

Fourier Series Properties

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Linearity

If $x(t) \xleftrightarrow{\text{FS}} a_k$ with the same period, T
 $y(t) \xleftrightarrow{\text{FS}} b_k$

Then $z(t) = \alpha x(t) + \beta y(t) \xleftrightarrow{\text{FS}} \alpha a_k + \beta b_k$

Why: Let $z(t) \xleftrightarrow{\text{FS}} c_k$

$$\begin{aligned} c_k &= \frac{1}{T} \int_T z(t) e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{T} t} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{T} \int_T (\alpha x(t) + \beta y(t)) e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{T} t} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{T} \alpha \int_T x(t) e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{T} t} dt + \beta \frac{1}{T} \int_T y(t) e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{T} t} dt \\ &= \alpha a_k + \beta b_k \end{aligned}$$

If $x[n] \xleftrightarrow{\text{FS}} a_k$ with the same period, N
 $y[n] \xleftrightarrow{\text{FS}} b_k$

Then $z[n] = \alpha x[n] + \beta y[n] \xleftrightarrow{\text{FS}} \alpha a_k + \beta b_k$

Why: Let $z[n] \xleftrightarrow{\text{FS}} c_k$

$$\begin{aligned} c_k &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} z[n] e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{N} n} \\ &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} (\alpha x[n] + \beta y[n]) e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{N} n} \\ &= \alpha \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{N} n} + \beta \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} y[n] e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{N} n} \\ &= \alpha a_k + \beta b_k \end{aligned}$$

Time Shifting

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If $x(t) \xleftrightarrow{FS} a_k$ and $y(t) = x(t - t_0)$

Then $y(t) \xleftrightarrow{FS} e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{T} t_0} a_k$

why: Let $y(t) \xleftrightarrow{FS} b_k$

$$b_k = \frac{1}{T} \int_T y(t) e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{T} t} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t - t_0) e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{T} t} dt \quad \text{Let } u = t - t_0 \quad du = dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(u) e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{T} (u + t_0)} du$$

$$= e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{T} t_0} \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(u) e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{T} u} du$$

$$= e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{T} t_0} a_k$$

If $x[n] \xleftrightarrow{FS} a_k$ and $y[n] = x[n - n_0]$

Then $y[n] \xleftrightarrow{FS} e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{N} n_0} a_k$

why: Let $y[n] \xleftrightarrow{FS} b_k$

$$b_k = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} y[n] e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{N} n}$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n - n_0] e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{N} n} \quad \text{Let } l = n - n_0$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{l=-n_0}^{N-n_0-1} x[l] e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{N} (l + n_0)}$$

$$= e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{N} n_0} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{l=-n_0}^{N-n_0-1} x[l] e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{N} l}$$

$$= e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{N} n_0} a_k$$

Time Reversal

If $x(t) \xleftrightarrow{FS} a_k$ and $y(t) = x(-t)$

Then $y(t) \xleftrightarrow{FS} a_{-k}$

If $x[n] \xleftrightarrow{FS} a_k$ and $y[n] = x[-n]$

Then $y[n] \xleftrightarrow{FS} a_{-k}$

~~Theory / Example~~

Multiplication

If $x(t) \xleftrightarrow{FS} a_k$, and they have the same period, T

$y(t) \xleftrightarrow{FS} b_k$

Then $x(t)y(t) \xleftrightarrow{FS} \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} a_l b_{k-l}$ Note: This is $a_k * b_k$

Why: Let $x(t)y(t) \xleftrightarrow{FS} c_k$

$$c_k = \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t)y(t) e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{T} t} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{T} \int_T \left[\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n e^{jn \frac{2\pi}{T} t} \right] \left[\sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} b_m e^{jm \frac{2\pi}{T} t} \right] e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{T} t} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{T} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n b_m \int_T e^{+j \frac{2\pi}{T} (n+m-k) t} dt$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Remember: } \int_T e^{+j \frac{2\pi}{T} (n+m-k) t} dt = \begin{cases} T & n+m-k=0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\rightarrow = \frac{1}{T} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n b_m T \delta(n+m-k)$$

$$= \frac{1}{T} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n \underbrace{b_{k-n}}_{\text{make } k-n} T = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} a_n b_{k-n}$$

If $x[n] \xleftrightarrow{FS} a_k$ and $y[n] \xleftrightarrow{FS} b_k$ they both have the same period, N .

Then $x[n]y[n] \xleftrightarrow{FS} \sum_{l=\langle N \rangle} a_l b_{k-l}$

This is the ~~discrete~~ convolution of a_k & b_k over a period.

Why: Let $x[n]y[n] \xleftrightarrow{FS} c_k$

$$\begin{aligned} c_k &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=\langle N \rangle} x[n]y[n] e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{N} n} \\ &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=\langle N \rangle} \left[\sum_{l=\langle N \rangle} a_l e^{jl \frac{2\pi}{N} n} \right] \left[\sum_{m=\langle N \rangle} b_m e^{jm \frac{2\pi}{N} n} \right] e^{-jk \frac{2\pi}{N} n} \\ &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{l=\langle N \rangle} \sum_{m=\langle N \rangle} a_l b_m \sum_{n=\langle N \rangle} e^{j \frac{2\pi}{N} (l+m-k) n} \\ &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{l=\langle N \rangle} \sum_{m=\langle N \rangle} a_l b_m N \delta(m + (l-k)) \\ &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{l=\langle N \rangle} a_l b_{k-l} N = \sum_{l=\langle N \rangle} a_l b_{k-l} \end{aligned}$$

Take-home message:

Multiplication in time \Rightarrow convolution in frequency ★

Parseval's Relation

$$\frac{1}{T} \int_T |x(t)|^2 dt = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |a_k|^2$$

Proof:
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{T} \int_T |x(t)|^2 dt &= \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t) x^*(t) dt \\ &= \frac{1}{T} \int_T \left[\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk \frac{2\pi}{T} t} \right] \left[\sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} a_l e^{jl \frac{2\pi}{T} t} \right]^* dt \\ &= \frac{1}{T} \int_T \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k a_l^* e^{jk \frac{2\pi}{T} t} e^{-jl \frac{2\pi}{T} t} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k a_l^* \int_T e^{j \frac{2\pi}{T} (k-l) t} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k a_l^* T \delta(k-l) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k a_k^* = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |a_k|^2 \end{aligned}$$

/Proof

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

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$$\text{Proof: } \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=\langle N \rangle} \left[\sum_{l=\langle N \rangle} a_l e^{j l \frac{2\pi}{N} n} \right] \left[\sum_{m=\langle N \rangle} a_m e^{j m \frac{2\pi}{N} n} \right]^*$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{l=\langle N \rangle} \sum_{m=\langle N \rangle} a_l a_m^* \sum_{n=\langle N \rangle} e^{j \frac{2\pi}{N} (l-m) n}$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{l=\langle N \rangle} \sum_{m=\langle N \rangle} a_l a_m^* N \delta(l-m)$$

$$\text{Proof} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{l=\langle N \rangle} N a_l a_l^* = \sum_{l=\langle N \rangle} |a_l|^2$$

Take-home message:

The energy in the time-domain ~~the~~ signal is the same as the energy in the frequency domain.