

Homework Problems:

Problems from Chapter 3

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Additional questions about spectra and Fourier series

1. (a) Find the spectrum of the signal

$$x(t) = A \cos(2t) \sin(3t)$$

- (b) Find its bandwidth.

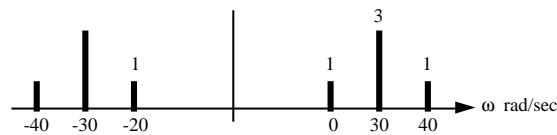
2. Find the
- T_0
- second Fourier coefficients of the following signals, where
- T_0
- is the fundamental period of the signal.

(a) $x(t) = t, 0 \leq t \leq T_0$

(b) $x(t) = |\sin(t)|$

(c) $x(t) = \sin^2(t)$

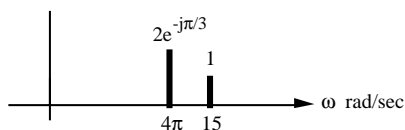
3. Consider the signal
- $x(t)$
- whose spectrum is shown below. (All terms are real.)



- (a) Is the signal periodic? If so, find its fundamental period.
 (b) Find its DC value.
 (c) Find its power.
 (d) Find $x(t)$. (Express the answer as a sum of sinusoids in standard form.)
4. The nonnegative frequency portion of the spectrum of a signal $x(t)$ is shown below



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 (b) Find its DC value.
 (c) Find its power.
 (d) Find the negative frequency portion of the spectrum of $x(t)$.
 (e) Find $x(t)$. (Express the answer as a sum of sinusoids in standard form.)
5. The nonnegative frequency portion of the spectrum of a signal $x(t)$ is shown below



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- (b) Find its DC value.
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- (e) Find $x(t)$. (Express the answer as a sum of sinusoids in standard form.)

6. Find the power of the signal

$$x(t) = 4 + 3 \cos(3t+.1) + 5 \cos(7t+.3) - 4 \cos(9t+.2)$$

7. Do the signals $x(t)$ and $y(t)$ given below have overlapping spectra? That is, is there a spectral component of one whose frequency lies on top of one spectral component or between the frequencies of two spectral components of the other?

$$x(t) = \cos(20t) + \cos(22t) + \cos(23t)$$

$$y(t) = 2 + \cos(10t)\cos(11t)$$

8. Find an expression for the bandwidth of the square wave that is periodic with period T such that

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} 1, & -T_1/2 \leq t \leq T_1/2 \\ 0, & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

where $T_1 < T$.

9. Let $x(t)$ be a periodic signal with fundamental period T_0 , and let α_k be the T_0 -second Fourier coefficients of $x(t)$. Suppose we also calculate the $2T_0$ -second Fourier coefficients, denoted α'_k . Derive an expression for α'_k in terms of α_k .
10. (a) Show that if $x(t)$ is an even periodic function, i.e. if $x(-t) = x(t)$, then all of its Fourier coefficients are real.
 (a) Show that if $x(t)$ is an odd periodic function, i.e. if $x(-t) = -x(t)$, then all of its Fourier coefficients are imaginary.
11. Let $x(t)$ and $y(t)$ be sinusoids with different frequencies and support $(-\infty, \infty)$. Show that the power of $x(t)+y(t)$ equals the sum of the powers of $x(t)$ and $y(t)$. (Do not assume that $x(t)$ and $y(t)$ are such that $x(t)+y(t)$ is periodic. This fact implies that Parseval's theorem can be used to compute the power of a sum of sinusoids, even if the sum is not periodic.)

12. Derive the linearity property of Fourier series: Suppose $x(t)$ and $y(t)$ are periodic with period T and with α_k and β_k as their T -second Fourier coefficients, respectively. Then the T -second Fourier coefficients of $x(t) + y(t)$ are $\alpha_k + \beta_k$.

13. Derive the time-shifting property of Fourier series: If $x(t)$ has Fourier coefficients α_k , then $x'(t) = x(t-t_0)$ has Fourier coefficients

$$\alpha'_k = \alpha_k e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{T}kt_0}$$

14. Derive the frequency-shifting property of Fourier series: If $x(t)$ has Fourier coefficients α_k , then $x'(t) = x(t) e^{j\frac{2\pi}{T}k_0t}$ has Fourier coefficients

$$\alpha'_k = \alpha_{k-k_0}$$

15. Derive the time-scaling property of Fourier series: Let $a > 0$. If $x(t)$ is periodic with period T with T -second Fourier coefficients α_k , then $x'(t) = x(at)$ is periodic with period T/a and T/a -second Fourier coefficients

$$\alpha'_k = \alpha_k.$$

16. Let $x(t)$ be signal with support $[0, T]$, let α_k be the T -second Fourier coefficients for $x(t)$, and let α'_k denote the $2T$ -second Fourier coefficients of $x(t)$. Show that

$$\alpha'_{2k} = \frac{1}{2} \alpha_k.$$