

Signals and systems

Fourier Transform Examples

lecture 19

① Find the Fourier transform of the following signals using Convolution theorem.

$$\textcircled{A} \quad x(t) = e^{-2t} u(t) * e^{-5t} u(t)$$

$$\textcircled{B} \quad x(t) = \frac{d}{dt} [e^{-2t} u(t) * e^{-5t} u(t)]$$

$$\textcircled{C} \quad x(t) = [e^{-2t} u(t) * e^{-5t} u(t-5)]$$

Determine $x(t)$ in all the above cases.

$$\textcircled{A} \quad x(t) = e^{-2t} u(t) * e^{-5t} u(t)$$

$$X(j\omega) = F[e^{-2t} u(t)] \cdot F[e^{-5t} u(t)]$$

$$F[e^{-2t} u(t)] = \frac{1}{j\omega + 2} \quad ; \quad F[e^{-5t} u(t)] = \frac{1}{j\omega + 5}$$

$$X(j\omega) = \frac{1}{(j\omega + 2)(j\omega + 5)} = \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{1}{j\omega + 2} - \frac{1}{j\omega + 5} \right]$$

$$x(t) = F^{-1}[X(j\omega)] = \frac{1}{3} [e^{-2t} u(t) - e^{-5t} u(t)]$$

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{3} [e^{-2t} - e^{-5t}] u(t)$$

$$\textcircled{B} \quad x(t) = \frac{d}{dt} [e^{-2t} u(t) * e^{-5t} u(t)]$$

$$\text{Let: } x_1(t) = e^{-2t} u(t) * e^{-5t} u(t)$$

$$X_1(\omega) = \frac{1}{(j\omega + 2)(j\omega + 5)}$$

Using time differentiation property of FT, we get

$$x(t) = \frac{d x_1(t)}{dt} \Rightarrow X(j\omega) = j\omega X_1(\omega)$$

$$X(j\omega) = \frac{j\omega}{(j\omega + 2)(j\omega + 5)}, \text{ using partial fraction expansion, we get}$$

$$X(j\omega) = \frac{A_1}{j\omega + 2} + \frac{A_2}{j\omega + 5} \Rightarrow$$

$$j\omega = A_1(j\omega + 5) + A_2(j\omega + 2)$$

$$* \text{ Let } j\omega = -2 :$$

$$A_1 = -\frac{2}{3}$$

$$* \text{ Let } j\omega = -5 :$$

$$A_2 = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$X(j\omega) = \frac{1}{3} \left[-\frac{2}{j\omega + 2} + \frac{5}{j\omega + 5} \right]$$

$$x(t) = F^{-1}[X(j\omega)] = \frac{1}{3} [-2 \cdot e^{-2t} + 5 \cdot e^{-5t}] u(t)$$

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{3} [-2e^{-2t} + 5e^{-5t}] u(t)$$

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$$\textcircled{c} \quad X(t) = e^{-2t} \cdot u(t) * e^{-5t} \cdot u(t-5)$$

$$X(t) = x_1(t) * x_2(t)$$

$$X(j\omega) = X_1(j\omega) \cdot X_2(j\omega)$$

$$X_1(j\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega + 2}$$

$$X_2(t) = e^{-5t} \cdot u(t-5) = e^{-25} \cdot e^{-5(t-5)} \cdot u(t-5)$$

$$X_2(j\omega) = \frac{e^{-25}}{j\omega + 5}$$

$$X(j\omega) = e^{-25} \left[\frac{1}{(j\omega + 2)(j\omega + 5)} \right] = \frac{1}{3} \cdot e^{-25} \left[\frac{1}{j\omega + 2} - \frac{1}{j\omega + 5} \right]$$

$$x(t) = \frac{e^{-25}}{3} \left[e^{-2t} - e^{-5t} \right] \cdot u(t)$$

② Consider the following signals $x_1(t)$ and $x_2(t)$. Find

$$y(t) = x_1(t) * x_2(t)$$

$$x_1(t) = e^{-2t} \cdot u(t)$$

$$x_2(t) = e^{3t} \cdot u(-t)$$

$$X_1(j\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega + 2}$$

$$X_2(j\omega) = -\frac{1}{j\omega - 3}$$

$$x_1(t) * x_2(t) = X_1(j\omega) \cdot X_2(j\omega)$$

$$Y(j\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega + 2} \cdot \frac{-1}{j\omega - 3} \Rightarrow Y(j\omega) = \frac{A_1}{j\omega + 2} + \frac{A_2}{j\omega - 3}$$

$$= \frac{1}{5} \left[\frac{1}{j\omega + 2} - \frac{1}{j\omega - 3} \right]$$

$$y(t) = F^{-1} [Y(j\omega)] = \frac{1}{5} \left[e^{-2t} \cdot u(t) + e^{3t} \cdot u(-t) \right]$$

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③ Consider the following differential equation. Determine the frequency response.

$$\frac{d^2 y(t)}{dt^2} + 5 \frac{dy(t)}{dt} + 6 y(t) = \frac{dx(t)}{dt} + 4 x(t)$$

Taking FT on both sides of the above differential equation, we get :

$$(j\omega)^2 Y(j\omega) + 5(j\omega) \cdot Y(j\omega) + 6 Y(j\omega) = [j\omega + 4] X(j\omega)$$

$$\frac{Y(j\omega)}{X(j\omega)} = H(j\omega) = \frac{j\omega + 4}{(j\omega + 2)(j\omega + 3)}$$

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4) A certain continuous linear time invariant system is described by the following differential equation.

$$\frac{dy(t)}{dt} + 5y(t) = x(t)$$

Determine $y(t)$, using FT for the following input signals

a) $x(t) = e^{-2t} \cdot u(t)$

b) $x(t) = 10u(t)$

c) $x(t) = \delta(t)$

a) $x(t) = e^{-2t} u(t)$

Taking FT on both sides we get

$$(j\omega + 5)Y(j\omega) = X(j\omega)$$

$$F[e^{-2t} \cdot u(t)] = \frac{1}{j\omega + 2}$$

$$Y(j\omega) = \frac{1}{(j\omega + 2)(j\omega + 5)} = \frac{1}{3} \left[\frac{1}{j\omega + 2} - \frac{1}{j\omega + 5} \right]$$

$$y(t) = F^{-1}[Y(j\omega)] = \frac{1}{3} [e^{-2t} - e^{-5t}] \cdot u(t)$$

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b) $x(t) = 10u(t)$

$$X(j\omega) = F[10u(t)] = 10\pi\delta(\omega) + \frac{10}{j\omega}$$

$$Y(j\omega) = \frac{X(j\omega)}{j\omega + 5} = \left[\pi\delta(\omega) + \frac{1}{j\omega} \right] \cdot \frac{10}{j\omega + 5}$$

$$= \frac{10\pi\delta(\omega)}{j\omega + 5} + \frac{10}{j\omega(j\omega + 5)} \rightarrow \text{using partial fraction expansion.}$$

$$\frac{10}{j\omega(j\omega + 5)} = \frac{A_1}{j\omega} + \frac{A_2}{j\omega + 5} \Rightarrow$$

$$A_1(j\omega + 5) + A_2 \cdot j\omega = 10$$

$$* j\omega = 0 \Rightarrow A_1 = 10/5 = 2$$

$$* j\omega = -5 \Rightarrow -5A_2 = 10 \Rightarrow A_2 = -2$$

$$\frac{10}{j\omega(j\omega + 5)} = \frac{2}{j\omega} - \frac{2}{j\omega + 5}$$

$$Y(j\omega) = \frac{10\pi\delta(\omega)}{j\omega + 5} + \frac{2}{j\omega} - \frac{2}{j\omega + 5}$$

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Applying the property $X(j\omega)\delta(\omega) = X(0) \cdot \delta(\omega)$ in the equation, we get:

$$Y(j\omega) = \frac{10}{5} \pi \delta(\omega) + \frac{2}{j\omega} - \frac{2}{j\omega + 5}$$

$$= 2 \left[\pi \delta(\omega) + \frac{1}{j\omega} \right] - \frac{2}{j\omega + 5}$$

$$y(t) = F^{-1}[Y(j\omega)] = 2 \left[u(t) - e^{-5t} u(t) \right]$$

$$y(t) = 2 \left[1 - e^{-5t} \right] u(t)$$

Note: $F^{-1} \left[\pi \delta(\omega) + \frac{1}{j\omega} \right] = u(t)$

* The above response is called "step response" because the input $u(t)$ is a step signal.

c) $x(t) = \delta(t)$

Solution: $X(j\omega) = 1$

$$Y(j\omega) = \frac{1}{j\omega + 5}$$

$$y(t) = F^{-1}[Y(j\omega)] = e^{-5t} \cdot u(t)$$

$$y(t) = e^{-5t} u(t)$$

* The above response is called "Impulse Response" of the system because the input $\delta(t)$ is an impulse.

5) Consider an LTI system with the differential equation

$$\frac{d^2 y(t)}{dt^2} + 4 \frac{dy(t)}{dt} + 3y(t) = \frac{dx(t)}{dt} + 2x(t)$$

Assume initial values are zeros.

Find the Frequency Response and impulse response.

Solution: Taking FT on both sides of the above equation, we get

$$(j\omega)^2 Y(j\omega) + 4j\omega Y(j\omega) + 3Y(j\omega) = j\omega X(j\omega) + 2X(j\omega)$$

$$Y(j\omega) [(j\omega)^2 + 4j\omega + 3] = X(j\omega) [j\omega + 2]$$

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{Y(j\omega)}{X(j\omega)} = \frac{(j\omega + 2)}{[(j\omega)^2 + 4j\omega + 3]} = \frac{j\omega + 2}{(j\omega + 1)(j\omega + 3)}$$

To find the impulse response:

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

frequency response.

$$F[x(t)] = F[\delta(t)] = 1$$

$$Y(j\omega) = X(j\omega) \cdot H(j\omega) = 1 \cdot \frac{j\omega + 2}{(j\omega + 1)(j\omega + 3)} = \frac{(j\omega + 2)}{(j\omega + 1)(j\omega + 3)}$$

$$Y(j\omega) = \frac{j\omega + 2}{(j\omega + 1)(j\omega + 3)} = \frac{A_1}{j\omega + 1} + \frac{A_2}{j\omega + 3}$$

$$j\omega + 2 = A_1(j\omega + 3) + A_2(j\omega + 1)$$

$$\text{let } j\omega = -1 \Rightarrow$$

$$1 = 2A_1 \Rightarrow \boxed{A_1 = \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$\text{let } j\omega = -3 \Rightarrow$$

$$-1 = -2A_2 \text{ or } \boxed{A_2 = \frac{1}{2}}$$

$$Y(j\omega) = \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{1}{j\omega + 1} + \frac{1}{j\omega + 3} \right]$$

Taking inverse FT we get:

$$y(t) = F^{-1}[Y(j\omega)] = \frac{1}{2} [e^{-t} + e^{-3t}] u(t)$$

$$y(t) = \frac{1}{2} [e^{-t} + e^{-3t}] u(t)$$

6) Systems described by differential equation:

Find the differential equation for the system described by the following frequency response:

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{j\omega}{(1+j\omega)(2+j\omega)} = \frac{j\omega}{2+3(j\omega)+(j\omega)^2}$$

Solution: From the convolution property:

$$H(j\omega) = \frac{Y(j\omega)}{X(j\omega)} = \frac{j\omega}{2+3(j\omega)+(j\omega)^2}$$

Cross multiply:

$$[(j\omega)^2 + 3(j\omega) + 2] Y(j\omega) = j\omega X(j\omega)$$

We can inverse each term to obtain the time-domain relationship between $x(t)$ and $y(t)$

$$\frac{d^2 y(t)}{dt^2} + 3 \frac{dy(t)}{dt} + 2y(t) = \frac{dx(t)}{dt}$$

← differential equation of the system.