

Signal Analysis & Communication ECE 355

Ch. 3.3: Fourier Series for CT Periodic Signals. (Contd.)

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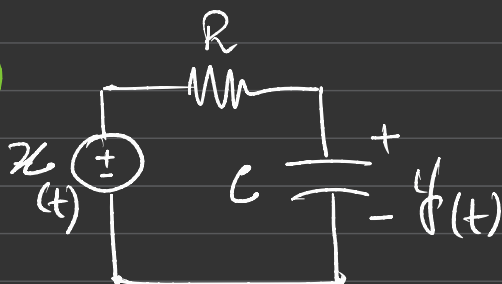
Recall: "Almost all" periodic signals can be expressed as a sum of harmonically related complex exponentials.

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{j\omega_0 t}$$

LTI: $x(t) \rightarrow \boxed{h(t)} \rightarrow y(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k \underbrace{H(jk\omega_0)}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{Needs to be found!}}} e^{jk\omega_0 t}$

Example:

(Low pass filter)



$$H(s) = ?$$

[If $x(t)$ is periodic, we need $H(jk\omega_0)$]

- Write LCCDE

$$RC \frac{dy(t)}{dt} + y(t) = x(t) \quad - (1)$$

(assume initial rest condition)

- To find $H(s)$, there can be two ways.

Way I.

i) Solving LCCDE for an arbitrary I/P with zero initial condition. (via the method of integrating factors)

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

Try it yourself!

ii) With $x(t) = \delta(t)$, $y(t) = h(t)$

$$h(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t \frac{1}{RC} e^{-(t-\tau)/RC} \underbrace{\delta(\tau)}_{\substack{\text{exists at} \\ \tau=0}} d\tau = \frac{1}{RC} e^{-t/RC} u(t)$$

$$\text{iii)} \quad H(s) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(t) e^{-st} dt$$

Way II

i) Use $x(t) = e^{st}$

(consider complex exp. I/P)

$$\Rightarrow y(t) = H(s) e^{st}$$

(derived in lecture 13)

ii) Insert in eqn ① to find $H(s)$

$$\text{eqn ①} \Rightarrow RC H(s) s e^{st} + H(s) e^{st} = e^{st}$$

$$H(s) = \frac{1}{1 + RCs}$$

$$y(t) = H(s) e^{st}$$

✓ Way II is easy!

- If we want to see the freq. response ($s = j\omega$)

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

later

- And for periodic signals (expressed as sum of harmonically related sinusoids)

$$H(jk\omega_0) = \frac{1}{1 + jkRC\omega_0} \quad \text{--- ②}$$

Remember

$$y(t) = \sum_k a_k H(s_k) e^{s_k t}$$

$s_k = jk\omega_0$

- Suppose $RC = 1$. (for simplicity)

$$\& x(t) = 1 + \cos(\underline{2\pi t}) + \cos(4\pi t) + \cos(6\pi t) \quad \text{--- ③}$$

Find $y(t)$

- I. $\omega_0 = 2\pi$ fundamental period.

$$\text{II. } x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{j2\pi k t}$$

(Fourier Series)

where $a_0 = 1$

$$a_1 = a_{-1} = a_2 = a_{-2} = a_3 = a_{-3} = \frac{1}{2}$$

& $a_k = 0$ for $|k| > 3$

From
eqn (3)

III. Inserting in (2)

$$H(jk\omega_0) = \frac{1}{1 + j2\pi k} \stackrel{*}{=} \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + 4\pi^2 k^2}} e^{-j \tan^{-1}(2\pi k)}$$

* Recall: $a + jb = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2} e^{j \tan^{-1}(b/a)}$

$$\left| \frac{1}{z} \right| = \frac{1}{|z|} ; \quad \arg \frac{1}{z} = -\arg z$$

IV. $y(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k H(jk\omega_0) e^{jk\omega_0 t}$ (Lecture 13)

$$= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + 4\pi^2 k^2}} e^{j(2\pi k t - \tan^{-1}(2\pi k))}$$

$$\stackrel{*}{=} a_0 + \sum_{k=1}^3 2a_k \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + 4\pi^2 k^2}} \cos(2\pi k t - \tan^{-1}(2\pi k))$$

* Recall $\cos \theta = \frac{e^{j\theta} + e^{-j\theta}}{2}$

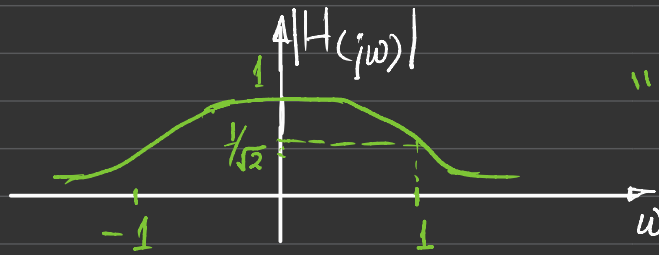
$$y(t) = 1 + \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + 4\pi^2}} \cos(\underbrace{2\pi t}_{\omega_0} - \tan^{-1}(2\pi))$$
$$+ \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + 16\pi^2}} \cos(\underbrace{4\pi t}_{\omega_1} - \tan^{-1}(4\pi))$$
$$+ \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + 36\pi^2}} \cos(\underbrace{6\pi t}_{\omega_2} - \tan^{-1}(6\pi))$$

Freq.
dependent
attenuation

Freq.
dependent
phase shift

NOTE 1

$$|H(j\omega)| \downarrow = \left| \frac{1}{1+j\omega} \right| = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+\omega^2}} \uparrow \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

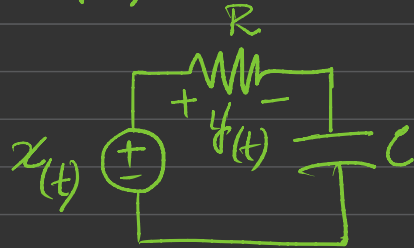


"Low Pass Filter" (LPF)

The system with freq. response $H(j\omega)$ in eqn (4) passes low frequencies & stops high frequencies.

NOTE 2

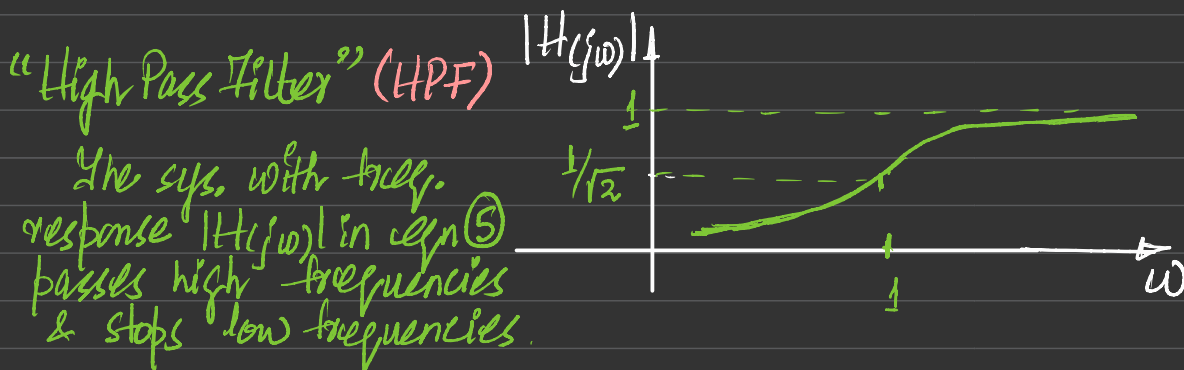
If the o/p $y(t)$ is across R in RC circuit



Then,

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

$$|H(j\omega)| = \frac{\omega}{\sqrt{1+\omega^2}} \quad \text{--- (5)}$$



CONCLUSION: Simple RC circuit can be a LPF or HPF depending on the output across 'C' or 'R'!

CALCULATION OF CT FOURIER SERIES:

THEOREM

If $x(t)$ has a Fourier series representation

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t} \quad - \textcircled{A}$$

then

$$a_k = \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t) e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt \quad - \textcircled{B}$$

integration over any period T , i.e., $0-T$, $-T/2-T/2$ etc.

Proof

RHS of $\textcircled{B}$

$$= \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t) e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{T} \int_T \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} a_m e^{jm\omega_0 t} \cdot e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt$$

$$= \frac{1}{T} \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} a_m \underbrace{\int_T e^{j(m-k)\omega_0 t} dt}_{= \begin{cases} 0 & m \neq k \\ T & m = k \end{cases}}$$

Remember $\omega_0 = 2\pi/T$

$$= T \delta(m-k)$$

$$= \frac{1}{T} a_k T = a_k \\ = \text{LHS of } \textcircled{B}$$

NOTE

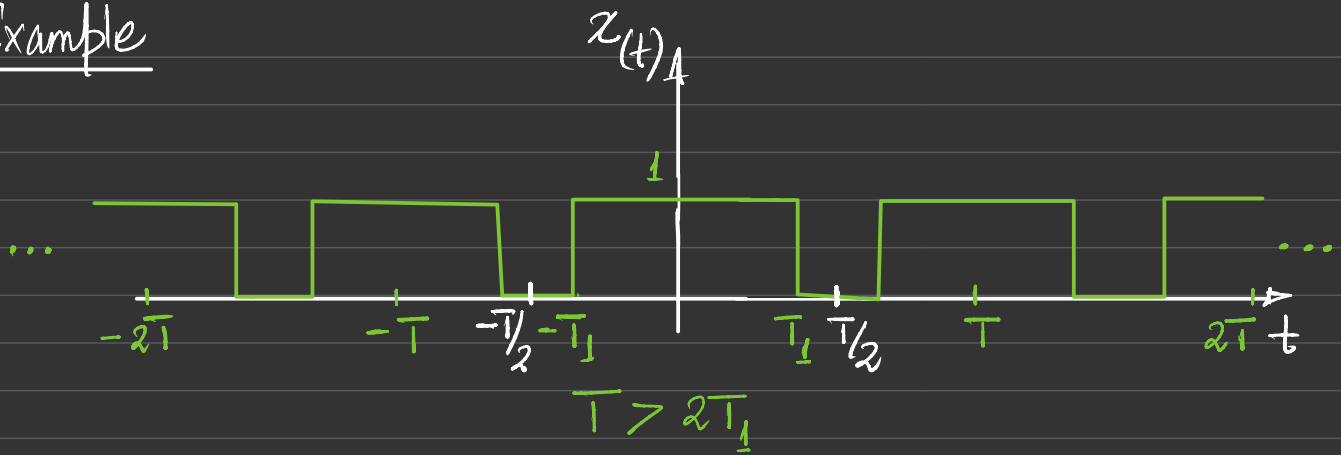
① Eqn $\textcircled{A}$ is called Synthesis Equation of FS

Eqn $\textcircled{B}$ is called Analysis Equation of FS

② $\{a_k\}$ are called FS coefficients.

$a_0 = \frac{1}{T} \int_T x(t) dt$ is the average value of $x(t)$

Example



$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \phi_{T_1}(t + kT)$$

where

$$\phi_{T_1} = \begin{cases} 1 & |t| < T_1 \\ 0 & \text{o/w} \end{cases}$$

Find Fourier series representation of $x(t)$.

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} a_k e^{jk\omega_0 t} \quad \text{--- (C)}$$

I. Fundamental freq. $= \omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T}$

II. $a_0 = \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T_1}^{T_1} 1 \cdot dt = \frac{2T_1}{T} \quad \text{--- (D)}$

We consider period from $-T_1$ to T_1

III. $a_k = \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T_1}^{T_1} e^{-jk\omega_0 t} dt$

$$= \frac{1}{-jk\omega_0 T} e^{-jk\omega_0 t} \Big|_{-T_1}^{T_1}$$
$$= \frac{\sin(k\omega_0 T_1)}{k\pi} \quad \text{--- (E)}$$

Case

Let $T = 4T_1$

$$\Rightarrow \omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{4T_1} = \frac{\pi}{T_1}$$

$$a_k = \begin{cases} \frac{\sin(k\pi/2)}{k\pi}, & k \neq 0 \\ 1/2, & k = 0 \end{cases} \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} a_k = 0 \text{ for } k: \text{even} \\ a_k \neq 0 \text{ for } k: \text{odd} \end{array} \right.$$

Overall an even function $a_k = a_{-k}$

- Therefore, (c) for this case $\Rightarrow$

$$x(t) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{\pi} \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{T}t\right) - \frac{2}{3\pi} \cos\left(\frac{6\pi}{T}t\right) + \frac{2}{5\pi} \cos\left(\frac{10\pi}{T}t\right) - \dots$$

* again applying Euler's identity $\cos \theta = \frac{e^{j\theta} + e^{-j\theta}}{2}$

So basically, whenever the the sig. is even, we use

We'll see later!

$$x(t) = a_0 + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2a_k \cos(k\omega_0 t)$$

& whenever the sig. is odd, we use.

$$x(t) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2a_k \sin(k\omega_0 t)$$

using the fact $\sin \theta = \frac{e^{j\theta} - e^{-j\theta}}{j2}$

- Plotting a_k (freq. domain representation of $x(t)$)

[Representing which freq. components are present in the sig. & with how much amplitude]

