

* Generalized CTFT

Subject: $x(t)$ can be periodic or aperiodic

Example: $x(t) = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}t\right)$

Q: The F.S of $x(t)$.

$$\text{Ans: } \omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad x(t) = \frac{1}{2} e^{j\frac{2\pi}{3}t} + \frac{1}{2} e^{j(-1)\frac{2\pi}{3}t} \quad \textcircled{1}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_1 = a_{-1} = \frac{1}{2}, \text{ all other } a_k = 0.$$

Q: Can we generalize CT FT so that

we can use CTFT to represent $x(t)$ as well?

Ans: Compare $\textcircled{1}$ with the synthesis formula

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega$$

What if $X(j\omega) = \alpha \delta(\omega - \omega_0)$?

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\omega=-\infty}^{\infty} \alpha \delta(\omega - \omega_0) e^{j\omega t} d\omega \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \alpha e^{j\omega_0 t} \end{aligned}$$

By comparison, we choose

$$X(j\omega) = 2\pi a_1 \delta(\omega - (1)\omega_0)$$

$$+ 2\pi a_2 \delta(\omega - (-1)\omega_0)$$

$$= \pi \delta(\omega - \frac{2\pi}{3}) + \pi \delta(\omega + \frac{2\pi}{3})$$

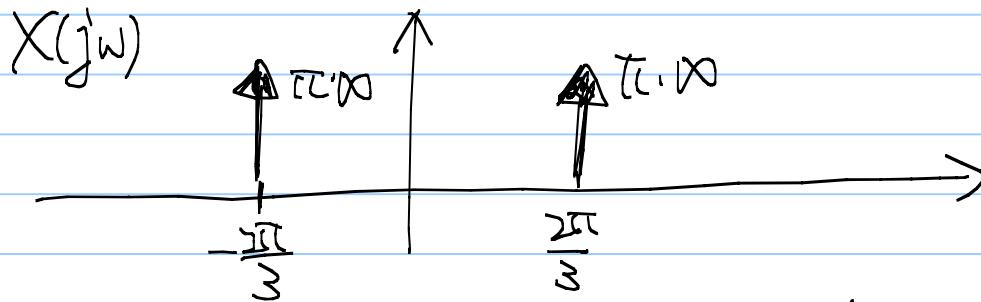
then $x(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot 2\pi a_1 e^{j1 \cdot \omega_0 t} + \frac{1}{2\pi} 2\pi a_2 e^{-j(-1)\omega_0 t}$

$$= a_1 e^{j\omega_0 t} + a_2 e^{-j\omega_0 t}$$

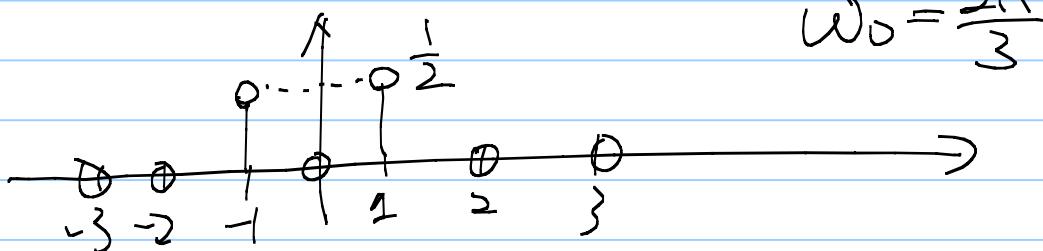
$$= \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}t\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}t\right) \xleftarrow{\text{F.T}} \pi \delta(\omega - \frac{2\pi}{3}) + \pi \delta(\omega + \frac{2\pi}{3})$$

* How to plot $X(j\omega)$? A CT signal



* For comparison: how to plot a_k ?



* The above inspection method can be applied even to other complex exponentials.
 Very similar to HW9 Q77

Example: $x(t) = \cos(t) + \sin(\pi t)$

Q1: Is $x(t)$ periodic?

Ans: $\therefore \text{LCM}(\frac{2\pi}{1}, \frac{2\pi}{\pi})$ does not exist.

\therefore Not periodic

Q2: Find $X(j\omega)$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Ans: } x(t) &= \frac{1}{2} e^{jt} + \frac{1}{2} e^{-jt} \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{2j} e^{j\pi t} - \frac{1}{2j} e^{-j\pi t} \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(j\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega \end{aligned}$$

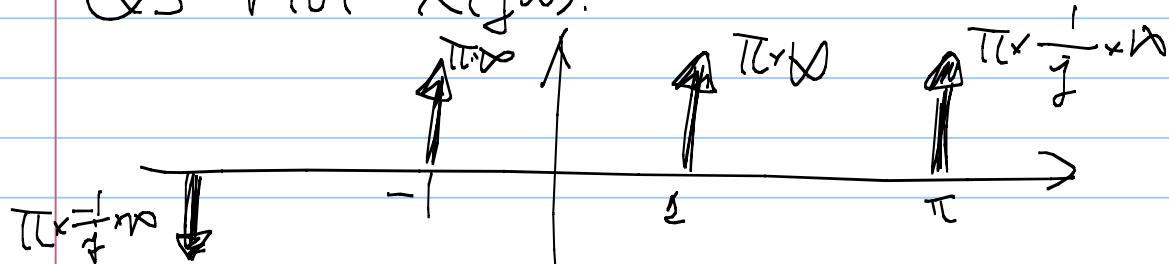
By inspection

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} e^{jat} \longleftrightarrow \delta(\omega - a)$$

$$\Rightarrow X(j\omega) = 2\pi \cdot \frac{1}{2} \delta(\omega - 1) + 2\pi \cdot \frac{1}{2} \delta(\omega - (-1))$$

$$+ 2\pi \cdot \frac{1}{2j} \delta(\omega - \pi) + 2\pi \cdot \left(\frac{-1}{2j}\right) \delta(\omega - (-\pi))$$

Q3: Plot $X(j\omega)$.



* For general periodic $x(t)$, how to find its F.T.

Ans: Step 1: Find the CTFS of $x(t)$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \omega_0$$

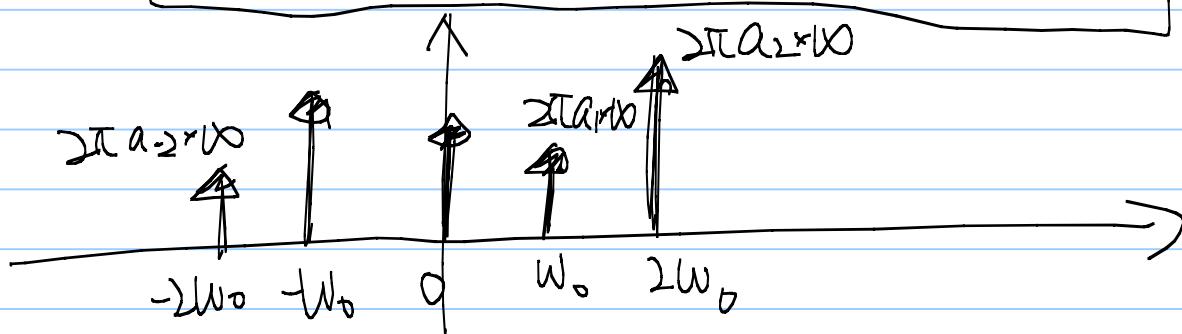
$$\textcircled{2} \quad a_k$$

$$\text{Step 2: } \because x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{j k \omega_0 t}$$

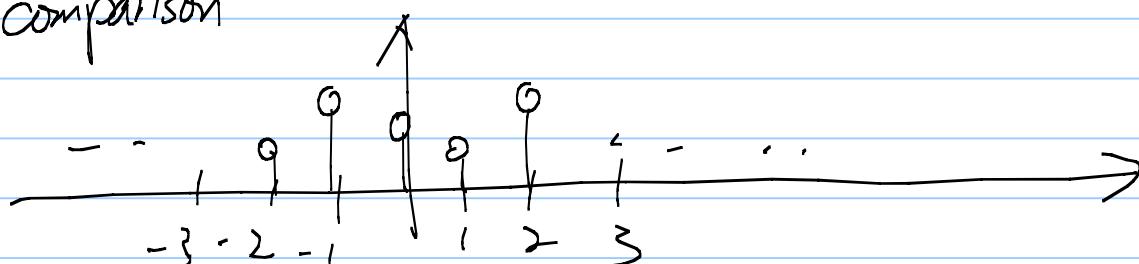
$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega$$

\therefore By inspection

$$X(j\omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} (2\pi a_k) \delta(\omega - k\omega_0)$$



For comparison

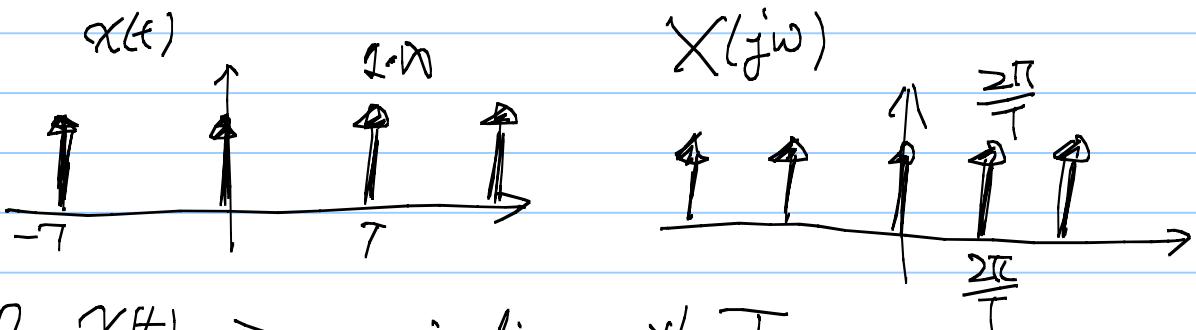


The FT kills two birds in one stone: Both ω_0 & the height.

* Text Example 4.8

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - kT) \quad \text{Plot } x(t)$$

Find $X(j\omega) = \frac{2\pi}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(\omega - k \frac{2\pi}{T})$, plot $X(j\omega)$



Pf: $x(t)$ is periodic with T

⇒ We need generalized FT

Step 1: F. S of $x(t)$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \frac{1}{T} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) e^{-jkt} dt$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad a_k = \frac{1}{T} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t) e^{-jkt} dt = \frac{1}{T} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t-nT) e^{-jkt} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{T} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t-nT) e^{-jnT} dt = \frac{1}{T}$$

$$\text{Step 2: } X(j\omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} 2\pi a_k \delta(\omega - k \frac{2\pi}{T})$$

$$= \frac{2\pi}{T} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(\omega - k \frac{2\pi}{T})$$

* Impulse trains in time ↔ Impulse trains in freq