



Signals & Systems (CNET - 221)

Signals

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Text Book & Online Reference

➤ Textbook:

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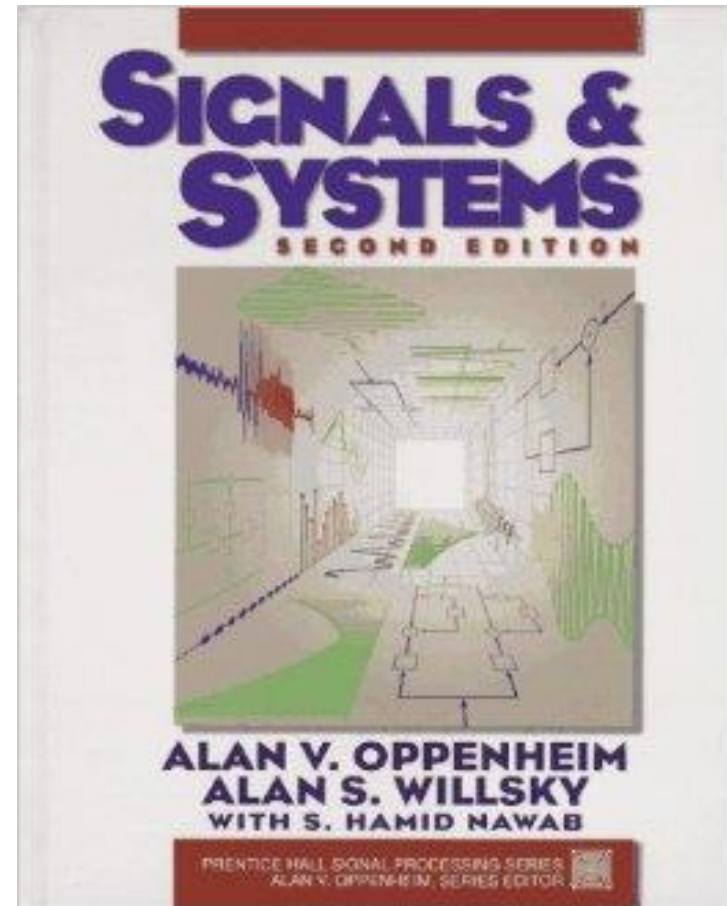
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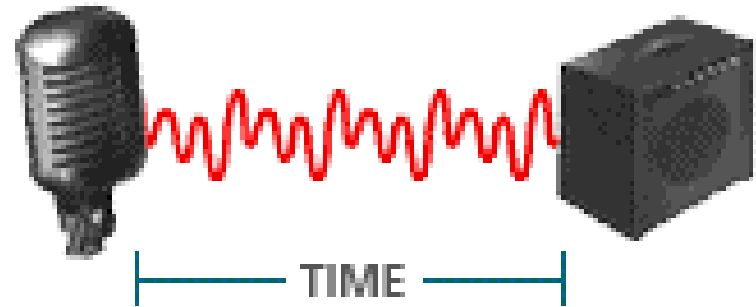
Introduction to Signals

Definition:

SIGNAL is a function or set of information representing a physical quantity that varies with time or any other independent variable.

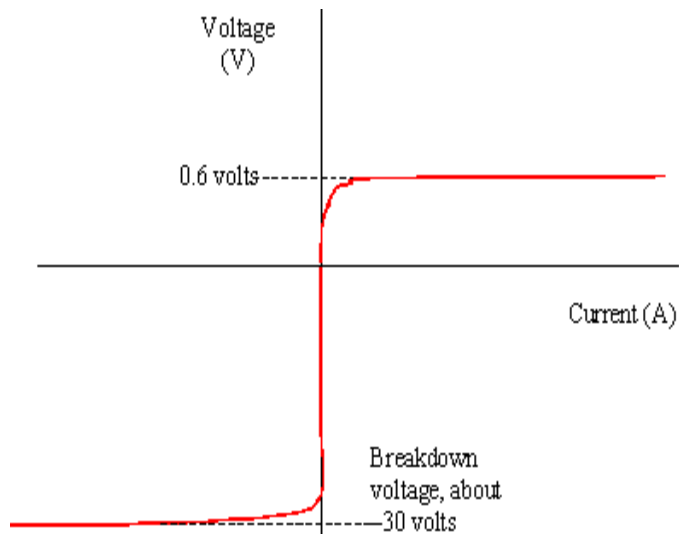
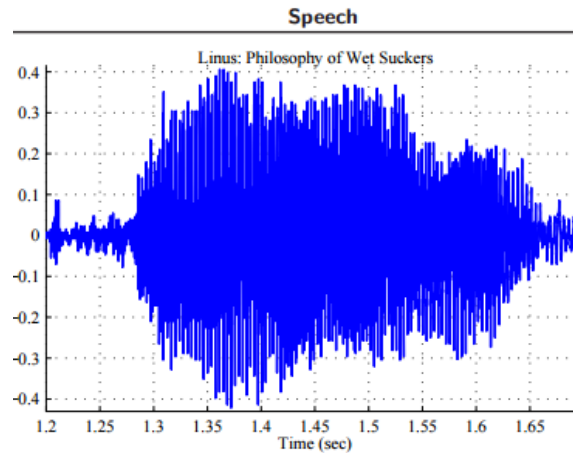
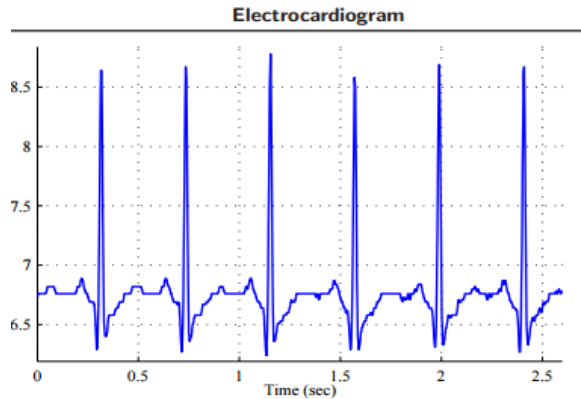
Examples:

- Voltage/Current in a Circuit
- Speech/Music
- Any company's industrial average
- Force exerted on a shock absorber
- $A * \sin(\omega t + \phi)$



Introduction to Signals (Continued....)

Example of various signals (Graphs)

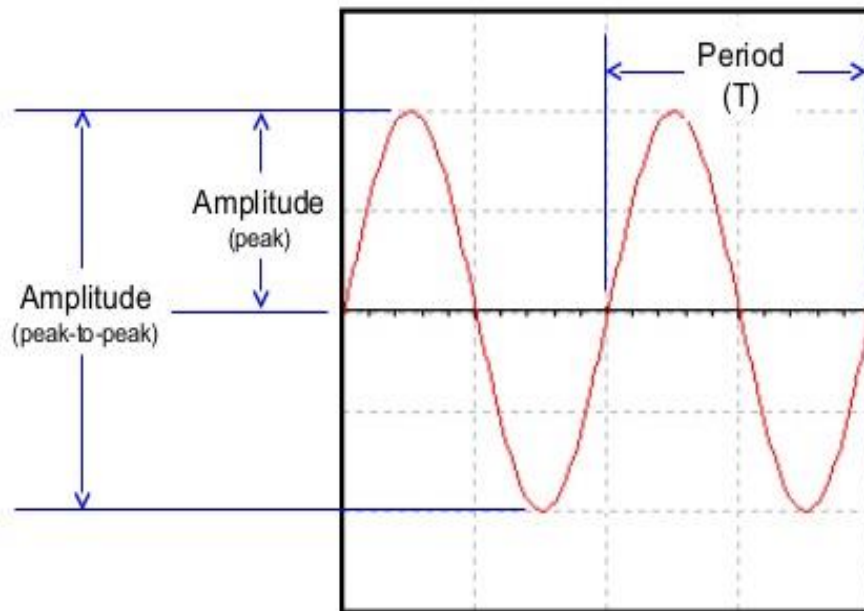


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Measuring Signals



Frequency:

$$F = \frac{1}{T} \text{ Hz}$$

Classifications of Signals

Signals are classified into the following categories:

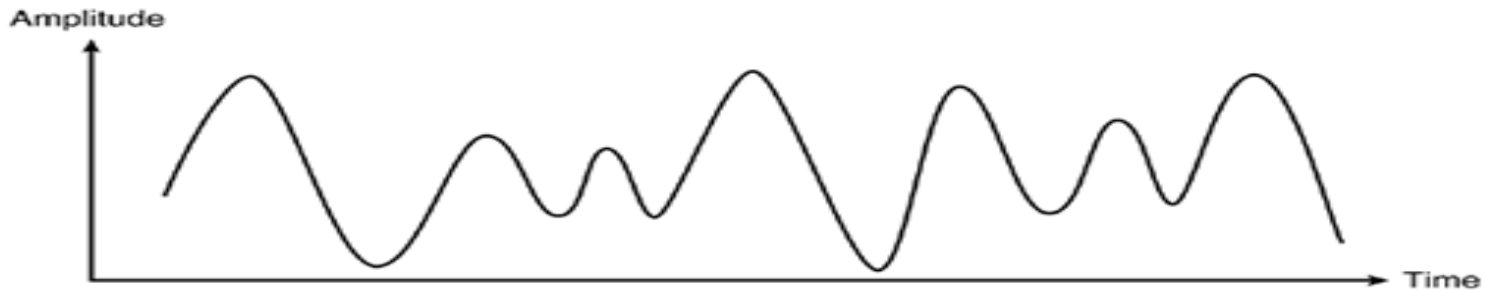
1. Continuous-Time Signals & Discrete-Time Signals
2. Even and Odd Signals
3. Periodic and Non-Periodic (aperiodic) Signals
4. Energy and Power Signals

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1. Continuous Time and Discrete Time Signals

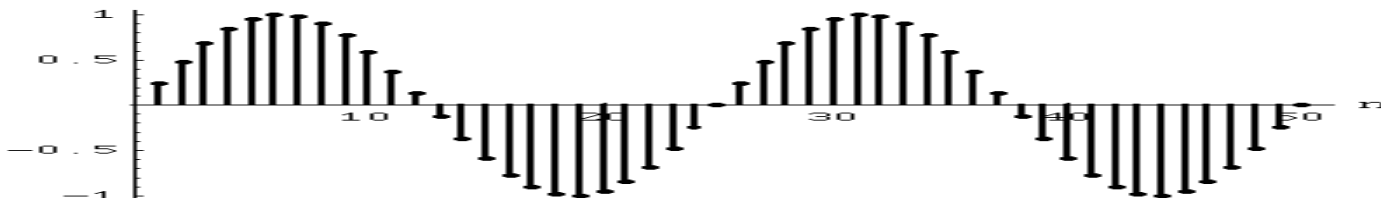
A signal is said to be **Continuous** when it is defined for all instants of time.

Example: Video, Audio



A signal is said to be **discrete** when it is defined at only discrete instants of time

Example: Stock Market, Temperature



Examples: CT vs. DT Signals

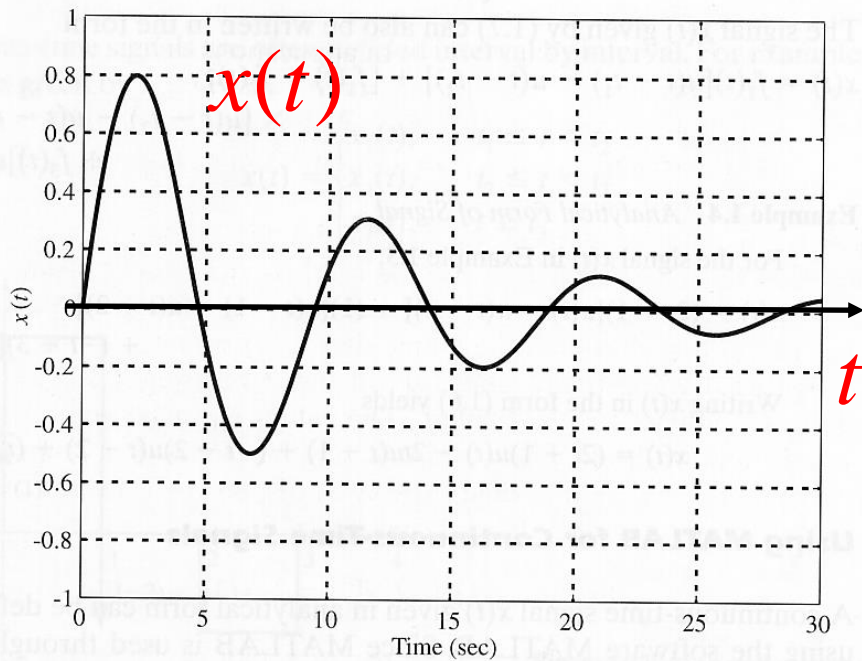


Figure 1.13 MATLAB plot of the signal $x(t) = e^{-0.1t} \sin(0.1\pi t)$.

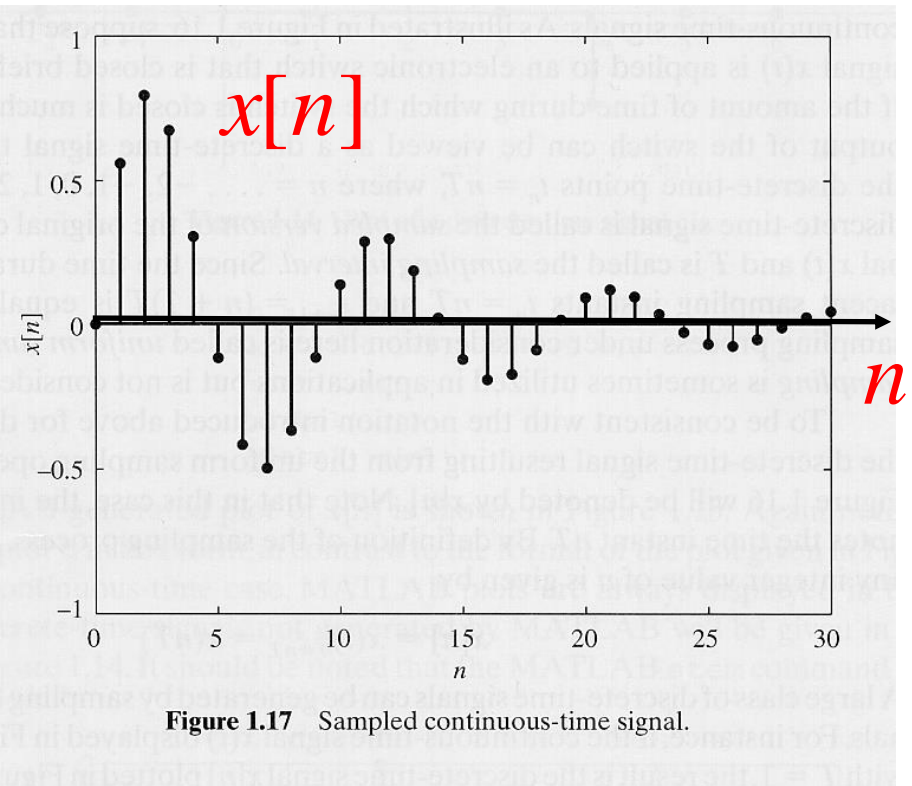
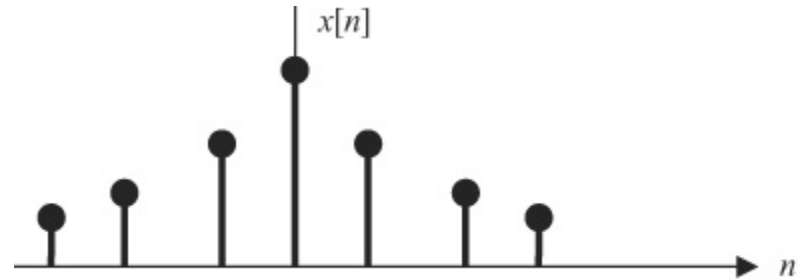
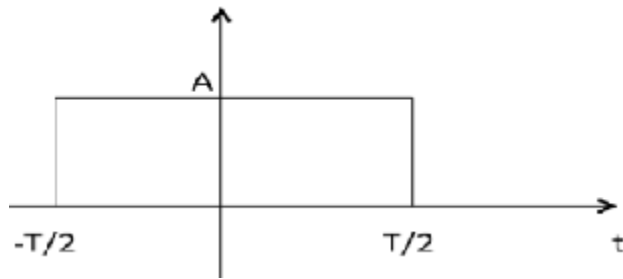


Figure 1.17 Sampled continuous-time signal.

2. Even and Odd Signals

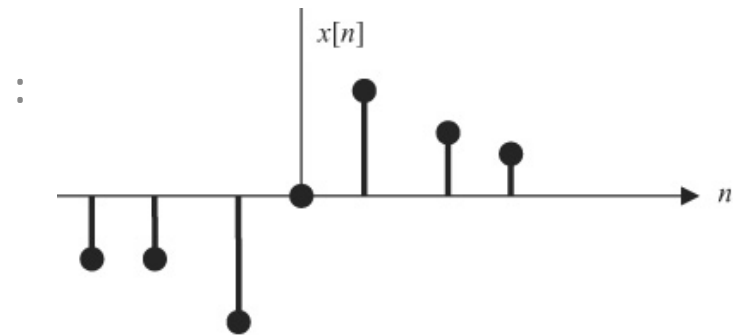
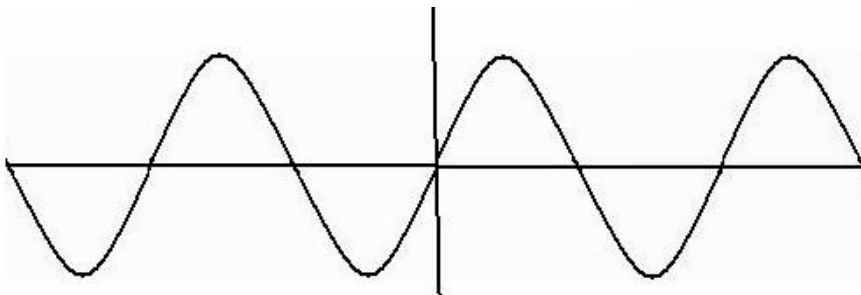
A signal is said to be even when it satisfies the condition

$$X(t) = X(-t) ; X[n] = X[-n]$$



A signal is said to be odd when it satisfies the condition

$$X(-t) = -X(t) ; X[-n] = -X[n]$$



3. Periodic and Non-periodic (Aperiodic) Signals

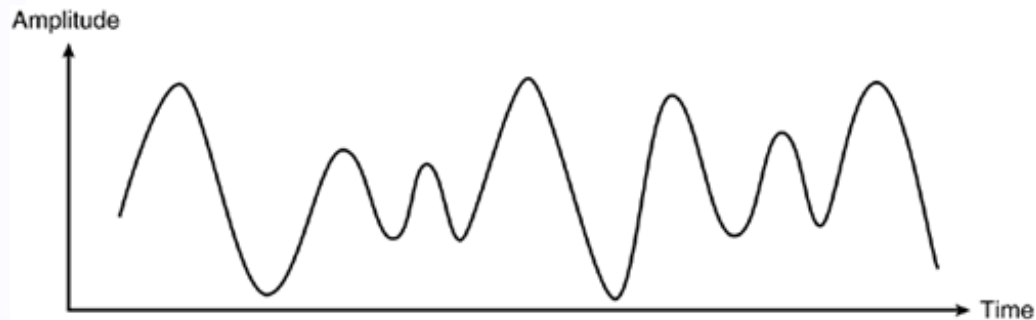
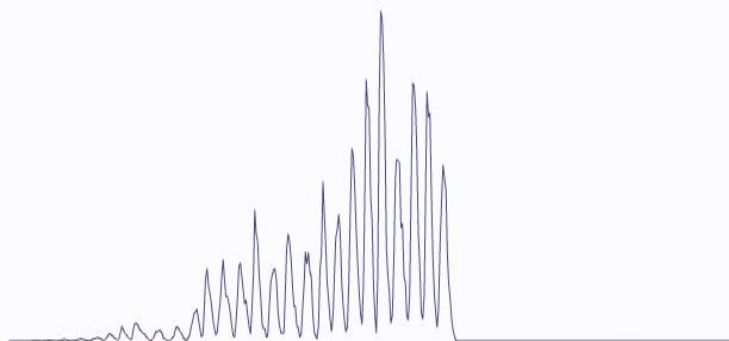
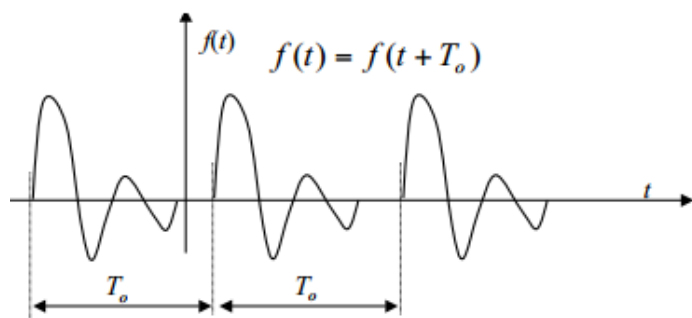
A signal is said to be periodic if it satisfies the condition

$$x(t) = x(t + T) \text{ or } x(n) = x(n + N)$$

for all t or n

Where T = fundamental time period,

$1/T = f$ = fundamental frequency.



4. Energy and Power Signals

A signal is said to be energy signal when it has finite energy.

$$\text{Energy } E = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2(t) dt$$

$$\bar{E} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \{x[n]\}^2$$

A signal is said to be power signal when it has finite power.

$$\text{Power } P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T x^2(t) dt$$

$$P = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \left(\frac{1}{2N+1} \right) \sum_{n=-N}^N \{x[n]\}^2$$

NOTE:

A signal cannot be both, energy and power simultaneously. Also, a signal may be neither energy nor power signal. Power of energy signal = 0 & Energy of power signal = ∞

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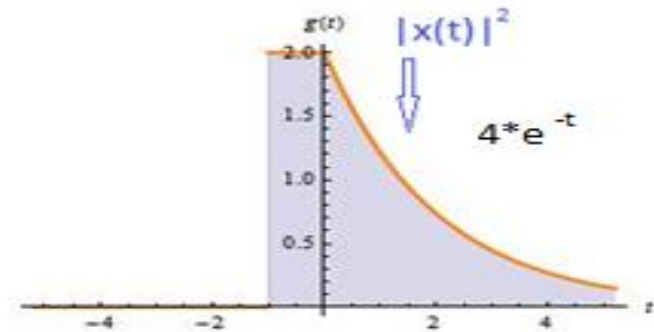
Energy and Power Signals

Example 1

- Determine the energy of the given signal as in figure

Solution:

- $E = \int x^2 dt$
- $E = \int_0^{\infty} 4e^{-2t} dt$
- $E = 4 \left[-\frac{1}{2} e^{-2t} \right]_0^{\infty}$
- $E = 4 \left[0 - \left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) \right] = 4 \left[\frac{1}{2} \right]$
- $E = 2$

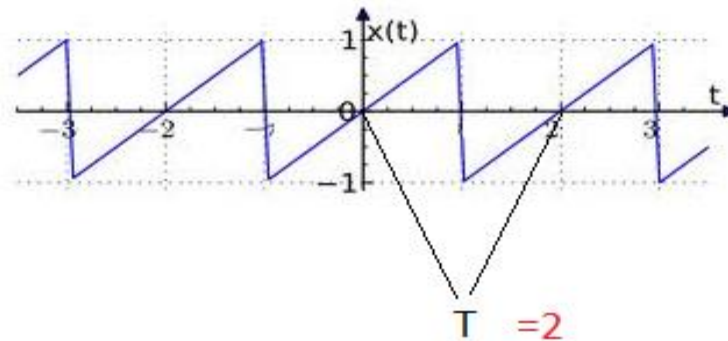


Example 2

- Determine the power of the given signal as in figure

Solution:

- $P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} x^2 dt$
- $P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} t^2 dt$
- $P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \left[\frac{t^3}{3} \right]_{-T/2}^{T/2}$
- $P = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \left[\frac{(T/2)^3}{3} - \frac{(-T/2)^3}{3} \right] = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \left[\frac{T^3}{12} + \frac{T^3}{12} \right] = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \left[\frac{T^3}{6} \right] = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{T^2}{6} = \infty$

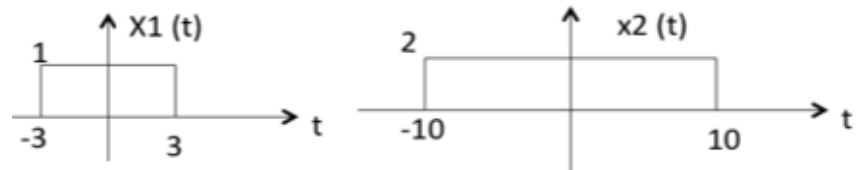


Basic Mathematical Operations on Signals

1. Addition
2. Subtraction
3. Multiplication

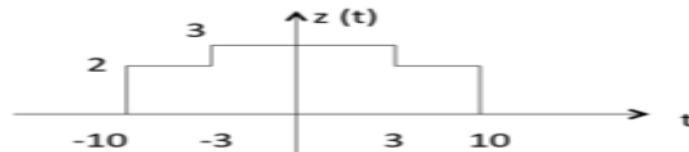
1. Addition

Example:- For the given signals $x_1(t)$ and $x_2(t)$ plot the Signal $z_1(t) = x_1(t) + x_2(t)$



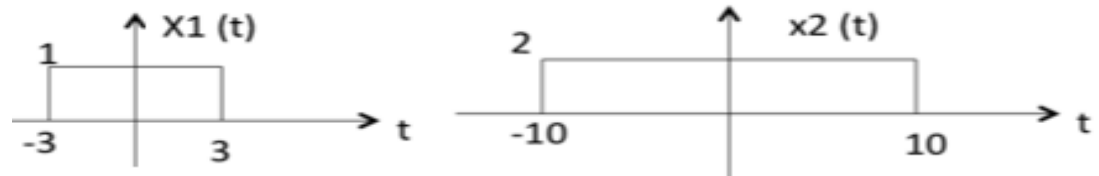
Answer: As seen from the diagram above,

- $-10 < t < -3$ amplitude of $z(t) = x_1(t) + x_2(t) = 0 + 2 = 2$
- $-3 < t < 3$ amplitude of $z(t) = x_1(t) + x_2(t) = 1 + 2 = 3$
- $3 < t < 10$ amplitude of $z(t) = x_1(t) + x_2(t) = 0 + 2 = 2$



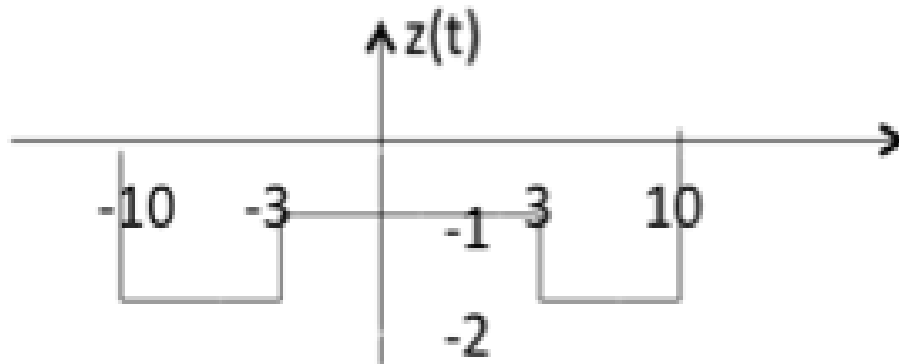
2. Subtraction

Example-2: For the given signals $x_1(t)$ and $x_2(t)$ plot the Signal $z_1(t) = x_1(t) - x_2(t)$



Answer: As seen from the diagram above,

- $-10 < t < -3$ amplitude of $z(t) = x_1(t) - x_2(t) = 0 - 2 = -2$
- $-3 < t < 3$ amplitude of $z(t) = x_1(t) - x_2(t) = 1 - 2 = -1$
- $3 < t < 10$ amplitude of $z(t) = x_1(t) - x_2(t) = 0 - 2 = -2$

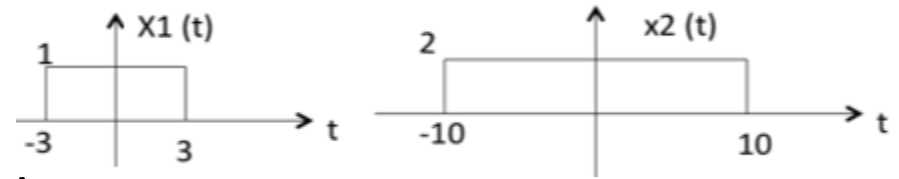


3. Multiplication

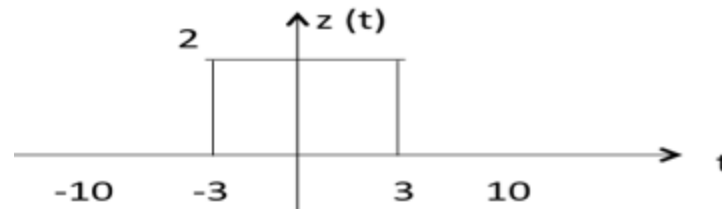
Example-3: For the given signals $x_1(t)$ and $x_2(t)$ plot the Signal

$$z_1(t) = x_1(t) * x_2(t)$$

Answer:



- As seen from the diagram above,
- $-10 < t < -3$ amplitude of $z(t) = x_1(t) \times x_2(t) = 0 \times 2 = 0$
- $-3 < t < 3$ amplitude of $z(t) = x_1(t) \times x_2(t) = 1 \times 2 = 2$
- $3 < t < 10$ amplitude of $z(t) = x_1(t) \times x_2(t) = 0 \times 2 = 0$



Transformations of the Independent Variable

1. Time Shifting

2. Time Scaling

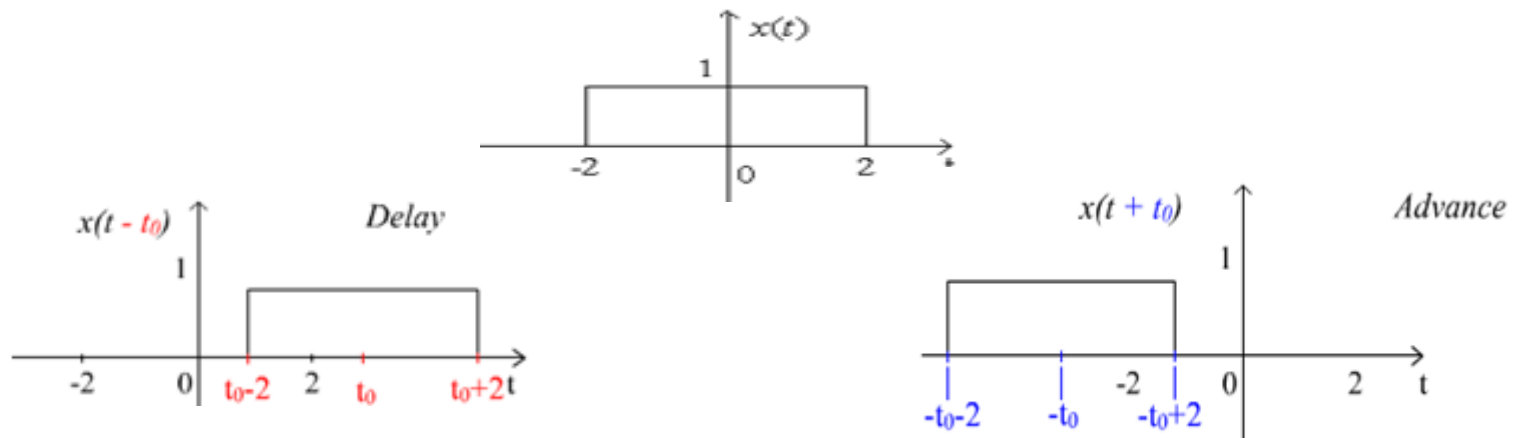
3. Time Reversal

1. Time Shifting:

$x(t \pm t_0)$ is time shifted version of the signal $x(t)$.

➤ $x(t + t_0) \rightarrow \rightarrow$ negative shift

➤ $x(t - t_0) \rightarrow \rightarrow$ positive shift

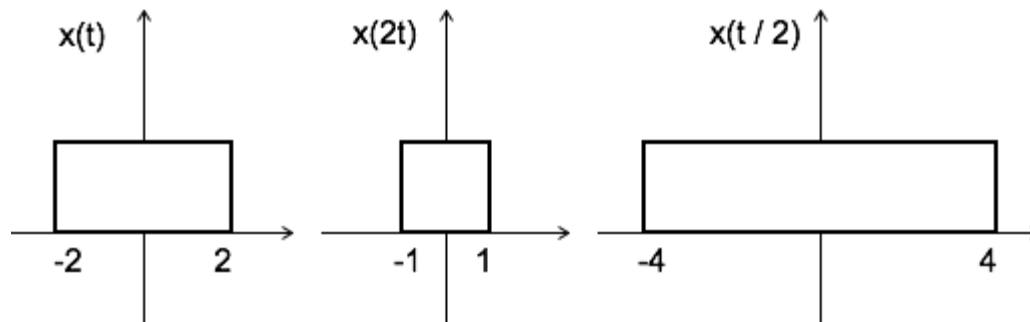


2. Time Scaling:

$x(At)$ is time scaled version of the signal $x(t)$. where A is always positive.

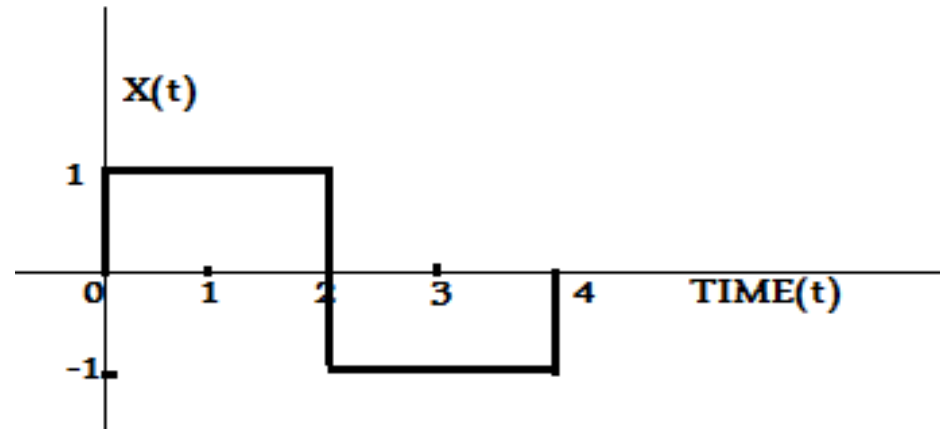
$|A| > 1 \rightarrow \rightarrow$ Compression of the signal

$|A| < 1 \rightarrow \rightarrow$ Expansion of the signal

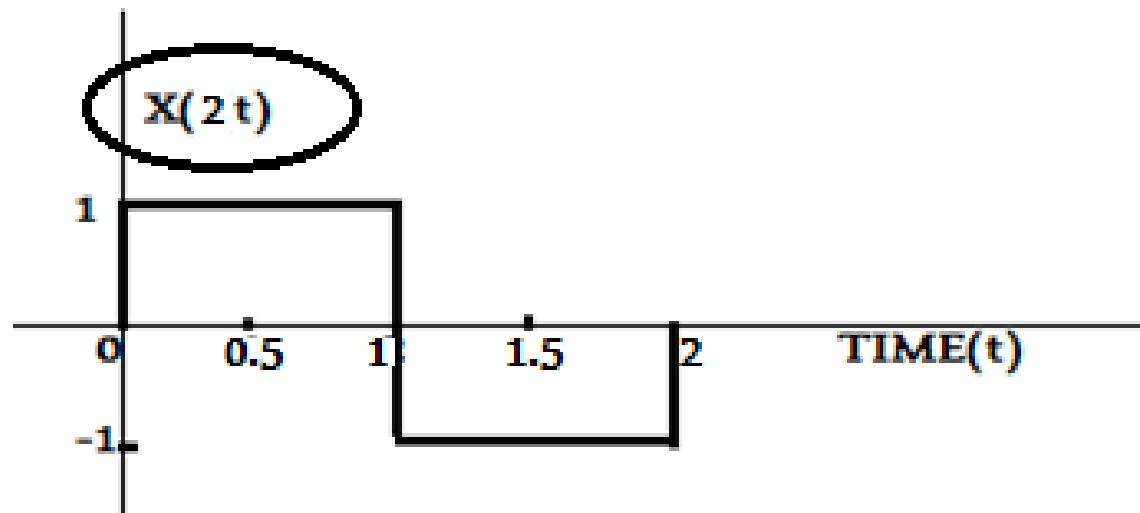


Note: $u(at) = u(t)$ time scaling is not applicable for unit step function.

Example:- For the given signal $X(t)$ shown in figure below, sketch the Time scaled signal $X(2t)$.



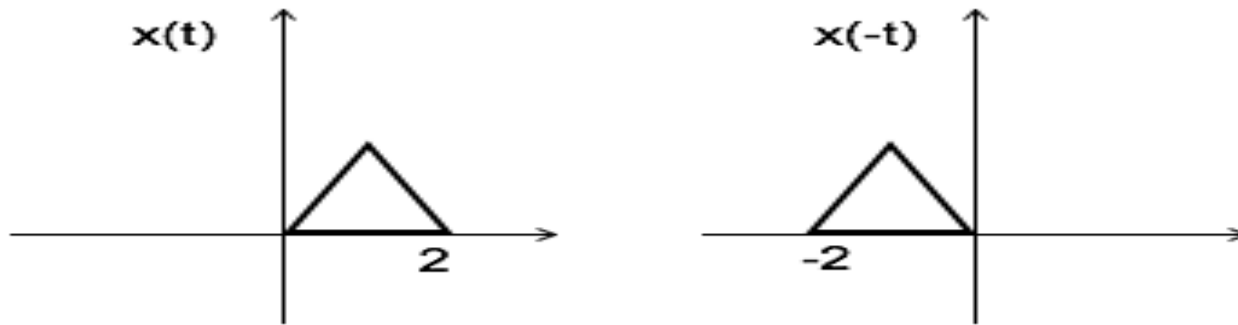
Solution:



3. Time Reversal:

The Time reversal of a signal $x(t)$ can be obtained by folding the signal about $t=0$, its denoted by $x(-t)$.

Example:-



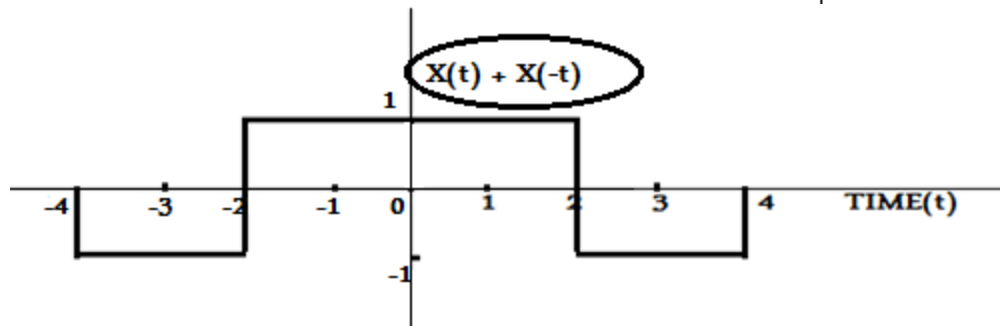
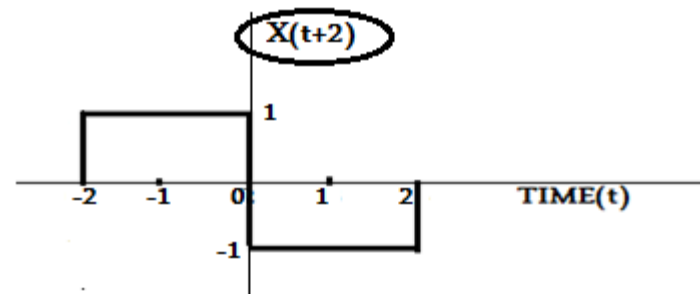
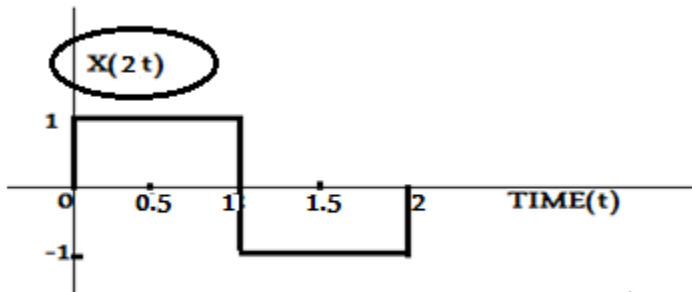
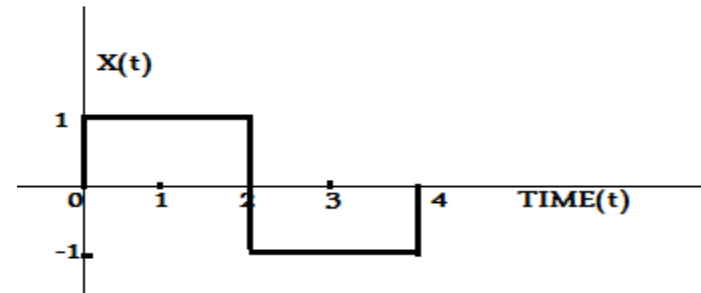
Example:- For the given signal $X(t)$ shown in figure below, sketch each of the following signals.

(a) Time scaled signal $X(2t)$.

(b) Time shifted signal $X(t+2)$.

(c) $X(t) + X(-t)$.

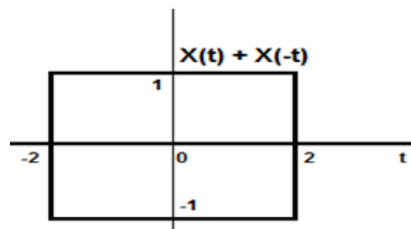
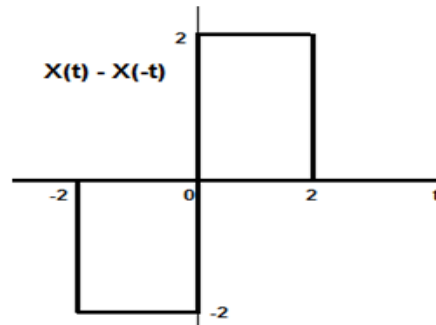
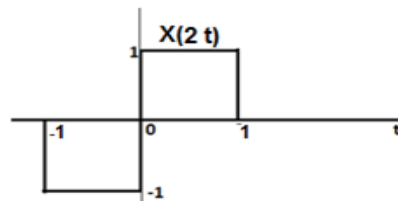
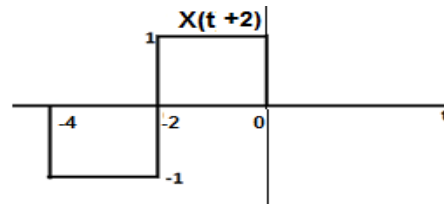
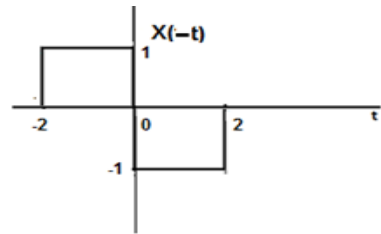
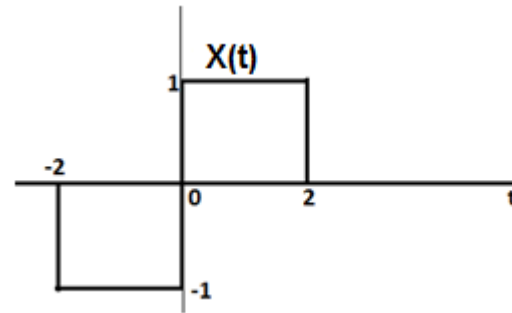
Solution:



Example:- For the given signal $X(t)$ shown in Figure-6, **sketch** each of the following signals.

- Time reversed signal $X(-t)$.
- Time scaled signal $X(2t)$.
- Time shifted signal $X(t+2)$.
- $\{ X(t) + X(-t) \}$
- $\{ X(t) - X(-t) \}$

Solution:



Continuous-Time Sinusoidal And Exponential Signals

1. Continuous-Time Sinusoidal Signal:-

- Sinusoids and exponentials are important in signal and system analysis because they arise naturally in the solutions of the differential equations.
- Sinusoidal Signals can be expressed in either of two ways :

Cyclic frequency form-

$$A \sin 2\pi f_o t = A \sin(2\pi/T_o)t$$

Radian frequency form-

$$A \sin \omega_o t$$

$$\omega_o = 2\pi f_o = 2\pi/T_o$$

T_o = Time Period of the Sinusoidal Wave

$$x(t) = A \sin (2\pi f_o t + \theta)$$

$$= A \sin (\omega_o t + \theta)$$

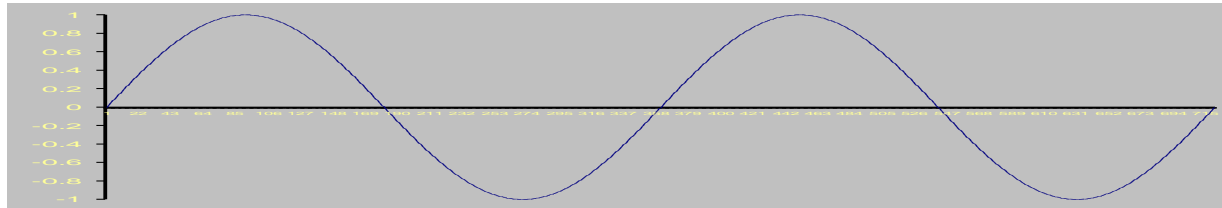
Sinusoidal signal as shown in below figure

θ = Phase of sinusoidal wave

A = amplitude of a sinusoidal or exponential signal

f_o = fundamental cyclic frequency of sinusoidal signal

ω_o = radian frequency



2. Continuous-Time Exponential Signal:-

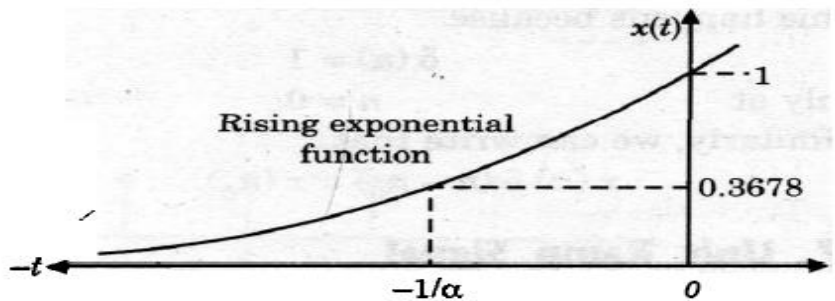
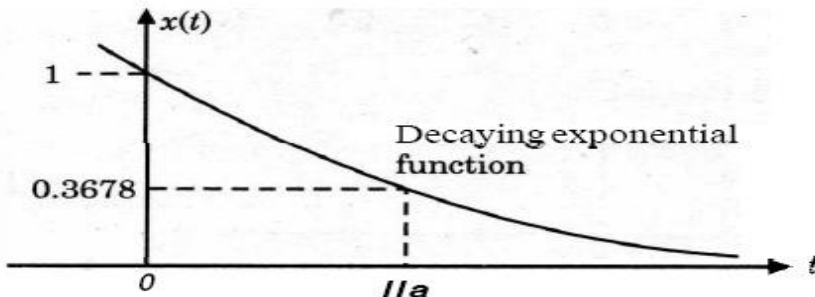
$$x(t) = Ae^{at} \quad \text{Real Exponential}$$

$$= Ae^{j\omega t} = A[\cos (\omega_o t) + j \sin (\omega_o t)] \quad \text{Complex Exponential}$$

Real Exponential Signals and damped Sinusoidal

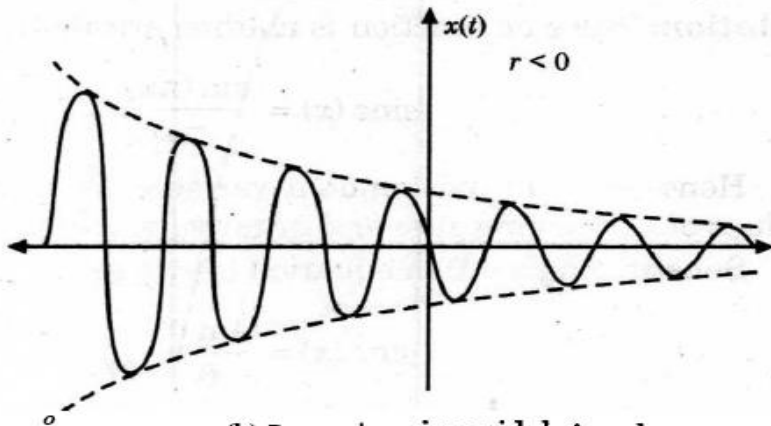
$$x(t) = e^{-at}$$

$$x(t) = e^{\alpha t}$$

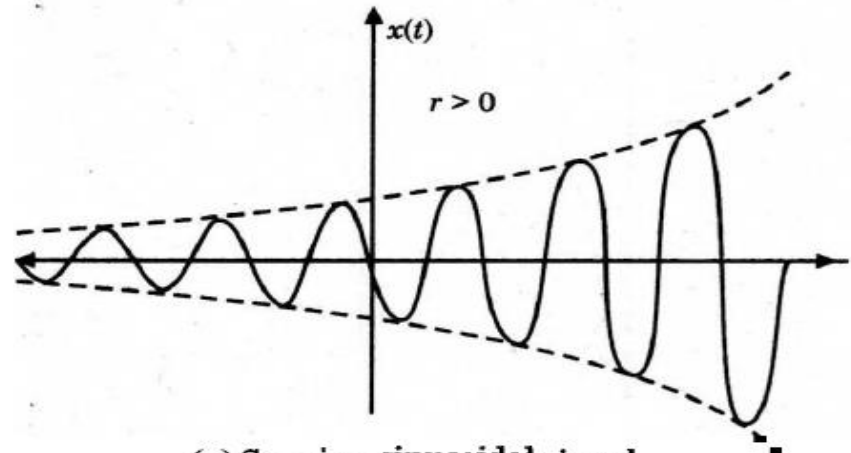


A discrete time exponential signal is expressed as

$$x(n) = a^n$$



(b) Decaying sinusoidal signal



(a) Growing sinusoidal signal

$$e^{rt} \cos(\omega_0 t + \theta)$$

Discrete Time Sinusoidal and Exponential Signals

- DT signals can be defined in a manner analogous to their continuous-time counterpart

$$x[n] = A \sin(2\pi n/N_0 + \theta)$$

$$= A \sin(2\pi F_0 n + \theta) \quad \text{Discrete Time Sinusoidal Signal}$$

$$x[n] = a^n \quad \text{Discrete Time Exponential Signal}$$

n = the discrete time

A = amplitude

θ = phase shifting radians,

N_0 = Discrete Period of the wave

$1/N_0 = F_0 = \Omega_0/2\pi$ = Discrete Frequency

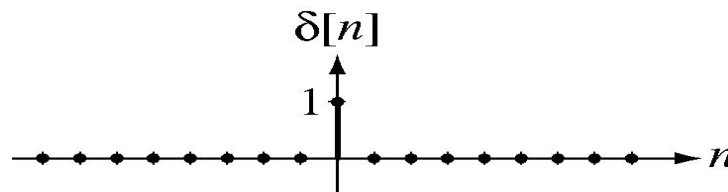
Unit Impulse and Unit Step functions

1. Discrete-Time Unit Impulse and Unit Step Sequences
2. Continuous-Time Unit Step and Unit Impulse Functions

1. Discrete-Time Unit Impulse and Unit Step Sequences

1(a) Discrete Time Unit Impulse Function

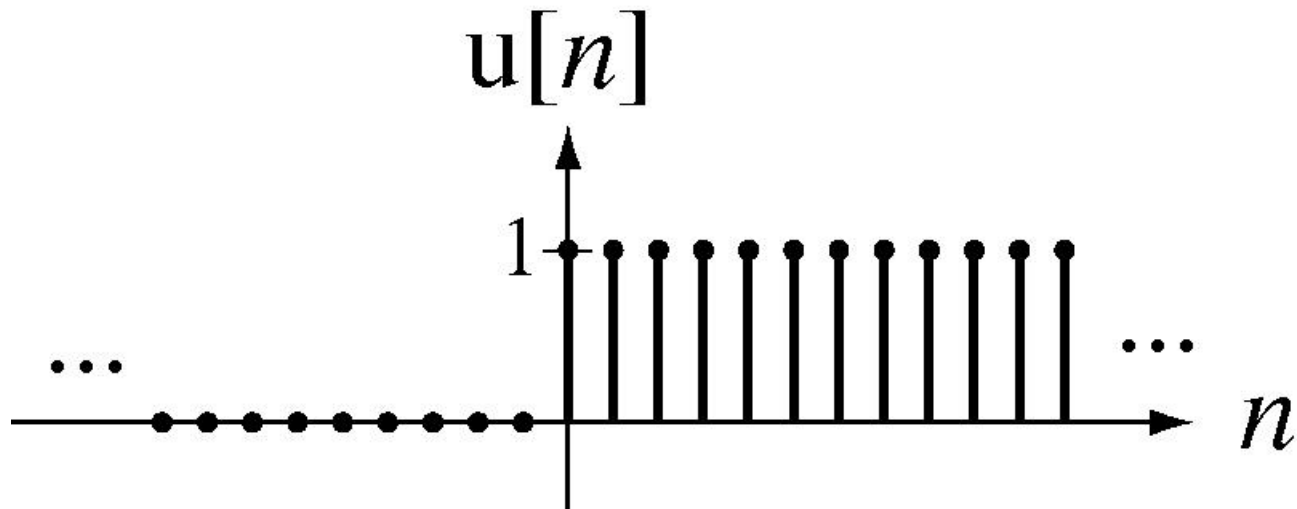
$$\delta[n] = \begin{cases} 1 & , n = 0 \\ 0 & , n \neq 0 \end{cases}$$



$$\delta[n] = \delta[an] \text{ for any non-zero, finite integer } a.$$

1(b) Unit Step Sequence functions

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



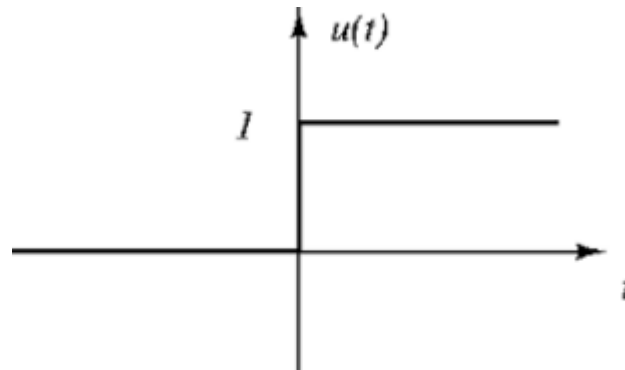
2. Continuous-Time Unit Step and Unit Impulse Functions

2(a) Continuous-Time Unit Step Function

Definition: The unit step function, $u(t)$, is defined as

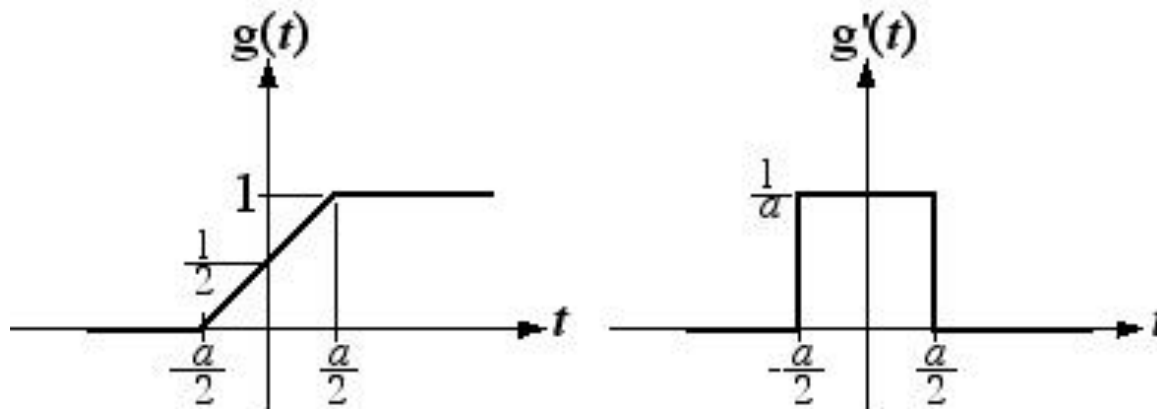
$$u(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & t < 0 \\ 1 & t > 0 \end{cases}$$

That is, u is a function of time t , and u has value zero when time is negative (before we flip the switch); and value one when time is positive (from when we flip the switch).



2(b) Unit Impulse Function

As a approaches zero, $g(t)$ approaches a unit step and $g'(t)$ approaches a unit impulse

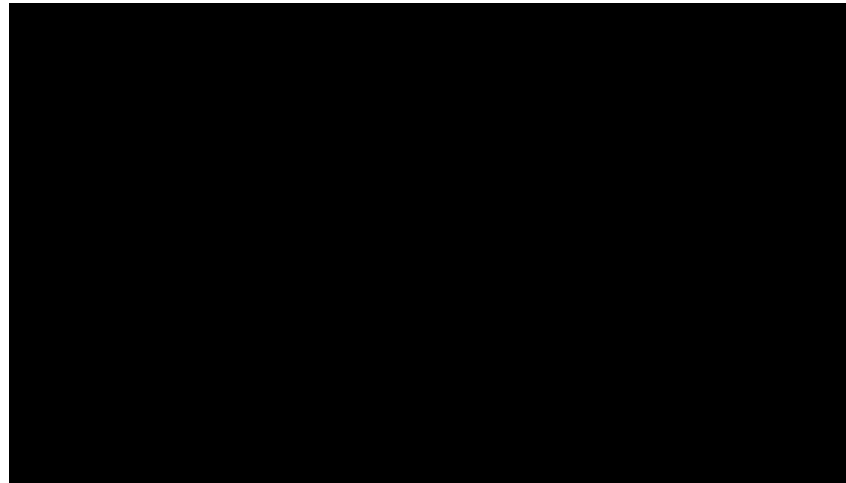


So unit impulse function is the **derivative** of the unit step function or unit step is the integral of the unit impulse function



Videos

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2. Signals & Systems Tutorial

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