

# Chapter 4

## Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT) And Signal Spectrum

# Fourier Transform History

- Born 21 March 1768 ( Auxerre ).
- **Died** 16 May 1830 ( Paris )
- French mathematician and physicist.
- Best known for initiating the investigation of Fourier series.
- Fourier series applications to problems of heat transfer and vibrations.
- The Fourier series is used to represent a periodic function by a discrete sum of complex exponentials.
- Fourier transform is then used to represent a general, non-periodic function by a continuous superposition or integral of complex exponentials (the period approaches to infinity).



**Jean-Baptiste Joseph Fourier**

# Discrete Fourier Transform

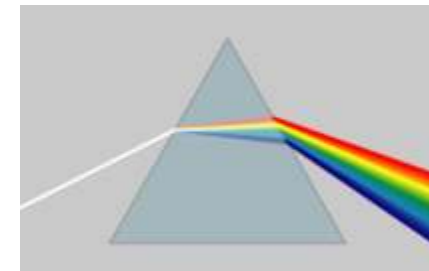
- In this chapter we introduce the concept of Fourier or *frequency-domain representation of signals*.
- **Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT)** transforms (*break up the signal into summations of sinusoidal components*) the time domain signal samples to the frequency domain components (*frequency analysis*).



In the **time domain**, representation of digital signals describes the signal amplitude versus the sample number (time).

The representation of the digital signal in terms of its frequency component in a **frequency domain**, displays the frequency information of a digital signal (signal spectrum).

- Fourier analysis is like a *glass prism*, which splits a beam of light into frequency components corresponding to different colors.



# Continuous-time sinusoids

- A *continuous-time sinusoidal* signal may be represented as a function of time  $t$  by the equation

$$x(t) = A \cos(2\pi F_0 t + \theta), \quad -\infty < t < \infty$$

Amplitude
frequency
phase in radians

- The *angular* or *radian* frequency (radians per second.)  $\Omega_0 = 2\pi F_0$
- A *discrete-time sinusoidal signal* is conveniently obtained by sampling the continuous-time sinusoid at equally spaced points  $t = nT$

$$x[n] = x(nT) = A \cos(2\pi F_0 nT + \theta) = A \cos\left(2\pi \frac{F_0}{F_s} n + \theta\right)$$

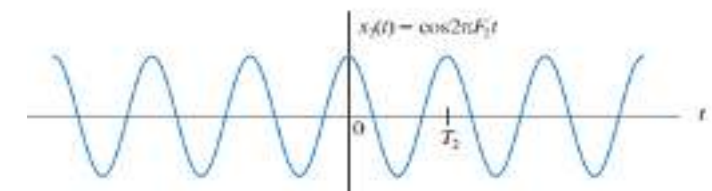
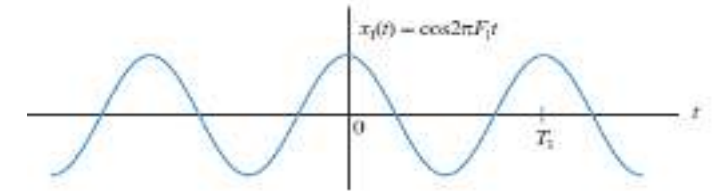
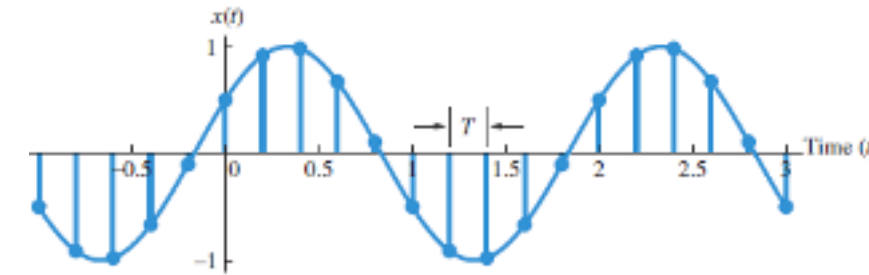
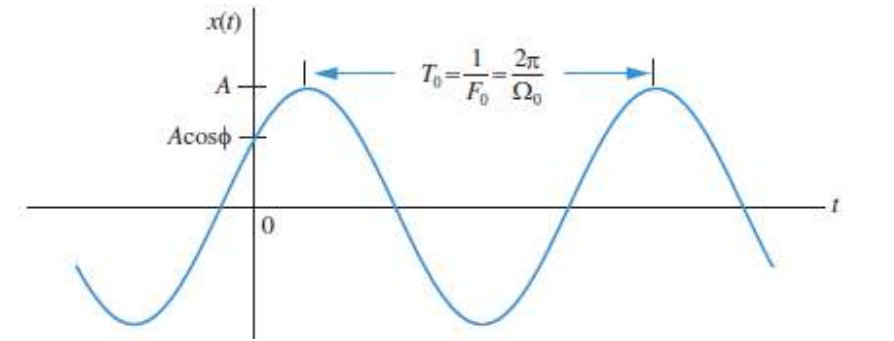
$$= A \cos(\omega_0 n + \theta), \quad -\infty < n < \infty$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} f \triangleq \frac{F}{F_s} = FT, \quad \text{normalized frequency} \\ \omega \triangleq 2\pi f = 2\pi \frac{F}{F_s} = \Omega T, \quad \text{normalized angular frequency} \end{array} \right.$$

- Using Euler's identity  $e^{\pm j\phi} = \cos \phi \pm j \sin \phi$ , we can express every sinusoidal signal in terms of two complex exponentials with the same frequency

$$A \cos(\Omega_0 t + \theta) = \frac{A}{2} e^{j\theta} e^{j\Omega_0 t} + \frac{A}{2} e^{-j\theta} e^{-j\Omega_0 t}$$

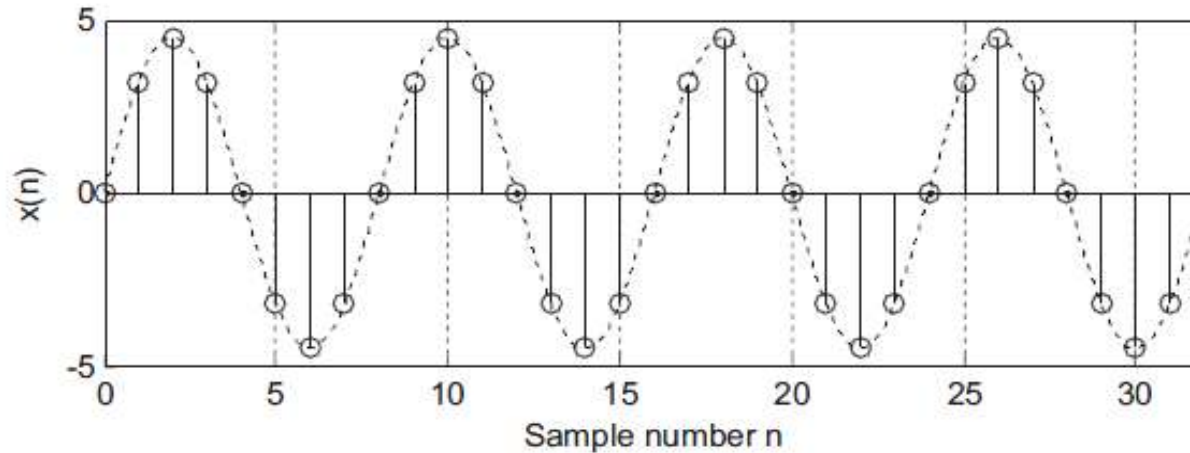
- Frequency* (positive quantity.), viewed as the *number of cycles completed per unit of time*.
- Negative frequencies* is a convenient way to describe signals in terms of complex exponentials.



For continuous-time sinusoids,  $F_1 < F_2$  always implies that  $T_1 > T_2$ .

# DFT: Graphical Example

Time domain  
representation



Time domain

1000-Hz sinusoid with 32 samples at  
a sampling rate of 8000 Hz in

Sampling Rate

8000 samples = 1 second

-> sampling period  $T_s = \frac{1}{8000} = 125\mu s$

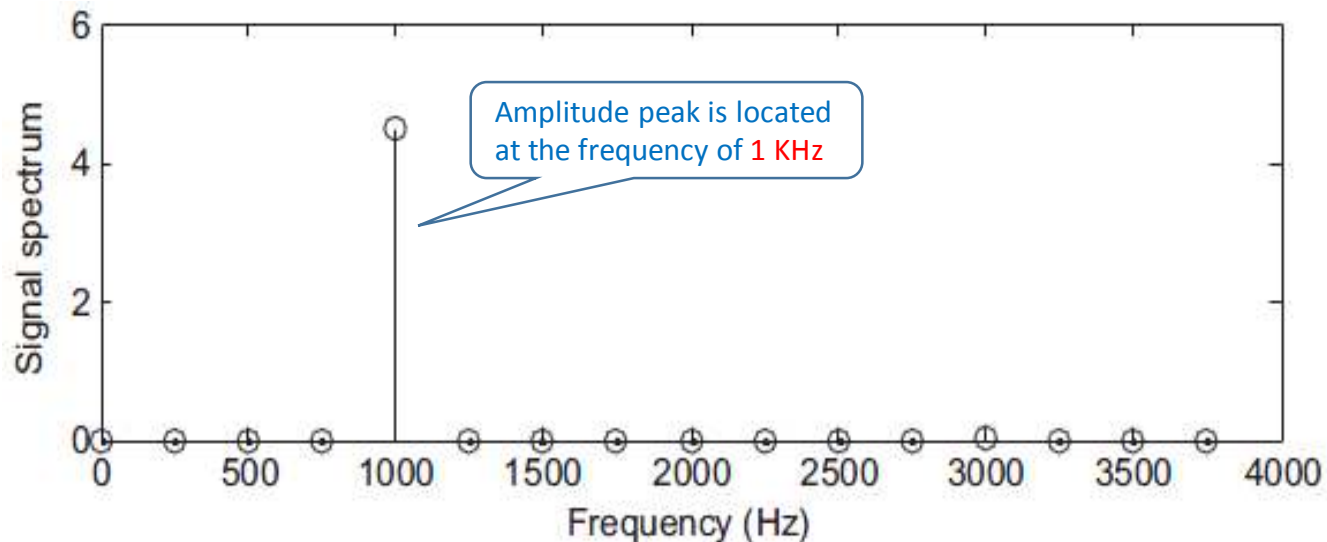
Duration of 32 samples =  $32 \cdot 0.125 \text{ ms} = 4 \text{ ms}$

Signal Frequency

1000-Hz sinusoid ->  $T = 1 \text{ ms}$   
32 samples = 4 ms -> 4 cycles.

DFT

Frequency domain  
representation

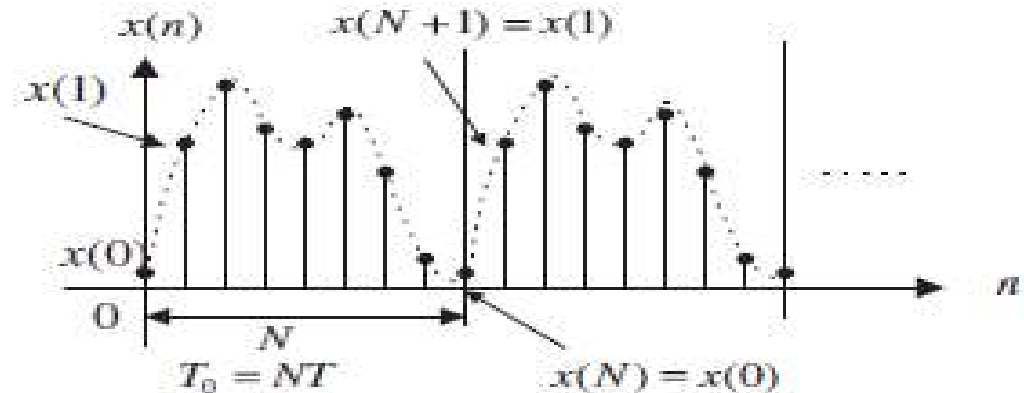


# DFT Coefficients of Periodic Signals

- Given a set of  $N$  harmonically related complex exponentials  $e^{j\frac{2\pi}{N}kn}$ , We can synthesize a signal  $x[n]$

$$x[n] = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} c_k e^{j\frac{2\pi}{N}kn}$$

$x[n]$  is sampled at a rate of  $f_s$  Hz (period  $T_0 = NT = N \frac{1}{f_s}$ )



Periodic Digital Signal  $x[n]$

## Equation of DFT coefficients:

We determine the coefficients  $c_k$  from the values of the periodic signal  $x[n]$

Sum over one period

$$c_k = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N}kn}$$

$k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$   $\xrightarrow{\text{DTFS}}$  Discrete-Time Fourier Series

Fourier Synthesis Equation

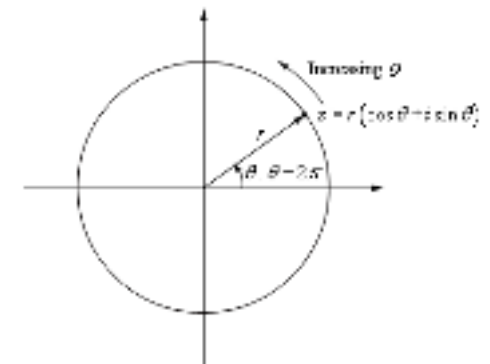
$$x[n] = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} c_k e^{j\frac{2\pi}{N}kn}$$

Fourier Analysis Equation

$$c_k = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N}kn}$$

We have:  $e^{j\theta} = \cos(\theta) + j\sin(\theta)$  and  $e^{j(\theta+2\pi)} = e^{j\theta}$  period of  $2\pi$

For  $\theta(t) = \omega t \rightarrow e^{j\omega t} = \cos(\omega t) + j\sin(\omega t)$  Rotation of a point on a circle





# DFT Coefficients of Periodic Signals

- Fourier series coefficient  $C_k$  is periodic of  $N$

$$C_{k+N} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) e^{-j\frac{2\pi(k+N)n}{N}} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) e^{-j\frac{2\pi kn}{N}} e^{-j2\pi n}$$

Since  $e^{-j2\pi n} = \cos(2\pi n) - j\sin(2\pi n) = 1 \quad \longrightarrow \quad C_{K+N} = C_K$

## Remarks

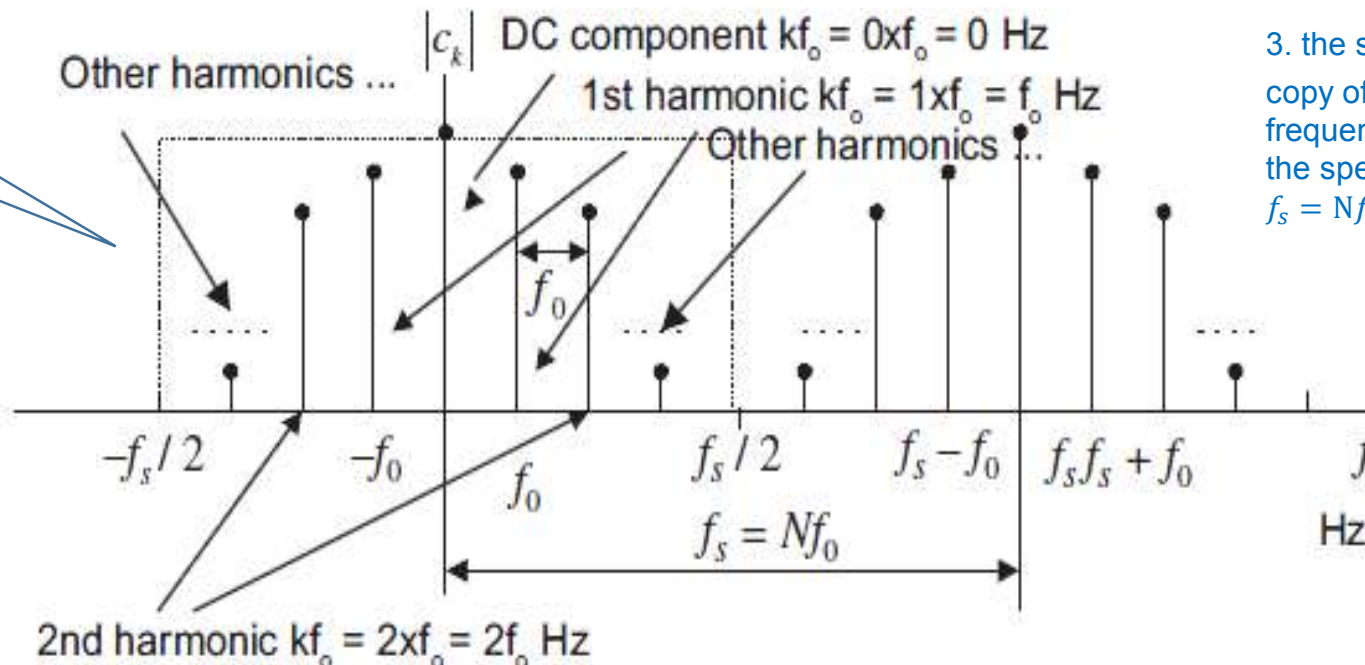
1. spectral portion between the frequency  $-f_s$  and  $f_s$  (folding frequency) represents frequency information of the periodic signal.

2. For the  $k^{\text{th}}$  harmonic, the frequency is  $f = kf_0$  Hz ( $f_0$  is the frequency resolution = The frequency spacing between the consecutive spectral lines)

3. the spectral portion from  $\frac{f_s}{2}$  to  $f_s$  is a copy of the spectrum in the negative frequency range from  $-f_s/2$  to 0 Hz due to the spectrum being periodic for every  $f_s = Nf_0$  Hz.

The spectrum  $C_k$  has two sides.

Amplitude spectrum of the periodic digital signal

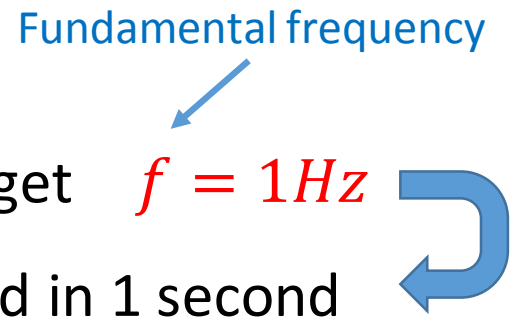


# Example 1


The periodic signal  $x(t)$  is sampled at  $f_s = 4\text{Hz}$        $x(t) = \sin(2\pi t)$

- Compute the spectrum  $C_k$  using the samples in one period.
- Plot the two-sided amplitude spectrum  $|C_k|$  over the range from -2 to 2 Hz.

## Solution:

a. We match  $x(t) = \sin(2\pi t)$  with  $x(t) = \sin(2\pi f t)$  and get  $f = 1\text{Hz}$  

Therefore the signal has 1 cycle or 1 period in 1 second

Sampling rate  $f_s = 4\text{Hz}$   1 second has 4 samples.

Hence, there are 4 samples in 1 period for this particular signal.

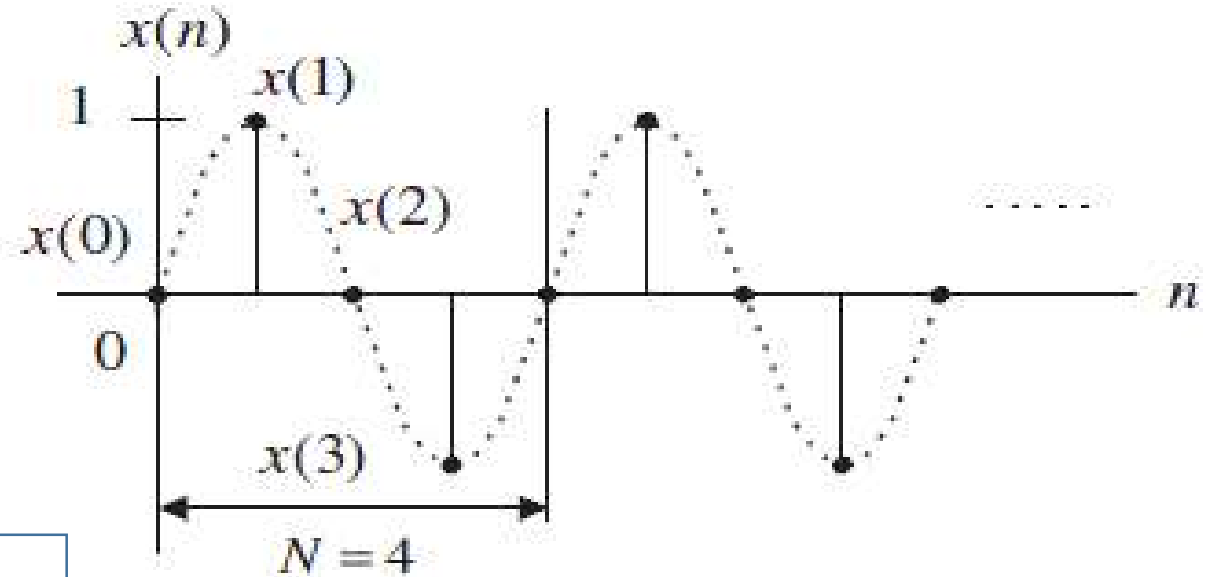
$$T = \frac{1}{f_s} = 0.25 \text{ sec} \xrightarrow{\text{Sampled signal}} x(n) = x(nT) = \sin(2\pi nT) = \sin(0.5\pi n).$$



# Example 1 -contd. (1)

$$x(n) = x(nT) = \sin(2\pi nT) = \sin(0.5\pi n).$$

$$\begin{aligned} x(0) &= 0; & x(1) &= 1; \\ x(2) &= 0; & x(3) &= -1; \end{aligned}$$



b. spectrum

$$c_k = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) e^{-j \frac{2\pi kn}{N}}, \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

$$c_0 = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n) = \frac{1}{4} (x(0) + x(1) + x(2) + x(3)) = \frac{1}{4} (0 + 1 + 0 - 1) = 0$$

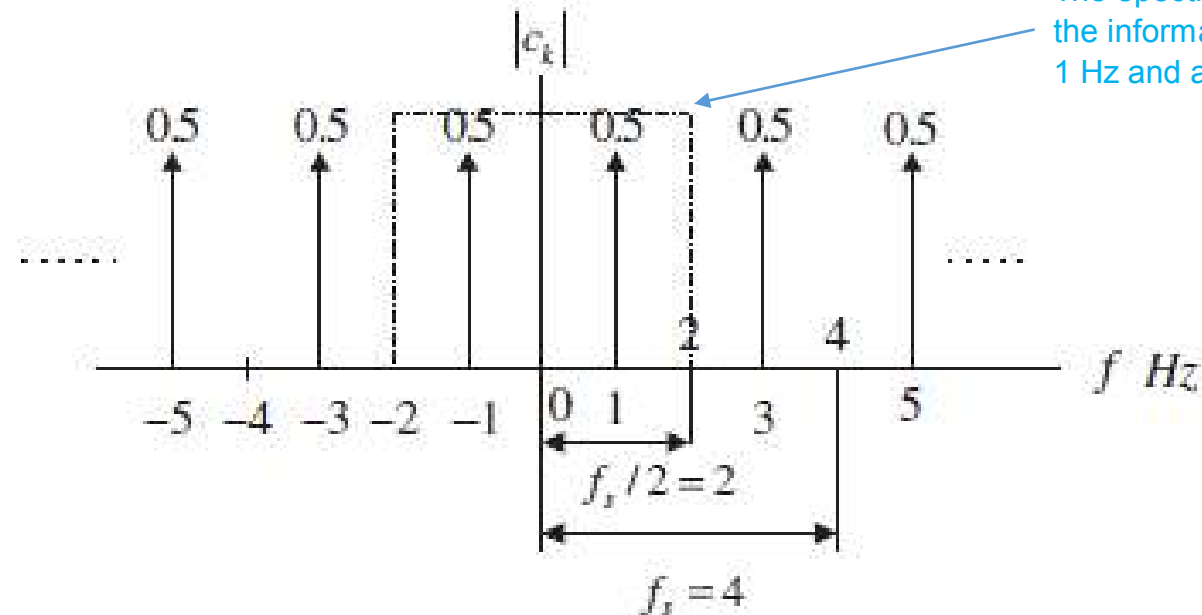
$$\begin{aligned} c_1 &= \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n) e^{-j2\pi \times 1n/4} = \frac{1}{4} (x(0) + x(1)e^{-j\pi/2} + x(2)e^{-j\pi} + x(3)e^{-j3\pi/2}) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} (x(0) - jx(1) - x(2) + jx(3)) = \frac{1}{4} (0 - j(1) - 0 + j(-1)) = -j0.5 \end{aligned}$$

## Example 1 -contd. (2)

$$c_2 = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n) e^{-j2\pi \times 2n/4} = 0, \text{ and } c_3 = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n) e^{-j2\pi \times 3n/4} = j0.5$$

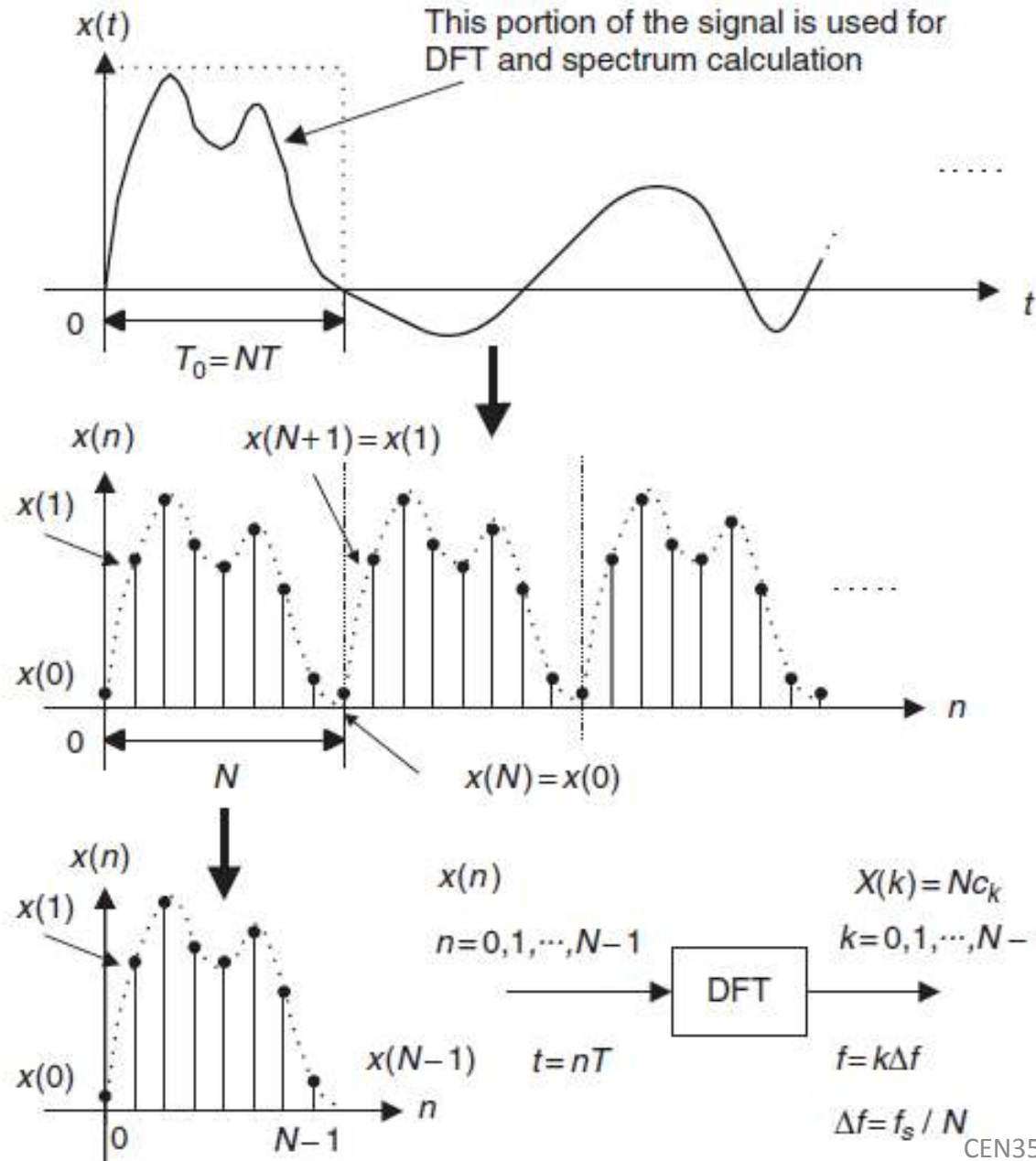
Using periodicity, it follows that  $c_{-1} = c_3 = j0.5$ , and  $c_{-2} = c_2 = 0$

The amplitude spectrum  
for the digital signal



The spectrum in the range of -2 to 2 Hz presents the information of the sinusoid with a frequency of 1 Hz and a peak value of  $2|C_1| = 1$ .

# Discrete Fourier Transform DFT Formulas



← acquired  $N$  data samples with duration of  $T_0$

← Imagine periodicity of  $N$  samples.

← Take first  $N$  samples (index 0 to  $N-1$ ) as the input periodic signal  $x(n)$  to DFT.

# DFT Formulas

Given  $N$  data samples of  $x[n]$ , the  $N$ -point *discrete Fourier transform (DFT)*  $X(k)$  is defined by:

$$X(k) = Nc_k = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n)e^{-j\frac{2\pi kn}{N}}, \quad k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

← DFT Coefficients  
Formula.

Fourier series coefficients

$$= \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n)W_N^{kn}, \quad \text{for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

- $k$  is the *discrete frequency index* (frequency bin number) indicating each calculated DFT coefficient.

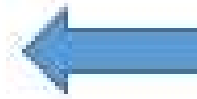
$$X(k) = x(0)W_N^{k0} + x(1)W_N^{k1} + x(2)W_N^{k2} + \dots + x(N-1)W_N^{k(N-1)}, \quad \text{for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

Where the factor  $W_N$  is called the *twiddle factor*  $W_N = e^{-j2\pi/N} = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}\right) - j\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}\right)$

# Inverse DFT

Given  $N$  DFT coefficients  $X[k]$ , The *inverse of the DFT*  $x[n]$  is given by

$$x(n) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X(k) e^{j2\pi kn/N}$$



Inverse DFT (IDFT)

$$= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X(k) W_N^{-kn}, \quad \text{for } n = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

$$x(n) = \frac{1}{N} \left( X(0) W_N^{-0n} + X(1) W_N^{-1n} + X(2) W_N^{-2n} + \dots + X(N-1) W_N^{-(N-1)n} \right),$$

for  $n = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$

Analysis equation

$$X[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] W_N^{kn} \xleftrightarrow[N]{\text{DFT}} x[n] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X[k] W_N^{-kn},$$

Synthesis equation

$$x_N = \frac{1}{N} W_N^H X_N = \frac{1}{N} W_N^* X_N. \quad (\text{IDFT})$$

$W_N^H$  is the conjugate transpose of  $W_N$

# MATLAB Functions

We can use MATLAB functions ***fft()*** and ***ifft()*** to compute the DFT coefficients and the inverse DFT with the syntax listed in Table:

## FFT: Fast Fourier Transform

### MATLAB FFT functions.

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$X = \text{fft}(x)$	% Calculate DFT coefficients
$x = \text{ifft}(X)$	% Inverse DFT
$x$ = input vector	
$X$ = DFT coefficient vector	

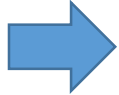
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## Example 2

Given a sequence  $x(n)$  for  $0 \leq n \leq 3$  where  $x(0) = 1, x(1) = 2, x(2) = 3$ , and  $x(3) = 4$ . evaluate DFT  $X(k)$ .

**Solution:**

Since  $N = 4$  and  $W_4 = e^{-j\frac{\pi}{2}}$    $X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n)W_4^{kn} = \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n)e^{-j\frac{\pi kn}{2}}$

Thus, for  $k = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} X(0) &= \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n)e^{-j0} = x(0)e^{-j0} + x(1)e^{-j0} + x(2)e^{-j0} + x(3)e^{-j0} \\ &= x(0) + x(1) + x(2) + x(3) \end{aligned}$$

for  $k = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} X(1) &= \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n)e^{-j\frac{\pi n}{2}} = x(0)e^{-j0} + x(1)e^{-j\frac{\pi}{2}} + x(2)e^{-j\pi} + x(3)e^{-j\frac{3\pi}{2}} \\ &= x(0) - jx(1) - x(2) + jx(3) \\ &= 1 - j2 - 3 + j4 = -2 + j2 \end{aligned}$$

## Example 2 -contd.

for  $k = 2$

$$\begin{aligned} X(2) &= \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n)e^{-j\pi n} = x(0)e^{-j0} + x(1)e^{-j\pi} + x(2)e^{-j2\pi} + x(3)e^{-j3\pi} \\ &= x(0) - x(1) + x(2) - x(3) \\ &= 1 - 2 + 3 - 4 = -2 \end{aligned}$$

and for  $k = 3$

$$\begin{aligned} X(3) &= \sum_{n=0}^3 x(n)e^{-j\frac{3\pi n}{2}} = x(0)e^{-j0} + x(1)e^{-j\frac{3\pi}{2}} + x(2)e^{-j3\pi} + x(3)e^{-j\frac{9\pi}{2}} \\ &= x(0) + jx(1) - x(2) - jx(3) \\ &= 1 + j2 - 3 - j4 = -2 - j2 \end{aligned}$$

Using MATLAB,

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>> X = fft([1 2 3 4])
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X = 10.0000    -2.0000 + 2.0000i    -2.0000    -2.0000 - 2.0000i
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# Example 2 -contd.

*Using the DFT complex matrix*

We first compute the entries of the matrix  $W_4$  using the property:  $W_N^{k+N} = W_N^k = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N}k} = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}k\right) - j \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}k\right)$ .

The result is a complex matrix given by:

$$W_4 = \begin{bmatrix} W_4^0 & W_4^0 & W_4^0 & W_4^0 \\ W_4^0 & W_4^1 & W_4^2 & W_4^3 \\ W_4^0 & W_4^2 & W_4^4 & W_4^6 \\ W_4^0 & W_4^3 & W_4^6 & W_4^9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & W_4^1 & W_4^2 & W_4^3 \\ 1 & W_4^2 & W_4^4 & W_4^6 \\ 1 & W_4^3 & W_4^6 & W_4^9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{bmatrix}.$$

The DFT coefficients are evaluated by the matrix-by-vector multiplication

$$\begin{bmatrix} X[0] \\ X[1] \\ X[2] \\ X[3] \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ -2 + 2j \\ -2 \\ -2 - 2j \end{bmatrix}$$

In **MATLAB** these computations are done using the commands:

The DFT `x = [0 1 2 3]'; W = dftmtx(4); X = W*x;`

The inverse DFT `x = inv(W)*X`

## Example 3

Using DFT coefficients  $X(k)$  for  $0 \leq n \leq 3$  of previous example, evaluate the inverse DFT (IDFT) to determine the time domain sequence  $x(n)$ .

**Solution:**

$$N = 4 \text{ and } W_4^{-1} = e^{j\frac{\pi}{2}}, \quad \Rightarrow \quad x(n) = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{k=0}^3 X(k) W_4^{-nk} = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{k=0}^3 X(k) e^{j\frac{\pi kn}{2}}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{for } n = 0 \quad x(0) &= \frac{1}{4} \sum_{k=0}^3 X(k) e^{j0} = \frac{1}{4} (X(0)e^{j0} + X(1)e^{j0} + X(2)e^{j0} + X(3)e^{j0}) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} (10 + (-2 + j2) - 2 + (-2 - j2)) = 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{for } n = 1 \quad x(1) &= \frac{1}{4} \sum_{k=0}^3 X(k) e^{j\frac{k\pi}{2}} = \frac{1}{4} (X(0)e^{j0} + X(1)e^{j\frac{\pi}{2}} + X(2)e^{j\pi} + X(3)e^{j\frac{3\pi}{2}}) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} (X(0) + jX(1) - X(2) - jX(3)) \\ &= \frac{1}{4} (10 + j(-2 + j2) - (-2) - j(-2 - j2)) = 2 \end{aligned}$$

## Example 3 -contd.

for  $n = 2$

$$\begin{aligned}x(2) &= \frac{1}{4} \sum_{k=0}^3 X(k)e^{jk\pi} = \frac{1}{4} (X(0)e^{j0} + X(1)e^{j\pi} + X(2)e^{j2\pi} + X(3)e^{j3\pi}) \\&= \frac{1}{4} (X(0) - X(1) + X(2) - X(3)) \\&= \frac{1}{4} (10 - (-2 + j2) + (-2) - (-2 - j2)) = 3\end{aligned}$$

and for  $n = 3$

$$\begin{aligned}x(3) &= \frac{1}{4} \sum_{k=0}^3 X(k)e^{jk\frac{3\pi}{2}} = \frac{1}{4} (X(0)e^{j0} + X(1)e^{j\frac{3\pi}{2}} + X(2)e^{j3\pi} + X(3)e^{j\frac{9\pi}{2}}) \\&= \frac{1}{4} (X(0) - jX(1) - X(2) + jX(3)) \\&= \frac{1}{4} (10 - j(-2 + j2) - (-2) + j(-2 - j2)) = 4\end{aligned}$$

Using MATLAB,

```
>> x = ifft([10 - 2 + 2j - 2 - 2 - 2j])  
x = 1      2      3      4.
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# Frequency of bin $k$

- The calculated  **$N$  DFT** coefficients  **$X(k)$**  represent the frequency components ranging from  $0\text{ Hz}$  to  $f_s\text{ Hz}$ .
- The relationship between the frequency ***bin  $k$***  and its associated frequency is computed using:

$$f = k \frac{f_s}{N} = k \Delta f \text{ (Hz)}$$

- The ***frequency resolution*** (frequency step between two consecutive DFT coefficients)

$$\Delta f = \frac{f_s}{N} \text{ (Hz)}$$



# Example 4

In the previous example, if the sampling rate is 10 Hz,

- Determine the sampling period, time index, and sampling time instant for a digital sample  $x(3)$  in the time domain;
- Determine the frequency resolution, frequency bin, and mapped frequencies for the DFT coefficients  $X(1)$  and  $X(3)$  in the frequency domain.

## Solution:

a. Sampling period:  $T = 1/f_s = 1/10 = 0.1$  second

For  $x(3)$ , the time index is  $n = 3$  and the sampling time instant is determined by

$$t = nT = 3 \cdot 0.1 = 0.3 \text{ second}$$

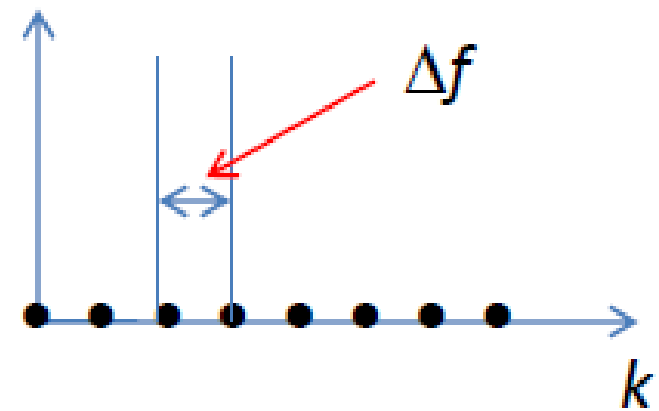
b. Frequency resolution:  $\Delta f = \frac{f_s}{N} = \frac{10}{4} = 2.5 \text{ Hz.}$

Frequency bin number for  $X(1)$  is  $k = 1$ , and its corresponding frequency is

$$f = \frac{kf_s}{N} = \frac{1 \times 10}{4} = 2.5 \text{ Hz.}$$

Similarly, for  $X(3)$  is  $k = 3$ , and its corresponding frequency is

$$f = \frac{kf_s}{N} = \frac{3 \times 10}{4} = 7.5 \text{ Hz.}$$



# Amplitude and Power Spectrum

- Since each calculated DFT coefficient is a complex number, it is not convenient to plot it versus its frequency index.
- Hence, after evaluating the N DFT coefficients, the magnitude and phase of each DFT coefficient can be determined and plotted versus its frequency index.

## Amplitude Spectrum:

$$A_k = \frac{1}{N} |X(k)| = \frac{1}{N} \sqrt{(\text{Real}[X(k)])^2 + (\text{Imag}[X(k)])^2}, \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1$$

To find one-sided amplitude spectrum, we double the amplitude keeping the original **DC** term at  $k=0$ .

$$\bar{A}_k = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{N} |X(0)|, & k = 0 \\ \frac{2}{N} |X(k)|, & k = 1, \dots, N/2 \end{cases}$$

# Amplitude and Power Spectrum -contd.

## Power Spectrum:

$$P_k = \frac{1}{N^2} |X(k)|^2 = \frac{1}{N^2} \left\{ (\text{Real}[X(k)])^2 + (\text{Imag}[X(k)])^2 \right\},$$
$$k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1.$$

For, one-sided power spectrum:

$$\bar{P}_k = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{N^2} |X(0)|^2 & k = 0 \\ \frac{2}{N^2} |X(k)|^2 & k = 1, \dots, N/2 \end{cases}$$

## Phase Spectrum:

$$\varphi_k = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\text{Imag}[X(k)]}{\text{Real}[X(k)]} \right), \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1.$$

# Example 5

Consider the sequence in the Figure, assuming that  $f_s = 100 \text{ Hz}$ , compute the amplitude spectrum, phase spectrum, and power spectrum.

**Solution:**

$$X(0) = 10$$

$$X(1) = -2 + j2$$

$$X(2) = -2$$

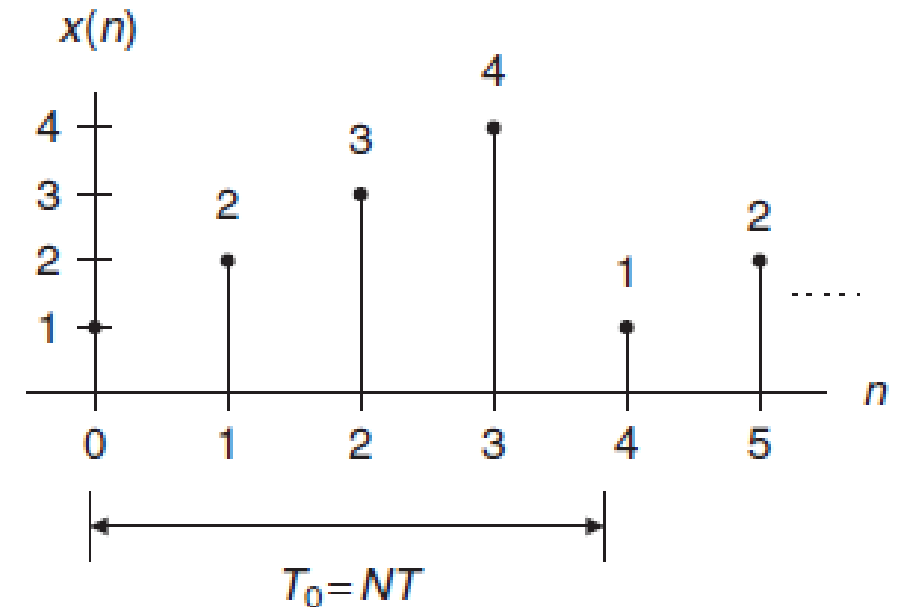
$$X(3) = -2 - j2.$$

See Example 2.

For  $k = 0$ ,  $f = k \cdot f_s / N = 0 \times 100 / 4 = 0 \text{ Hz}$ ,

$$A_0 = \frac{1}{4} |X(0)| = 2.5, \quad \varphi_0 = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\text{Imag}[X(0)]}{\text{Real}[X(0)]} \right) = 0^\circ,$$

$$P_0 = \frac{1}{4^2} |X(0)|^2 = 6.25.$$



## Example 5 -contd. (1)

For  $k = 1$ ,  $f = 1 \times 100/4 = 25$  Hz,

$$A_1 = \frac{1}{4} |X(1)| = 0.7071, \varphi_1 = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\text{Imag}[X(1)]}{\text{Real}[X(1)]} \right) = 135^\circ,$$

$$P_1 = \frac{1}{4^2} |X(1)|^2 = 0.5000.$$

For  $k = 2$ ,  $f = 2 \times 100/4 = 50$  Hz,

$$A_2 = \frac{1}{4} |X(2)| = 0.5, \varphi_2 = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\text{Imag}[X(2)]}{\text{Real}[X(2)]} \right) = 180^\circ,$$

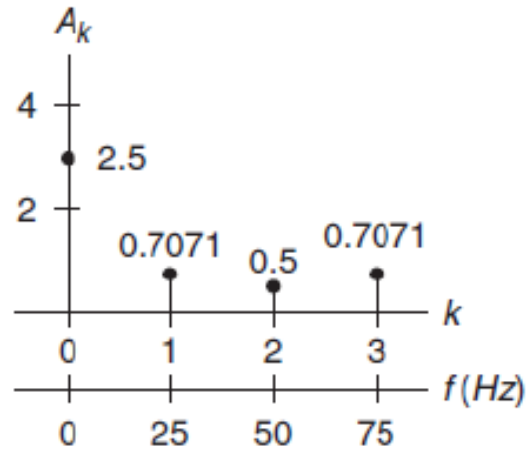
$$P_2 = \frac{1}{4^2} |X(2)|^2 = 0.2500.$$

Similarly, for  $k = 3$ ,  $f = 3 \times 100/4 = 75$  Hz,

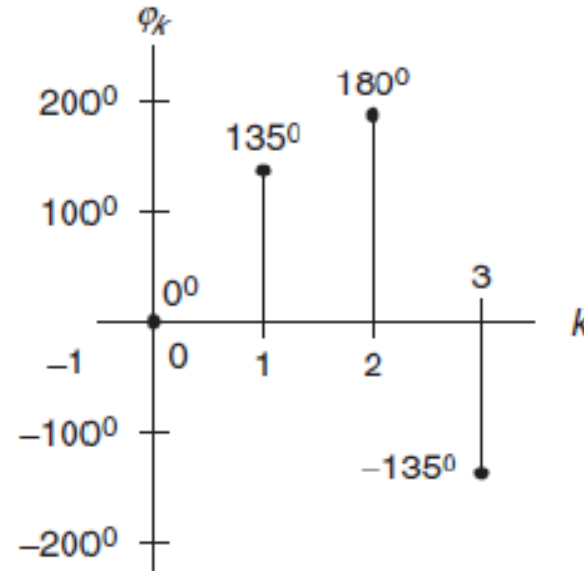
$$A_3 = \frac{1}{4} |X(3)| = 0.7071, \varphi_3 = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{\text{Imag}[X(3)]}{\text{Real}[X(3)]} \right) = -135^\circ,$$

$$P_3 = \frac{1}{4^2} |X(3)|^2 = 0.5000.$$

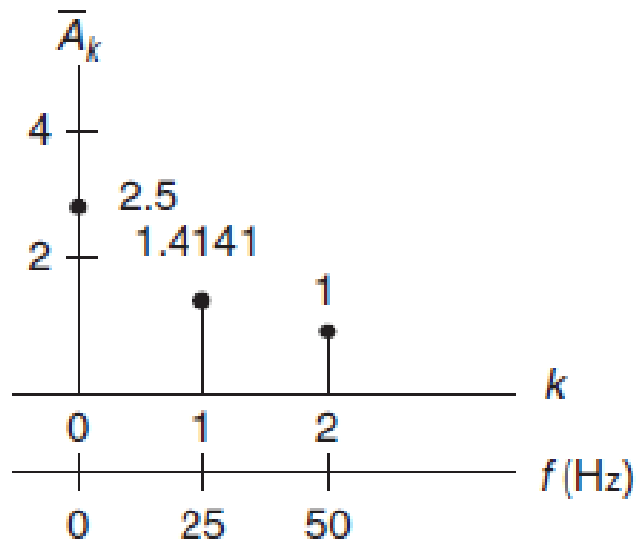
# Example 5 -contd. (2)



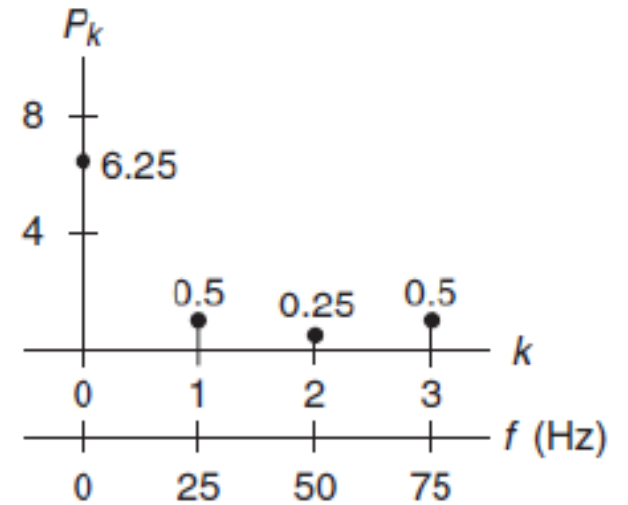
Amplitude Spectrum



Phase Spectrum



One sided Amplitude Spectrum



Power Spectrum



## Example 6

Consider a digital sequence sampled at the rate of 10 kHz. If we use 1,024 data points and apply the 1,024-point DFT to compute the spectrum,

- a. Determine the frequency resolution;
- b. Determine the highest frequency in the spectrum.

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**Solution:**

$$\text{a. } \Delta f = \frac{f_s}{N} = \frac{10000}{1024} = 9.776 \text{ Hz}$$

- b. The highest frequency is the folding frequency, given by

$$\begin{aligned} f_{\max} &= \frac{N}{2} \Delta f = \frac{f_s}{2} \\ &= 512 \cdot 9.776 = 5000 \text{ Hz.} \end{aligned}$$

# Zero Padding for FFT

FFT: Fast Fourier Transform.

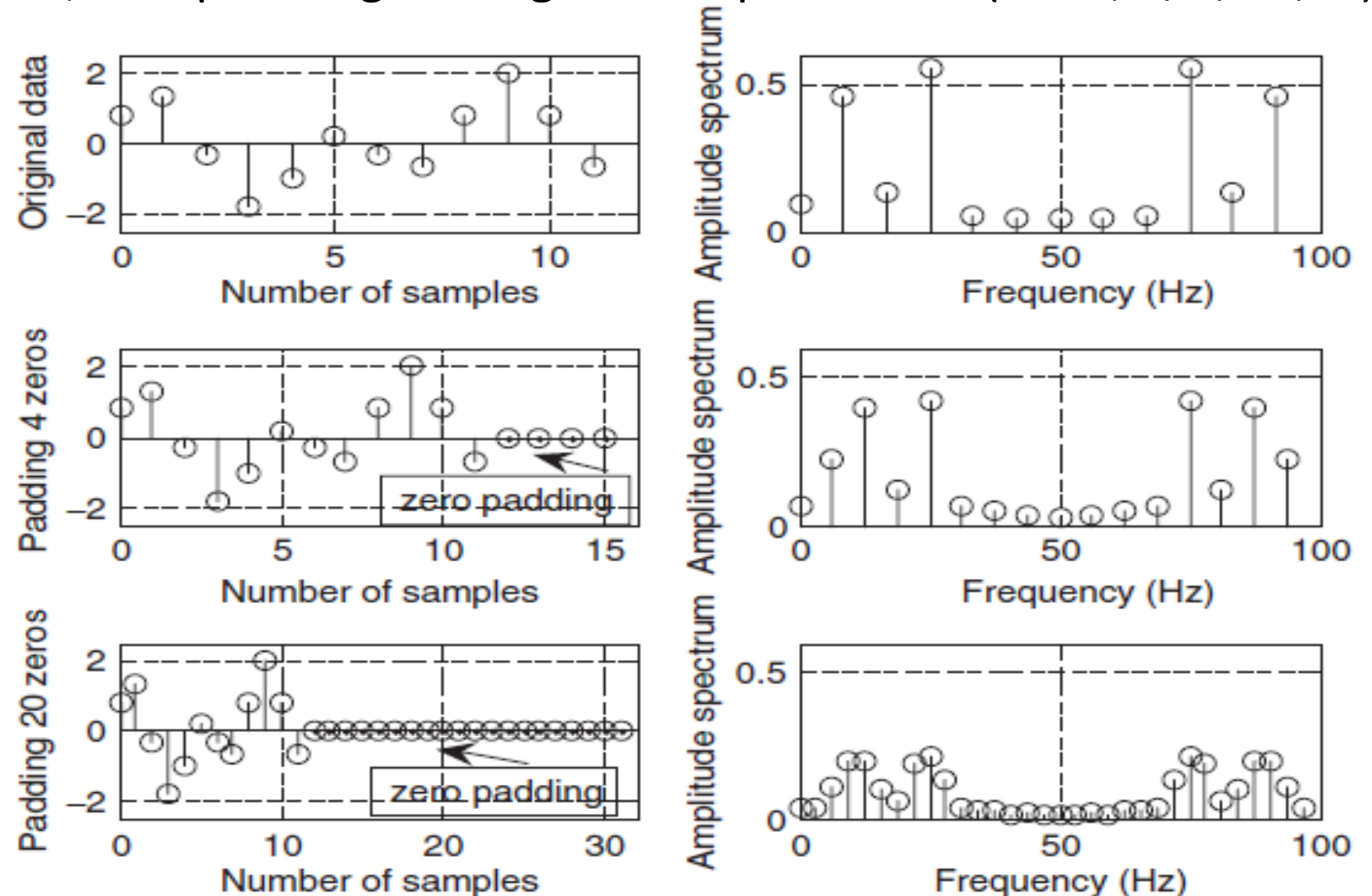
→ A fast version of DFT; It requires signal length to be power of 2 ( $N = 2, 4, 8, 16, \dots$ ).

Therefore, we need to pad zero at the end of the signal.

$$\bar{x}(n) = \begin{cases} x(n) & 0 \leq n \leq N-1 \\ 0 & N \leq n \leq \bar{N}-1 \end{cases}$$

However, it does not add any new information.

The frequency spacing is reduced due to more DFT points



# Example 7

Consider a digital signal has sampling rate = 10 kHz. For amplitude spectrum we need frequency resolution of less than 0.5 Hz. For FFT how many data points are needed?

**Solution:**

$$\Delta f = 0.5 \text{ Hz} \quad \Rightarrow \quad N = \frac{f_s}{\Delta f} = \frac{10,000}{0.5} = 20,000$$

For FFT, we need  $N$  to be power of 2.

$$2^{14} = 16384 < 20000 \quad \text{And} \quad 2^{15} = 32768 > 20000$$

Recalculated frequency resolution,

$$\Delta f = \frac{f_s}{N} = \frac{10000}{32768} = 0.31 \text{ Hz.}$$

# MATLAB Example -1

$$2\pi 1000 nT_s \rightarrow f = 1\text{Khz}$$

Consider the sinusoid with a sampling rate of  $f_s = 8,000 \text{ Hz}$ .  $x(n) = 2 \cdot \sin\left(2,000\pi \frac{n}{8,000}\right)$

Use the MATLAB DFT to compute the signal spectrum with the frequency resolution to be equal to or less than 8 Hz.

## Solution:

The number of data points is

$$N = \frac{f_s}{\Delta f} = \frac{8,000}{8} = 1,000$$

```
% Generate the sine wave sequence
```

```
fs=8000;
```

```
% Sampling rate
```

```
N=1000;
```

```
% Number of data points
```

```
x=2*sin(2000*pi*[0:1:N-1]/fs);
```

```
xf=abs(fft(x))/N;
```

```
%Compute the amplitude spectrum
```

```
P = xf.*xf;
```

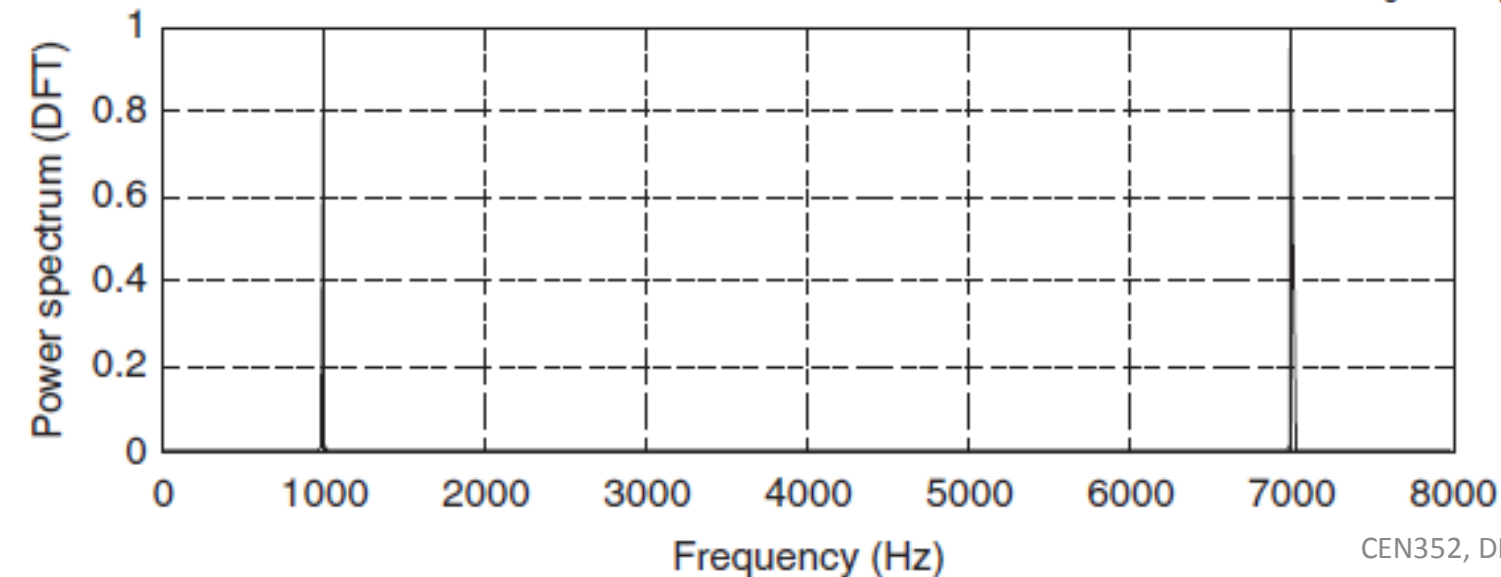
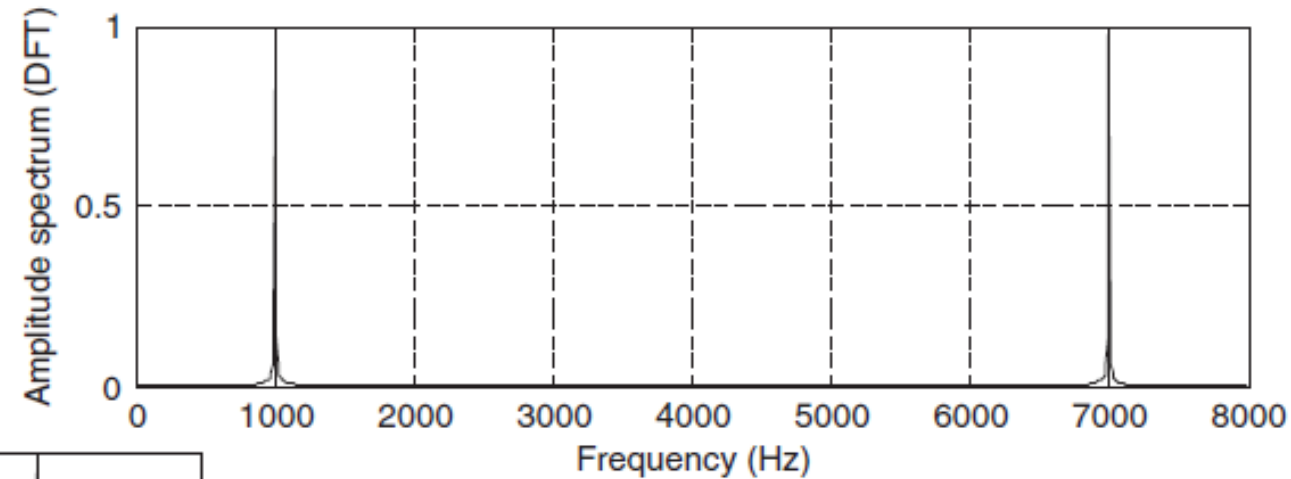
```
%Compute the power spectrum
```

```
f = [0:1:N-1]*fs/N;
```

```
%Map the frequency bin to the frequency (Hz)
```

# MATLAB Example -contd. (1)

```
subplot(2,1,1); plot(f,xf);grid  
xlabel('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel('Amplitude spectrum (DFT)');  
subplot(2,1,2);plot(f,P);grid  
xlabel('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel('Power spectrum (DFT)');
```



# MATLAB Example -contd. (2)

```
% Convert it to one-sided spectrum
```

```
xf(2:N) = 2*xf(2:N); % Get the single-sided spectrum
```

```
P = xf.*xf; % Calculate the power spectrum
```

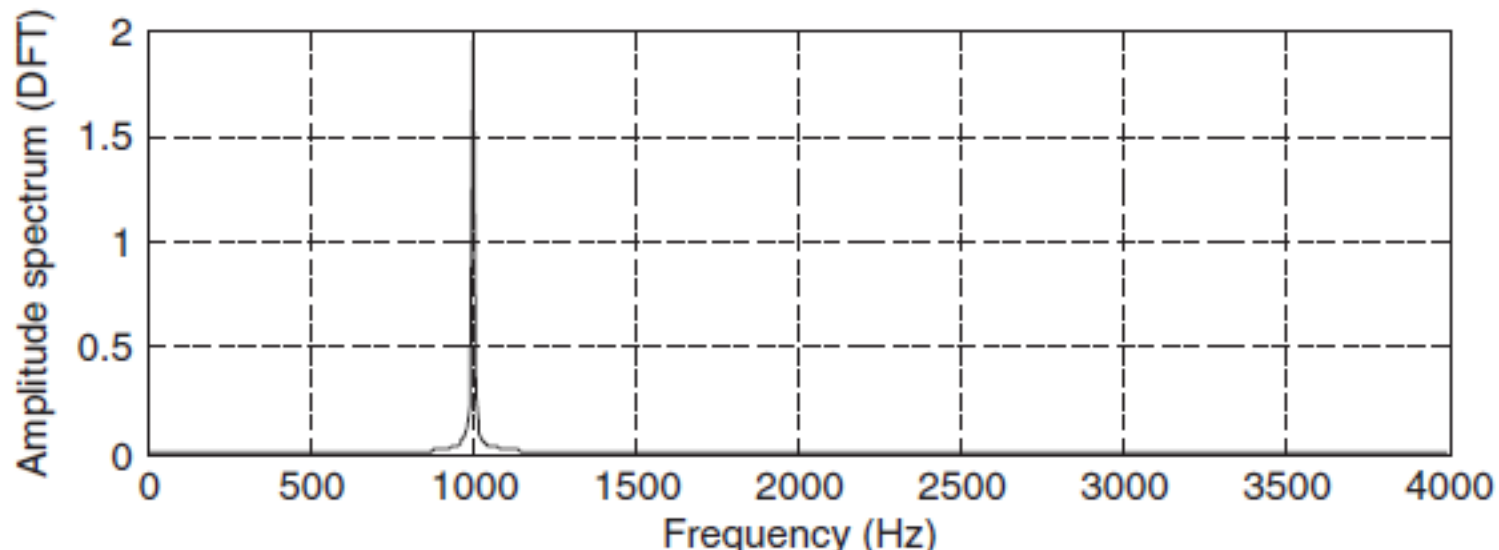
```
f = [0:1:N/2]*fs/N % Frequencies up to the folding frequency
```

```
subplot(2,1,1); plot(f,xf(1:N/2+1)); grid
```

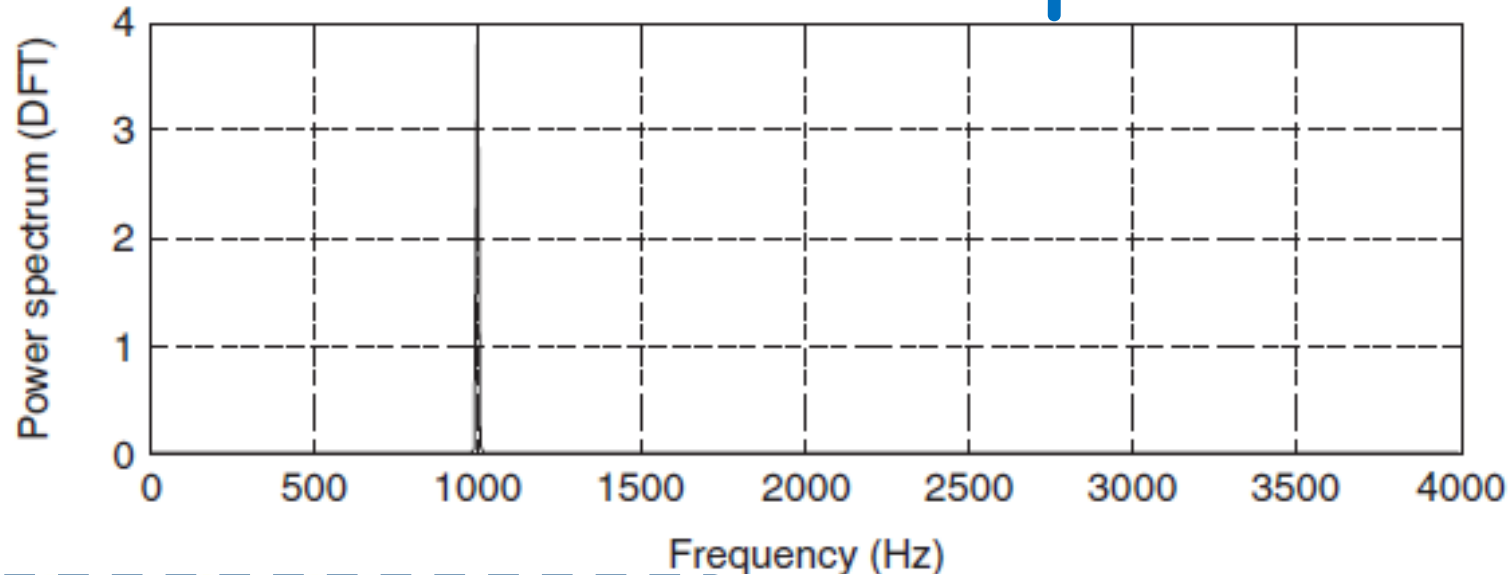
```
xlabel('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel('Amplitude spectrum (DFT)');
```

```
subplot(2,1,2); plot(f,P(1:N/2+1)); grid
```

```
xlabel('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel('Power spectrum (DFT)');
```



## MATLAB Example -contd. (3)



```
% Zero padding to the length of 1024
```

```
x = [x, zeros(1,24)];
```

```
N = length(x);
```

```
xf = abs(fft(x))/N; %Compute the amplitude spectrum with zero padding
```

```
P = xf.*xf; %Compute the power spectrum
```

```
f = [0:1:N-1]*fs/N; %Map frequency bin to frequency (Hz)
```

```
subplot(2,1,1); plot(f,xf); grid
```

```
xlabel('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel('Amplitude spectrum (FFT)');
```

```
subplot(2,1,2); plot(f,P); grid
```

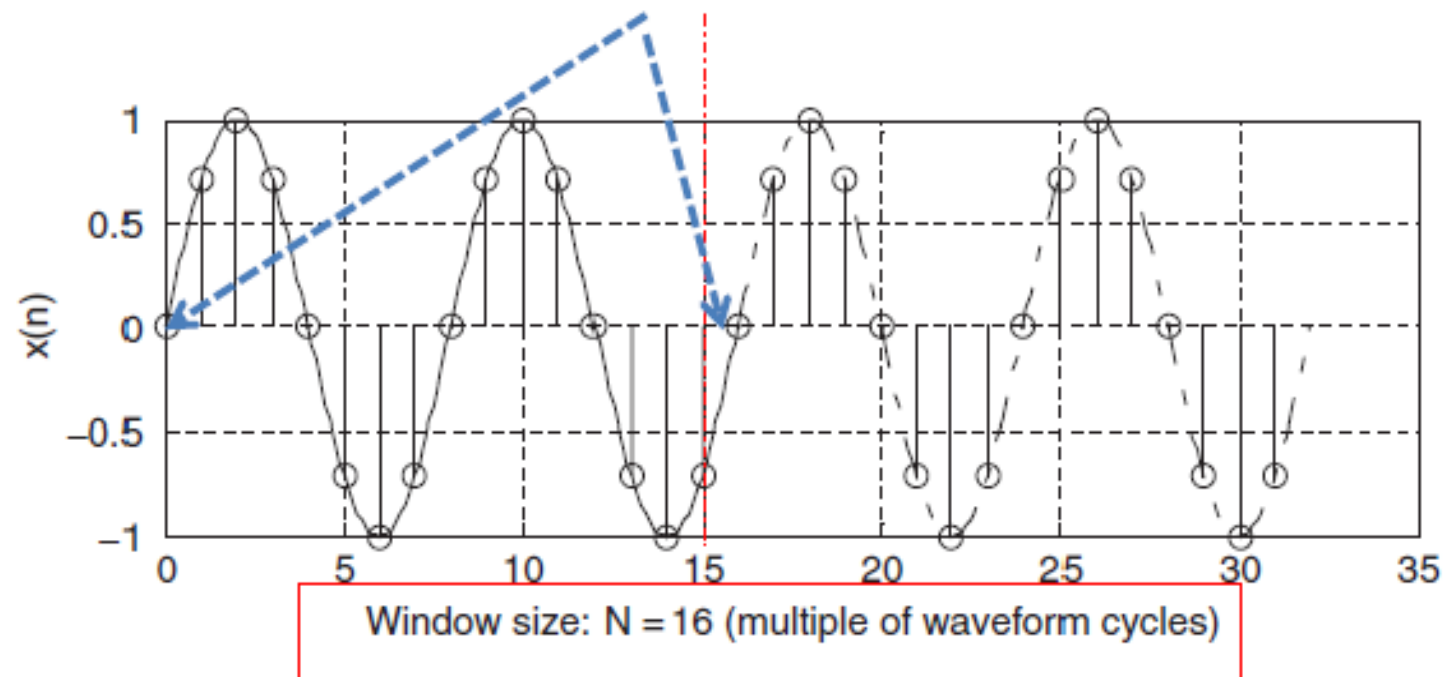
```
xlabel('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel('Power spectrum (FFT)');
```

# Effect of Window Size

When applying DFT, we assume the following:

1. Sampled data are periodic to themselves (repeat).
2. Sampled data are continuous to themselves and band limited to the folding frequency.

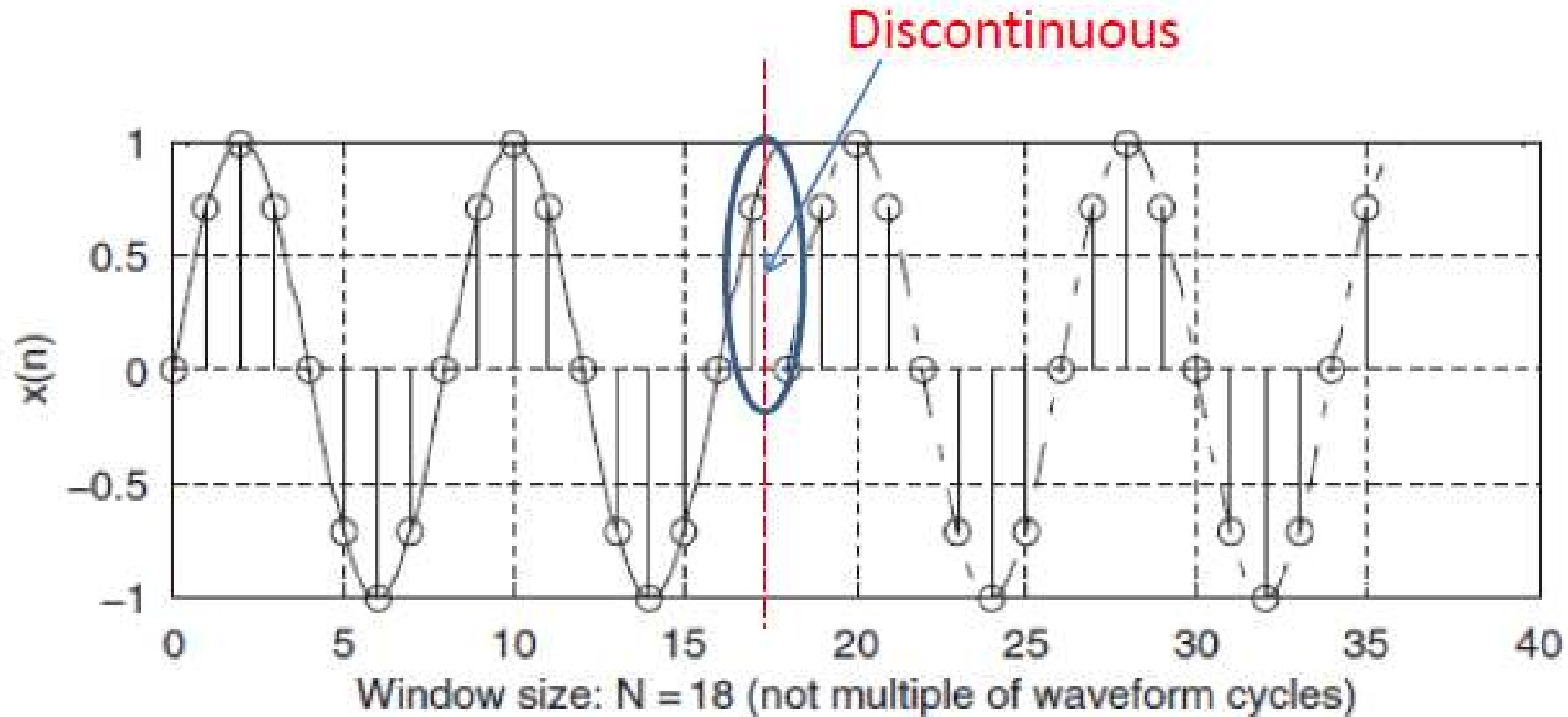
1 Hz sinusoid,  
with 32  
samples





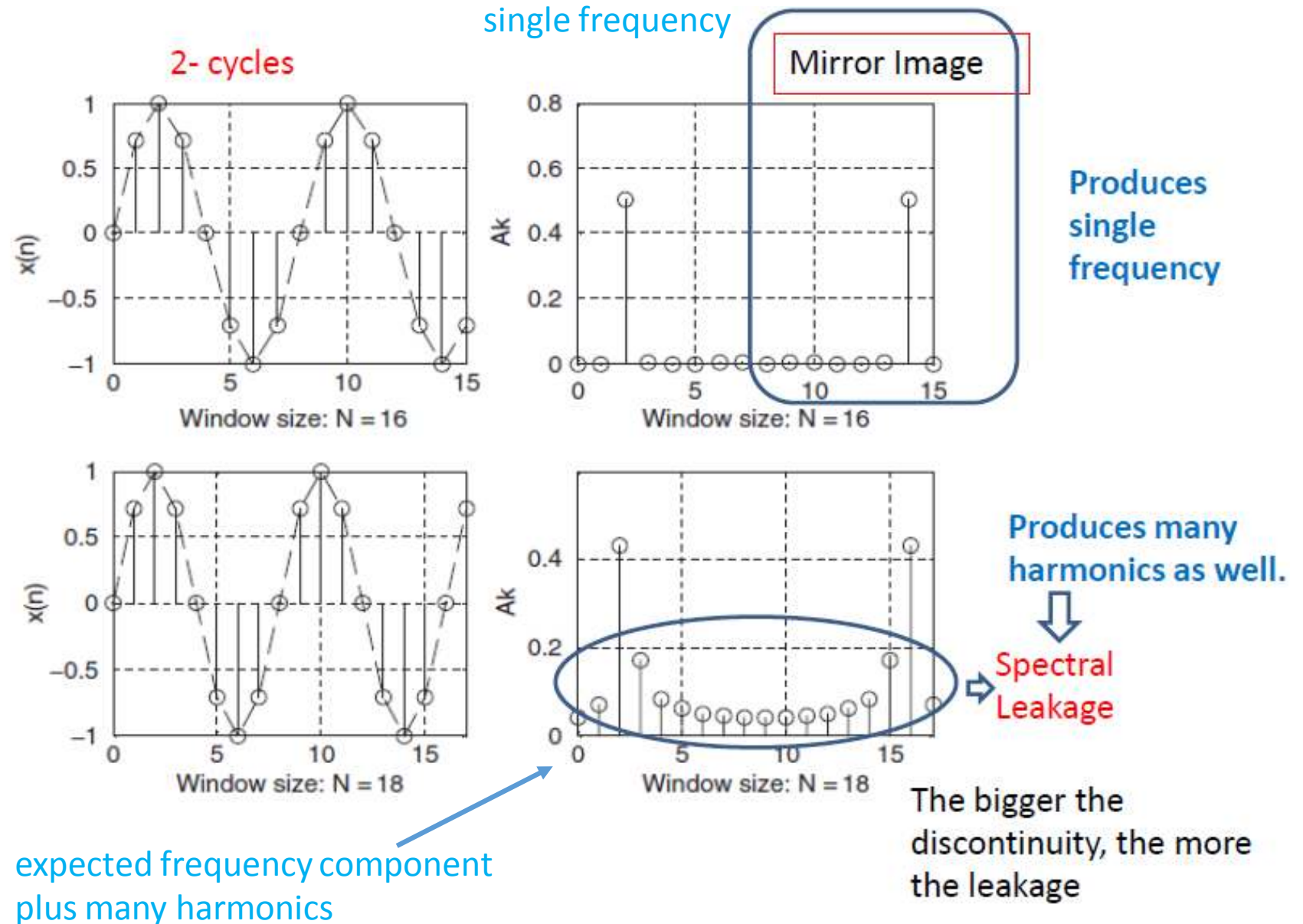
# Effect of Window Size -contd. (1)

If the window size is not multiple of waveform cycles, the discontinuity produces undesired harmonic frequencies:



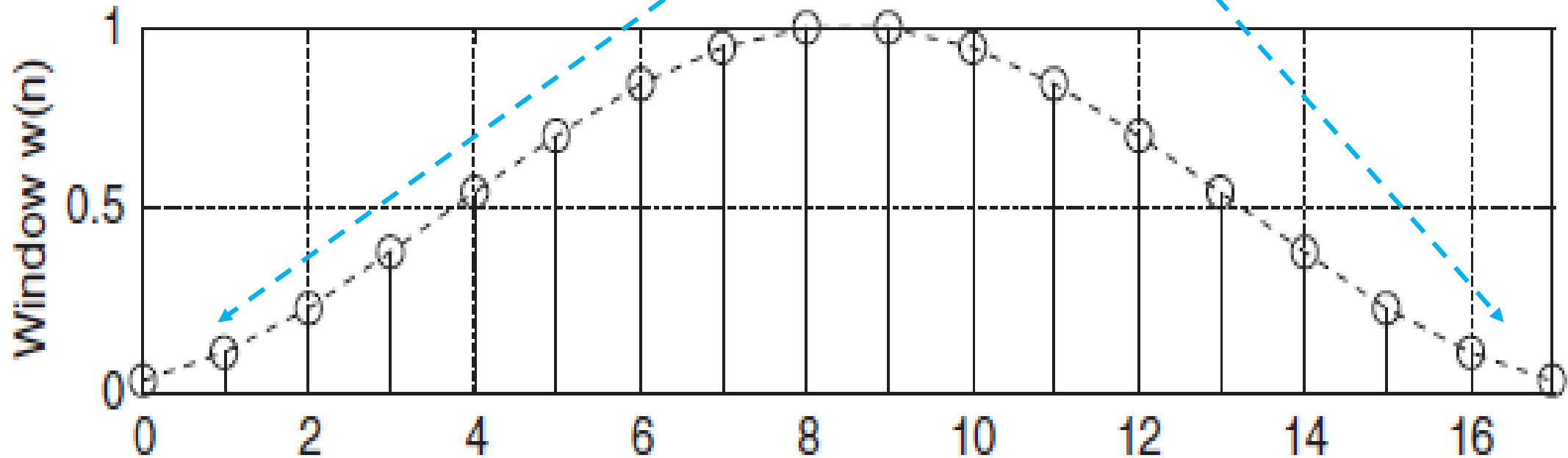
# Effect of Window Size -contd. (2)

Signal samples and spectra without spectral leakage and with spectral leakage.



# Reducing Leakage Using Window

To reduce the effect of spectral leakage, a window function  $w(n)$  can be used whose amplitude tapers smoothly and gradually toward zero at both ends



Window function,  $w(n)$

Data sequence,  $x(n)$

Obtained windowed sequence,  $x_w(n)$

$$x_w(n) = x(n)w(n), \quad \text{for } n = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

# Example 8

Given,

$$x(2) = 1 \text{ and } w(2) = 0.2265;$$

$$x(5) = -0.7071 \text{ and } w(5) = 0.7008,$$

Calculate, windowed sequence data

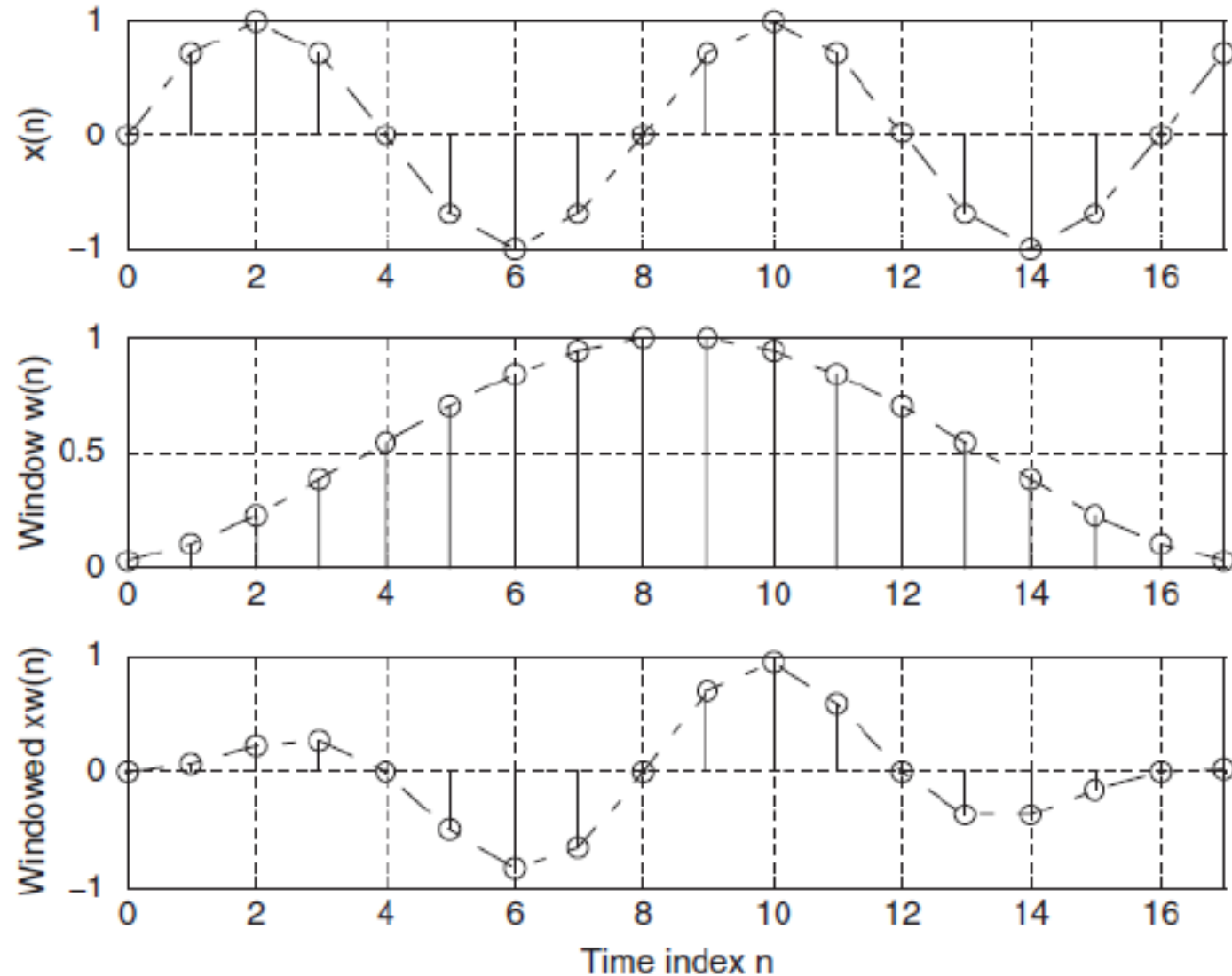
$$x_w(2) \text{ and } x_w(5)$$

Applying the window function operation leads to

$$x_w(2) = x(2) \times w(2) = 1 \times 0.2265 = 0.2265 \text{ and}$$

$$x_w(5) = x(5) \times w(5) = -0.7071 \times 0.7008 = -0.4956$$

Using the window function the spectral leakage is greatly reduced.



# Different Types of Windows

Rectangular Window (no window):  $w_R(n) = 1 \quad 0 \leq n \leq N - 1$

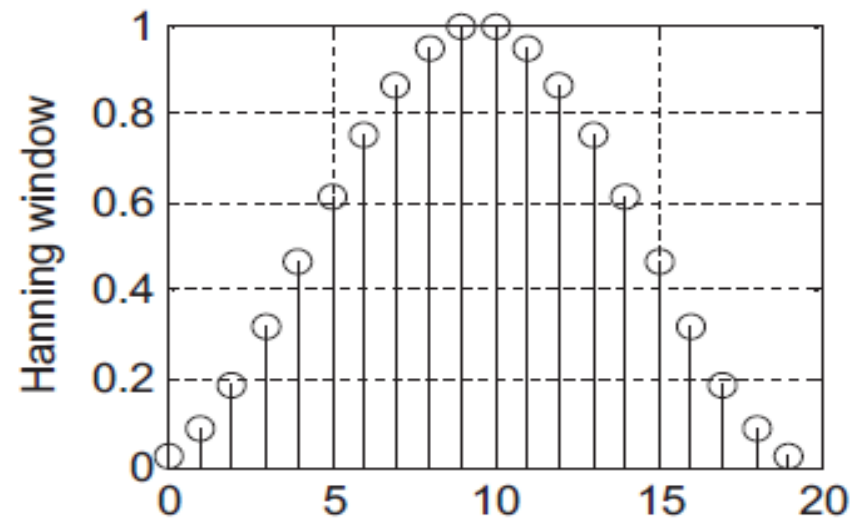
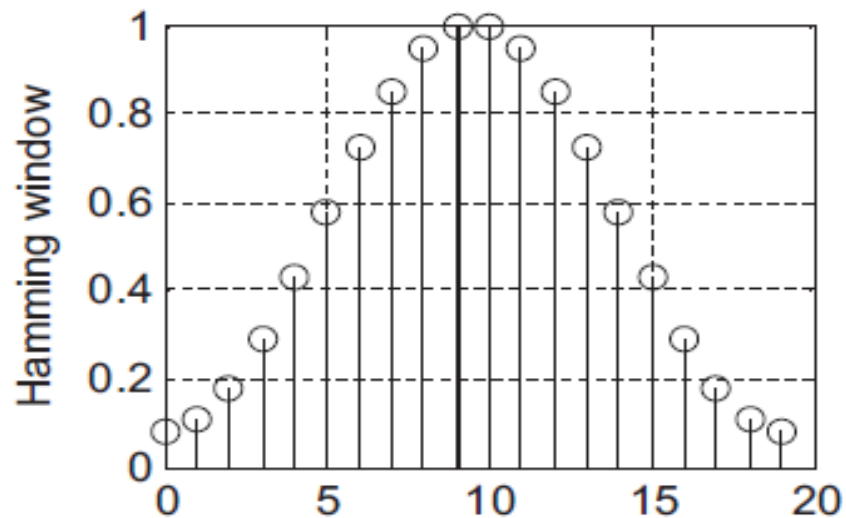
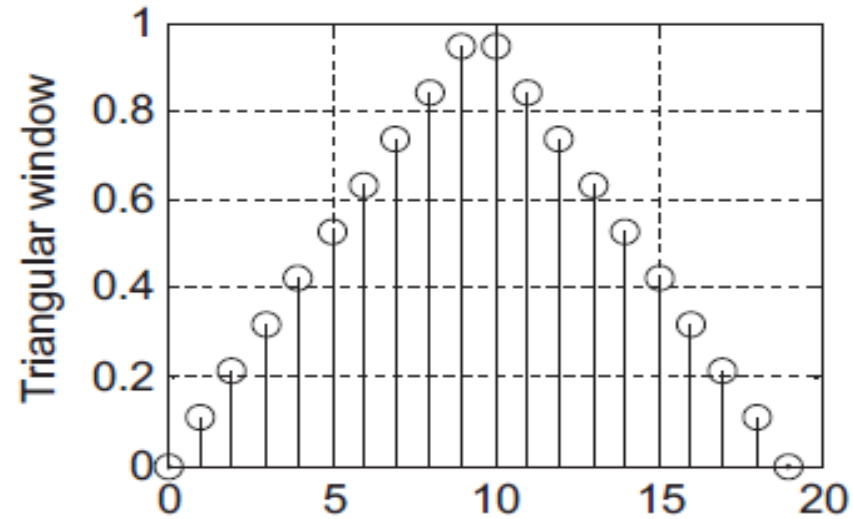
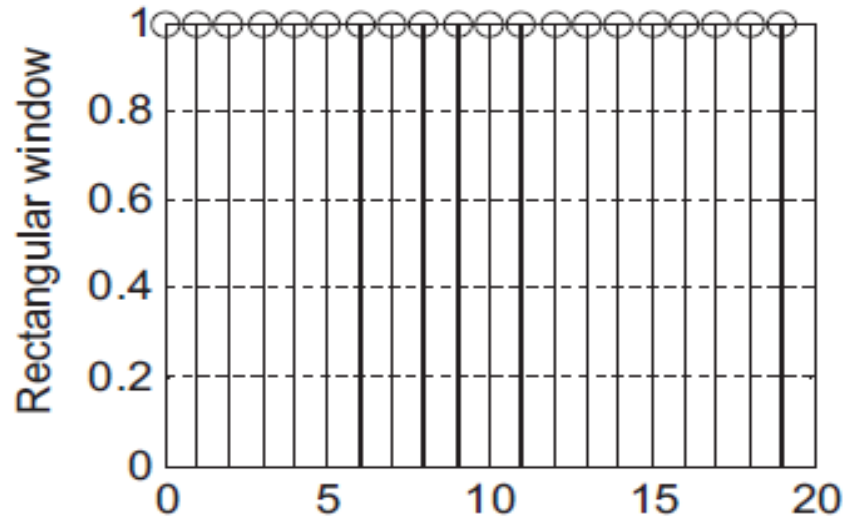
Triangular Window:  $w_{tri}(n) = 1 - \frac{|2n - N + 1|}{N - 1}, 0 \leq n \leq N - 1$

Hamming Window:  $w_{hm}(n) = 0.54 - 0.46 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{N - 1}\right), 0 \leq n \leq N - 1$

Hanning Window:  $w_{hn}(n) = 0.5 - 0.5 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi n}{N - 1}\right), 0 \leq n \leq N - 1$

# Different Types of Windows -contd.

Window size of 20 samples



## Example 9

Considering the sequence  $x(0) = 1$ ,  $x(1) = 2$ ,  $x(2) = 3$ ,  $x(3) = 4$  and given  $f_s = 100$  Hz,  $T = 0.01$  seconds, compute the amplitude spectrum, phase spectrum, and power spectrum using the *Hamming window function*.

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### Solution:

Since  $N = 4$ , Hamming window function can be found as:

$$w_{hm}(0) = 0.54 - 0.46 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi \times 0}{4 - 1}\right) = 0.08$$

$$w_{hm}(1) = 0.54 - 0.46 \cos\left(\frac{2\pi \times 1}{4 - 1}\right) = 0.77.$$

Similarly,  $w_{hm}(2) = 0.77$ ,  $w_{hm}(3) = 0.08$ .

## Example 9 -contd. (1)

- The windowed sequence is computed as:

$$x_w(0) = x(0) \times w_{hm}(0) = 1 \times 0.08 = 0.08$$


$$x_w(1) = x(1) \times w_{hm}(1) = 2 \times 0.77 = 1.54$$

$$x_w(2) = x(2) \times w_{hm}(2) = 3 \times 0.77 = 2.31$$

$$x_w(3) = x(3) \times w_{hm}(3) = 4 \times 0.08 = 0.32$$

- DFT Sequence:

$$X(k) = x(0) W_N^{k0} + x(1) W_N^{k1} + x(2) W_N^{k2} + \dots + x(N-1) W_N^{k(N-1)}$$


$$X(k) = x_w(0) W_4^{k \times 0} + x_w(1) W_4^{k \times 1} + x_w(2) W_4^{k \times 2} + x_w(3) W_4^{k \times 3}$$

We obtain:

$$\begin{cases} X(0) = 4.25 \\ X(1) = -2.23 - j1.22 \\ X(2) = 0.53 \\ X(3) = -2.23 + j1.22 \end{cases}$$

$$\Delta f = \frac{1}{NT} = \frac{1}{4 \cdot 0.01} = 25 \text{ Hz}$$



## Example 9 -contd. (2)

Amplitude spectrum	Power spectrum	Phase spectrum
$A_0 = \frac{1}{4} X(0)  = 1.0625,$	$P_0 = \frac{1}{4^2} X(0) ^2 = 1.1289$	$\phi_0 = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{0}{4.25}\right) = 0^\circ,$
$A_1 = \frac{1}{4} X(1)  = 0.6355,$	$P_1 = \frac{1}{4^2} X(1) ^2 = 0.4308$	$\phi_1 = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{-1.22}{-2.23}\right) = -151.32^\circ,$
$A_2 = \frac{1}{4} X(2)  = 0.1325,$	$P_2 = \frac{1}{4^2} X(2) ^2 = 0.0176$	$\phi_2 = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{0}{0.53}\right) = 0^\circ,$
$A_3 = \frac{1}{4} X(3)  = 0.6355,$	$P_3 = \frac{1}{4^2} X(3) ^2 = 0.4308$	$\phi_3 = \tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1.22}{-2.23}\right) = 151.32^\circ,$

# MATLAB Example -2

Given the sinusoid obtained using a sampling rate of  $f_s = 8,000 \text{ Hz}$

$$x(n) = 2 \cdot \sin\left(2,000\pi \frac{n}{8,000}\right)$$

Use the DFT to compute the spectrum of a Hamming window function with window size = 100.

## Solution:

```
% Generate the sine wave sequence
fs = 8000; T = 1/fs;           % Sampling rate and sampling period

% Generate the sine wave sequence
x = 2 * sin (2000*pi * [0:1:100] * T);

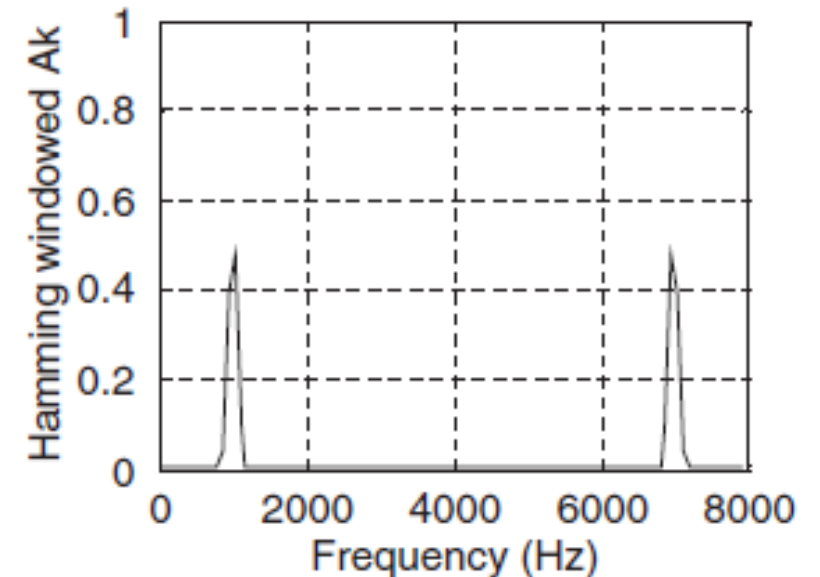
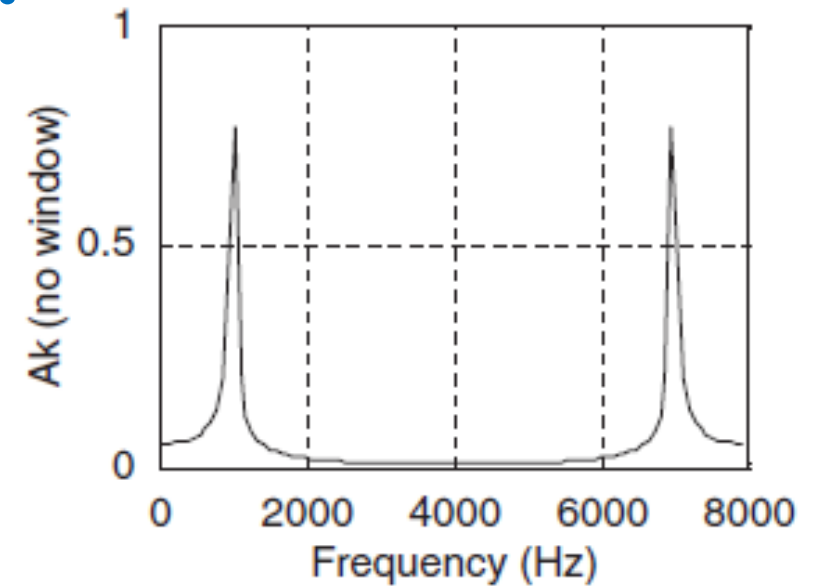
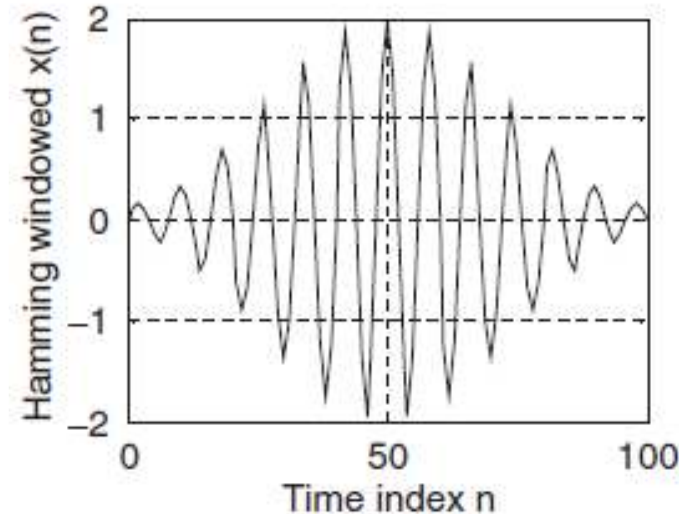
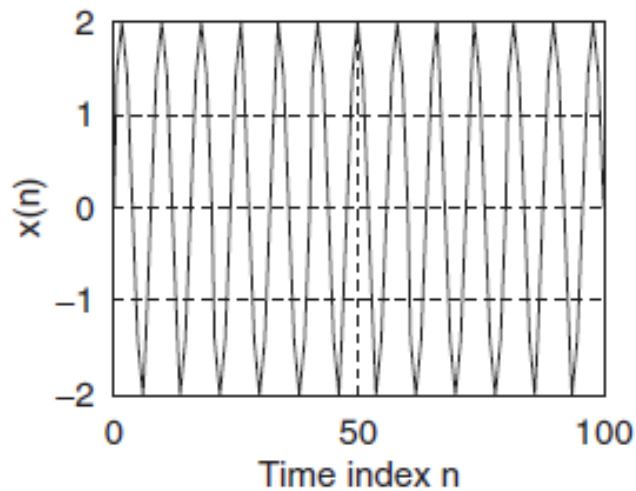
% Apply the FFT algorithm
N=length(x);
index_t = [0:1:N-1];
f = [0:1:N-1]*fs/N;
xf = abs (fft (x) ) /N;
```

```
%Using the Hamming window
x_hm = x.*hamming(N)';
xf_hm=abs (fft (x_hm) ) /N;
```

```
%Apply the Hamming window function
%Calculate the amplitude spectrum
xf_hm=abs (fft (x_hm) ) /N;
```

# MATLAB Example -2 contd.

```
subplot(2,2,1);plot(index_t,x);grid
xlabel('Time index n'); ylabel('x(n)');
subplot(2,2,3); plot(index_t,x_hm);grid
xlabel('Time index n'); ylabel('Hamming windowed x(n)');
subplot(2,2,2);plot(f,xf);grid;axis([0 fs 0 1]);
xlabel('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel('Ak (no window)');
subplot(2,2,4); plot(f,xf_hm);grid;axis([0 fs 0 1]);
xlabel('Frequency (Hz)'); ylabel('Hamming windowed Ak');
```



# DFT Matrix

- The  $N$  equations for the DFT coefficients can be expressed in matrix form as: Let,  $w_N = e^{-2j\pi/N}$  then,

Frequency Spectrum

DFT Matrix

Time-Domain Samples

$$\begin{bmatrix} X[0] \\ X[1] \\ \vdots \\ X[N-1] \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & w_N & \dots & w_N^{N-1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & w_N^{N-1} & \dots & w_N^{(N-1)(N-1)} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x[0] \\ x[1] \\ \vdots \\ x[N-1] \end{bmatrix}$$

DFT coefficient vector  $X_N$

DFT matrix  $W_N$

signal vector  $x_N$

Compact form :  $X_N = W_N \cdot x_N$

**DFT Equation:**

$$X(k) = \sum_{m=0}^{N-1} x(m) w_N^{mk} \quad k = 0, \dots, N-1$$

**DFT requires  $N^2$  complex multiplications**

# DFT Matrix Example

Determine the DFT coefficients of the four point segment  $x[0] = 0, x[1] = 1, x[2] = 2, x[3] = 3$  of a sequence  $x[n]$

## Solution

We first compute the entries of the matrix  $W_4$  using the property  $W_N^{k+N} = W_N^k = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N}k} = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}k\right) - j\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}k\right)$

The result is a complex matrix given by

$$W_4 = \begin{bmatrix} W_4^0 & W_4^0 & W_4^0 & W_4^0 \\ W_4^0 & W_4^1 & W_4^2 & W_4^3 \\ W_4^0 & W_4^2 & W_4^4 & W_4^6 \\ W_4^0 & W_4^3 & W_4^6 & W_4^9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & W_4^1 & W_4^2 & W_4^3 \\ 1 & W_4^2 & W_4^4 & W_4^6 \\ 1 & W_4^3 & W_4^6 & W_4^9 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{bmatrix}$$

The DFT coefficients are evaluated by the matrix-by-vector multiplication

$$\begin{bmatrix} X[0] \\ X[1] \\ X[2] \\ X[3] \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 6 \\ -2 + j2 \\ -2 \\ -2 - j2 \end{bmatrix}$$

In **MATLAB** these computations are done using the commands:

```
x = [0 1 2 3]'; W = dftmtx(4); X = W*x;
```

# FFT

## FFT: Fast Fourier Transform

A very efficient algorithm to compute DFT; it requires less multiplication.

- The length of input signal,  $x(n)$  must be  $2^m$  samples, where  $m$  is an integer.



Samples  $N = 2, 4, 8, 16$  or so.

- If the input length is not  $2^m$ , append (pad) zeros to make it  $2^m$ .



# DFT to FFT: Decimation in Frequency

**DFT:**  $X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x(n) W_N^{kn}$  for  $k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$ ,

$w_N = e^{-j2\pi/N}$   
twiddle factor

$$X(k) = x(0) + x(1)W_N^k + \dots + x(N-1)W_N^{k(N-1)}$$

split Equation

$$X(k) = \boxed{x(0) + x(1)W_N^k + \dots + x\left(\frac{N}{2} - 1\right)W_N^{k(N/2-1)}} + \boxed{x\left(\frac{N}{2}\right)W_N^{kN/2} + \dots + x(N-1)W_N^{k(N-1)}}$$

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(n)W_N^{kn} + \sum_{n=N/2}^{N-1} x(n)W_N^{kn}$$

$\downarrow$   $n \leftarrow n + \frac{N}{2}$  to sum from zero

$$X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(n)W_N^{kn} + W_N^{(N/2)k} \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} x\left(n + \frac{N}{2}\right) W_N^{kn}$$

$$\begin{aligned} W_N^{(n+\frac{N}{2})k} &= W_N^{nk} W_N^{(\frac{N}{2})k} \\ &= W_N^{nk} e^{-j\frac{2\pi N}{N} \frac{1}{2} k} = W_N^{nk} e^{-j\pi k} \\ &= W_N^{nk} (-1)^k \end{aligned}$$

$$W_N^{N/2} = e^{-j\frac{2\pi(N/2)}{N}} = e^{-j\pi} = -1$$

$\Rightarrow$   $X(k) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} \left( x(n) + (-1)^k x\left(n + \frac{N}{2}\right) \right) W_N^{kn}$

for  $k = 2m$  (even)  $\rightarrow (-1)^k = 1$  compute  $X(2m)$

for  $k = 2m+1$  (odd)  $\rightarrow (-1)^k = -1$  compute  $X(2m+1)$

# DFT to FFT: Decimation in Frequency


Now decompose into even ( $k = 2m$ ) and odd ( $k = 2m+1$ ) sequences.

$$X(2m) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} \left( x(n) + x\left(n + \frac{N}{2}\right) \right) W_N^{2mn} \quad X(2m+1) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} \left( x(n) - x\left(n + \frac{N}{2}\right) \right) W_N^n W_N^{2mn}$$

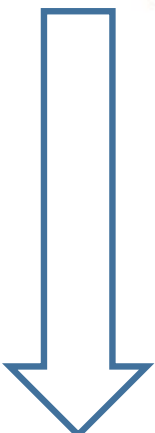
$W_N^{(2m+1)n}$   
↓

Using the fact that

$$W_N^2 = e^{-j\frac{2\pi \times 2}{N}} = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{(N/2)}} = W_{N/2},$$



$$X(2m) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} a(n) W_{N/2}^{mn} = DFT\{a(n) \text{ with } (N/2) \text{ points}\}$$



$$X(2m+1) = \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} b(n) W_N^n W_{N/2}^{mn} = DFT\{b(n) W_N^n \text{ with } (N/2) \text{ points}\}$$

With:

$$a(n) = x(n) + x\left(n + \frac{N}{2}\right), \quad \text{for } n = 0, 1, \dots, \frac{N}{2} - 1 \quad b(n) = x(n) - x\left(n + \frac{N}{2}\right), \quad \text{for } n = 0, 1, \dots, \frac{N}{2} - 1$$

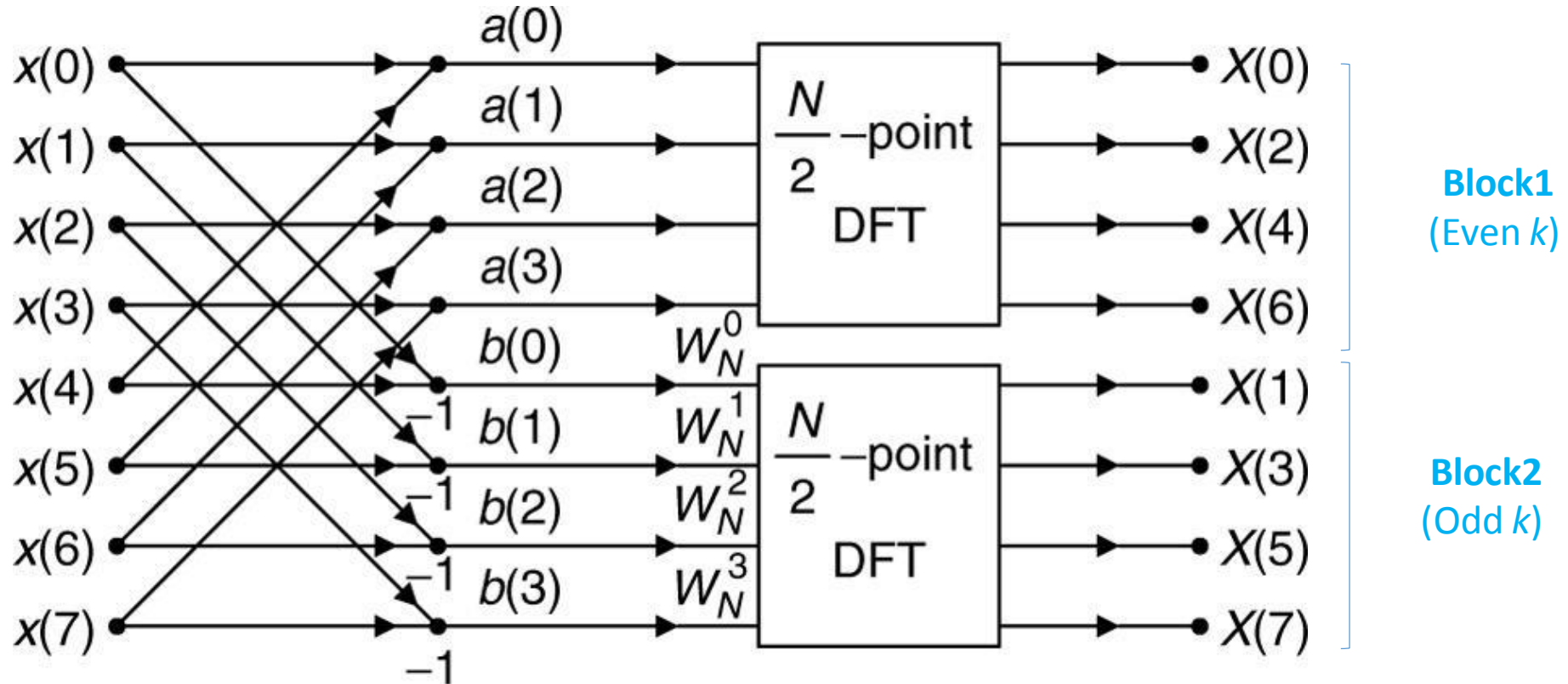


# DFT to FFT: Decimation in Frequency

The computation process is

$$DFT\{x(n) \text{ with } N \text{ points}\} = \begin{cases} DFT\{a(n) \text{ with } (N/2) \text{ points}\} \\ DFT\{b(n) W_N^n \text{ with } (N/2) \text{ points}\} \end{cases}$$

First  
iteration



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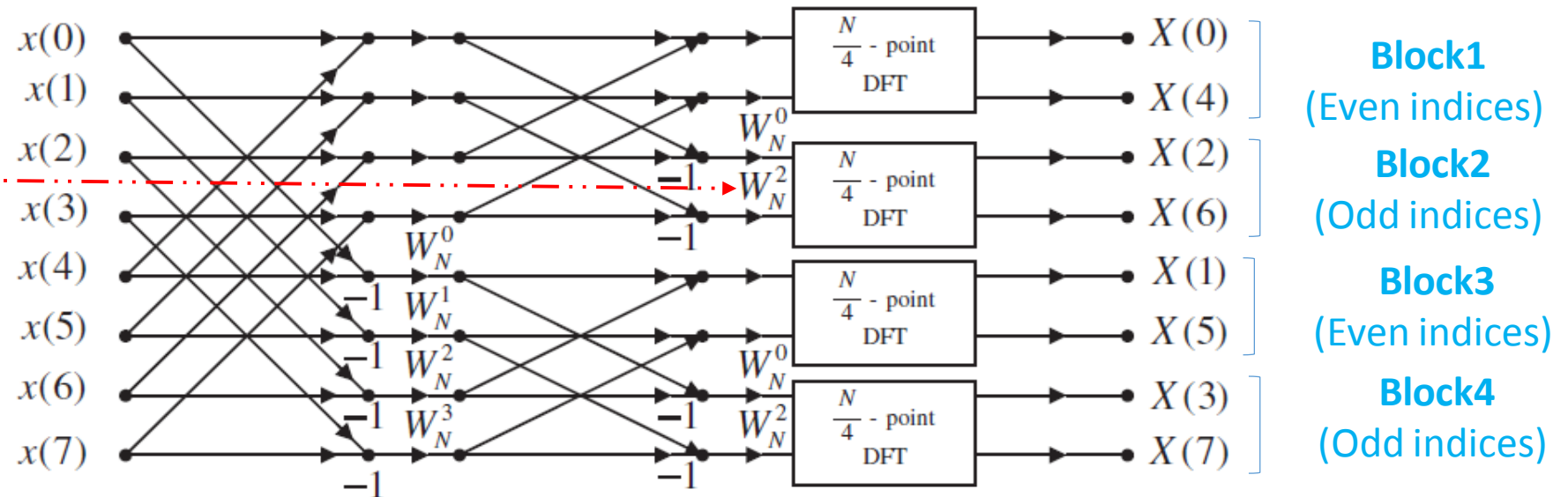
$\frac{N}{2}$  Point DFT  $\rightarrow \sum_{n=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(n) W_{N/2}^{mn}$  and  $x(n)$  is  $a(n)$  for even  $k$  and  $b(n)W_N^n$  for odd  $k$

# DFT to FFT: Decimation in Frequency

Using same process

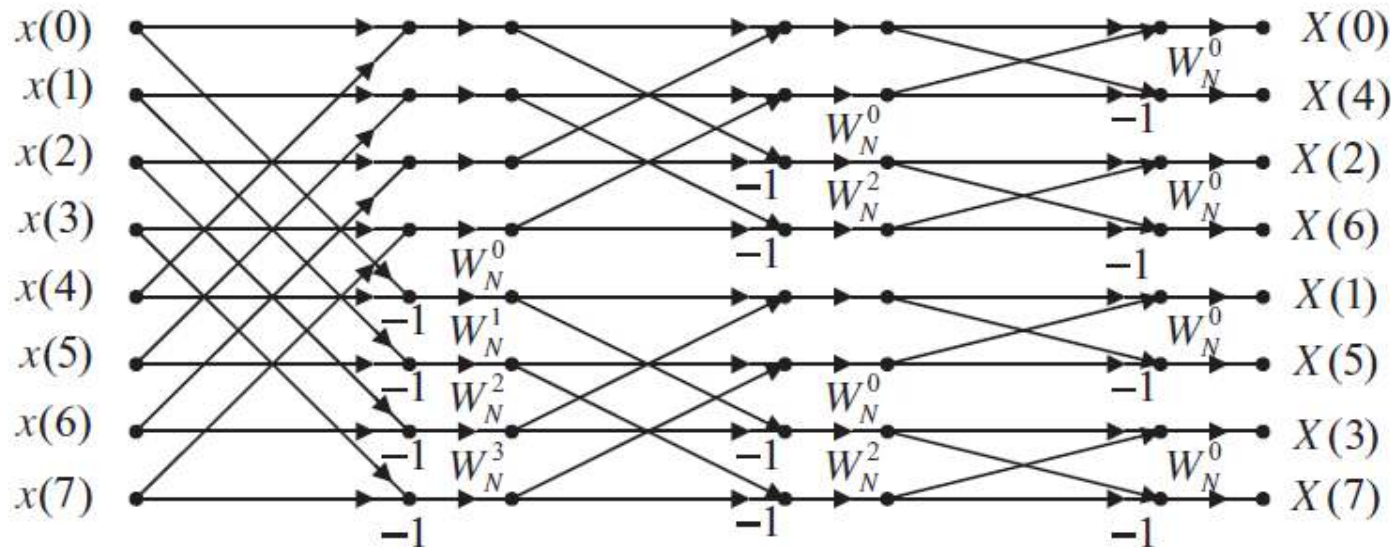
$$W_{N/2}^1 = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N/2}(1)} = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N}(2)} = W_N^2$$

Second iteration



The splitting process continues to the end (until having 2 input points to the DFT block, in this case third iteration).

Third iteration



12 complex  
multiplication

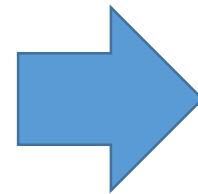
# DFT to FFT: Decimation in Frequency

The index (bin number) of the eight-point DFT coefficient becomes inverted, and can be fixed by applying reversal bits.

Binary	index	1st split	2nd split	3rd split	Bit reversal
000	0	0	0	0	000
001	1	2	4	4	100
010	2	4	2	2	010
011	3	6	6	6	110
100	4	1	1	1	001
101	5	3	5	5	101
110	6	5	3	3	011
111	7	7	7	7	111

For data length of N, the number of complex multiplications:

Complex multiplications of DFT =  $N^2$ , For each k (N) we need N multiplications



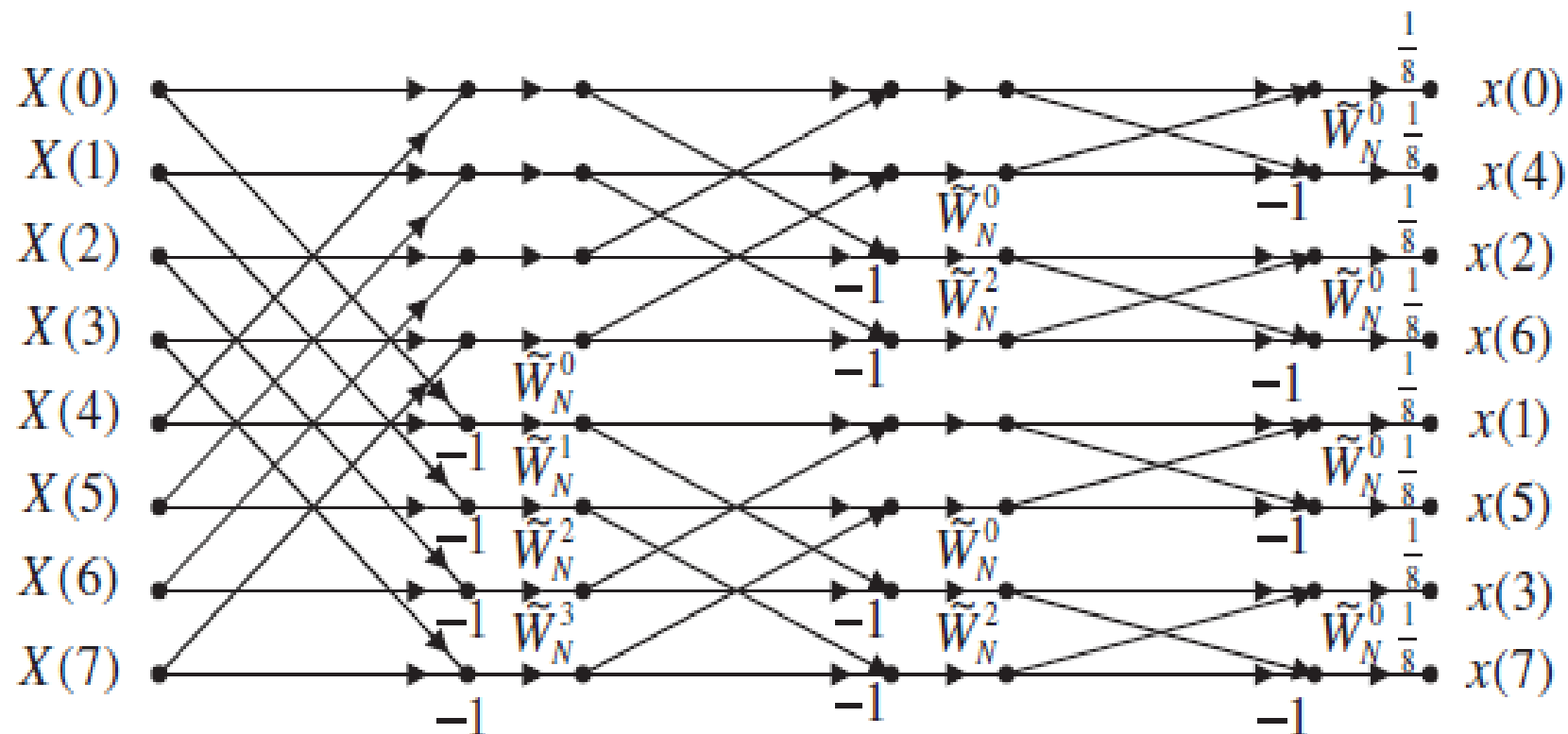
Complex multiplications of FFT =  $\frac{N}{2} \log_2(N)$

For 1024 samples data sequence,  
DFT requires  $1024 \times 1024 = 1048576$  complex multiplications.  
FFT requires  $(1024/2) \log_2(1024) = 5120$  complex multiplications.

# IFFT: Inverse FFT

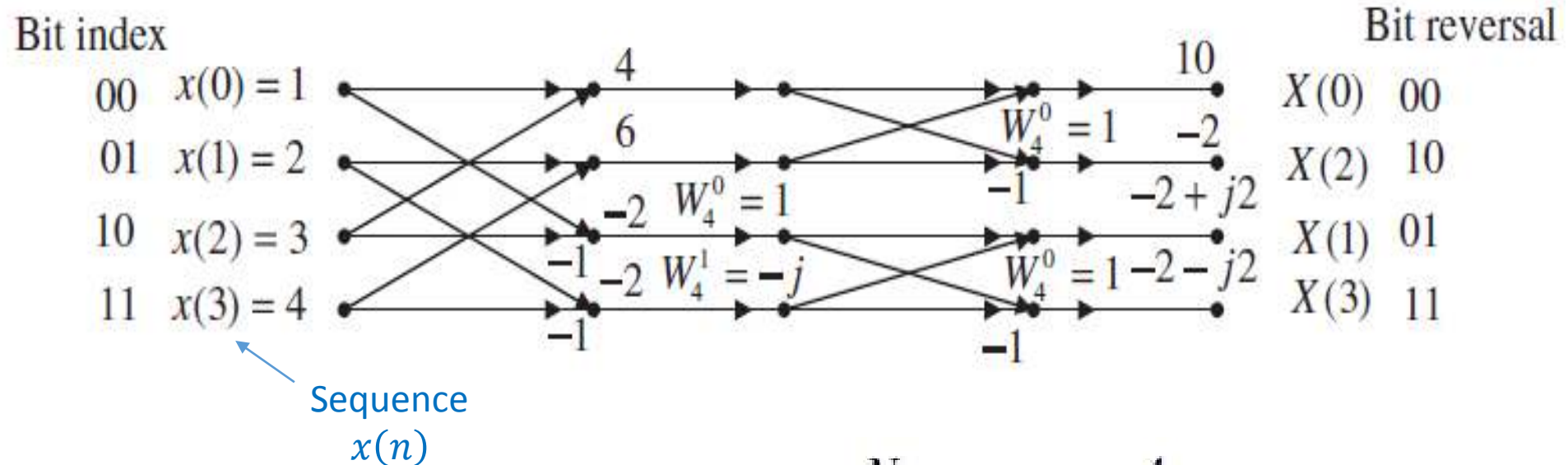
$$x(n) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X(k) W_N^{-kn} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X(k) \tilde{W}_N^{kn}, \quad \text{for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

The difference is: the twiddle factor  $w_N$  is changed to  $\tilde{w}_N = w_N^{-1}$ , and the sum is multiplied by a factor of  $1/N$ .



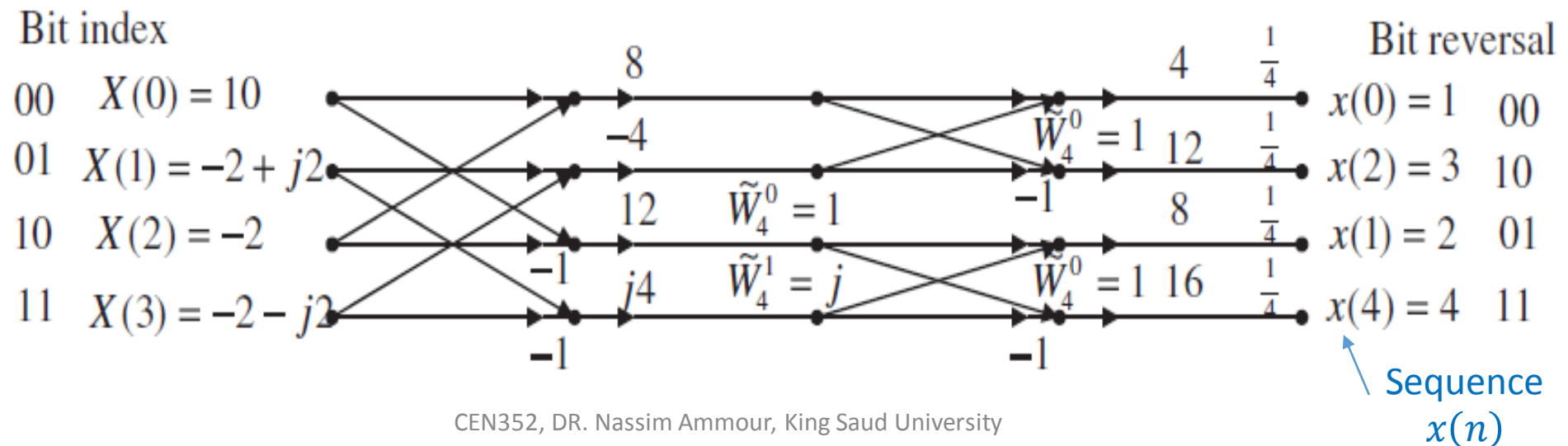
# FFT and IFFT Examples

FFT



Number of complex multiplication =  $\frac{N}{2} \log_2(N) = \frac{4}{2} \log_2(4) = 4.$

IFFT





# DFT to FFT: Decimation in Time

Split the input sequence  $x(n)$  into the even indexed  $x(2m)$  and  $x(2m + 1)$  each with  $N/2$  data points.

$$X(k) = \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m)W_N^{2mk} + \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m+1)W_N^k W_N^{2mk}, \text{ for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

Using  $w_N^2 = \left(e^{-j2\pi/N}\right)^2 = e^{-j2\pi/(N/2)} = w_{N/2}$

$$X(k) = \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m)W_{N/2}^{mk} + W_N^k \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m+1)W_{N/2}^{mk}, \text{ for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

# DFT to FFT: Decimation in Time

Define new functions as

$$G(k) = \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m)W_{N/2}^{mk} = \text{DFT}\{x(2m) \text{ with } (N/2) \text{ points}\}$$

$$H(k) = \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m+1)W_{N/2}^{mk} = \text{DFT}\{x(2m+1) \text{ with } (N/2) \text{ points}\}$$

As,

$$G(k) = G\left(k + \frac{N}{2}\right), \quad \text{for } k = 0, 1, \dots, \frac{N}{2} - 1$$

$$H(k) = H\left(k + \frac{N}{2}\right), \quad \text{for } k = 0, 1, \dots, \frac{N}{2} - 1$$

$$W_{N/2}^{k+\frac{N}{2}} = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{(N/2)}(k+\frac{N}{2})} = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{(N/2)}k} e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{(N/2)}(\frac{N}{2})} = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{(N/2)}k} e^{-j2\pi} = W_{N/2}^k$$

$$X(k) = \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m)W_N^{mk} + W_N^k \sum_{m=0}^{(N/2)-1} x(2m+1)W_{N/2}^{mk}, \quad \text{for } k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

$$X(k) = G(k) + W_N^k H(k), \quad \text{for } k = 0, 1, \dots, \frac{N}{2} - 1$$

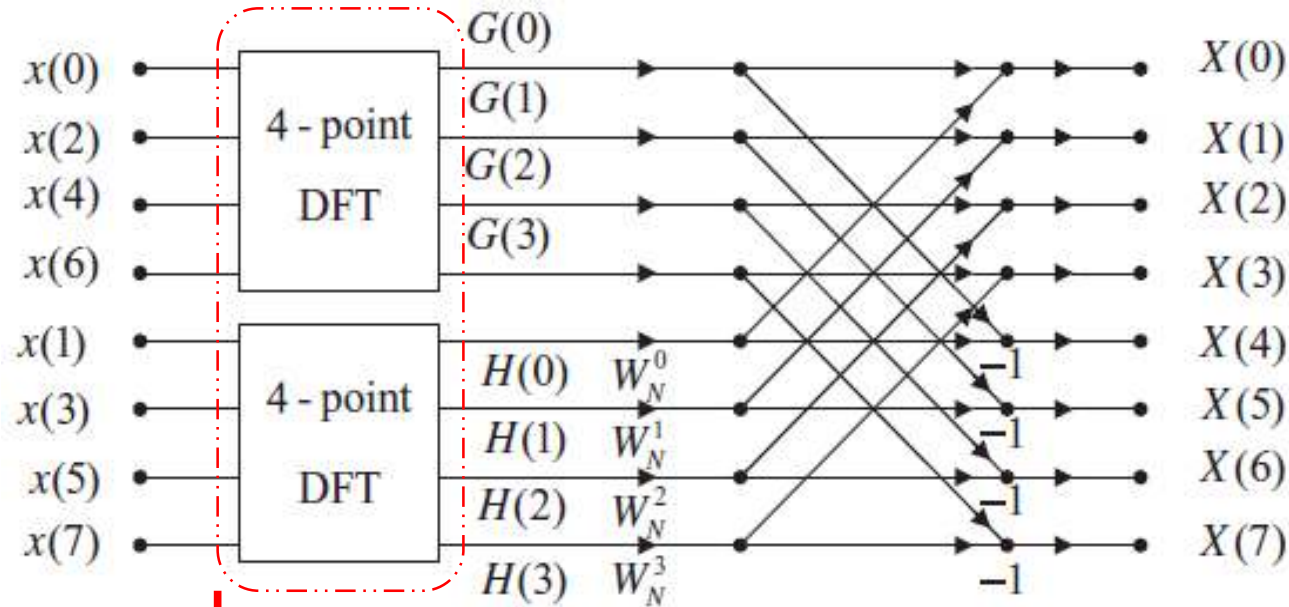
$$X\left(\frac{N}{2} + k\right) = G(k) - W_N^k H(k), \quad \text{for } k = 0, 1, \dots, \frac{N}{2} - 1$$

$$W_N^{k+\frac{N}{2}} = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N}(k+\frac{N}{2})} = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N}k} e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N}(\frac{N}{2})} = e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N}k} e^{-j\pi} = -W_N^k$$

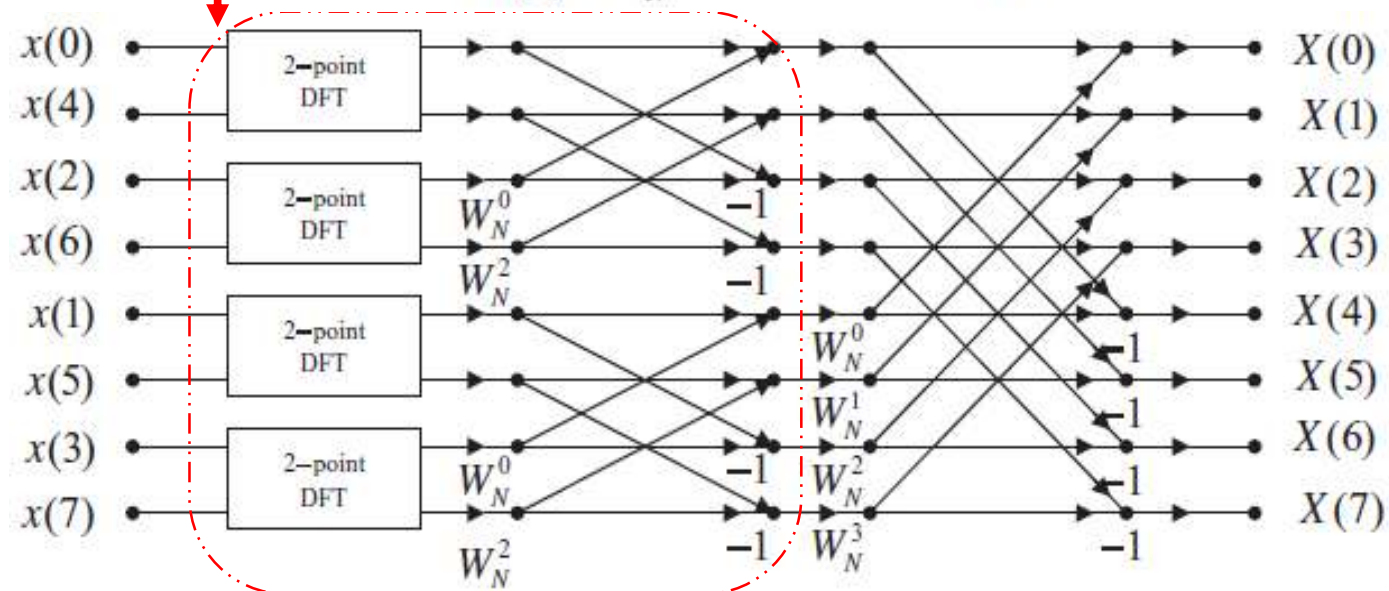
$$W_N^{(N/2+k)} = -W_N^k$$

# DFT to FFT: Decimation in Time

First iteration:



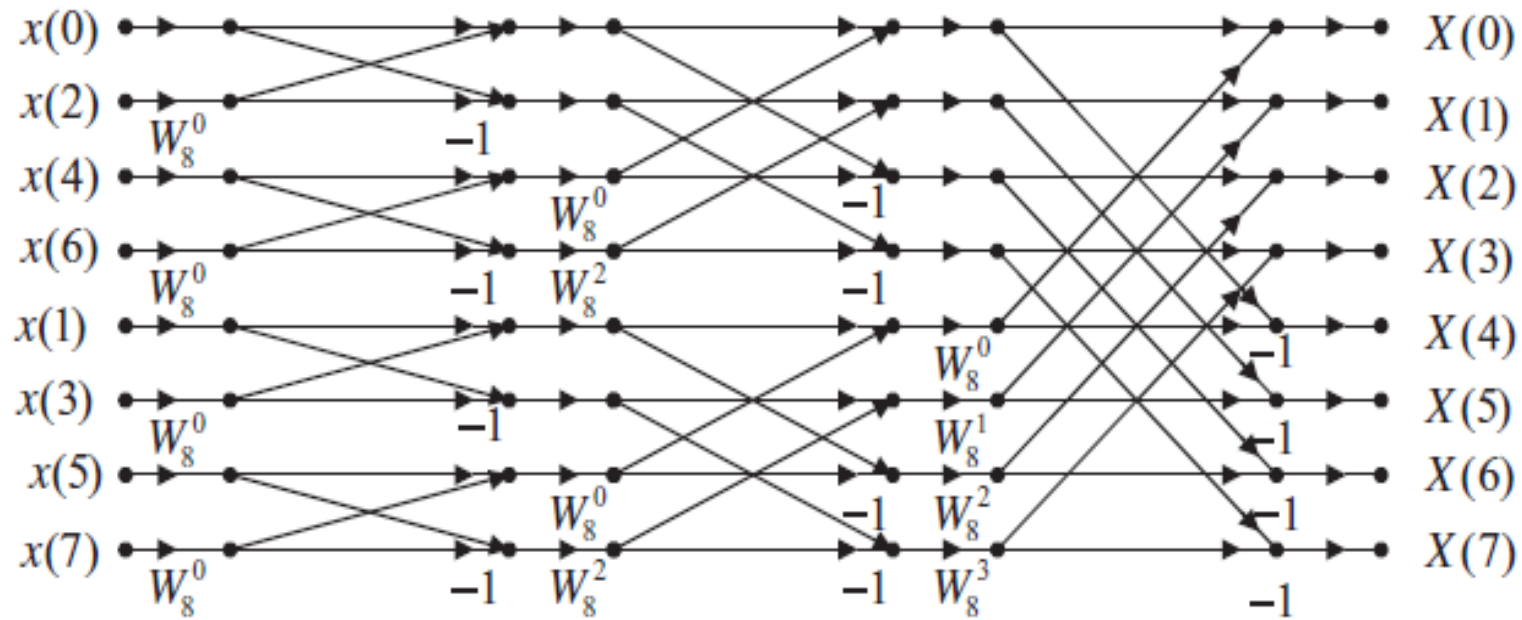
Second iteration:





# DFT to FFT: Decimation in Time

Third iteration:



$$W_N = e^{-\frac{2\pi}{N}} = \cos\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}\right) - j \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{N}\right)$$

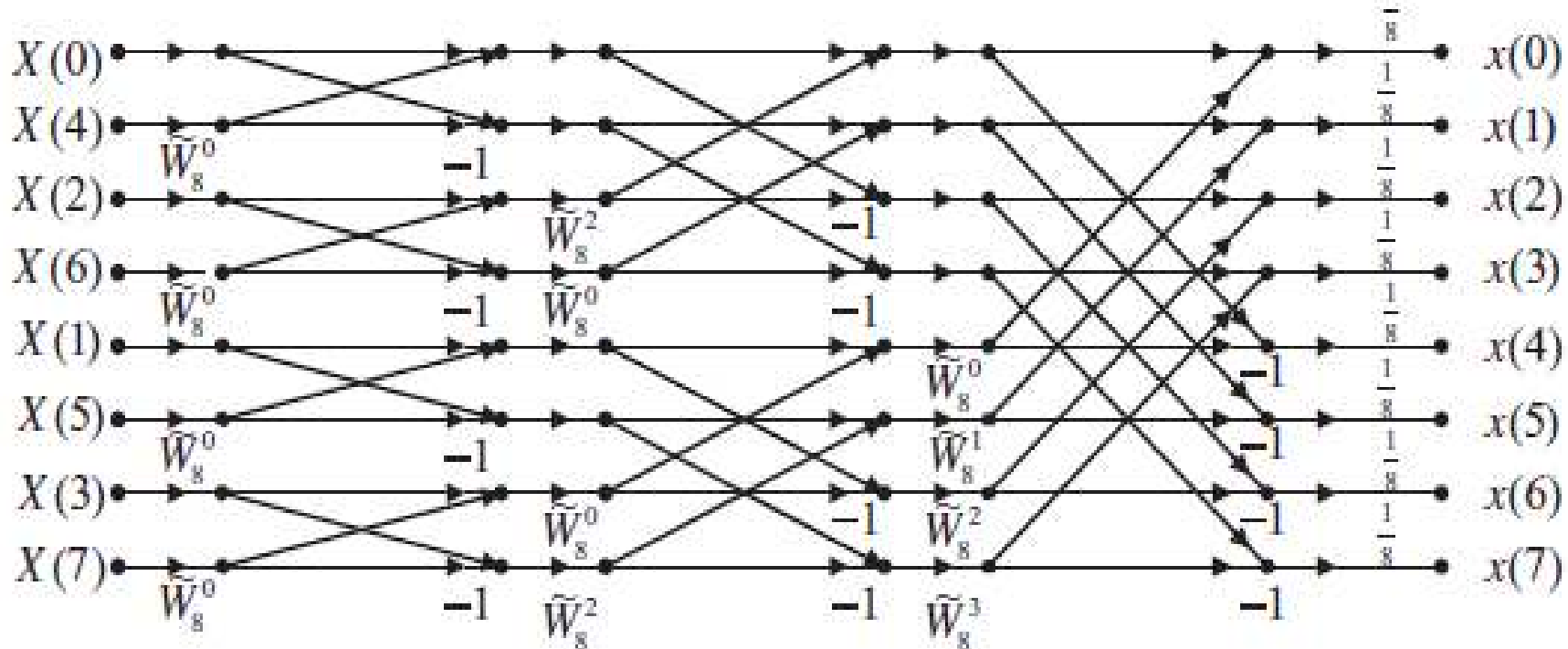
$$W_8^2 = e^{-\frac{2\pi \times 2}{8}} = e^{-\frac{\pi}{2}} = \cos(\pi/2) - j \sin(\pi/2) = -j$$

# IFFT: Decimation in Time

Similar to the decimation-in-frequency method, we change  $W_N$  to  $\widetilde{W}_N$ , and the sum is multiplied by a factor of  $1/N$ .

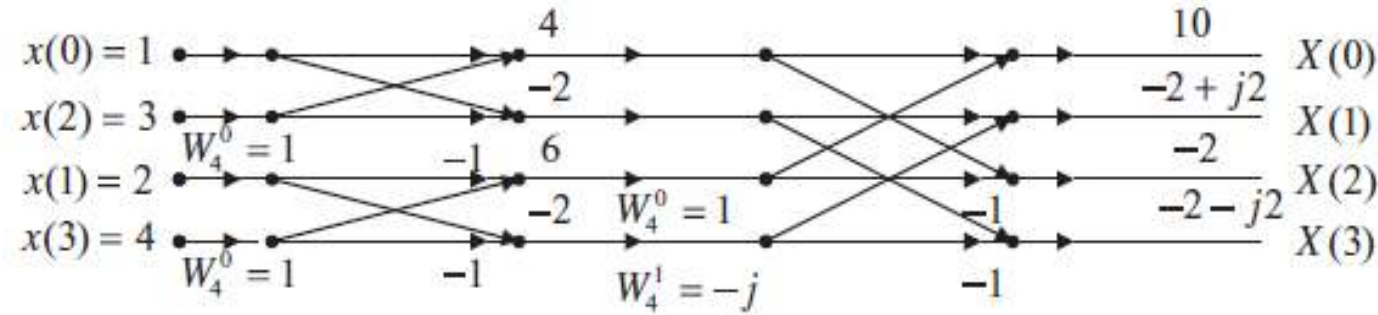
inverse FFT (IFFT) block diagram for the eight-point inverse FFT

IFFT

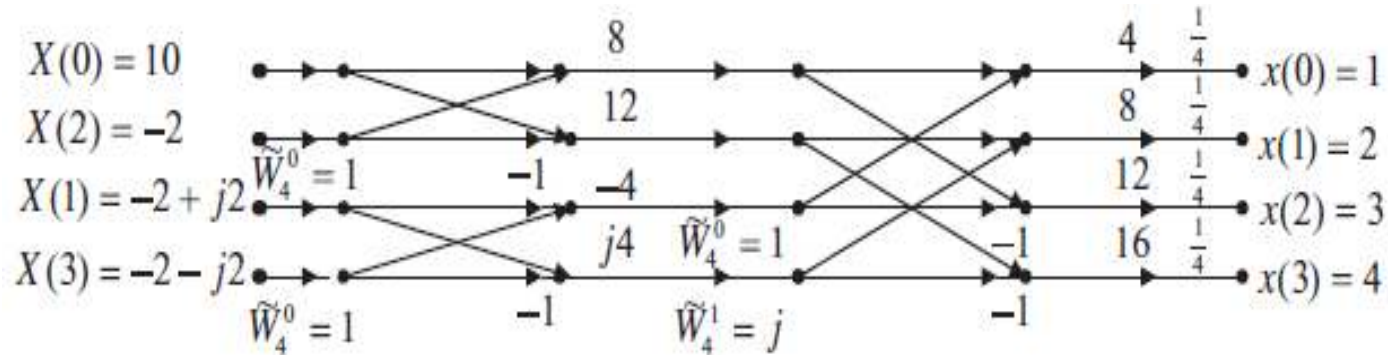


# FFT and IFFT Examples

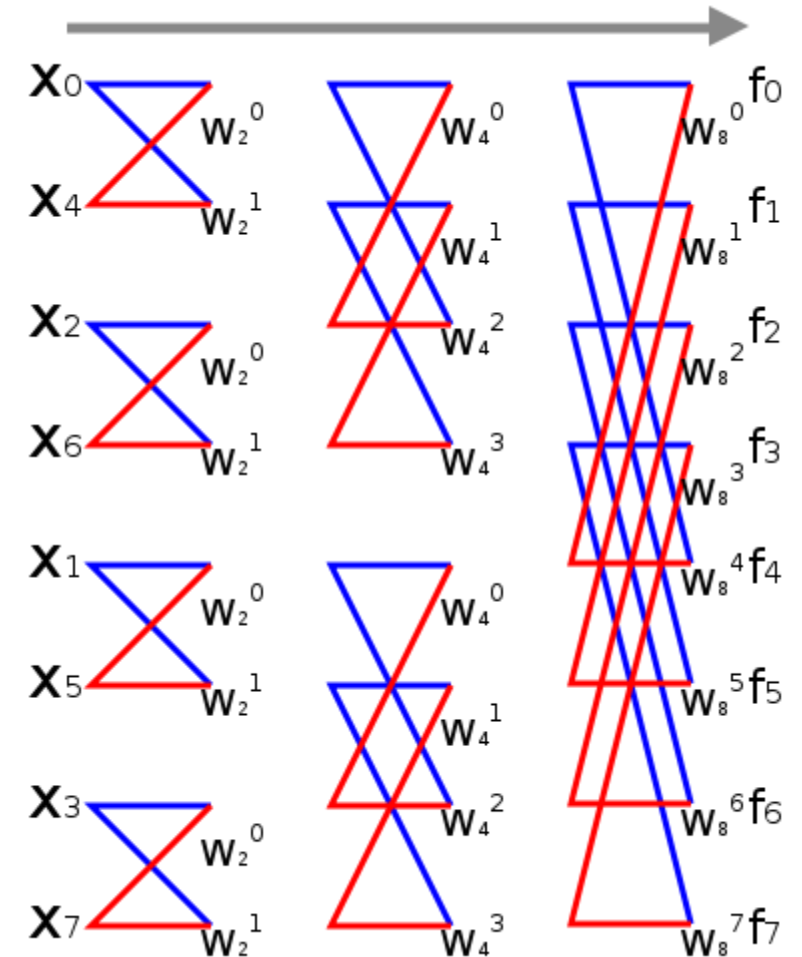
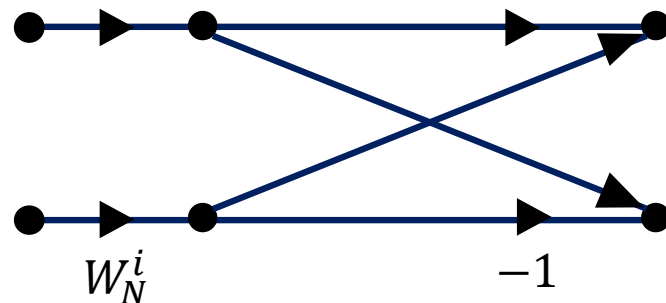
## FFT



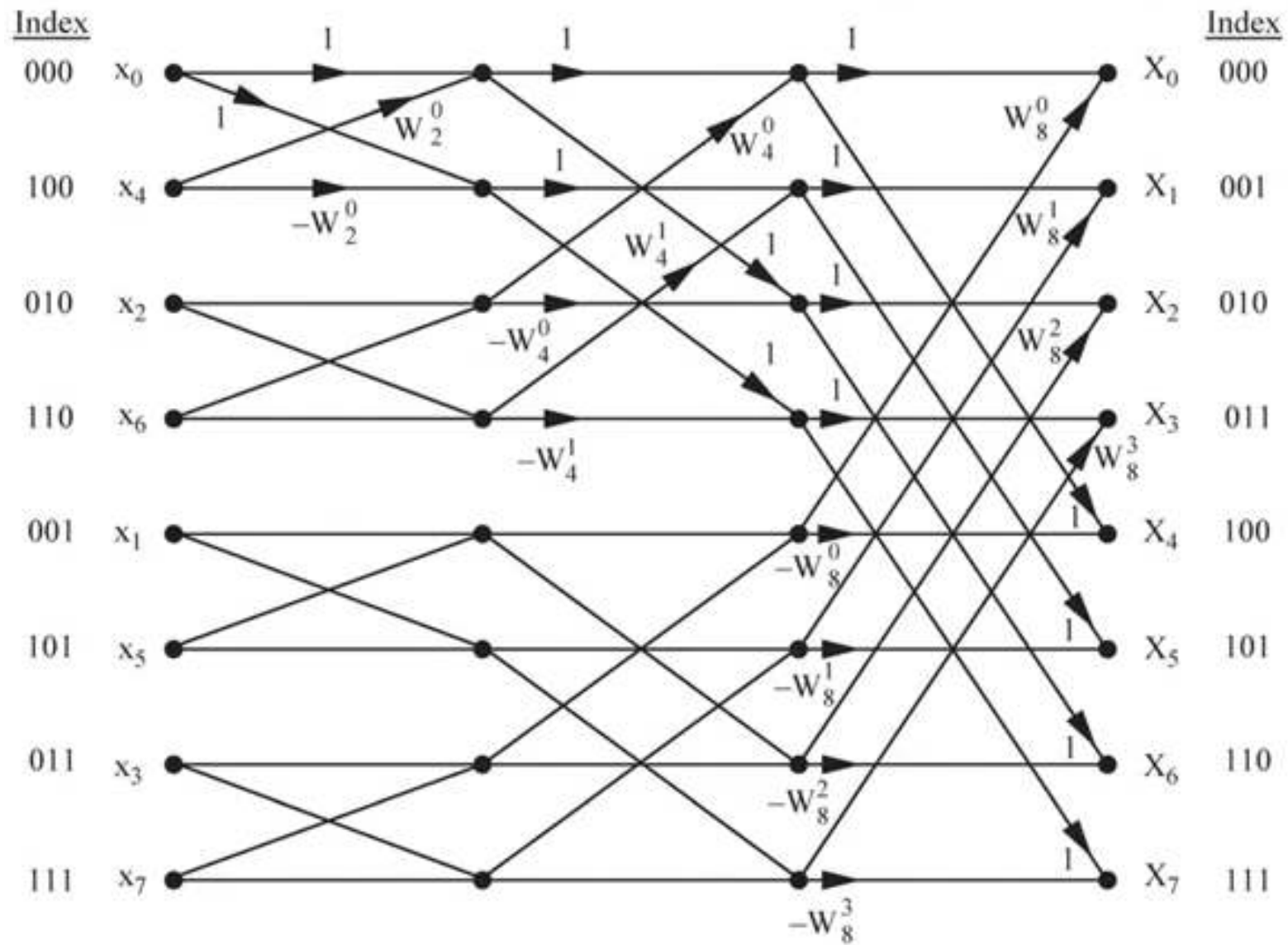
## IFFT



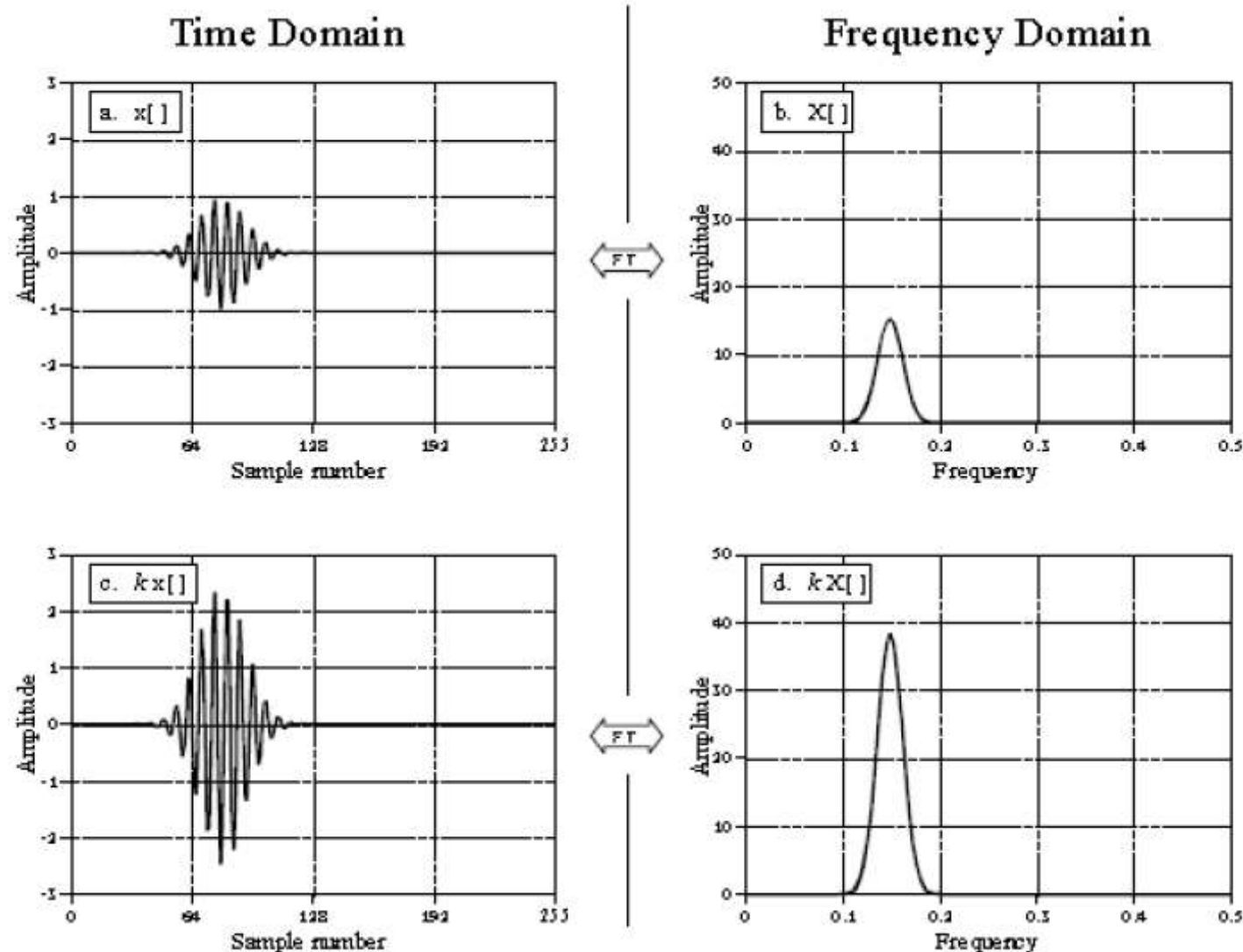
## FFT Butterfly



Stage 1  $W$  has base  $N$ , stage 2 has base  $\frac{N}{2}, \frac{N}{4}$ , divide by 2 as you add stages.



# Fourier Transform Properties (1)



FT is linear:

- **Homogeneity**
- **Additivity**

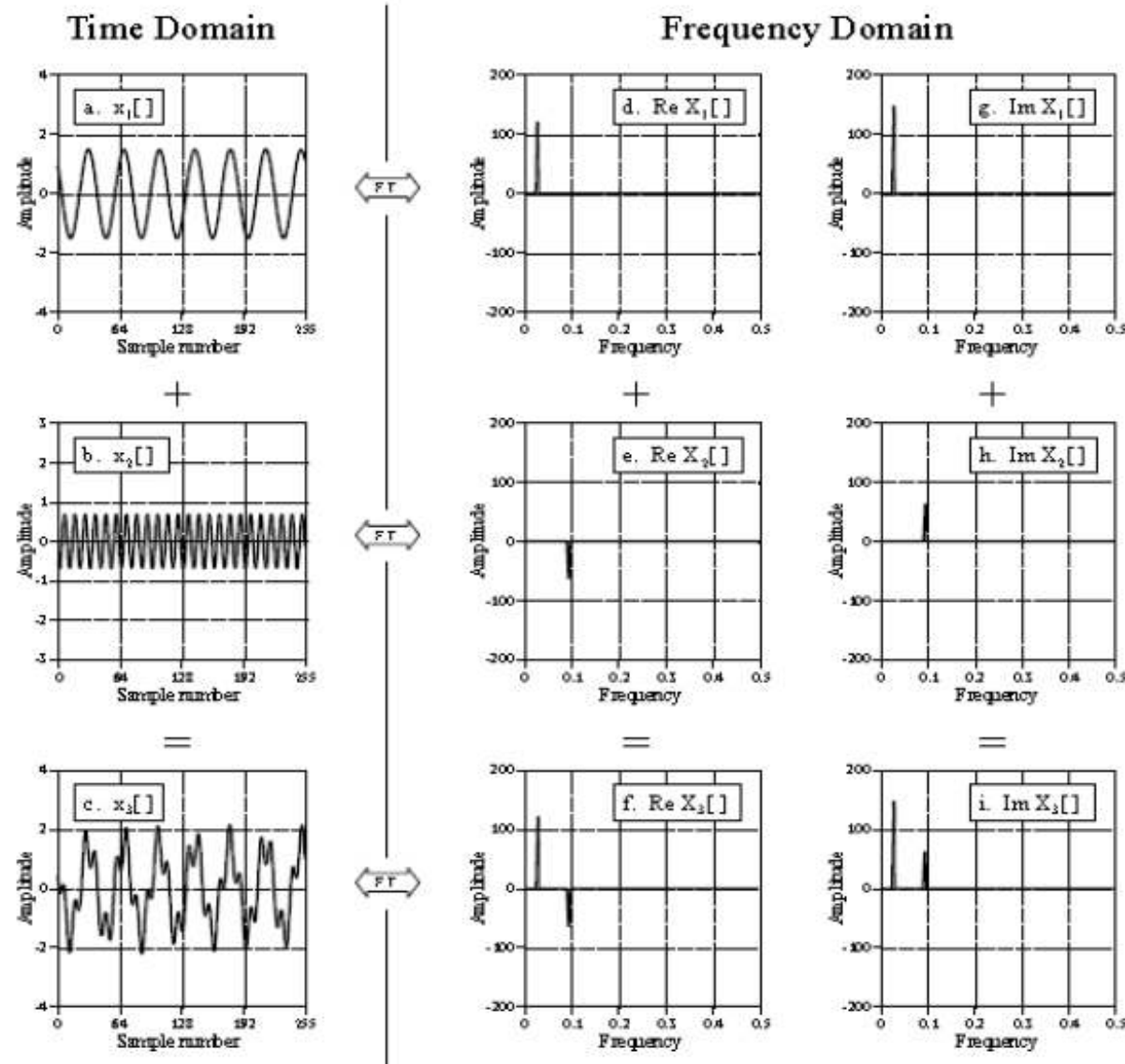
Homogeneity:

$$x[n] \xrightarrow{\text{DFT}} X[k]$$

$$kx[n] \xrightarrow{\text{DFT}} kX[k]$$

Frequency is not  
changed.

# Fourier Transform Properties (2)



## Additivity

$$\text{If : } x_1[n] + x_2[n] = x_3[n]$$

$$\text{Then : } \text{Re } X_1[f] + \text{Re } X_2[f] = \text{Re } X_3[f]$$

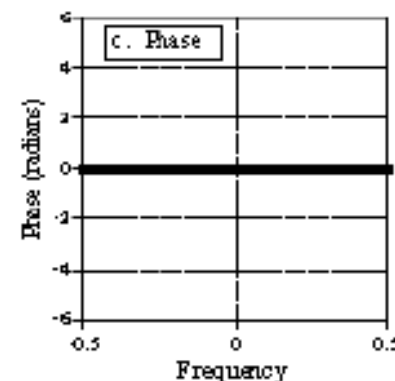
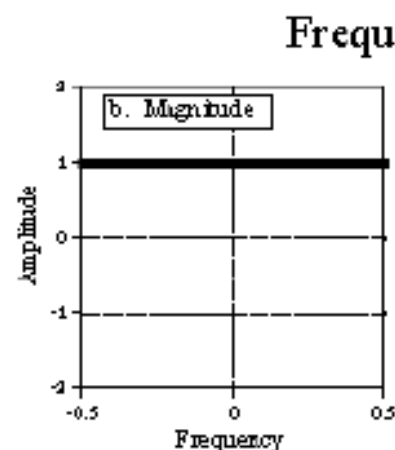
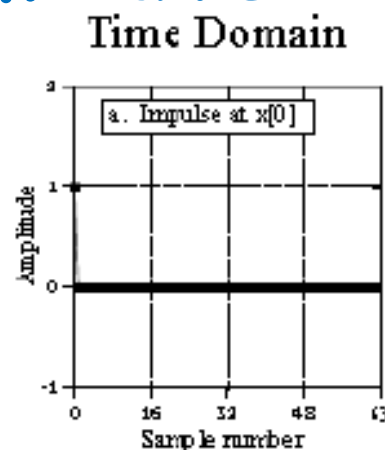
$$\text{and } \text{Im } X_1[f] + \text{Im } X_2[f] = \text{Im } X_3[f]$$



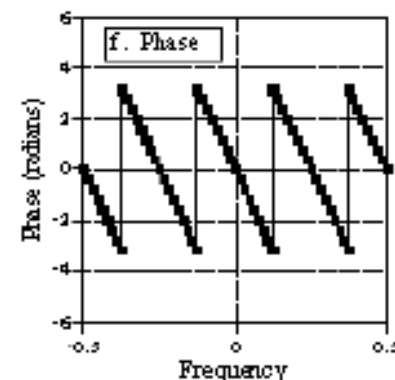
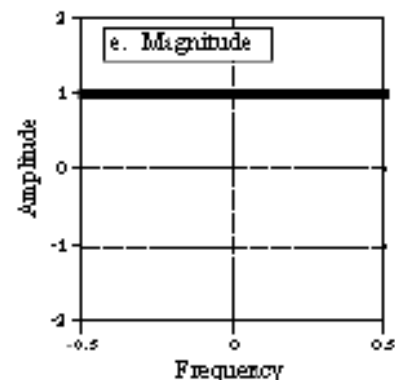
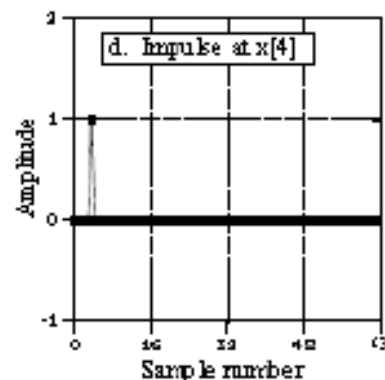
# Fourier Transform Pairs

## Delta Function Pairs in Polar Form

Delta Function



Shifted Delta Function



Same Magnitude,  
Different Phase

Shifted Delta Function

