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EE361: Signals and System II

Fourier Series Notes

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Periodic Rectangular Wave



- Please see book for full derivation
 Similar to continuous case
- Must remember truncated geometric series

$$\sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \alpha^n = \frac{1 - \alpha^N}{1 - \alpha}$$

• $a_k = \begin{cases} \frac{2N_1 + 1}{N} & k = 0, \pm N, \pm 2N, \dots \\ \frac{1}{N} \frac{\sin 2\pi k \left(N_1 + \frac{1}{2}\right)/N}{\sin \pi k/N} & k \neq 0, \pm N, \pm 2N, \dots \end{cases}$



Properties of Fourier Series

- Tables 3.1 pg 206 and Table 3.2 pg 221
 Important to know → put on cheat sheet
- Suppose to following FS relationships
 x(t) ↔ a_k x[n] ↔ a_k
 y(t) ↔ b_k y[n] ↔ b_k
- Linearity
 - $Ax(t) + By(t) \leftrightarrow Aa_k + Bb_k$
 - $Ax[n] + By[n] \leftrightarrow Aa_k + Bb_k$



Properties of Fourier Series II

• Time-shifting

•
$$x(t - t_0) \leftrightarrow a_k e^{-jk\omega_0 t_0}$$

• $x[n - n_0] \leftrightarrow a_k e^{-jk\omega_0 n_0}$

• Proof

• Let
$$y(t) = x(t - t_0)$$

• $b_k = \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t - t_0) e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt$
• $\tau = t - t_0$
• $b_k = \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(\tau) e^{-jk\omega_0(t+t_0)} d\tau$
• $b_k = e^{-jk\omega_0 t_0} \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(\tau) e^{-jk\omega_0 \tau} d\tau$
• $b_k = e^{-jk\omega_0 t_0} a_k$



Properties of Fourier Series III

- Frequency shift
 - $e^{jM\omega_0 t} x(t) \leftrightarrow a_{k-M}$
 - $\ \ \, e^{jM\omega_0n}x[n] \leftrightarrow a_{k-M}$
- Time reversal
 - $x(-t) \leftrightarrow a_{-k}$
 - Proof

• Let
$$y(t) = x(-t)$$

• $y(t) = \sum_k a_k e^{jk\omega_0(-t)}$
• Let $m = -k$

• $y(t) = \sum_{k} a_{-m} e^{jm\omega_0 t} = \sum_{k} b_k e^{jk\omega_0 t}$ • $\Rightarrow b_k = a_{-k}$

$$x[-n] \leftrightarrow a_{-k}$$



Properties of Fourier Series IV

- Periodic convolution
 - $\int_T x(\tau) y(t-\tau) d\tau \leftrightarrow T a_k b_k$
 - $\ \ \, \sum_{r=<N>} x[n]y[n-r] \leftrightarrow Na_k b_k$
- Multiplication
 - $x(t)y(t) \leftrightarrow \sum_{l} a_{l}b_{k-l} = a_{k} * b_{k}$
 - $x[n]y[n] \leftrightarrow \sum_{l=\langle N \rangle} a_l b_{k-l} = a_k * b_k$
 - Over a single period (since DT FS is periodic)
- Dual property
 - Convolution in the time domain = multiplication in the frequency domain
 - Multiplication in the time domain = convolution in the frequency domain

Properties of Fourier Series V

• Parseval's relation

$$\frac{1}{T}\int_T |x(t)|^2 dt = \sum_k |a_k|^2$$

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{n = \langle N \rangle} |x[n]|^2 = \sum_{k = \langle N \rangle} |a_k|^2$$

- Total avg. power in a period signal is equal to the sum average power in all its harmonics
- Time scaling

signal



Fourier Series and LTI Systems

• Recall the eigen principle for LTI systems

$$x(t) = e^{st} \leftrightarrow y(t) = H(s)e^{st}$$

•
$$H(s) = \int h(t)e^{-st}dt$$

•
$$x[n] = z^n \leftrightarrow y[n] = H(z)z^n$$

•
$$H(z) = \sum_k h[k] z^{-k}$$

- □ $s, z \in \mathbb{C}$
- H(s), H(z) are known as the system function
- Consider specific values

•
$$s = j\omega$$
, $z = e^{j\omega}$

 Results in frequency response (response to a particular frequency input e.g. sinusoid)

•
$$H(j\omega) = \int h(t)e^{-j\omega t}dt$$

•
$$H(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_k h[n]e^{-j\omega n}$$

Fourier Series and LTI Systems II

- Consider now a FS representation of a periodic signals
- $x(t) = \sum_k a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t} \rightarrow$
- $y(t) = \sum_k a_k H(jk\omega_0) e^{jk\omega_0 t}$
 - Due to superposition (LTI system)
 - Each harmonic in results in harmonic out with eigenvalue
- y(t) periodic with same fundamental frequency as $x(t) \Rightarrow \omega_0$
 - $T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_0}$ fundamental period
- FS coefficients for y(t)
 - $b_k = a_k H(jk\omega_0)$
 - b_k is the FS coefficient a_k multiplied/affected by frequency response at $k\omega_0$

Fourier Series and LTI Systems III

System block diagram



Discrete FS and LTI Systems

•
$$x[n] = \sum_{k=\langle N \rangle} a_k e^{jk2\pi/Nn} \rightarrow$$

 $y[n] = \sum_{k=\langle N \rangle} a_k H(e^{j\frac{2\pi}{N}k})e^{jk2\pi/Nn}$

- Same idea as in the continuous case
 - Each harmonic is modified by the Frequency Response at the harmonic frequency

Example 1

- LTI system with h[n] = $\alpha^n u[n], -1 < \alpha < 1$
- Find FS of y[n] given input $x[n] = \cos\frac{2\pi n}{N}$
- Find FS representation of x[n]• $\omega_0 = 2\pi/N$ • $x[n] = \frac{1}{2}e^{j2\pi/Nn} + \frac{1}{2}e^{-j2\pi/Nn}$ • $a_k =$
 - $\begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} & k = \pm 1, \pm (N+1), \dots \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$

• Find frequency response

•
$$H(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_{n} h[n]e^{-j\omega n}$$

• $H(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_{n} \alpha^{n} u[n]e^{-j\omega n}$

$$H(j\omega) = \sum_{\substack{n=0\\\infty}}^{\infty} \alpha^n e^{-j\omega n}$$
$$H(j\omega) = \sum_{\substack{n=0\\n=0}}^{\infty} (\alpha e^{-j\omega})^n$$

Let
$$\beta = \alpha e^{-j\omega}$$

 $H(j\omega) = \frac{1}{1-\beta}$
 $H(j\omega) = \frac{1}{1-\alpha e^{-j\omega}}$



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Example 1 II

• Use FS LTI relationship to find output

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=} a_k H(e^{jk\omega_0}) e^{jk\omega_0 n}$$

$$y[n] = \frac{1}{2} H\left(e^{j1\frac{2\pi}{N}n}\right) e^{j1\frac{2\pi}{N}n} + \frac{1}{2} H\left(e^{-j1\frac{2\pi}{N}n}\right) e^{-j1\frac{2\pi}{N}n}$$

$$y[n] = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{1-\alpha e^{-jk2\pi/N}}\right) e^{j\frac{2\pi}{N}n} + \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{1-\alpha e^{jk2\pi/N}}\right) e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N}n}$$

• Output FS coefficients • $b_k = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{1 - \alpha e^{-jk2\pi/N}} \right) & k = \pm 1 \\ 0 & else \end{cases}$

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Example Problem 3.7

- x(t) has fundamental period *T* and FS a_k
- Sometimes direct calculation of a_k is difficult, at times easier to calculate transformation

•
$$b_k \leftrightarrow g(t) = \frac{dx(t)}{dt}$$

Find a_k in terms of b_k and T , given $\int_T^{2T} x(t) dt = 2$

•
$$a_0 = \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t) e^{-j(0)\omega_0 t} dt = \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t) dt = 2 = \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t) dt = 2$$

• From Table 3.1 pg 206

•
$$b_k \leftrightarrow jk \frac{2\pi}{T} a_k \Rightarrow a_k = \frac{b_k}{jk 2\pi/T}$$

• $a_k = \begin{cases} 2/T & k = 0\\ \frac{b_k}{ik 2\pi/T} & k \neq 0 \end{cases}$



Example Problem 3.7 II

• Find FS of periodic sawtooth wave



- Take derivative of sawtooth
 - Results in sum of rectangular waves
- FS coefficients of rectangular waves from Table
 3.2 to get b_k ↔ g(t)
- Then use previous result to find $a_k \leftrightarrow x(t)$
- See examples 3.6, 3.7 for similar treatment



Fourier Series Summary

- Continuous Case
- $x(t) = \sum_k a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t}$
- $a_k = \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t) e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt$
- Fundamental frequency ω_0
- Fundamental period $T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_0}$

• Discrete Case

•
$$x[n] = \sum_{k=\langle N \rangle} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 n}$$

•
$$a_k = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=\langle N \rangle} x[n] e^{-jk\omega_0 n}$$

• Fundamental frequency ω_0

• Fundamental period
$$N = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_0}$$