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## Discrete-Time Fourier Transform, One- and Two-Dimensional

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### 4.1 One-Dimensional Discrete-Time Fourier Transform

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#### 4.1.1 Definitions

$$\mathcal{F}\{x(n)\} \doteq X(\omega) \doteq X(e^{j\omega}) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n)e^{-j\omega n} \quad -\pi \leq \omega \leq \pi$$

$X(\omega)$  = periodic with period  $2\pi$

$$x(n) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}\{X(\omega)\} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} X(\omega)e^{j\omega n} d\omega$$

The Fourier transform function appears as a function of  $e^{j\omega}$  and, hence, in sequences we will use both representations for convenience.

#### 4.1.2 Properties

**TABLE 4.1** Properties of One-Dimensional Discrete-Time Fourier Transform

Properties	Sequence	Transform [ $X(\omega) \equiv X(e^{j\omega})$ ]
Discrete-time Fourier transform	$x(n)$	$X(\omega)$
Linearity	$ax(n) + by(n)$	$aX(\omega) + bY(\omega)$
Time reversal	$x(-n)$	$X(-\omega)$
Complex conjugation	$x^*(n)$	$X^*(-\omega)$
Reversal and complex conjugate	$x^*(-n)$	$X^*(\omega)$

**TABLE 4.1** Properties of One-Dimensional Discrete-Time Fourier Transform (continued)

Properties	Sequence	Transform [ $X(\omega) \equiv X(e^{j\omega})$ ]	
Time shifting	$x(n \pm m)$	$e^{\pm j\omega m} X(\omega)$	
Frequency shift	$e^{\pm j\omega_0 n} x(n)$	$X(\omega \mp \omega_0)$	
Modulation	$\cos \omega_0 n x(n)$	$\frac{1}{2} [X(\omega + \omega_0) + X(\omega - \omega_0)]$	
	$\sin \omega_0 n x(n)$	$\frac{1}{2j} [X(\omega + \omega_0) - X(\omega - \omega_0)]$	
Convolution	$x(n) * h(n)$	$X(\omega) Y(\omega)$	
Multiplication	$x(n)h(n)$	$\frac{1}{2\pi} X(\omega) * Y(\omega)$	
Delta function	$\delta(n - n_0) = \begin{cases} 1, & n = n_0 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$	$e^{-jn_0\omega}$	
Frequency domain delta function	$e^{j\omega_0 n}$	$\frac{1}{2\pi} \delta(\omega - \omega_0)$	
Cosine function	$\cos \omega_0 n$	$\pi \delta(\omega + \omega_0) + \pi \delta(\omega - \omega_0)$	
Sine function	$\sin \omega_0 n$	$\frac{\pi}{j} (\delta(\omega + \omega_0) - \delta(\omega - \omega_0))$	
N sample step sequence	$u_N(n) = \begin{cases} 1, & n = 0, 1, 2, \dots \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$	$e^{-j\omega(N-1)/2} \frac{\sin(\omega N/2)}{\sin(\omega/2)}$	
Symmetric pulse	$p_N(n) = \begin{cases} 1, &  n  \leq N \\ 0, &  n  \geq N \end{cases}$	$\frac{\sin[\omega(N+1/2)]}{\sin(\omega/2)}$	
Triangle sequence	$\wedge_N(n) = \begin{cases} N -  n , &  n  \leq N \\ 0, &  n  > N \end{cases}$	$\frac{\sin^2(\omega N/2)}{\sin^2(\omega/2)}$	
Real sequence	$x(n)$	$X(\omega) = X^*(-\omega)$	
Decomposition of real $x(n)$ in even $x_e(n)$ and $x_o(n)$ parts.	$\begin{cases} x(n) = x_e(n) + x_o(n) \\ x_e = \frac{1}{2}[x(n) + x(-n)] \\ x_o = \frac{1}{2}[x(n) - x(-n)] \end{cases}$	$\begin{cases} X(\omega) \\ \text{Re}\{X(\omega)\} \\ j\text{Im}\{X(\omega)\} \end{cases}$	
	Decomposition of a complex sequence $x(n)$ into a conjugate symmetric part $x_e(n)$ and conjugate antisymmetric part $x_o(n)$	$\begin{cases} x(n) = x_e(n) + x_o(n) \\ x_e = \frac{1}{2}[x(n) + x^*(-n)] \\ x_o = \frac{1}{2}[x(n) - x^*(-n)] \end{cases}$	$\begin{cases} X(\omega) \\ \text{Re}\{X(\omega)\} \\ j\text{Im}\{X(\omega)\} \end{cases}$
		Decomposition of a complex transform $X(\omega)$	$\begin{cases} x(n) \\ \text{Re}\{x(n)\} \\ j\text{Im}\{x(n)\} \end{cases}$
Increasing sampling frequency by $m$ ; i.e., transforming a data sequence $x_1(n)$ padded with zeros $x_1(n)$ by a factor of $M$	$x(n) = \begin{cases} x_1(n), & \text{if } n/M = m \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$	$X_1(M\omega)$	
Reducing sampling frequency by $M$ ; i.e., decimating a sequence $x_1(n)$ by a factor of $M$	$\begin{cases} x(n) = x_1(Mn) \\ n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots \end{cases}$	$\frac{1}{M} \sum_{l=0}^{M-1} X_1\left(\omega - \frac{2\pi l}{M}\right)$	
	Parseval's theorem	$\begin{cases} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(n)h^*(n) \\ \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty}  x(n) ^2 \end{cases}$	$\begin{cases} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} X(\omega)H^*(\omega) d\omega \\ = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi}  X(\omega) ^2 d\omega \end{cases}$
Correlation	$x(n) \star h(n)$	$X(\omega)H(\omega)$	

### 4.1.3 Finite Sequence

$$F_N(\omega) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} f(n)e^{-j\omega n} = e^{-j\omega(N-1)/2} \frac{\sin \frac{\omega N}{2}}{\sin \frac{\omega}{2}}$$

### 4.1.4 Approximation to Continuous-Time Fourier Transform

$$F(\omega_c) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t)e^{-j\omega_c t} dt \quad \omega_c = \text{frequency for continuous Fourier transform}$$

$$F(\omega_c) \cong \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} T f(nt)e^{-j\omega_c nT} \quad T = \text{sampling time such that } F(\omega_c) \cong 0 \text{ for all } |\omega_c| > \pi/T$$

## 4.2 Two-Dimensional Discrete-Time Fourier Transform

### 4.2.1 Definition

$$X(\omega_1, \omega_2) \doteq \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(m,n)e^{-j(m\omega_1+n\omega_2)} \quad -\pi \leq \omega_1, \omega_2 \leq \pi$$

$$x(m,n) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \iint_{-\pi}^{\pi} X(\omega_1, \omega_2) e^{j(m\omega_1+n\omega_2)}$$

### 4.2.2 Properties of Two-Dimensional Discrete-Time Fourier Transform

TABLE 4.2 Properties of Two-Dimensional Discrete-Time Fourier Transform

Properties	Sequence	Transform
	$x(m,n), y(m,n), h(m,n), \dots$	$X(\omega_1, \omega_2), Y(\omega_1, \omega_2), H(\omega_1, \omega_2), \dots$
Linearity	$a_1 x_1(m,n) + a_2 x_2(m,n)$	$a_1 X_1(\omega_1, \omega_2) + a_2 X_2(\omega_1, \omega_2)$
Conjugation	$x^*(m,n)$	$X^*(-\omega_1, -\omega_2)$
Separability	$x_1(m)x_2(n)$	$X_1(\omega_1)X_2(\omega_2)$
Shifting	$x(m \pm m_0, n \pm n_0)$	$\exp[\pm j(m_0\omega_1 + n_0\omega_2)]X(\omega_1, \omega_2)$
Modulation	$\exp[\pm j(\omega_{01}m + \omega_{02}n)]x(m,n)$	$X(\omega_1 \mp \omega_{01}, \omega_2 \mp \omega_{02})$
Convolution	$y(m,n) = h(m,n) ** x(m,n)$	$Y(\omega_1, \omega_2) = H(\omega_1, \omega_2)X(\omega_1, \omega_2)$
Multiplication	$h(m,n)x(m,n)$	$\left(\frac{1}{4\pi^2}\right)H(\omega_1, \omega_2) ** X(\omega_1, \omega_2)$
Spatial correlation	$c(m,n) = h(m,n) \star \star x(m,n)$	$C(\omega_1, \omega_2) = H(-\omega_1, -\omega_2)X(\omega_1, \omega_2)$
Inner product	$I = \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(m,n)y^*(m,n)$	$I = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} X(\omega_1, \omega_2)Y^*(\omega_1, \omega_2) d\omega_1 d\omega_2$
Energy conservation	$E = \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty}  x(m,n) ^2$	$E = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi}  X(\omega_1, \omega_2) ^2 d\omega_1 d\omega_2$
	$\sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} \exp[j(m\omega_{01} + n\omega_{02})]$	$4\pi^2 \delta(\omega_1 - \omega_{01}, \omega_2 - \omega_{02})$

**TABLE 4.2** Properties of Two-Dimensional Discrete-Time Fourier Transform (continued)

Properties	Sequence	Transform
	$\delta(m,n)$	$\frac{1}{4\pi^2} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \exp[-j(\omega_1 m + \omega_2 n)] d\omega_1 d\omega_2$
Differentiation	$-jmx(m,n)$	$\frac{\partial X(\omega_1, \omega_2)}{\partial \omega_1}$
	$-jnx(m,n)$	$\frac{\partial X(\omega_1, \omega_2)}{\partial \omega_2}$
	$mnx(m,n)$	$\frac{\partial^2 X(\omega_1, \omega_2)}{\partial \omega_1 \partial \omega_2}$
Transportation	$x(m,n)$	$X(\omega_2, \omega_1)$
Reflection	$x(-m,n)$	$X(-\omega_1, \omega_2)$
	$x(m,-n)$	$X(\omega_1, -\omega_2)$
	$x(-m,-n)$	$X(-\omega_1, -\omega_2)$
Real and Imaginary	$\text{Re}[x(m,n)]$	$\frac{1}{2}[X(\omega_1, \omega_2) + X^*(-\omega_1, -\omega_2)]$
Parts	$j\text{Im}[x(m,n)]$	$\frac{1}{2}[X(\omega_1, \omega_2) - X^*(-\omega_1, -\omega_2)]$
	$\frac{1}{2}[x(m,n) + x^*(-m, -n)]$	$\text{Re}[X(\omega_1, \omega_2)]$
Real-valued sequence	$\frac{1}{2}[x(m,n) - x^*(-m, -n)]$	$j\text{Im}[X(\omega_1, \omega_2)]$
		$X(\omega_1, \omega_2) = X^*(-\omega_1, -\omega_2)$
		$\text{Re}[X(\omega_1, \omega_2)] = \text{Re}[X(-\omega_1, -\omega_2)]$
		$\text{Im}[X(\omega_1, \omega_2)] = -\text{Im}[X(-\omega_1, -\omega_2)]$
		$\text{Re}[X(\omega_1, \omega_2)],  X(\omega_1, \omega_2) $ : even (symmetric with respect to the origin)
	$\text{Im}[X(\omega_1, \omega_2)]; \tan^{-1} \frac{\text{Im}[X(\omega_1, \omega_2)]}{\text{Re}[X(\omega_1, \omega_2)]}$ : odd (antisymmetric with respect to the origin)	
	$x(m,n)$ : real and even	$X(\omega_1, \omega_2)$ : real and even
	$x(m,n)$ : real and odd	$X(\omega_1, \omega_2)$ : pure imaginary and odd

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# Appendix 1

## 1.1 Two-Dimensional Discrete-Time Fourier Transform

### Example

The transform of  $x(m,n) = \frac{1}{5}\delta(m-1)\delta(n) + \frac{1}{5}\delta(m+1)\delta(n) + \frac{1}{5}\delta(m)\delta(n-1) + \frac{1}{5}\delta(m)\delta(n+1) +$

$\frac{2}{5}\delta(m)\delta(n)$  which is shown in Figure 4.1 is  $X(\omega_1,\omega_2) = \sum_{m,n=-\infty}^{\infty} x(m,n)e^{-jm\omega_1-jn\omega_2} = \frac{1}{5}e^{-j\omega_1} + \frac{1}{5}e^{j\omega_1}$

$+ \frac{1}{5}e^{-j\omega_2} + \frac{1}{5}e^{j\omega_2} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{2}{5}\cos\omega_1 + \frac{2}{5}\cos\omega_2 + \frac{1}{2}$  and is shown in Figure 4.2.

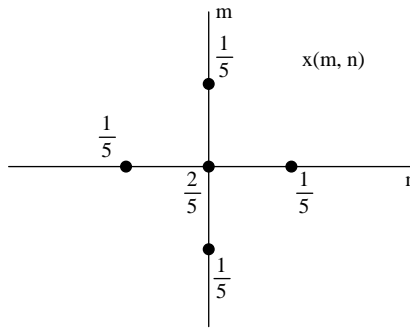


FIGURE 4.1

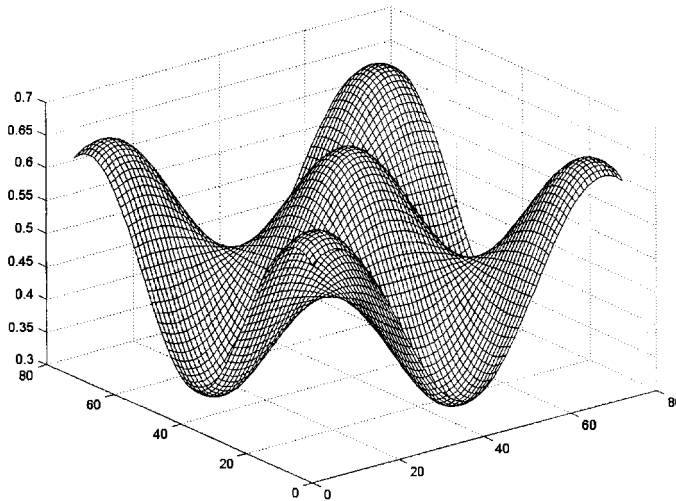


FIGURE 4.2

## 1.2 Two-Dimensional Discrete-Time Fourier Transform

### Example

(Ideal Lowpass Filter). To find the inverse of  $H(\omega_1,\omega_2)$  shown in Figure 4.3 we observe that it is equal to the multiplication of two pulse filters whose one direction extends from minus infinity to infinity. Hence ( $a$  and  $b$  are less than  $\pi$ )

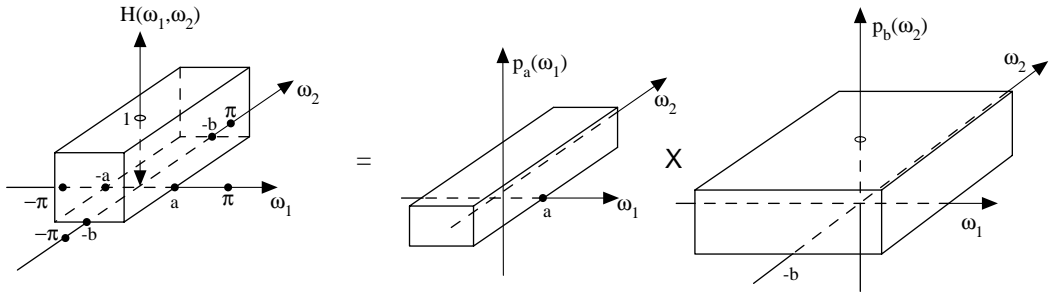


FIGURE 4.3

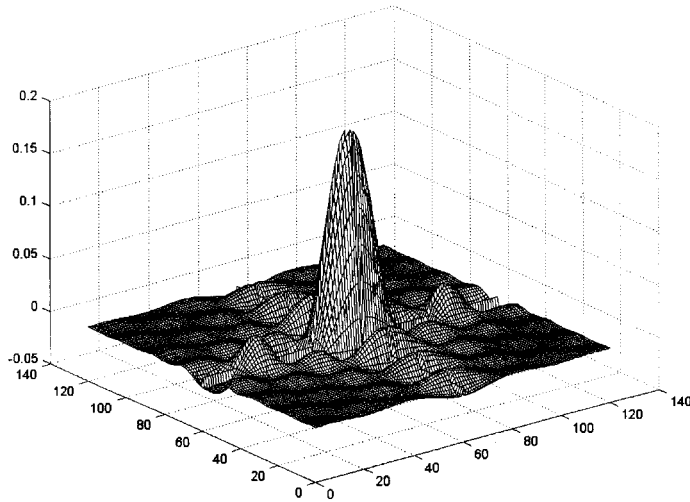


FIGURE 4.4

$$\begin{aligned}
 h(m, n) &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} H(\omega_1, \omega_2) e^{j\omega_1 m} e^{j\omega_2 n} d\omega_1 d\omega_2 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} P_a(\omega_1) e^{j\omega_1 m} d\omega_1 \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} P_b(\omega_2) e^{j\omega_2 n} d\omega_2 \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-a}^a e^{j\omega_1 m} d\omega_1 \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-b}^b e^{j\omega_2 n} d\omega_2 = \frac{\sin am}{\pi m} \frac{\sin bn}{\pi n}
 \end{aligned}$$

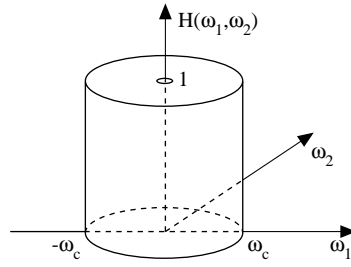
which is plotted in [Figure 4.4](#).

### Example

Let the ideal filter be of the form  $H(\omega_1, \omega_2) = 1$  for  $\omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2 \leq \omega_c^2$  and zero otherwise (see [Figure 4.5](#)). Hence

$$\begin{aligned}
 h(m, n) &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \iint_{\substack{(\omega_1, \omega_2) \in \\ [\omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2 \leq \omega_c^2]}} 1 e^{j\omega_1 m} e^{j\omega_2 n} d\omega_1 d\omega_2 \\
 &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \int_{r=0}^{\omega_c} r dr \int_{\theta=0}^{a+2\pi} e^{jr(m \cos \theta + n \sin \theta)} d\theta \quad a = \text{real constant}
 \end{aligned}$$

where we set  $r \cos \theta = \omega_1$ ,  $r \sin \theta = \omega_2$ . Next change to:  $m = q \cos \phi$  and  $n = q \sin \phi$ . Hence



**FIGURE 4.5**

$$h(m, n) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \int_{r=0}^{\omega_c} r \int_{\theta=a}^{a+2\pi} e^{jrn \cos(\theta-\phi)} d\theta = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^2} \int_{r=0}^{\omega_c} r 2\pi J_0(r\sqrt{m^2+n^2}) dr = \frac{\omega_c}{2\pi\sqrt{m^2+n^2}} J_1(\omega_c\sqrt{m^2+n^2})$$