



Signals and Systems

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Motivation

- Importance
- Confidence
- Math is important but not everything
- Focus on big pictures
- GPA and real knowledge

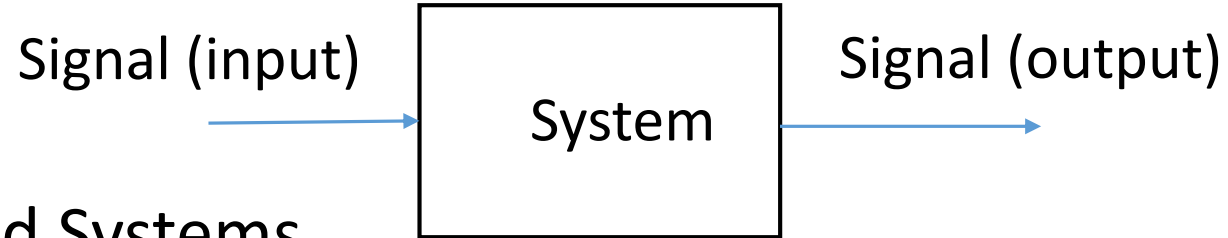


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Global content



- Overview of Signals and Systems
- Linear-Time-Invariant Systems
- Fourier Series Representation of Periodic Signals
- The Continues-Time Fourier Transform
- The Discrete-Time Fourier Transform
- Time and Frequency Characterization of Signals and Systems
- Sampling
- The Laplace Transform
- The Z-Transform

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Exams and Grades

- ❑ Homework: 15% (delay ≤ 2 days, $*0.8$; >2 days, $*0$)
- ❑ Mid-term (written, close-book): 30%
- ❑ Final Exam (written, close-book): 50%
- ❑ Attendance: 5% (-1 point per absence, no late than 5 mins)
- ❑ All in English, otherwise $*0.8$.
- ❑ Plagiarism:

First time: this assignment zero score.

Second time: this assignment zero score + final score $*0.8$;

Third time: Final score zero.

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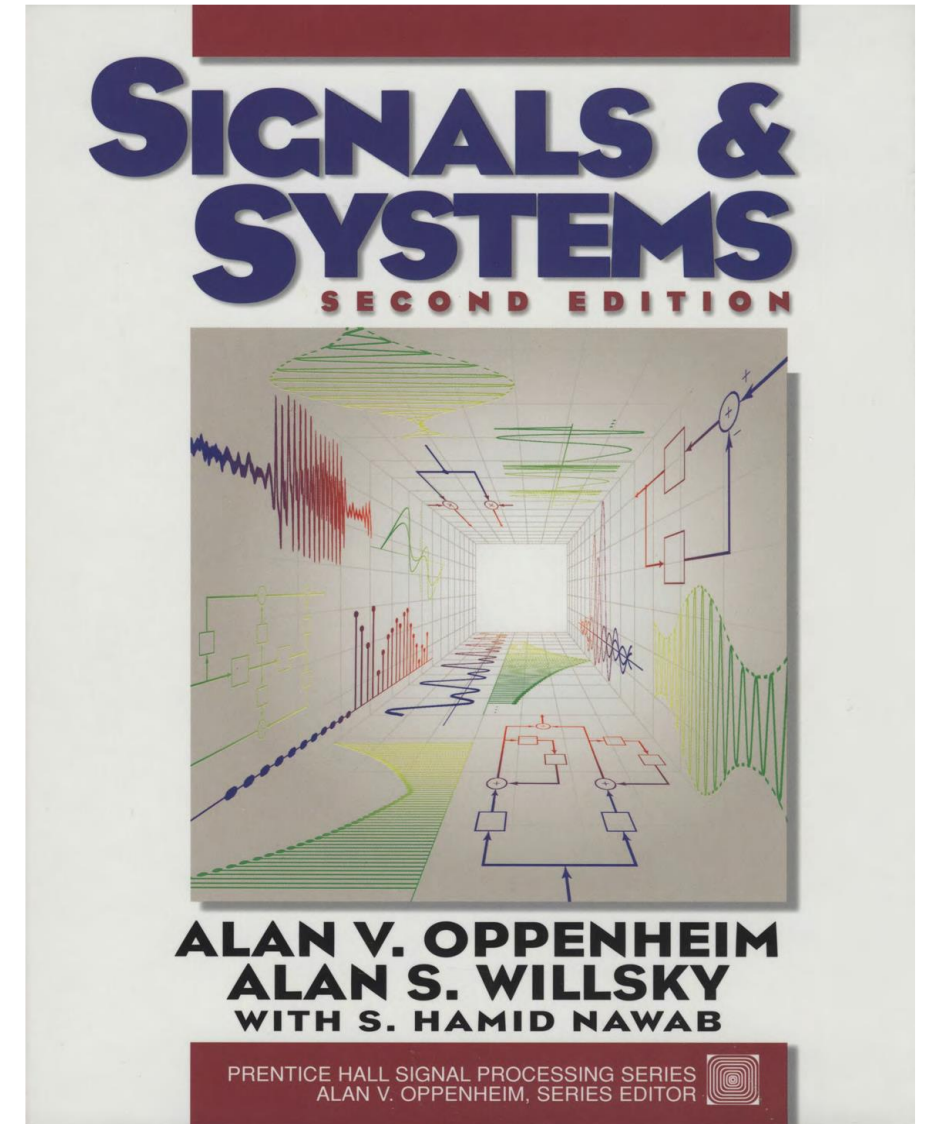
Text book and materials

❑ Book

- Signals and Systems (2nd Edition), by A. V. Oppenheim, A. S. Willsky, and S. Hamid. ISBN: 978-0138147570.
- Signals and Systems using Matlab (2nd Edition), by Luis Chaparro. ISBN: 978-0123948120.

❑ These slides

- ❑ All materials will be available in the BB system



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Organization

- Lecture:** week 1-16; teaching center 301; Tue. and Thu. 08:15-10:00
- Exercise:** time and location TBD
- Office hour:** make appointment by email
- Experiment:** by Dr. Linyan Lu, start from the 3rd week
- BB system:** Slides and text book, homework release
- Gradescope:** homework submission and grading
- Midterm Exam: week 9**
- Final Exam: week 17-18**

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Pre-knowledge: Complex numbers

Polar notation:

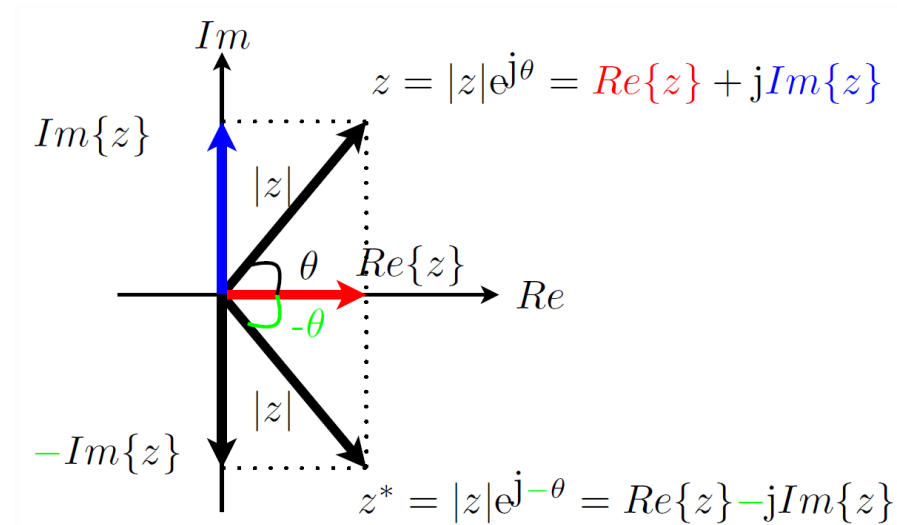
$$z = |z|e^{j\theta}$$

Cartesian notation:

$$z = \text{Re}\{z\} + j \cdot \text{Im}\{z\}$$

Complex conjugation: $j \Rightarrow -j$

Euler:



$$e^{j\theta} = \cos(\theta) + j \sin(\theta)$$

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

$$\sin(\theta) = \frac{e^{j\theta} - e^{-j\theta}}{2j}$$

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Pre-knowledge: Important geometric series

With z_0 some (possibly complex) number:

$$\boxed{\sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z_0)^n = \frac{1}{1 - z_0}} \quad \text{iff} \quad |z_0| < 1$$

'Proof' via long tail division:

$$\frac{1}{1 - z_0} = 1 + z_0 + (z_0)^2 + (z_0)^3 + \dots = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z_0)^n$$

$$\boxed{\sum_{n=0}^{M-1} (z_0)^n = \frac{1 - z_0^M}{1 - z_0}}$$

Let $n = M + p$

$$\text{Proof: } \sum_{n=0}^{M-1} (z_0)^n = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (z_0)^n - \sum_{n=M}^{\infty} (z_0)^n = \frac{1}{1 - z_0} - (z_0)^M \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} (z_0)^p$$

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Pre-knowledge: Zeros of a complex equation

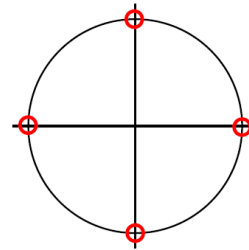
With a some (complex) number, find zeros of:

$$z^N - a = 0$$

$$z^N = a = a e^{j k \cdot 2\pi} \Rightarrow z_k = a^{\frac{1}{N}} \cdot e^{j k \cdot \frac{2\pi}{N}} \text{ for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N - 1$$

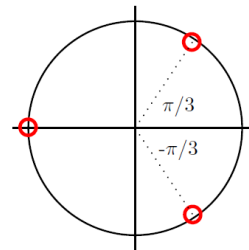
Example: $a = 1, N = 4$

$$\Rightarrow z_k = e^{j k \cdot \frac{\pi}{2}}$$



Example: $a = -1, N = 3$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow z_k &= (-1)^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot e^{j k \cdot \frac{2\pi}{3}} \\ &= (e^{j\pi})^{\frac{1}{3}} \cdot e^{j k \cdot \frac{2\pi}{3}} \\ &= e^{j \frac{\pi}{3} + k \cdot \frac{2\pi}{3}} \end{aligned}$$



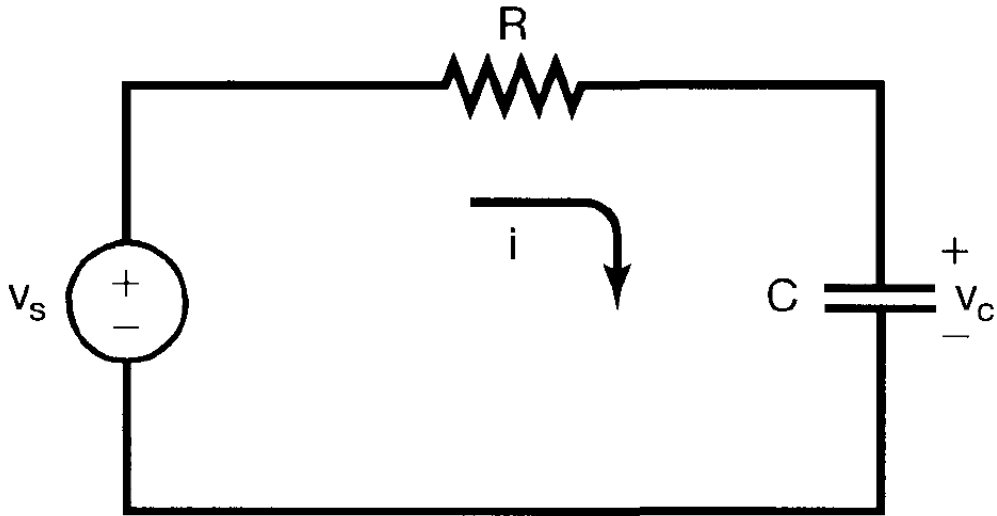
Signals and Systems: An overview (ch.1)

- ☐ Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals
- ☐ Transformations of the Independent Variable
- ☐ Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals
- ☐ The Unit Impulse and Unit Step Functions
- ☐ Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Systems
- ☐ Basic System Properties

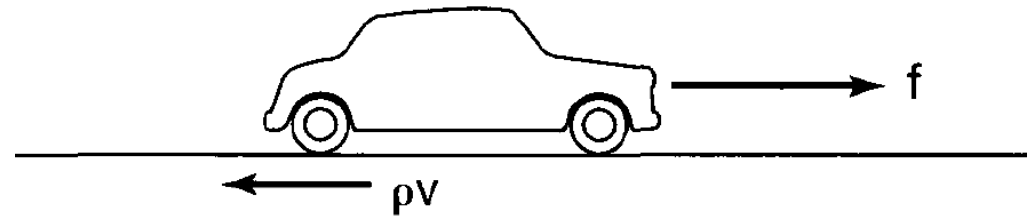
Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals



- **Signals** describe a wide variety of physical phenomena



The voltage v_s and v_c are examples of signals.



The force f and velocity v are signals.

Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals



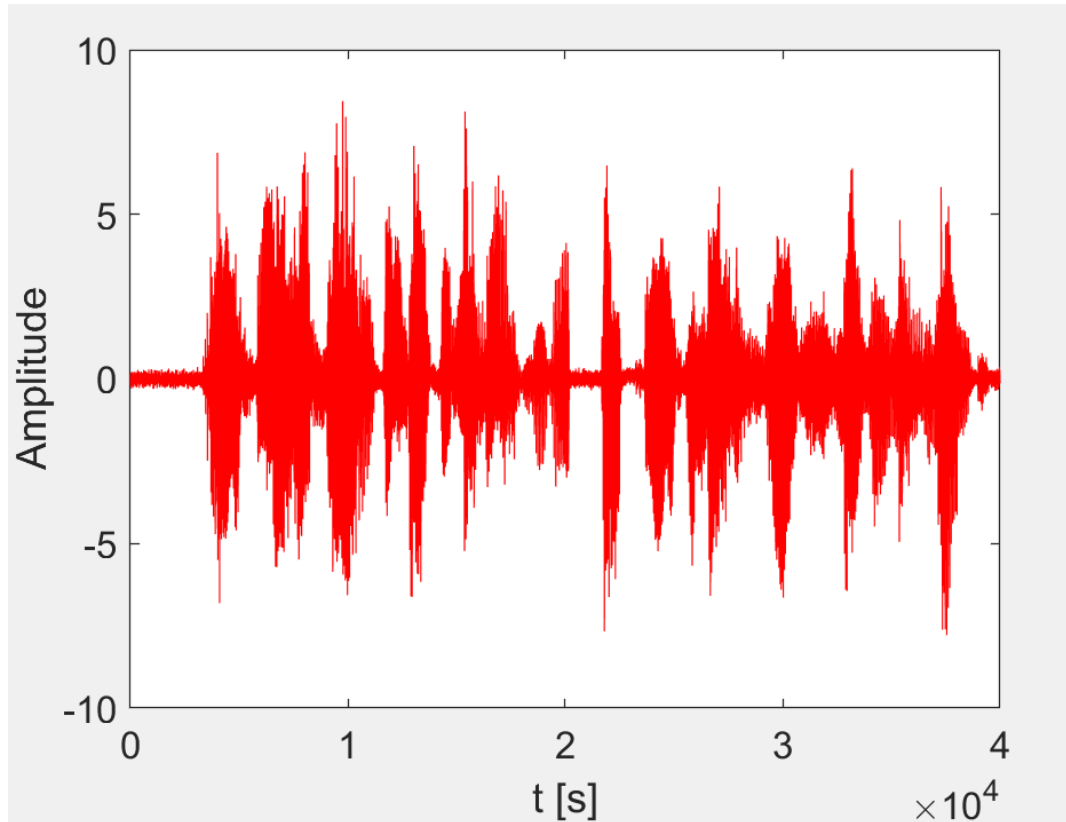
- ❑ *Mathematically, signals* are represented as functions of one or more independent variables.

- ❑ Example of typical signals
 - Sound
 - Image
 - Video

Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals



- Sound: represents acoustic pressure as a function of time



$f(t)$



Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals



- Picture: represents brightness as a function of two spatial variables

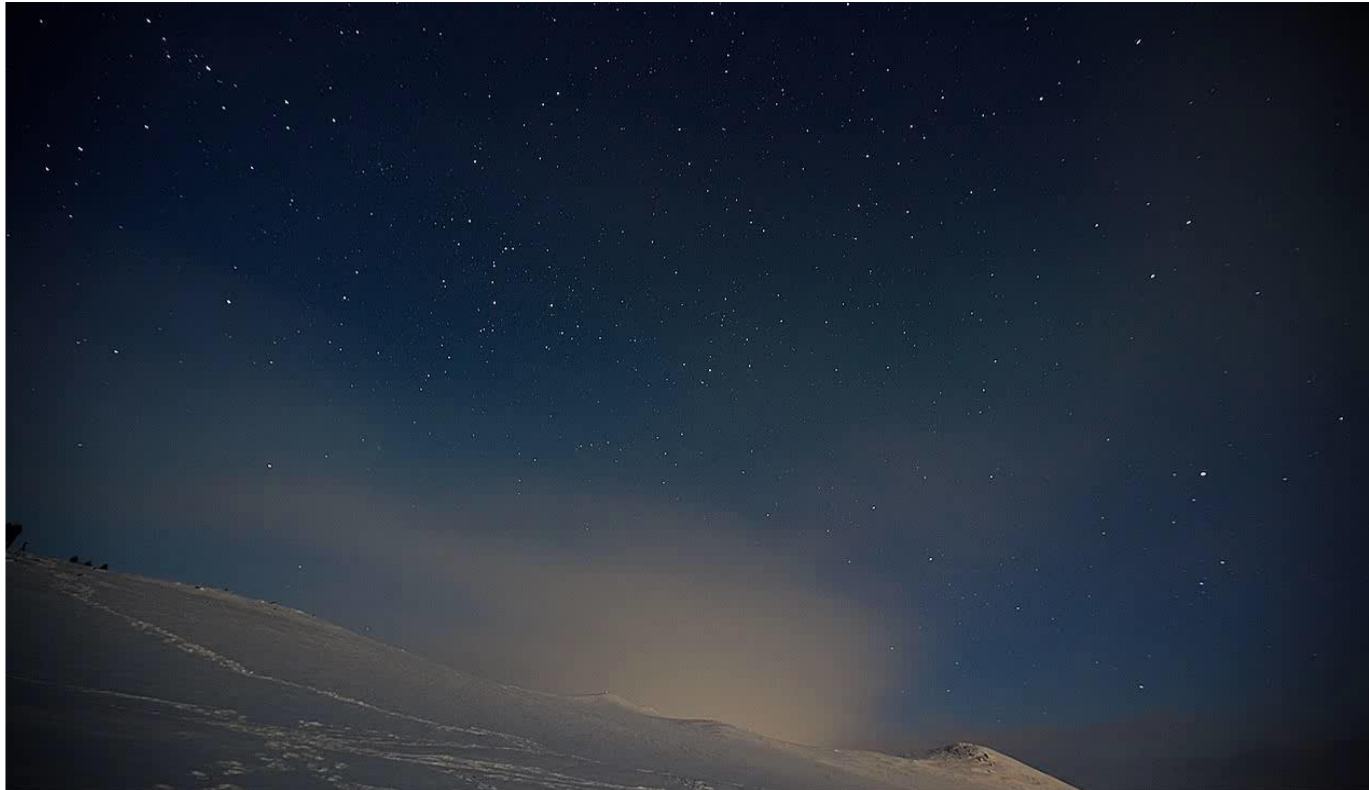


$f(x, y)$

Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals



- **Video**: consists of a sequence of images, called frames, and is a function of 3 variables: 2 spatial coordinates and time



$$f(x, y, t)$$

Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals

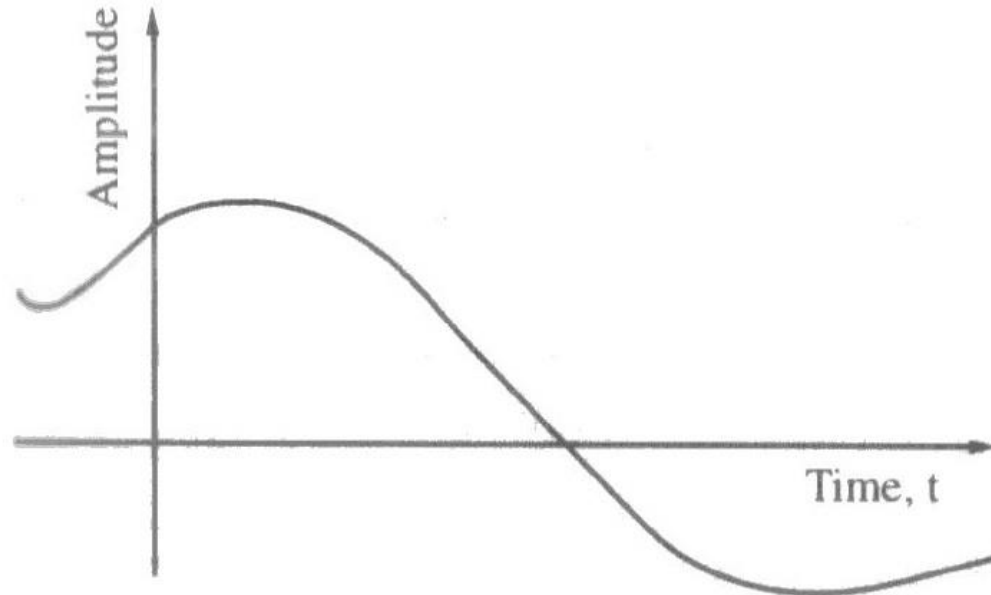


- ❑ Independent variables can be one or more
- ❑ Focus on signals involving a **single** independent variable
- ❑ Generally refer to the independent variable as **time**, although it may not in fact represent time in specific applications
- ❑ **Continues**-time and **discrete**-time signal

Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals



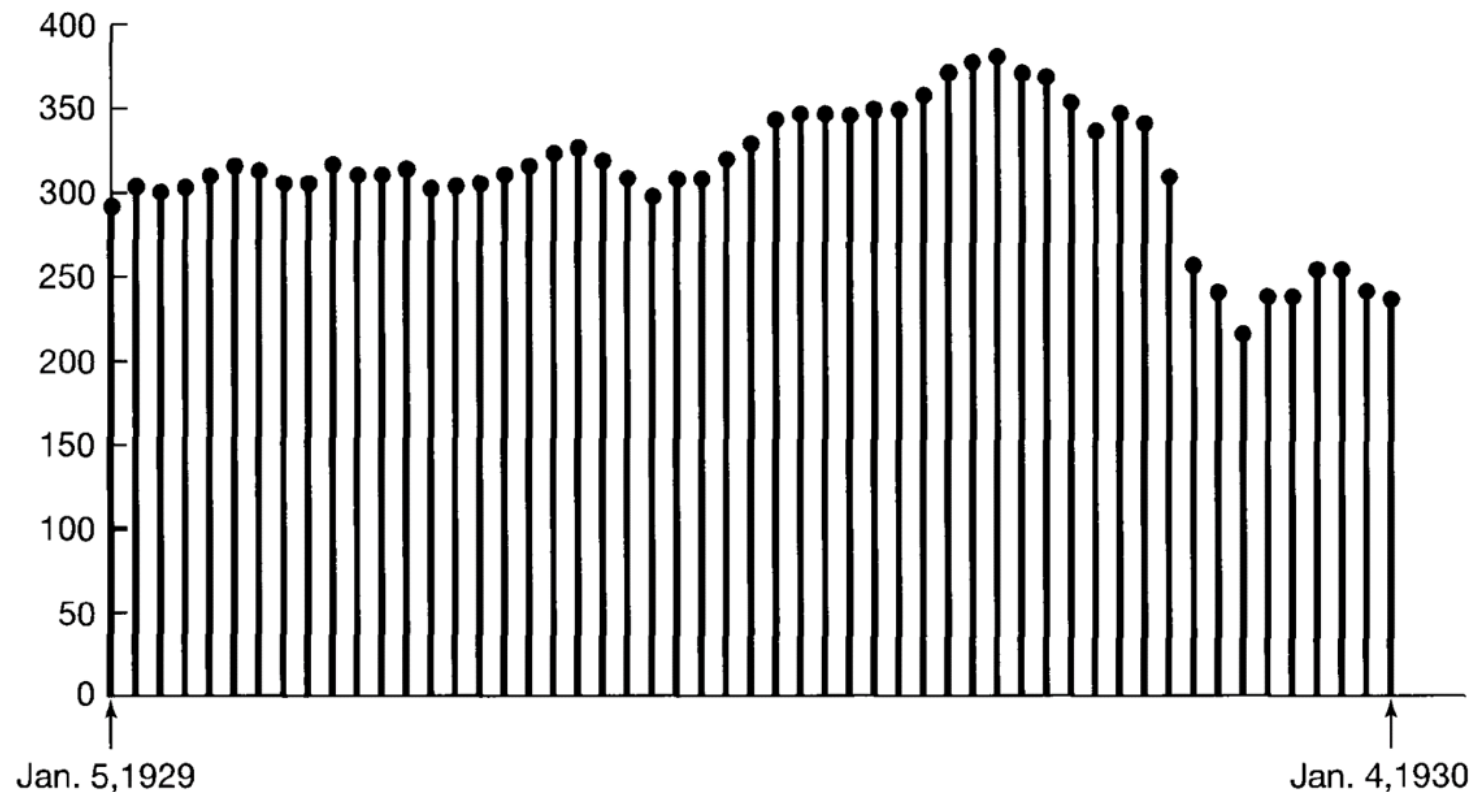
- **Continues-time signals**: the independent variable is continuous, and signals are defined for a continuum of values



Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals



- ❑ **Discrete-time signals:** defined only at discrete times, and the independent variable takes on only a discrete set of values

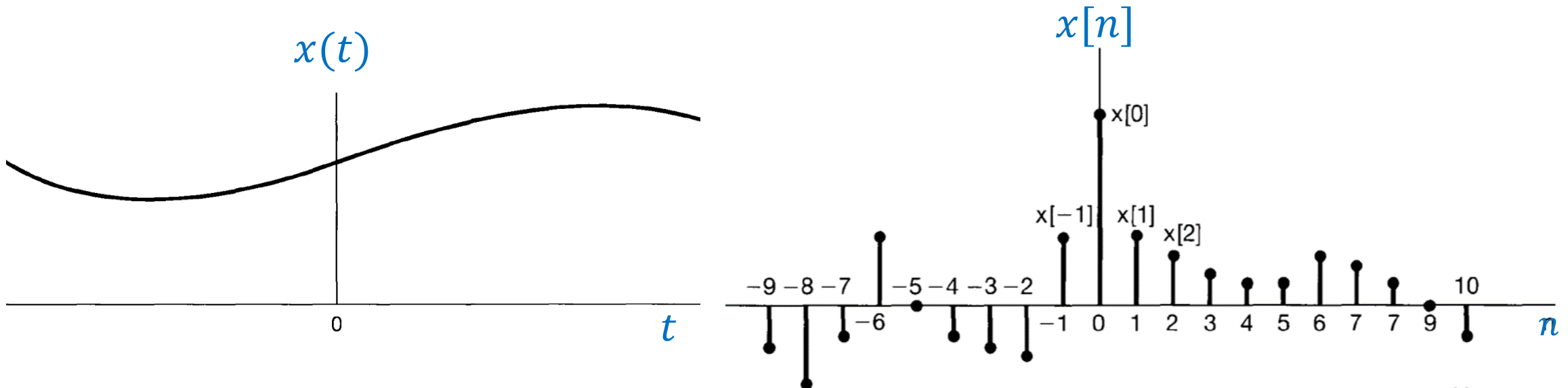


An example of a discrete-time signal: The weekly Dow-Jones stock market index from January 5, 1929, to January 4, 1930.

Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals



- ❑ **Continuous-time signals:** t denote the independent variable, enclosed in (\cdot)
- ❑ **Discrete-time signals:** n denote the independent variable, enclosed in $[\cdot]$
- ❑ $x[n]$
 - discrete in nature; or **sampling of continuous-time signal**
 - Focus mainly on the second case, defined only for integer values of n



Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals



Signal energy and power

- $v(t)$ and $i(t)$ are voltage and current across a resistor R , the **instantaneous power** is

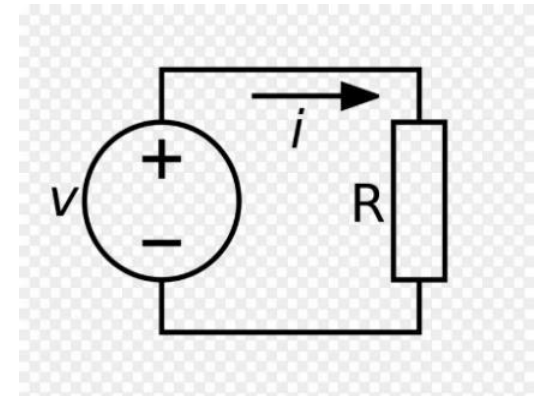
$$p(t) = v(t)i(t) = \frac{1}{R}v^2(t)$$

- The **total energy** over the time interval $t_1 \leq t \leq t_2$ is

$$E_R = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} p(t) dt = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \frac{1}{R}v^2(t) dt$$

- The **average power** over the time interval $t_1 \leq t \leq t_2$ is

$$P_R = \frac{1}{t_2 - t_1} \int_{t_1}^{t_2} p(t) dt = \frac{1}{t_2 - t_1} \int_{t_1}^{t_2} \frac{1}{R}v^2(t) dt$$



Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals



Signal energy and power

□ Similarly, for any signal $x(t)$ or $x[n]$, the total energy is defined as

$$E = \int_{t_1}^{t_2} |x(t)|^2 dt \quad t_1 \leq t \leq t_2 \quad \text{Continuous-time signal}$$

$$E = \sum_{n=n_1}^{n_2} |x[n]|^2 \quad n_1 \leq n \leq n_2 \quad \text{Discrete-time signal}$$

□ The average power is defined as

$$P = \frac{E}{t_2 - t_1} \quad \text{Continuous}$$

$$P = \frac{E}{n_2 - n_1 + 1} \quad \text{Discrete}$$

Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals



Signal energy and power

□ Over infinite time interval $-\infty \leq t \leq \infty$ or $-\infty \leq n \leq \infty$

$$E_{\infty} \triangleq \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \int_{-T}^T |x(t)|^2 dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt \quad \text{Continuous}$$

$$E_{\infty} \triangleq \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{n=-N}^N |x[n]|^2 = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |x[n]|^2 \quad \text{Discrete}$$

$$P_{\infty} \triangleq \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T |x(t)|^2 dt$$

Continuous

$$P_{\infty} \triangleq \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2N+1} \sum_{n=-N}^N |x[n]|^2$$

Discrete

Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals



Signal energy and power

□ Finite-energy signal: $E_\infty < \infty$

$$P_\infty \triangleq \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T |x(t)|^2 dt = 0$$

$$P_\infty \triangleq \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2N + 1} \sum_{n=-N}^N |x[n]|^2 = 0$$

□ Finite-power signal: $P_\infty < \infty, E_\infty = \infty$

□ Infinite energy & power signal $P_\infty \rightarrow \infty, E_\infty \rightarrow \infty$

Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Signals



Signal energy and power

□ Examples:

$$(1) x(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t < 0 \\ 1, & 0 \leq t \leq 1 \\ 0, & t > 1 \end{cases} \quad E_{\infty} < \infty, P_{\infty} = 0$$

$$(2) x[n] = 4 \quad P_{\infty} < \infty, E_{\infty} = \infty$$

$$(3) x(t) = t \quad P_{\infty} \rightarrow \infty, E_{\infty} \rightarrow \infty$$

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Transformation of the independent variable

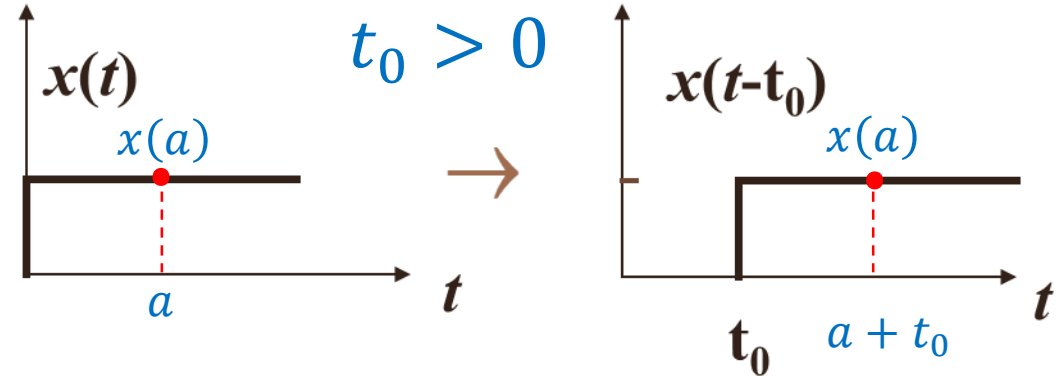


Time shift

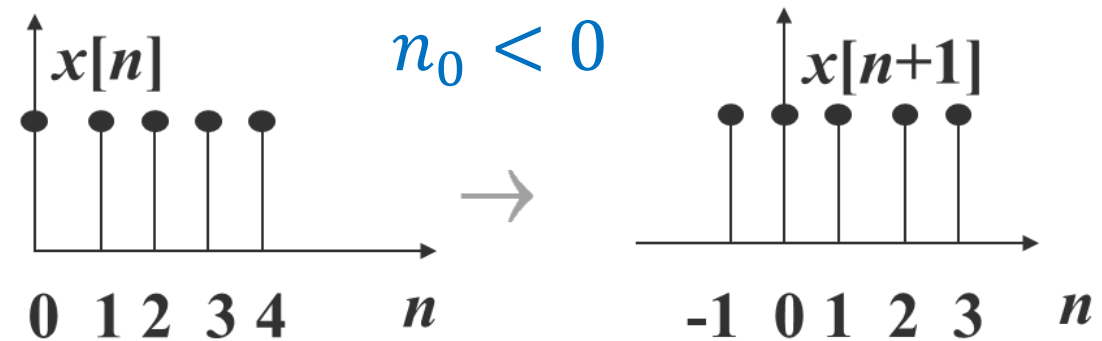
$$x(t) \longrightarrow x(t - t_0)$$

$$x(t): \quad x(a) \quad \longrightarrow \quad t = a$$

$$x(t - t_0): \quad x(a) \quad \longrightarrow \quad t - t_0 = a$$



$$x[n] \longrightarrow x[n - n_0]$$

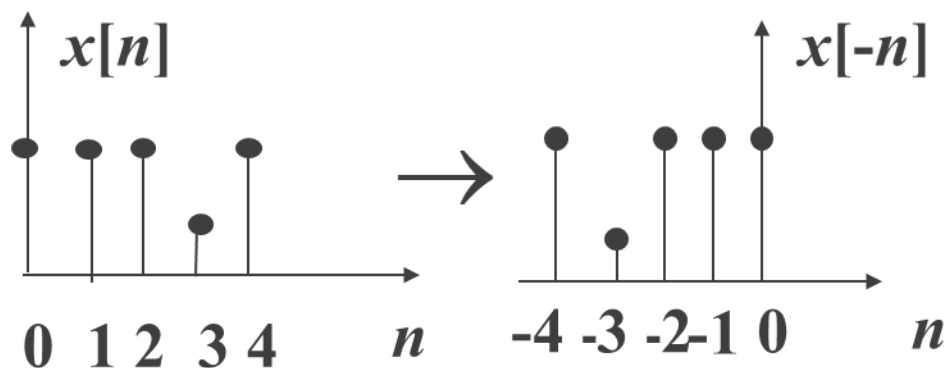


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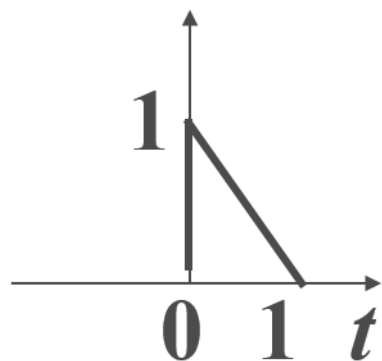


Time reversal

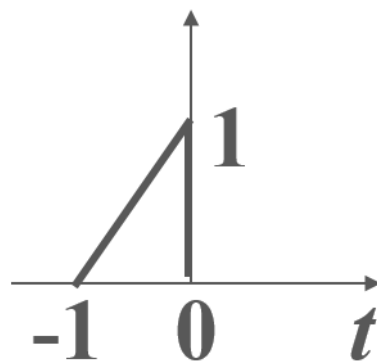
$$x[n] \longrightarrow x[-n]$$



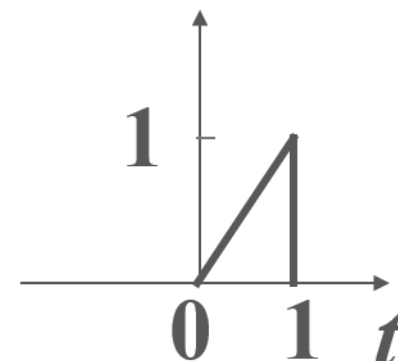
$$x(t) \longrightarrow$$



$$x(-t) \longrightarrow$$



$$x(1-t)$$



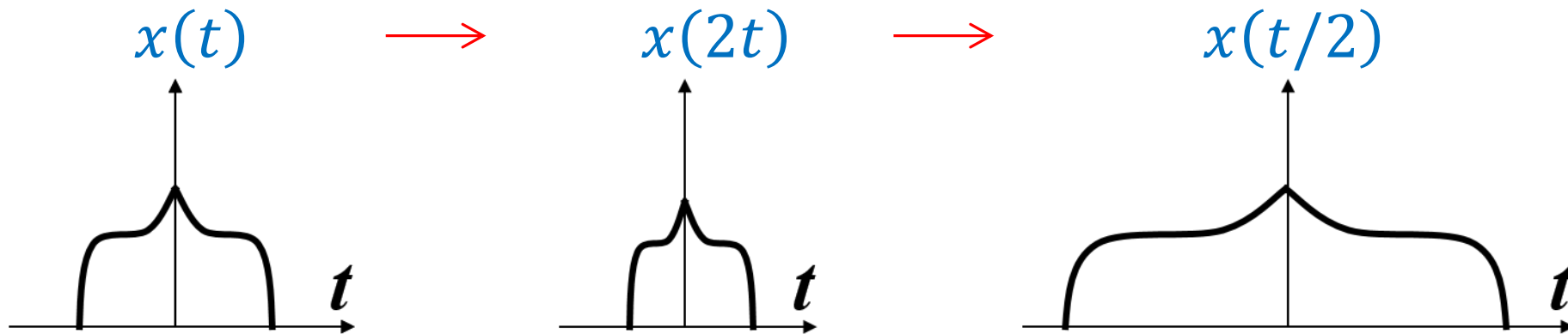
Transformation of the independent variable



Time scaling

$x(t) \longrightarrow x(2t)$ Compressed

$x(t) \longrightarrow x(t/2)$ Stretched



Transformation of the independent variable

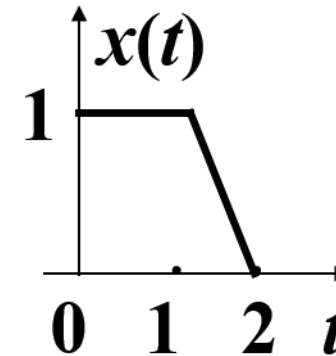


General: Let $x(t) \rightarrow x(\alpha t + \beta)$

- if $|\alpha| > 1$, compressed
- if $|\alpha| < 1$, stretched
- if $\alpha < 0$, reversed
- if $\beta \neq 0$, shifted

Example1: Given the signal $x(t)$, to illustrate

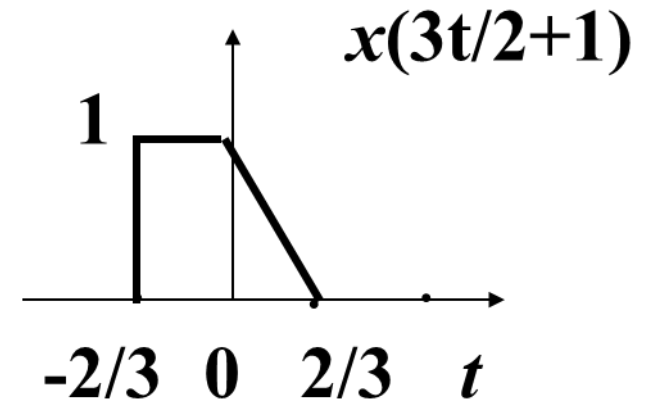
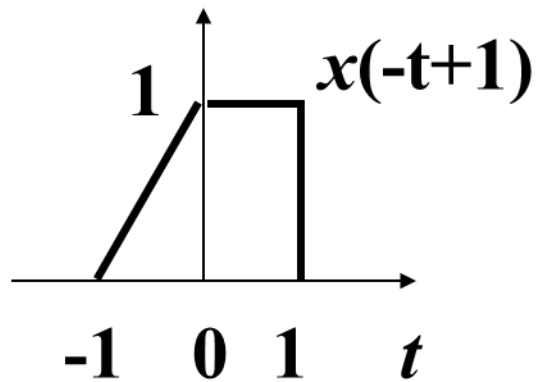
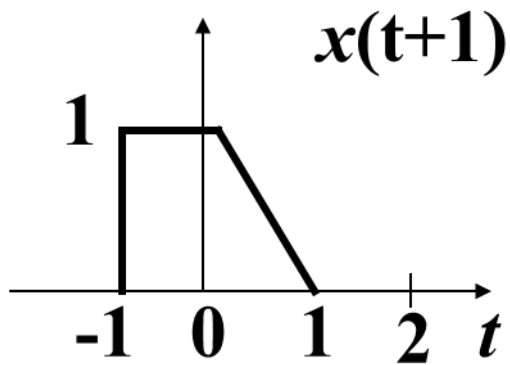
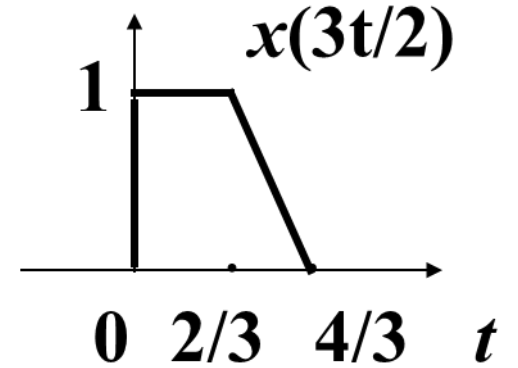
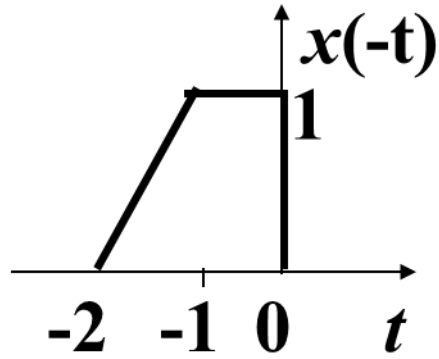
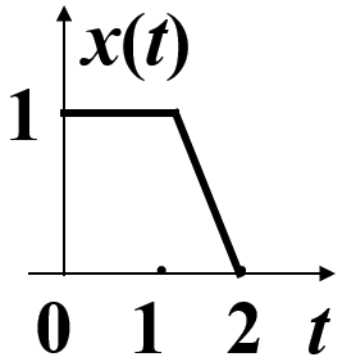
- $x(t + 1)$
- $x(-t + 1)$
- $x(3t/2)$
- $x(\frac{3t}{2} + 1)$



Transformation of the independent variable



➤ $x(t+1)$ $x(-t+1)$ $x(3t/2)$ $x(\frac{3t}{2}+1)$



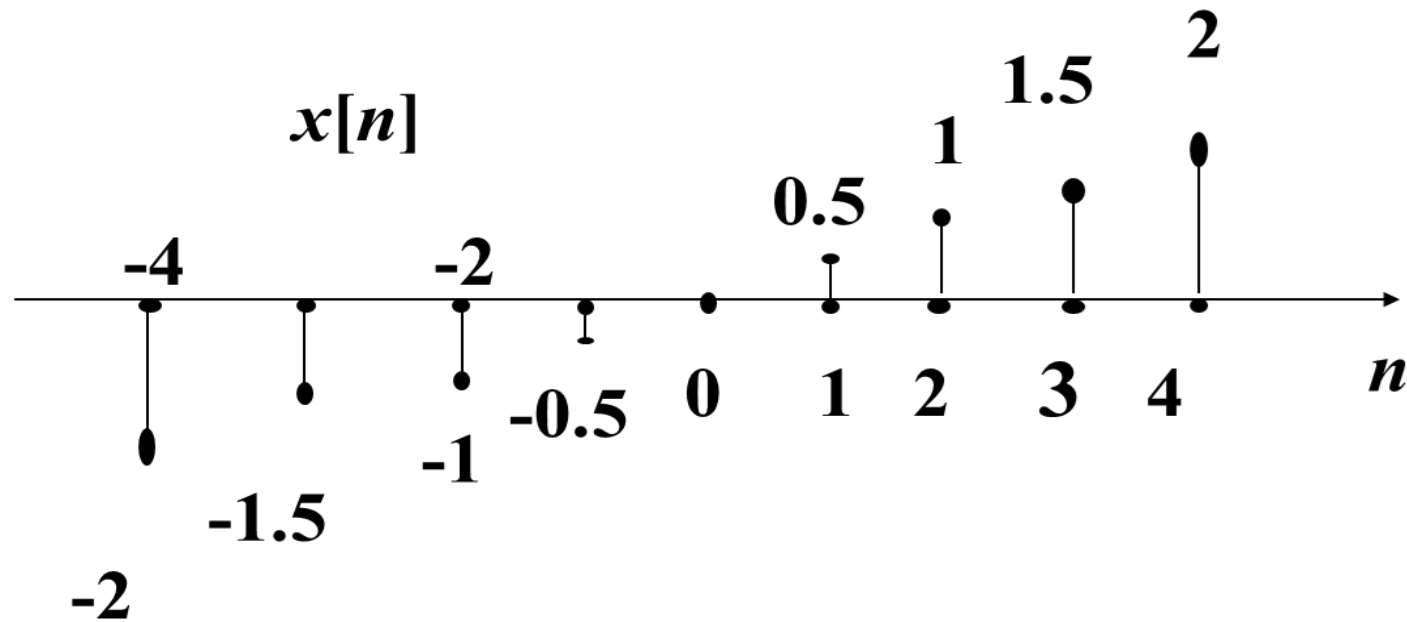
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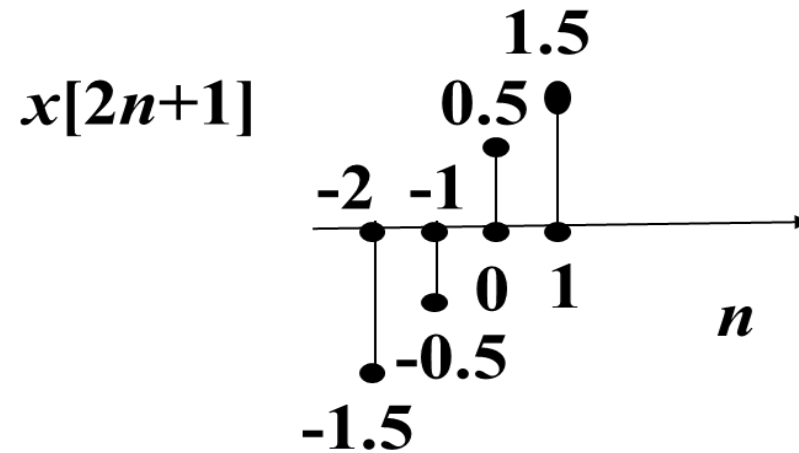
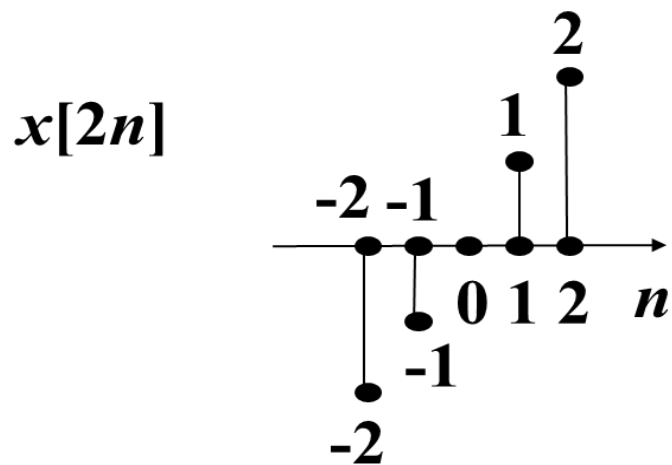
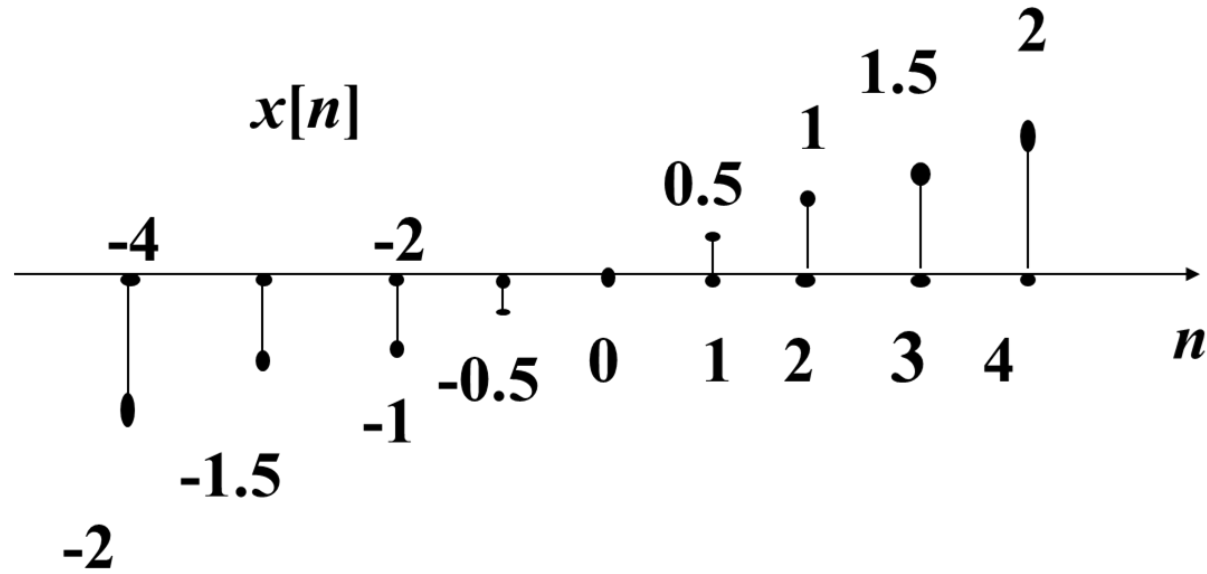
□ **Example 2:** A discrete signal $x[n]$ is shown below, sketch and label following signals:

➤ $x[2n]$

➤ $x[2n+1]$



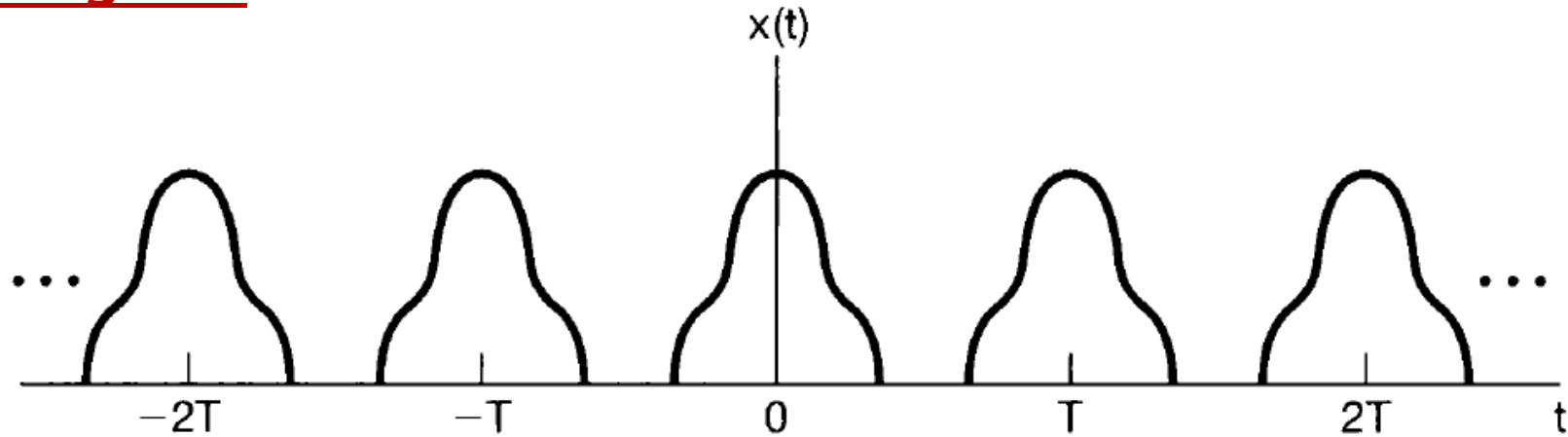
Transformation of the independent variable



Transformation of the independent variable



Periodic Signals

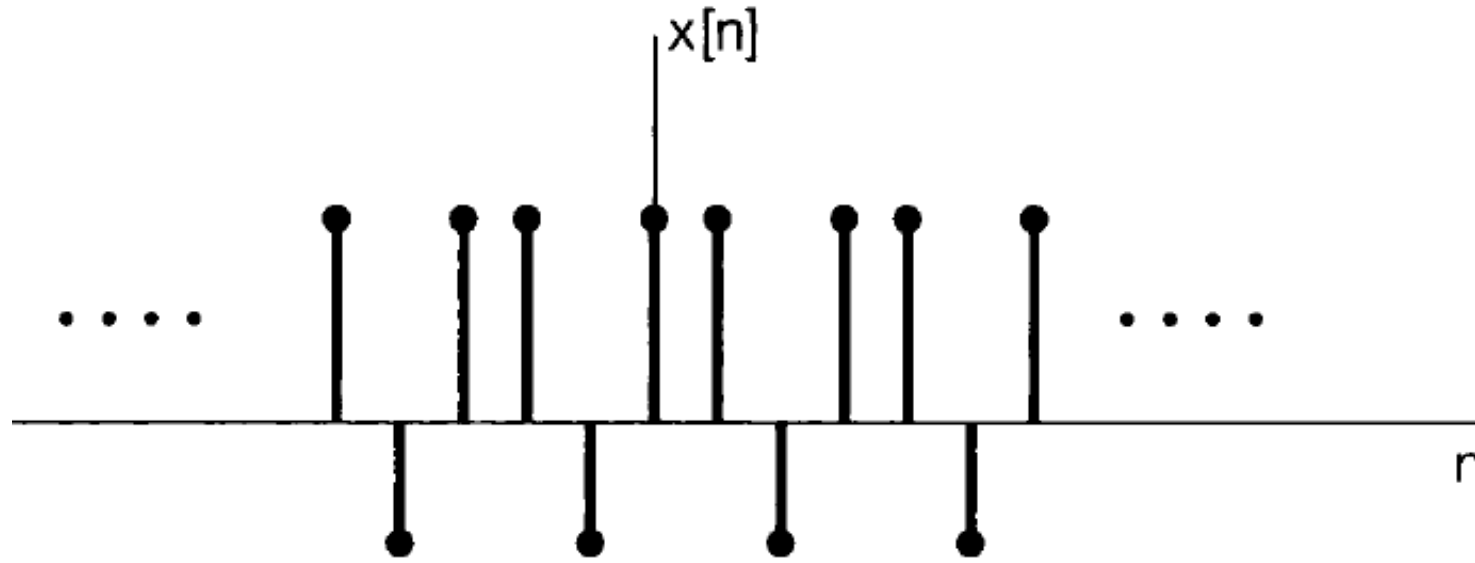


- ❑ Continuous-time: $x(t) = x(t + T)$ for all t
- ❑ Fundamental period
 - The smallest positive value of T for which $x(t) = x(t + T)$ holds

Transformation of the independent variable



Periodic Signals



- Discrete-time: $x[n] = x[n + N]$ for all n
- Fundamental period
 - The smallest positive value of N for which $x[n] = x[n + N]$ holds

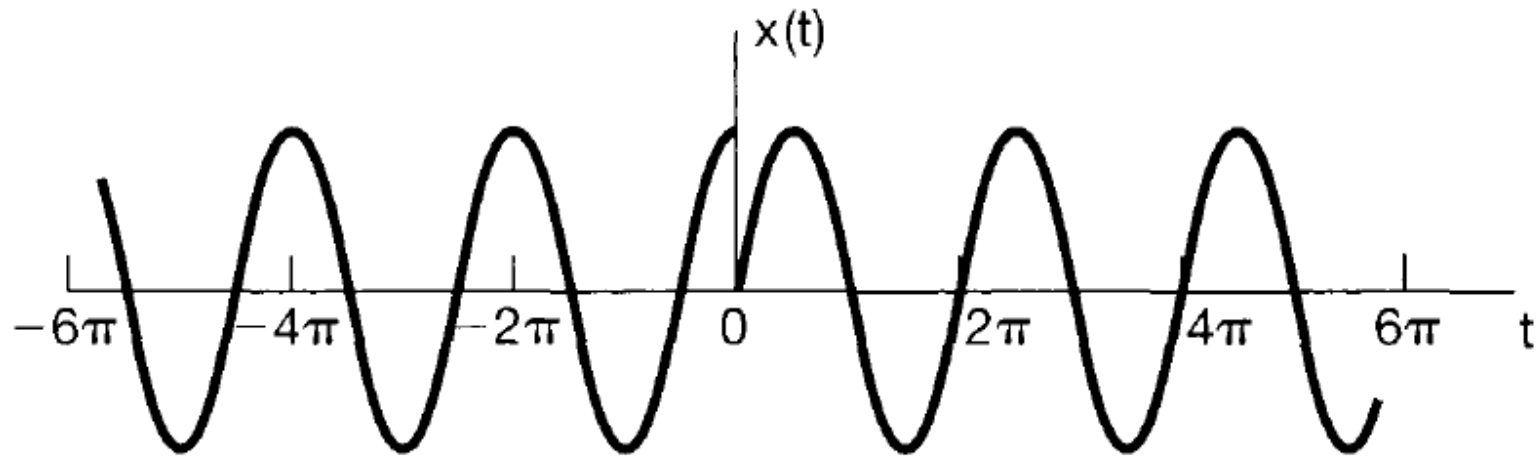
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Periodic Signals

□ Example:

$$x(t) = \begin{cases} \cos(t) & \text{if } t < 0 \\ \sin(t) & \text{if } t \geq 0 \end{cases}$$



Not periodic

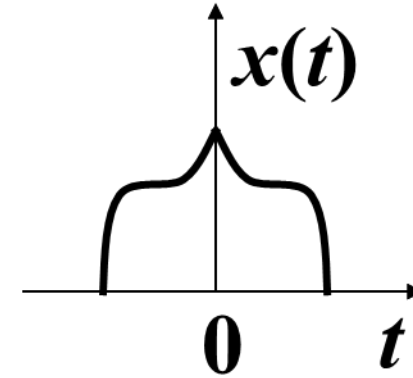
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Even and Odd Signals

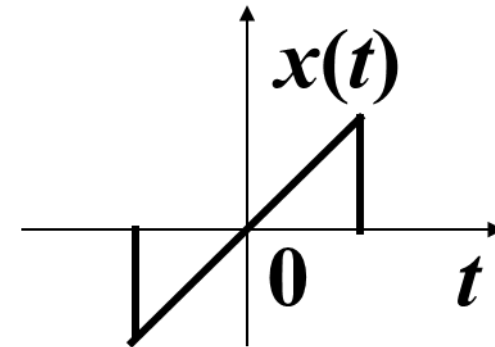
□ Even signal

- $x(t) = x(-t)$ $x[n] = x[-n]$



□ Odd signal

- $x(t) = -x(-t)$ $x[n] = -x[-n]$



Any signal is either even or odd. **False**



Even and Odd Signals

- Any signal can be broken into a sum of two signals
 - One even and one odd

$$x(t) = x_e(t) + x_o(t)$$

$$x_e(t) = E_v\{x(t)\} = \frac{1}{2}[x(t) + x(-t)]$$

$$x_o(t) = O_d\{x(t)\} = \frac{1}{2}[x(t) - x(-t)]$$

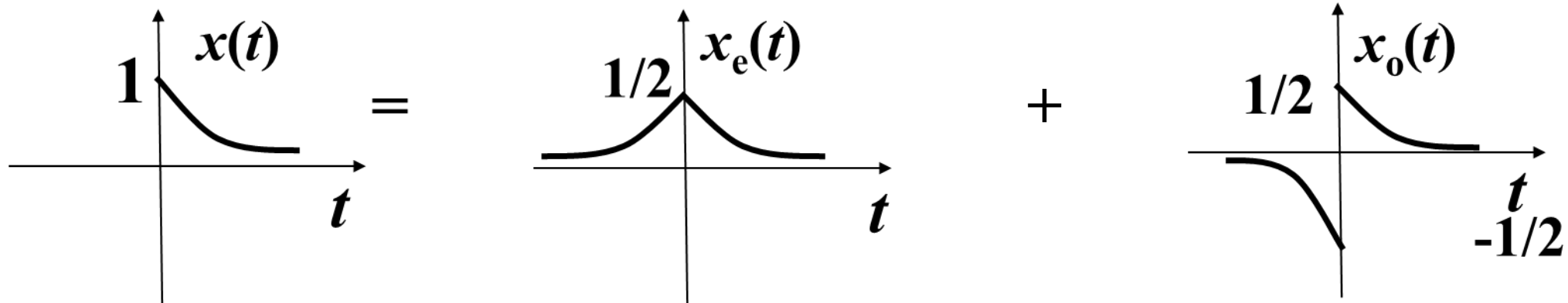
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Even and Odd Signals

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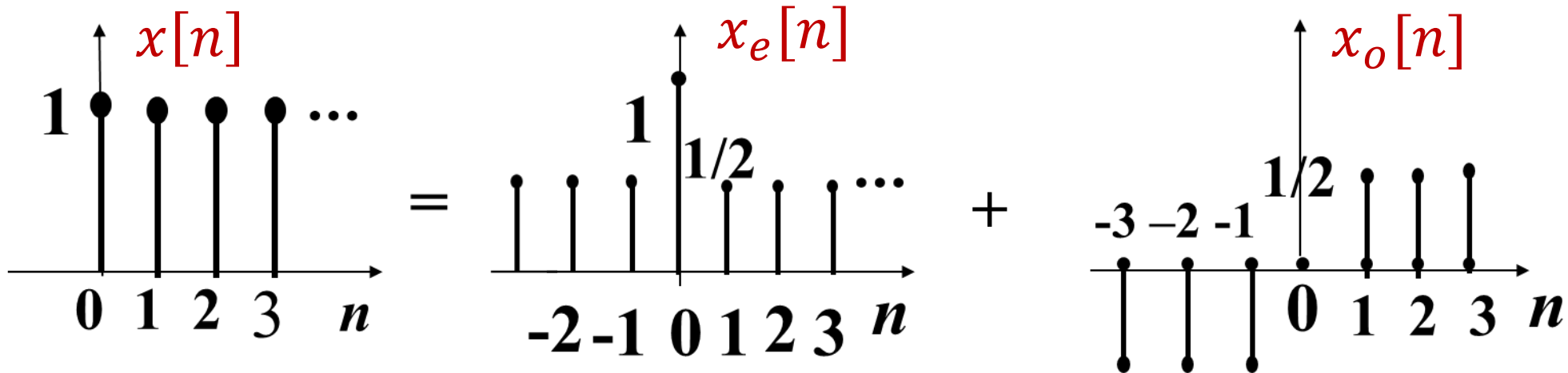


Even and Odd Signals

$$x[n] = x_e[n] + x_o[n]$$

$$x_e[n] = (x[n] + x[-n])/2$$

$$x_o[n] = (x[n] - x[-n])/2$$



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Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals



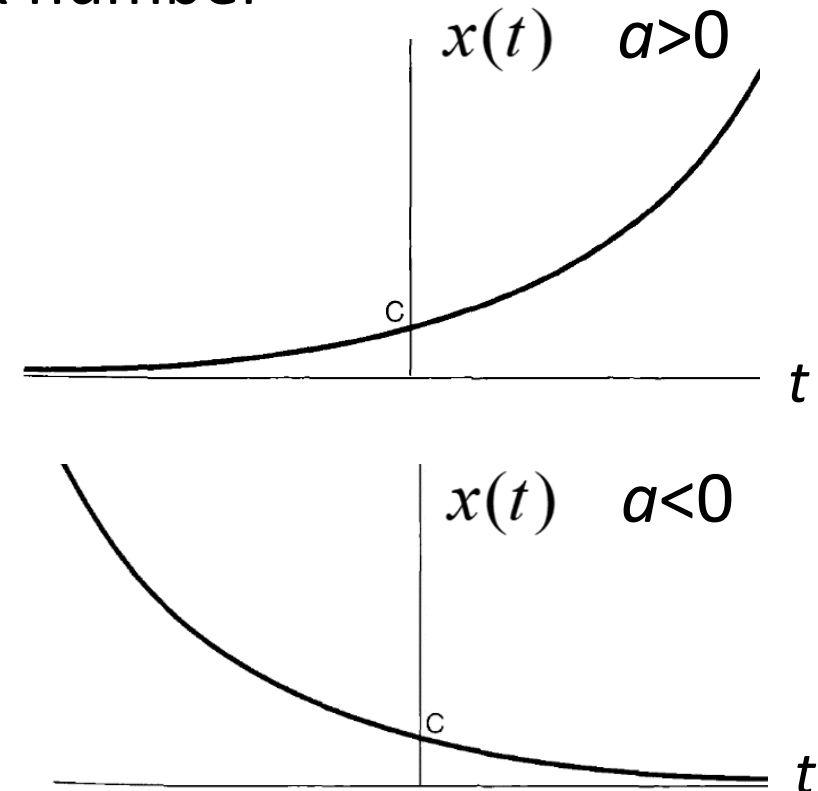
Continuous-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

□ General case

$$x(t) = ce^{at} \quad C \text{ and } a \text{ are complex number}$$

□ Real exponential signal

- C and a are real
- $a > 0$, as $t \uparrow$, $|x(t)| \uparrow$
- $a < 0$, as $t \uparrow$, $|x(t)| \downarrow$
- $a = 0$, $|x(t)|$ is constant



Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals



Continuous-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

□ Periodic exponential signals

- c is real, specifically 1
- a is purely imaginary

$$x(t) = e^{j\omega_0 t}$$

- Fundamental period T_0 ?

$$x(t) = e^{j\omega_0 t} = e^{j\omega_0(t+T)} = e^{j\omega_0 t} e^{j\omega_0 T} \longrightarrow e^{j\omega_0 T} = 1$$

$$\longrightarrow \omega_0 T = 2k\pi, k = \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots \longrightarrow T = \frac{2k\pi}{\omega_0} \longrightarrow T_0 = \frac{2\pi}{|\omega_0|}$$

- T_0 is undefined for $\omega_0 = 0$

Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals



Continuous-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

□ Sinusoidal Signals

$$x(t) = A \cos(\omega_0 t + \phi)$$

- Closely related to complex exponential signals

$$e^{j(\omega_0 t + \phi)} = \cos(\omega_0 t + \phi) + j \sin(\omega_0 t + \phi)$$

$$A \cos(\omega_0 t + \phi) = A \cdot \text{Re}\{e^{j(\omega_0 t + \phi)}\}$$

$$A \sin(\omega_0 t + \phi) = A \cdot \text{Im}\{e^{j(\omega_0 t + \phi)}\}$$

- Fundamental frequency ω_0

Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

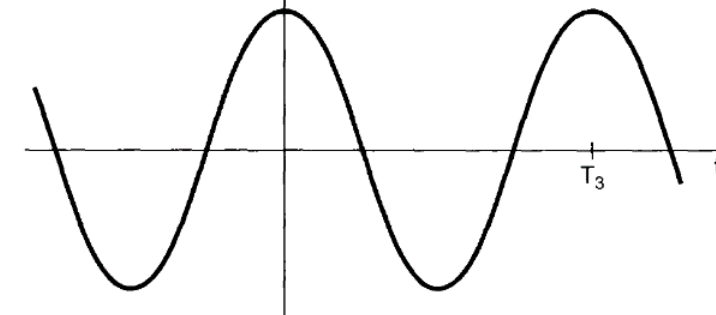
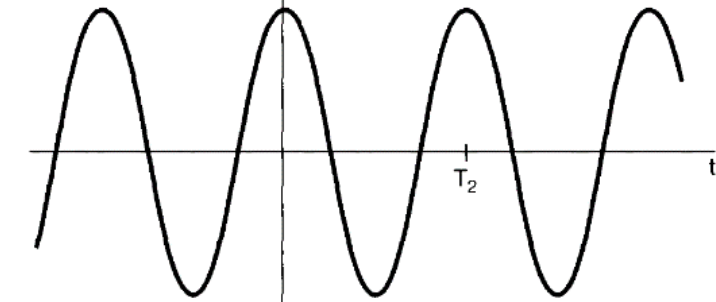
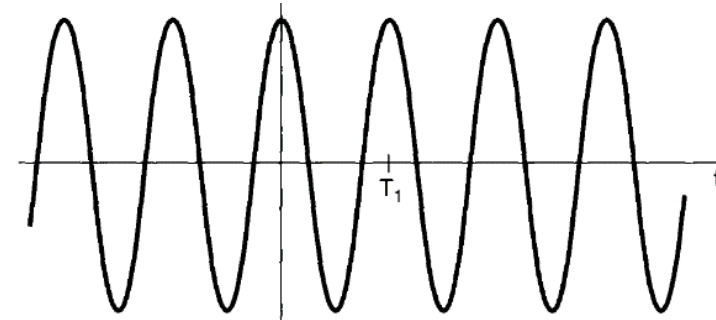
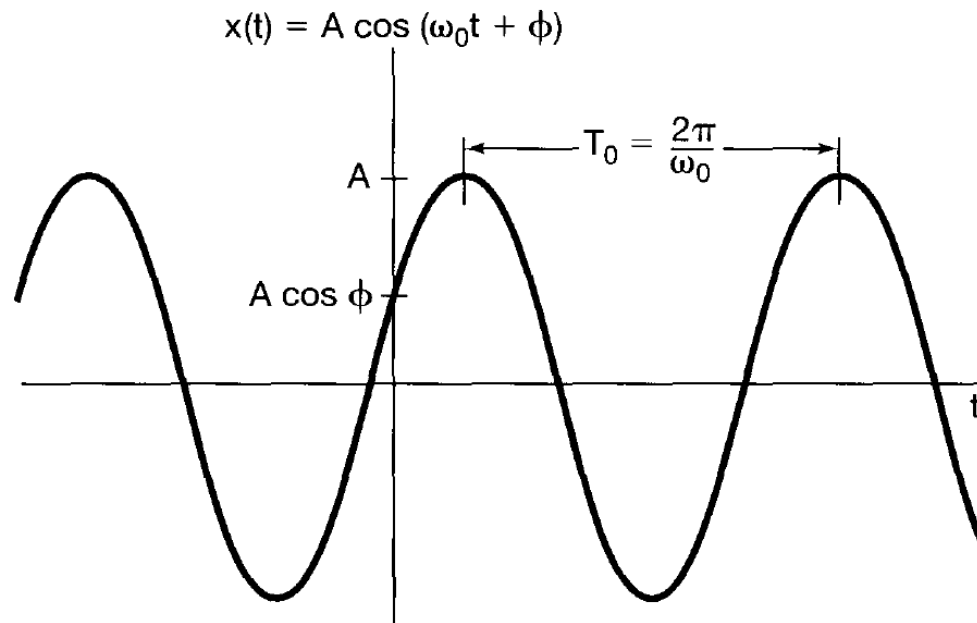


Continuous-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

□ Sinusoidal Signals

$$x(t) = A \cos(\omega_0 t + \phi)$$

➤ Fundamental frequency ω_0



$$\omega_3 < \omega_2 < \omega_1$$

$$T_3 > T_2 > T_1$$

Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals



Continuous-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

- $e^{j\omega_0 t}$ and $A\cos(\omega_0 t + \phi)$ examples of signals with infinite total energy but finite average power

$$E_{period} = \int_0^{T_0} |e^{j\omega_0 t}|^2 dt = \int_0^{T_0} 1 dt = T_0$$

$$P_{period} = \frac{1}{T_0} E_{period} = 1$$

- Total energy: **infinite**
- Average power: **finite**

Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals



Continuous-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

□ Harmonically related complex exponentials

- A set of periodic exponentials (**with different frequencies**), all of which are periodic with a common period T_0 .

$$e^{j\omega t} \text{ periodic} \Rightarrow e^{j\omega t} = e^{j\omega(t+T_0)} = e^{j\omega t} e^{j\omega T_0} \Rightarrow \omega T_0 = 2k\pi, k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$$

$$\text{Define } \omega_0 = 2\pi/T_0 \Rightarrow \omega = 2k\pi/T_0 = k\omega_0$$

- A set of periodic exponentials with fundamental frequencies of $k\omega_0$:

$$\phi_k(t) = e^{jk\omega_0 t}, k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$$

- For any $k \neq 0$, fundamental frequency $|k|\omega_0$; fundamental period

$$\frac{2\pi}{|k|\omega_0} = \frac{T_0}{|k|}$$

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□ Examples – Periodic or not?

$$(1) x_1(t) = je^{j10t} \quad \omega_0 = 10, \quad T_0 = \frac{2\pi}{10} = \frac{\pi}{5}$$

$$(2) x_2(t) = e^{(-1+j)t} \quad \text{Aperiodic}$$

$$(3) x_3(t) = 2 \cos\left(3t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) \quad \omega_0 = 3, \quad T_0 = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$(4) x(t) = 2 \cos\left(3t + \frac{\pi}{4}\right) + 3 \cos\left(2t - \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$$

$$T_{01} = \frac{2\pi}{3}, \quad T_{02} = \pi \quad T_0 = \text{SCM}(T_{01}, T_{02}) = 2\pi$$

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Continuous-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

□ General case

$$x(t) = Ce^{at}$$

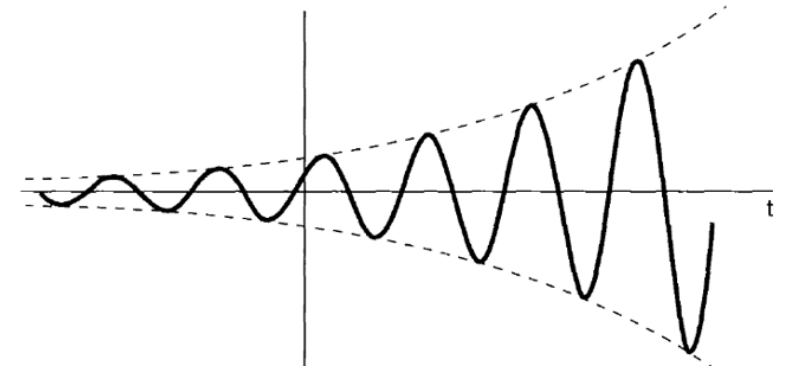
C and a are complex numbers

$$C = |C|e^{j\theta}, a = r + j\omega_0$$

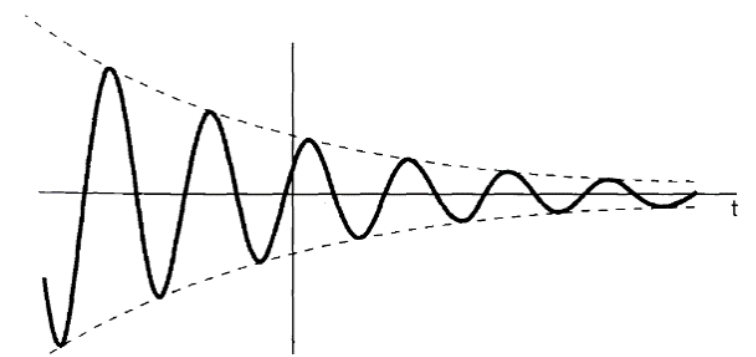
$$Ce^{at} = |C|e^{j\theta} e^{(r+j\omega_0)t} = |C|e^{rt} e^{j(\omega_0 t + \theta)}$$

$$Ce^{at} = |C|e^{rt} \cos(\omega_0 t + \theta) + j|C|e^{rt} \sin(\omega_0 t + \theta)$$

$$\text{Re}\{x(t)\} = |C|e^{rt} \cos(\omega_0 t + \theta), r > 0$$



$$\text{Re}\{x(t)\} = |C|e^{rt} \cos(\omega_0 t + \theta), r < 0$$



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Discrete-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

□ General case

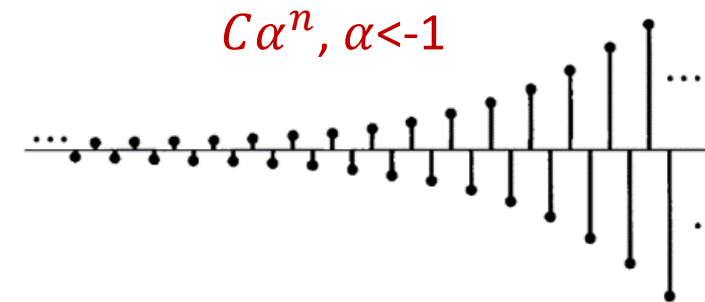
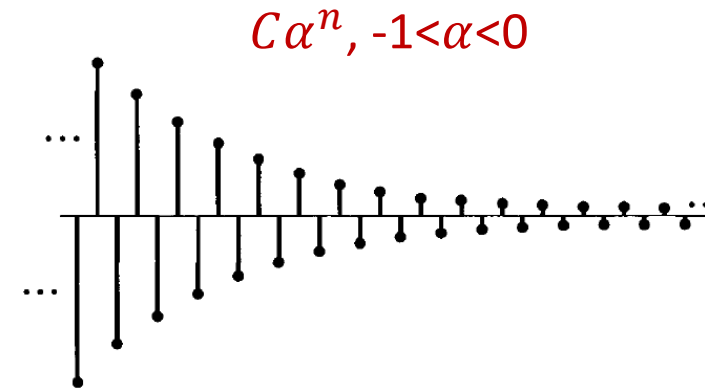
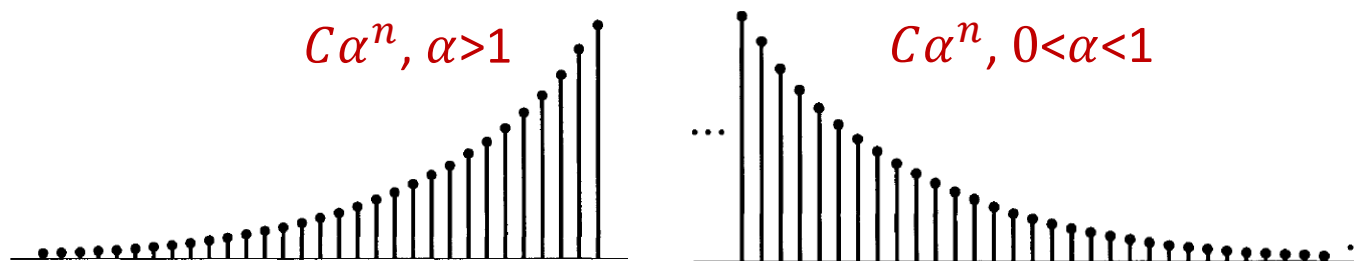
$$x[n] = C\alpha^n$$

c and α are complex numbers

$$x[n] = Ce^{\beta n} \quad \alpha = e^{\beta}$$

□ Real Exponential Signals

C and α are **real** numbers



Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals



Discrete-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

□ Sinusoidal signals

- c is real, specifically 1; β is purely imaginary

$$x[n] = e^{j\omega_0 n} \quad \text{Closely related} \quad x[n] = A \cos(\omega_0 n + \phi)$$

$$e^{j\omega_0 n} = \cos \omega_0 n + j \sin \omega_0 n$$

$$A \cos(\omega_0 n + \phi) = A \cdot \text{Re}\{e^{j(\omega_0 n + \phi)}\}$$

$$A \sin(\omega_0 n + \phi) = A \cdot \text{Im}\{e^{j(\omega_0 n + \phi)}\}$$

- Infinite total energy but finite average power

$$|e^{j\omega_0 n}|^2 = 1$$

Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals



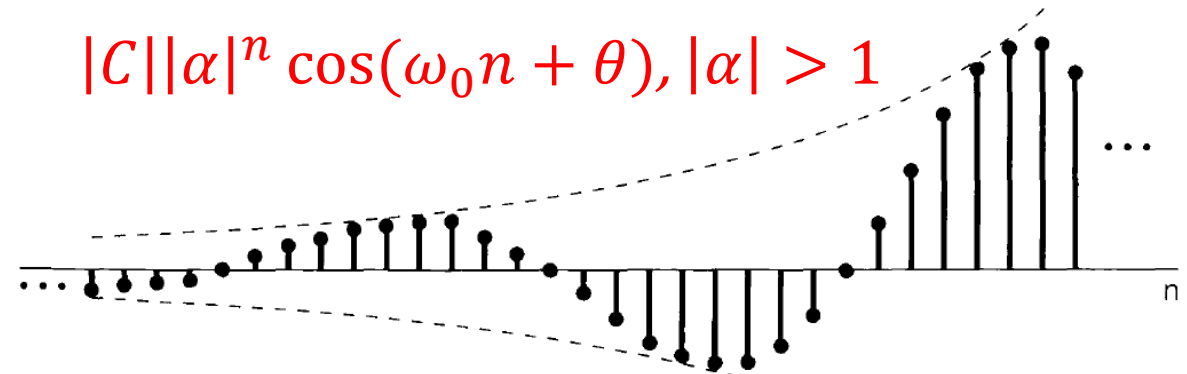
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□ General Signals

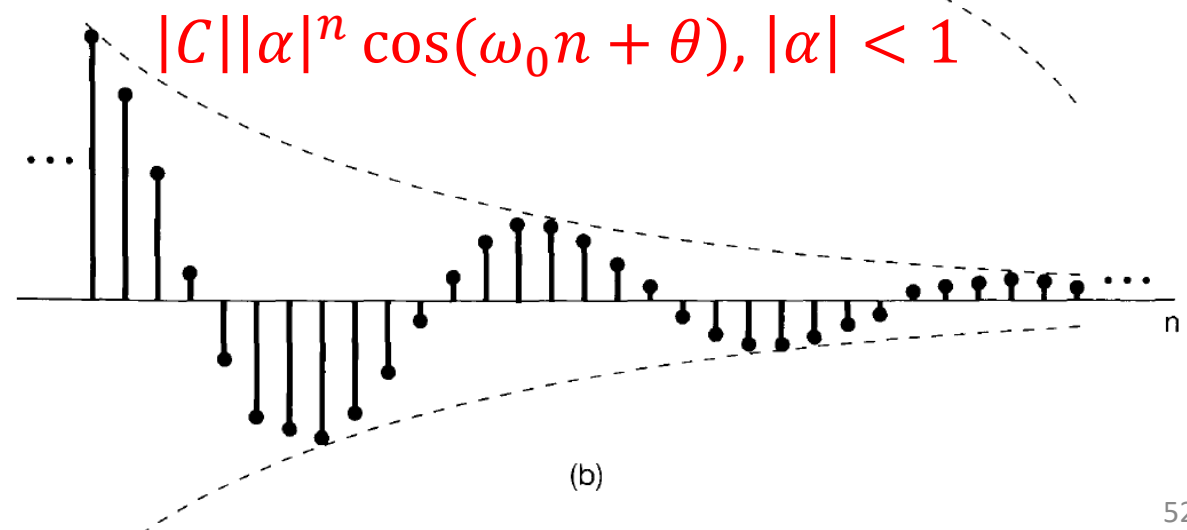
$$x[n] = C\alpha^n$$

$$C = |C|e^{j\theta}, \alpha = |\alpha|e^{j\omega_0}$$

$$x[n] = |C||\alpha|^n \cos(\omega_0 n + \theta) + j |C||\alpha|^n \sin(\omega_0 n + \theta)$$



(a)



(b)

Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals



Discrete-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

□ Periodicity properties $x[n] = e^{j\omega_0 n}$

➤ ω_0 : same value at ω_0 and $\omega_0 + 2k\pi$

$$e^{j(\omega_0+2k\pi)n} = e^{j2k\pi n} e^{j\omega_0 n} = e^{j\omega_0 n}$$

➤ Only consider interval $0 \leq \omega_0 \leq 2\pi$ or $-\pi \leq \omega_0 \leq \pi$

- From 0 to π : $\omega_0 \uparrow$, oscillation rate of $e^{j\omega_0 n} \uparrow$
- From π to 2π : $\omega_0 \uparrow$, oscillation rate of $e^{j\omega_0 n} \downarrow$
- Maximum oscillation rate at $\omega_0 = \pi$

$$e^{j\pi n} = (e^{j\pi})^n = (-1)^n$$

Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals



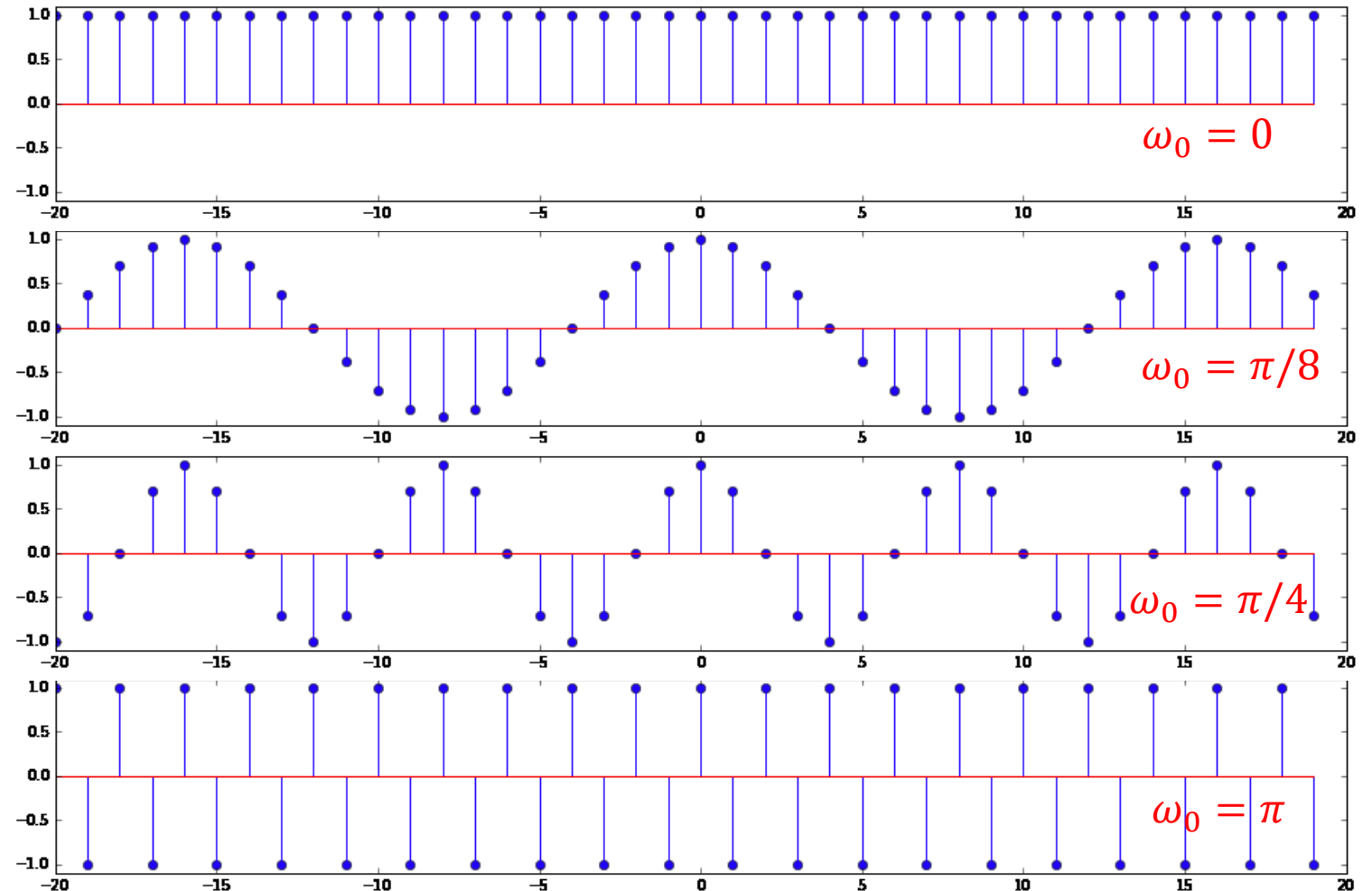
Discrete-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

□ Periodicity properties

$$\cos(\omega_0 n)$$

From 0 to π :

$\omega_0 \uparrow$, oscillation rate \downarrow



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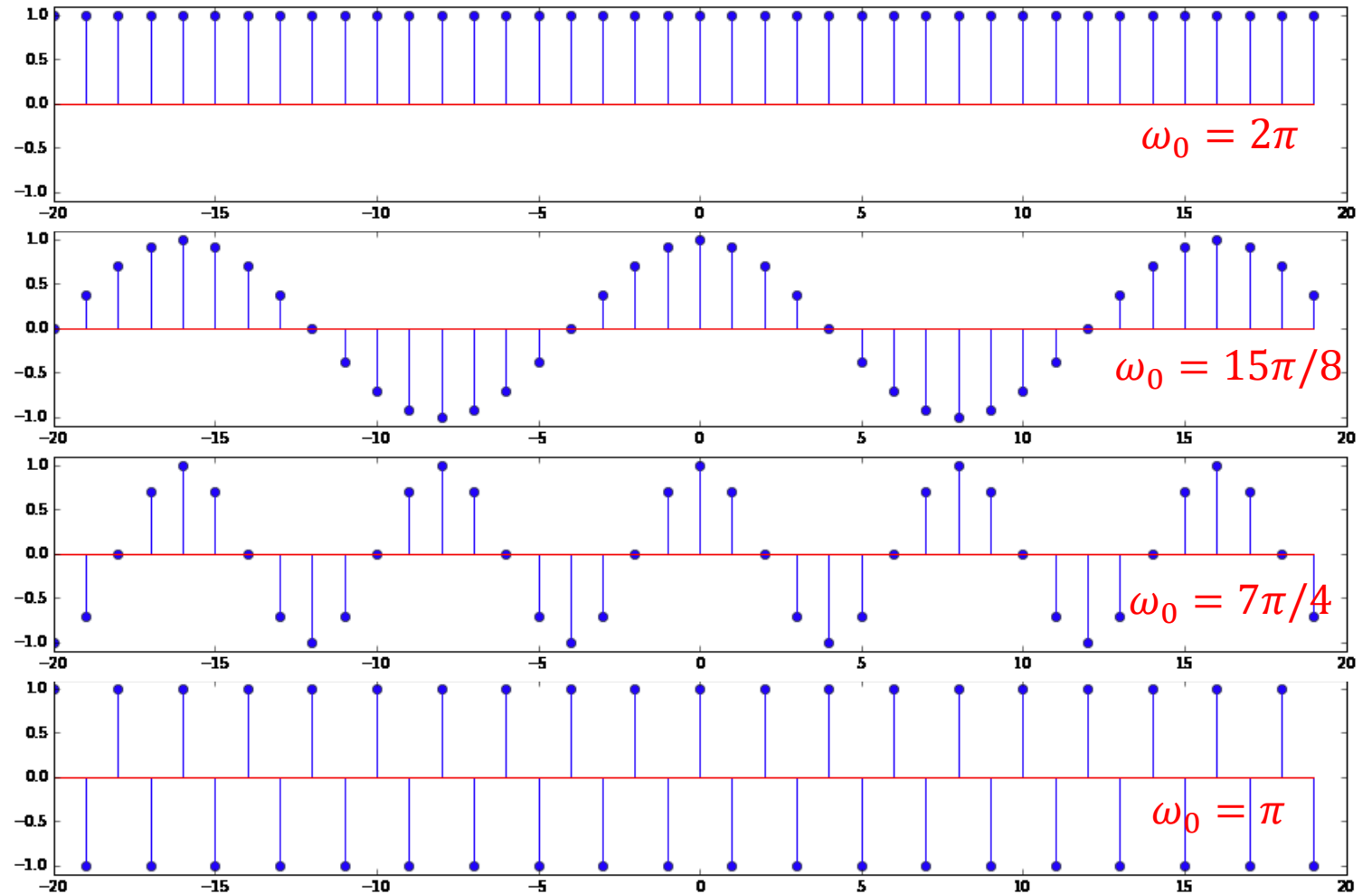


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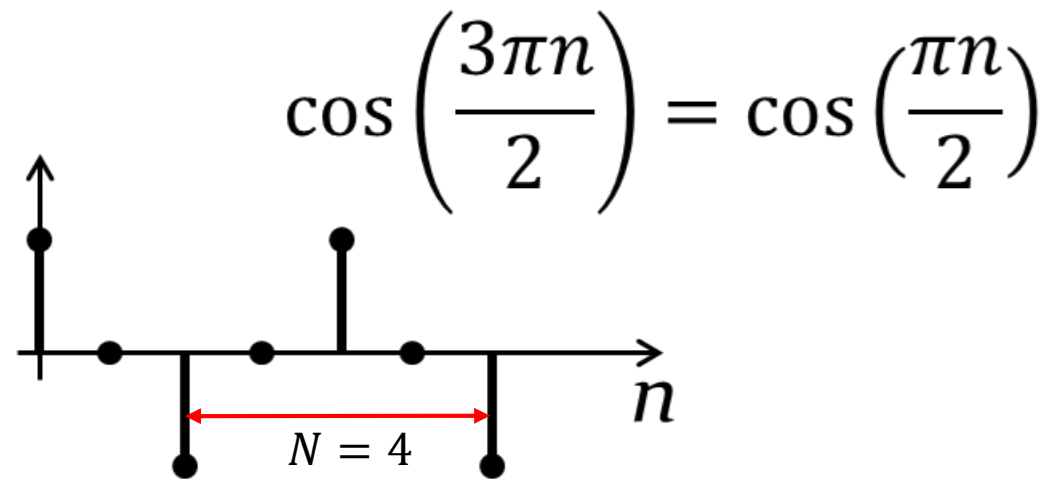
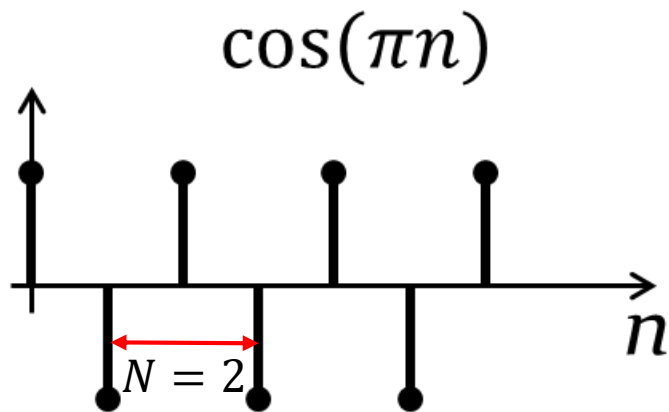


Discrete-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

□ Periodicity properties

- Q: Which one is a higher frequency signal?

$$\omega_0 = \pi \quad \omega_0 = 3\pi/2$$



Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals



Discrete-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

□ Periodicity properties

$$x[n] = e^{j\omega_0 n}$$

- In order for $e^{j\omega_0 n}$ to be periodic with $N > 0$, must

$$e^{j\omega_0(n+N)} = e^{j\omega_0 N} e^{j\omega_0 n} = e^{j\omega_0 n}$$

$$\omega_0 N = 2\pi m, m \text{ integer number}$$

- $\omega_0/2\pi$: rational number $\frac{\omega_0}{2\pi} = \frac{m}{N}$
- If N and m have no factors in common:

$$\text{Fundamental period: } N = m \frac{2\pi}{\omega_0}$$

$$\text{Fundamental frequency: } \frac{2\pi}{N} = \frac{\omega_0}{m}$$

Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals



Discrete-Time Complex Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals

□ Periodicity properties

$$x[n] = \cos(2\pi n/12) \quad \text{periodic } N=12$$

$$x[n] = \cos(8\pi n/31) \quad \text{periodic } N=31$$

$$x[n] = \cos(n/6) \quad \text{aperiodic}$$

$$x[n] = e^{j\left(\frac{2\pi n}{3}\right)} + e^{j\left(\frac{3\pi n}{4}\right)} \quad \text{periodic, } N=24$$

Exponential and Sinusoidal Signals



Periodicity properties: discrete-time vs. continuous-time

$$e^{j\omega_0 t}$$

$$e^{j\omega_0 n}$$

Distinct signals for distinct ω_0

Identical signals for values of ω_0 separated by multiples of 2π

Periodic for any ω_0

Only if $\omega_0 = 2\pi m/N$ for some integers $N > 0$ and m

Fundamental frequency ω_0

$$\omega_0 / m$$

Fundamental period $2\pi / \omega_0$

$$N = m(2\pi / \omega_0)$$

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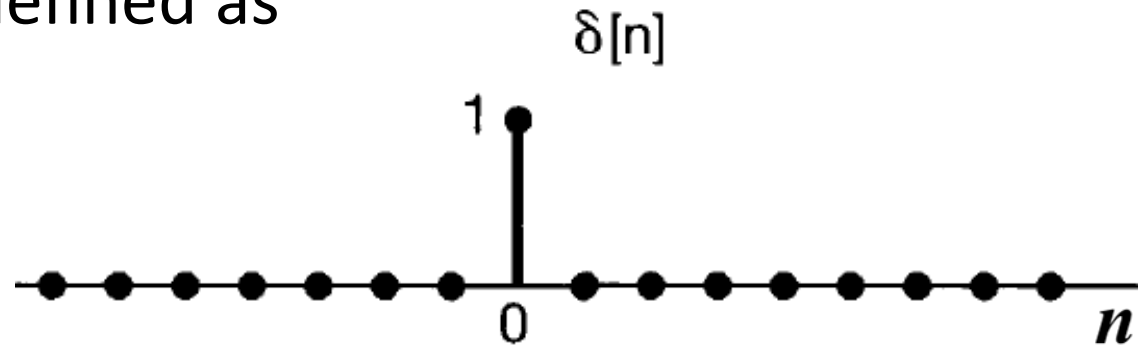
The Unit Impulse and Unit Step Functions



Discrete-time unit impulse and unit step sequences

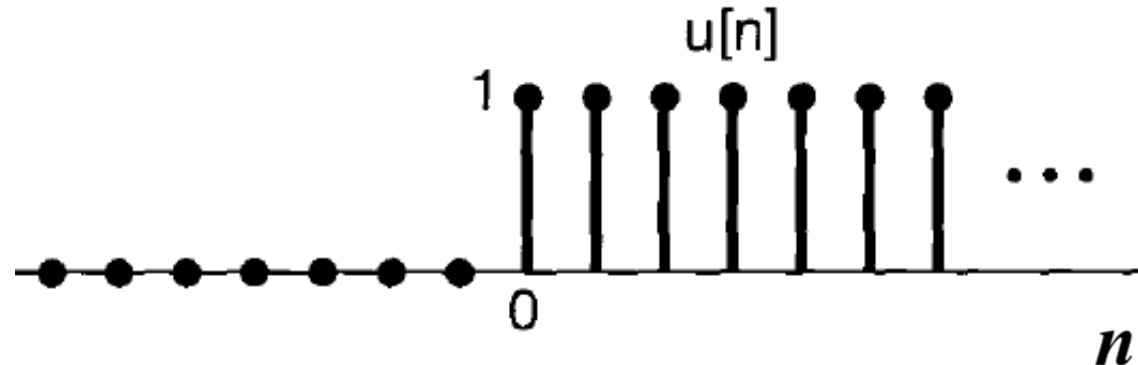
□ **Unit impulse** (unit sample) is defined as

$$\delta[n] = \begin{cases} 0, & n \neq 0 \\ 1, & n = 0 \end{cases}$$



□ **Unit step** is defined as

$$u[n] = \begin{cases} 0, & n < 0 \\ 1, & n \geq 0 \end{cases}$$



The Unit Impulse and Unit Step Functions



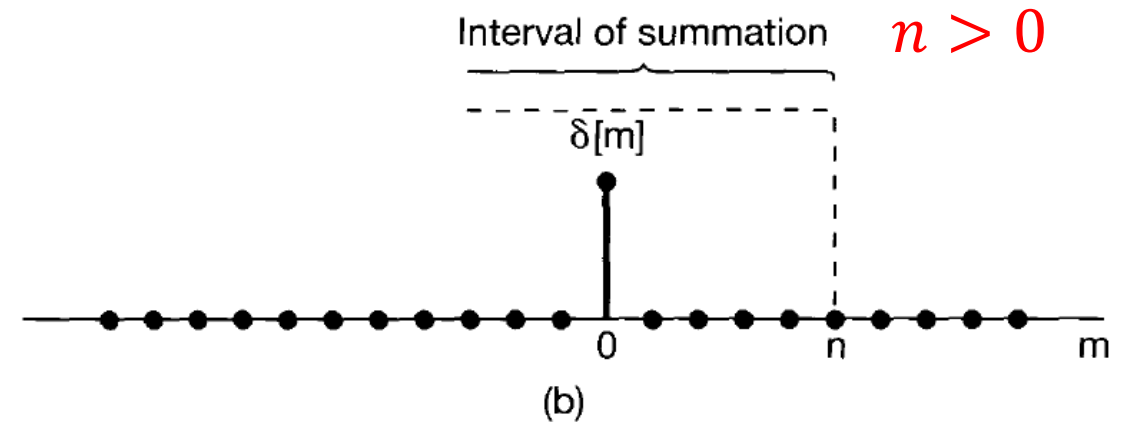
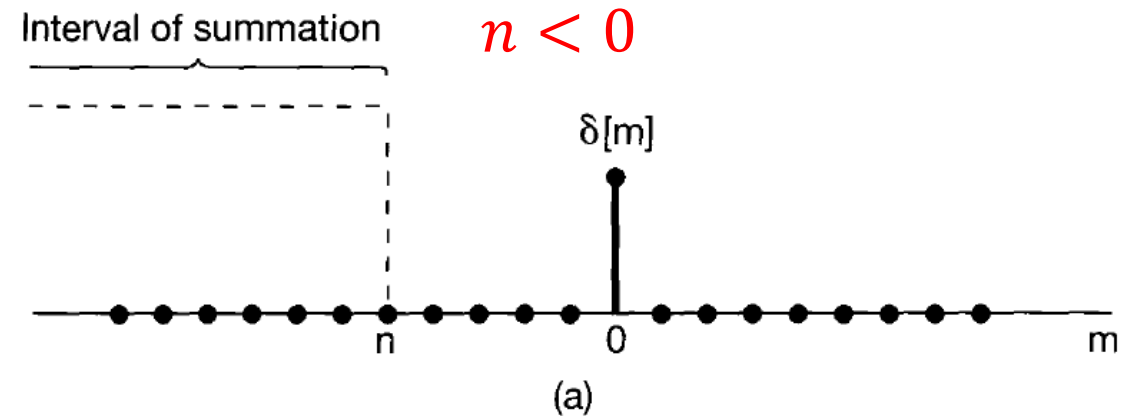
Discrete-time unit impulse and unit step sequences

- The impulse is the first difference of the step

$$\delta [n] = u[n] - u[n-1]$$

- Conversely, the step is the running sum of unit sample

$$u[n] = \sum_{m=-\infty}^n \delta [m]$$



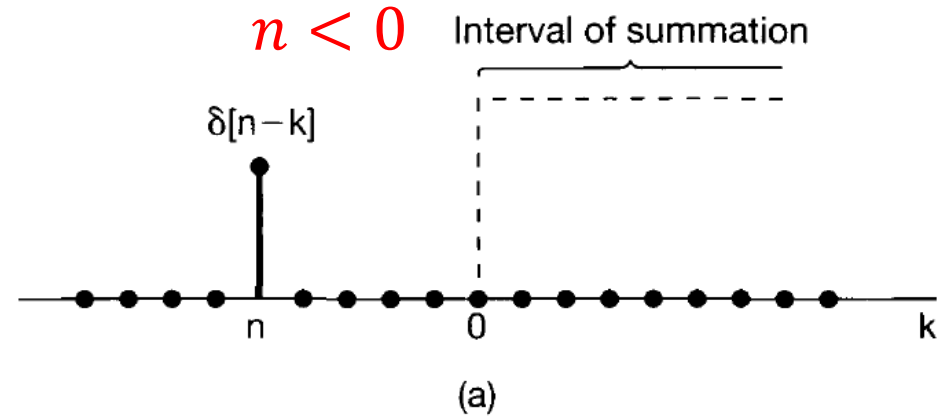


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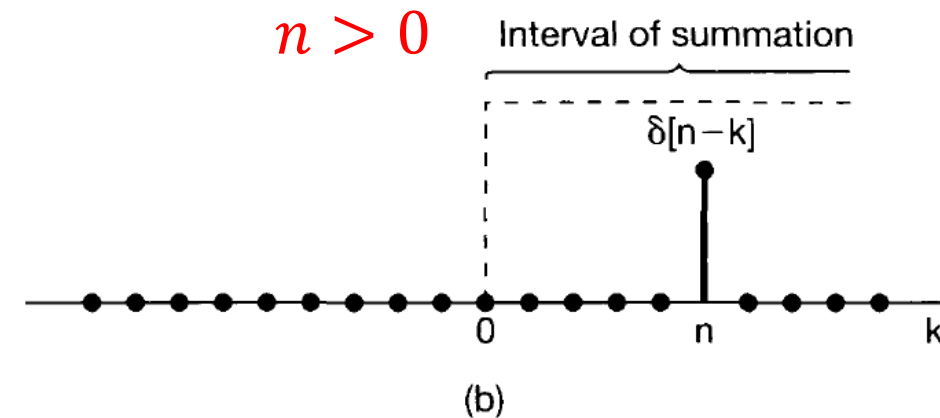
Discrete-time unit impulse and unit step sequences

□ Let $m = n - k$,

$$u[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^0 \delta[n - k]$$



or
$$u[n] = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \delta[n - k]$$



The Unit Impulse and Unit Step Functions



Discrete-time unit impulse and unit step sequences

□ Sampling property

$$x[n]\delta[n] = x[0]\delta[n]$$

□ More generally

$$x[n]\delta[n - n_0] = x[n_0]\delta[n - n_0]$$

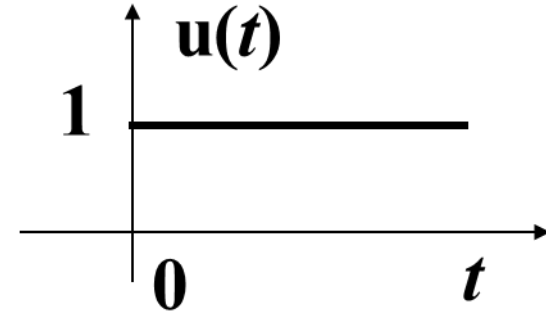
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Continuous-time unit impulse and unit step sequences

□ Unit step

$$u(t) = \begin{cases} 0, & t < 0 \\ 1, & t > 0 \end{cases}$$



□ The continuous unit step $u(t)$ is the running integral of unit impulse $\delta(t)$

$$u(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t \delta(\tau) d\tau$$

□ $\delta(t)$ the first derivative of $u(t)$

$$\delta(t) = \frac{du(t)}{dt}$$

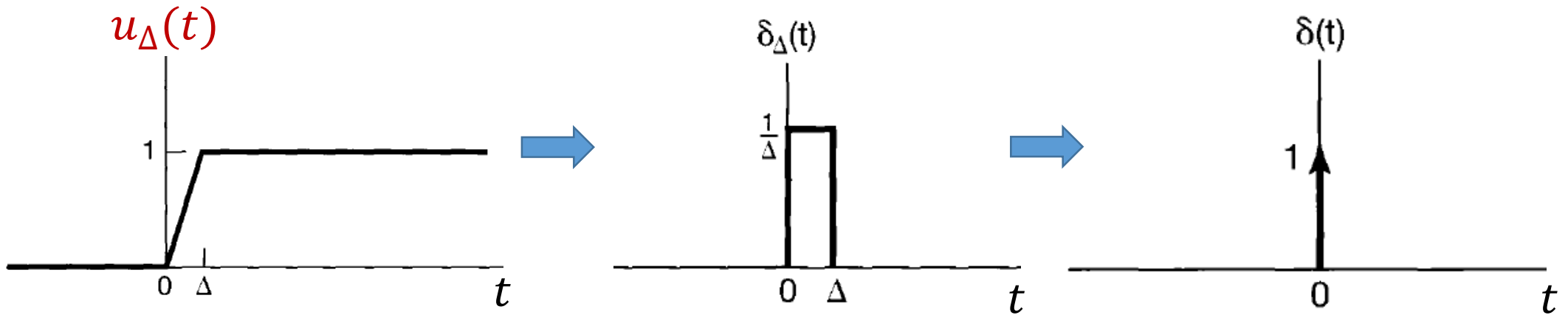
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Continuous-time unit impulse and unit step sequences

□ $u(t)$ is discontinuous at $t = 0$, How we get $\delta(t)$?

➤ Consider $u_{\Delta}(t)$



$$u(t) = \lim_{\Delta \rightarrow 0} u_{\Delta}(t)$$

$$\delta_{\Delta}(t) = \frac{d u_{\Delta}(t)}{dt}$$

$$\delta(t) = \lim_{\Delta \rightarrow 0} \delta_{\Delta}(t)$$

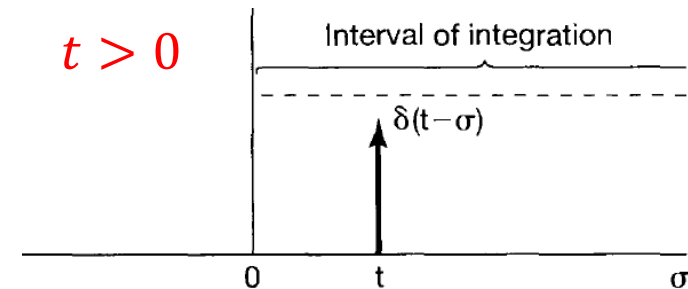
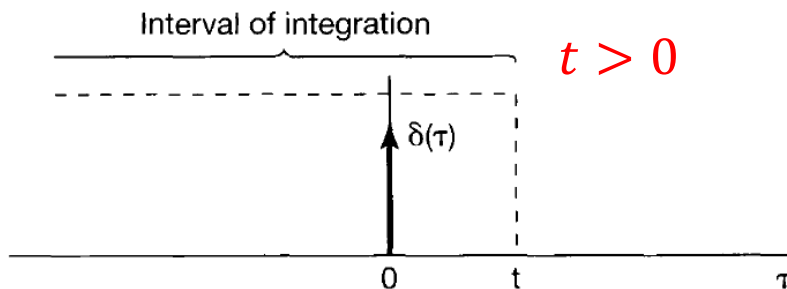
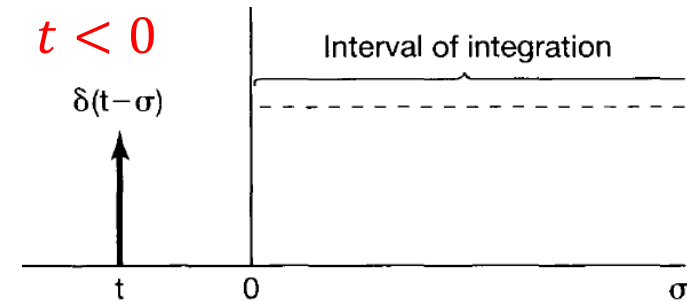
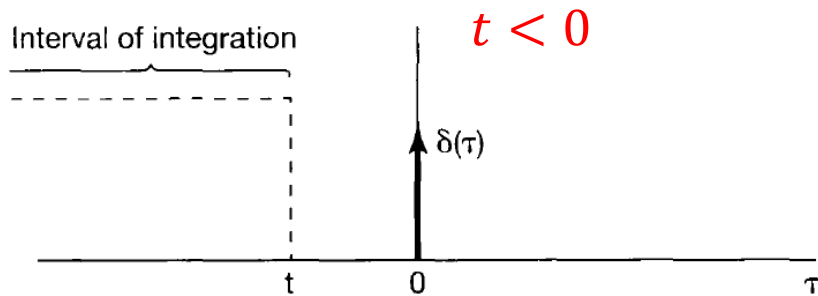
- arrow at $t = 0$: area of the pulse is **concentrated at $t = 0$**
- arrow height and "1": **area** of the impulse



The Unit Impulse and Unit Step Functions

Continuous-time unit impulse and unit step sequences

$$u(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t \delta(\tau) d\tau \quad \text{Let } \sigma = t - \tau \quad u(t) = \int_0^{\infty} \delta(t - \sigma) d\sigma$$



The Unit Impulse and Unit Step Functions



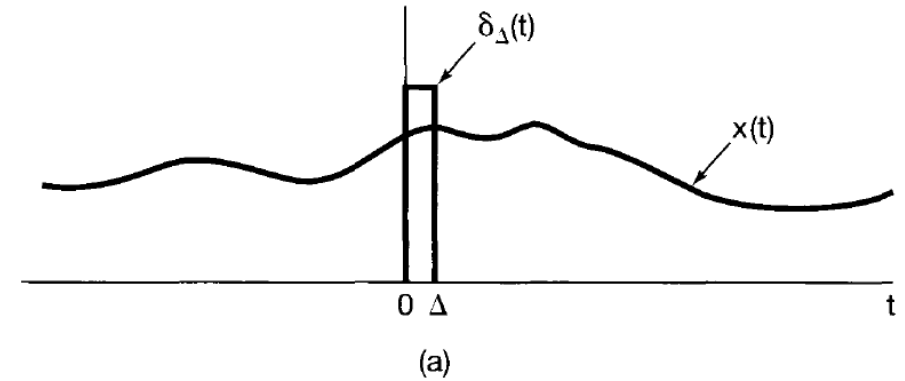
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□ Sampling property

$$x_1(t) = x(t)\delta_\Delta(t)$$

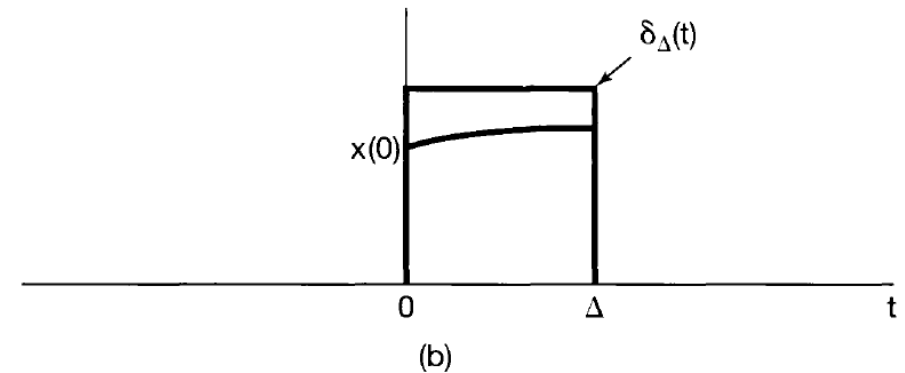
$$x(t)\delta_\Delta(t) \approx x(0)\delta_\Delta(t)$$

$$x(t)\delta(t) = \lim_{\Delta \rightarrow 0} x(t)\delta_\Delta(t) = x(0)\delta(t)$$



□ More generally

$$x(t)\delta(t - t_0) = x(t_0)\delta(t - t_0)$$



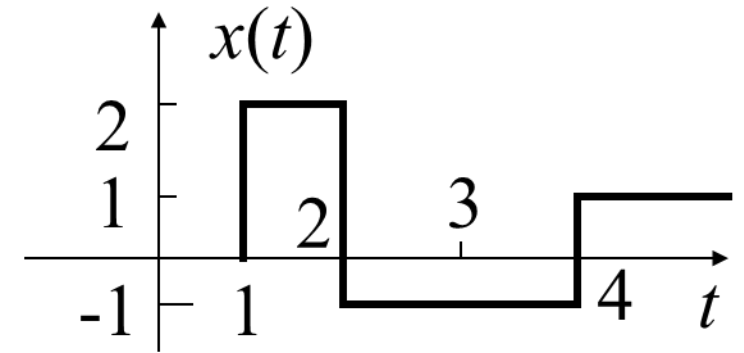
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□ Example:

- (1) Calculate and sketch the $x'(t)$;
- (2) Recover $x(t)$ from $x'(t)$.

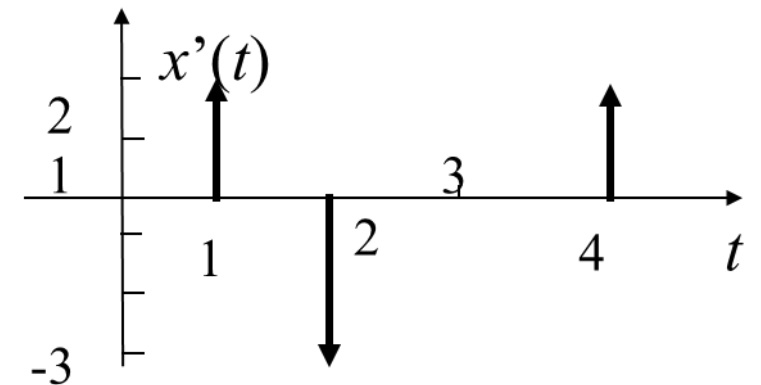


□ Solutions:

$$(1) \quad x(t) = 2u(t-1) - 3u(t-2) + 2u(t-4)$$

$$\therefore \quad x'(t) = 2\delta(t-1) - 3\delta(t-2) + 2\delta(t-4)$$

$$(2) \quad x(t) = \int_0^{\infty} x'(t) dt$$



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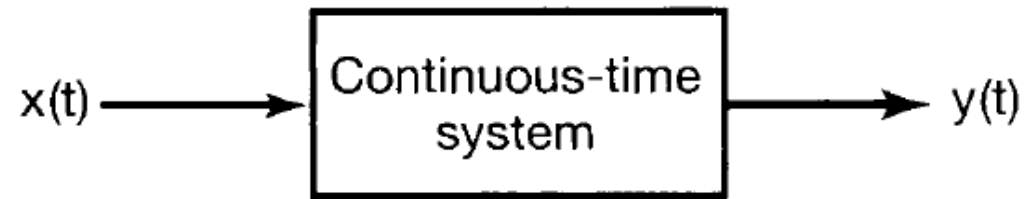


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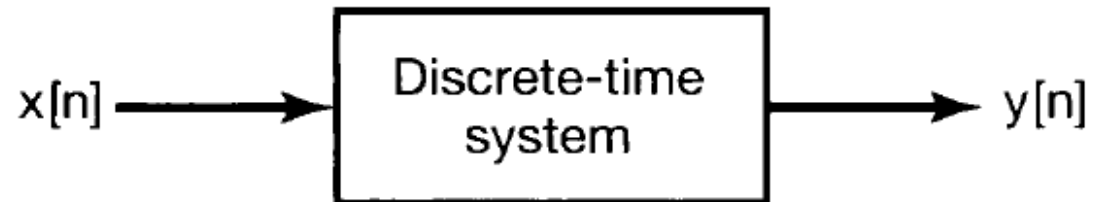
Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Systems



- **Continuous-Time Systems:** Input and output are continuous



- **Discrete-Time Systems:** Input and output are discrete



Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Systems



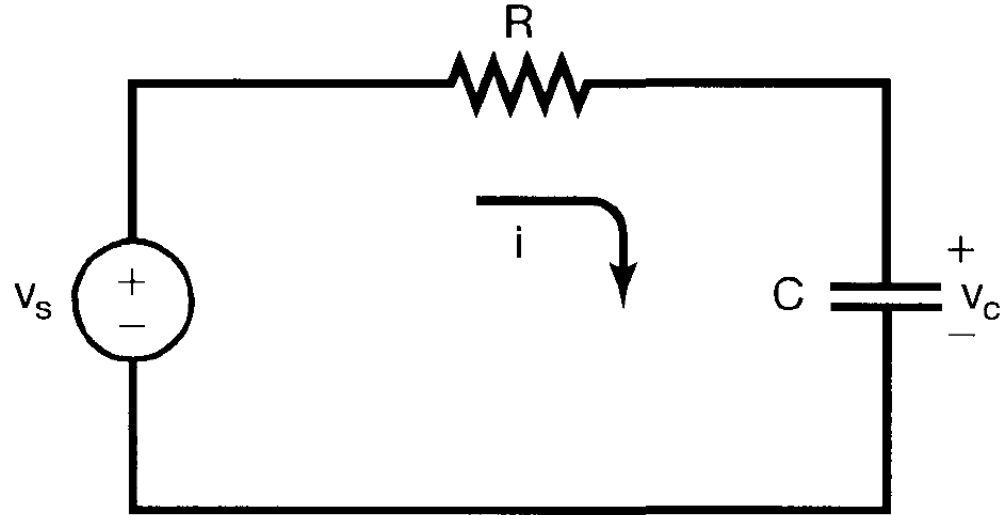
Examples of systems

□ RC circuit

$$i(t) = \frac{v_s(t) - v_c(t)}{R}$$

$$i(t) = C \frac{dv_c(t)}{dt}$$

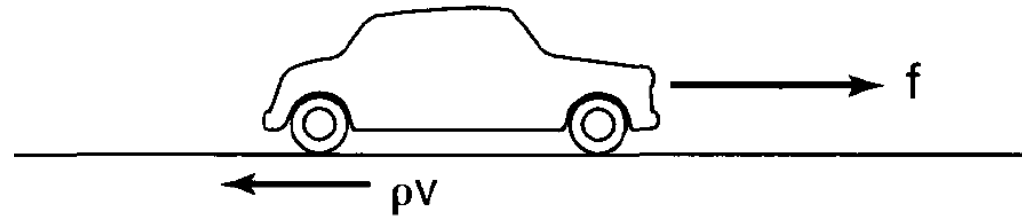
$$\frac{dv_c(t)}{dt} + \frac{1}{RC} v_c(t) = \frac{1}{RC} v_s(t).$$



Examples of systems

□ Moving car

$$\frac{dv(t)}{dt} = \frac{1}{m} [f(t) - \rho v(t)]$$



$$\frac{dv(t)}{dt} + \frac{\rho}{m}v(t) = \frac{1}{m}f(t)$$

In general: $\frac{dy(t)}{dt} + ay(t) = bx(t)$

Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Systems



Examples of systems

□ Balance in a bank account:

$$y[n] = 1.01y[n - 1] + x[n]$$

$y[n]$: balance at the end of the n th month; $x[n]$: net deposit; Interest rate: 1%

$$y[n] - 1.01y[n - 1] = x[n]$$

Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Systems



Examples of systems

□ Digital simulation a differential equation $\frac{dv(t)}{dt} + \frac{\rho}{m}v(t) = \frac{1}{m}f(t)$

- Approximate $dv(t)/dt$ at $t = n\Delta$ by $\frac{v(n\Delta) - v((n-1)\Delta)}{\Delta}$

$$\frac{v(n\Delta) - v((n-1)\Delta)}{\Delta} + \frac{\rho}{m}v(n\Delta) = \frac{1}{m}f(n\Delta)$$

- Let $v[n] = v(n\Delta)$ $v[n] - \frac{m}{m + \rho\Delta}v[n-1] = \frac{1}{m + \rho\Delta}f[n]$

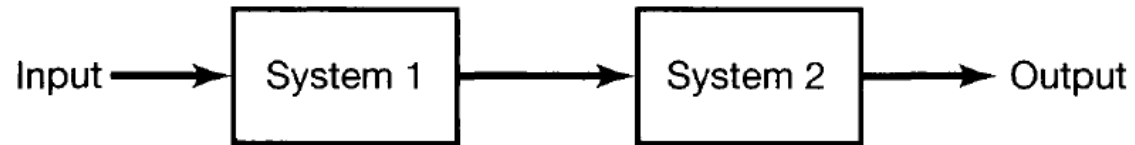
- In general $y[n] + ay[n-1] = bx[n]$

Continuous-Time and Discrete-Time Systems

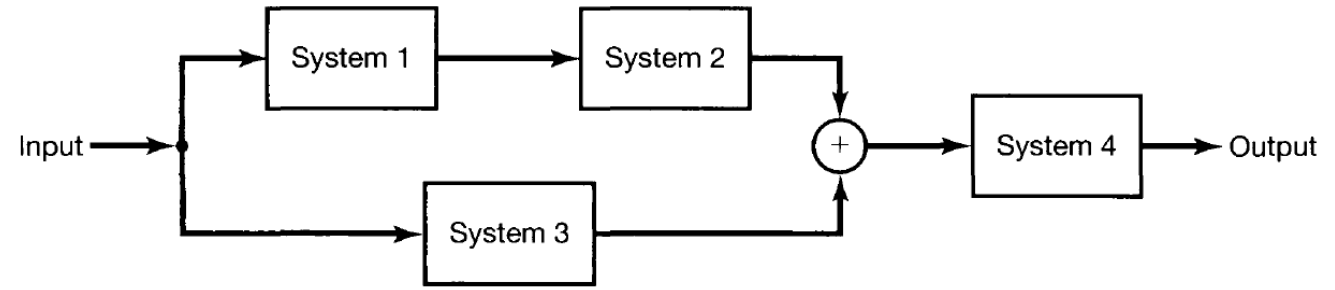
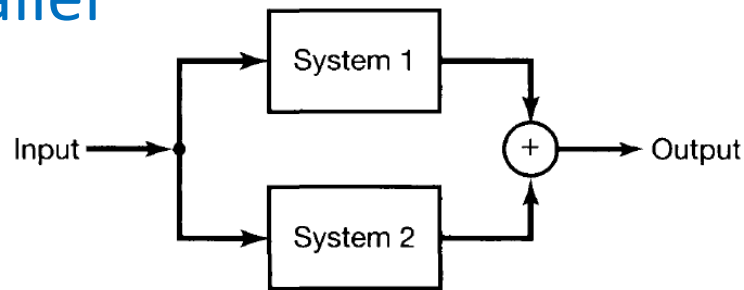


Interconnections of systems

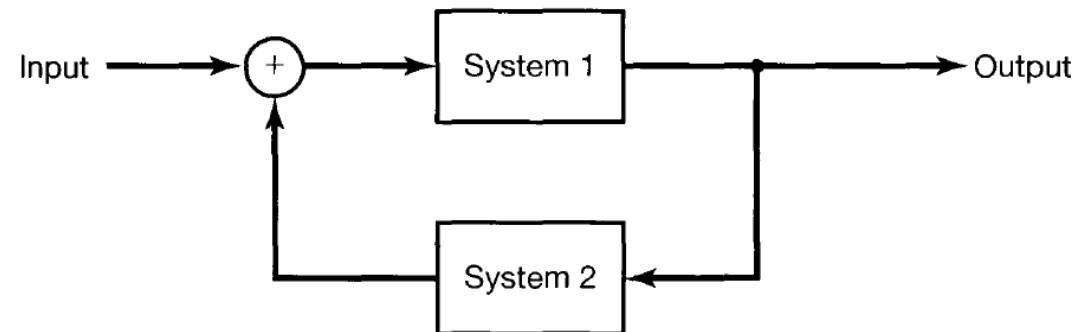
➤ Series (or cascade)



➤ Parallel



➤ Feedback



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System with and without memory

□ System without memory:

- Output is dependent **only on the current input**
- Examples:

$$y[n] = (2x[n] - x^2[n])^2$$

$$y(t) = Rx(t).$$

$$y(t) = x(t)$$

$$y[n] = x[n]$$



System with and without memory

□ System with memory:

- Output is dependent **on the** current and previous inputs
- Examples:

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^n x[k]; \quad y[n] = x[n - 1] \quad y(t) = \frac{1}{C} \int_{-\infty}^t x(\tau) d\tau$$

- Memory: retaining or storing information about input values at times
- Physical systems, memory is associated with the storage of energy

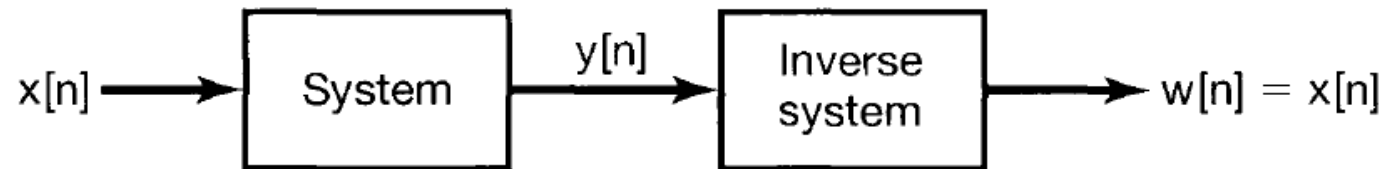
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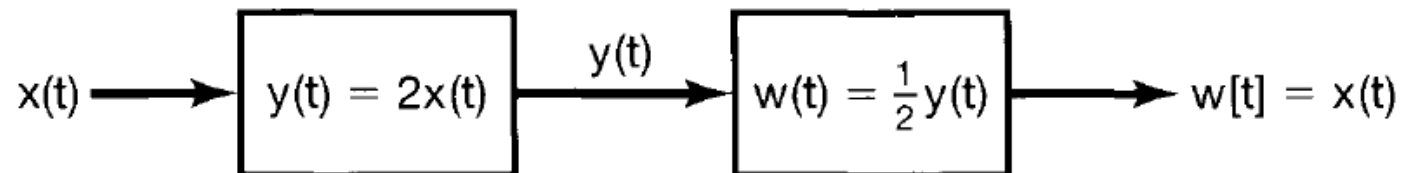
Invertibility and inverse system

□ Invertible

- Distinct inputs lead to distinct outputs.



$$y(t) = 2x(t) \quad w(t) = \frac{1}{2}y(t)$$



Basic System Properties



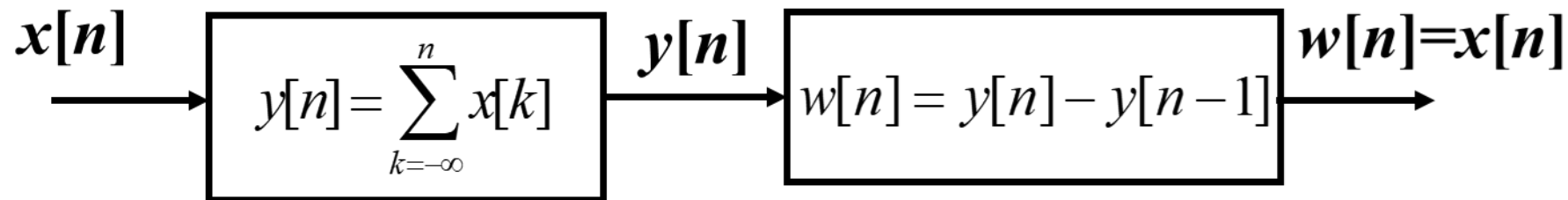
Invertibility and inverse system

□ Invertible

➤ Examples: **Accumulator** $y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^n x[k]$

➤ The difference between two successive outputs is precisely the inputs

$$y[n] - y[n-1] = x[n]$$



Basic System Properties



Invertibility and inverse system

□ Noninvertible

$$y[n] = 0$$

All $x[n]$ leads to the same $y[n]$

$$y(t) = x^2(t)$$

Cannot determine the sign of the inputs

Basic System Properties



Causality

□ **Causal**: the output at any time depends only on the inputs at the **present time** and in the **past**

$$y(t) = Rx(t),$$

Causal

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^n x[k],$$

Causal

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{C} \int_{-\infty}^t x(\tau) d\tau$$

Causal

$$y[n] = x[n] - x[n + 1]$$

Non-causal

$$y(t) = x(t + 1)$$

Non-causal

Basic System Properties



Causality

□ Examples

$$y[n] = x[-n]$$

Non-causal

$$y(t) = x(t) \cos(t + 1)$$

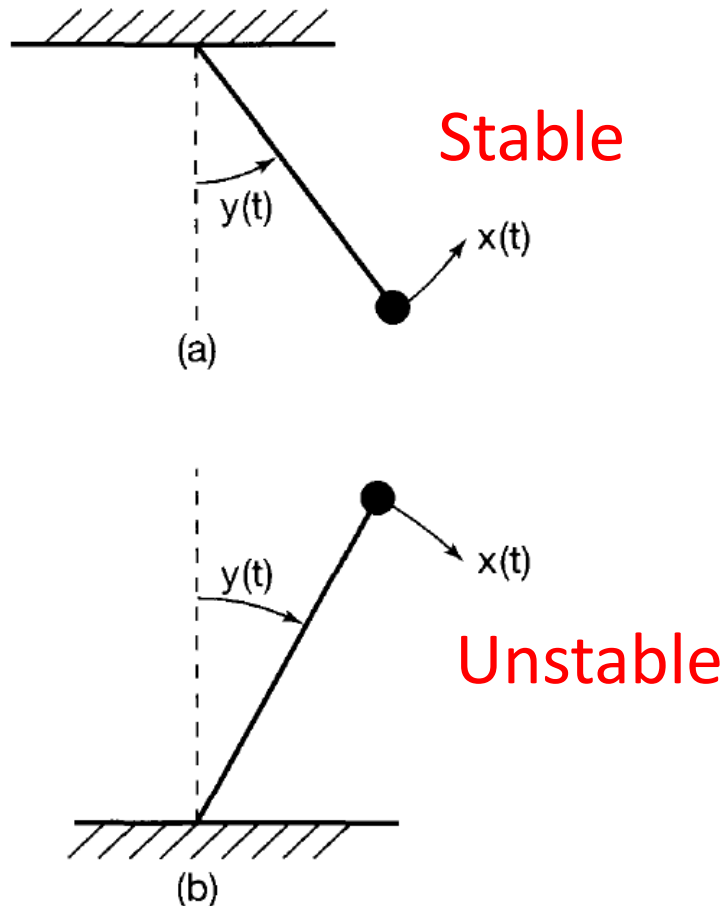
Causal

Basic System Properties



Stability

- **Informally**: small inputs lead to responses that do not diverge.



A bank account balance

$$y[n] = x[n] + (1 + \alpha) \times y[n - 1]$$

Unstable

Basic System Properties



Stability

□ **Formally:** bounded input leads to bounded output

➤ Bounded: $|y(t)| < B$

$$y[n] = \frac{1}{2M+1} \sum_{k=-M}^{+M} x[n-k] \quad \text{Stable}$$

$$y[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^n u[k] = (n+1)u[n] \quad \text{Unstable}$$

Basic System Properties



Stability

- Examples

$$S_1: y(t) = tx(t) \quad \text{Unstable}$$

$$S_2: y(t) = e^{x(t)} \quad \text{Stable}$$

$$|x(t)| < B \quad \rightarrow \quad -B < x(t) < B \quad \rightarrow \quad e^{-B} < y(t) < e^B$$

Basic System Properties



Time Invariance

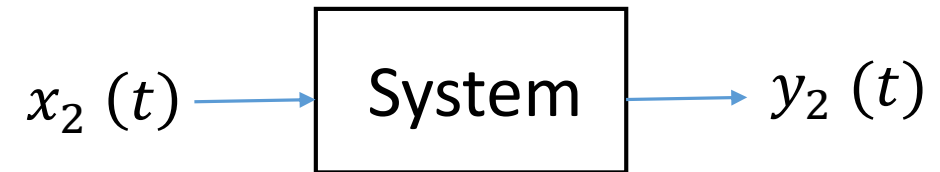
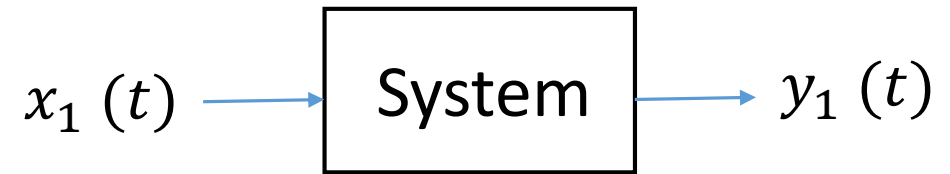
□ **Time invariant:** a time shift in the input signal results in an identical time shift in the output signal

$$\text{If } x[n] \rightarrow y[n]$$

$$\text{Then } x[n - n_0] \rightarrow y[n - n_0]$$

$$\text{If } x(t) \rightarrow y(t)$$

$$\text{Then } x(t - t_0) \rightarrow y(t - t_0)$$



$$\text{If } x_2(t) = x_1(t - t_0)$$

$$y_2(t) = f\{x_2(t)\}$$

$$y_2'(t) = y_1(t - t_0)$$

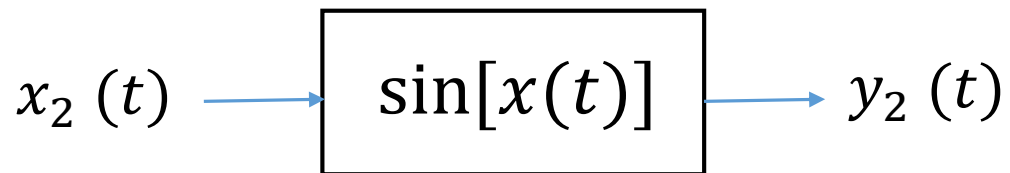
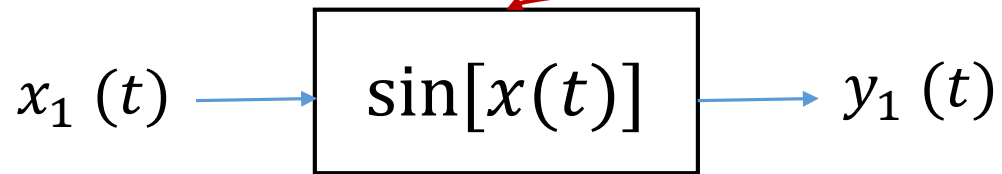
$$y_2(t) = y_2'(t) ?$$

Basic System Properties



Time Invariance

□ Examples: $y(t) = \sin[x(t)]$



$$\text{If } x_2(t) = x_1(t - t_0)$$

$$y_2(t) = f\{x_2(t)\}$$

$$f\{\cdot\} = \sin\{\cdot\}$$

$$y_2(t) = \sin[x_1(t - t_0)]$$

$$y_2'(t) = y_1(t - t_0)$$

$$y_1(t) = \sin[x_1(t)]$$

$$y_2'(t) = \sin[x_1(t - t_0)]$$

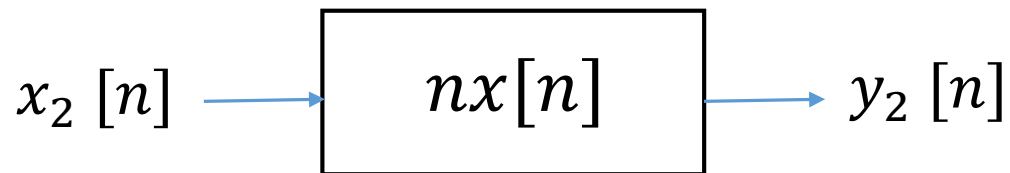
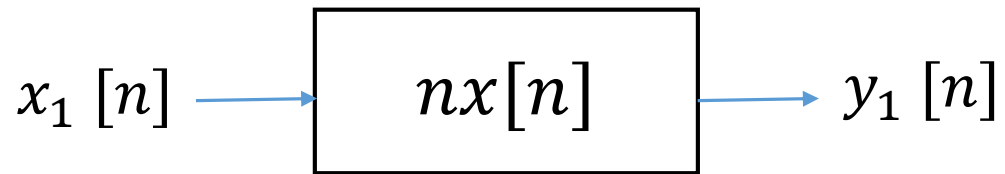
$$\therefore y_2(t) = y_2'(t)$$

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Time Invariance

□ Examples: $y[n] = nx[n]$



$$\begin{aligned}\text{If } x_2[n] &= x_1[n - n_0] \\ y_2[n] &= f\{x_2[n]\} \\ &= n \cdot x_1[n - n_0]\end{aligned}$$

$$y_2'[n] = y_1[n - n_0]$$

$$y_1[n] = n \cdot x_1[n]$$

$$y_2'[n] = (n - n_0) \cdot x_1[n - n_0]$$

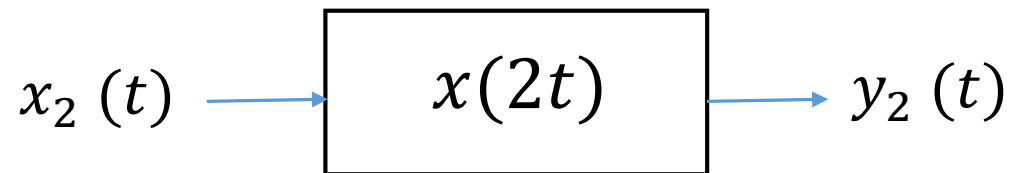
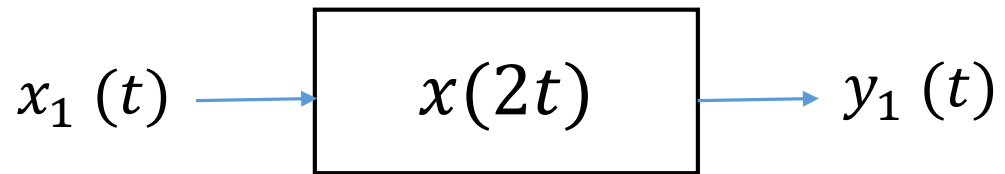
$$\therefore y_2[n] \neq y_2'[n]$$

Basic System Properties



Time Invariance

□ Examples: $y(t) = x(2t)$



$$\begin{aligned} \text{If } x_2(t) &= x_1(t - t_0) \\ y_2(t) &= f\{x_2(t)\} \\ &= x_1(2t - t_0) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y_2'(t) &= y_1(t - t_0) \\ y_1(t) &= x_1(2t) \\ y_2'(t) &= x_1[2(t - t_0)] \end{aligned}$$

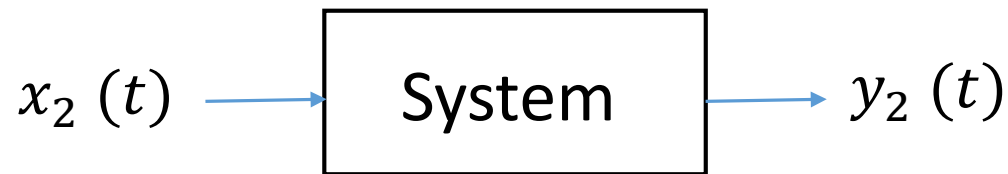
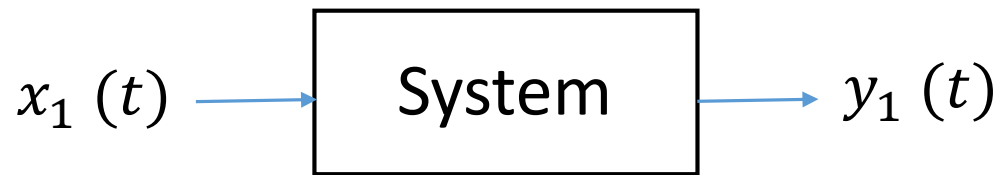
$$\therefore y_2(t) \neq y_2'(t)$$

Basic System Properties



Linearity

- **Linear** $x_1(t) \rightarrow y_1(t), \quad x_2(t) \rightarrow y_2(t)$ Superposition property
 $ax_1(t) + bx_2(t) \rightarrow ay_1(t) + by_2(t)$ (additivity and homogeneity)



If $x_3(t) = ax_1(t) + bx_2(t)$

$y_3(t) = f\{x_3(t)\}$

$y'_3(t) = ay_1(t) + by_2(t)$

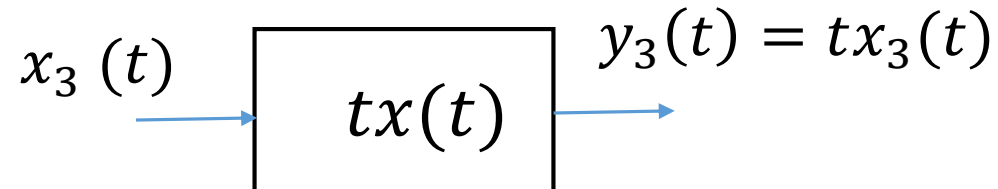
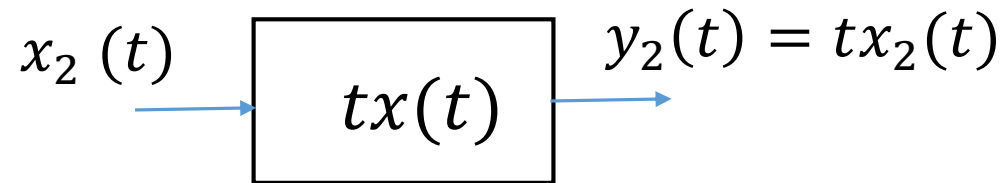
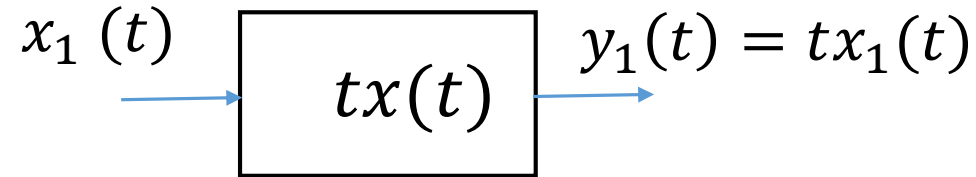
$y_3(t) = y'_3(t) ?$

Basic System Properties



Linearity

□ Examples $y(t) = tx(t)$



$$\text{If } x_3(t) = ax_1(t) + bx_2(t)$$

$$\begin{aligned} y_3(t) &= f\{x_3(t)\} \\ &= t[ax_1(t) + bx_2(t)] \end{aligned}$$

$$y_3'(t) = ay_1(t) + by_2(t)$$

$$y_3'(t) = atx_1(t) + btx_2(t)$$

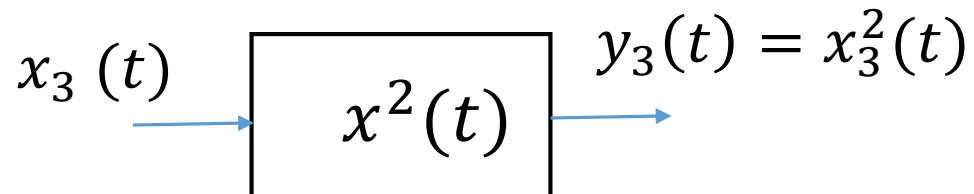
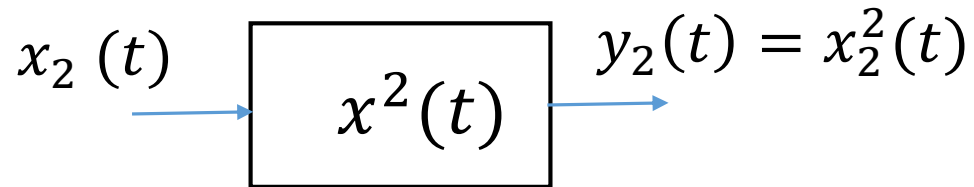
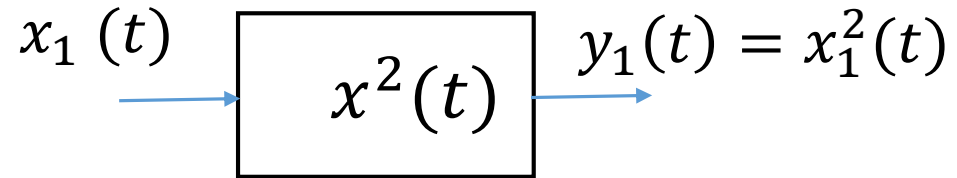
$$y_3(t) = y_3'(t)$$

Basic System Properties



Linearity

□ Examples $y(t) = x^2(t)$



If $x_3(t) = ax_1(t) + bx_2(t)$

$$\begin{aligned} y_3(t) &= f\{x_3(t)\} \\ &= [ax_1(t) + bx_2(t)]^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y_3'(t) &= ay_1(t) + by_2(t) \\ &= ax_1^2(t) + bx_2^2(t) \end{aligned}$$

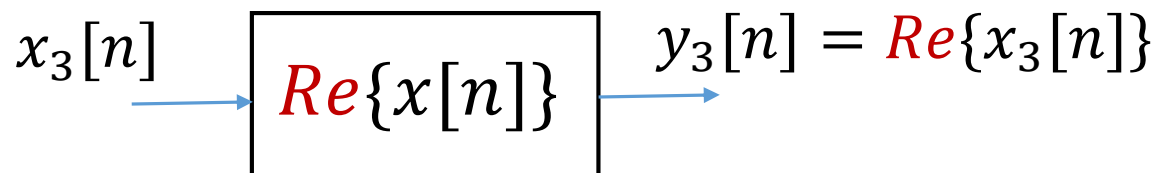
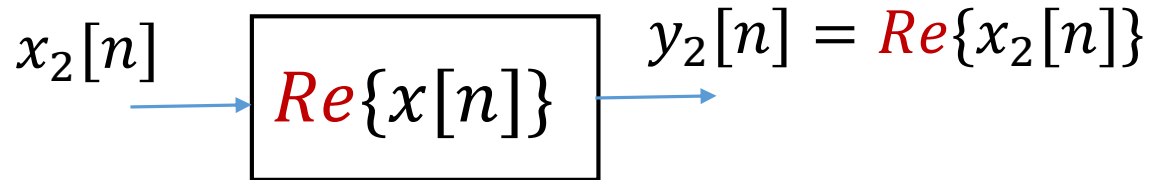
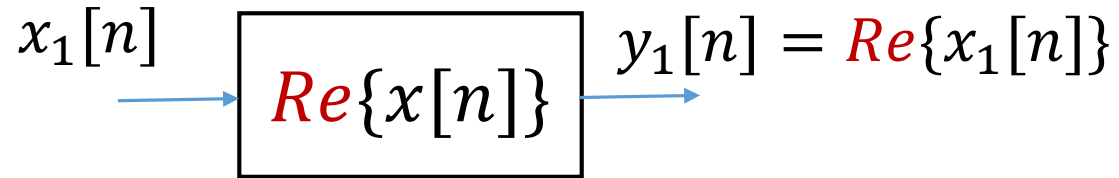
$$y_3(t) \neq y_3'(t)$$

Basic System Properties



Linearity

□ Examples $y[n] = \text{Re}\{x[n]\}$



If $x_3[n] = ax_1[n] + bx_2[n]$

$$\begin{aligned} y_3[n] &= f\{x_3[n]\} \\ &= \text{Re}\{ax_1[n] + bx_2[n]\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} y'_3[n] &= ay_1[n] + by_2[n] \\ &= a\text{Re}\{x_1[n]\} + b\text{Re}\{x_2[n]\} \end{aligned}$$

If a and b are complex numbers

$$y_3[n] \neq y'_3[n]$$

Basic System Properties



Linearity

□ Examples $y[n] = 2x[n] + 3$

$$x_1[n] \longrightarrow \boxed{2x[n] + 3} \longrightarrow y_1[n] = 2x_1[n] + 3$$

$$x_2[n] \longrightarrow \boxed{2x[n] + 3} \longrightarrow y_2[n] = 2x_2[n] + 3$$

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$$\text{If } x_3[n] = ax_1[n] + bx_2[n]$$

$$y_3[n] = f\{x_3[n]\}$$

$$= 2(ax_1[n] + bx_2[n]) + 3$$

$$y'_3[n] = ay_1[n] + by_2[n]$$

$$= a(2x_1[n] + 3) + b(2x_2[n] + 3)$$

$$y_3[n] \neq y'_3[n]$$