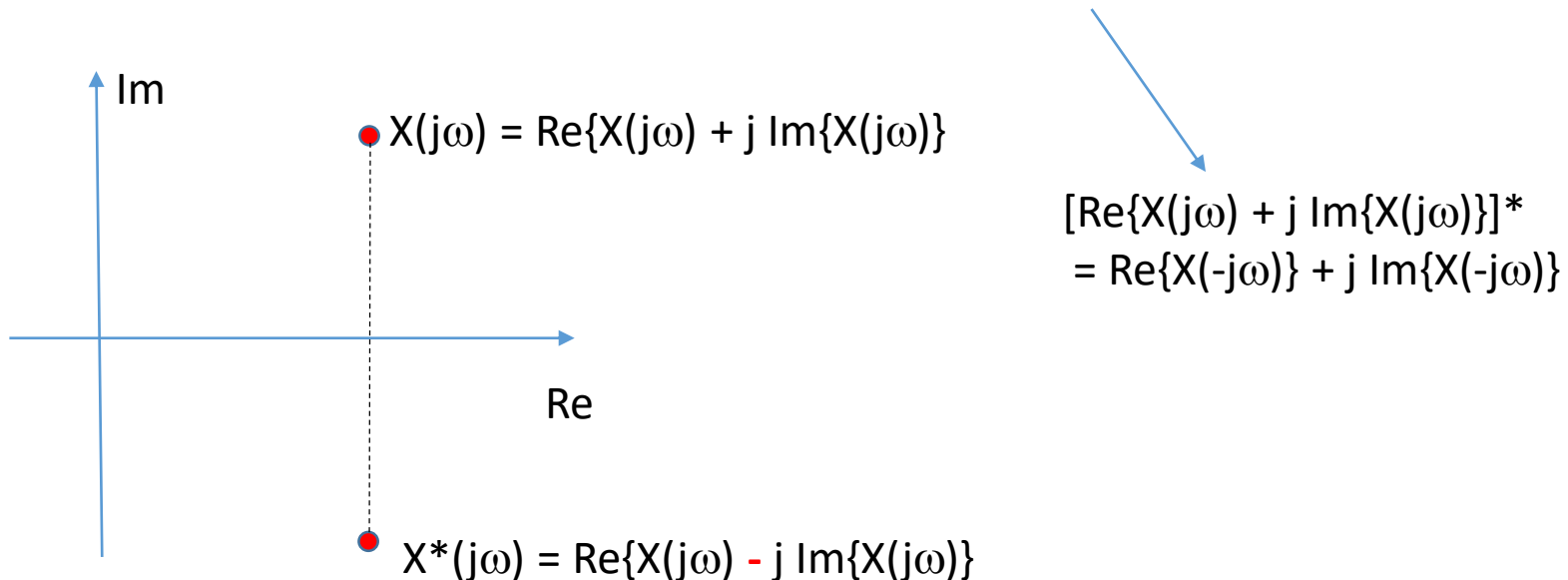
By linearity and time shifting properties:

$$\begin{aligned} X(j\omega) &= \frac{1}{2} \mathfrak{F}\{x_1(t - 2.5)\} + \mathfrak{F}\{x_2(t - 2.5)\} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} e^{-2.5j\omega} \mathfrak{F}\{x_1(t)\} + e^{-2.5j\omega} \mathfrak{F}\{x_2(t)\} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} e^{-2.5j\omega} \frac{2\sin(\omega/2)}{\omega} + e^{-2.5j\omega} \frac{2\sin(3\omega/2)}{\omega} \\ &= e^{-2.5j\omega} \left(\frac{\sin(\omega/2) + 2\sin(3\omega/2)}{\omega} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Conjugation and Conjugate Symmetry -1

If $x(t) \xleftrightarrow{\mathfrak{F}} X(j\omega)$ then $x^*(t) \xleftrightarrow{\mathfrak{F}} X^*(-j\omega)$

If $x(t)$ is real, $x(t) = x^*(t)$, hence $X^*(j\omega) = X(-j\omega)$



Conjugation and Conjugate Symmetry -2

For real $x(t)$:

$$\operatorname{Re}\{X(j\omega)\} = \operatorname{Re}\{X(-j\omega)\} \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \text{Even function of } \omega$$

$$\operatorname{Im}\{X(j\omega)\} = -\operatorname{Im}\{X(-j\omega)\} \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \text{Odd function of } \omega$$

In polar form:

$$|X(j\omega)| = |X(-j\omega)| \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \text{Even function of } \omega$$

$$\angle X(j\omega) = -\angle X(-j\omega) \quad \Longrightarrow \quad \text{Odd function of } \omega$$

For real and even $x(t)$:

$$x(t) \stackrel{\mathfrak{F}}{\leftrightarrow} X(j\omega)$$

$$\text{Even}\{x(t)\} \stackrel{\mathfrak{F}}{\leftrightarrow} \operatorname{Re}\{X(j\omega)\}$$

$$\text{Odd}\{x(t)\} \stackrel{\mathfrak{F}}{\leftrightarrow} j \operatorname{Im}\{X(j\omega)\}$$

Example 4.10

Evaluate Fourier transform of $x(t) = e^{-a|t|}$ for $a > 0$

Example 4.1:

$$x(t) = e^{-at}u(t), \quad a > 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad e^{-at}u(t) \stackrel{\mathfrak{F}}{\leftrightarrow} \frac{1}{a + j\omega}$$

$$x(t) = e^{-a|t|} = e^{-at}u(t) + e^{at}u(-t) = 2 \left[\frac{e^{-at}u(t) + e^{at}u(-t)}{2} \right] = 2 \text{Even}\{e^{-at}u(t)\}$$

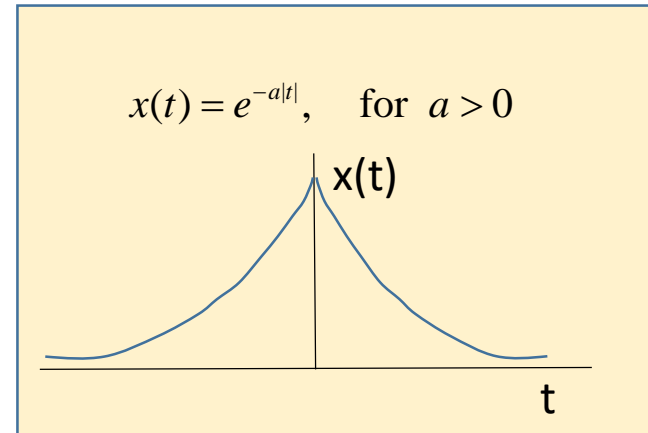
\uparrow $t > 0$ \uparrow $t < 0$

$e^{-at}u(t)$ is real; from symmetric property,

$$2 \text{Even}\{e^{-at}u(t)\} \stackrel{\mathfrak{F}}{\leftrightarrow} 2 \text{Re}\{e^{-at}u(t)\}$$

$$\Rightarrow X(j\omega) = 2 \text{Re} \left\{ \frac{1}{a + j\omega} \right\} = 2 \text{Re} \left\{ \frac{a - j\omega}{a^2 + \omega^2} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{2a}{a^2 + \omega^2}$$



Differentiation and Integration

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega \quad \longrightarrow \quad \overset{\mathfrak{F}}{x(t) \leftrightarrow X(j\omega)}$$

Differentiating both sides w.r.t. time t

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dx(t)}{dt} &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{d}{dt} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) \frac{d}{dt} e^{j\omega t} d\omega \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) j\omega e^{j\omega t} d\omega = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (j\omega X(j\omega)) e^{j\omega t} d\omega \end{aligned}$$

$$\overset{\mathfrak{F}}{\frac{dx(t)}{dt} \leftrightarrow j\omega X(j\omega)}$$

Similarly,

$$\overset{\mathfrak{F}}{\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) d\tau \leftrightarrow \frac{1}{j\omega} X(j\omega) + \pi X(0)\delta(\omega)}$$

Example 4.11

Determine the Fourier transform of the unit step function.

$$x(t) = u(t) \Rightarrow X(j\omega) = ?$$

$$\frac{du}{dt} = \delta(t); \quad \text{For unit impulse, } g(t) = \delta(t) \Rightarrow G(j\omega) = 1$$

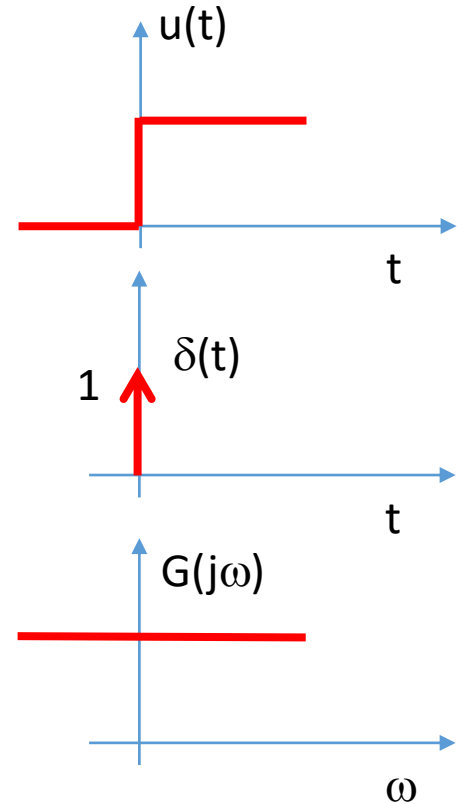
Now,

$$x(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t \delta(\tau) d\tau \Rightarrow X(j\omega) = \frac{G(j\omega)}{j\omega} + \pi G(0)\delta(\omega)$$

$$\Rightarrow X(j\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega} + \pi\delta(\omega)$$

Also, we observe that

$$\delta(t) = \frac{du}{dt} \stackrel{\mathfrak{F}}{\leftrightarrow} j\omega \left\{ \frac{1}{j\omega} + \pi\delta(\omega) \right\} = 1 + \pi \cancel{j\omega\delta(\omega)} = 1$$



Time and Frequency Scaling

$$\begin{aligned} \text{If } x(t) &\overset{\mathfrak{F}}{\leftrightarrow} X(j\omega) \\ \text{Then } x(at) &\overset{\mathfrak{F}}{\leftrightarrow} \frac{1}{|a|} X\left(\frac{j\omega}{a}\right) \end{aligned}$$

Where a is real and nonzero

Proof:

$$\mathfrak{F}\{x(at)\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(at) e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

Let, $\tau = at$, and we get two cases:

i) When $a > 0$:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \tau = at &\Rightarrow d\tau = a dt \Rightarrow dt = \frac{1}{a} d\tau \\ \text{At } t = -\infty, \tau &= -\infty; \text{ at } t = \infty, \tau = \infty \end{aligned} \right\} \mathfrak{F}\{x(at)\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) e^{-j\omega\tau/a} (1/a) d\tau$$

$$= \frac{1}{a} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) e^{-j(\omega/a)\tau} d\tau = \frac{1}{a} X\left(\frac{j\omega}{a}\right)$$

Time and Frequency Scaling - contd.

ii) When $a > 0$:

$$\tau = at \Rightarrow d\tau = a dt \Rightarrow dt = \frac{1}{a} d\tau$$

$$\text{At } t = -\infty, \tau = \infty; \text{ at } t = \infty, \tau = -\infty$$

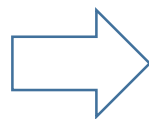
$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \mathfrak{F}\{x(at)\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) e^{-j\omega\tau/a} (1/a) d\tau \\ = \frac{-1}{a} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) e^{-j(\omega/a)\tau} d\tau = \frac{-1}{a} X\left(\frac{j\omega}{a}\right) \end{array} \right\}$$

Therefore,

$$\mathfrak{F}\{x(at)\} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{a} X\left(\frac{j\omega}{a}\right), & \text{for } a > 0 \\ \frac{-1}{a} X\left(\frac{j\omega}{a}\right), & \text{for } a < 0 \end{cases} = \frac{1}{|a|} X\left(\frac{j\omega}{a}\right)$$

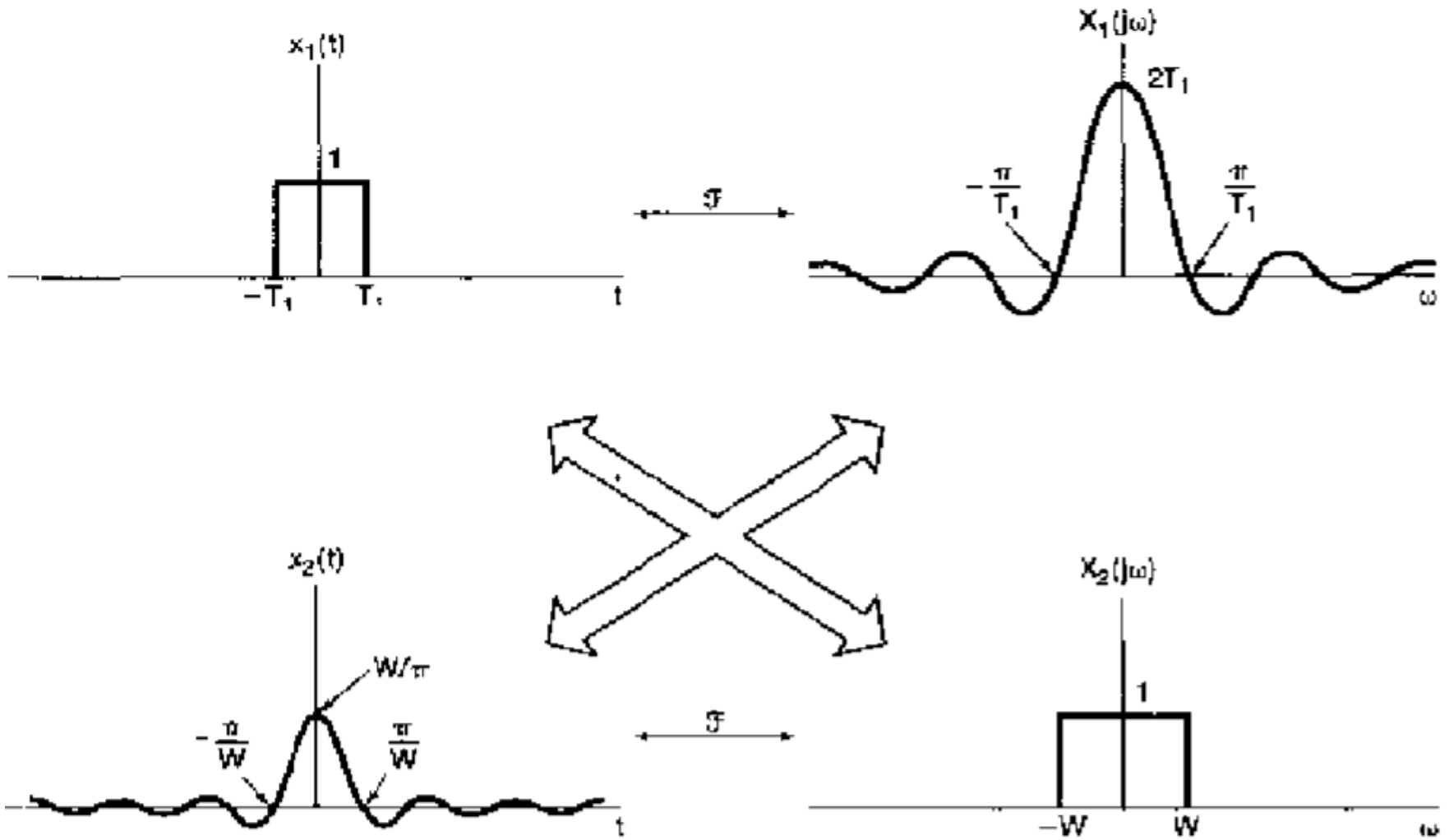
In particular,

$$x(-t) \overset{\mathfrak{F}}{\leftrightarrow} X(-j\omega)$$



Reversing a signal in time reverses its Fourier transform also.

Duality



Example 4.13

What is the Fourier transform, $G(j\omega)$ of $g(t) = 2 / (1 + t^2)$?

From example 4.2: $x(t) = e^{-a|t|}, a > 0 \Rightarrow X(j\omega) = \frac{2a}{a^2 + \omega^2}$

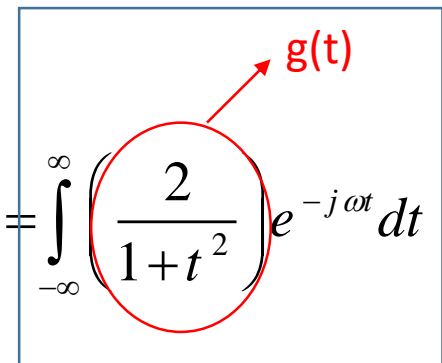
For $a = 1$, $x(t) = e^{-|t|} \Rightarrow X(j\omega) = \frac{2}{1 + \omega^2}$

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega \Rightarrow 2\pi e^{-|t|} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{1 + \omega^2} \right) e^{j\omega t} d\omega$$

Interchanging t and ω , and then substituting t by $-t$,

$$2\pi e^{-|\omega|} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{1 + t^2} \right) e^{j\omega t} dt = \int_{\infty}^{-\infty} \left(\frac{2}{1 + (-t)^2} \right) e^{-j\omega t} (-dt) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{1 + t^2} \right) e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

$$G(j\omega) = 2\pi e^{-|\omega|}$$


$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2}{1 + t^2} \right) e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

$G(j\omega)$

Convolution

For an LTI system:

$$y(t) = h(t) * x(t) \leftrightarrow Y(j\omega) = X(j\omega)H(j\omega)$$

A convolution in time domain implies a multiplication in Fourier domain.

Example 4.15

An impulse response of an LTI system: $h(t) = \delta(t - t_0)$

The frequency response of the system: $H(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - t_0) e^{-j\omega t} dt = e^{-j\omega t_0}$

The Fourier transform of the output: $Y(j\omega) = H(j\omega)X(j\omega) = e^{-j\omega t_0} X(j\omega)$

This is consistent with the time shifting property.

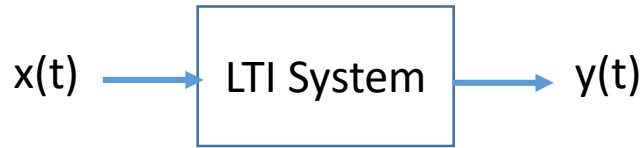
$$Y(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} y(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t - t_0) e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

$$y(t) = x(t - t_0)$$

$$= e^{-j\omega t_0} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\tau) e^{-j\omega \tau} d\tau = e^{-j\omega t_0} X(j\omega)$$

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Examples 4.16, 4.17



$$y(t) = \frac{dx(t)}{dt} \quad \text{Differentiator}$$

From differential property,

$$Y(j\omega) = j\omega X(j\omega)$$

This implies that

$$H(j\omega) = j\omega$$



Frequency response of a differentiator.

$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t x(\tau) d\tau$$

Integrator

The impulse response of the system is a unit step, $u(t)$.

$$h(t) = u(t) \Rightarrow H(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt$$

From example 4.11

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega} + \pi\delta(\omega)$$

$$Y(j\omega) = H(j\omega)X(j\omega)$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{j\omega} + \pi\delta(\omega) \right) X(j\omega)$$

$$= \frac{1}{j\omega} X(j\omega) + \pi\delta(\omega) X(j\omega)$$

$$= \frac{1}{j\omega} X(j\omega) + \pi\delta(\omega) X(0)$$

Example 4.19

Find the response, $y(t)$ of an LTI system, if $x(t) = e^{-bt}u(t)$, $h(t) = e^{-at}u(t)$; $a > 0, b > 0$

$$H(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-at}u(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-at}e^{-j\omega t} dt = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-(a+j\omega)t} dt = \frac{1}{a+j\omega}$$

$$X(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-bt}u(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt = \frac{1}{b+j\omega}$$

$$Y(j\omega) = H(j\omega)X(j\omega) = \left(\frac{1}{a+j\omega}\right)\left(\frac{1}{b+j\omega}\right)$$

$$\left(\frac{1}{a+j\omega}\right)\left(\frac{1}{b+j\omega}\right) = \frac{A}{a+j\omega} + \frac{B}{b+j\omega}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = A(b+j\omega) + B(a+j\omega)$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 = Ab + Ba + j\omega(A+B)$$

$$Ab + Ba = 1; A + B = 0 \Rightarrow A = \frac{1}{b-a} = -B$$

$$Y(j\omega) = \frac{1}{b-a} \left(\frac{1}{a+j\omega} - \frac{1}{b+j\omega} \right)$$

Example 4.19 - contd.

$$e^{-at}u(t) \stackrel{\mathfrak{F}}{\leftrightarrow} \frac{1}{a+j\omega} \quad \text{and} \quad e^{-bt}u(t) \stackrel{\mathfrak{F}}{\leftrightarrow} \frac{1}{b+j\omega}$$

This implies,
$$y(t) = \frac{1}{b-a} (e^{-at} - e^{-bt})u(t), \quad b \neq a$$

If $b = a$,
$$Y(j\omega) = \left(\frac{1}{a+j\omega} \right) \left(\frac{1}{b+j\omega} \right) = \frac{1}{(a+j\omega)^2}$$

We know,

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(\frac{u}{v} \right) = \frac{\left(v \frac{du}{dx} - u \frac{dv}{dx} \right)}{v^2} \Rightarrow \frac{d}{d\omega} \left(\frac{1}{a+j\omega} \right) = \frac{((a+j\omega)(0) - (1)(j))}{(a+j\omega)^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow j \frac{d}{d\omega} \left(\frac{1}{a+j\omega} \right) = \frac{1}{(a+j\omega)^2} = Y(j\omega)$$

Table 4.1

$$tx(t) \stackrel{\mathfrak{F}}{\leftrightarrow} j \frac{d}{d\omega} X(j\omega) \Rightarrow t(e^{-at}u(t)) \stackrel{\mathfrak{F}}{\leftrightarrow} j \frac{d}{d\omega} \left(\frac{1}{a+j\omega} \right) \Rightarrow y(t) = te^{-at}u(t), \quad a = b$$

Some Important Cont.-Time Relationship

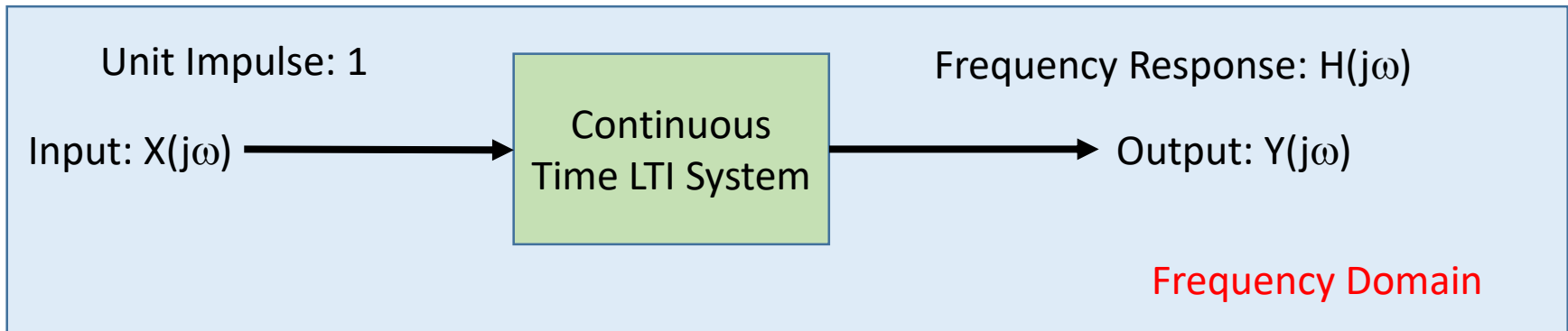
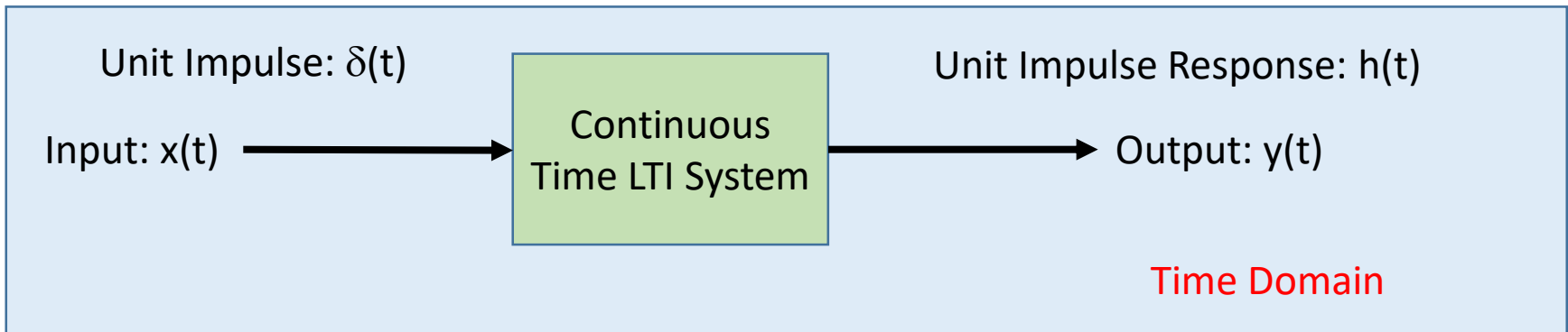


TABLE 4.1 PROPERTIES OF FOURIER TRANSFORM

Property	Aperiodic Signal	Fourier Transform
	$x(t)$ $y(t)$	$X(j\omega)$ $Y(j\omega)$
Linearity	$ax(t) + by(t)$	$aX(j\omega) + bY(j\omega)$
Time Shifting	$x(t - t_0)$	$e^{-j\omega t_0} X(j\omega)$
Frequency Shifting	$e^{j\omega_0 t} x(t)$	$X(j(\omega - \omega_0))$
Conjugation	$x^*(t)$	$X^*(-j\omega)$
Time Reversal	$x(-t)$	$X(-j\omega)$
Time and Frequency Scaling	$x(at)$	$\frac{1}{ a } X\left(\frac{j\omega}{a}\right)$
Convolution	$x(t) * y(t)$	$X(j\omega)Y(j\omega)$
Multiplication	$x(t)y(t)$	$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} X(j\theta) Y(j(\omega - \theta)) d\theta$
Differentiation	$\frac{dx(t)}{dt}$	$j\omega X(j\omega)$
Integration	$\int_{-\infty}^t x(t) dt$	$\frac{1}{j\omega} X(j\omega) + \pi X(0)\delta(\omega)$
Differentiation in Frequency	$tx(t)$	$j \frac{d}{d\omega} X(j\omega)$
Conjugate Symmetry for Real Signals	$x(t)$ real	$X(j\omega) = X^*(-j\omega)$ $\text{Re}\{X(j\omega)\} = \text{Re}\{X(-j\omega)\}$ $\text{Im}\{X(j\omega)\} = -\text{Im}\{X(-j\omega)\}$ $ X(j\omega) = X(-j\omega) $ $\angle X(j\omega) = -\angle X(-j\omega)$
Real and Even Signals	$x(t)$ real and even	$X(j\omega)$ real and even
Real and Odd Signals	$x(t)$ real and odd	$X(j\omega)$ purely imaginary and odd
Even-Odd Decomposition of Real Signals	$\begin{cases} x_e(t) = \mathcal{E}\nu\{x(t)\}, & x(t) \text{ real} \\ x_o(t) = \mathcal{O}d\{x(t)\}, & x(t) \text{ real} \end{cases}$	$\text{Re}\{X(j\omega)\}$ $j \text{Im}\{X(j\omega)\}$
Parseval's Relation for Aperiodic Signals		

TABLE 4.2 BASIC FOURIER TRANSFORM PAIRS

Selected

Signal	Fourier Transform
$x(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & t < T_1 \\ 0, & t > T_1 \end{cases}$	$\frac{2 \sin(\omega T_1)}{\omega}$
$\delta(t)$	1
$u(t)$	$\frac{1}{j\omega} + \pi \delta(\omega)$
$\delta(t - t_0)$	$e^{-j\omega t_0}$
$e^{-at} u(t), \quad \text{Re}\{a\} > 0$	$\frac{1}{a + j\omega}$
$te^{-at} u(t), \quad \text{Re}\{a\} > 0$	$\frac{1}{(a + j\omega)^2}$
$\frac{t^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-at} u(t), \text{Re}\{a\} > 0$	$\frac{1}{(a + j\omega)^n}$