

this chapter we have derived and examined many of these properties. Among them are two that have particular significance for our study of signals and systems. The first is the convolution property, which is a direct consequence of the eigenfunction property of complex exponential signals and which leads to the description of an LTI system in terms of its frequency response. This description plays a fundamental role in the frequency-domain approach to the analysis of LTI systems, which we will continue to explore in subsequent chapters. The second property of the Fourier transform that has extremely important implications is the multiplication property, which provides the basis for the frequency-domain analysis of sampling and modulation systems. We examine these systems further in Chapters 7 and 8.

We have also seen that the tools of Fourier analysis are particularly well suited to the examination of LTI systems characterized by linear constant-coefficient differential equations. Specifically, we have found that the frequency response for such a system can be determined by inspection and that the technique of partial-fraction expansion can then be used to facilitate the calculation of the impulse response of the system. In subsequent chapters, we will find that the convenient algebraic structure of the frequency responses of these systems allows us to gain considerable insight into their characteristics in both the time and frequency domains.

Chapter 4 Problems

The first section of problems belongs to the basic category and the answers are provided in the back of the book. The remaining three sections contain problems belonging to the basic, advanced, and extension categories, respectively.

BASIC PROBLEMS WITH ANSWERS

- 4.1. Use the Fourier transform analysis equation (4.9) to calculate the Fourier transforms of:
 (a) $e^{-2(t-1)}u(t-1)$ (b) $e^{-2|t-1|}$
 Sketch and label the magnitude of each Fourier transform.
- 4.2. Use the Fourier transform analysis equation (4.9) to calculate the Fourier transforms of:
 (a) $\delta(t+1) + \delta(t-1)$ (b) $\frac{d}{dt}\{u(-2-t) + u(t-2)\}$
 Sketch and label the magnitude of each Fourier transform.
- 4.3. Determine the Fourier transform of each of the following periodic signals:
 (a) $\sin(2\pi t + \frac{\pi}{4})$ (b) $1 + \cos(6\pi t + \frac{\pi}{8})$
- 4.4. Use the Fourier transform synthesis equation (4.8) to determine the inverse Fourier transforms of:
 (a) $X_1(j\omega) = 2\pi\delta(\omega) + \pi\delta(\omega - 4\pi) + \pi\delta(\omega + 4\pi)$

$$(b) X_2(j\omega) = \begin{cases} 2, & 0 \leq \omega \leq 2 \\ -2, & -2 \leq \omega < 0 \\ 0, & |\omega| > 2 \end{cases}$$

- 4.5. Use the Fourier synthesis equation (4.8) to determine the inverse Fourier transform of $X(j\omega) = |X(j\omega)|e^{j\angle X(j\omega)}$, where

$$|X(j\omega)| = 2\{u(\omega + 3) - u(\omega - 3)\},$$

$$\angle X(j\omega) = -\frac{3}{2}\omega + \pi.$$

Use your answer to determine the values of t for which $x(t) = 0$.

- 4.6. Given that $x(t)$ has the Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$, express the Fourier transforms of the signals listed below in terms of $X(j\omega)$. You may find useful the Fourier transform properties listed in Table 4.1.

(a) $x_1(t) = x(1-t) + x(-1-t)$

(b) $x_2(t) = x(3t-6)$

(c) $x_3(t) = \frac{d^2}{dt^2} x(t-1)$

- 4.7. For each of the following Fourier transforms, use Fourier transform properties (Table 4.1) to determine whether the corresponding time-domain signal is (i) real, imaginary, or neither and (ii) even, odd, or neither. Do this without evaluating the inverse of any of the given transforms.

(a) $X_1(j\omega) = u(\omega) - u(\omega - 2)$

(b) $X_2(j\omega) = \cos(2\omega) \sin(\frac{\omega}{2})$

(c) $X_3(j\omega) = A(\omega)e^{jB(\omega)}$, where $A(\omega) = (\sin 2\omega)/\omega$ and $B(\omega) = 2\omega + \frac{\pi}{2}$

(d) $X(j\omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} (\frac{1}{2})^{|k|} \delta(\omega - \frac{k\pi}{4})$

- 4.8. Consider the signal

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t < -\frac{1}{2} \\ t + \frac{1}{2}, & -\frac{1}{2} \leq t \leq \frac{1}{2} \\ 1, & t > \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$$

- (a) Use the differentiation and integration properties in Table 4.1 and the Fourier transform pair for the rectangular pulse in Table 4.2 to find a closed-form expression for $X(j\omega)$.

(b) What is the Fourier transform of $g(t) = x(t) - \frac{1}{2}$?

- 4.9. Consider the signal

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & |t| > 1 \\ (t+1)/2, & -1 \leq t \leq 1 \end{cases}$$

- (a) With the help of Tables 4.1 and 4.2, determine the closed-form expression for $X(j\omega)$.

- (b) Take the real part of your answer to part (a), and verify that it is the Fourier transform of the even part of $x(t)$.

- (c) What is the Fourier transform of the odd part of $x(t)$?

- 4.10. (a) Use Tables 4.1 and 4.2 to help determine the Fourier transform of the following signal:

$$x(t) = t \left(\frac{\sin t}{\pi t} \right)^2$$

- (b) Use Parseval's relation and the result of the previous part to determine the numerical value of

$$A = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} t^2 \left(\frac{\sin t}{\pi t} \right)^4 dt$$

- 4.11. Given the relationships

$$y(t) = x(t) * h(t)$$

and

$$g(t) = x(3t) * h(3t),$$

and given that $x(t)$ has Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$ and $h(t)$ has Fourier transform $H(j\omega)$, use Fourier transform properties to show that $g(t)$ has the form

$$g(t) = Ay(Bt).$$

Determine the values of A and B .

- 4.12. Consider the Fourier transform pair

$$e^{-|t|} \xleftrightarrow{\mathcal{F}} \frac{2}{1 + \omega^2}.$$

- (a) Use the appropriate Fourier transform properties to find the Fourier transform of $te^{-|t|}$.
 (b) Use the result from part (a), along with the duality property, to determine the Fourier transform of

$$\frac{4t}{(1 + t^2)^2}.$$

Hint: See Example 4.13.

- 4.13. Let $x(t)$ be a signal whose Fourier transform is

$$X(j\omega) = \delta(\omega) + \delta(\omega - \pi) + \delta(\omega - 5),$$

and let

$$h(t) = u(t) - u(t - 2).$$

- (a) Is $x(t)$ periodic?
 (b) Is $x(t) * h(t)$ periodic?
 (c) Can the convolution of two aperiodic signals be periodic?

4.14. Consider a signal $x(t)$ with Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$. Suppose we are given the following facts:

1. $x(t)$ is real and nonnegative.
2. $\mathcal{F}^{-1}\{(1 + j\omega)X(j\omega)\} = Ae^{-2t}u(t)$, where A is independent of t .
3. $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |X(j\omega)|^2 d\omega = 2\pi$.

Determine a closed-form expression for $x(t)$.

4.15. Let $x(t)$ be a signal with Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$. Suppose we are given the following facts:

1. $x(t)$ is real.
2. $x(t) = 0$ for $t \leq 0$.
3. $\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \text{Re}\{X(j\omega)\}e^{j\omega t} d\omega = |t|e^{-|t|}$.

Determine a closed-form expression for $x(t)$.

4.16. Consider the signal

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(k\frac{\pi}{4})}{(k\frac{\pi}{4})} \delta(t - k\frac{\pi}{4}).$$

(a) Determine $g(t)$ such that

$$x(t) = \left(\frac{\sin t}{\pi t}\right)g(t).$$

(b) Use the multiplication property of the Fourier transform to argue that $X(j\omega)$ is periodic. Specify $X(j\omega)$ over one period.

4.17. Determine whether each of the following statements is true or false. Justify your answers.

- (a) An odd and imaginary signal always has an odd and imaginary Fourier transform.
- (b) The convolution of an odd Fourier transform with an even Fourier transform is always odd.

4.18. Find the impulse response of a system with the frequency response

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{(\sin^2(3\omega)) \cos \omega}{\omega^2}.$$

4.19. Consider a causal LTI system with frequency response

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega + 3}.$$

For a particular input $x(t)$ this system is observed to produce the output

$$y(t) = e^{-3t}u(t) - e^{-4t}u(t).$$

Determine $x(t)$.

4.20. Find the impulse response of the causal LTI system represented by the *RLC* circuit considered in Problem 3.20. Do this by taking the inverse Fourier transform of the circuit's frequency response. You may use Tables 4.1 and 4.2 to help evaluate the inverse Fourier transform.

BASIC PROBLEMS

4.21. Compute the Fourier transform of each of the following signals:

(a) $[e^{-\alpha t} \cos \omega_0 t]u(t)$, $\alpha > 0$

(b) $e^{-3|t|} \sin 2t$

(c) $x(t) = \begin{cases} 1 + \cos \pi t, & |t| \leq 1 \\ 0, & |t| > 1 \end{cases}$

(d) $\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \alpha^k \delta(t - kT)$, $|\alpha| < 1$

(e) $[te^{-2t} \sin 4t]u(t)$

(f) $\left[\frac{\sin \pi t}{\pi t} \right] \left[\frac{\sin 2\pi(t-1)}{\pi(t-1)} \right]$

(g) $x(t)$ as shown in Figure P4.21(a)

(h) $x(t)$ as shown in Figure P4.21(b)

(i) $x(t) = \begin{cases} 1 - t^2, & 0 < t < 1 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

(j) $\sum_{n=-\infty}^{+\infty} e^{-|t-2n|}$

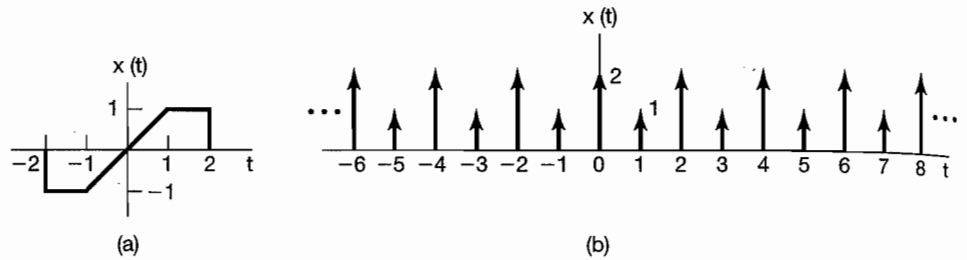


Figure P4.21

4.22. Determine the continuous-time signal corresponding to each of the following transforms.

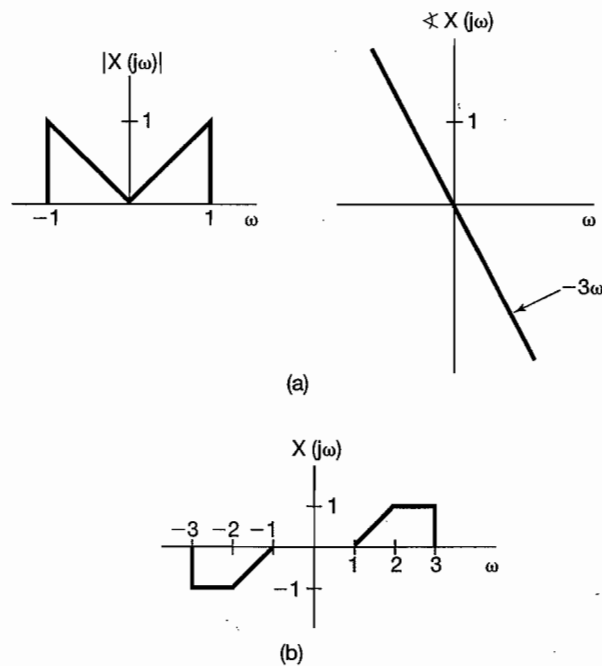


Figure P4.22

- (a) $X(j\omega) = \frac{2 \sin[3(\omega - 2\pi)]}{(\omega - 2\pi)}$
- (b) $X(j\omega) = \cos(4\omega + \pi/3)$
- (c) $X(j\omega)$ as given by the magnitude and phase plots of Figure P4.22(a)
- (d) $X(j\omega) = 2[\delta(\omega - 1) - \delta(\omega + 1)] + 3[\delta(\omega - 2\pi) + \delta(\omega + 2\pi)]$
- (e) $X(j\omega)$ as in Figure P4.22(b)

4.23. Consider the signal

$$x_0(t) = \begin{cases} e^{-t}, & 0 \leq t \leq 1 \\ 0, & \text{elsewhere} \end{cases}$$

Determine the Fourier transform of each of the signals shown in Figure P4.23. You should be able to do this by explicitly evaluating *only* the transform of $x_0(t)$ and then using properties of the Fourier transform.

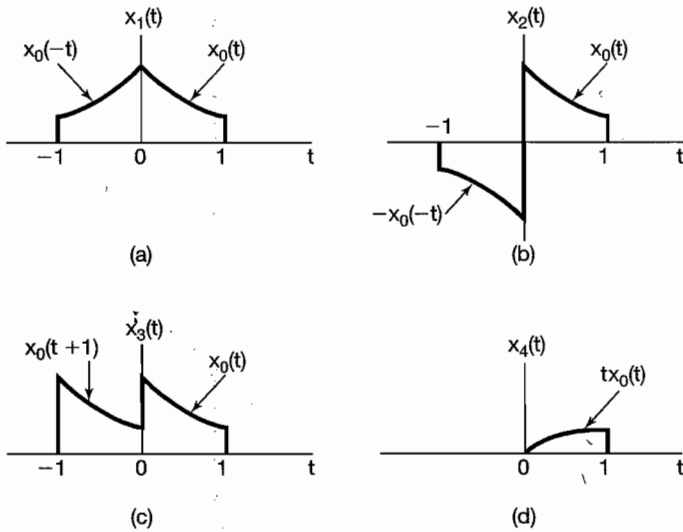


Figure P4.23

- 4.24. (a) Determine which, if any, of the real signals depicted in Figure P4.24 have Fourier transforms that satisfy each of the following conditions:
- (1) $\Re\{X(j\omega)\} = 0$
 - (2) $\Im\{X(j\omega)\} = 0$
 - (3) There exists a real α such that $e^{j\alpha\omega} X(j\omega)$ is real
 - (4) $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) d\omega = 0$
 - (5) $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \omega X(j\omega) d\omega = 0$
 - (6) $X(j\omega)$ is periodic
- (b) Construct a signal that has properties (1), (4), and (5) and does *not* have the others.

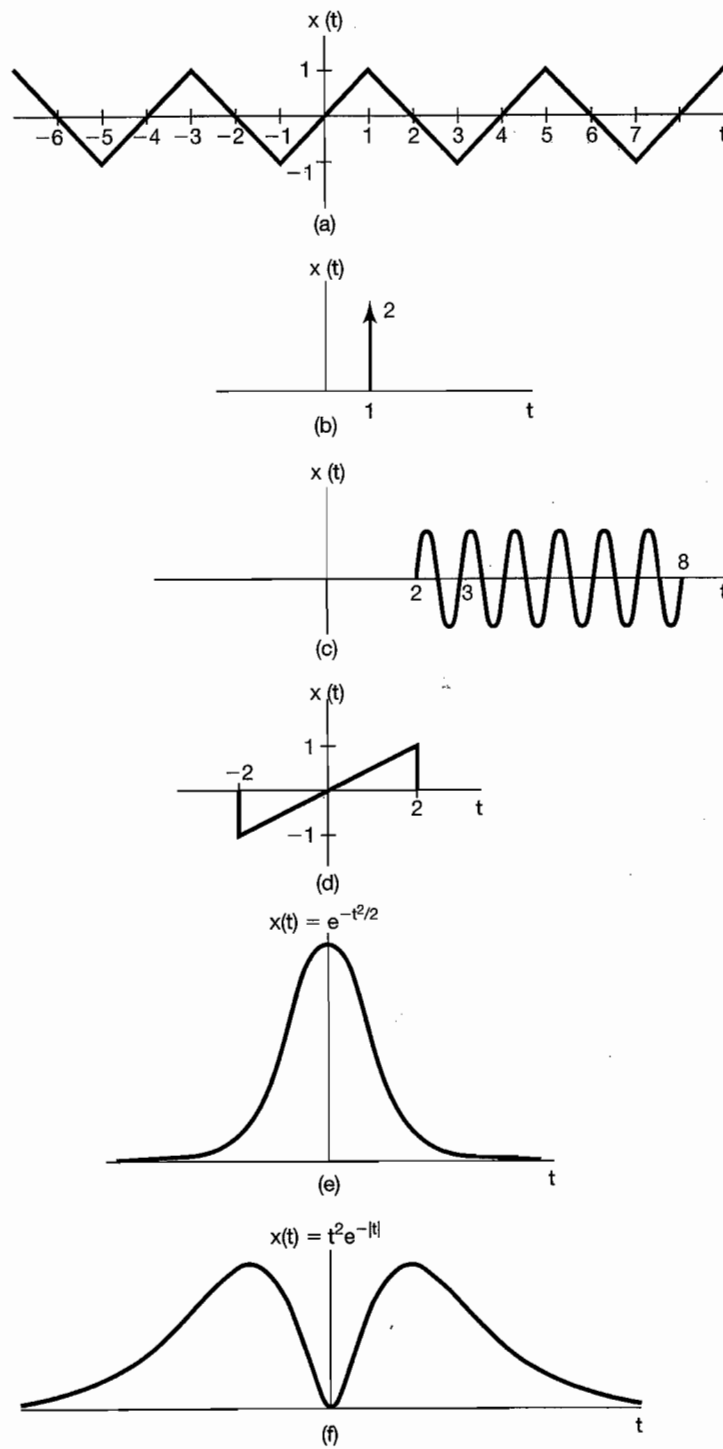


Figure P4.24

4.25. Let $X(j\omega)$ denote the Fourier transform of the signal $x(t)$ depicted in Figure P4.25.

- (a) Find $\angle X(j\omega)$.
- (b) Find $X(j0)$.
- (c) Find $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) d\omega$.
- (d) Evaluate $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} X(j\omega) \frac{2 \sin \omega}{\omega} e^{j2\omega} d\omega$.
- (e) Evaluate $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |X(j\omega)|^2 d\omega$.
- (f) Sketch the inverse Fourier transform of $\Re\{X(j\omega)\}$.

Note: You should perform all these calculations without explicitly evaluating $X(j\omega)$.

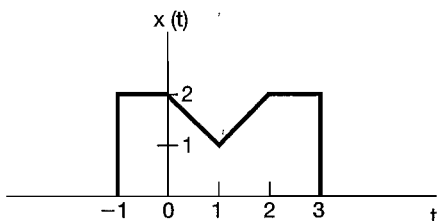


Figure P4.25

4.26. (a) Compute the convolution of each of the following pairs of signals $x(t)$ and $h(t)$ by calculating $X(j\omega)$ and $H(j\omega)$, using the convolution property, and inverse transforming.

- (i) $x(t) = te^{-2t}u(t)$, $h(t) = e^{-4t}u(t)$
- (ii) $x(t) = te^{-2t}u(t)$, $h(t) = te^{-4t}u(t)$
- (iii) $x(t) = e^{-t}u(t)$, $h(t) = e^t u(-t)$

(b) Suppose that $x(t) = e^{-(t-2)}u(t-2)$ and $h(t)$ is as depicted in Figure P4.26. Verify the convolution property for this pair of signals by showing that the Fourier transform of $y(t) = x(t) * h(t)$ equals $H(j\omega)X(j\omega)$.

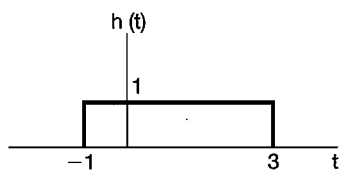


Figure P4.26

4.27. Consider the signals

$$x(t) = u(t - 1) - 2u(t - 2) + u(t - 3)$$

and

$$\tilde{x}(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} x(t - kT),$$

where $T > 0$. Let a_k denote the Fourier series coefficients of $\tilde{x}(t)$, and let $X(j\omega)$ denote the Fourier transform of $x(t)$.

(a) Determine a closed-form expression for $X(j\omega)$.

(b) Determine an expression for the Fourier coefficients a_k and verify that $a_k = \frac{1}{T}X\left(j\frac{2\pi k}{T}\right)$.

4.28. (a) Let $x(t)$ have the Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$, and let $p(t)$ be periodic with fundamental frequency ω_0 and Fourier series representation

$$p(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{+\infty} a_n e^{jn\omega_0 t}.$$

Determine an expression for the Fourier transform of

$$y(t) = x(t)p(t). \quad (\text{P4.28-1})$$

(b) Suppose that $X(j\omega)$ is as depicted in Figure P4.28(a). Sketch the spectrum of $y(t)$ in eq. (P4.28-1) for each of the following choices of $p(t)$:

(i) $p(t) = \cos(t/2)$

(ii) $p(t) = \cos t$

(iii) $p(t) = \cos 2t$

(iv) $p(t) = (\sin t)(\sin 2t)$

(v) $p(t) = \cos 2t - \cos t$

(vi) $p(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{+\infty} \delta(t - \pi n)$

(vii) $p(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{+\infty} \delta(t - 2\pi n)$

(viii) $p(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{+\infty} \delta(t - 4\pi n)$

(ix) $p(t) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{+\infty} \delta(t - 2\pi n) - \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{+\infty} \delta(t - \pi n)$

(x) $p(t)$ = the periodic square wave shown in Figure P4.28(b).

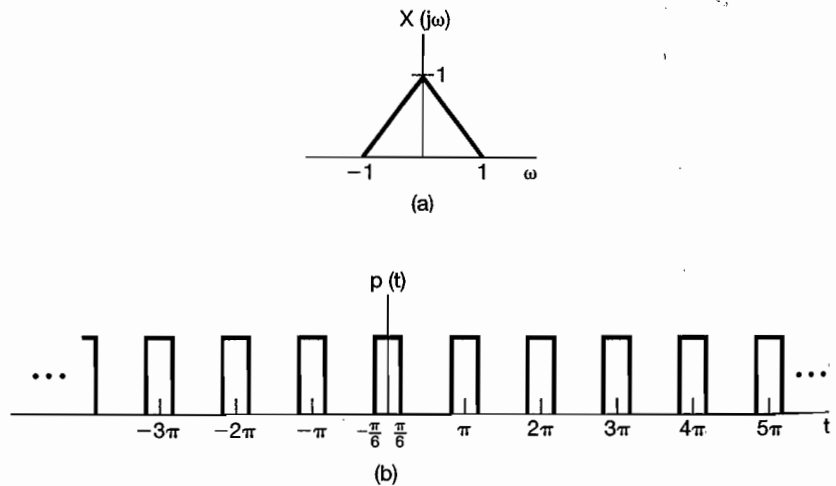


Figure P4.28

4.29. A real-valued continuous-time function $x(t)$ has a Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$ whose magnitude and phase are as illustrated in Figure P4.29(a).

The functions $x_a(t)$, $x_b(t)$, $x_c(t)$, and $x_d(t)$ have Fourier transforms whose magnitudes are identical to $X(j\omega)$, but whose phase functions differ, as shown in Figures P4.29(b)–(e). The phase functions $\angle X_a(j\omega)$ and $\angle X_b(j\omega)$ are formed by adding a linear phase to $\angle X(j\omega)$. The function $\angle X_c(j\omega)$ is formed by reflecting $\angle X(j\omega)$ about $\omega = 0$, and $\angle X_d(j\omega)$ is obtained by a combination of a reflection and an addition of a linear phase. Using the properties of Fourier transforms, determine the expressions for $x_a(t)$, $x_b(t)$, $x_c(t)$, and $x_d(t)$ in terms of $x(t)$.

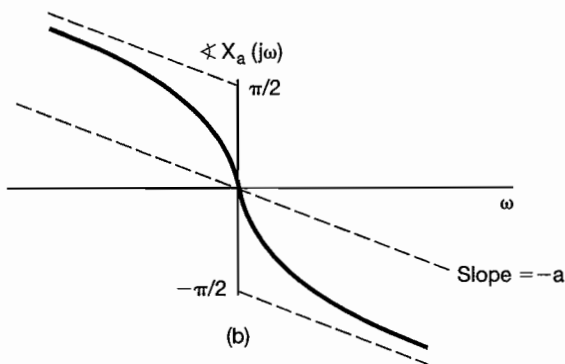
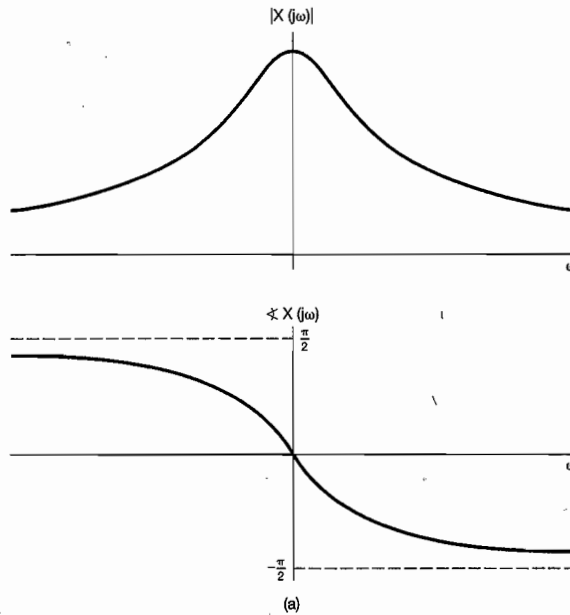


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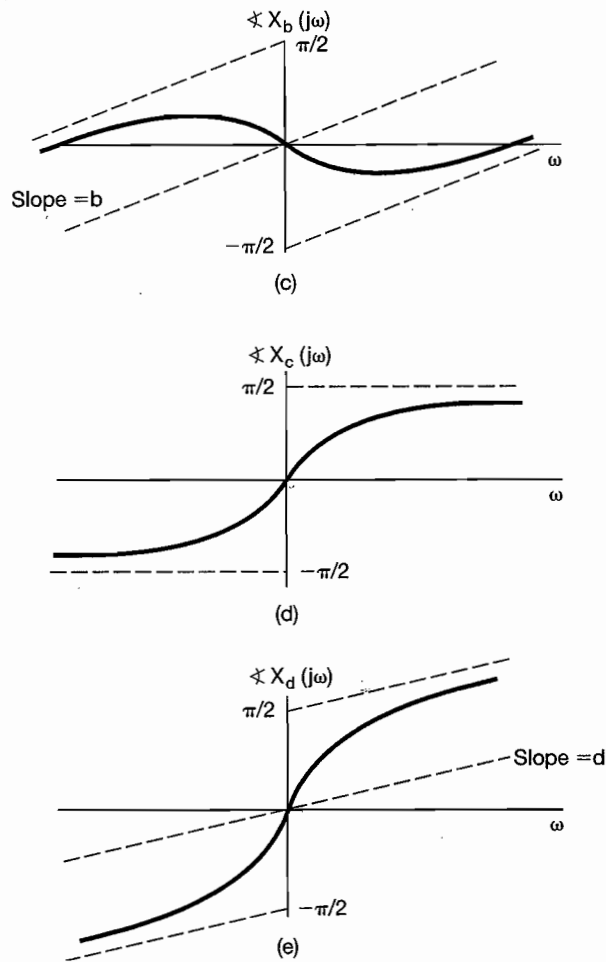


Figure P4.29 Continued

4.30. Suppose $g(t) = x(t) \cos t$ and the Fourier transform of the $g(t)$ is

$$G(j\omega) = \begin{cases} 1, & |\omega| \leq 2 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- (a) Determine $x(t)$.
 (b) Specify the Fourier transform $X_1(j\omega)$ of a signal $x_1(t)$ such that

$$g(t) = x_1(t) \cos\left(\frac{2}{3}t\right).$$

4.31. (a) Show that the three LTI systems with impulse responses

$$h_1(t) = u(t),$$

$$h_2(t) = -2\delta(t) + 5e^{-2t}u(t),$$

and

$$h_3(t) = 2te^{-t}u(t)$$

all have the same response to $x(t) = \cos t$.

(b) Find the impulse response of another LTI system with the same response to $\cos t$.

This problem illustrates the fact that the response to $\cos t$ cannot be used to specify an LTI system uniquely.

4.32. Consider an LTI system S with impulse response

$$h(t) = \frac{\sin(4(t-1))}{\pi(t-1)}.$$

Determine the output of S for each of the following inputs:

(a) $x_1(t) = \cos(6t + \frac{\pi}{2})$

(b) $x_2(t) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (\frac{1}{2})^k \sin(3kt)$

(c) $x_3(t) = \frac{\sin(4(t+1))}{\pi(t+1)}$

(d) $x_4(t) = (\frac{\sin 2t}{\pi t})^2$

4.33. The input and the output of a stable and causal LTI system are related by the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2y(t)}{dt^2} + 6\frac{dy(t)}{dt} + 8y(t) = 2x(t)$$

(a) Find the impulse response of this system.

(b) What is the response of this system if $x(t) = te^{-2t}u(t)$?

(c) Repeat part (a) for the stable and causal LTI system described by the equation

$$\frac{d^2y(t)}{dt^2} + \sqrt{2}\frac{dy(t)}{dt} + y(t) = 2\frac{d^2x(t)}{dt^2} - 2x(t)$$

4.34. A causal and stable LTI system S has the frequency response

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{j\omega + 4}{6 - \omega^2 + 5j\omega}$$

- (a) Determine a differential equation relating the input $x(t)$ and output $y(t)$ of S .
 (b) Determine the impulse response $h(t)$ of S .
 (c) What is the output of S when the input is

$$x(t) = e^{-4t}u(t) - te^{-4t}u(t)?$$

4.35. In this problem, we provide examples of the effects of nonlinear changes in phase.

- (a) Consider the continuous-time LTI system with frequency response

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{a - j\omega}{a + j\omega},$$

where $a > 0$. What is the magnitude of $H(j\omega)$? What is $\angle H(j\omega)$? What is the impulse response of this system?

- (b) Determine the output of the system of part (a) with $a = 1$ when the input is

$$\cos(t/\sqrt{3}) + \cos t + \cos \sqrt{3}t.$$

Roughly sketch both the input and the output.

4.36. Consider an LTI system whose response to the input

$$x(t) = [e^{-t} + e^{-3t}]u(t)$$

is

$$y(t) = [2e^{-t} - 2e^{-4t}]u(t).$$

- (a) Find the frequency response of this system.
 (b) Determine the system's impulse response.
 (c) Find the differential equation relating the input and the output of this system.

ADVANCED PROBLEMS

4.37. Consider the signal $x(t)$ in Figure P4.37.

- (a) Find the Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$ of $x(t)$.
 (b) Sketch the signal

$$\tilde{x}(t) = x(t) * \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - 4k).$$

- (c) Find another signal $g(t)$ such that $g(t)$ is not the same as $x(t)$ and

$$\tilde{x}(t) = g(t) * \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(t - 4k).$$

- (d) Argue that, although $G(j\omega)$ is different from $X(j\omega)$, $G(j\frac{\pi k}{2}) = X(j\frac{\pi k}{2})$ for all integers k . You should not explicitly evaluate $G(j\omega)$ to answer this question.

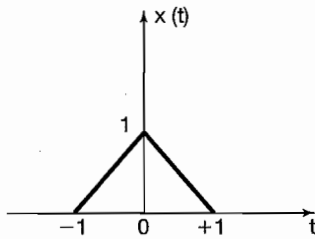


Figure P4.37

- 4.38. Let $x(t)$ be any signal with Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$. The frequency-shift property of the Fourier transform may be stated as

$$e^{j\omega_0 t} x(t) \xleftrightarrow{\mathcal{F}} X(j(\omega - \omega_0)).$$

- (a) Prove the frequency-shift property by applying the frequency shift to the analysis equation

$$X(j\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt.$$

- (b) Prove the frequency-shift property by utilizing the Fourier transform of $e^{j\omega_0 t}$ in conjunction with the multiplication property of the Fourier transform.

- 4.39. Suppose that a signal $x(t)$ has Fourier transform $X(j\omega)$. Now consider another signal $g(t)$ whose shape is the same as the shape of $X(j\omega)$; that is,

$$g(t) = X(jt).$$

- (a) Show that the Fourier transform $G(j\omega)$ of $g(t)$ has the same shape as $2\pi x(-t)$; that is, show that

$$G(j\omega) = 2\pi x(-\omega).$$

- (b) Using the fact that

$$\mathcal{F}\{\delta(t + B)\} = e^{jB\omega}$$

in conjunction with the result from part (a), show that

$$\mathcal{F}\{e^{jBt}\} = 2\pi \delta(\omega - B).$$

- 4.40. Use properties of the Fourier transform to show by induction that the Fourier transform of

$$x(t) = \frac{t^{n-1}}{(n-1)!} e^{-at} u(t), \quad a > 0,$$

is

$$\frac{1}{(a + j\omega)^n}$$

4.41. In this problem, we derive the multiplication property of the continuous-time Fourier transform. Let $x(t)$ and $y(t)$ be two continuous-time signals with Fourier transforms $X(j\omega)$ and $Y(j\omega)$, respectively. Also, let $g(t)$ denote the inverse Fourier transform of $\frac{1}{2\pi}\{X(j\omega) * Y(j\omega)\}$.

(a) Show that

$$g(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} X(j\theta) \left[\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} Y(j(\omega - \theta)) e^{j\omega t} d\omega \right] d\theta.$$

(b) Show that

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} Y(j(\omega - \theta)) e^{j\omega t} d\omega = e^{j\theta t} y(t).$$

(c) Combine the results of parts (a) and (b) to conclude that

$$g(t) = x(t)y(t).$$

4.42. Let

$$g_1(t) = \{\cos(\omega_0 t)x(t)\} * h(t) \quad \text{and} \quad g_2(t) = \{\sin(\omega_0 t)x(t)\} * h(t),$$

where

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk100t}$$

is a real-valued periodic signal and $h(t)$ is the impulse response of a stable LTI system.

(a) Specify a value for ω_0 and any necessary constraints on $H(j\omega)$ to ensure that

$$g_1(t) = \Re\{a_5\} \quad \text{and} \quad g_2(t) = \Im\{a_5\}.$$

(b) Give an example of $h(t)$ such that $H(j\omega)$ satisfies the constraints you specified in part (a).

4.43. Let

$$g(t) = x(t) \cos^2 t * \frac{\sin t}{\pi t}.$$

Assuming that $x(t)$ is real and $X(j\omega) = 0$ for $|\omega| \geq 1$, show that there exists an LTI system S such that

$$x(t) \xrightarrow{S} g(t).$$

4.44. The output $y(t)$ of a causal LTI system is related to the input $x(t)$ by the equation

$$\frac{dy(t)}{dt} + 10y(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} x(\tau)z(t - \tau) d\tau - x(t),$$

where $z(t) = e^{-t}u(t) + 3\delta(t)$.

- (a) Find the frequency response $H(j\omega) = Y(j\omega)/X(j\omega)$ of this system.
- (b) Determine the impulse response of the system.

4.45. In the discussion in Section 4.3.7 of Parseval's relation for continuous-time signals, we saw that

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

This says that the total energy of the signal can be obtained by integrating $|X(j\omega)|^2$ over all frequencies. Now consider a real-valued signal $x(t)$ processed by the ideal bandpass filter $H(j\omega)$ shown in Figure P4.45. Express the energy in the output signal $y(t)$ as an integration over frequency of $|X(j\omega)|^2$. For Δ sufficiently small so that $|X(j\omega)|$ is approximately constant over a frequency interval of width Δ , show that the energy in the output $y(t)$ of the bandpass filter is approximately proportional to $\Delta|X(j\omega_0)|^2$.

On the basis of the foregoing result, $\Delta|X(j\omega_0)|^2$ is proportional to the energy in the signal in a bandwidth Δ around the frequency ω_0 . For this reason, $|X(j\omega)|^2$ is often referred to as the *energy-density spectrum* of the signal $x(t)$.

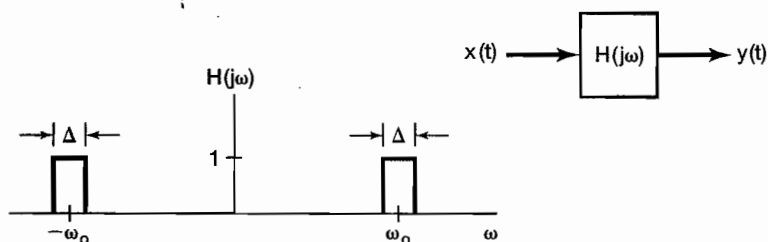


Figure P4.45

4.46. In Section 4.5.1, we discussed the use of amplitude modulation with a complex exponential carrier to implement a bandpass filter. The specific system was shown in Figure 4.26, and if only the real part of $f(t)$ is retained, the equivalent bandpass filter is that shown in Figure 4.30.

In Figure P4.46, we indicate an implementation of a bandpass filter using sinusoidal modulation and lowpass filters. Show that the output $y(t)$ of the system is identical to that which would be obtained by retaining only $\Re\{f(t)\}$ in Figure 4.26.