

### 3.6 Parseval's Theorem

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- In ch. 1, we have shown that the average normalized power of a periodic signal can be expressed as :-

$$P_{av} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T |x(t)|^2 dt \quad (\text{In general})$$

$$P_{av} = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{\langle T_0 \rangle} |x(t)|^2 dt \quad (\text{For periodic signal})$$

- \* we can express  $P_{av}$  in terms of Fourier Coefficients of  $x(t)$  such that :-

$$P_{av} = \frac{1}{T_0} \int x(t) x^*(t) dt$$

$$x(t) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t}$$

$$\Rightarrow P_{av} = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{\langle T_0 \rangle} x(t) \left( \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} X_n^* e^{-jn\omega_0 t} \right) dt$$

$$= \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} X_n^* \left( \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{\langle T_0 \rangle} x(t) e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt \right)$$

$$= \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} X_n^* X_n$$

$$= \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} |X_n|^2 = X_0^2 + |X_1|^2 + |X_2|^2 + \dots \\ + |X_{-1}|^2 + |X_{-2}|^2 + \dots$$

$$= X_0^2 + 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |X_n|^2$$

⇒ Par Evaluation for periodic signal  $x(t)$  :-

① In time domain :-

$$P_{av} = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{\langle T_0 \rangle} |x(t)|^2 dt$$

② In Frequency domain

$$P_{av} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |X_n|^2 \quad (\text{In general})$$

$$= X_0^2 + 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |X_n|^2 \quad (\text{For real signal})$$

⇒ Average Power of periodic signal is the sum of powers ~~in the~~ in the phasor components of ~~is~~ its FS

⇒ Equivalently, the Average power in a periodic signal is the sum of the power in its dc component plus the powers in its harmonics.

Example Find  $P_{av}$  for  $x(t) = 4 \sin(50\pi t)$

Sol. From time-domain expression:-

$$P_{av} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2T} \int_{-T}^T |x(t)|^2 dt$$

for periodic signal  $\cdot P_{av} = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{\langle T_0 \rangle} |x(t)|^2 dt$

$$\Rightarrow P_{av} = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} 16 \sin^2(50\pi t) dt, \quad \omega_0 = 50\pi, \quad T_0 = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_0} = \frac{1}{25}$$

$$= \frac{16}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \cos(100\pi t) \right) dt$$

$$= \frac{8}{T_0} \left( t - \frac{1}{100\pi} \sin(100\pi t) \right) \Big|_0^{T_0}$$

$$= \frac{8}{T_0} \left[ T_0 - \frac{1}{100\pi} \sin(100\pi T_0) - 0 \right]$$

$$= 8 \times 25 \left[ \frac{1}{25} - \frac{1}{100\pi} \sin(4\pi) \right] = 8 \text{ W}$$

In general, for  $x(t) = A \sin(\omega_0 t) \rightarrow P_{av} = \frac{A^2}{2}$

We can find  $P_{av}$  also using Parseval's theorem.

$$P_{av} = X_0^2 + 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |X_n|^2$$

where  $X_n = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} x(t) e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt$

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or  $x(t) = 4 \sin 50\pi t$   
 $= 4 \sin \omega t$  ,  $\omega = 50\pi$

$$= 4 \left[ \frac{e^{j\omega t} - e^{-j\omega t}}{j2} \right]$$

$$= -j2 e^{j\omega t} + j2 e^{-j\omega t}$$

in comparison to  $x(t) = \sum X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t}$

$$= X_0 + X_1 e^{j\omega_0 t} + X_2 e^{j2\omega_0 t} + \dots$$

$$+ X_{-1} e^{-j\omega_0 t} + X_{-2} e^{-j2\omega_0 t} + \dots$$

it is clear that

$$X_0 = 0$$

$$X_1 = -j2 \quad X_2 = 0 \quad \dots$$

$$X_{-1} = j2 \quad X_{-2} = 0 \quad \dots$$

Note that

$$X_1 = X_{-1}^*$$

$$X_1 = 2 \angle^{-\frac{\pi}{2}} \Rightarrow |X_1| = 2$$

$$|X_2| = |X_3| = \dots = 0$$

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$$\Rightarrow P_{av} = |X_0|^2 + 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |X_n|^2$$

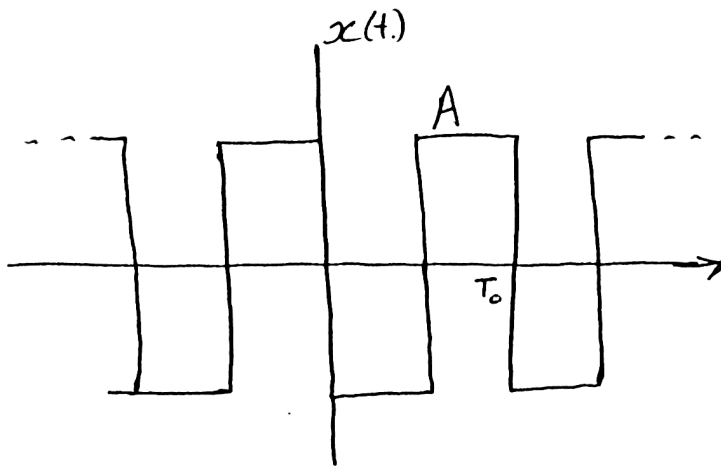
$$= 0 + 2 * (2)^2 + 0 + \dots$$

$$= 8 \text{ Watts}$$

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Now, we study the effect of selecting some harmonics to represent a certain signal in terms of average power :-

Example From the earlier example (periodic square)



we have shown earlier that

$$x(t) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} X_n e^{jn\omega_0 t}$$

$$X_n = \begin{cases} j \frac{2A}{n\pi} & n: \text{odd } 1, 3, \dots \\ 0 & n: \text{even } 2, 4, \dots \end{cases}$$

$$X_0 = 0$$

we can find the TFS coefficients

$$a_0 = X_0 = 0$$

$$a_n = 2 \operatorname{Real}(X_n) = 0 \quad \forall n$$

$$b_n = -2 \operatorname{Im}(X_n) = \begin{cases} -2 \times \frac{2A}{n\pi} = -\frac{4A}{n\pi}, & n: \text{odd} \\ 0 & n: \text{even} \end{cases}$$

Hence,

$$\begin{aligned}x(t) &= a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos n\omega_0 t + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin n\omega_0 t \\&= \sum_{n \neq \text{odd}} \left( \frac{-4A}{n\pi} \right) \sin(n\omega_0 t) \\&= -\frac{4A}{\pi} \sum_{n: \text{odd}} \frac{1}{n} \sin(n\omega_0 t)\end{aligned}$$

- Assume that we approximate (select) the signal  $x(t)$  with one sinusoid (select only one component)

$$\rightarrow \text{then, } \hat{x}_1 = b_1 \sin(1\omega_0 t)$$

$$= -\frac{4A}{\pi} \sin \omega_0 t \quad (n=1, \text{ only one Harmonic})$$

$\rightarrow$  then,  $P_{av}$  for  $x(t)$  :

$$P_{av} = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{\langle T_0 \rangle} |x(t)|^2 dt = \frac{1}{T_0} A^2 T_0 = A^2$$

$$P_{av} \text{ for } \hat{x}_1(t) \Rightarrow P_1 = \left( \frac{-4A}{\pi} \right)^2 = \frac{8A^2}{\pi^2}$$

$\rightarrow$  the lost power in percentage :-

$$\frac{P_x - P_1}{P_x} = \frac{A^2 - \frac{8A^2}{\pi^2}}{A^2} \times 100\% = 18.9\%$$

• Assume that we use two sinusoids (Remember)

$$\Rightarrow \hat{x}_2 = -\frac{4A}{\pi} \sin \omega_0 t - \frac{4A}{3\pi} \sin 3\omega_0 t$$

$b_2 = 0$   
 $\Rightarrow$  select  $b_3$

then, the lost Power :-

$$\frac{P_x - P_2}{P_x} \times 100\% = \frac{A^2 - \left( \frac{8A^2}{\pi^2} + \frac{8}{9\pi} A^2 \right)}{A^2} \times 100\%$$
$$= 9.9\% \text{ only.}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Conclusion :-

if we use bandwidth  $4\omega_0 \rightarrow 18.9\%$  Power lost  
if we use bandwidth  $3\omega_0 \rightarrow 9.9\%$  Power lost

$\Rightarrow$  Spectrum can be used to decide the Bandwidth needed to store or Transmit  $x(t)$ .

$\Rightarrow$  More Harmonics Give better approximation  
But More Bandwidth.

Again one can find these percentages from the

Complex FS and Parseval's theorem:-

$$X_n = \begin{cases} j \frac{2A}{n\pi} & n: \text{odd} \\ 0 & n: \text{even} \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow |X_n| = \begin{cases} \frac{2A}{n\pi} & n: \text{odd} \\ 0 & n: \text{even} \end{cases}$$

- Assume that we approximate  $x(t)$  with the first harmonic

$$\hat{x}_1(t) = -j \frac{2A}{\pi} e^{-j\omega_0 t} + j \frac{2A}{\pi} e^{j\omega_0 t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Pav for } \hat{x}_1(t) \Rightarrow P_1 = |X_0|^2 + 2|X_1|^2 \\ = 0 + 2 \left( \frac{2A}{\pi} \right)^2 = \frac{8A^2}{\pi^2}$$

$$\text{Pav for } x(t) = 2 \sum_{\substack{n=1 \\ \text{odd}}}^{\infty} \left( \frac{2A}{n\pi} \right)^2 = A^2$$

→ the lost power :-

$$\frac{A^2 - \frac{8A^2}{\pi^2}}{A^2} \times 100\% = 18.9\%$$

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