

# Principles of Communications

## Lecture 1: Signals and Systems

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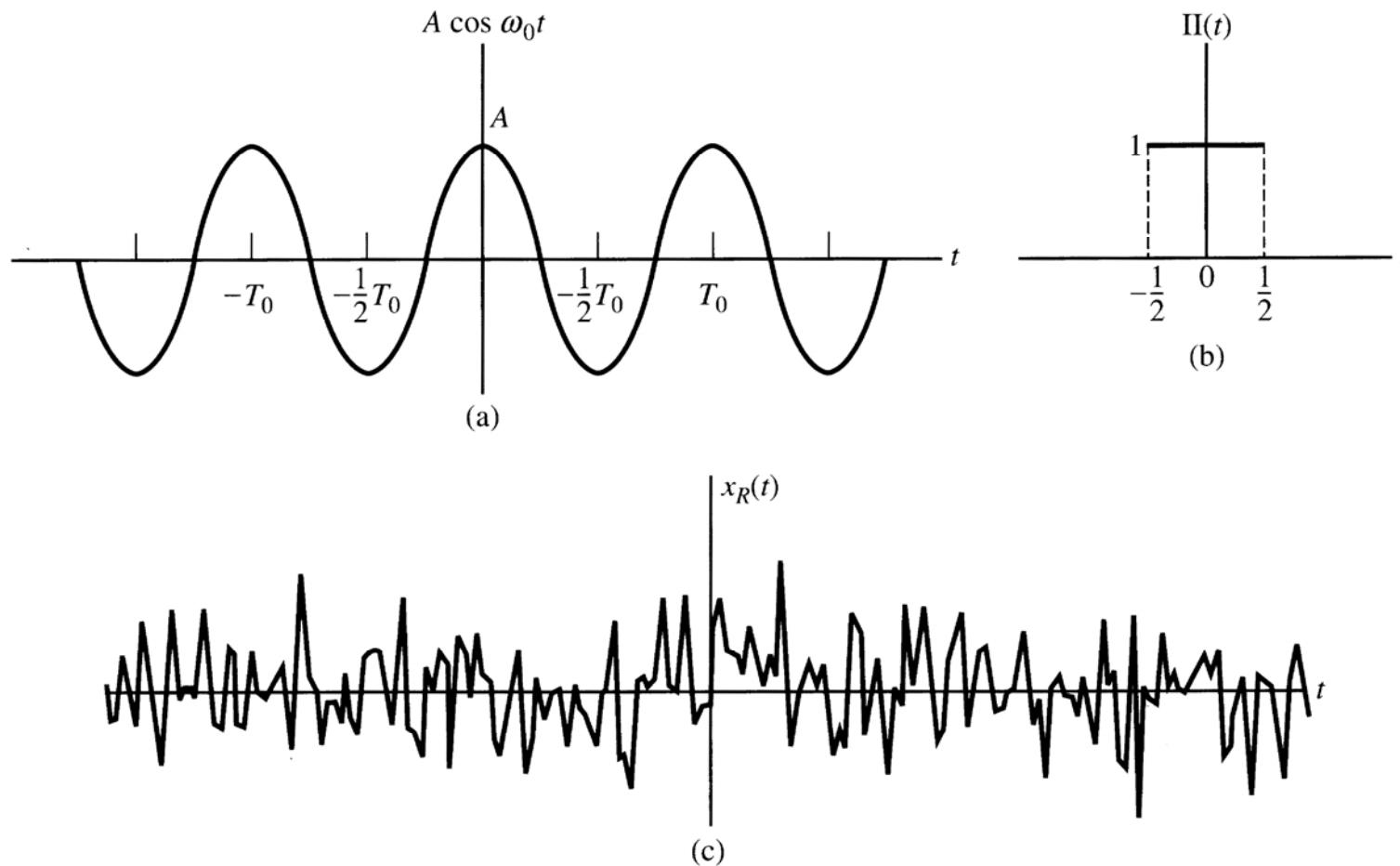
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# Signal Models and Classifications

- **Physical world → Models → Math description**
- What is a signal?
- Usually we think of one-dimensional signals (waveforms); can our schemes be extended to higher dimensions?
- How about representing something uncertain, say, a noise?
- Random variables/processes – mathematical models for random signals

# Deterministic vs. Random

- **Deterministic signals:** Completely specified functions of time.
  - Predictable, no uncertainty,
  - e.g. ,  $x(t) = A \cos(\omega_0 t)$  with  $A$  and  $\omega_0$  are fixed.
- **Random signals (stochastic signals):** Take on *random* values at any given time instant and are characterized by pdf (probability density function).
  - Not completely predictable, with uncertainty,
  - e.g.  $x(n)$  = dice value at the  $n$ -th toss.



**Figure 2.1**

Examples of various types of signals. (a) Deterministic (sinusoidal) signal. (b) Unit rectangular pulse signal. (c) Random signal.

# Periodic vs. Aperiodic Signals

- **Periodic signals**: A signal  $x(t)$  is periodic iff (if and only if) there exists a constant  $T_0$  such that

$$x(t + T_0) = x(t), \quad \forall t$$

- The smallest  $T_0$  is called **fundamental period** or simply **period**.
- **Aperiodic signals**: Cannot find a finite  $T_0$  such that

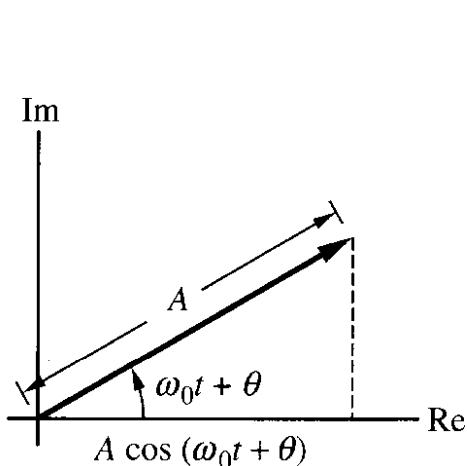
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# Phasor Signals

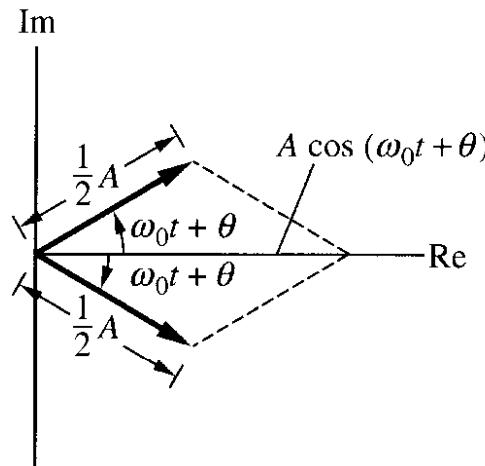
- **Phasor:** A complex sinusoidal function:

$$\tilde{x}(t) = Ae^{j(\omega_0 t + \theta)} = Ae^{j\theta} e^{j\omega_0 t}$$

$\tilde{x}(t)$ : *rotation phasor*,  $Ae^{j\theta}$ : *phasor*



(a)



(b)

**Figure 2.2**

- Two ways of relating a phasor signal to a sinusoidal signal. (a) Projection of a rotating phasor onto the real axis. (b) Addition of complex conjugate rotating phasors.

# Why Phasor?

- Why complex number?
  - Easy mathematical analysis (exp function)
  - Two degree of freedoms at a single frequency (I,Q) → modulation

- Information is contained in  $A$  and  $\theta$ .

- The related **real** sinusoidal function

$$x(t) = \operatorname{Re} \tilde{x}(t) = A \cos(\omega_0 t + \theta). \quad \text{by projection ...}$$

- Express  $x(t)$  in terms of rotating phasors:

$$A \cos(\omega_0 t + \theta) = \frac{1}{2} \tilde{x}(t) + \frac{1}{2} \tilde{x}^*(t). \quad \text{mathematical representation ...}$$

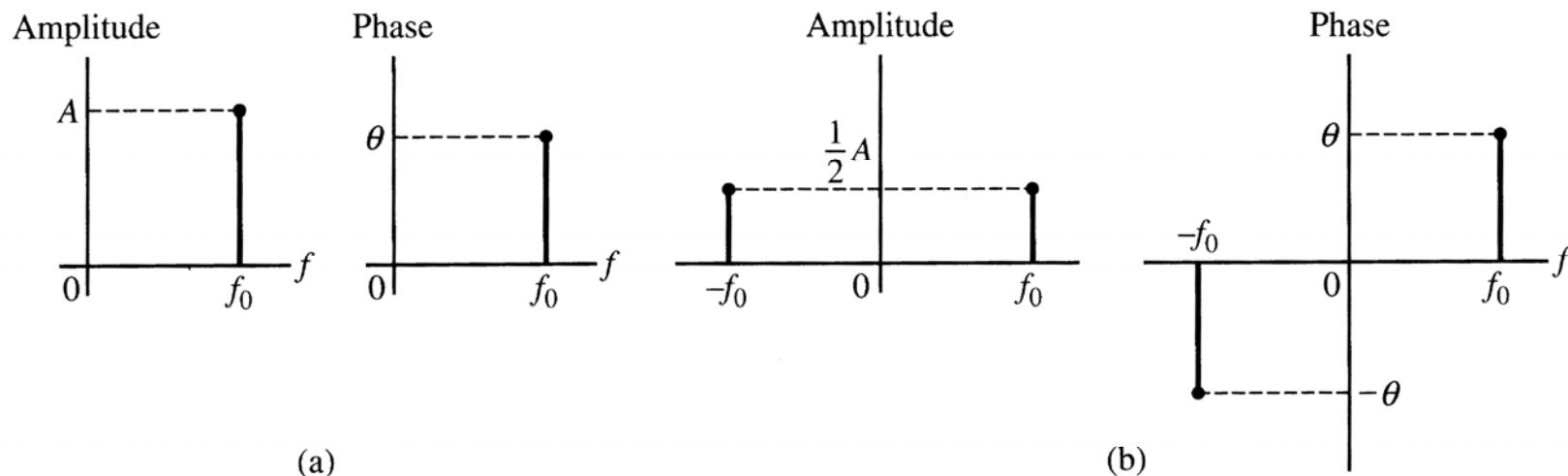
# Frequency Domain Representations

- **Single-sided:** Complex exponential

$$\tilde{x}(t) = Ae^{j\theta} \cdot e^{j\omega_0 t}.$$

- **Double-sided:** Real-value sinusoidal

$$x(t) = A \cos(\omega_0 t + \theta).$$



**Figure 2.3**

Amplitude and phase spectra for the signal  $A \cos(\omega_0 t + \theta)$ . (a) Single sided. (b) Double sided.

# Singularity Functions

- **Unit impulse function:**  $\delta(t)$ 
  - Not an ordinary function. It is a *generalized function*, defined by its associated operation (*just an operator*)

- Defined by

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)\delta(t)dt = x(0)$$

*Note:*  $x(t)$  should be continuous, ...

- It acts like **a sampling device** working only on “one point”

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)\delta(t)dt = \int_{0_-}^{0_+} x(t)\delta(t)dt = x(0)$$

# Impulse Function

- $\delta(t)$  is approximated by a *narrow pulse* with unit area

$$(a) \delta(t) = \begin{cases} \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{1}{2\epsilon}, & |t| < \epsilon \\ 0, & \text{otherwise (or elsewhere)} \end{cases}$$

$$(b) \delta(t) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \epsilon \left( \frac{1}{\pi t} \sin \frac{\pi t}{\epsilon} \right)^2$$

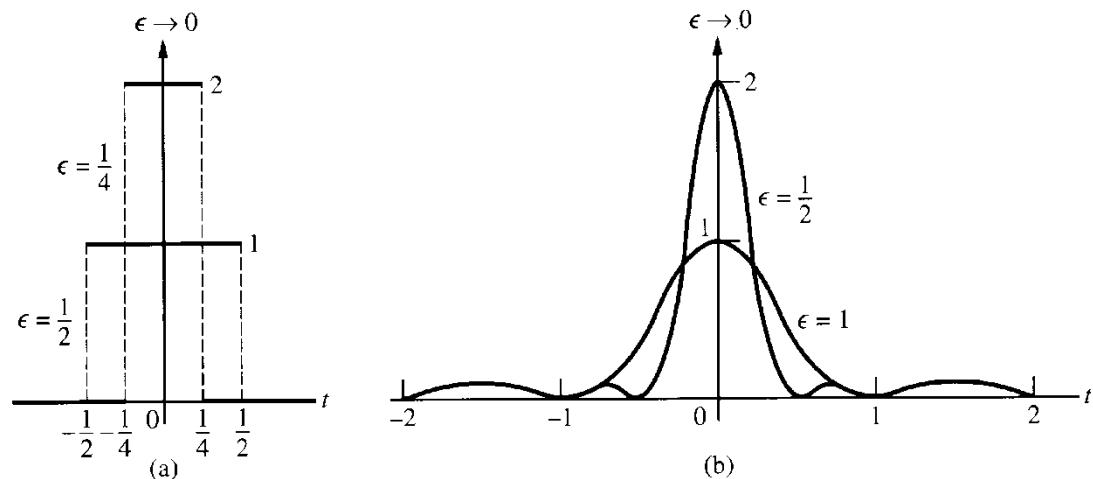


Figure 2.4

Two representations for the unit impulse function in the limit as  $\epsilon \rightarrow 0$ . (a)  $(1/2\epsilon)\Pi(t/2\epsilon)$ .  
(b)  $\epsilon[(1/\pi t)\sin(\pi t/\epsilon)]^2$ .

# Properties of Impulse Function

- Use  $\delta(t)$  only by its properties (Z&T, pp.21~22)

- Shifting:  $x(t_0) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)\delta(t - t_0)dt$

- Time-scaling:  $\delta(at) = \frac{1}{|a|}\delta(t)$

- Symmetry:  $\delta(t) = \delta(-t)$

- Unit step function:

$$u(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t \delta(\lambda)d\lambda; \text{ or } \delta(t) = \frac{du(t)}{dt}$$

# Energy and Power Signals

- Energy:

$$E \equiv \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-T}^T |x(t)|^2 dt$$

- Power:

$$P \equiv \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T |x(t)|^2 dt$$

- **Energy signals:** iff  $0 < E < \infty$  ( $P = 0$ )
- **Power signals:** iff  $0 < P < \infty$  ( $E = \infty$ )

*Note:* If  $x(t)$  is periodic, we only need to check (calculate) its power in one period. (Often, it has infinite energy.)

## *Examples*

$$x_1(t) = Ae^{-\alpha t}u(t)$$

$$x_2(t) = Au(t)$$

$$x_3(t) = A \cos(\omega_0 t + \theta)$$

# Concluding Remarks

- Periodic signals and random signals are often power signals.
- Deterministic and aperiodic signals are often energy signals.
- The energy and power classifications of signals are **mutually exclusive** (cannot be both at the same time). But a signal can be neither energy nor power signal. E.g.

$$x_4(t) = t^{-1/4}u(t)$$

# Signal Space & Orthogonal Basis

- Waveform  $\leftrightarrow$  vector (in geometry, linear algebra)
- The consequence of linearity:  
N-dimensional basis vectors:  $\underline{b}_1, \underline{b}_2, \dots, \underline{b}_N$
- Degree of freedom and independence: For example, in geometry, any 2-D vector  $\underline{x}$  can be decomposed into components along two *orthogonal* basis vectors, (or expanded by these two vectors)  $\underline{x} = x_1 \underline{b}_1 + x_2 \underline{b}_2$
- Meaning of “linear” in linear algebra:

$$\underline{x} + \underline{y} = (x_1 + y_1) \underline{b}_1 + (x_2 + y_2) \underline{b}_2$$

- A *general* function (waveform) can also be expanded by a set of *basis* functions

$$x(t) = \sum_{n=1}^N X_n \phi_n(t), \text{ where } N \text{ can be } \infty.$$

- Define the **inner product of functions** as

$$\langle x(t), y(t) \rangle = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) y^*(t) dt.$$

and the basis is orthogonal, then

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \phi_n(t) \phi_m^*(t) dt \equiv \delta(n - m) \equiv \begin{cases} 1, & n = m \\ 0, & o.w. \end{cases}$$

$$X_m = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) \phi_m^*(t) dt.$$

# Basis Functions

- *Example:* cosine waves

Q1: How to construct a “good” set of basis functions?  
(What conditions? What purposes? ...)

Q2: Can “any” function (waveform) be represented by  
this set of functions?

Q3: How to compute  $X_i$ ?

# Fourier Series

- If  $x(t)$  is periodic with period  $T_0$

- **Fourier Series:**

- Synthesis:

$$x(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} X_n e^{j2\pi n f_0 t}$$

- Analysis:

$$X_n = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) e^{-j2\pi n f_0 t} dt$$

(Notice the integral bounds)

- Decompose a periodic signal into *countable* (frequency) components ( $\sin()$ ,  $\cos()$ )

$$\hat{x}(t) = X_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ X_n e^{j2\pi n f_0 t} + X_{-n} e^{j2\pi(-n)f_0 t} \right]$$

# FS of Real Functions

- If  $x(t)$  is *real*,  $X_n$  is conjugate symmetric.

$$\hat{x}(t) = X_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ X_n e^{j2\pi n f_0 t} + X_{-n} e^{j2\pi(-n)f_0 t} \right]$$

$$X_{-n} = |X_{-n}| e^{j\angle X_{-n}} = |X_n| e^{-j\angle X_{-n}} = X_n^*$$

$$\hat{x}(t) = X_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |X_n| \left( e^{j(2\pi n f_0 t + \angle X_n)} + e^{-j(2\pi n f_0 t + \angle X_n)} \right)$$

$$\boxed{\hat{x}(t) = X_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2|X_n| \cos(2\pi n f_0 t + \angle X_n)}$$

- Or, use both cosine and sine:

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{x}(t) &= X_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2|X_n| [\cos(\angle X_n) \cos(2\pi n f_0 t) - \sin(\angle X_n) \sin(2\pi n f_0 t)] \\ &= X_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos(2\pi n f_0 t) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin(2\pi n f_0 t)\end{aligned}$$

with  $a_n = 2|X_n| \cos(\angle X_n)$        $b_n = -2|X_n| \sin(\angle X_n)$

Or (rewrite):

$$\begin{aligned}a_n &= 2|X_n| \cos(\angle X_n) = 2 \operatorname{Re}\{X_n\} = \frac{2}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) \cos(2\pi n f_0 t) dt \\ b_n &= -\frac{2}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) \sin(2\pi n f_0 t) dt\end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{x}(t) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos(2\pi n f_0 t) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin(2\pi n f_0 t)$$

DC or **average component** of  $x(t)$  + (n=1) the fundamental harmonic of  $x(t)$  + (n=2) the second harmonic of  $x(t)$  + ...

# DC and AC Coefficients

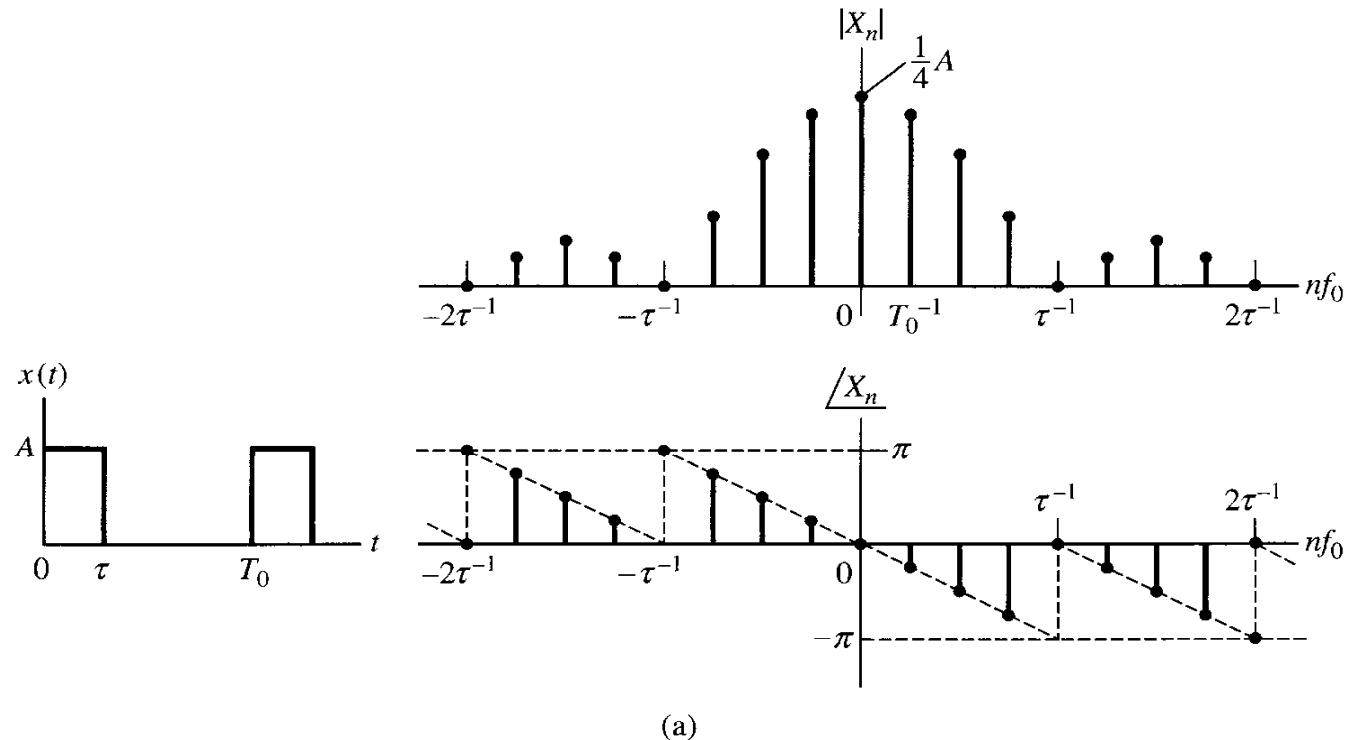
- DC coefficient 
$$X_0 = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) e^{-j2\pi(0)f_0 t} dt = \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) dt$$

= average of  $x(t)$
- AC coefficients 
$$X_n = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) [\cos(2\pi n f_0 t) - j \sin(2\pi n f_0 t)] dt$$
$$= \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{-T_0/2}^{T_0/2} x(t) \cos(2\pi n f_0 t) dt - j \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{-T_0/2}^{T_0/2} x(t) \sin(2\pi n f_0 t) dt$$
  - If  $x(t)$  is even and real, that is  $x(t) = x(-t)$ , the second term is zero.  
Hence  $X_n$  is purely real and even
  - If  $x(t)$  is odd and real, that is  $x(t) = -x(-t)$ , the first term is zero. Hence  $X_n$  is purely imaginary and odd

# FS Properties

- **Linearity** If  $x(t) \leftrightarrow a_k$  and  $y(t) \leftrightarrow b_k$   
then  $Ax(t)+By(t) \leftrightarrow Aa_k + Bb_k$
- **Time Reversal**  
If  $x(t) \leftrightarrow a_k$  then  $x(-t) \leftrightarrow a_{-k}$
- **Time Shifting**  $x(t-t_0) \xleftrightarrow{F} e^{-j2\pi f_0 t_0} a_k$
- **Time Scaling**  $x(at) \xleftrightarrow{F} \frac{1}{|a|} X_{\frac{n}{a}}$  but the fundamental frequency changes
- **Multiplication**  $x(t)y(t) \leftrightarrow a_k * b_k = \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} a_l b_{k-l}$
- **Conjugation and Conjugate Symmetry**  
 $x(t) \leftrightarrow a_k$  and  $x^*(t) \leftrightarrow a_{-k}^*$   
If  $x(t)$  is real  $\Rightarrow a_{-k} = a_k^*$

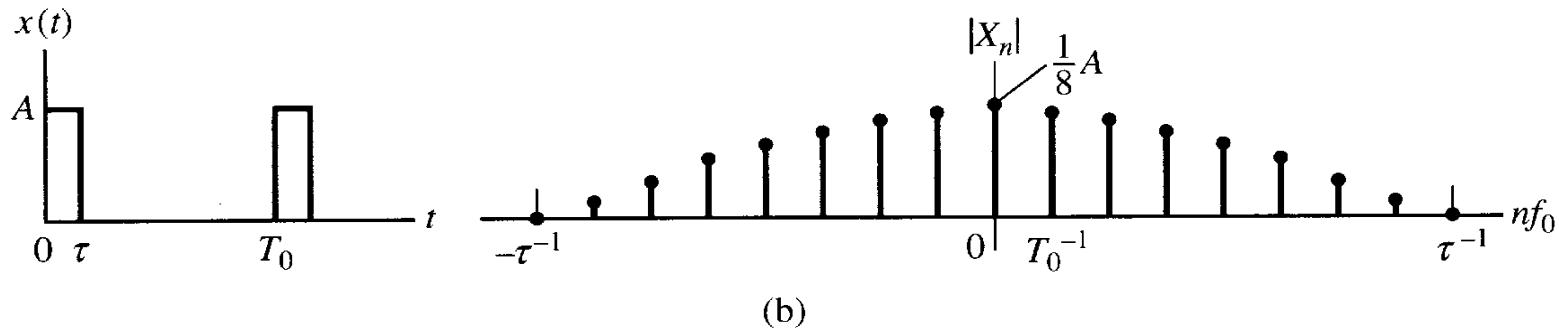
# Example: FS



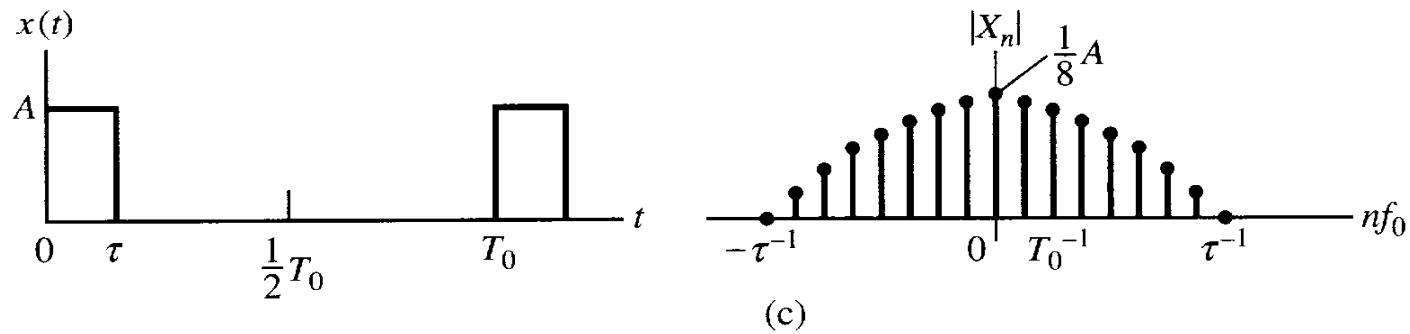
**Figure 2.7**

Spectra for a periodic pulse train signal. (a)  $\tau = \frac{1}{4} T_0$ . (b)  $\tau = \frac{1}{8} T_0$ ;  $T_0$  same as in (a). (c)  $\tau = \frac{1}{8} T_0$ ;  $\tau$  same as in (a).

# *Example: Time Scaling*



(b)



(c)

**Figure 2.7**  
Continued.

# Parseval's Theorem

Power in time domain = Power in frequency domain

$$P_x = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_1}^{t_1+T_0} |x(t)|^2 dt \quad P_x = \frac{1}{T_0} \left[ \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} T_o |X_n|^2 \right] = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |X_n|^2$$

**Table 2.1 Fourier Series for Several Periodic Signals**

Signal (one period)	Coefficients for exponential Fourier series
1. Asymmetrical pulse train; period = $T_0$ : $x(t) = A \Pi\left(\frac{t-t_0}{\tau}\right), \tau < T_0$ $x(t) = x(t+T_0), \text{ all } t$	$X_n = \frac{A\tau}{T_0} \text{sinc}(nf_0\tau)e^{-j2\pi nf_0 t_0}$ $n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$
2. Half-rectified sine wave; period = $T_0 = 2\pi/\omega_0$ : $x(t) = \begin{cases} A \sin(\omega_0 t), & 0 \leq t \leq T_0/2 \\ 0, & -T_0/2 \leq t \leq 0 \end{cases}$ $x(t) = x(t+T_0) \text{ all } t$	$X_n = \begin{cases} \frac{A}{\pi(1-n^2)}, & n = 0, \pm 2, \pm 4, \dots \\ 0, & n = \pm 3, \pm 5, \dots \\ -\frac{1}{4}jnA, & n = \pm 1 \end{cases}$
3. Full-rectified sine wave; period = $T_0 = \pi/\omega_0$ : $x(t) = A  \sin(\omega_0 t) $	$X_n = \frac{2A}{\pi(1-4n^2)}, \quad n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$
4. Triangular wave: $x(t) = \begin{cases} -\frac{4A}{T_0}t + A, & 0 \leq t \leq T_0/2 \\ \frac{4A}{T_0}t + A, & -T_0/2 \leq t \leq 0 \end{cases}$ $x(t) = x(t+T_0), \text{ all } t$	$X_n = \begin{cases} \frac{4A}{\pi^2 n^2}, & n \text{ odd} \\ 0, & n \text{ even} \end{cases}$

# Remarks

- Fourier found that the sinusoids are good orthonormal basis functions to expand a periodic function
- The Fourier series is derived from the good orthonormal basis functions for a periodic function, defined over a period interval  $(t_0, t_0+T_0)$
- How about the aperiodic signal?
  - We consider the aperiodic energy signal  $x(t)$ , that is  $x(t)$  is integrable in the interval  $(-\infty, \infty)$
  - Note that aperiodic signals are mostly finite duration
  - We may interpret the aperiodic function as a special case of periodic function with infinite period

$$x(t) = \lim_{T_0 \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{\frac{-T_0}{2}}^{\frac{T_0}{2}} x(\lambda) e^{-j2\pi f_0 \lambda} d\lambda \right] e^{j2\pi n f_0 t}, \quad |t| < \frac{T_0}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\lambda) e^{-j2\pi f \lambda} d\lambda \right] e^{j2\pi f t} df$$

# Fourier Transform Definition

- Then

$$\begin{aligned}x(t) &= \lim_{df \rightarrow 0} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} X_n e^{j2\pi n df t} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left( \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(\lambda) e^{-j2\pi f \lambda} d\lambda \right) e^{j2\pi f t} df \\&\equiv \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f) e^{j2\pi f t} df\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}X(f) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) e^{-j2\pi f t} dt \\&\equiv \text{Fourier Transform of } x(t) \\&= \text{frequency response of } x(t)\end{aligned}$$

# Fourier Transform for Aperiodic Signals

- Aperiodic signals may be viewed as having periods that are “infinitely” long.
- Summation is replaced by integration.
- Decompose an aperiodic signal into *uncountable* (infinite) frequency components.
- Similar mathematical form, and similar interpretation.
- To be discussed: FT of impulses (samples)
- Why sinusoidal functions? (a) eigenfunctions of linear system; (b) orthogonal & complete basis

# Energy Spectral Density

- For periodic signal, we have power spectral density  $|X_n|^2$
- For aperiodic energy signal, we have the similar energy spectral density  $G(f) \equiv |X(f)|^2$

$$\begin{aligned} E &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^*(t)x(t)dt \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^*(t) \left( \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f)e^{j2\pi ft} df \right) dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^*(t)e^{j2\pi ft} dt df \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f)X^*(f) df = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |X(f)|^2 df \end{aligned}$$

By Parseval's theorem

## Fourier Series

$x(t)$ : **periodic**, with period  $T_0 = \frac{1}{f_0}$   
 $\omega_0 = 2\pi f_0$

Synthesis: 
$$x(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t}$$

$X_n$  : Fourier coefficient (spectra coefficient)

## Analysis:

$$X_n = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} x(t) e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt$$

## Fourier Transform

$x(t)$ : **aperiodic**,  $\omega = 2\pi f$

### Synthesis:

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(f) e^{j2\pi ft} df \end{aligned}$$

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## Frequency components:

1. Has a *fundamental* freq. and many harmonics.

$n=1$ , fundamental

$n=2$ , second harmonic

$n=3$ , third harmonic

2. (Discrete) *line spectra*

$$X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t} = |X_n| e^{j\angle X_n} e^{jn\omega_0 t}$$

$-\infty < n < \infty$

$|X_n|$ : amplitude

$\angle X_n$ : phase

Power Spectral Density:  $|X_n|^2$

and (by Parseval's equality)

$$P = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{t_0}^{t_0+T_0} |x(t)|^2 dt = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |X_n|^2$$

## Frequency components:

1. No fundamental freq. and contain all possible freq.

2. *Continuous spectra (density)*

$$X(f) e^{j2\pi f t} = |X(f)| e^{j\angle X(f)} e^{j2\pi f t}$$

$-\infty < f < \infty$

$|X(f)|$ : amplitude

$\angle X(f)$ : phase

Energy Spectral Density:

$$G(f) \equiv |X(f)|^2$$

and

$$E = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |X(f)|^2 df$$

# Conditions of Existence

- Does *any* periodic function have FS?

$$e_N(t) \equiv [x(t) - \sum_{n=-N}^N X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t}]$$

Would  $e_N(t) \rightarrow 0, \forall t$  as  $N \rightarrow \infty$  ?

- a) **square integrable** condition (for the power signal):  $\int_{T_0}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt < \infty$

$$\int_{T_0}^{\infty} [e_N(t)]^2 dt \rightarrow 0 \text{ as } N \rightarrow \infty$$

but not necessarily  $|e_N(t)| \rightarrow 0, \forall t$

- b) **Dirichlet's conditions:**

- i) finite no. of finite discontinuities;
- ii) finite no. of finite max & min.;
- iii) absolute integrable:

$$\int_{T_0}^{\infty} |x(t)| dt < \infty$$

- Dirichlet's condition implies convergence almost everywhere, except at some discontinuities.

- Does *any* aperiodic function have FT?

$$e_T(t) \equiv [x(t) - \int_{-T}^T X(f) e^{j2\pi ft} df]$$

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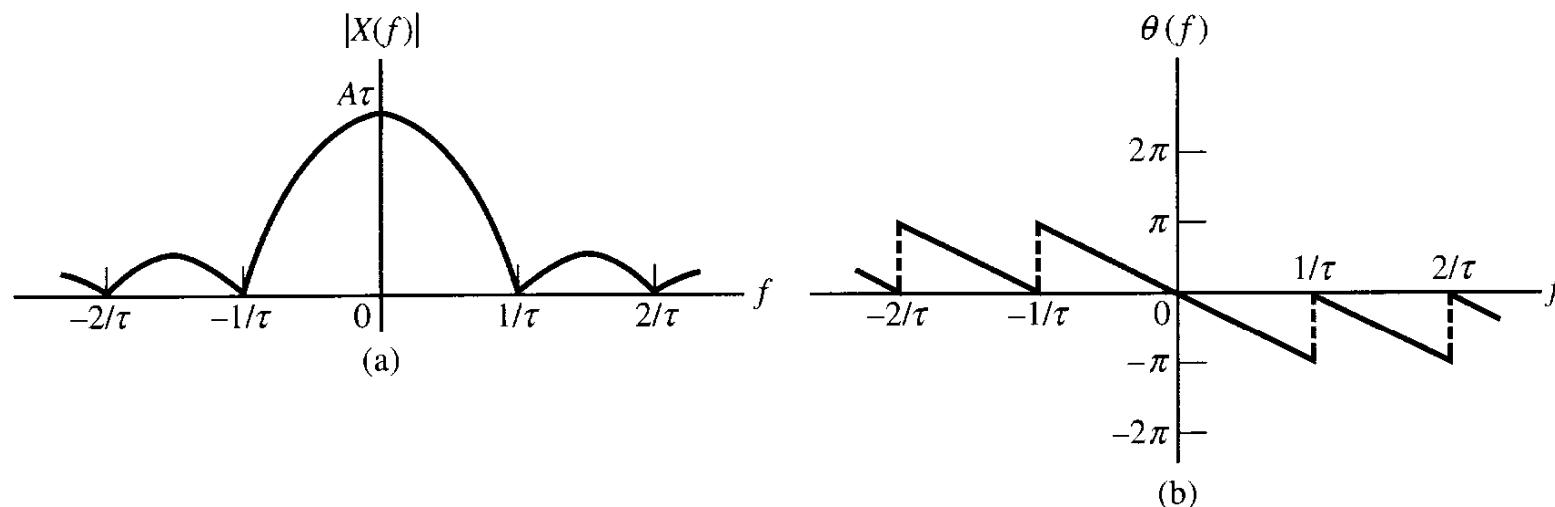
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# Symmetry Properties

## ■ Real-valued $x(t)$ and Its Fourier Function

For real periodic  $x(t)$ ,  $X_{-n} = X_n^*$

For real aperiodic  $x(t)$ ,  $X(f) = X^*(-f)$



**Figure 2.8**

Amplitude and phase spectra for a pulse signal. (a) Amplitude spectrum. (b) Phase spectrum ( $t_0 = \frac{1}{2}\tau$  is assumed).

# FT of Singular Functions

- $\delta(t)$  is not an energy signal (hence doesn't satisfy Dirichlet condition).

However, its FT can be obtained by “generalization”

(formal definition).  $\Im[\delta(t)] = \Im\left[\lim_{\tau \rightarrow 0}\left(\frac{1}{\tau}\right)\Pi\left(\frac{t}{\tau}\right)\right] = \lim_{\tau \rightarrow 0} \text{sinc}(f\tau) = 1$

$$\delta(t) \xrightarrow{FT} 1, \quad 1 \xrightarrow{FT} \delta(f)$$

- Ex: The FT of  $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - nT_0)$  ?

$$A\delta(t - t_0) \xrightarrow{FT} Ae^{-j2\pi t_0 f}, \quad Ae^{j\pi f_0 t} \xrightarrow{FT} A\delta(f - f_0)$$

# FT of Periodic Signals

- Periodic signals are not energy signals (don't satisfy Dirichlet's conditions). But we are doing it anyway (justified by advanced math.)...
- Map FS to FT:

$$x(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t} \Rightarrow X(f) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} X_n \delta(f - nf_0)$$

- Ex-1:  $\cos 2\pi f_0 t$
- Ex-2:  $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - nT_0)$  (A pulse train! What good are they for?)

# FT of Periodic Signals (2)

- Let FT of an energy signal  $p(t)$  be

$$\mathfrak{J}\{p(t)\} = P(f)$$

- Aperiodic signal  $x(t)$  is generated by duplicating  $p(t)$  at every interval  $T_s$ . Then

$$x(t) = \left[ \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - nT_s) \right] * p(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} p(t - nT_s)$$

- From convolution theorem,

$$X(f) = \mathfrak{J}\left\{ \left[ \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - nT_s) \right] \right\} \times P(f)$$

$$= f_s \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(f - nf_s) \times P(f) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} f_s P(nf_s) \delta(f - nf_s)$$

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Since  $\sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} p(t - mT_s) \leftrightarrow \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} f_s P(nf_s) \delta(f - nf_0)$

- Take inverse FT of the eqn.

$$\mathfrak{I}^{-1}\{X(f)\} = x(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} p(t - nT_s) = \mathfrak{I}^{-1}\left\{\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} f_s P(nf_s) \delta(f - nf_s)\right\}$$

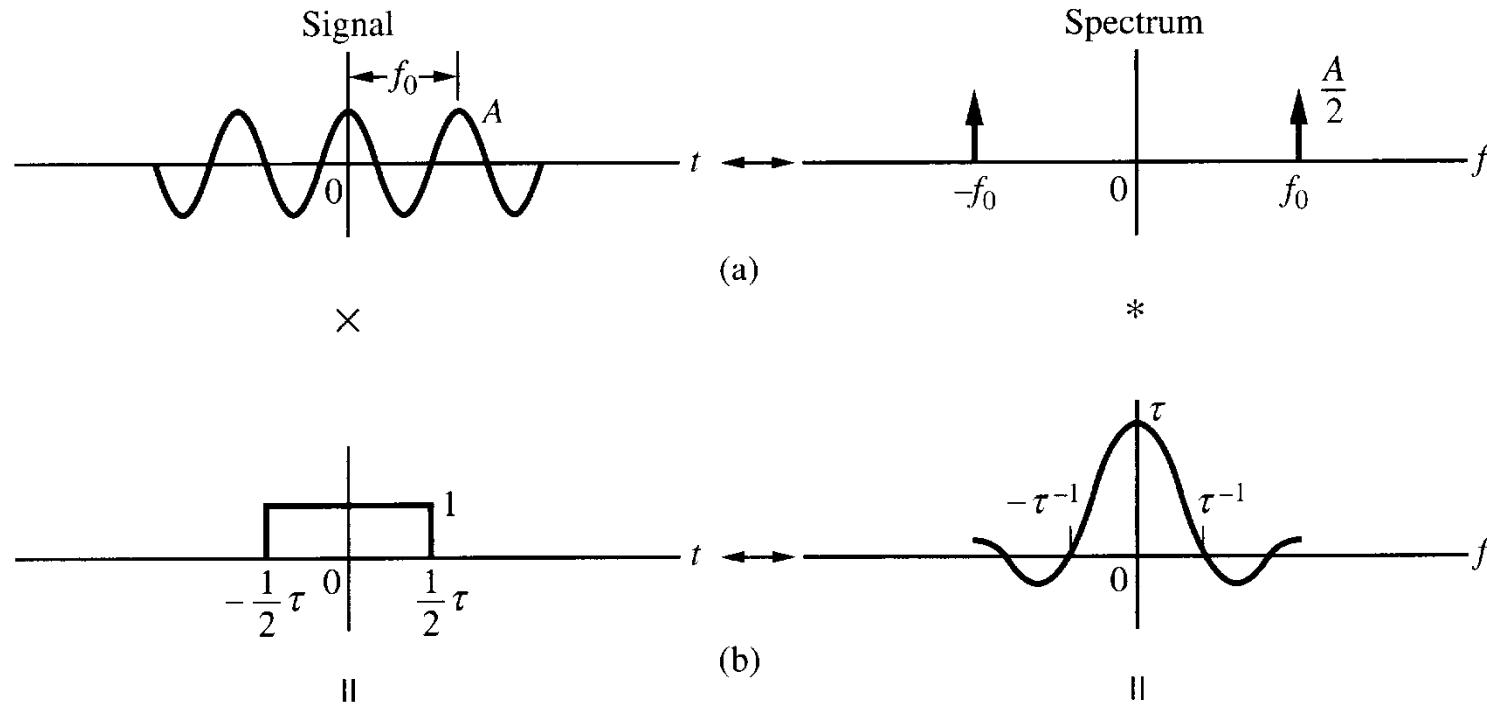
$$= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} f_s P(nf_s) \mathfrak{I}^{-1}\{\delta(f - nf_s)\} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} f_s P(nf_s) e^{j2\pi n f_s t}$$

$$\rightarrow \boxed{\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} p(t - nT_s) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} f_s P(nf_s) e^{j2\pi n f_s t}}$$

Poisson sum formula

The sample values  $P(nf_s)$  of  $P(f) = \mathfrak{I}\{p(t)\}$  are the Fourier series coefficients of  $T_s \sum p(t - mT_s)$

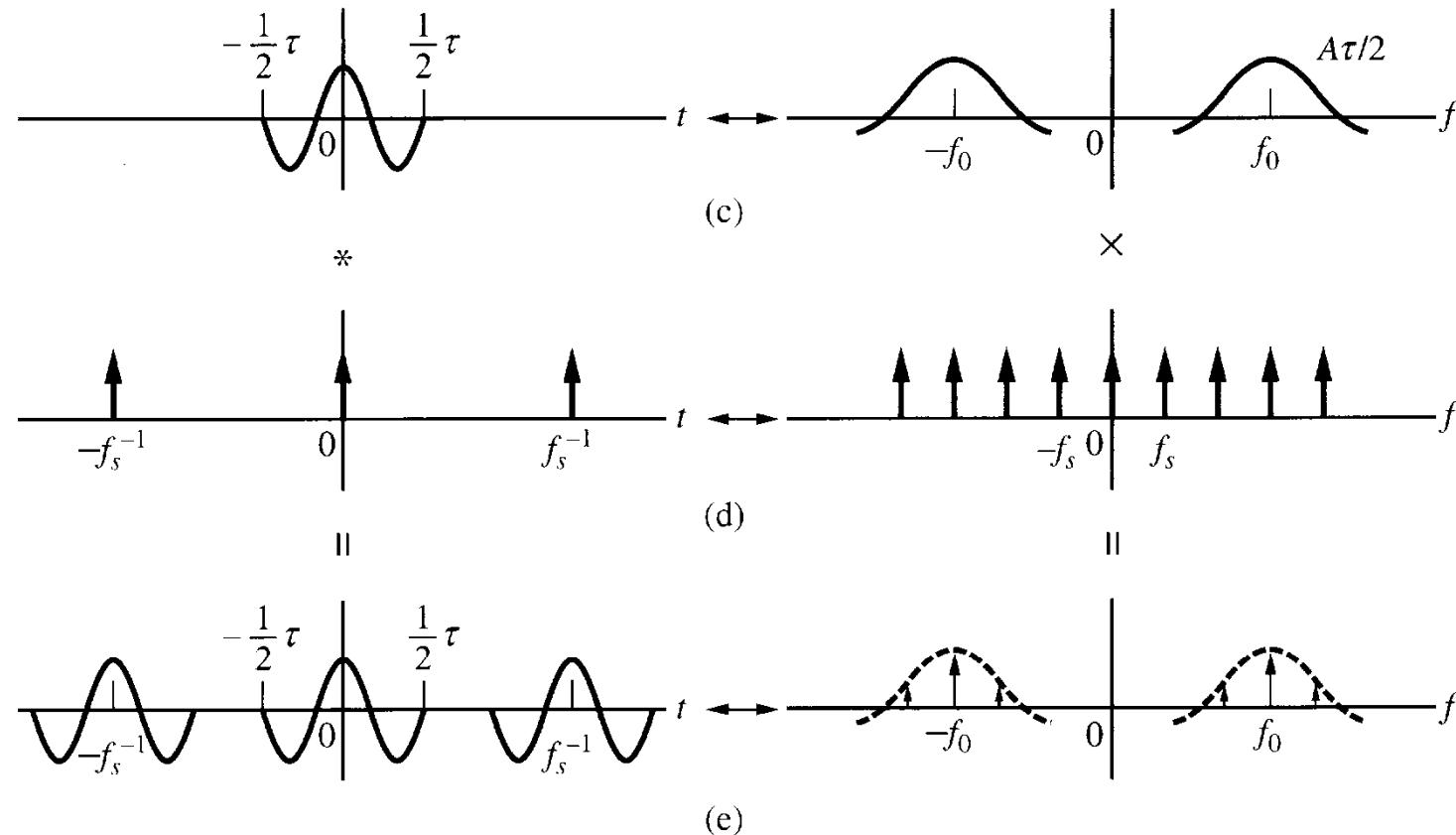
# Examples of FT



**Figure 2.11**

(a)–(c) Application of the multiplication theorem. (d)–(e) Application of the convolution theorem.  
Note:  $\times$  denotes multiplication;  $*$  denotes convolution,  $\leftrightarrow$  denotes transform pairs.

# *Ex* of FT (Periodic Signals)



**Figure 2.11**

Continued.

# FT Properties

Name	Time domain operation (signals assumed real)	Frequency domain operation
Superposition	$a_1x_1(t) + a_2x_2(t)$	$a_1X_1(f) + a_2X_2(f)$
Time delay	$x(t - t_0)$	$X(f) \exp(-j2\pi t_0 f)$
Scale change	$x(at)$	$ a ^{-1} X\left(\frac{f}{a}\right)$
Time reversal	$x(-t)$	$X(-f) = X^*(f)$
Duality	$X(t)$	$x(-f)$
Frequency translation	$x(t) \exp(j2\pi f_0 t)$	$X(f - f_0)$
Modulation	$x(t) \cos(2\pi f_0 t)$	$\frac{1}{2} X(f - f_0) + \frac{1}{2} X(f + f_0)$
Convolution*	$x_1(t) * x_2(t)$	$X_1(f)X_2(f)$
Multiplication	$x_1(t)x_2(t)$	$X_1(f) * X_2(f)$
Differentiation	$\frac{d^n x(t)}{dt^n}$	$(j2\pi f)^n X(f)$
Integration	$\int_{-\infty}^t x(\lambda) d\lambda$	$\frac{X(f)}{j2\pi f} + \frac{1}{2} X(0)\delta(f)$

$$^*x_1(t) * x_2(t) \triangleq \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x_1(\lambda) x_2(t - \lambda) d\lambda.$$

# FT Pairs

Signal	Fourier transform
$\Pi(t/\tau) = \begin{cases} 1, &  t  \leq \frac{\tau}{2} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$	$\tau \operatorname{sinc}(f\tau) = \tau \frac{\sin(\pi f\tau)}{\pi f\tau}$
$2W \operatorname{sinc}(2Wt)$	$\Pi\left(\frac{f}{2W}\right)$
$\Lambda(t/\tau) = \begin{cases} 1 - \frac{ t }{\tau}, &  t  \leq \tau \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$	$\tau \operatorname{sinc}^2(f\tau)$
$W \operatorname{sinc}^2(Wt)$	$\Lambda\left(\frac{f}{W}\right)$
$\exp(-\alpha t)u(t), \quad \alpha > 0$	$\frac{1}{(\alpha + j2\pi f)}$
$t \exp(-\alpha t)u(t), \quad \alpha > 0$	$\frac{1}{(\alpha + j2\pi f)^2}$
$\exp(-\alpha t ), \quad \alpha > 0$	$\frac{2\alpha}{\alpha^2 + (2\pi f)^2}$
$\exp\left[-\pi\left(\frac{t}{\tau}\right)^2\right]$	$\tau \exp[-\pi(\tau f)^2]$
$\delta(t)$	$1$
$1$	$\delta(f)$
$\cos(2\pi f_0 t)$	$\frac{1}{2}\delta(f - f_0) + \frac{1}{2}\delta(f + f_0)$
$\sin(2\pi f_0 t)$	$\frac{1}{2j}\delta(f - f_0) - \frac{1}{2j}\delta(f + f_0)$
$u(t)$	$\frac{1}{j2\pi f} + \frac{1}{2}\delta(f)$
$\frac{1}{(\pi t)}$	$-j \operatorname{sgn} f; \operatorname{sgn} f = \begin{cases} 1, & f > 0 \\ -1, & f < 0 \end{cases}$
$\sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - mT_s)$	$f_s \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(f - nf_s); \quad f_s = \frac{1}{T_s}$