

* A special class of signals

CT, complex exponential signals.

$$x(t) = C \cdot e^{\alpha t}$$

To study this signal, write

$$C = |C| e^{j\phi} \quad (\text{polar form})$$

$$\alpha = \sigma + j\omega \quad (\text{rectangular / cartesian form})$$

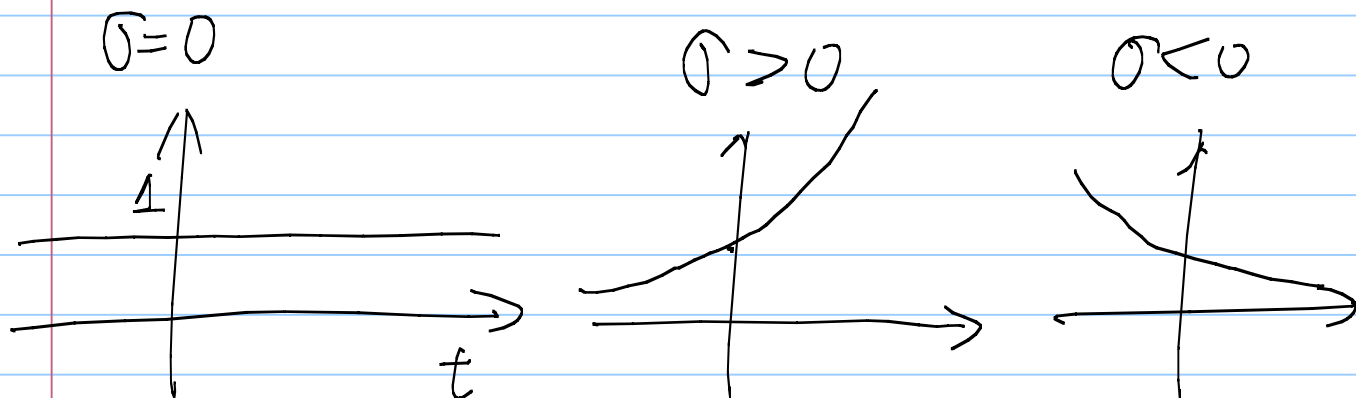
$$\text{Then } x(t) = |C| e^{j\phi} \cdot e^{(\sigma + j\omega)t}$$

$$= \underbrace{|C|}_{\text{Term 1}} \cdot \underbrace{e^{\sigma t}}_{\text{Term 2}} \cdot \underbrace{e^{j(\omega t + \phi)}}_{\text{Term 3}}$$

Let us study the terms separately & then put them together.

Term 1: $|C|$ simply scales the signal

Term 2: $e^{\sigma t}$ (real exponential)



Term 3: $e^{j(\omega t + \phi)}$

$$= \cos(\omega t + \phi) + j \sin(\omega t + \phi)$$

It is periodic with fundamental period

$$\frac{2\pi}{\omega}$$

$$\therefore e^{j\omega(t - \frac{2\pi}{\omega}) + \phi} = e^{j(\omega t - 2\pi + \phi)}$$

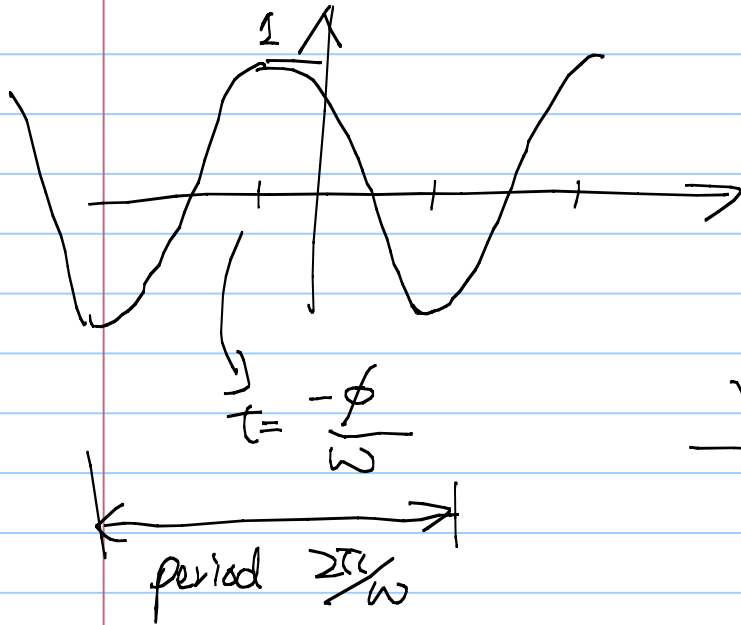
$$= e^{-j2\pi} \cdot e^{j(\omega t + \phi)}$$

$$= 1 \cdot e^{j(\omega t + \phi)}$$

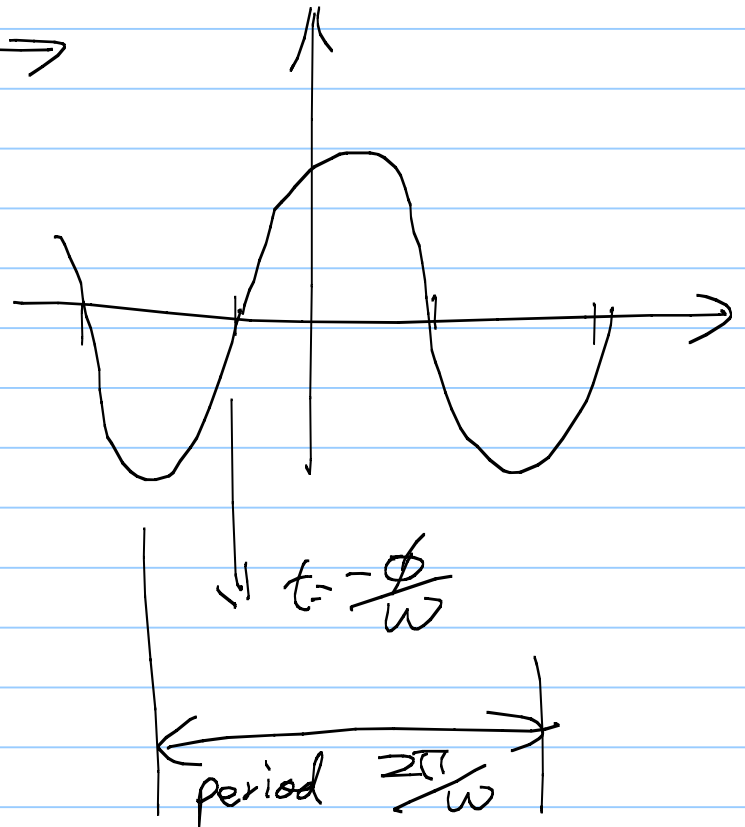
Q: How to plot $e^{j(\omega t + \phi)}$?

Real Part: (shifted & scaled)
cosine

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Imaginary part:



ω : omega is called the fundamental
freq Smaller $\omega \rightarrow$ slower oscillation
larger $\omega \rightarrow$ faster oscillation

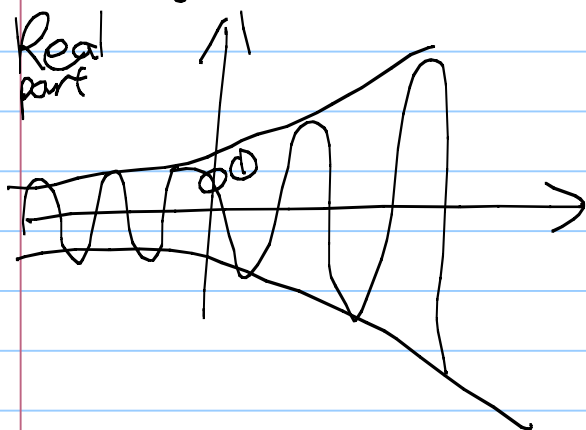
$$\boxed{T = \frac{2\pi}{\omega} \Leftrightarrow \overset{\text{fund. freq.}}{\omega} = \frac{2\pi}{T} \rightarrow \text{fund. period}}$$

ϕ : is called the phase since it
changes the angle of each sinusoidal

Combine all terms together

$$x(t) = |c| e^{\sigma t} e^{j(\omega t + \phi)}$$

If $\sigma > 0$



Q: Find the (x, y) coordinates of points ①, ②, ③?

Ans: ① = $(0, |c| \cos(\phi))$

② = $(-\frac{\phi}{\omega}, 0)$

③ = $(-\frac{\phi}{\omega} - \frac{2\pi}{\omega}, 0)$

Q: What is the instantaneous power of $x(t) = |c|e^{\sigma t} e^{j(\omega t + \phi)}$

Ans: $|x(t)|^2 = |c|^2 |e^{\sigma t}|^2 |e^{j(\omega t + \phi)}|^2$

$$= |c|^2 e^{2\sigma t} \times 1 \quad *$$

* CT harmonically related complex exponentials (HRCEs)

— A family of signals:

$$x_k(t) = e^{jk\omega t}, \quad k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$$

any integer

— For any ω , how many CT HRCEs do we have

Ans: ∞

— All these signals are periodic

— Their fundamental freq are $|k|\omega$
fundamental periods are $\frac{2\pi}{|k|\omega}$