

# Ch 3 – Fourier Series Representation

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- Born in Auxerre, France
- Mathematician and physicist
- Developed Fourier series, Fourier transforms and their applications on heat and vibration
- Life span: 21 March 1768 – 16 May 1830
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## 3.2 The response of LTI systems to complex exponentials

The response of an LTI system to a complex exponential input is the same complex exponential with only a change of amplitude.

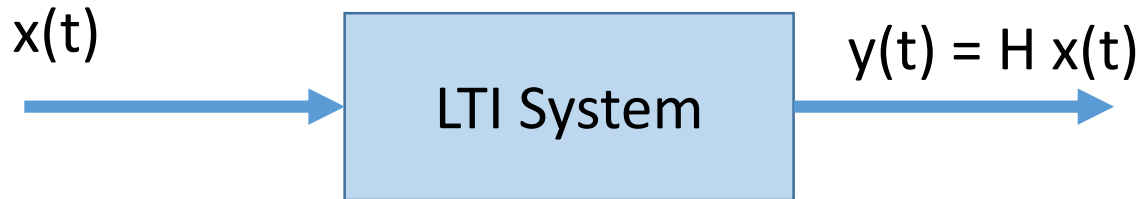
Continuous time:  $e^{st} \rightarrow H(s)e^{st}$

Discrete time:  $z^n \rightarrow H(z)z^n$

$H(s)$  and  $H(z)$  are the complex amplitude factor.

A signal for which the system output is a (possibly complex) constant times the input is referred to as an ‘eigen function’ of the system, and the amplitude factor is referred to as the system’s ‘eigenvalue’.

# Continuous time case



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

- The complex exponentials are 'eigenfunctions' of LTI systems.
- The constant  $H(s)$  for a specific value of  $s$  is the 'eigenvalue' associated with the eigenfunction  $e^{st}$ .

If  $x(t) = e^{st}$  (a complex exponential)

then  $y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau) e^{s(t-\tau)} d\tau$

$$e^{s(t-\tau)} = e^{st} e^{-s\tau}$$

$$y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau) e^{st} e^{-s\tau} d\tau = e^{st} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau) e^{-s\tau} d\tau$$

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

where,  $H(s) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\tau) e^{-s\tau} d\tau$

# Discrete time case

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} h[k]x[n-k]$$

If  $x[n] = z^n$

then  $y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} h[k]z^{n-k}$

$$y[n] = z^n \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} h[k]z^{-k}$$

$$y[n] = H(z)z^n$$

where  $H(z) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} h(k)z^{-k}$

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# 3.3 Fourier Series Representation of Continuous-Time Periodic Signals

## 3.3.1 Linear combination of harmonically related complex exponentials

A signal is periodic, if, for some positive value of  $T$ ,

$$x(t) = x(t + T), \quad \text{for all } t$$

The fundamental period of  $x(t)$  is the minimum, positive, nonzero value of  $T$  for which the above equation is satisfied.

$$\text{Fundamental frequency: } \omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T}$$

Basic periodic signals:

Sinusoidal:  $x(t) = \cos(\omega_0 t)$

Complex exponential:  $x(t) = e^{j\omega_0 t}$

Harmonically related signals with the complex exponential:

$$\phi_k(t) = e^{jk\omega_0 t} = e^{jk(2\pi/T)t}, \quad k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$$

# Linear combination of harmonically related complex exponentials

$x(t)$  with  $n$  mutually orthogonal functions is given by:

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t} = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk(2\pi/T)t} \text{ is periodic with period } T.$$

- The term for  $k = 0$  is a constant.
- The terms for  $k = \pm 1$  are the ‘first harmonic components’ or ‘fundamental components’.
- The terms for  $k = \pm 2$  are the ‘second harmonic components’.
- The terms for  $k = \pm N$  are the ‘ $N$ -th harmonic components’.

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## Example 3.2

Consider a periodic signal  $x(t)$  with fundamental frequency  $2\pi$ , expressed as:

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-3}^3 a_k e^{jk2\pi t}$$

where,

$$a_0 = 1$$
$$a_1 = a_{-1} = 1/4$$
$$a_2 = a_{-2} = 1/2$$
$$a_3 = a_{-3} = 1/3$$

With these values, Eq. (3.26) can be re-written as:

$$x(t) = 1 + \frac{1}{4} (e^{j2\pi t} + e^{-j2\pi t}) + \frac{1}{2} (e^{j4\pi t} + e^{-j4\pi t}) + \frac{1}{3} (e^{j6\pi t} + e^{-j6\pi t})$$

$$x(t) = 1 + \frac{1}{2} \cos(2\pi t) + \cos(4\pi t) + \frac{2}{3} \cos(6\pi t)$$

$$2 \cos(\omega t) = e^{j\omega t} + e^{-j\omega t}$$

## 3.3.2 Determination of the Fourier Series Representation of Continuous-Time Signals

Given a periodic continuous signal  $x(t)$  with a fundamental period  $T$  and the fundamental frequency  $\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T}$

We can express it as a Fourier series as:

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

**How to find  $a_k$ ?**

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

$$\int_0^T x(t)e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt = \int_0^T \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t} e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k \int_0^T e^{j(k-n)\omega_0 t} dt$$



# Fourier Series Representation : Continued

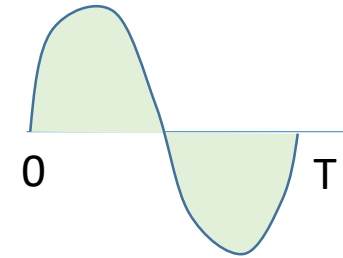
$$\int_0^T e^{j(k-n)\omega_0 t} dt = \int_0^T \cos(k-n)\omega_0 t dt + j \int_0^T \sin(k-n)\omega_0 t dt$$

For  $k \neq n$ ,

$$\int_0^T \cos(k-n)\omega_0 t dt = 0, \quad \int_0^T \sin(k-n)\omega_0 t dt = 0$$

For  $k = n$ ,

$$\int_0^T e^{j(k-n)\omega_0 t} dt = \int_0^T \cos(0) dt + j \int_0^T \sin(0) dt = \int_0^T dt = T = T \delta_{kn}$$



Area = 0

$$\text{Kronecker Delta: } \delta_{kn} = \begin{cases} 1, & k = n \\ 0, & k \neq n \end{cases}$$

# Fourier Series Representation : Continued

$$\int_0^T x(t) e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k \int_0^T e^{j(k-n)\omega_0 t} dt = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k T \delta_{kn} = a_n T$$

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

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

$a_k$  are called Fourier series coefficients, or spectral coefficients

Synthesis  
equation:

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t} = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk(2\pi/T)t}$$

$a_0$ : dc  
component

Analysis  
equation:

$$a_k = \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T x(t) e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt = \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T x(t) e^{-jk(2\pi/T)t} dt$$

# Fourier Series Representation : Example 3.3

A CT signal with fundamental frequency  $\omega_0$ :  $x(t) = \sin(\omega_0 t)$

Using Euler's formula:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} e^{j\theta} &= \cos \theta + j \sin \theta \\ e^{-j\theta} &= \cos \theta - j \sin \theta \end{aligned} \right| \Rightarrow \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2j} [e^{j\theta} - e^{-j\theta}]$$

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

Comparing with Fourier synthesis equation:

$$x(t) = a_0 + a_1 e^{j\omega_0 t} + a_{-1} e^{-j\omega_0 t} + a_2 e^{j2\omega_0 t} + a_{-2} e^{-j2\omega_0 t}$$

$$a_0 = 0;$$

We get,  $a_1 = (1/2j) = \frac{1}{2j} \times \frac{j}{j} = -\frac{1}{2}j$

$$a_{-1} = (-1/2j) = \frac{-1}{2j} \times \frac{j}{j} = \frac{1}{2}j$$

$$a_k = 0, \text{ for } |k| > 1$$

# Fourier Series Representation : Example 3.4

$$x(t) = 1 + \sin(\omega_0 t) + 2 \cos(\omega_0 t) + \cos(2\omega_0 t + \pi/4)$$

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= 1 + \frac{1}{2j} \left[ e^{j\omega_0 t} - e^{-j\omega_0 t} \right] + \frac{2}{2} \left[ e^{j\omega_0 t} + e^{-j\omega_0 t} \right] + \frac{1}{2} \left[ e^{j(2\omega_0 t + \pi/4)} + e^{-j(2\omega_0 t + \pi/4)} \right] \\ &= 1 + \left( 1 + \frac{1}{2j} \right) e^{j\omega_0 t} + \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2j} \right) e^{-j\omega_0 t} + \left( \frac{1}{2} e^{j\pi/4} \right) e^{j2\omega_0 t} + \left( \frac{1}{2} e^{-j\pi/4} \right) e^{-j2\omega_0 t} \end{aligned}$$

Comparing with Fourier series expansion,

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= a_0 + a_1 e^{j\omega_0 t} + a_{-1} e^{-j\omega_0 t} \\ &+ a_2 e^{j2\omega_0 t} + a_{-2} e^{-j2\omega_0 t} \end{aligned}$$

$$a_0 = 1$$

$$a_1 = \left( 1 + \frac{1}{2j} \right) = 1 - \frac{1}{2}j; \quad a_{-1} = \left( 1 - \frac{1}{2j} \right) = 1 + \frac{1}{2}j$$

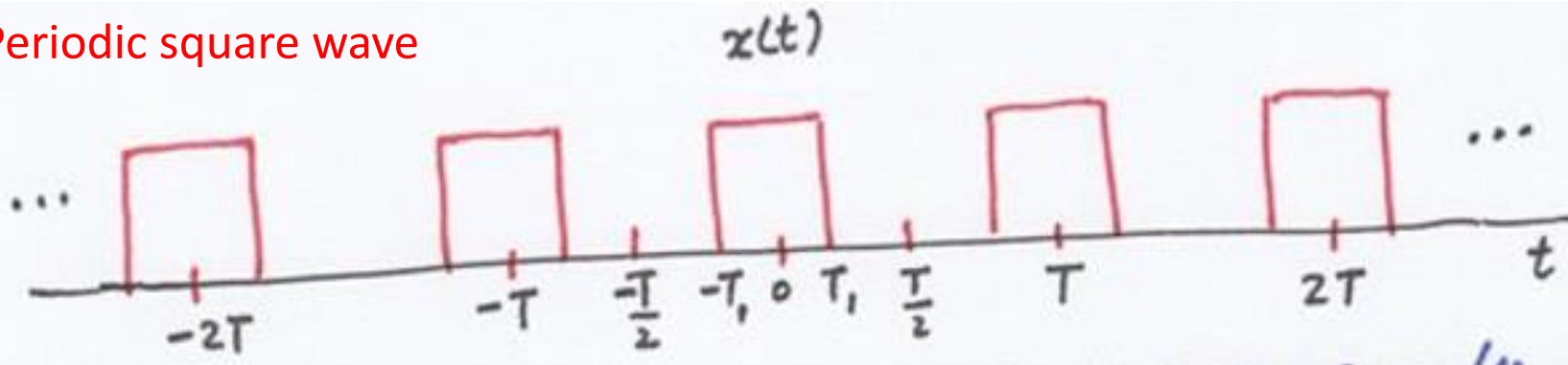
$$a_2 = \frac{1}{2} e^{j\pi/4} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}j \right) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} (1 + j)$$

$$a_{-2} = \frac{1}{2} e^{-j\pi/4} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}j \right) = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{2}} (1 - j)$$

$$a_k = 0, \quad \text{for } |k| > 2$$

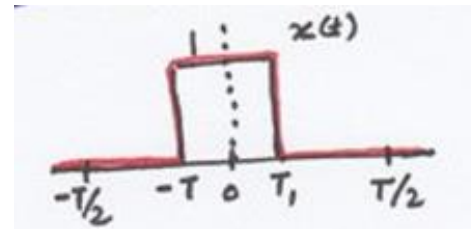
# Fourier Series Representation : Example 3.5

Periodic square wave



One period:

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & |t| < T_1 \\ 0, & T_1 < |t| < T/2 \end{cases}$$



Analysis equation:

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

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t) dt = \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T_1/2}^{T_1/2} dt = \frac{2T_1}{T}$$

# Fourier Series Representation : Example 3.5

$$\begin{aligned} a_k &= \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} x(t) e^{-jk(2\pi/T)t} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T_1}^{T_1} e^{-jk(2\pi/T)t} dt = \frac{1}{T} \cdot \frac{-1}{jk(2\pi/T)} e^{-jk(2\pi/T)t} \Big|_{-T_1}^{T_1} \\ &= \frac{1}{k\pi} \left( \frac{-1}{2j} \right) \left[ e^{-jk(2\pi/T)T_1} - e^{jk(2\pi/T)T_1} \right] \\ &= \left( \frac{1}{k\pi} \right) \left[ \frac{e^{jk(2\pi/T)T_1} - e^{-jk(2\pi/T)T_1}}{2j} \right] \\ \Rightarrow a_k &= \frac{\sin\left(k \frac{2\pi}{T} T_1\right)}{k\pi} = \frac{\sin(k\omega_0 T_1)}{k\pi}, \quad \text{for } k \neq 0 \end{aligned}$$

## Problem No. 3.1

A continuous-time periodic signal  $x(t)$  is real valued and has a fundamental period  $T = 8$ . The non-zero Fourier series coefficients for  $x(t)$  are  $a_1 = a_{-1} = 2$ ,  $a_3 = a_{-3}^* = 4j$ . Express  $x(t)$  in the form

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} A_k \cos(\omega_k t + \varphi_k)$$

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t} \\ &= a_1 e^{j\omega_0 t} + a_{-1} e^{-j\omega_0 t} + a_3 e^{j3\omega_0 t} + a_{-3} e^{-j3\omega_0 t} \\ &= 2e^{j\omega_0 t} + 2e^{-j\omega_0 t} + 4je^{j3\omega_0 t} - 4je^{-j3\omega_0 t} \\ &= 4 \left[ \frac{e^{j\omega_0 t} + e^{-j\omega_0 t}}{2} \right] + 8(-1) \left[ \frac{e^{j3\omega_0 t} - e^{-j3\omega_0 t}}{2j} \right] \\ &= 4 \cos(\omega_0 t) - 8 \sin(3\omega_0 t) \\ &= 4 \cos(\omega_0 t + 0) - 8 \cos(3\omega_0 t + \pi / 2) \end{aligned}$$

$$A_1 = 4; \omega_1 = \omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{8} = \frac{\pi}{4}; \varphi_1 = 0$$

$$A_3 = -8; \omega_3 = 3\omega_0 = 3 \frac{2\pi}{8} = \frac{3\pi}{4}; \varphi_1 = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{All other } A_k, \omega_k, \varphi_k = 0$$

## Problem No. 3.3

For the continuous-time periodic signal,  $x(t) = 2 + \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}t\right) + 4\sin\left(\frac{5\pi}{3}t\right)$

Determine the fundamental frequency  $\omega_0$  and the Fourier series coefficients  $a_k$  such that

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

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= 2 + (1/2) \left[ e^{j\frac{2\pi}{3}t} + e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{3}t} \right] + (4/2j) \left[ e^{j\frac{5\pi}{3}t} - e^{-j\frac{5\pi}{3}t} \right] \\ &= 2 + (1/2)e^{j\frac{2\pi}{3}t} + (1/2)e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{3}t} + (-2j)e^{j\frac{5\pi}{3}t} + (2j)e^{-j\frac{5\pi}{3}t} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= a_0 + a_1 e^{j\omega_0 t} + a_{-1} e^{-j\omega_0 t} \\ &+ a_2 e^{j2\omega_0 t} + a_{-2} e^{-j2\omega_0 t} \\ &+ a_3 e^{j3\omega_0 t} + a_{-3} e^{-j3\omega_0 t} \\ &+ a_4 e^{j4\omega_0 t} + a_{-4} e^{-j4\omega_0 t} \\ &+ a_5 e^{j5\omega_0 t} + a_{-5} e^{-j5\omega_0 t} + \dots \end{aligned}$$



$$\omega_0 = \frac{\pi}{3}, a_0 = 2$$

$$a_2 = 1/2, a_{-2} = 1/2$$

$$a_5 = -2j, a_{-5} = 2j$$

for all other  $k, a_k = 0$



## 3.5 Properties of continuous-time Fourier series

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t} = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} a_k e^{jk(2\pi/T)t}$$

**Synthesis Equation**

$$\begin{aligned} a_k &= \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t) e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t) e^{-jk(2\pi/T)t} dt \end{aligned}$$

**Analysis Equation**

Property	Periodic Signal	Fourier Series Coefficients
	$\left. \begin{array}{l} x(t) \\ y(t) \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{periodic with period } T \\ \text{fundamental frequency } \omega_0 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{l} a_k \\ b_k \end{array}$
Linearity	$Ax(t) + By(t)$	$Aa_k + Bb_k$
Time Shifting	$x(t - t_0)$	$\begin{aligned} a_k e^{-jk\omega_0 t_0} \\ = a_k e^{-jk(2\pi/T)t_0} \end{aligned}$
Frequency Shifting	$\begin{aligned} e^{jM\omega_0 t} x(t) \\ = e^{jM(2\pi/T)t} x(t) \end{aligned}$	$a_{k-M}$
Conjugation	$x^*(t)$	$a_{-k}^*$
Time Reversal	$x(-t)$	$a_{-k}$
Time Scaling	$\begin{aligned} x(\alpha t), \alpha \\ > 0 \text{ (periodic with} \\ \text{period } T/\alpha) \end{aligned}$	$a_k$
Periodic Convolution	$\int_T x(\tau)y(t - \tau)d\tau$	$T a_k b_k$
Multiplication	$x(t)y(t)$	$\sum_{l=-\infty}^{+\infty} a_l b_{k-l}$

<b>Differentiation</b>	$\frac{dx(t)}{dt}$	$jk\omega_0 a_k = jk \frac{2\pi}{T} a_k$
<b>Integration</b>	$\int_{-\infty}^t x(t) dt$ (finite valued and periodic only if $a_0 = 0$ )	$\left(\frac{1}{jk\omega_0}\right) a_k = \left(\frac{1}{jk(2\pi/T)}\right) a_k$
<b>Conjugate Symmetry for Real Signals</b>	$x(t)$ real	$a_k = a_{-k}^*$ $\text{Re}\{a_k\} = \text{Re}\{a_{-k}\}$ $\text{Im}\{a_k\} = -\text{Im}\{a_{-k}\}$ $ a_k  =  a_{-k} $ $\angle a_k = -\angle a_{-k}$
<b>Real and Even Signals</b>	$x(t)$ real and even	$a_k$ real and even
<b>Real and Odd Signals</b>	$x(t)$ real and odd	$a_k$ purely imaginary and odd
<b>Even-Odd Decomposition of real Signals</b>	$\begin{cases} x_e(t) = \mathcal{E}\nu\{x(t)\}, & x(t) \text{ real} \\ x_o(t) = \mathcal{O}d\{x(t)\}, & x(t) \text{ real} \end{cases}$	$\text{Re}\{a_k\}$ $j \text{Im}\{a_k\}$

### Parseval's Relation for Periodic Signals

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

## Problem No. 3.6

Consider three continuous-time periodic signals whose Fourier series representations are as follows:

$$x_1(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{100} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k e^{jk(2\pi/50)t}$$

$$x_2(t) = \sum_{k=-100}^{100} \cos(k\pi) e^{jk(2\pi/50)t}$$

$$x_3(t) = \sum_{k=-100}^{100} j \sin(k\pi / 2) e^{jk(2\pi/50)t}$$

Use Fourier series properties to help answer the following questions:

- Which of the three signals is/are real valued?
- Which of the three signals is/are even?

Fourier series representation:

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

For  $x_1(t)$ :

$$\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{50}$$

$$a_k = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k, \text{ for } k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, 100$$

$$a_k = 0, \text{ for } k > 100, k < 0$$

For real  $x_1(t)$ ,  $a_k = a_{-k}^*$

However, here  $a_{10} = (1/2)^{10}$

$$a_{-10} = 0; a_{10} \neq a_{-10}^*$$

**$x_1(t)$  is not real.**

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For  $x_1(t)$  to be even:  $x_1(t) = x_1(-t)$

$$x_1(-t) = \sum_{k=0}^{100} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k e^{-jk(2\pi/50)t} = \sum_{k=-100}^0 \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^{-k} e^{jk(2\pi/50)t} \neq \sum_{k=0}^{100} \left(\frac{1}{2}\right)^k e^{jk(2\pi/50)t} = x_1(t)$$

$x_1(t)$  is not even.

For  $x_2(t)$ :

$$\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{50}$$

$$a_k = \cos(k\pi), \text{ for } -100 \leq k \leq 100$$

$$a_k = 0, \text{ otherwise}$$

$$a_{-k}^* = (\cos(-k\pi))^* = \cos(k\pi) = a_k$$

$$\operatorname{Re}\{a_k\} = \cos(k\pi), \operatorname{Re}\{a_{-k}\} = \cos(-k\pi) = \cos(k\pi)$$

$$\Rightarrow \operatorname{Re}\{a_k\} = \operatorname{Re}\{a_{-k}\}$$

$$\operatorname{Im}\{a_k\} = 0 = \operatorname{Im}\{a_{-k}\}$$

$$|a_k| = |a_{-k}|, \angle a_k = 0 = -\angle a_{-k}$$

$$a_k = \cos(k\pi)$$

$$a_{-k} = \cos(-k\pi) = \cos(k\pi)$$

$$\Rightarrow a_k = a_{-k}$$

$x_2(t)$  is even.

$x_2(t)$  is real.

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For  $x_3(t)$ :

$$x_3(t) = \sum_{k=-100}^{100} j \sin(k\pi/2) e^{jk(2\pi/50)t}$$

$$\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{50}$$

$$a_k = j \sin(k\pi/2), \text{ for } -100 \leq k \leq 100$$

$$a_k = 0, \text{ otherwise}$$

$$a_{-k} = j \sin(-k\pi/2) = -j \sin(k\pi/2)$$

$$a_{-k}^* = j \sin(k\pi/2) = a_k$$

$$\text{Re}\{a_k\} = 0 = \text{Re}\{a_{-k}\}$$

$$\text{Im}\{a_k\} = \sin(k\pi/2); \quad \text{Im}\{a_{-k}\} = -\sin(k\pi/2)$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Im}\{a_k\} = -\text{Im}\{a_{-k}\}$$

$$|a_k| = |\sin(k\pi/2)|, \quad |a_{-k}| = |\sin(-k\pi/2)| = |\sin(k\pi/2)|$$

$$\Rightarrow |a_k| = |a_{-k}|$$

$$\angle a_k = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sin(k\pi/2)}{0}\right) = \tan^{-1}(\infty) = \pi/2$$

$$\angle a_{-k} = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\sin(-k\pi/2)}{0}\right) = \tan^{-1}(-\infty) = -\pi/2$$

$$\Rightarrow \angle a_k = -\angle a_{-k}$$

$$a_{-k} = j \sin\left(\frac{-k\pi}{2}\right) = -j \sin\left(\frac{k\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow a_k \neq a_{-k}$$

$x_3(t)$  is not even.

$x_3(t)$  is real.

# Problem No. 3.8

Suppose we are given the following information about a signal  $x(t)$ :

- (1)  $x(t)$  is real and odd
- (2)  $x(t)$  is periodic with period  $T = 2$ , and has Fourier coefficients  $a_k$ .
- (3)  $a_k = 0$  for  $|k| > 1$
- (4)  $\frac{1}{2} \int_0^2 |x(t)|^2 dt = 1$

Specify a signal that satisfies these conditions.

Fourier series representation:

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

**From (2):**  $\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T} = \frac{2\pi}{2} = \pi$

**From (3):**  $x(t) = a_1 e^{j\omega_0 t} + a_{-1} e^{-j\omega_0 t}$

**From (1):**  $a_0 = 0$ , because  $x(t)$  is odd.

**From (1):**  $a_k$  is odd  $\Rightarrow a_1 = -a_{-1}$

$$x(t) = a_1 e^{j\omega_0 t} - a_1 e^{-j\omega_0 t} = a_1 (e^{j\omega_0 t} - e^{-j\omega_0 t})$$

$$\Rightarrow x^*(t) = a_1^* (e^{-j\omega_0 t} - e^{j\omega_0 t})$$

$$\begin{aligned} |x(t)|^2 &= |x(t)x^*(t)| = |a_1 a_1^*| |1 - e^{j\omega_0 t} - e^{-j\omega_0 t} + 1| \\ &= |a_1 a_1^*| |2 - 2\cos(2\omega_0 t)| = 2 |a_1 a_1^*| |1 - \cos(2\omega_0 t)| \end{aligned}$$

## Problem No. 3.8

From (4):  $\frac{1}{2} \int_0^2 |x(t)|^2 dt = 1$

$$\frac{1}{2} \int_0^2 2 |a_1 a_1^*| |1 - \cos(2\omega_0 t)| dt = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |a_1 a_1^*| \int_0^2 |1 - \cos(2\omega_0 t)| dt = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow |a_1 a_1^*| \left[ t - \frac{\sin(2\omega_0 t)}{2\omega_0} \right]_0^2 = 1 \Rightarrow |a_1 a_1^*| [2 - 0 - 0 + 0] = 1 \Rightarrow |a_1 a_1^*| = 1/2$$

As  $a_1$  is complex  $\{\text{Re}(a_1)\}^2 + \{\text{Im}(a_1)\}^2 = 1/2$

As  $a_1$  is purely imaginary  $\{0\}^2 + \{\text{Im}(a_1)\}^2 = 1/2 \Rightarrow \text{Im}(a_1) = \pm 1/\sqrt{2}$

$$a_1 = \pm j1/\sqrt{2}$$

$$a_{-1} = -a_1 = \mp j1/\sqrt{2}$$

Therefore, the signals are

$$x_1(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} j e^{j\pi t} - \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} j e^{-j\pi t} = -\sqrt{2} \sin(\pi t)$$
$$x_2(t) = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} j e^{j\pi t} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} j e^{-j\pi t} = \sqrt{2} \sin(\pi t)$$