

Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT) And Signal Spectrum

Fourier Transform History

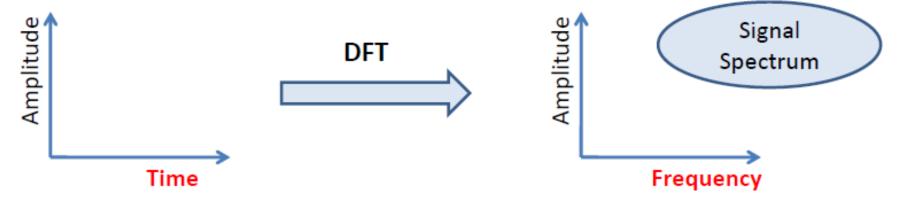
- Born 21 March 1768 (Auxerre).
- Died 16 May 1830 (Paris)
- French mathematician and physicist.
- Best known for initiating the investigation of Fourier series.
- Fourier series applications to problems of heat transfer and vibrations.
- The Fourier series is used to represent a periodic function by a discrete sum of complex exponentials.
- Fourier transform is then used to represent a general, non-periodic function by a continuous superposition or integral of complex exponentials (the period approaches to infinity).



Jean-Baptiste Joseph Fourier

Discrete Fourier Transform

- In this chapter we introduce the concept of Fourier or *frequency-domain representation of signals*.
- **Discrete Fourier Transform** (**DFT**) transforms (*break up the signal into summations of sinusoidal components*) the time domain signal samples to the frequency domain components (*frequency analysis*).



In the *time domain*, representation of digital signals describes the signal amplitude versus the sample number (time).

The representation of the digital signal in terms of its frequency component in a *frequency domain*, displays the frequency information of a digital signal (signal spectrum).

• Fourier analysis is like a *glass prism*, which splits a beam of light into frequency components corresponding to different colors.



Continuous-time sinusoids

• A *continuous-time sinusoidal* signal may be represented as a function of time *t* by the equation

Amplitude frequency phase in radians $x(t) = A\cos(2\pi F_0 t + \theta), \quad -\infty < t < \infty$

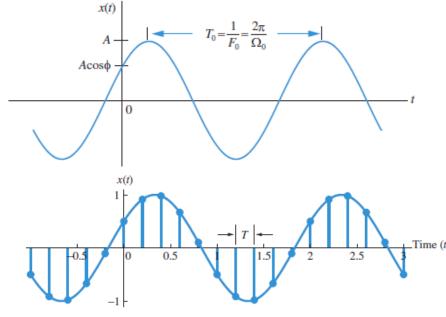
- The angular or radian frequency (radians per second.) $\Omega_0 = 2\pi F_0$
- A *discrete-time sinusoidal signal* is conveniently obtained by sampling the continuous-time sinusoid at equally spaced points t = nT

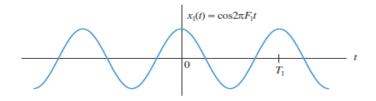
$$\begin{aligned} x[n] &= x(nT) = A\cos(2\pi F_0 nT + \theta) = A\cos\left(2\pi \frac{F_0}{F_s}n + \theta\right) \\ &= A\cos(\omega_0 n + \theta), \quad -\infty < n < \infty \end{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} f \triangleq \frac{F}{F} = FT, & \text{frequency} \\ \omega \triangleq 2\pi f = 2\pi \frac{F}{F_s} = \Omega T, \text{ normalized angular frequency} \end{bmatrix}$$

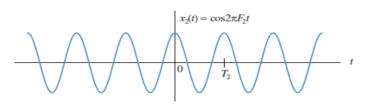
• Using Euler's identity $e^{\pm j\phi} = \cos \phi \pm j \sin \phi$, we can express every sinusoidal signal in terms of two complex exponentials with the same frequency

$$A\cos(\Omega_0 t + \theta) = \frac{A}{2}e^{j\theta}e^{j\Omega_0 t} + \frac{A}{2}e^{-j\theta}e^{-j\Omega_0 t}.$$

- Frequency (positive quantity.), viewed as the number of cycles completed per unit of time.
- Negative frequencies is a convenient way to describe signals in terms of complex exponentials. CEN352, DR. Nassim Ammour, King Saud University

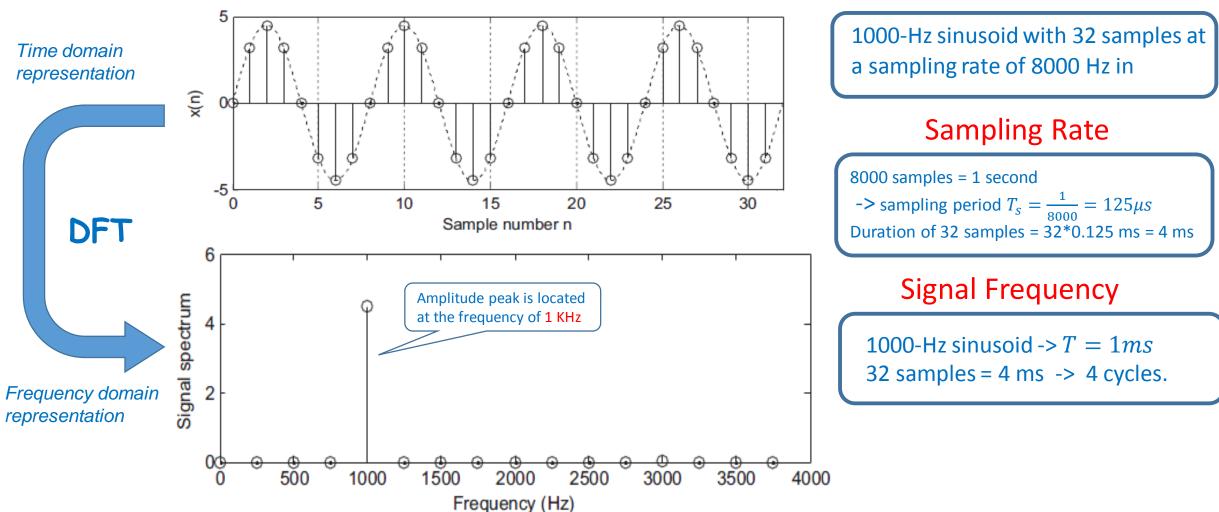






For continuous-time sinusoids, $F_1 < F_2$ always implies that $T_1 > T_2$.

DFT: Graphical Example



Time domain

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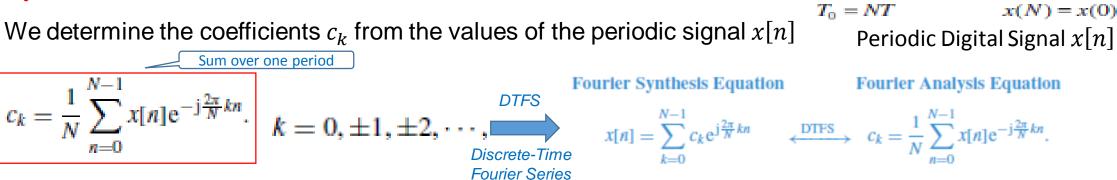
DFT Coefficients of Periodic Signals

• Given a set of *N* harmonically related complex exponentials $e^{j\frac{2\pi}{N}kn}$, We can synthesize a signal x[n]

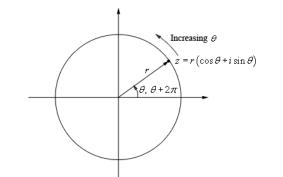
$$x[n] = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} c_k e^{j\frac{2\pi}{N}kn}.$$

x[n] is sampled at a rate of $f_s Hz$ (period $T_0 = NT = N \frac{1}{f_s}$)

Equation of DFT coefficients:



We have:
$$e^{j\theta} = \cos(\theta) + j\sin(\theta)$$
 and $e^{j(\theta+2\pi)} = e^{j\theta}$ period of 2π
For $\theta(t) = \omega t \rightarrow e^{j\omega t} = \cos(\omega t) + j\sin(\omega t)$ Rotation of a point on a circle



x(N+1) = x(1)

x(n)

x(0)

0

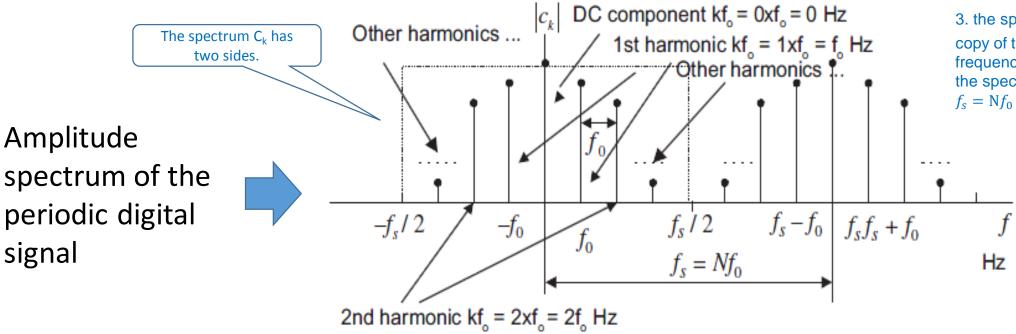
 \mathbf{N}

DFT Coefficients of Periodic Signals

• Fourier series coefficient C_k is periodic of N

$$c_{k+N} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) e^{-j\frac{2\pi(k+N)n}{N}} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) e^{-j\frac{2\pi kn}{N}} e^{-j2\pi n}$$

Since $e^{-j2\pi n} = \cos(2\pi n) - j\sin(2\pi n) = 1$ $C_{K+N} = C_K$



Remarks

1. spectral portion between the frequency $-f_s$ and f_s (folding frequency) represents frequency information of the periodic signal.

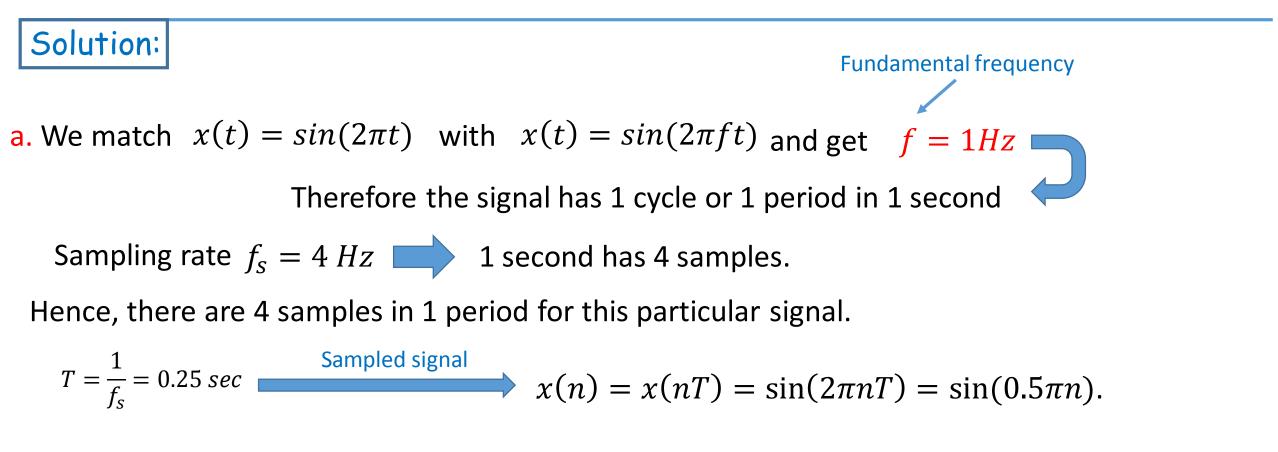
2. For the kth harmonic, the frequency is $f = kf_0$ Hz (f_0 is the frequency resolution =The frequency spacing between the consecutive spectral lines)

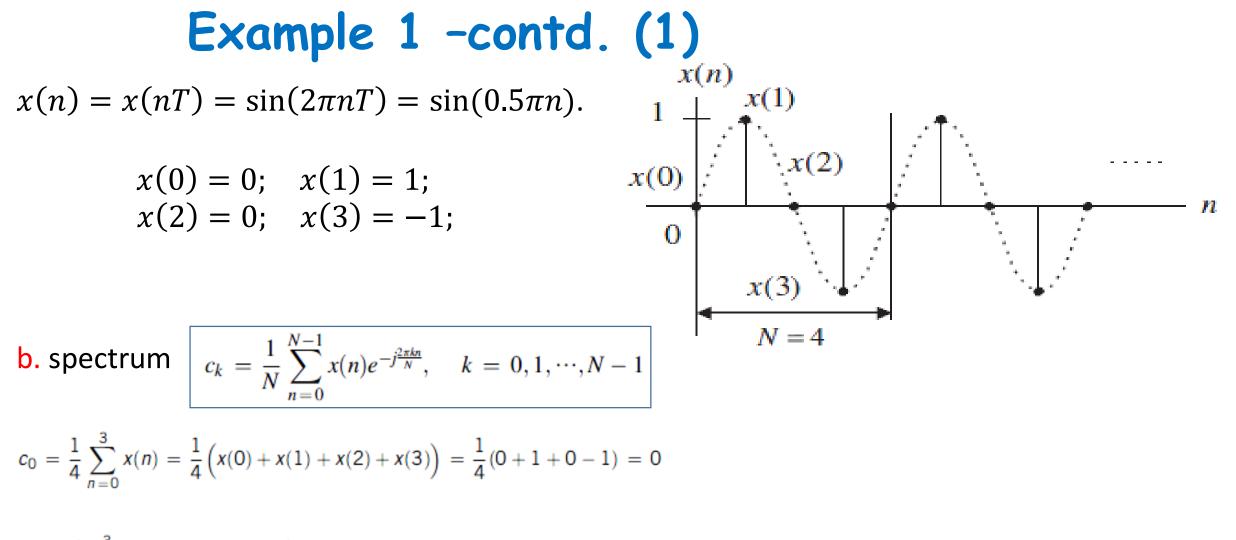
3. the spectral portion from $\frac{f_s}{2}$ to f_s is a copy of the spectrum in the negative frequency range from $-f_s/2$ to 0 Hz due to the spectrum being periodic for every $f_s = Nf_0$ Hz.

The periodic signal x(t) is sampled at $f_s = 4Hz$ $x(t) = sin(2\pi t)$

a. Compute the spectrum C_k using the samples in one period.

b. Plot the two-sided amplitude spectrum $|C_k|$ over the range from -2 to 2 Hz.





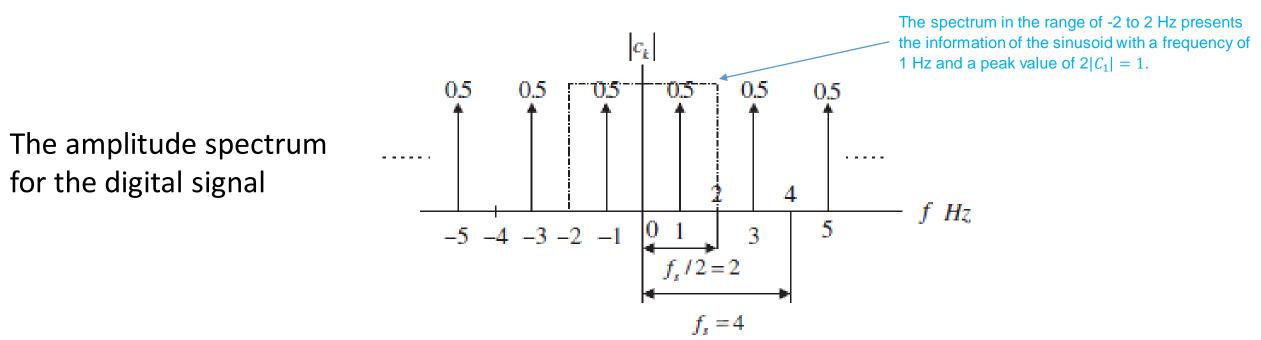
$$c_1 = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n=0}^{3} x(n) e^{-j2\pi \times 1n/4} = \frac{1}{4} \left(x(0) + x(1) e^{-j\pi/2} + x(2) e^{-j\pi} + x(3) e^{-j3\pi/2} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left(x(0) - jx(1) - x(2) + jx(3) = 0 - j(1) - 0 + j(-1) \right) = -j0.5$$

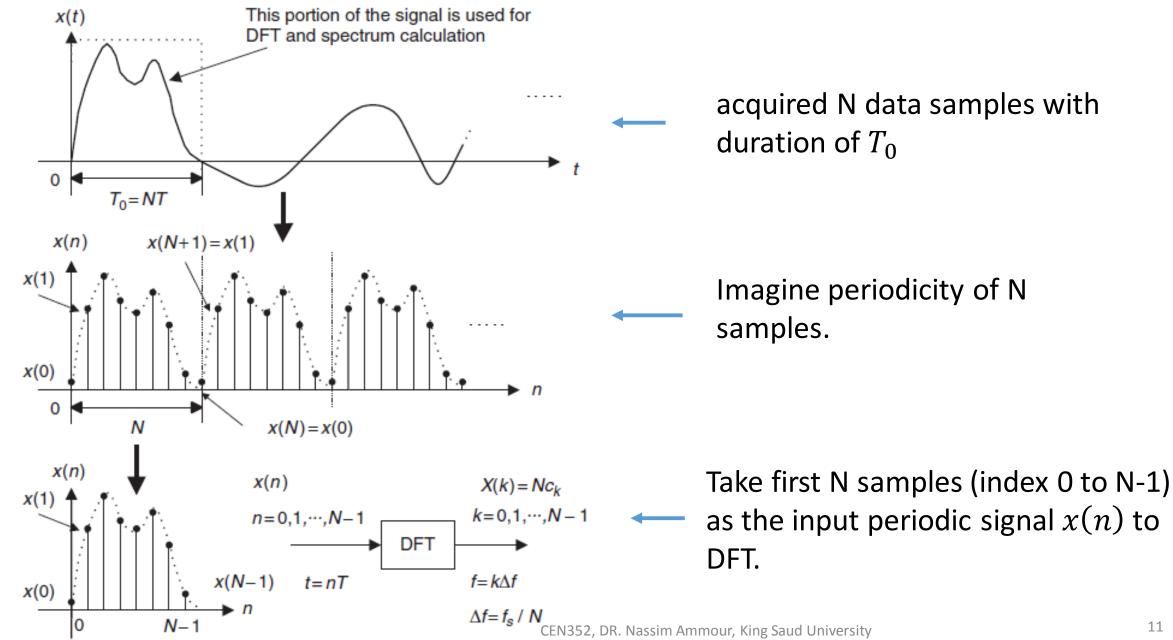
Example 1 -contd. (2)

$$c_2 = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n=0}^{3} x(n) e^{-j2\pi \times 2n/4} = 0$$
, and $c_3 = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n=0}^{3} x(n) e^{-j2\pi \times 3n/4} = j0.5$

Using periodicity, it follows that $c_{-1} = c_3 = j0.5$, and $c_{-2} = c_2 = 0$



Discrete Fourier Transform DFT Formulas



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DFT Formulas

Given N data samples of x[n], the N-point discrete Fourier transform (DFT) X(k) is defined by:

$$X(k) = Nc_k = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n)e^{-\frac{j2\pi kn}{N}}, \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n)W_N^{kn}, \quad \text{for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

Fourier series coefficients

• k is the discrete frequency index (frequency bin number) indicating each calculated DFT coefficient.

$$X(k) = x(0)W_N^{k0} + x(1)W_N^{k1} + x(2)W_N^{k2} + \dots + x(N-1)W_N^{k(N-1)}, \text{ for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

Where the factor W_N is called the *twiddle factor* $W_N = e^{-j2\pi/N} = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}\right) - j\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}\right)$

Inverse DFT

Given N DFT coefficients X[k], The *inverse of the DFT* x[n] is given by

$$x(n) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X(k) e^{j2\pi kn/N}$$
Inverse DFT (IDFT)
$$= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X(k) W_N^{-kn}, \quad \text{for } n = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

$$x(n) = \frac{1}{N} \Big(X(0) W_N^{-0n} + X(1) W_N^{-1n} + X(2) W_N^{-2n} + \dots + X(N-1) W_N^{-(N-1)n} \Big),$$
for $n = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$

Analysis equation Synthesis equation

$$X[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] W_N^{kn} \xleftarrow{\text{DFT}}_N x[n] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X[k] W_N^{-kn},$$

$$x_N = \frac{1}{N} W_N^H X_N = \frac{1}{N} W_N^* X_N.$$
 (IDFT)
$$W_N^H \text{ is the conjugate transpose of } W_N$$

MATLAB Functions

We can use MATLAB functions *fft()* and *ifft()* to compute the DFT coefficients and the inverse DFT with the syntax listed in Table:

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FFT: Fast Fourier Transform
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MATLAB FFT functions.

- $\mathbf{X} = \mathrm{fft}(\mathbf{x})$
- $\mathbf{x} = ifft(\mathbf{X})$
- x = input vector
- X = DFT coefficient vector

% Calculate DFT coefficients % Inverse DFT

Given a sequence x(n) for $0 \le n \le 3$ where x(0) = 1, x(1) = 2, x(2) = 3, and x(3) = 4. evaluate DFT X(k).

Solution:

Since N = 4 and
$$W_4 = e^{-j\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

 $X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{3} x(n)W_4^{kn} = \sum_{n=0}^{3} x(n)e^{-j\frac{\pi kn}{2}}$
Thus, for $k = 0$ $X(0) = \sum_{n=0}^{3} x(n)e^{-j0} = x(0)e^{-j0} + x(1)e^{-j0} + x(2)e^{-j0} + x(3)e^{-j0}$
 $= x(0) + x(1) + x(2) + x(3)$

for
$$k = 1$$
 $X(1) = \sum_{n=0}^{3} x(n)e^{-j\frac{\pi n}{2}} = x(0)e^{-j0} + x(1)e^{-j\frac{\pi}{2}} + x(2)e^{-j\pi} + x(3)e^{-j\frac{3\pi}{2}}$
= $x(0) - jx(1) - x(2) + jx(3)$
= $1 - j2 - 3 + j4 = -2 + j2$

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Example 2 -contd.

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for
$$k = 2$$

$$X(2) = \sum_{n=0}^{3} x(n)e^{-j\pi n} = x(0)e^{-j0} + x(1)e^{-j\pi} + x(2)e^{-j2\pi} + x(3)e^{-j3\pi}$$

$$= x(0) - x(1) + x(2) - x(3)$$

$$= 1 - 2 + 3 - 4 = -2$$
and for $k = 3$

$$X(3) = \sum_{n=0}^{3} x(n)e^{-j\frac{3\pi n}{2}} = x(0)e^{-j0} + x(1)e^{-j\frac{3\pi}{2}} + x(2)e^{-j3\pi} + x(3)e^{-j\frac{9\pi}{2}}$$

$$= x(0) + jx(1) - x(2) - jx(3)$$

$$= 1 + j2 - 3 - j4 = -2 - j2$$

Using MATLAB,

$$\gg X = \text{fft}([1 \ 2 \ 3 \ 4])$$

X = 10.0000 - 2.0000 + 2.0000i - 2.0000 - 2.0000 - 2.0000i

Example 2 -contd.

Using the DFT complex matrix

We first compute the entries of the matrix W_4 using the property: $W_N^{k+N} = W_N^k = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N}k} = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}k\right) - j\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}k\right)$.

The result is a complex matrix given by:

$$W_{4} = \begin{bmatrix} W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{0} \\ W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{1} & W_{4}^{2} & W_{4}^{3} \\ W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{2} & W_{4}^{4} & W_{4}^{6} \\ W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{3} & W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{9} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & W_{4}^{1} & W_{4}^{2} & W_{4}^{3} \\ 1 & W_{4}^{2} & W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{2} \\ 1 & W_{4}^{3} & W_{4}^{2} & W_{4}^{1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{bmatrix}.$$

The DFT coefficients are evaluated by the matrix-by-vector multiplication

$$\begin{bmatrix} X[0] \\ X[1] \\ X[2] \\ X[3] \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ -2 + 2j \\ -2 \\ -2 - 2j \end{bmatrix}$$

In MATLAB these computations are done using the commands:

The DFT $x = [0 \ 1 \ 2 \ 3]'; W = dftmtx(4); X = W * x;$

The inverse DFT x = inv(W) *X

Using DFT coefficients X(k) for $0 \le n \le 3$ of previous example, evaluate the inverse DFT (IDFT) to determine the time domain sequence x(n).

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Solution:

$$N = 4 \text{ and } W_4^{-1} = e^{j\frac{\pi}{2}}, \qquad x(n) = \frac{1}{4} \sum^3 X(k) W_4^{-nk} = \frac{1}{4} \sum^3 X(k) e^{j\frac{\pi kn}{2}}.$$

for $n = 0$
$$x(0) = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{k=0}^3 X(k) e^{j0} = \frac{1}{4} \left(X(0) e^{j0} + X(1) e^{j0} + X(2) e^{j0} + X(3) e^{j0} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} (10 + (-2 + j2) - 2 + (-2 - j2)) = 1$$

for $n = 1$
$$x(1) = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{k=0}^3 X(k) e^{j\frac{k\pi}{2}} = \frac{1}{4} \left(X(0) e^{j0} + X(1) e^{j\frac{\pi}{2}} + X(2) e^{j\pi} + X(3) e^{j\frac{3\pi}{2}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} (X(0) + jX(1) - X(2) - jX(3))$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} (10 + j(-2 + j2) - (-2) - j(-2 - j2)) = 2$$

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Example 3 -contd.

for
$$n = 2$$
 $x(2) = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{k=0}^{3} X(k)e^{jk\pi} = \frac{1}{4} \left(X(0)e^{j0} + X(1)e^{j\pi} + X(2)e^{j2\pi} + X(3)e^{j3\pi} \right)$
 $= \frac{1}{4} \left(X(0) - X(1) + X(2) - X(3) \right)$
 $= \frac{1}{4} \left(10 - \left(-2 + j2 \right) + \left(-2 \right) - \left(-2 - j2 \right) \right) = 3$
and for $n = 3$ $x(3) = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{k=0}^{3} X(k)e^{j\frac{k\pi 3}{2}} = \frac{1}{4} \left(X(0)e^{j0} + X(1)e^{j\frac{3\pi}{2}} + X(2)e^{j3\pi} + X(3)e^{j\frac{9\pi}{2}} \right)$
 $= \frac{1}{4} \left(X(0) - jX(1) - X(2) + jX(3) \right)$
 $= \frac{1}{4} \left(10 - j(-2 + j2) - \left(-2 \right) + j(-2 - j2) \right) = 4$

Using MATLAB,

$$\gg \mathbf{x} = \operatorname{ifft}([10 - 2 + 2j - 2 - 2 - 2j])$$

$$\mathbf{x} = 1 \quad 2 \quad 3 \quad 4.$$

Frequency of bin k

- The calculated N DFT coefficients X (k) represent the frequency components ranging from 0 Hz to f_s Hz.
- The relationship between the frequency **bin k** and its associated frequency is computed using:

$$f = k \frac{f_s}{N} = k \Delta f (Hz)$$

• The *frequency resolution* (frequency step between two consecutive DFT coefficients)

$$\Delta f = \frac{f_s}{N} \text{ (Hz)}$$

In the previous example, if the sampling rate is 10 Hz,

- a. Determine the sampling period, time index, and sampling time instant for a digital sample x(3) in the time domain;
- b. Determine the frequency resolution, frequency bin, and mapped frequencies for the DFT coefficients X(1) and X(3) in the frequency domain.

Solution:

b

a. Sampling period: $T = 1/f_s = 1/10 = 0.1$ second

For x(3), the time index is n = 3 and the sampling time instant is determined by

$$t = nT = 3 \cdot 0.1 = 0.3$$
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Frequency resolution: $\Delta f = \frac{f_s}{N} = \frac{10}{4} = 2.5$ Hz.

Frequency bin number for X(1) is k = 1, and its corresponding frequency is $f = \frac{kf_s}{N} = \frac{1 \times 10}{4} = 2.5$ Hz.

Similarly, for X(3) is k = 3, and its corresponding frequency is

s
$$f = \frac{kf_s}{N} = \frac{3 \times 10}{4} = 7.5 \,\mathrm{Hz}.$$

Amplitude and Power Spectrum

- Since each calculated DFT coefficient is a complex number, it is not convenient to plot it versus its frequency index.
- Hence, after evaluating the N DFT coefficients, the magnitude and phase of each DFT coefficient can be determined and plotted versus its frequency index.

Amplitude Spectrum:

$$A_k = \frac{1}{N} |X(k)| = \frac{1}{N} \sqrt{\left(\text{Real}[X(k)]\right)^2 + \left(\text{Imag}[X(k)]\right)^2}, \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1$$

To find one-sided amplitude spectrum, we double the amplitude keeping the original DC term at k =0.

$$\overline{A}_k = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{N} |X(0)|, & k = 0\\ \frac{2}{N} |X(k)|, & k = 1, \dots, N/2 \end{cases}$$

Amplitude and Power Spectrum -contd.

Power Spectrum:

$$P_k = \frac{1}{N^2} |X(k)|^2 = \frac{1}{N^2} \Big\{ (\operatorname{Real}[X(k)])^2 + (\operatorname{Imag}[X(k)])^2 \Big\},\$$

$$k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1.$$

For, one-sided power spectrum:

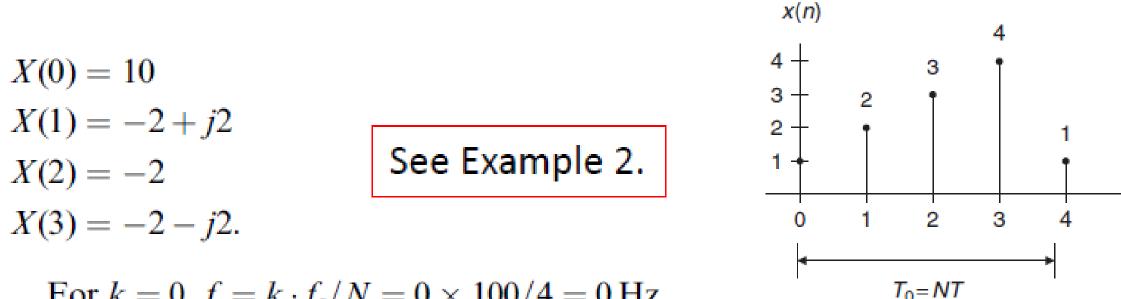
$$\bar{P}_k = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{N^2} |X(0)|^2 & k = 0\\ \frac{2}{N^2} |X(k)|^2 & k = 0, 1, \dots, N/2 \end{cases}$$

Phase Spectrum:

$$\varphi_k = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\operatorname{Imag}[X(k)]}{\operatorname{Real}[X(k)]}\right), \ k = 0, \ 1, \ 2, \dots, \ N-1.$$

Consider the sequence in the Figure, assuming that $f_s = 100 Hz$, compute the amplitude spectrum, phase spectrum, and power spectrum.

Solution:



For k = 0, $f = k \cdot f_s / N = 0 \times 100 / 4 = 0$ Hz,

$$A_0 = \frac{1}{4}|X(0)| = 2.5, \ \varphi_0 = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\operatorname{Imag}[X(0)]}{\operatorname{Real}([X(0)])}\right) = 0^0,$$

$$P_0 = \frac{1}{4^2} |X(0)|^2 = 6.25.$$

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Example 5 -contd. (1) For $k = 1, f = 1 \times 100/4 = 25$ Hz,

$$A_{1} = \frac{1}{4}|X(1)| = 0.7071, \ \varphi_{1} = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\operatorname{Imag}[X(1)]}{\operatorname{Real}[X(1)]}\right) = 135^{0},$$
$$P_{1} = \frac{1}{4^{2}}|X(1)|^{2} = 0.5000.$$

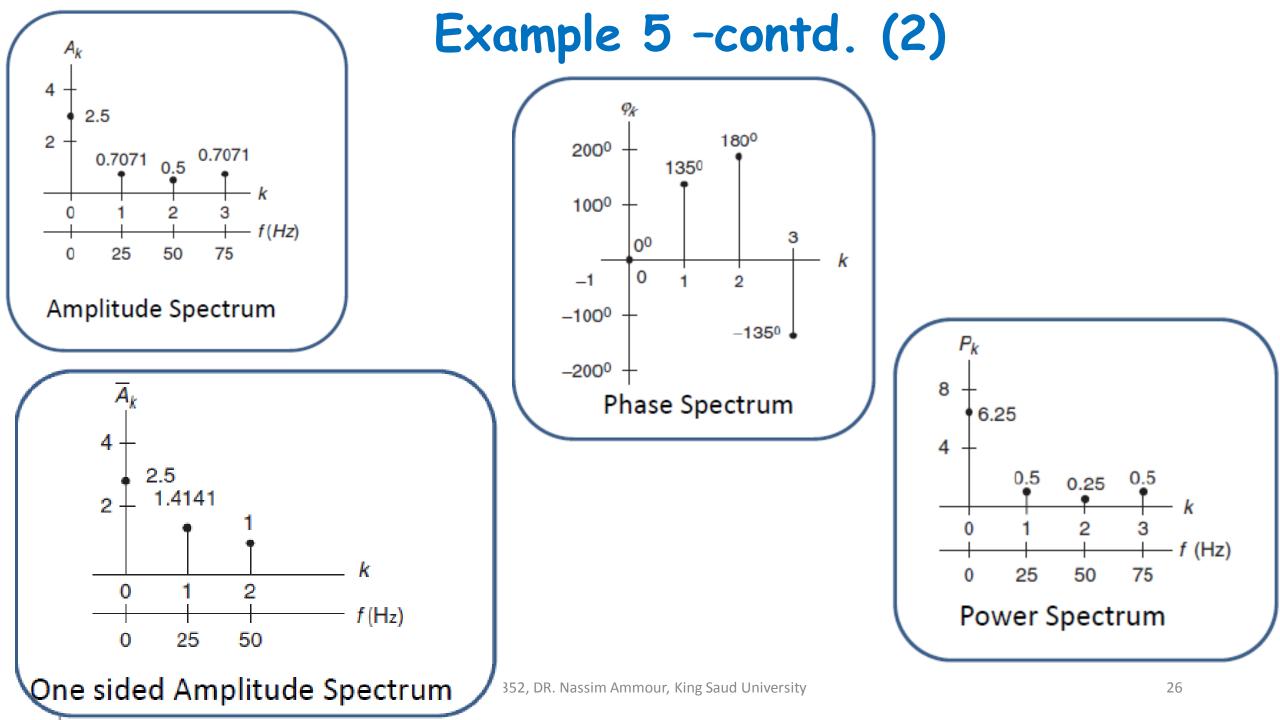
For
$$k = 2, f = 2 \times 100/4 = 50 \text{ Hz},$$

 $A_2 = \frac{1}{4}|X(2)| = 0.5, \varphi_2 = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\text{Imag}[X(2)]}{\text{Real}[X(2)]}\right) = 180^0,$
 $P_2 = \frac{1}{4^2}|X(2)|^2 = 0.2500.$

Similarly, for k = 3, $f = 3 \times 100/4 = 75$ Hz,

$$A_{3} = \frac{1}{4}|X(3)| = 0.7071, \ \varphi_{3} = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{\operatorname{Imag}[X(3)]}{\operatorname{Real}[X(3)]}\right) = -135^{0},$$
$$P_{3} = \frac{1}{4^{2}}|X(3)|^{2} = 0.5000.$$

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Consider a digital sequence sampled at the rate of 10 kHz. If we use 1,024 data points and apply the 1,024-point DFT to compute the spectrum,

a. Determine the frequency resolution;

b. Determine the highest frequency in the spectrum.

Solution:

a.
$$\Delta f = \frac{f_s}{N} = \frac{10000}{1024} = 9.776 \text{ Hz}$$

b. The highest frequency is the folding frequency, given by

$$f_{\max} = \frac{N}{2}\Delta f = \frac{f_s}{2}$$

$$= 512 \cdot 9.776 = 5000 \text{ Hz}$$

Zero Padding for FFT

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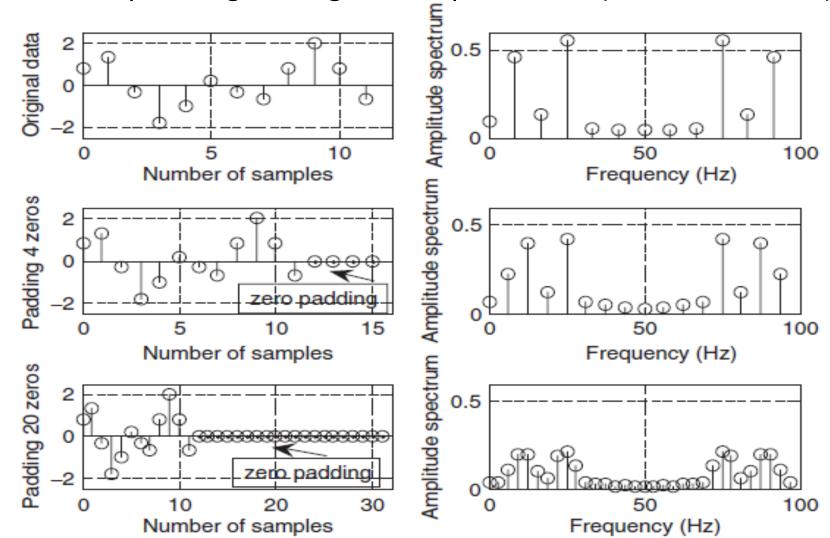
A fast version of DFT; It requires signal length to be power of 2 (N = 2, 4, 8, 16, ...).

Therefore, we need to pad zero at the end of the signal.

$$\overline{x}(n) = \begin{cases} x(n) & 0 \le n \le N-1 \\ 0 & N \le n \le \overline{N}-1 \end{cases}$$

However, it does not add any new information.

The frequency spacing is reduced due to more DFT points



Consider a digital signal has sampling rate = 10 kHz. For amplitude spectrum we need frequency resolution of less than 0.5 Hz. For FFT how many data points are needed?

Solution:

$$\Delta f = 0.5$$
 Hz $N = \frac{f_s}{\Delta f} = \frac{10,000}{0.5} = 20,000$

For FFT, we need N to be power of 2.

 $2^{14} = 16384 < 20000$ And $2^{15} = 32768 > 20000$

Recalculated frequency resolution,

$$\Delta f = \frac{f_s}{N} = \frac{10000}{32768} = 0.31 \,\mathrm{Hz}.$$

MATLAB Example -1

Consider the sinusoid with a sampling rate of $f_s = 8,000 \text{ Hz}$. $x(n) = 2 \cdot \sin\left(2,000 \pi \frac{n}{8,000}\right)$

Use the MATLAB DFT to compute the signal spectrum with the frequency resolution to be equal to or less than 8 Hz.

Solution:

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The number of data points is
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$$V = \frac{f_s}{\Delta f} = \frac{8,000}{8} = 1,000$$

% Generate the sine wave sequence fs=8000;

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N=1000;
x=2*sin(2000*pi*[0:1:N-1]/fs);
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% Sampling rate % Number of data points

 $2\pi \ 1000 \ nT_s \to f = 1Khz$

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xf=abs(fft(x))/N; %Compute the amplitude spectrum
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P = xf.*xf; %Compute the power spectrum
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f = [0:1:N-1]*fs/N; %Map the frequency bin to the frequency (Hz)

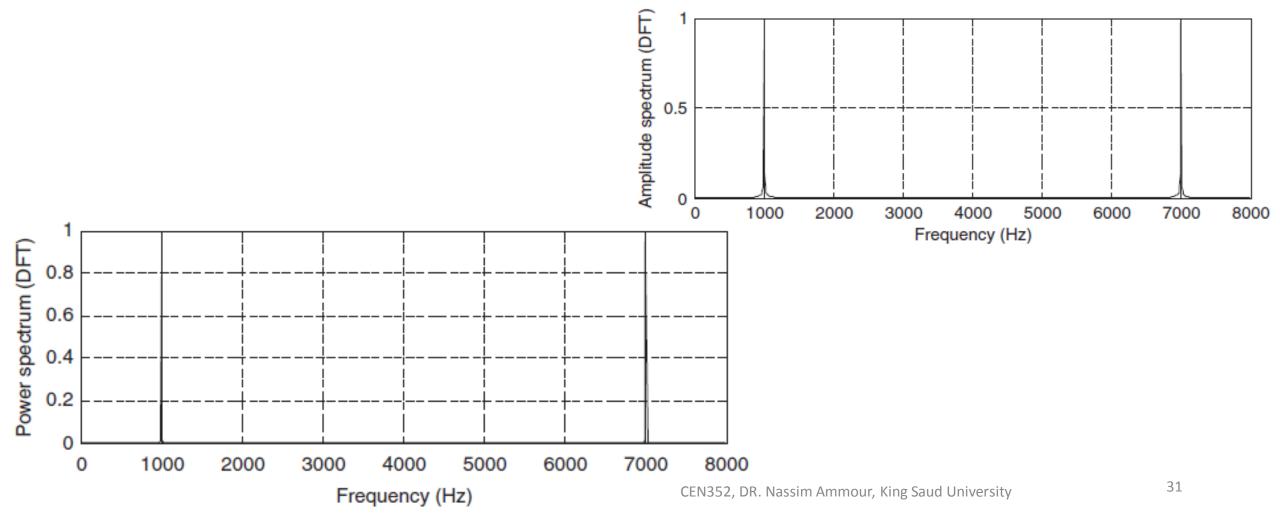
MATLAB Example -contd. (1)

subplot(2,1,1); plot(f,xf);grid

xlabel('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel('Amplitude spectrum (DFT)');

subplot(2,1,2);plot(f,P);grid

xlabel('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel('Power spectrum (DFT)');



MATLAB Example -contd. (2)

% Convert it to one-sided spectrum

xf(2:N) = 2*xf(2:N); % Get the single-sided spectrum

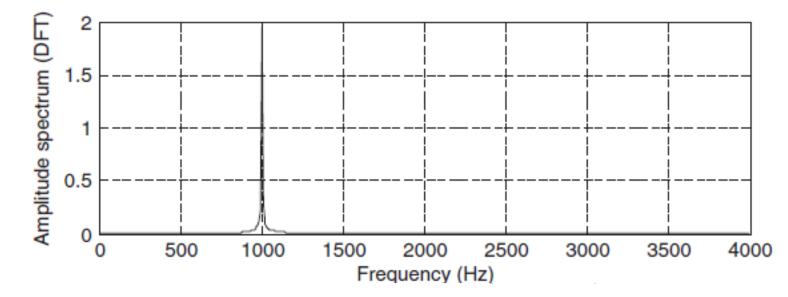
P = xf.*xf; % Calculate the power spectrum

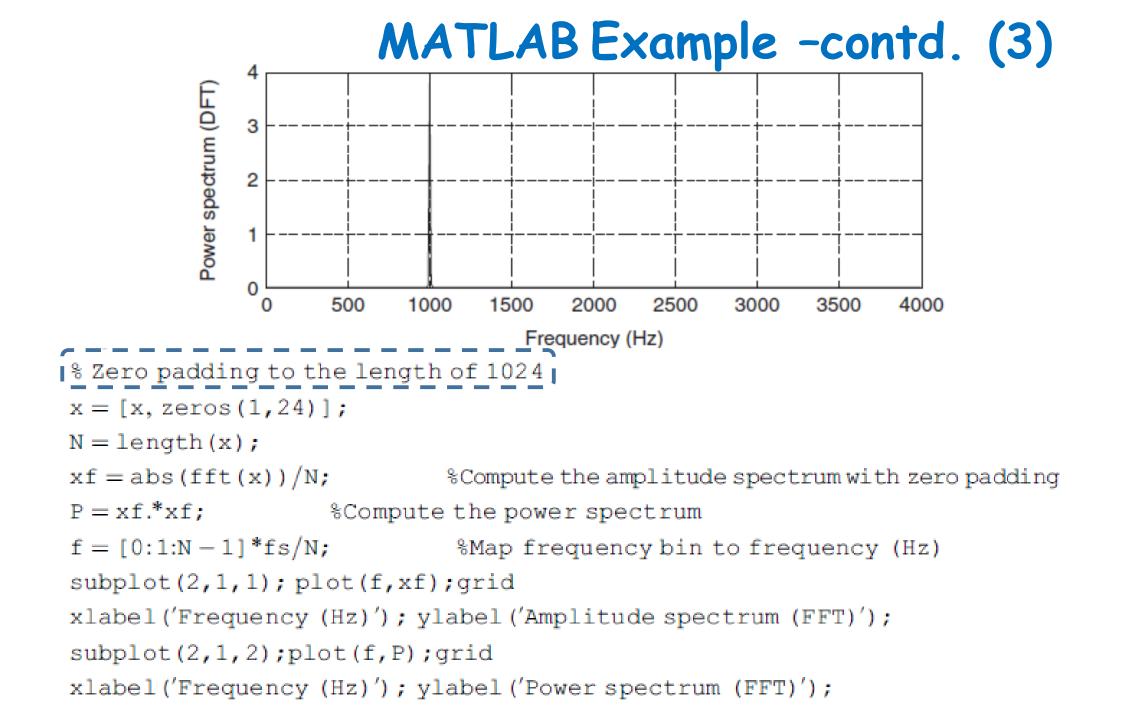
f = [0:1:N/2]*fs/N % Frequencies up to the folding frequency

subplot(2,1,1); plot(f,xf(1:N/2+1));grid

xlabel('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel('Amplitude spectrum (DFT)'); subplot(2,1,2);plot(f,P(1:N/2+1));grid

xlabel('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel('Power spectrum (DFT)');

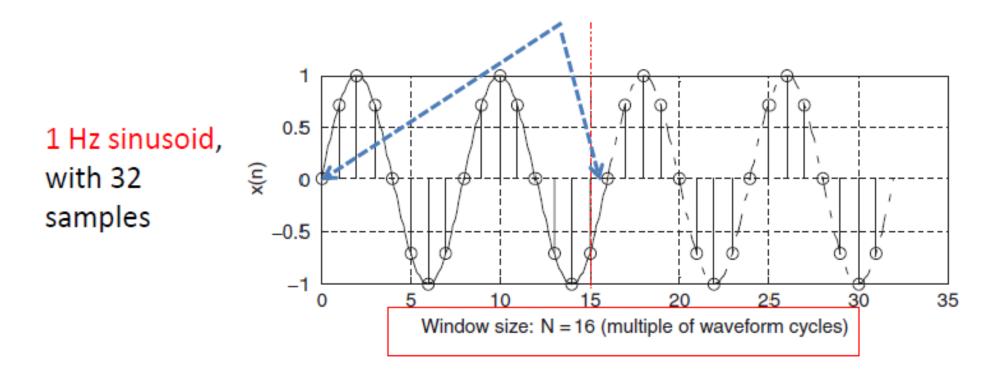




Effect of Window Size

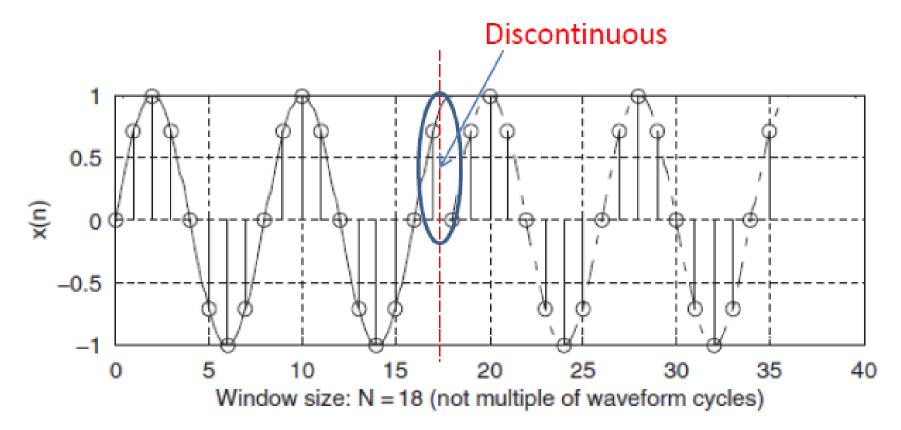
When applying DFT, we assume the following:

- 1. Sampled data are periodic to themselves (repeat).
- 2. Sampled data are continuous to themselves and band limited to the folding frequency.

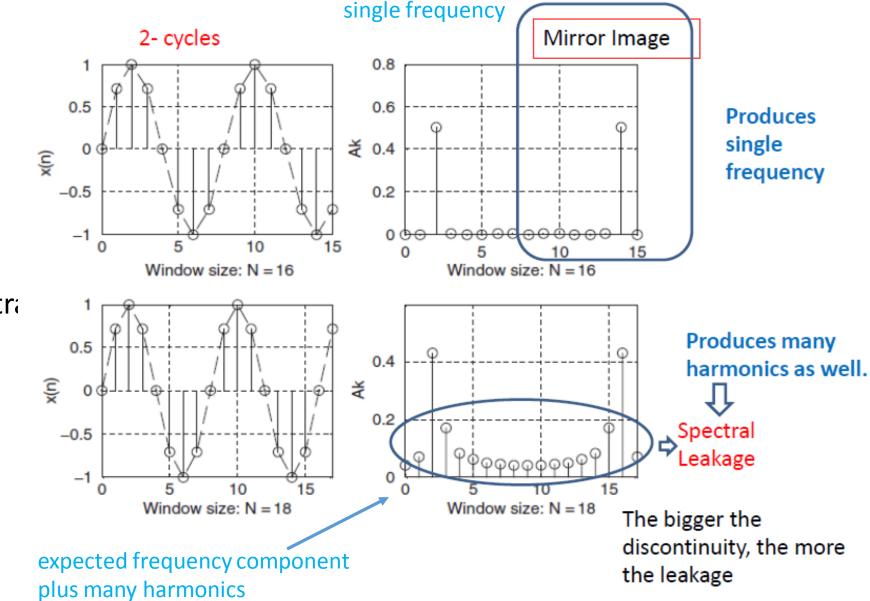


Effect of Window Size -contd. (1)

If the window size is not multiple of waveform cycles, the discontinuity produces undesired harmonic frequencies:



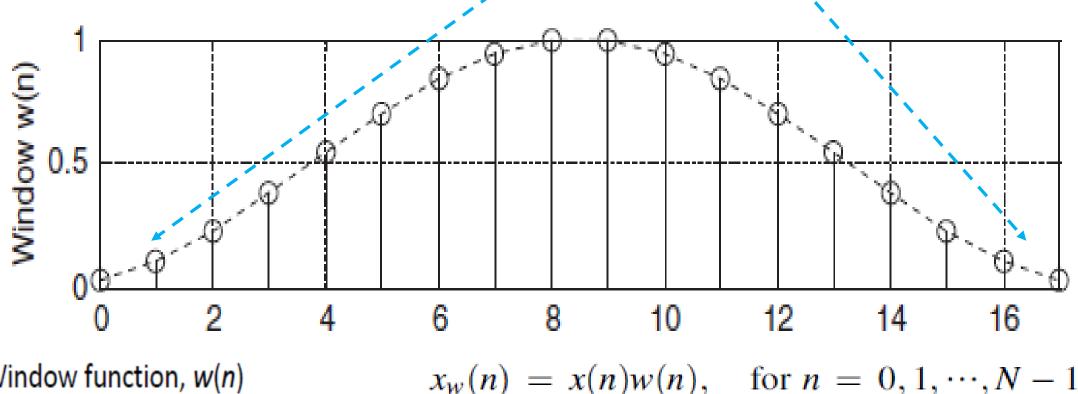
Effect of Window Size -contd. (2)



Signal samples and spectra without spectra leakage and with spectral leakage.

Reducing Leakage Using Window

To reduce the effect of spectral leakage, a window function w(n) can be used whose amplitude tapers smoothly and gradually toward zero at both ends



Window function, w(n)Data sequence, x(n)Obtained windowed sequence, $x_w(n)$

Example 8

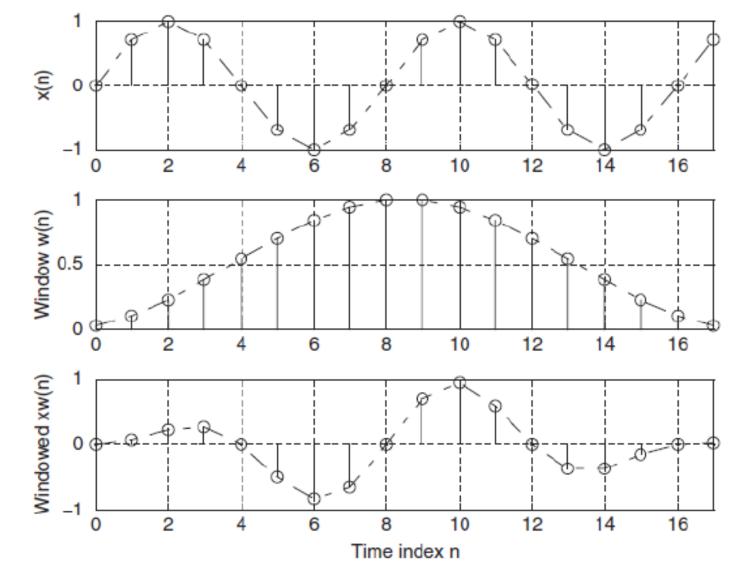
Given,

x(2) = 1 and w(2) = 0.2265; x(5) = -0.7071 and w(5) = 0.7008, **Calculate**, windowed sequence data $x_w(2)$ and $x_w(5)$

Applying the window function operation leads to

 $x_w(2) = x(2) \times w(2) = 1 \times 0.2265 = 0.2265$ and $x_w(5) = x(5) \times w(5) = -0.7071 \times 0.7008 = -0.4956$

Using the window function the spectral leakage is greatly reduced.



Different Types of Windows

Rectangular Window (no window): $w_R(n) = 1$ $0 \le n \le N - 1$

Triangular Window:

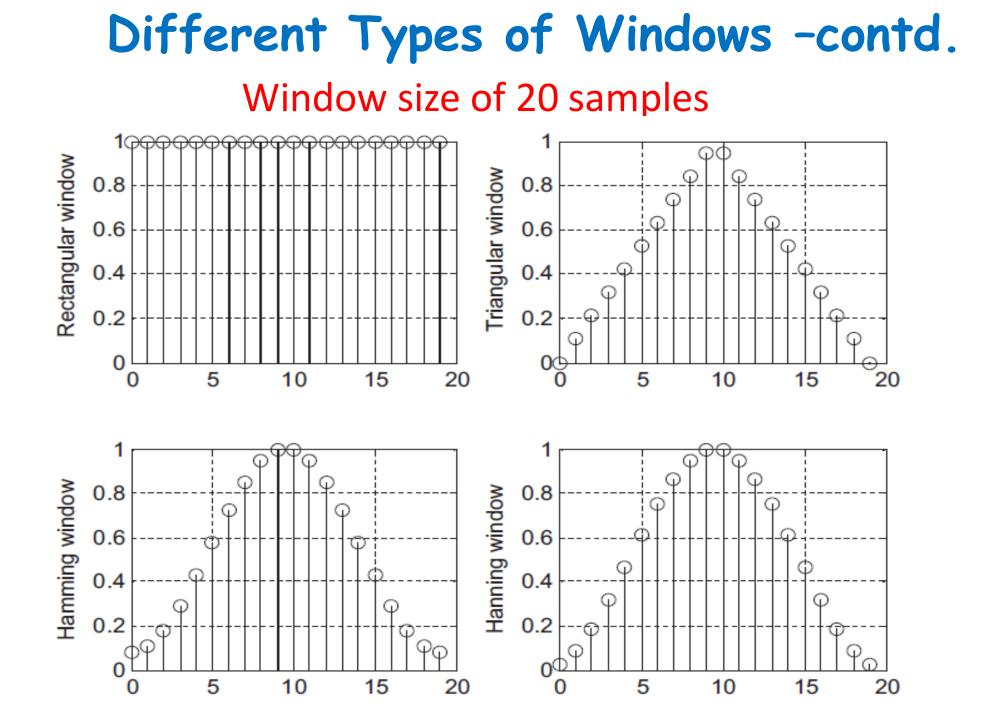
$$w_{tri}(n) = 1 - \frac{|2n - N + 1|}{N - 1}, \ 0 \le n \le N - 1$$

Hamming Window:

$$w_{hm}(n) = 0.54 - 0.46 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{N-1}\right), \ 0 \le n \le N-1$$

Hanning Window:

$$w_{hn}(n) = 0.5 - 0.5 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{N-1}\right), \ 0 \le n \le N-1$$



Example 9

Considering the sequence x(0) = 1, x(1) = 2, x(2) = 3, x(3) = 4 and given $f_s = 100$ Hz, T = 0.01 seconds, compute the amplitude spectrum, phase spectrum, and power spectrum using the *Hamming window function*.

Solution:

Since N = 4, Hamming window function can be found as:

$$w_{hm}(0) = 0.54 - 0.46 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi \times 0}{4-1}\right) = 0.08$$

$$w_{hm}(1) = 0.54 - 0.46 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi \times 1}{4-1}\right) = 0.77.$$

Similarly, $w_{hm}(2) = 0.77$, $w_{hm}(3) = 0.08$.

Example 9 -contd. (1)

• The windowed sequence is computed as:

$$\begin{aligned} x_w(0) &= x(0) \times w_{hm}(0) = 1 \times 0.08 = 0.08 \\ x_w(1) &= x(1) \times w_{hm}(1) = 2 \times 0.77 = 1.54 \\ x_w(2) &= x(2) \times w_{hm}(2) = 3 \times 0.77 = 2.31 \\ x_w(0) &= x(3) \times w_{hm}(3) = 4 \times 0.08 = 0.32 \end{aligned}$$

• DFT Sequence:

$$X(k) = x(0) W_N^{k0} + x(1) W_N^{k1} + x(2) W_N^{k2} + \dots + x(N-1) W_N^{k(N-1)}$$
$$X(k) = x_W(0) W_4^{k \times 0} + x_W(1) W_4^{k \times 1} + x_W(2) W_4^{k \times 2} + x_W(3) W_4^{k \times 3}$$

We obtain:

$$\begin{cases} X(0) = 4.25 \\ X(1) = -2.23 - j1.22 \\ X(2) = 0.53 \\ X(3) = -2.23 + j1.22 \end{cases} \Delta f = \frac{1}{NT} = \frac{1}{4 \cdot 0.01} = 25 \text{ Hz}$$

Example 9 -contd. (2)

Amplitude spectrum	Power spectrum	Phase spectrum	
$A_0 = \frac{1}{4} X(0) = 1.0625,$ $A_1 = \frac{1}{4} X(1) = 0.6355,$ $A_2 = \frac{1}{4} X(2) = 0.1325,$	$P_{0} = \frac{1}{4^{2}} X(0) ^{2} = 1.1289$ $P_{1} = \frac{1}{4^{2}} X(1) ^{2} = 0.4308$ $P_{2} = \frac{1}{4^{2}} X(2) ^{2} = 0.0176$	$\begin{split} \phi_0 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{0}{4.25} \right) = 0^0, \\ \phi_1 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{-1.22}{-2.23} \right) = -151.32^0, \\ \phi_2 &= \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{0}{0.53} \right) = 0^0, \end{split}$	
$A_3 = \frac{1}{4} X(3) = 0.6355,$	$P_3 = \frac{1}{4^2} X(3) ^2 = 0.4308$	$\phi_3 = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1.22}{-2.23}\right) = 151.32^0,$	

MATLAB Example -2

Given the sinusoid obtained using a sampling rate of $f_s = 8,000 Hz$

$$x(n) = 2 \cdot \sin\left(2,000\pi \frac{n}{8,000}\right)$$

Use the DFT to compute the spectrum of a Hamming window function with window size = 100.

Solution:

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% Generate the sine wave sequence
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fs = 8000; T = 1/fs;
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% Sampling rate and sampling period
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% Generate the sine wave sequence
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x = 2* sin (2000*pi*[0:1:100]*T);

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% Apply the FFT algorithm
N=length(x);
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index_t = [0:1:N-1];
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f = [0:1:N-1]*fs/N;
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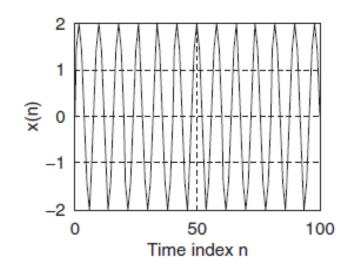
xf = abs(fft(x))/N;

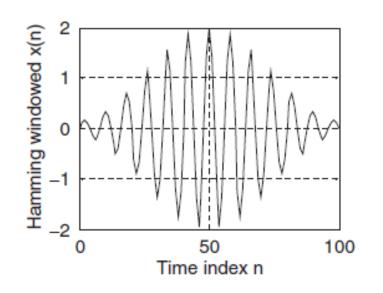
%Using the Hamming window x_hm = x.*hamming(N)'; xf_hm=abs(fft(x_hm))/N;

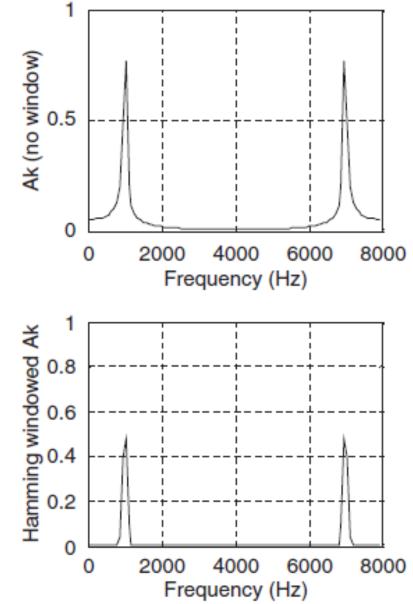
%Apply the Hamming window function
%Calculate the amplitude spectrum

MATLAB Example -2 contd.

subplot (2,2,1);plot(index_t,x);grid xlabel ('Time index n'); ylabel ('x(n)'); subplot (2,2,3); plot(index_t,x_hm);grid xlabel ('Time index n'); ylabel ('Hamming windowed x(n)'); subplot (2,2,2);plot(f,xf);grid;axis([0 fs 0 1]); xlabel ('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel ('Ak (no window)'); subplot (2,2,4); plot(f,xf_hm);grid;axis([0 fs 0 1]); xlabel ('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel ('Hamming windowed Ak');

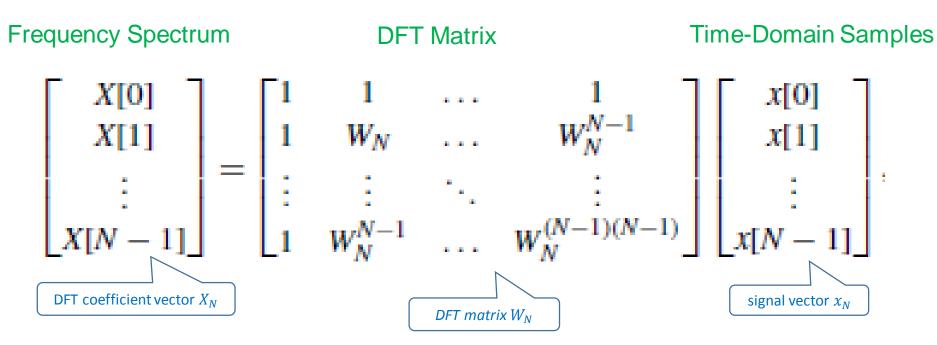






DFT Matrix

• The N equations for the DFT coefficients can be expressed in matrix form as: Let, $w_N = e^{-2j\pi/N}$ then,



Compact form : $X_N = W_N \cdot x_N$

DFT Equation:
$$X(k) = \sum_{m=0}^{N-1} x(m) w_N^{mk}$$
 $k = 0, ..., N-1$

DFT requires N^2 complex multiplications

DFT Matrix Example

Determine the DFT coefficients of the four point segment x[0] = 0, x[1] = 1, x[2] = 2, x[3] = 3 of a sequence x[n]Solution

We first compute the entries of the matrix W_4 using the property $W_N^{k+N} = W_N^k = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N}k} = cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}k\right) - jsin\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}k\right)$

$$W_{4} = \begin{bmatrix} W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{0} \\ W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{1} & W_{4}^{2} & W_{4}^{3} \\ W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{2} & W_{4}^{4} & W_{4}^{6} \\ W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{3} & W_{4}^{6} & W_{4}^{9} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & W_{4}^{1} & W_{4}^{2} & W_{4}^{3} \\ 1 & W_{4}^{2} & W_{4}^{0} & W_{4}^{2} \\ 1 & W_{4}^{3} & W_{4}^{2} & W_{4}^{1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{bmatrix}$$

The DFT coefficients are evaluated by the matrix-by-vector multiplication

The result is a complex

matrix given by

$$\begin{bmatrix} X[0] \\ X[1] \\ X[2] \\ X[3] \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -2+j2 \\ -2 \\ -2-j2 \end{bmatrix}$$

x = [0 1 2 3]'; W = dftmtx(4); X = W*x;

FFT

FFT: Fast Fourier Transform

A very efficient algorithm to compute DFT; it requires less multiplication.

- The length of input signal, x(n) must be 2^m samples, where m is an integer. Samples N= 2, 4, 8, 16 or so.
- If the input length is not 2^m , append (pad) zeros to make it 2^m .

DFT to FFT: Decimation in Frequency
DFT:
$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) W_N^{kn}$$
 for $k = 0, 1, ..., N-1$, $w_N = e^{-j2\pi/N}$ twiddle factor
 $X(k) = x(0) + x(1) W_N^k + ... + x(N-1) W_N^{k(N-1)}$ split Equation
 $X(k) = x(0) + x(1) W_N^k + ... + x\left(\frac{N}{2} - 1\right) W_N^{k(N/2-1)} + x\left(\frac{N}{2}\right) W^{kN/2} + ... + x(N-1) W_N^{k(N-1)}$
 $X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(n) W_N^{kn} + \sum_{n=N/2}^{N-1} x(n) W_N^{kn}$ $W_N^{(n+\frac{N}{2})k} = W_N^{nk} W_N^{(\frac{N}{2})k}$
 $X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(n) W_N^{kn} + W_N^{(N/2)k} \sum_{n=0}^{N/2-1} x\left(n + \frac{N}{2}\right) W_N^{kn}$ $W_N^{n/2} = e^{-j\frac{\pi N}{2}jk} = W_N^{nk} e^{-j\pi k}$
 $X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(n) W_N^{kn} + W_N^{(N/2)k} \sum_{n=0}^{N/2-1} x\left(n + \frac{N}{2}\right) W_N^{kn}$ $W_N^{n/2} = e^{-j\frac{\pi N}{2}jk} = W_N^{nk} e^{-j\pi k}$
 $W_N^{N/2} = e^{-j\frac{\pi N}{2}jk} = e^{-j\pi} = -1$

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Now decompose into even (k = 2m) and odd (k = 2m+1) sequences.

$$X(2m) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} \left(x(n) + x\left(n + \frac{N}{2}\right)\right) W_N^{2mn} \qquad X(2m+1) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} \left(x(n) - x\left(n + \frac{N}{2}\right)\right) W_N^{n} W_N^{2mn}$$

$$W_N^2 = e^{-\frac{j 2\pi \cdot 2}{N}} = e^{-\frac{j 2\pi \cdot 2}{(N/2)}} = W_{N/2},$$

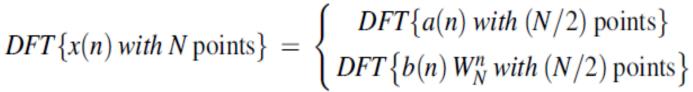
$$X(2m) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} a(n) W_{N/2}^{mn} = DFT\{a(n) with(N/2) \text{ points}\}$$

$$X(2m+1) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} b(n) W_N^n W_{N/2}^{mn} = DFT\{b(n) W_N^n with (N/2) \text{ points}\}$$
With:

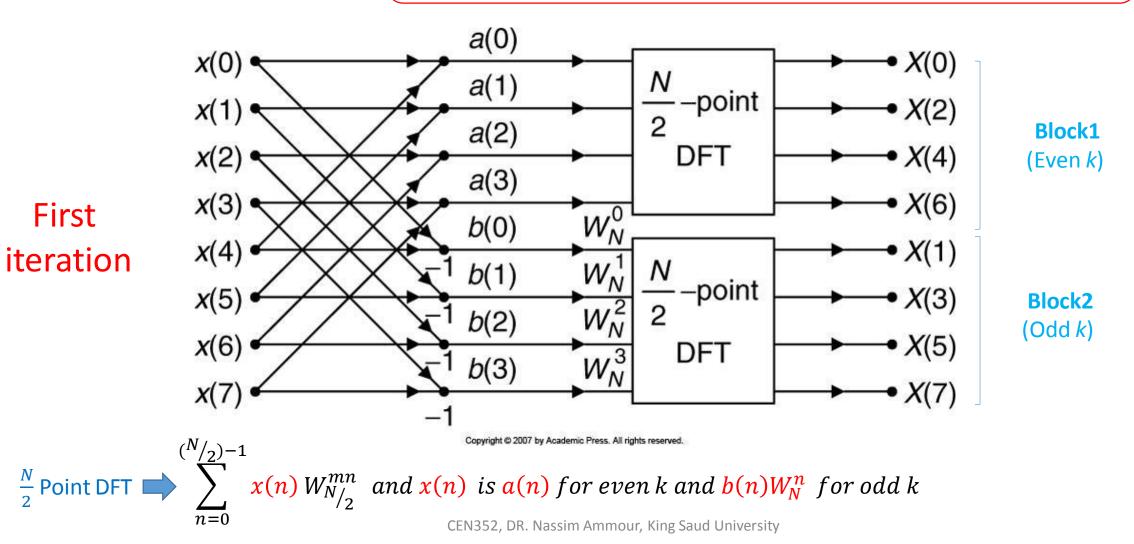
$$a(n) = x(n) + x\left(n + \frac{N}{2}\right), \text{ for } n = 0, 1 \cdots, \frac{N}{2} - 1$$

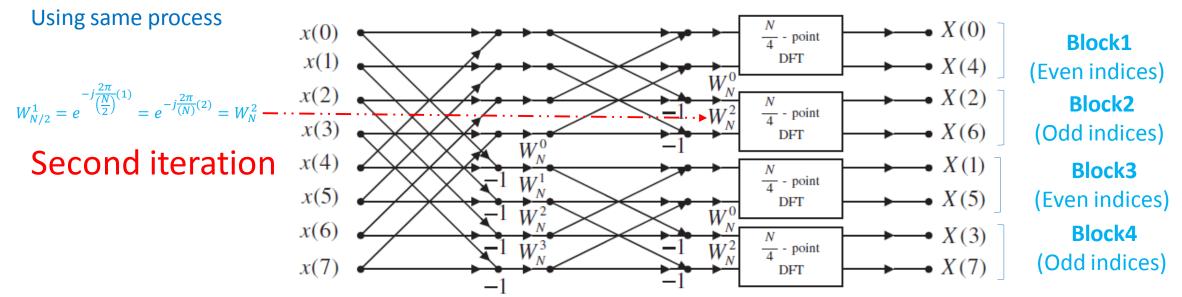
$$b(n) = x(n) - x\left(n + \frac{N}{2}\right), \text{ for } n = 0, 1, \cdots, \frac{N}{2} - 1$$

The computation process is



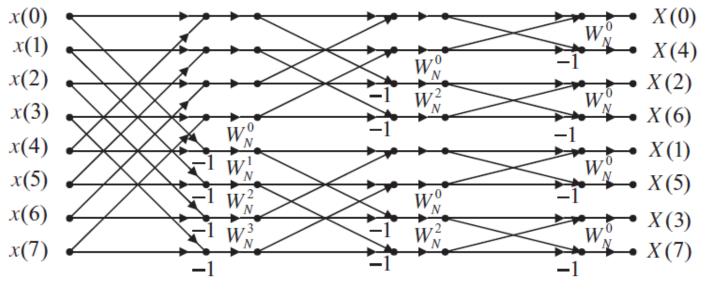
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The splitting process continues to the end (until having 2 input points to the DFT block, in this case third iteration).

Third iteration



12 complex multiplication

The index (bin number) of the eight-point DFT coefficient becomes inverted, and can be fixed by applying reversal bits.

Binary	index	1st split	2nd split	3rd split	Bit reversal	
000	0	0	0	0	000	
001	1	2	4	4	100	
010	2	4	2	2	010	
011	3	6	6	6	110	
100	4	1	1	1	001	
101	5	3	5	5	101	
110	6	5	3	3	011	
111	7	7	7	7	111	

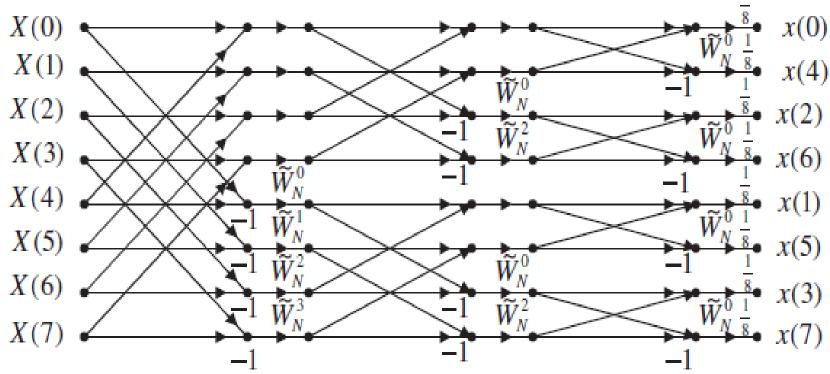
For data length of N, the number of complex multiplications: Complex multiplications of DFT = N^2 , $\int_{N \text{ multiplications}}^{\text{For each k (N) we need}} N$ Complex multiplications of FFT = $\frac{N}{2}\log_2(N)$

For 1024 samples data sequence, DFT requires 1024×1024 = 1048576 complex multiplications. FFT requires (1024/2)log(1024) = 5120 complex multiplications.

IFFT: Inverse FFT

$$x(n) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X(k) W_N^{-kn} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X(k) \tilde{W}_N^{kn}, \quad \text{for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

The difference is: the twiddle factor w_N is changed to $\tilde{w}_N = w_N^{-1}$, and the sum is multiplied by a factor of 1/N.

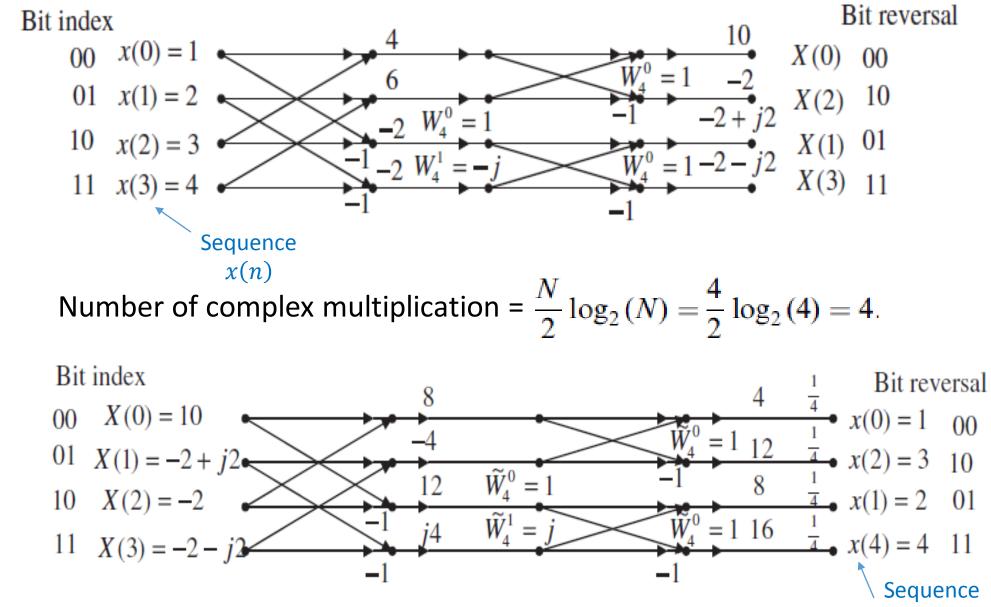


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FFT and IFFT Examples

FFT

IFFT



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x(n)

Split the input sequence x(n) into the even indexed x(2m) and x(2m + 1) each with N/2 data points.

$$X(k) = \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m) W_N^{2mk} + \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m+1) W_N^k W_N^{2mk}, \text{ for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

Using
$$w_N^2 = (e^{-j2\pi/N})^2 = e^{-j2\pi/(N/2)} = w_{N/2}$$

$$X(k) = \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m) W_{N/2}^{mk} + W_N^k \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m+1) W_{N/2}^{mk}, \text{ for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

 $G(k) = \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m) W_{N/2}^{mk} = DFT\{x(2m) \text{ with } (N/2) \text{ points}\}$

Define new functions as

$$H(k) = \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m+1)W_{N/2}^{mk} = DFT\{x(2m+1) \text{ with } (N/2) \text{ points}\}$$
As,

$$G(k) = G\left(k + \frac{N}{2}\right), \text{ for } k = 0, 1, \dots, \frac{N}{2} - 1$$

$$H(k) = H\left(k + \frac{N}{2}\right), \text{ for } k = 0, 1, \dots, \frac{N}{2} - 1$$

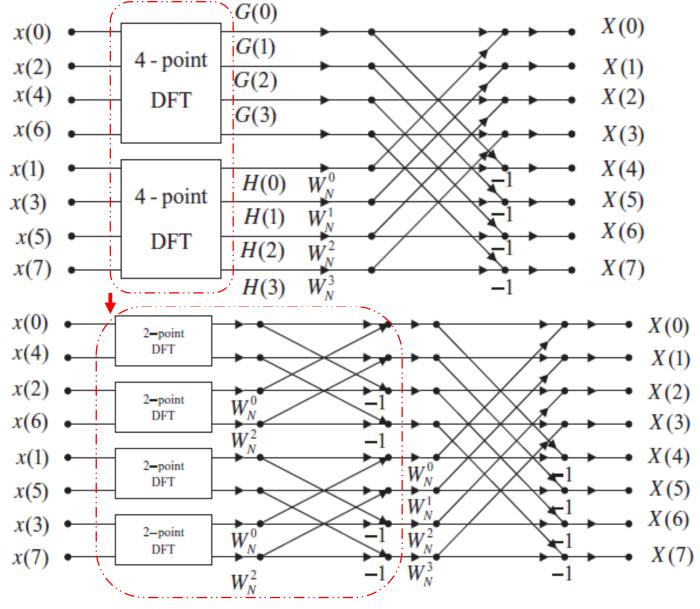
$$X(k) = \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m)W_{N/2}^{mk} + W_N^k \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m+1)W_{N/2}^{mk}, \text{ for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N - 1$$

$$X(k) = G(k) + W_N^k H(k), \text{ for } k = 0, 1, \dots, \frac{N}{2} - 1$$

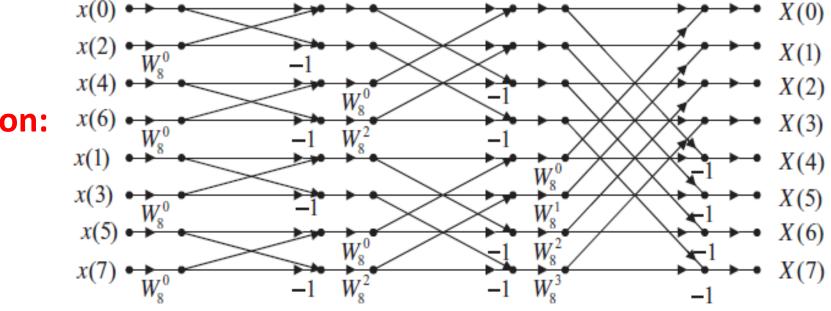
$$W_N^{k+\frac{N}{2}} = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{(2)}(k+\frac{N}{2})} = e^{-j\frac{2$$

First iteration:

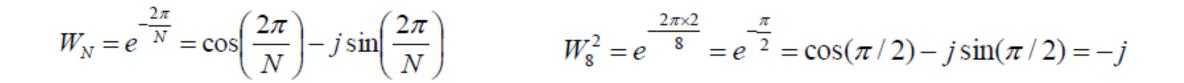
Second iteration:



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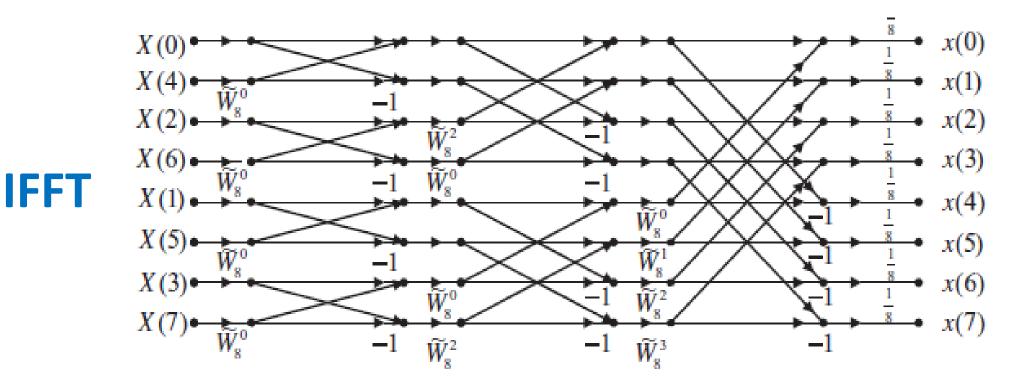
Third iteration:



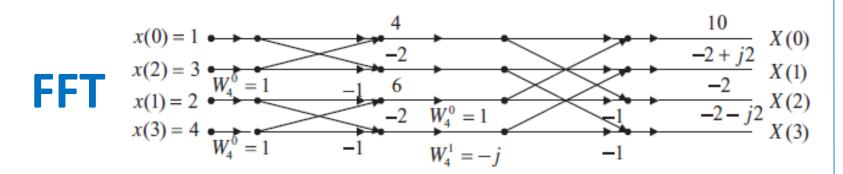
IFFT: Decimation in Time

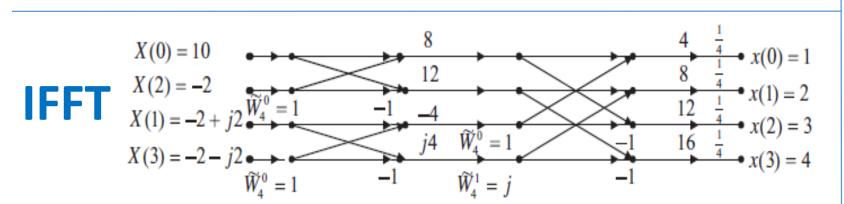
Similar to the decimation-in-frequency method, we change W_N to \widetilde{W}_N , and the sum is multiplied by a factor of 1/N.

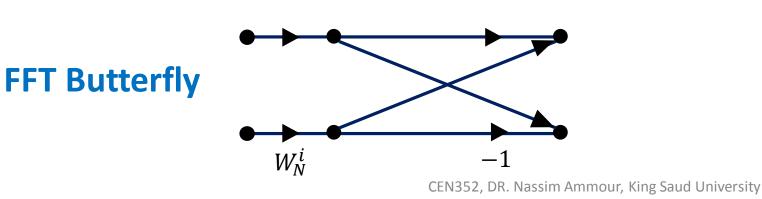
inverse FFT (IFFT) block diagram for the eight-point inverse FFT

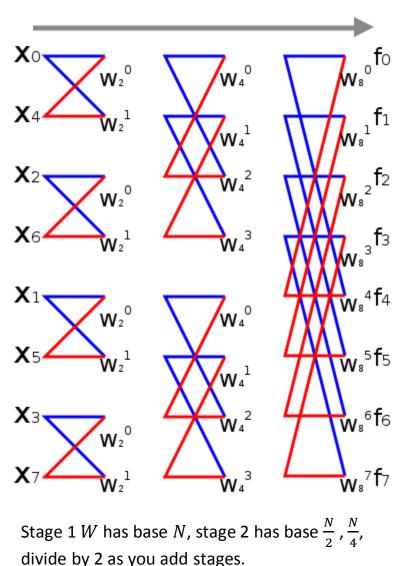


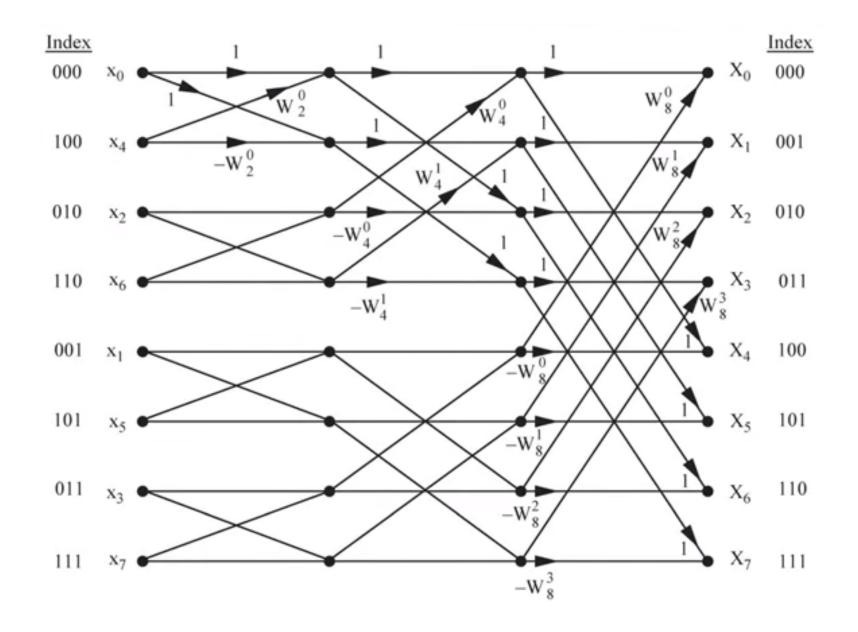
FFT and IFFT Examples



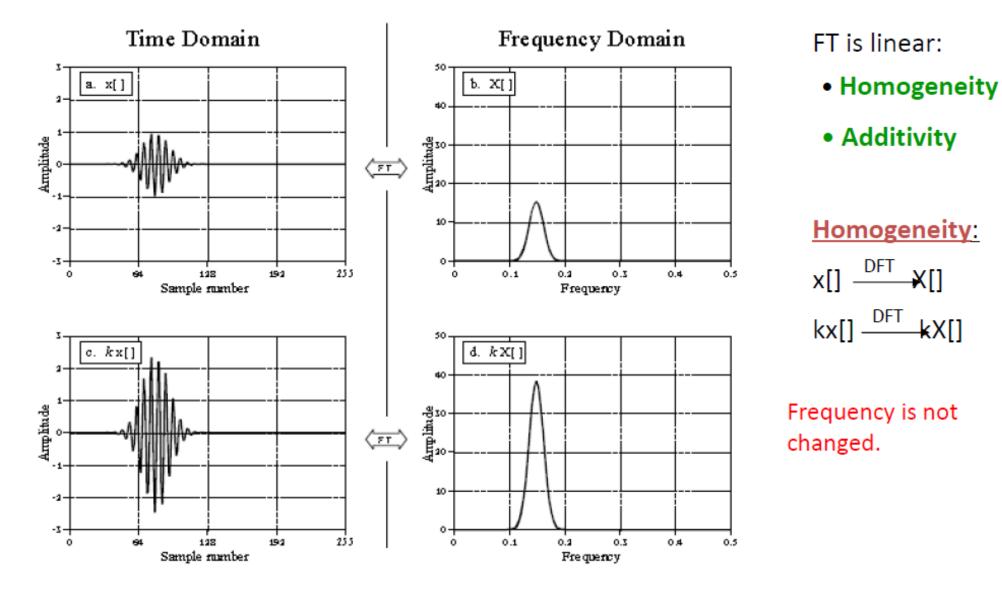




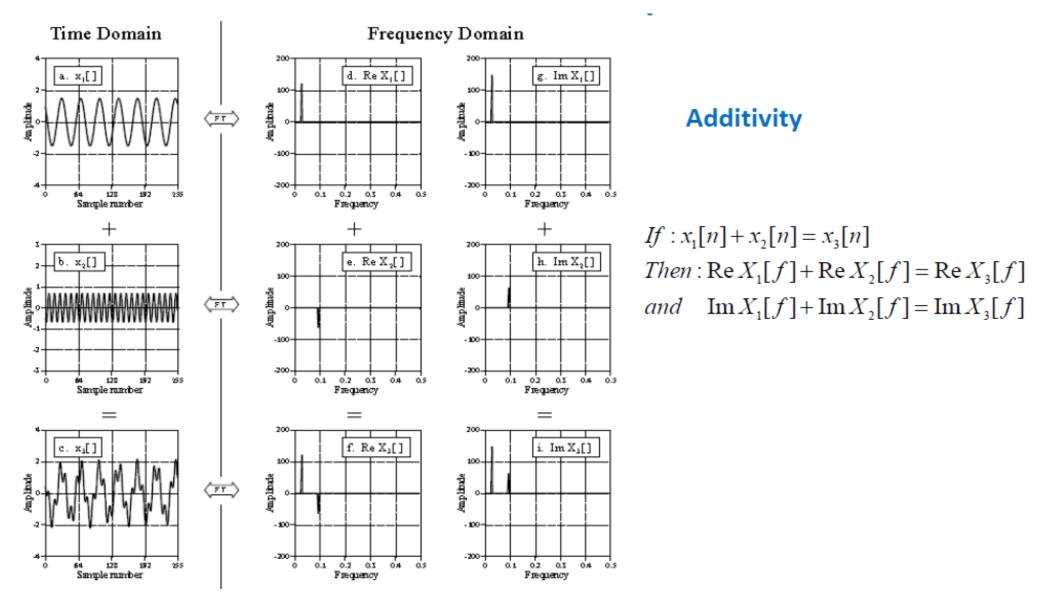




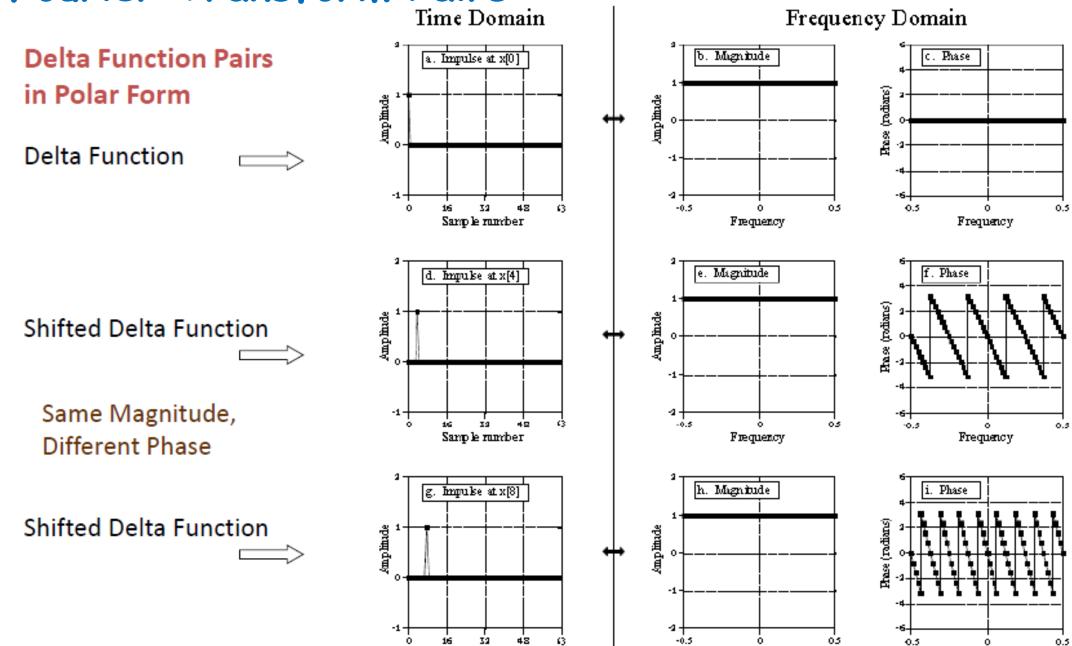
Fourier Transform Properties (1)



Fourier Transform Properties (2)



Fourier Transform Pairs



Sample rumber

Frequency

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Frequency