

2D Fourier Transform

Overview

- Signals as functions (1D, 2D)
 - Tools
- 1D Fourier Transform
 - Summary of definition and properties in the different cases
 - CTFT, CTFS, DTFS, DTFT
 - DFT
- 2D Fourier Transforms
 - Generalities and intuition
 - Examples
 - A bit of theory
- Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT)
- Discrete Cosine Transform (DCT)

Signals as functions

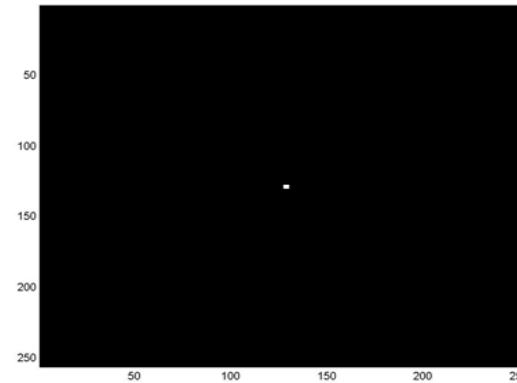
- Continuous functions of real independent variables
 - 1D: $f=f(x)$
 - 2D: $f=f(x,y)$ x,y
 - Real world signals (audio, ECG, images)
- Real valued functions of discrete variables
 - 1D: $f=f[k]$
 - 2D: $f=f[i,j]$
 - *Sampled* signals
- Discrete functions of discrete variables
 - 1D: $f^d=f^d[k]$
 - 2D: $f^d=f^d[i,j]$
 - *Sampled and quantized* signals

Images as functions

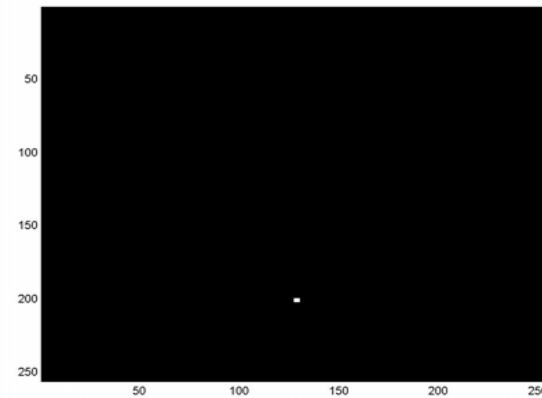
- Gray scale images: 2D functions
 - Domain of the functions: set of (x,y) values for which $f(x,y)$ is defined : 2D lattice $[i,j]$ defining the pixel locations
 - Set of values taken by the function : gray levels
- Digital images can be seen as functions defined over a discrete domain $\{i,j: 0 < i < I, 0 < j < J\}$
 - I,J : number of rows (columns) of the matrix corresponding to the image
 - $f=f[i,j]$: gray level in position $[i,j]$

Example 1: δ function

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



$$\delta[i, j - J] = \begin{cases} 1 & i = 0; j = J \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



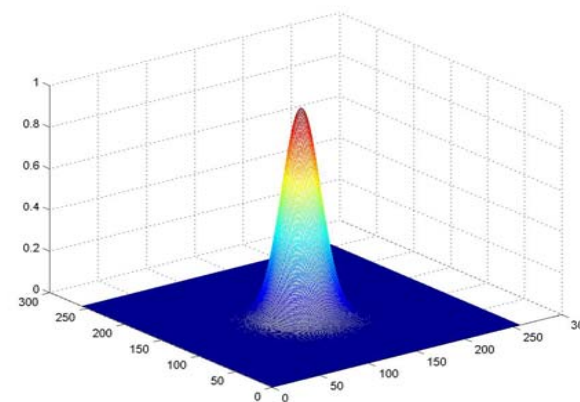
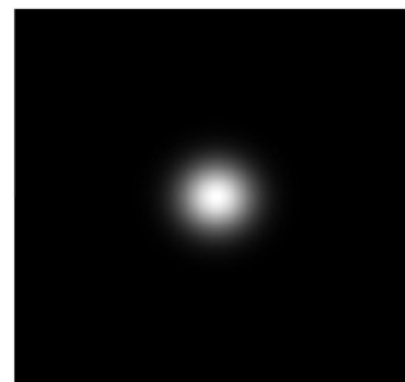
Example 2: Gaussian

Continuous function

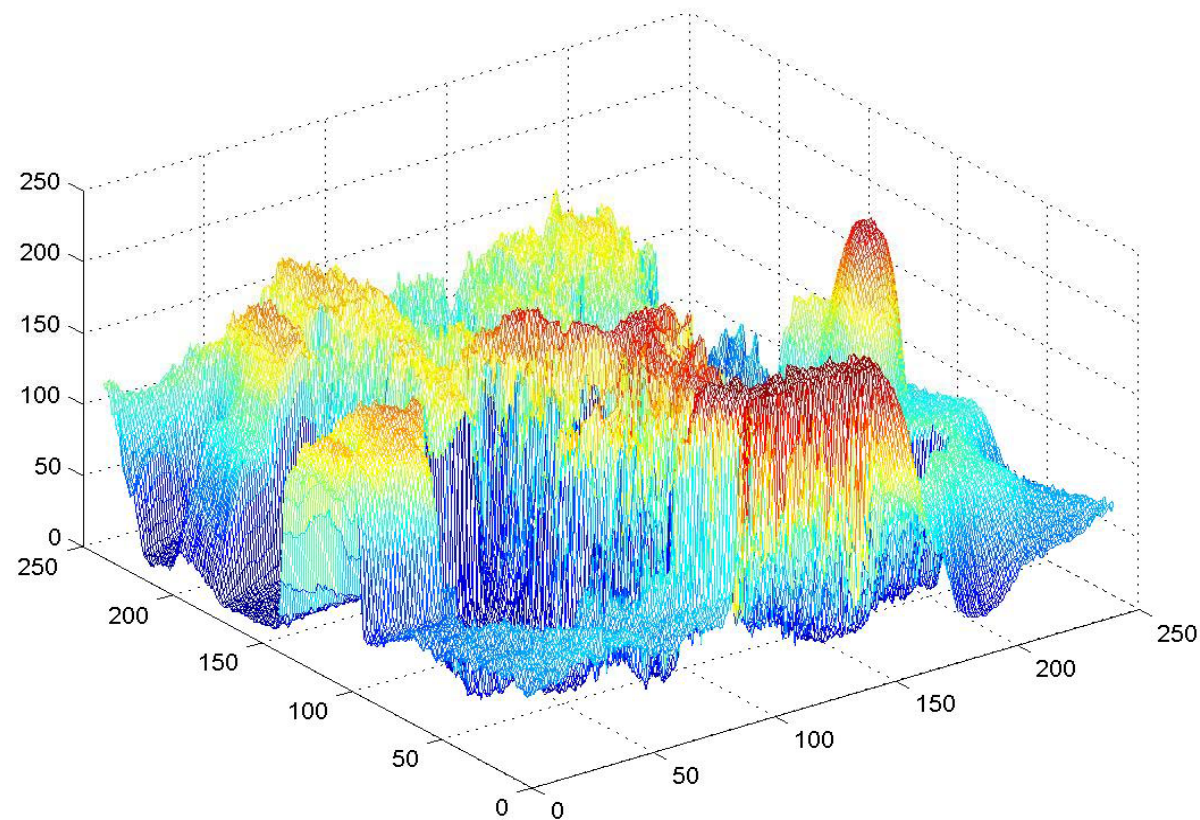
$$f(x, y) = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{x^2+y^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

Discrete version

$$f[i, j] = \frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{i^2+j^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$



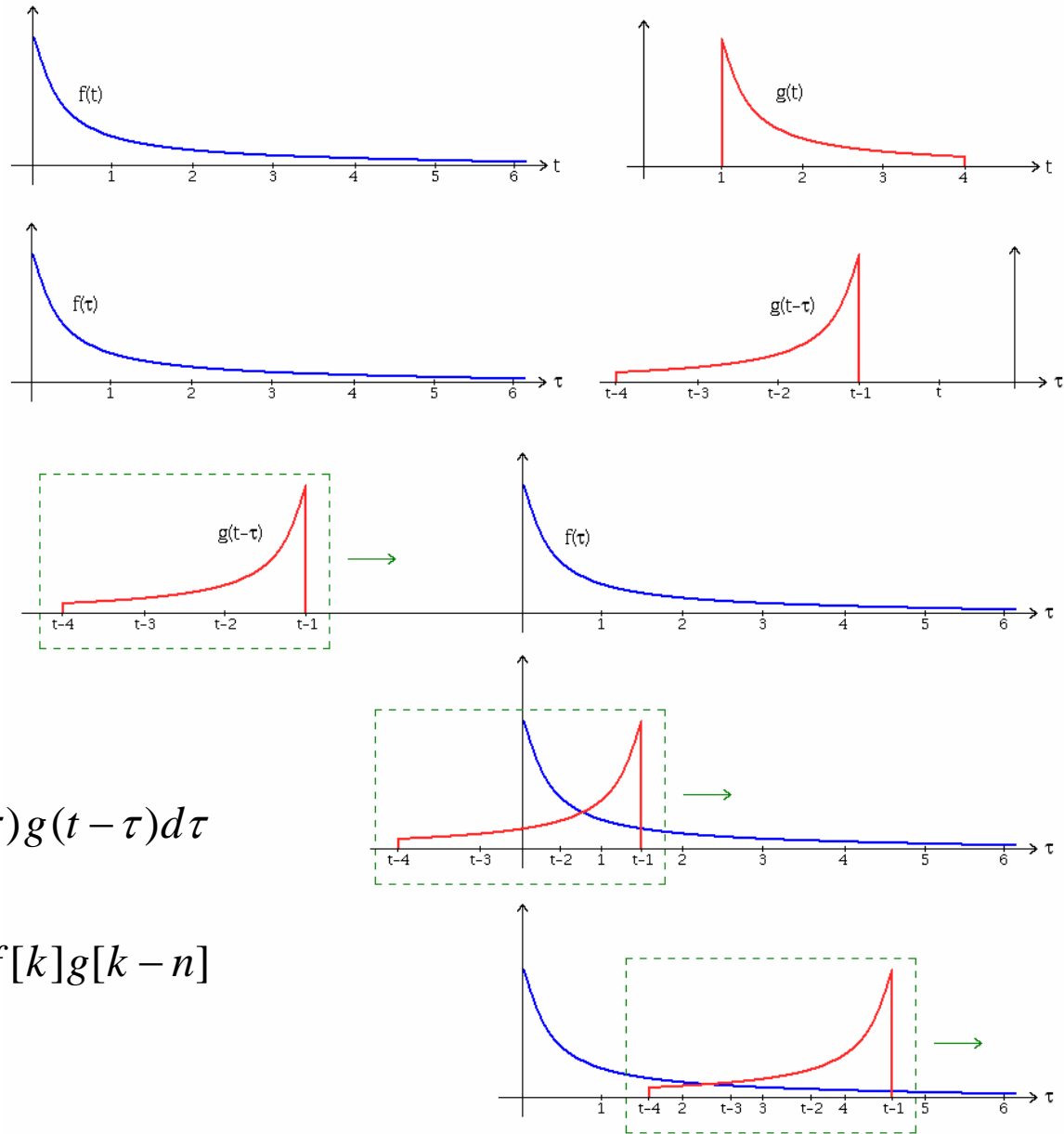
Example 3: Natural image



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Convolution



$$c(t) = f(t) * g(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(\tau) g(t - \tau) d\tau$$

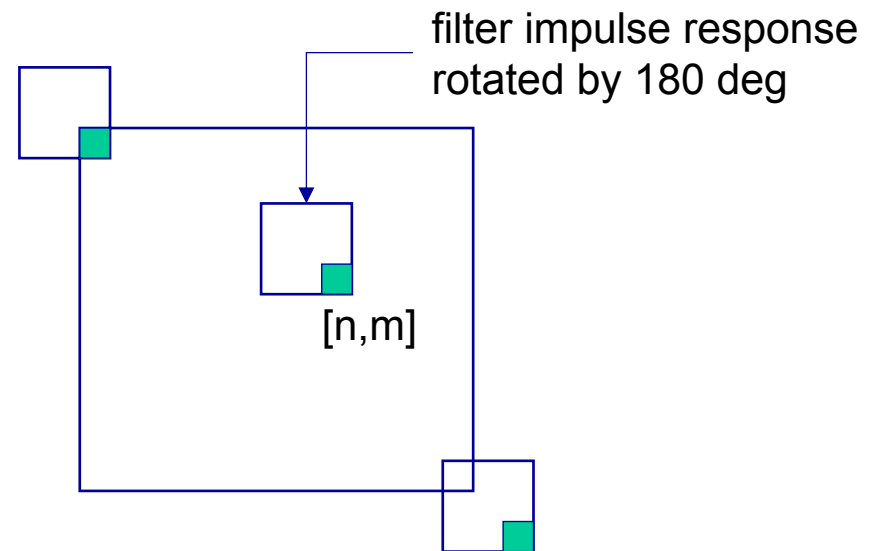
$$c[n] = f[n] * g[n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} f[k] g[k - n]$$

2D Convolution

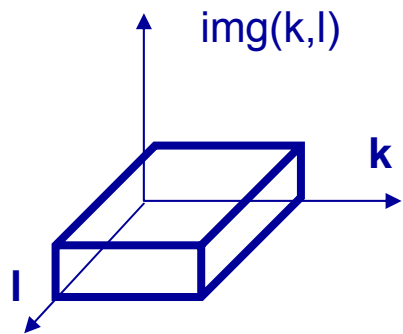
$$c(x, y) = f(x, y) \otimes g(x, y) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(\tau, \nu) g(x - \tau, y - \nu) d\tau d\nu$$

$$c[i, k] = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{+\infty} \sum_{m=-\infty}^{+\infty} f[n, m] g[i - n, k - m]$$

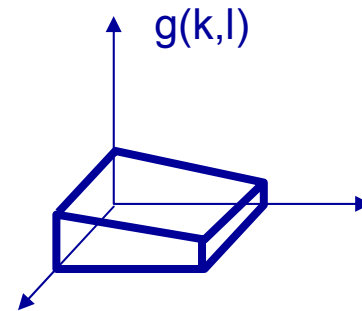
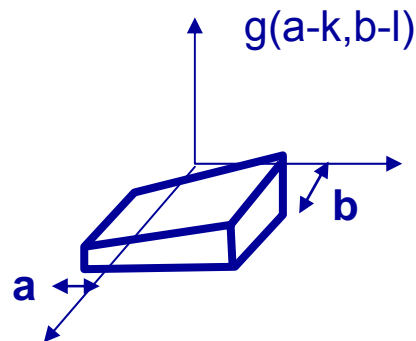
- Associativity
- Commutativity
- Distributivity



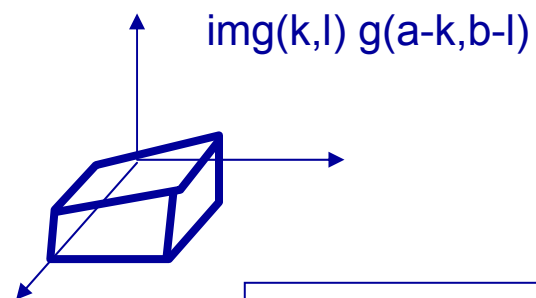
2D Convolution



1. fold about origin
2. displace by 'a' and 'b'



3. compute integral of the box



Tricky part: borders
• (zero padding, mirror...)

Convolution

Filtering with filter $h(x,y)$

$$f_2(x, y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f_1(s, t) h(x - s, y - t) ds dt$$

- Convolution with a 2D Dirac pulse

$$f_2(x, y) = f_1(x, y) \quad \text{sampling property of the delta function}$$

- Convolution a Dirac pulse shifted by (x_0, y_0)

$$f_2(x, y) = f_1(x - x_0, y - y_0)$$

- Fourier transform...

$$F_2(u, v) = F_1(u, v) H(u, v)$$

- ... and vice versa

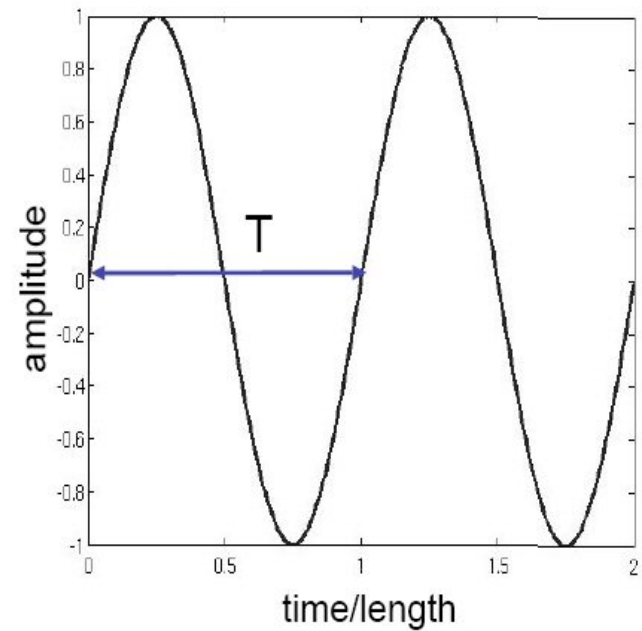
$$g(x,y) = f_1(x, y) f_2(x, y) \quad \text{then} \quad G(u,v) = F_1(u, v) * F_2(u, v)$$

Fourier Transform

- Different formulations for the different classes of signals
 - Summary table: Fourier transforms with various combinations of continuous/discrete time and frequency variables.
 - Notations:
 - CT: continuous time
 - DT: Discrete Time
 - FT: Fourier Transform (integral synthesis)
 - FS: Fourier Series (summation synthesis)
 - P: periodical signals
 - T: sampling period
 - ω_s : sampling frequency ($\omega_s=2\pi/T$)
 - For DTFT: $T=1 \rightarrow \omega_s=2\pi$

1D FT: basics

- Define frequency
 $= 1/T$
 cycles per unit time
 cycles per unit distance
- Here $f = 1$



Fourier Transform: Concept

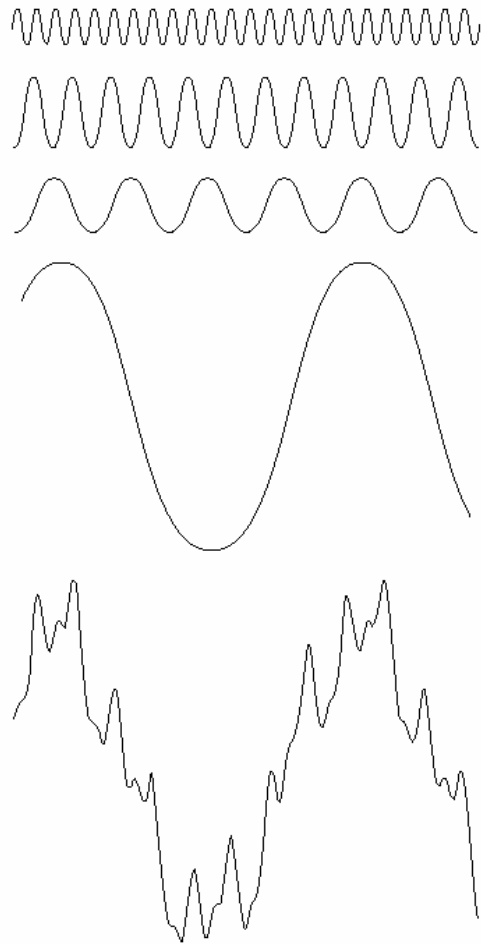


FIGURE 4.1 The function at the bottom is the sum of the four functions above it. Fourier's idea in 1807 that periodic functions could be represented as a weighted sum of sines and cosines was met with skepticism.

- A signal can be represented as a weighted sum of sinusoids.
- Fourier Transform is a change of basis, where the basis functions consist of sines and cosines (complex exponentials).

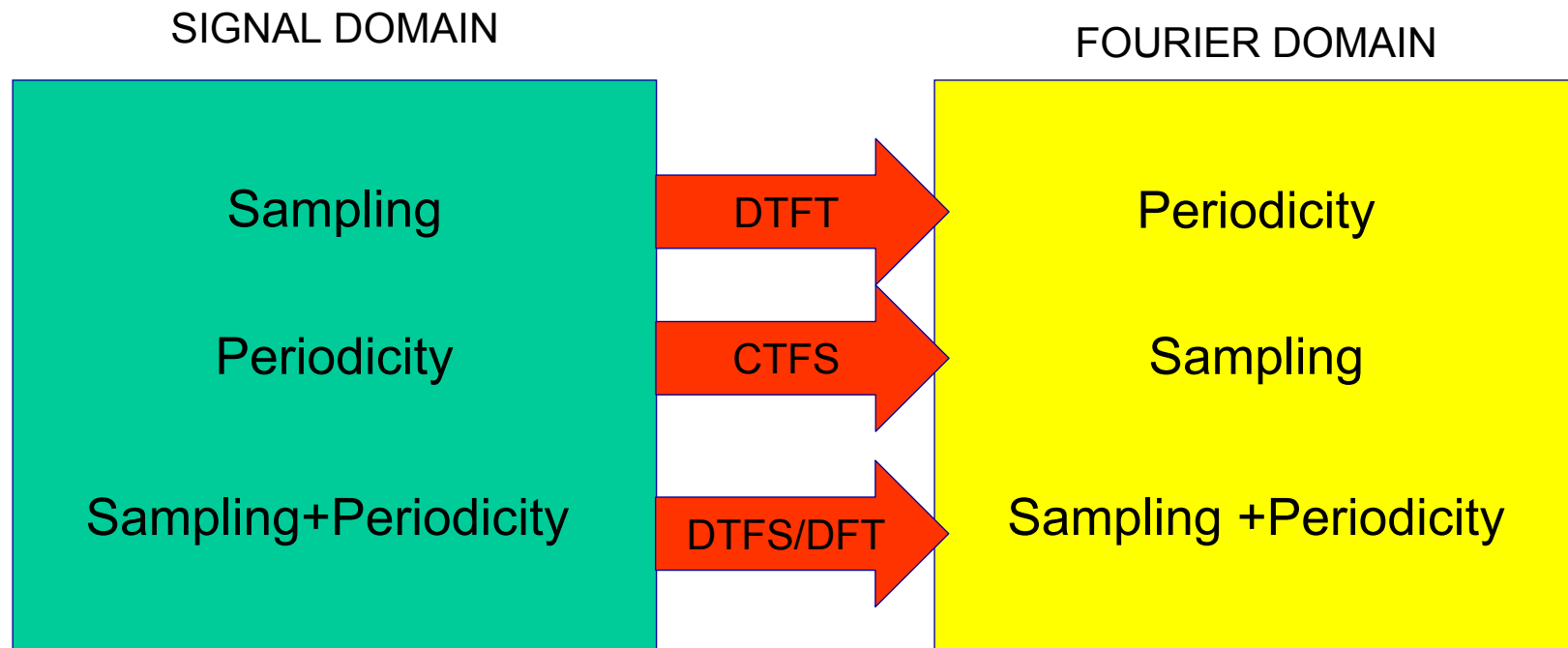
Fourier Transform

- Cosine/sine signals are easy to define and interpret.
- However, it turns out that the analysis and manipulation of sinusoidal signals is greatly simplified by dealing with related signals called complex exponential signals.
- A complex number has real and imaginary parts: $z = x + j*y$
- A complex exponential signal: $r*\exp(j*a) = r*\cos(a) + j*r*\sin(a)$

Overview

Transform	Time	Frequency	Analysis/Synthesis	Duality
(Continuous Time) Fourier Transform (CTFT)	C	C	$F(\omega) = \int f(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt$ $f(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(\omega)e^{j\omega t} d\omega$	Self-dual
(Continuous Time) Fourier Series (CTFS)	C P	D	$F[k] = \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} f(t)e^{-j2\pi kt/T} dt$ $f(t) = \sum_k F[k]e^{j2\pi kt/T}$	Dual with DTFT
Discrete Time Fourier Transform (DTFT)	D	C P	$F(e^{j\omega}) = \sum f[n]e^{-j2\pi n\omega/\omega_s}$ $f[n] = \frac{1}{\omega_s} \int_{-\omega_s/2}^{\omega_s/2} F(e^{j\omega})e^{j2\pi n\omega/\omega_s} d\omega$	Dual with CTFS
Discrete Time Fourier Series (DTFS)	D P	D P	$F[k] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} f[n]e^{-j2\pi kn/T}$ $f[n] = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} F[k]e^{j2\pi kn/T}$	Self dual

Dualities



Discrete time signals

- Sequences of samples
- $f[k]$: sample values
- Assumes a unitary spacing among samples ($T_s=1$)
- Normalized frequency Ω
- Transform
 - DTFT for NON periodic sequences
 - CTFS for periodic sequences
 - DFT for *periodized* sequences
- All transforms are 2π periodic

$$\Omega = \omega T_s$$

- *Sampled* signals
- $f(kT_s)$: sample values
- The sampling interval (or period) is T_s
- Non normalized frequency ω
- Transform
 - DTFT
 - CSTF
 - DFT
 - BUT accounting for the fact that the sequence values have been generated by sampling a real signal $\rightarrow f_k=f(kT_s)$
- All transforms are periodic with period ω_s

CTFT

- Continuous Time Fourier Transform
- Continuous time *a-periodic* signal
- Both time (space) and frequency are continuous variables
 - NON normalized frequency ω is used
- Fourier integral can be regarded as a Fourier series with fundamental frequency approaching zero
- Fourier spectra are continuous
 - A signal is represented as a sum of sinusoids (or exponentials) of all frequencies over a continuous frequency interval

$$\begin{array}{lll} \text{Fourier integral} & F(\omega) = \int f(t) e^{-j\omega t} dt & \text{analysis} \\ & f(t) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\omega} F(\omega) e^{j\omega t} d\omega & \text{synthesis} \end{array}$$

CTFT: change of notations

- Fourier Transform of a 1D continuous signal

$$F(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{-j\omega x} dx$$

“Euler’s formula”

$$e^{-j\omega x} = \cos(\omega x) - j \sin(\omega x)$$

- Inverse Fourier Transform

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

Change of notations:

$$\omega \rightarrow 2\pi u$$

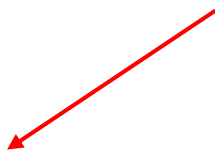
$$\begin{cases} \omega_x \rightarrow 2\pi u \\ \omega_y \rightarrow 2\pi v \end{cases}$$

Then CTFT becomes

- Fourier Transform of a 1D continuous signal

$$F(u) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{-j2\pi ux} dx$$

“Euler’s formula” $e^{-j2\pi ux} = \cos(2\pi ux) - j \sin(2\pi ux)$



- Inverse Fourier Transform

$$f(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(u) e^{j2\pi ux} du$$

CTFS

- Continuous Time Fourier Series
- Continuous time periodic signals
 - The signal is periodic with period T_0
 - The transform is “sampled” (it is a series)

our notations

$$D_n = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_{-T_0/2}^{T_0/2} f_{T_0}(t) e^{-jn\omega_0 t} dt$$
$$f_{T_0}(t) = \sum_n D_n e^{jn\omega_0 t}$$
$$\omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{T_0}$$

fundamental frequency

table notations

$$F[k] = \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} f(t) e^{-j2\pi kt/T} dt$$

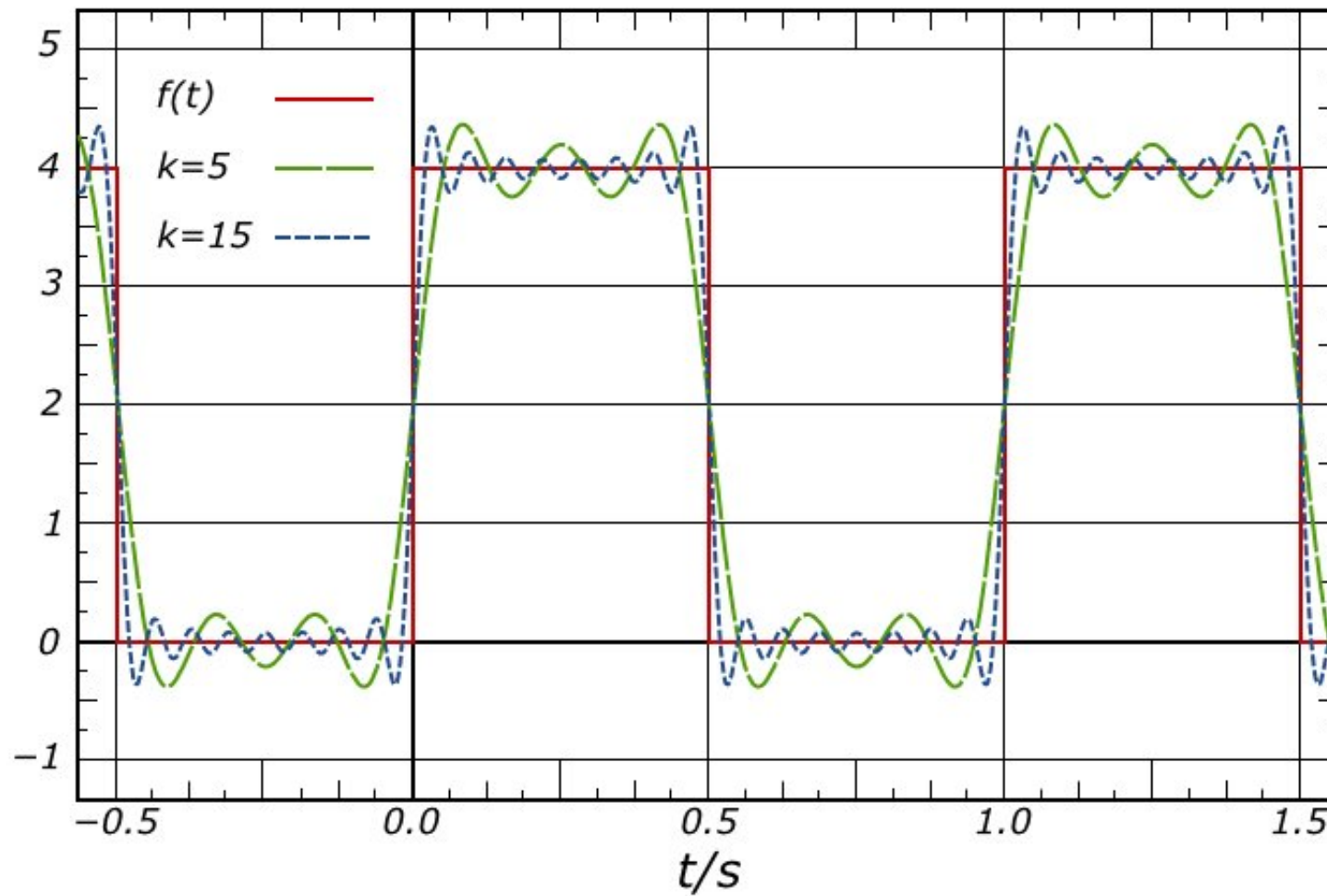
$$f(t) = \sum_k F[k] e^{j2\pi kt/T}$$

$$T_0 \leftrightarrow T$$
$$D_n \leftrightarrow F[k]$$

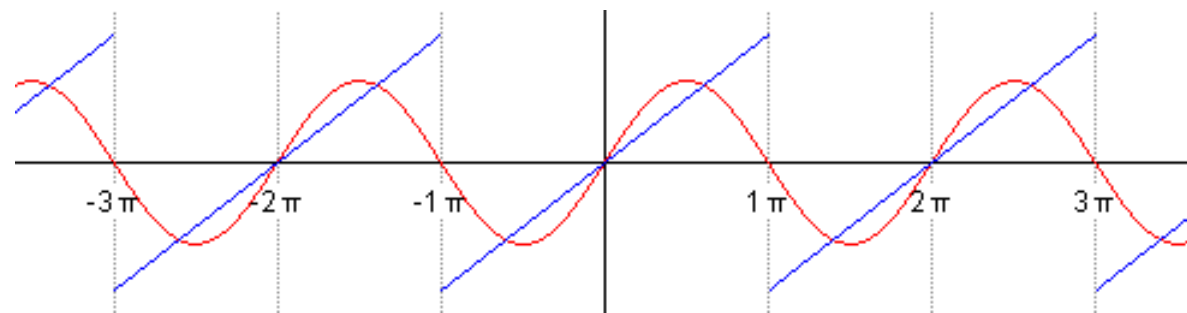
CTFS

- Representation of a continuous time signal as a sum of orthogonal components in a complete orthogonal signal space
 - The exponentials are the basis functions
- **Fourier series** are periodic with period equal to the fundamental in the set $(2\pi/T_0)$
- Properties
 - even symmetry \rightarrow only cosinusoidal components
 - odd symmetry \rightarrow only sinusoidal components

CTFS: example 1



CTFS: example 2



From sequences to discrete time signals

- Looking at the sequence as to a set of samples obtained by sampling a real signal with frequency ω_s we can still use the formulas for calculating the transforms as derived for the sequences by

- Stratching the time axis (and thus squeezing the frequency axis if $T_s > 1$)

$$\Omega = \omega T_s$$

$$2\pi \rightarrow \omega_s = \frac{2\pi}{T_s}$$

- Enclosing the sampling interval T_s in the value of the sequence samples (DFT)

$$f_k = T_s f(kT_s)$$

DTFT

- Discrete Time Fourier Transform
- *Discrete time a-periodic* signal
- The transform is *periodic* and *continuous* with period $\Omega_0 = 2\pi$

our notations

$$F(\Omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} f[k] e^{-j\Omega k}$$

$$f[k] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{2\pi} F(\Omega) e^{j\Omega k} d\Omega$$

normalized
frequency

table notations

$$F(e^{j\omega t}) = \sum_n f[n] e^{-j2\pi\omega n / \omega_s}$$

$$f[n] = \frac{1}{\omega_s} \int_{-\omega_s/2}^{\omega_s/2} F(e^{j\omega t}) e^{j2\pi\omega n / \omega_s} d\omega$$

non normalized
frequency

$$F(\Omega) = \bar{F}_c\left(\frac{\Omega}{T_s}\right)$$

$$\Omega = \omega T_s$$

$$T_s = 2\pi / \omega_s$$

Discrete Time Fourier Transform (DTFT)

- $F(\Omega)$ can be obtained from $\bar{F}_c(\omega)$ by replacing ω with Ω/T_s . Thus $F(\Omega)$ is identical to $\bar{F}_c(\omega)$ frequency scaled by a factor $1/T_s$
 - T_s is the sampling interval in time domain

- Notations

$$F(\Omega) = \bar{F}_c\left(\frac{\Omega}{T_s}\right)$$

$$\omega_s = \frac{2\pi}{T_s} \rightarrow T_s = \frac{2\pi}{\omega_s} \quad \text{periodicity of the spectrum}$$

$$\omega = \frac{\Omega}{T_s} \rightarrow \Omega = \omega T_s \quad \text{normalized frequency (the spectrum is } 2\pi\text{-periodic)}$$

$$F(\Omega) \rightarrow F(\omega T_s) = F(2\pi\omega / \omega_s)$$

$$F(\Omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} f[k]e^{-j\Omega k} \rightarrow F(\omega T_s) = F(\omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{+\infty} f[k]e^{-j2k\pi\omega / \omega_s}$$

DTFT: *unitary* frequency

$$\Omega = 2\pi u \quad (\omega = 2\pi f)$$

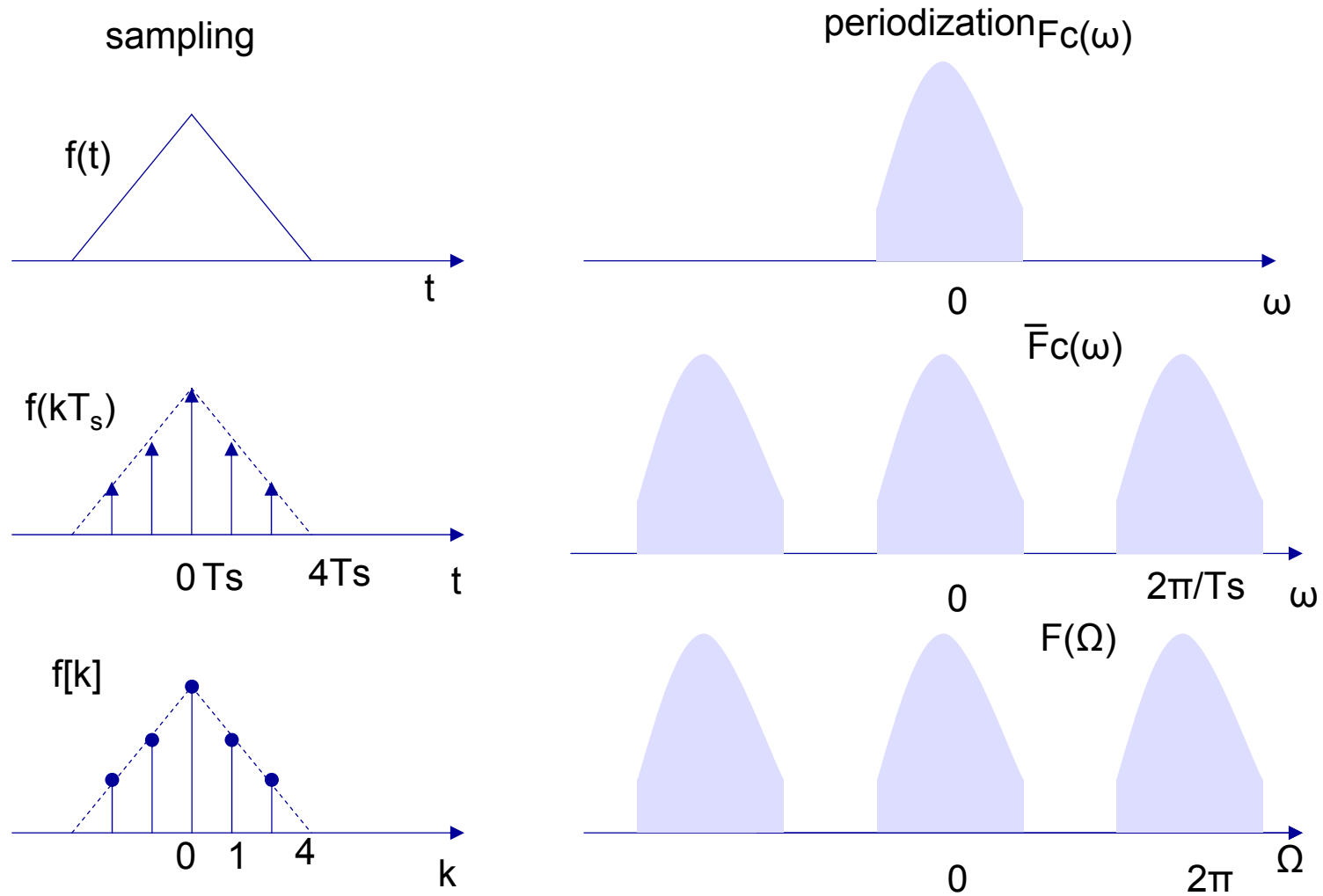
$$F(\Omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} f[k]e^{-j\Omega k} \rightarrow F(u) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} f[k]e^{-j2\pi ku}$$

$$f[k] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{2\pi} F(\Omega)e^{j\Omega k} d\Omega \rightarrow f[k] = \int_1 F(u)e^{j2\pi ku} du = \int_{-\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} F(u)e^{j2\pi ku} du$$

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} F(u) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} f[k]e^{-j2\pi ku} \\ f[k] = \int_{-\frac{1}{2}}^{\frac{1}{2}} F(u)e^{j2\pi ku} du \end{array} \right.$$

NOTE: when $T_s=1$, $\Omega=\omega$ and the spectrum is 2π -periodic. The unitary frequency $u=2\pi/\Omega$ corresponds to the signal frequency $f=2\pi/\omega$. This could give a better intuition of the transform properties.

Connection DTFT-CTFT



Differences DTFT-CTFT

- The DTFT is periodic with period $\Omega_s=2\pi$ (or $\omega_s=2\pi/T_s$)
- The discrete-time exponential $e^{j\Omega k}$ has a unique waveform only for values of Ω in a continuous interval of 2π
- *Numerical computations can be conveniently performed with the Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT)*

DTFS

- Discrete Time Fourier Series
- Discrete time periodic sequences of period N_0
 - Fundamental frequency
$$\Omega_0 = 2\pi / N_0$$

our notations

$$D_r = \frac{1}{N_0} \sum_{k=0}^{N_0-1} f[k] e^{-jr\Omega_0 k}$$
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table notations

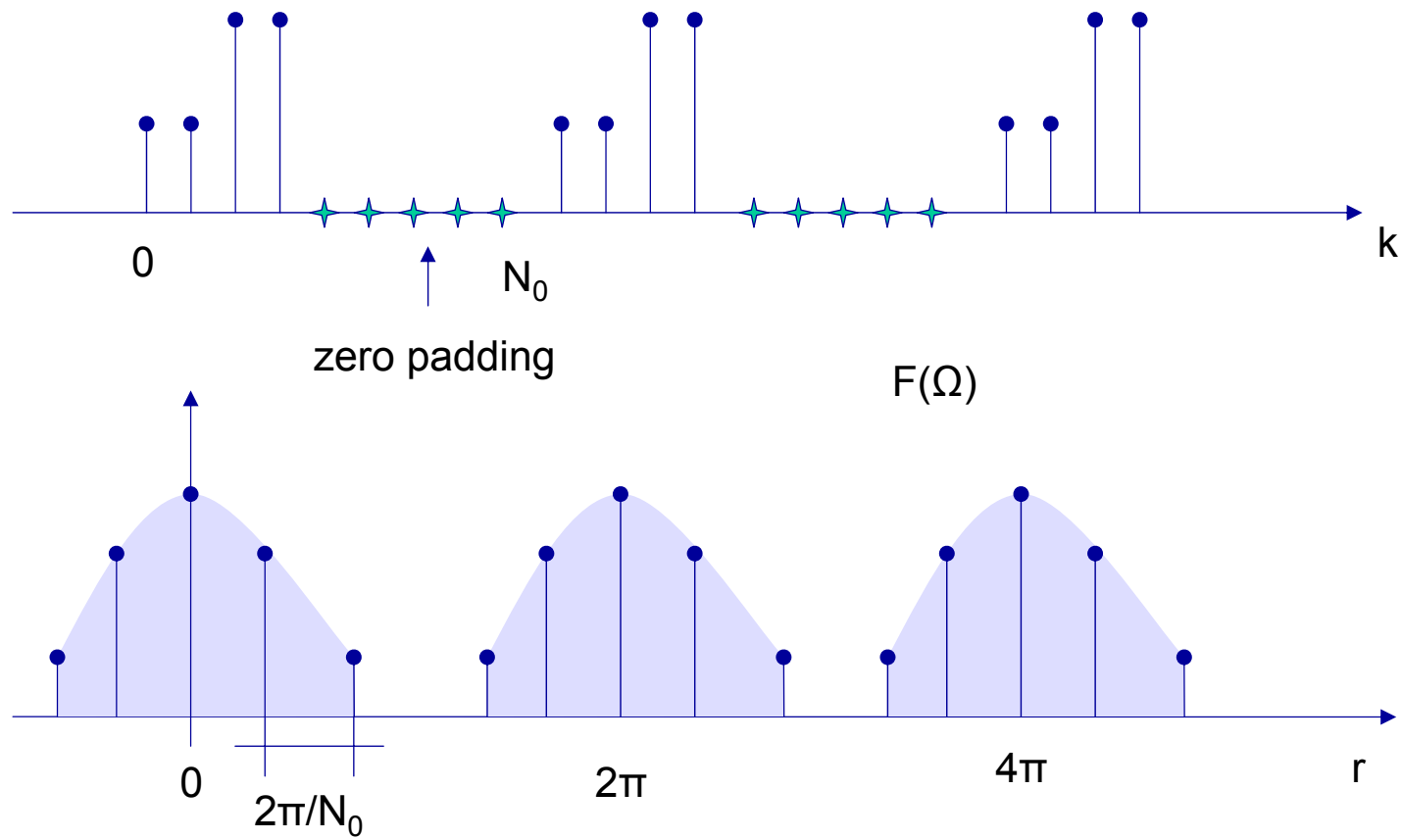
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Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT)

$$F_r = \sum_{k=0}^{N_0-1} f_k e^{-jr\Omega_0 k} = \sum_{k=0}^{N_0-1} f_k e^{-j\frac{2\pi}{N_0}rk}$$
$$f_k = \frac{1}{N_0} \sum_{r=0}^{N_0-1} F_r e^{jr\Omega_0 k} = \frac{1}{N_0} \sum_{r=0}^{N_0-1} F_r e^{jr\frac{2\pi}{N_0}k}$$
$$\Omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{N_0}$$

- The DFT transforms N_0 samples of a discrete-time signal to the same number of discrete frequency samples
- The DFT and IDFT are a *self-contained*, one-to-one transform pair for a length- N_0 discrete-time signal (that is, the DFT is not merely an approximation to the DTFT as discussed next)
- However, the DFT is very often used as a practical approximation to the DTFT

DFT



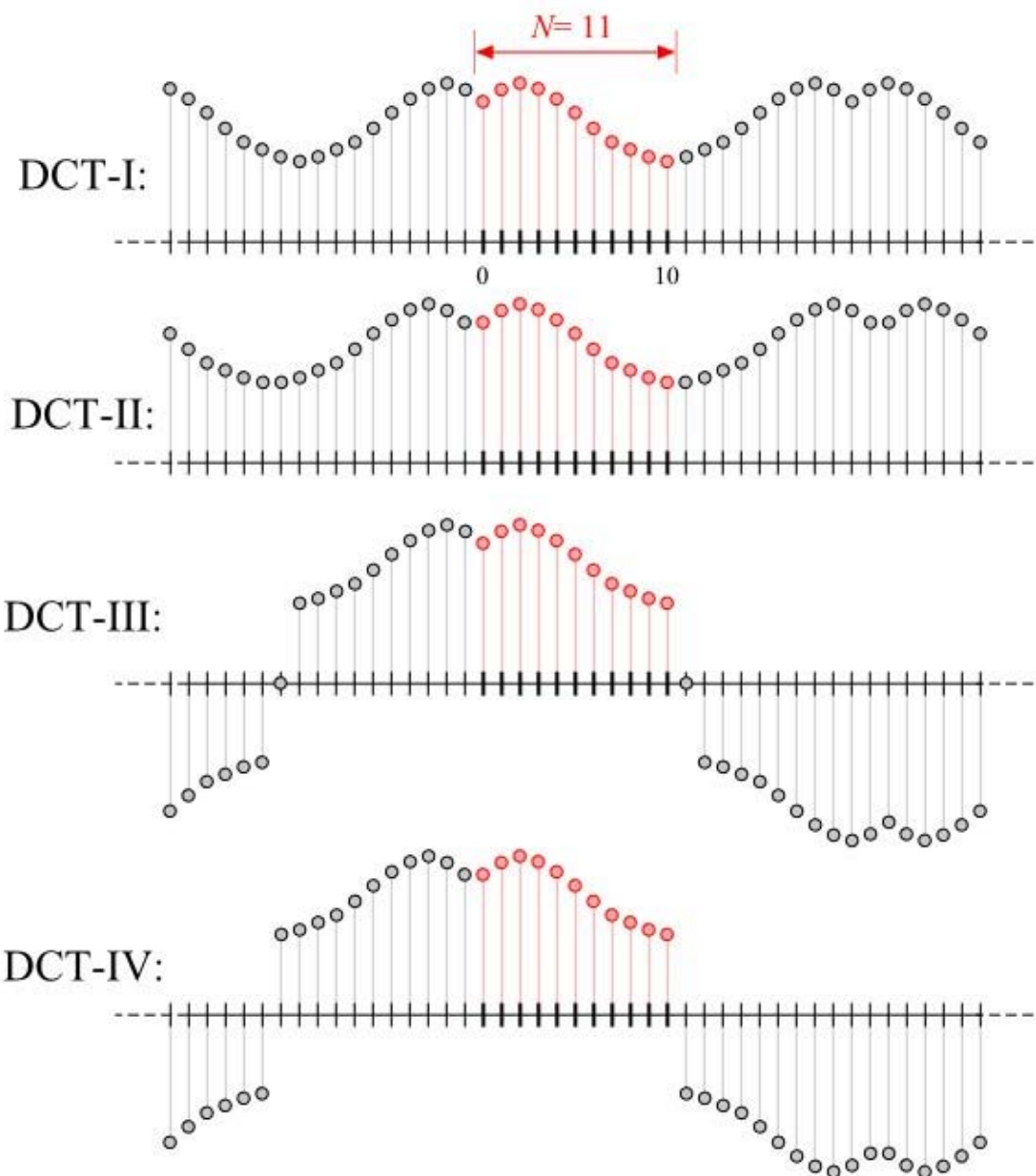
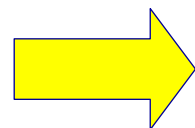
Discrete *Cosine* Transform (DCT)

- Operate on finite discrete sequences (as DFT)
- A **discrete cosine transform (DCT)** expresses a sequence of finitely many data points in terms of a sum of **cosine functions** oscillating at different frequencies
- DCT is a Fourier-related transform similar to the DFT but using **only real numbers**
- DCT is equivalent to DFT of roughly twice the length, operating on real data with **even symmetry** (since the Fourier transform of a real and even function is real and even), where in some variants the input and/or output data are shifted by half a sample
- There are eight standard DCT variants, of which four are common
- Strong connection with the Karunen-Loeven transform
 - VERY important for signal compression

DCT

- DCT implies different boundary conditions than the DFT or other related transforms
- A DCT, like a cosine transform, implies an *even periodic* extension of the original function
- Tricky part
 - First, one has to specify whether the function is even or odd at *both* the left and right boundaries of the domain
 - Second, one has to specify around *what point* the function is even or odd
 - In particular, consider a sequence *abcd* of four equally spaced data points, and say that we specify an even *left* boundary. There are two sensible possibilities: either the data is even about the sample *a*, in which case the even extension is ***dcbabcd***, or the data is even about the point *halfway* between *a* and the previous point, in which case the even extension is ***dcbaabcd*** (*a* is repeated).

Symmetries



DCT

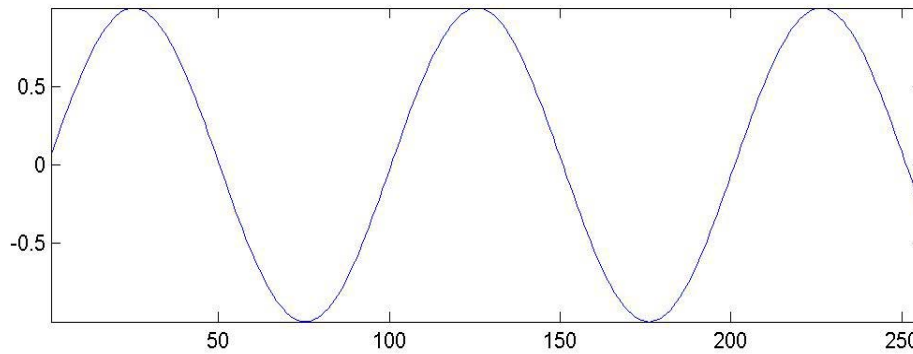
$$X_k = \sum_{n=0}^{N_0-1} x_n \cos \left[\frac{\pi}{N_0} \left(n + \frac{1}{2} \right) k \right] \quad k = 0, \dots, N_0 - 1$$

$$x_n = \frac{2}{N_0} \left\{ \frac{1}{2} X_0 + \sum_{k=0}^{N_0-1} X_k \cos \left[\frac{\pi k}{N_0} \left(k + \frac{1}{2} \right) \right] \right\}$$

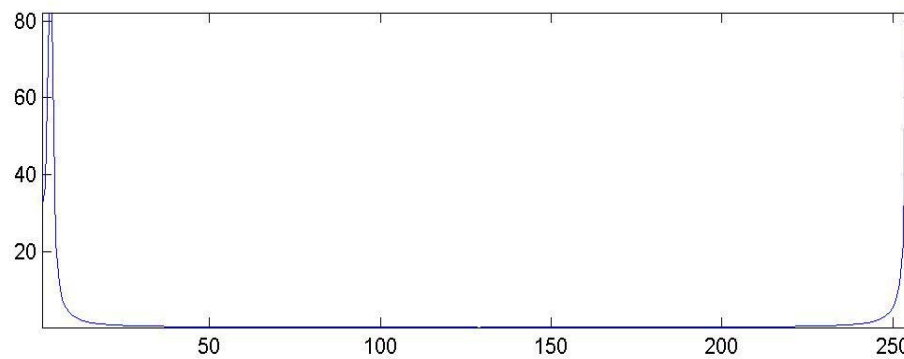
- *Warning:* the normalization factor in front of these transform definitions is merely a convention and differs between treatments.
 - Some authors multiply the transforms by $(2/N_0)^{1/2}$ so that the inverse does not require any additional multiplicative factor.
 - Combined with appropriate factors of $\sqrt{2}$ (see above), this can be used to make the transform matrix orthogonal.

Sinusoids

- Frequency domain characterization of signals $F(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt$

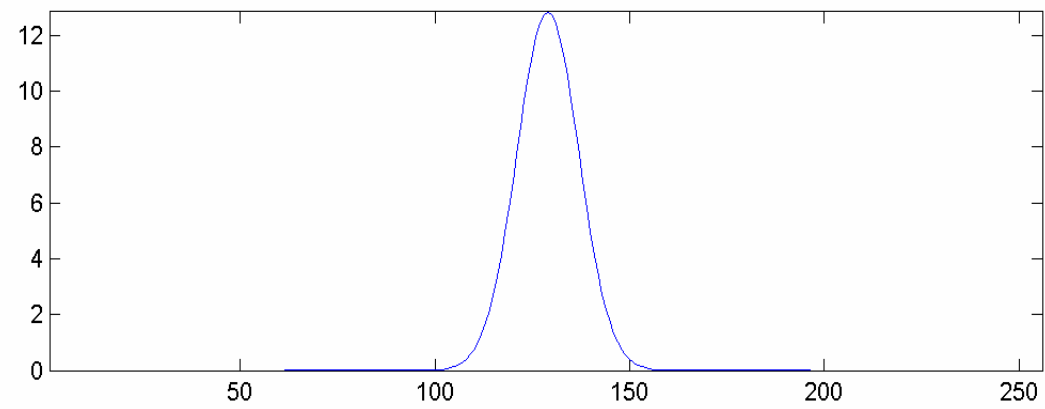
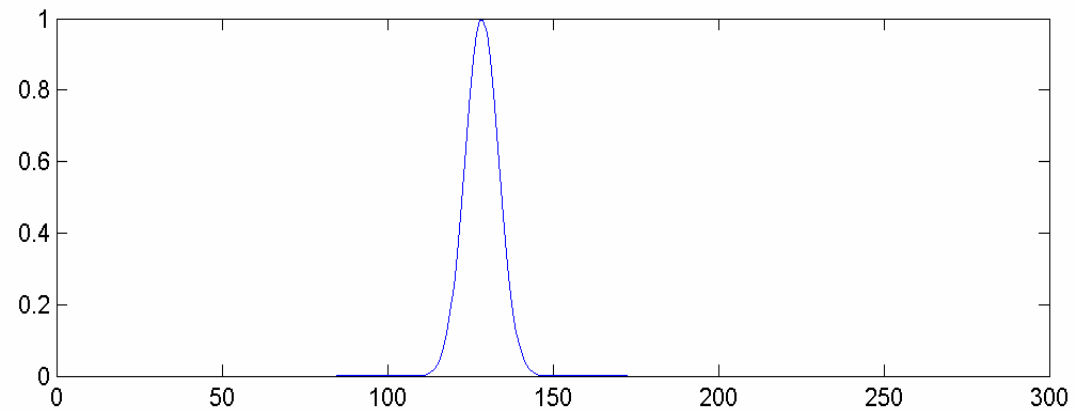


Signal domain

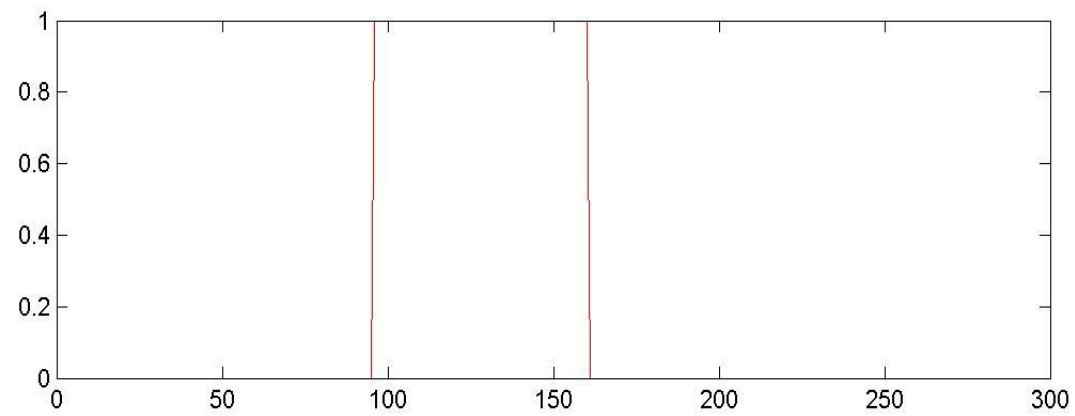


Frequency domain

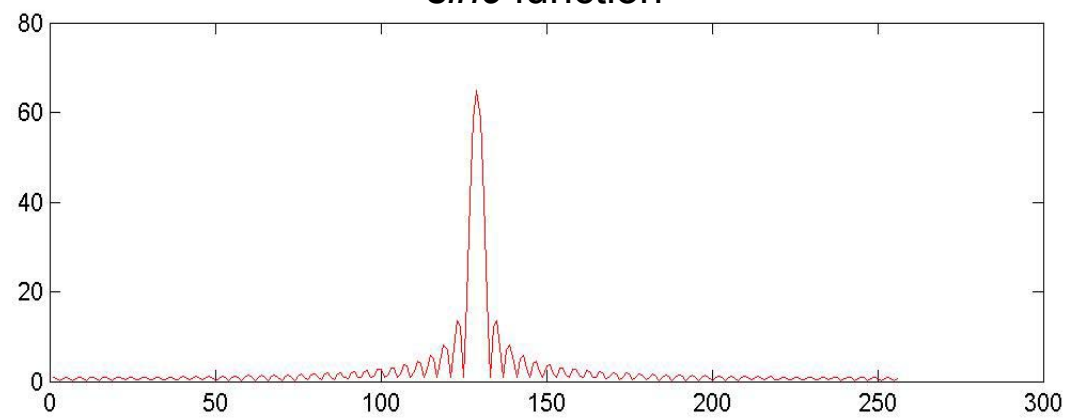
Gaussian



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sinc function



Images vs Signals

1D

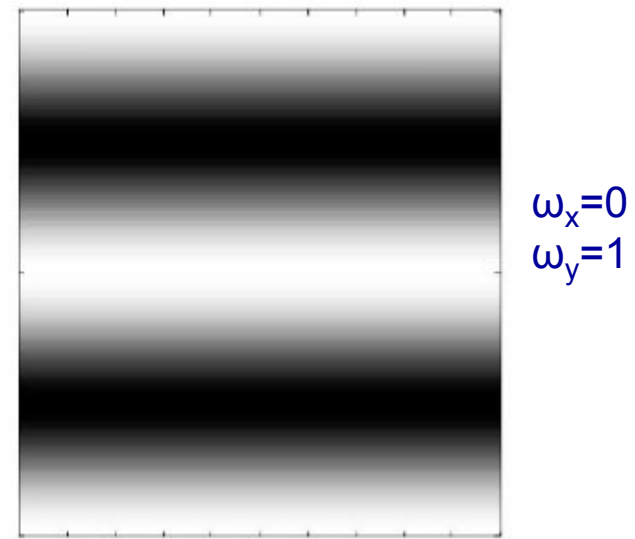
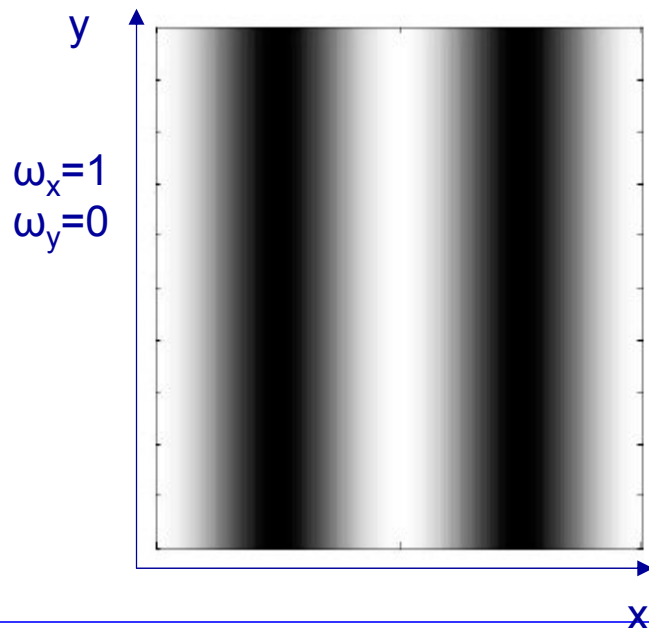
- Signals
- Frequency
 - Temporal
 - Spatial
- Time (space) frequency characterization of signals
- Reference space for
 - Filtering
 - Changing the sampling rate
 - Signal analysis
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2D

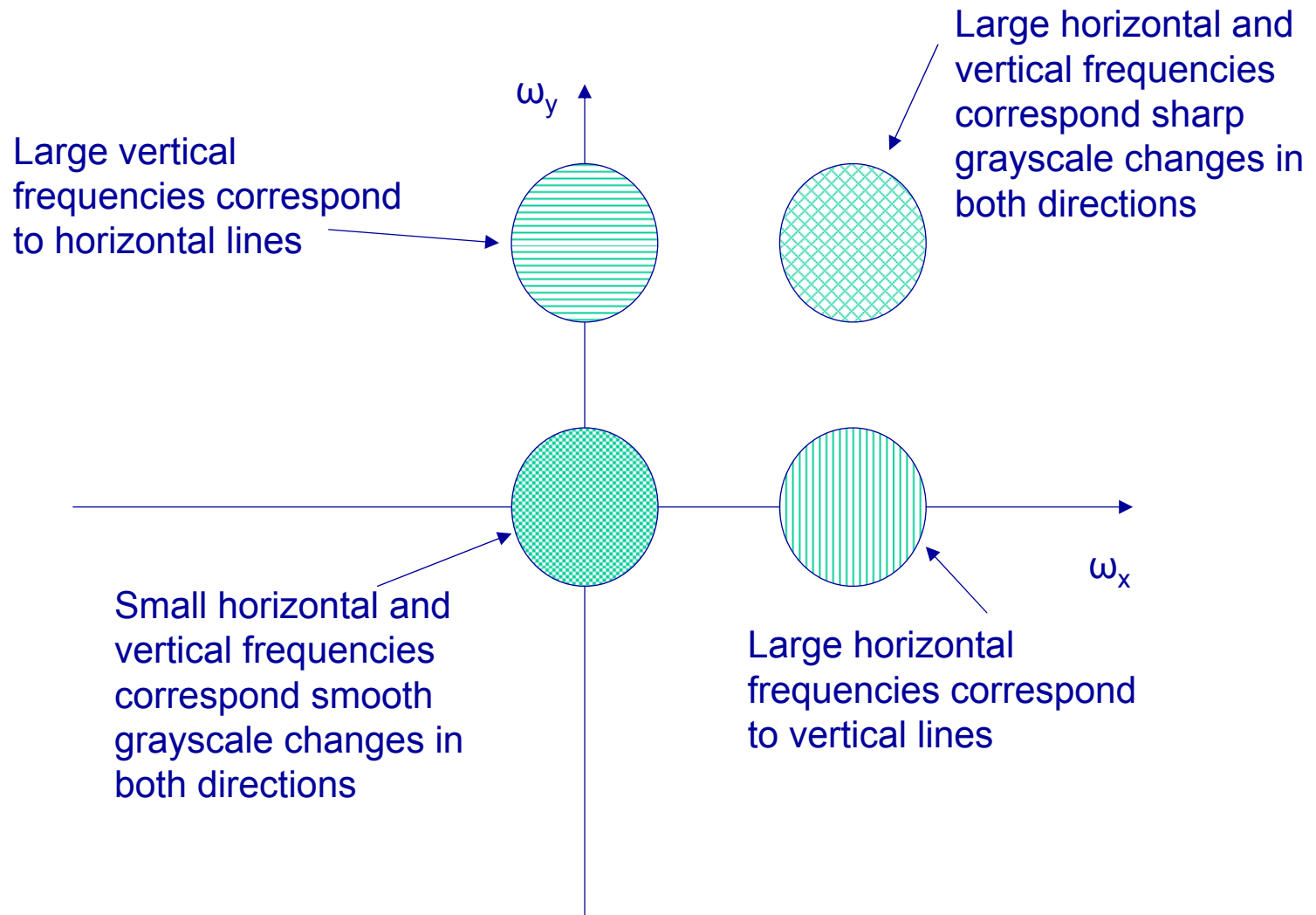
- Images
- Frequency
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2D spatial frequencies

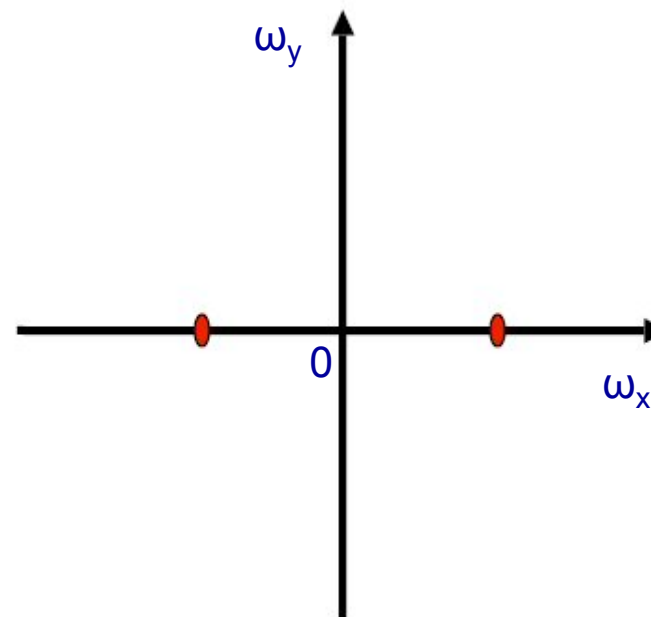
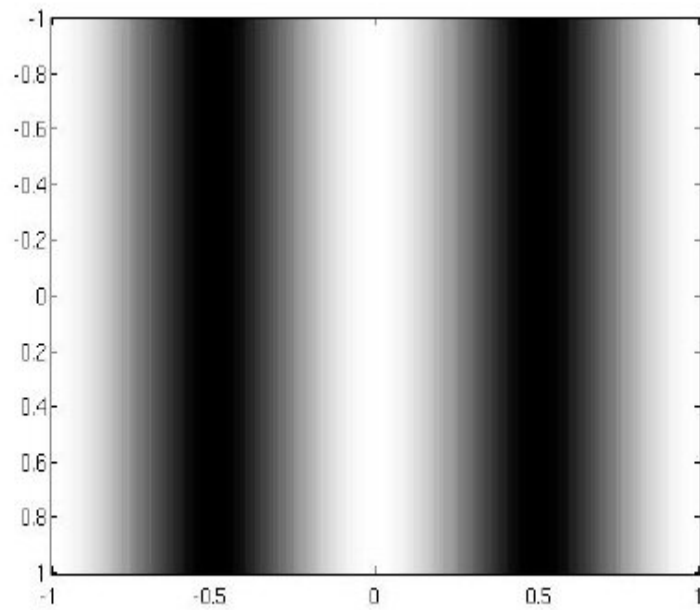
- 2D spatial frequencies characterize the image spatial changes in the horizontal (x) and vertical (y) directions
 - Smooth variations -> low frequencies
 - Sharp variations -> high frequencies



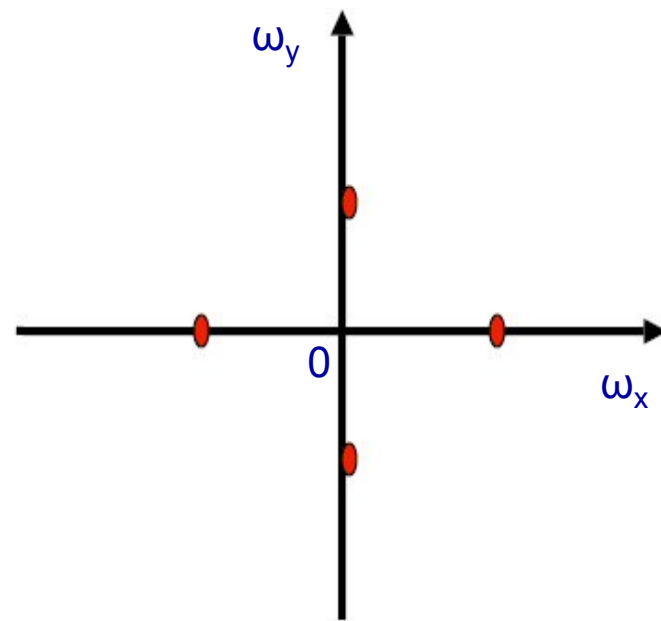
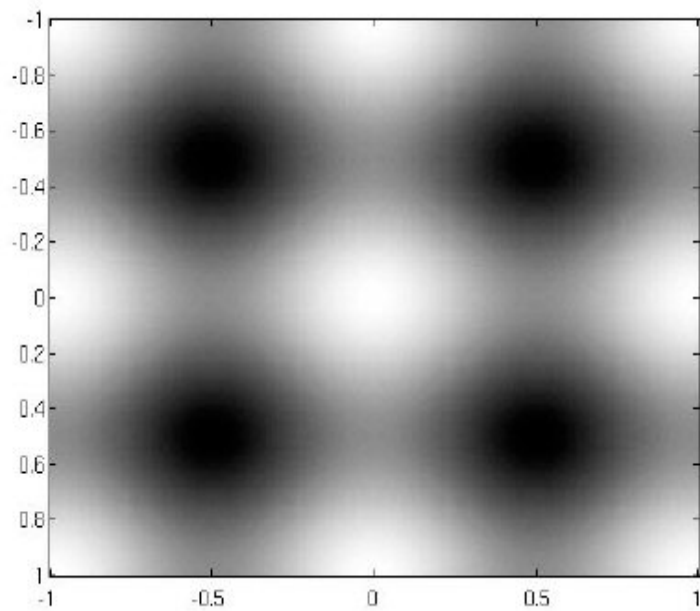
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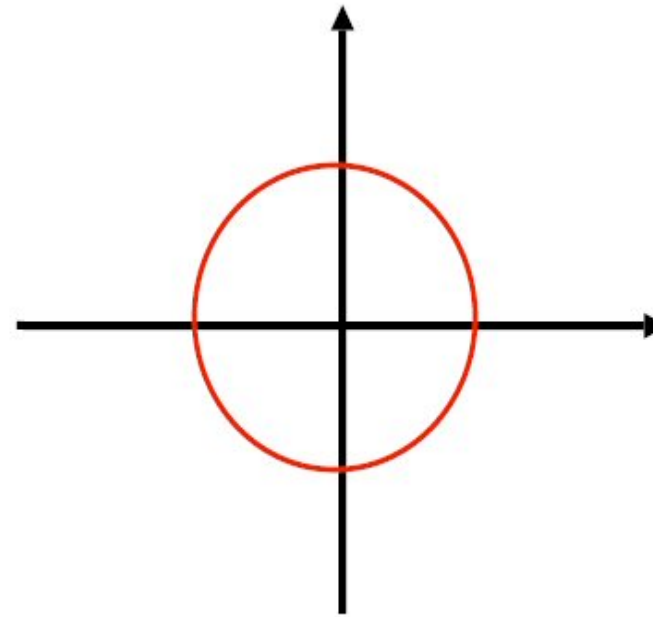
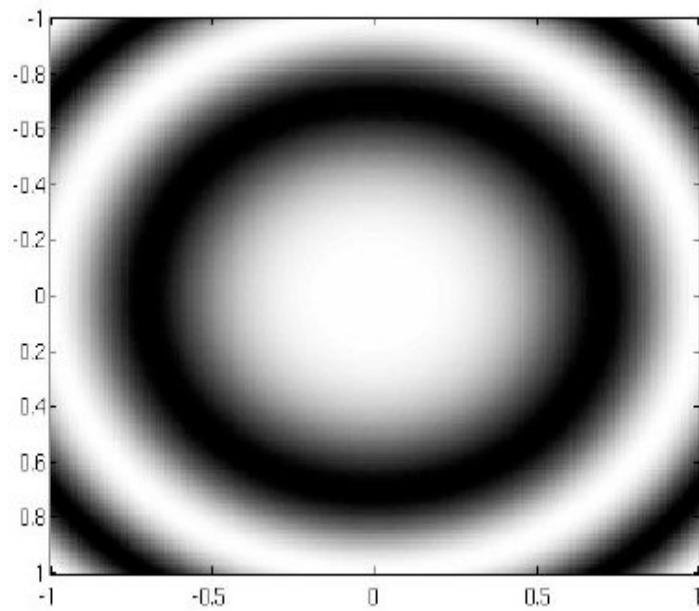
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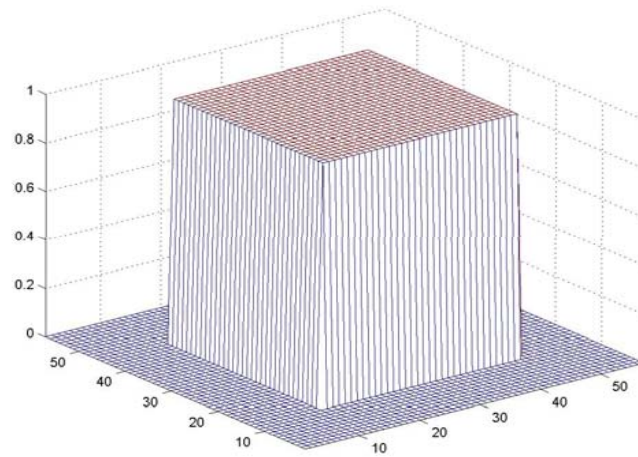
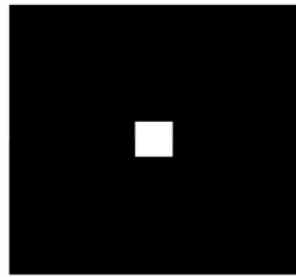
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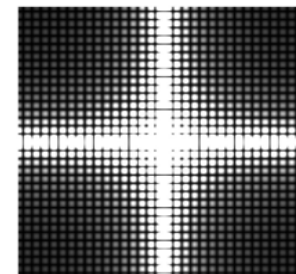
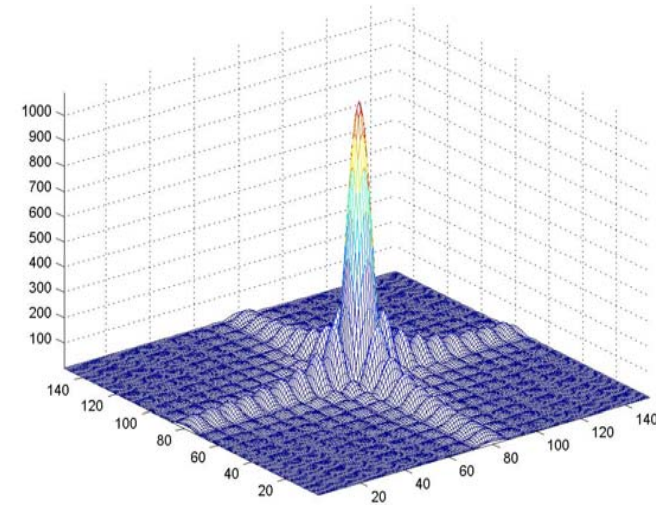
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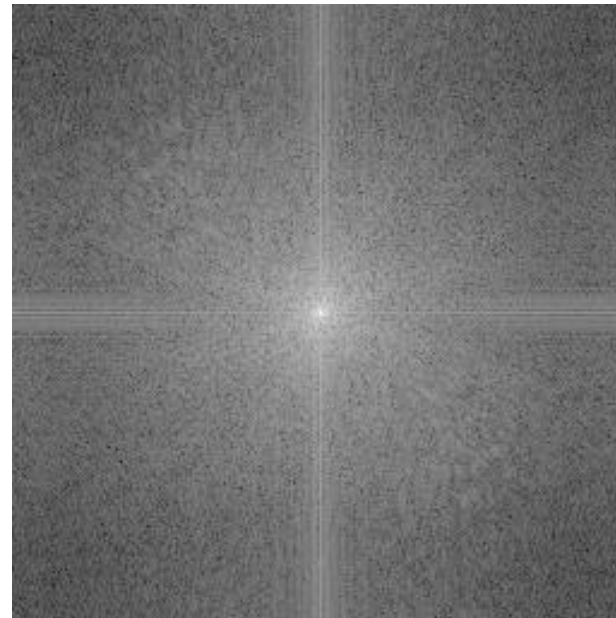
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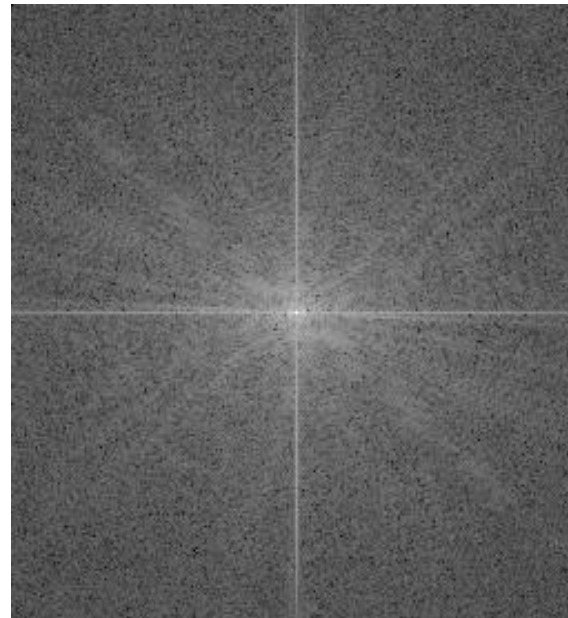
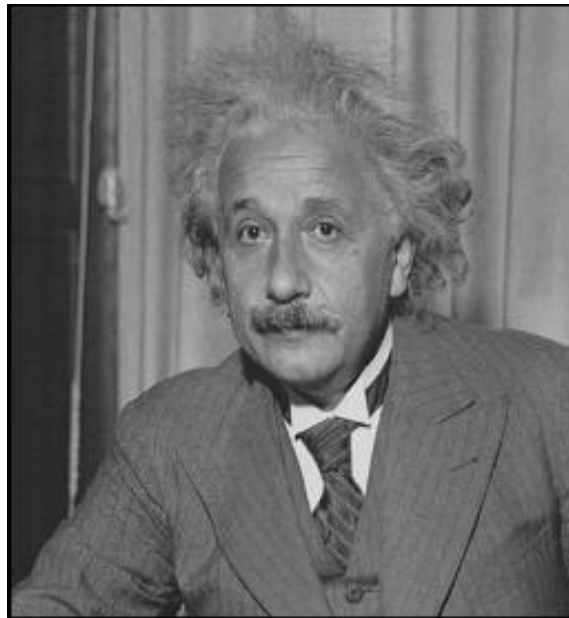
2D sinc



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Einstein



log amplitude of the spectrum

What we are going to analyze

- 2D Fourier Transform of continuous signals (2D-CTFT)

$$1D \quad F(\omega) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(t)e^{-j\omega t} dt, f(t) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} F(\omega)e^{j\omega t} d\omega$$

- 2D Fourier Transform of discrete signals (2D-DTFT)

$$1D \quad F(\Omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} f[k]e^{-j\Omega k}, f[k] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} F(\Omega)e^{j\Omega k} d\Omega$$

- 2D Discrete Fourier Transform (2D-DFT)

$$1D \quad F_r = \sum_{k=0}^{N_0-1} f[k]e^{-jr\Omega_0 k}, f_{N_0}[k] = \frac{1}{N_0} \sum_{r=0}^{N_0-1} F_r e^{jr\Omega_0 k}, \Omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{N_0}$$

2D Continuous Fourier Transform

- Continuous case (x and y are real) – 2D-CTFT (notation 1)

$$\hat{f}(\omega_x, \omega_y) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(x, y) e^{-j(\omega_x x + \omega_y y)} dx dy$$

$$f(x, y) = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \hat{f}(\omega_x, \omega_y) e^{j(\omega_x x + \omega_y y)} d\omega_x d\omega_y$$

$$\iint f(x, y) g^*(x, y) dx dy = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \iint \hat{f}(\omega_x, \omega_y) \hat{g}^*(\omega_x, \omega_y) d\omega_x d\omega_y \quad \text{Parseval formula}$$

$$f = g \rightarrow \iint |f(x, y)|^2 dx dy = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \iint |\hat{f}(\omega_x, \omega_y)|^2 d\omega_x d\omega_y \quad \text{Plancherel equality}$$

2D Continuous Fourier Transform

- Continuous case (x and y are real) – 2D-CTFT

$$\omega_x = 2\pi u$$

$$\omega_y = 2\pi v$$

$$\hat{f}(u, v) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(x, y) e^{-j2\pi(ux+vy)} dx dy$$

$$\begin{aligned} f(x, y) &= \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \hat{f}(u, v) e^{j2\pi(ux+vy)} (2\pi)^2 du dv = \\ &= \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \hat{f}(u, v) e^{j2\pi(ux+vy)} (2\pi)^2 du dv \end{aligned}$$

2D Continuous Fourier Transform

- 2D Continuous Fourier Transform (notation 2)

$$\hat{f}(u, v) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} f(x, y) e^{-j2\pi(ux+vy)} dx dy$$
$$f(x, y) = \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \hat{f}(u, v) e^{j2\pi(ux+vy)} du dv =$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x, y)|^2 dx dy = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |\hat{f}(u, v)|^2 du dv \quad \text{Plancherel's equality}$$

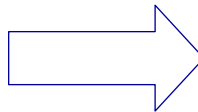
2D Discrete Fourier Transform

The independent variable (t,x,y) is discrete

$$F_r = \sum_{k=0}^{N_0-1} f[k] e^{-jr\Omega_0 k}$$

$$f_{N_0}[k] = \frac{1}{N_0} \sum_{r=0}^{N_0-1} F_r e^{jr\Omega_0 k}$$

$$\Omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{N_0}$$



$$F[u, v] = \sum_{i=0}^{N_0-1} \sum_{k=0}^{N_0-1} f[i, k] e^{-j\Omega_0 (ui + vk)}$$

$$f_{N_0}[i, k] = \frac{1}{N_0^2} \sum_{u=0}^{N_0-1} \sum_{v=0}^{N_0-1} F[u, v] e^{j\Omega_0 (ui + vk)}$$

$$\Omega_0 = \frac{2\pi}{N_0}$$

Delta

- Sampling property of the 2D-delta function (Dirac's delta)

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(x - x_0, y - y_0) f(x, y) dx dy = f(x_0, y_0)$$

- Transform of the delta function

$$F(\delta(x, y)) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(x, y) e^{-j2\pi(ux+vy)} dx dy = 1$$

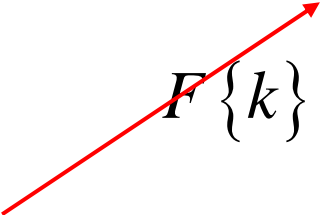
$$F(\delta(x - x_0, y - y_0)) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(x - x_0, y - y_0) e^{-j2\pi(ux+vy)} dx dy = e^{-j2\pi(ux_0+vy_0)}$$

shifting
property

Constant functions

- Fourier Transform of the constant (=1 for all x and y)

$$k(x, y) = 1 \quad \forall x, y$$


$$F\{k\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-j2\pi(ux+vy)} dx dy = \delta(u, v)$$

Take the inverse Fourier Transform of the impulse function

$$F^{-1}\{\delta(u, v)\} = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(u, v) e^{j2\pi(ux+vy)} du dv = e^{j2\pi(0x+0y)} = 1$$

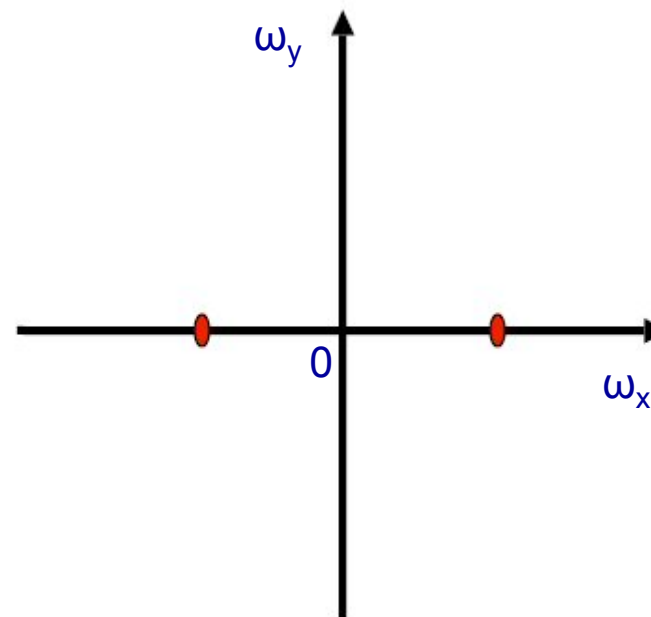
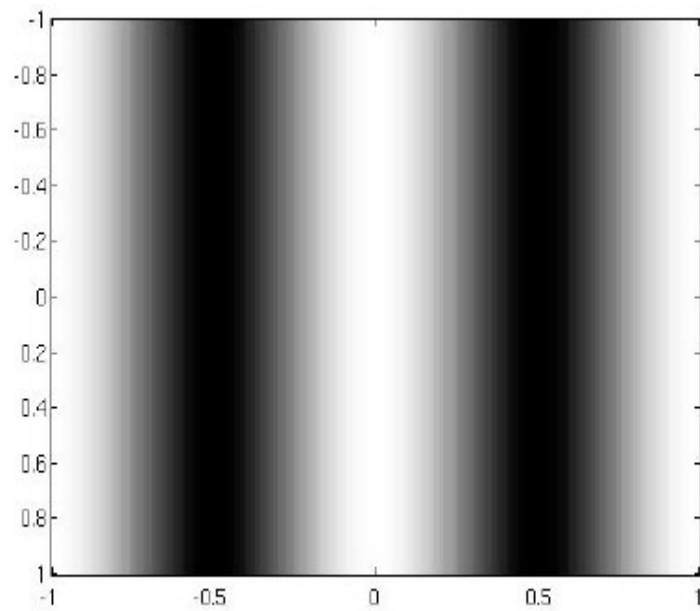
Trigonometric functions

- Cosinusoidal function oscillating along the x axis
 - Constant along the y axis

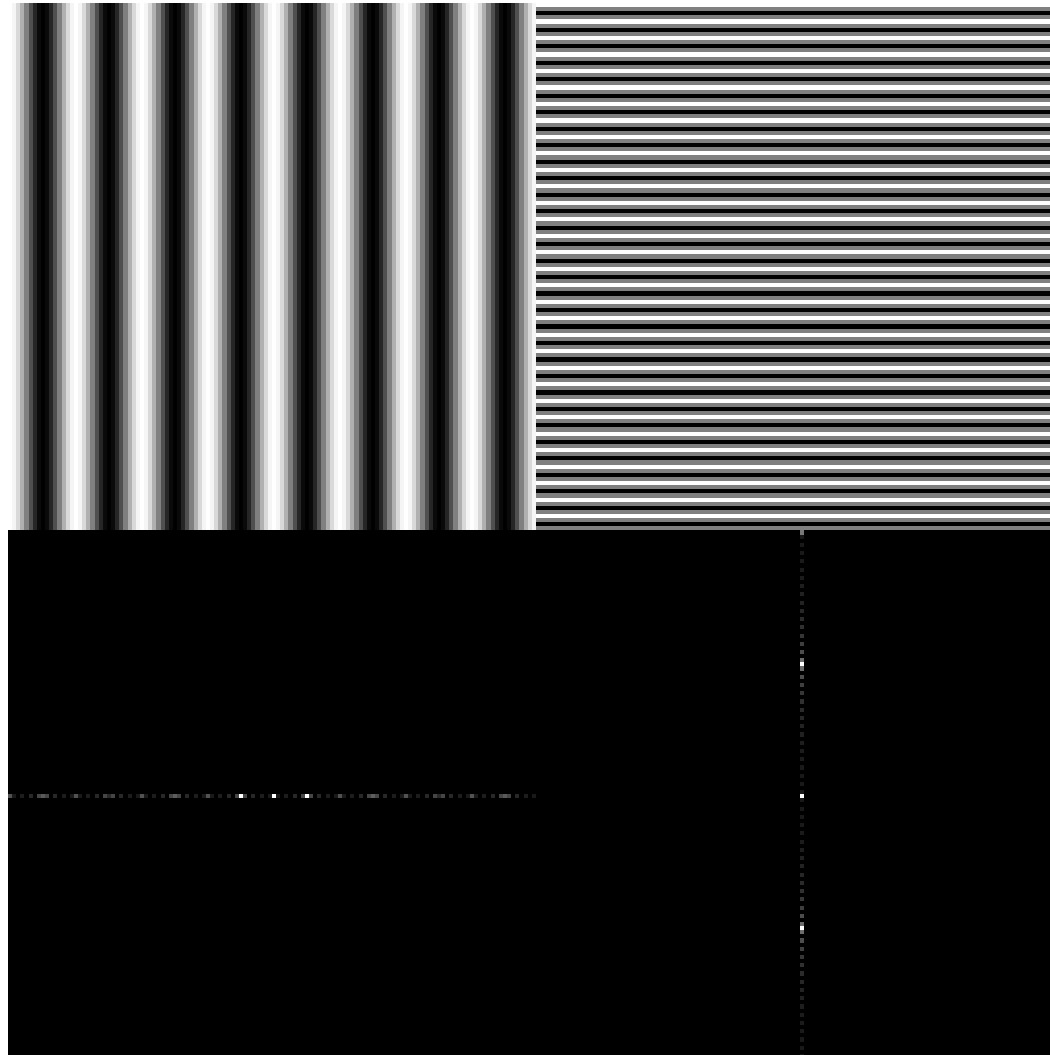
$$s(x, y) = \cos(2\pi fx)$$

$$\begin{aligned} F \{ \cos(2\pi fx) \} &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \cos(2\pi fx) e^{-j2\pi(ux+vy)} dx dy = \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\frac{e^{j2\pi(fx)} + e^{-j2\pi(fx)}}{2} \right] e^{-j2\pi(ux+vy)} dx dy \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[e^{-j2\pi(u-f)x} + e^{-j2\pi(u+f)x} \right] dx dy = \frac{1}{2} \left[\delta((u-f)) + \delta((u+f)) \right] \end{aligned}$$

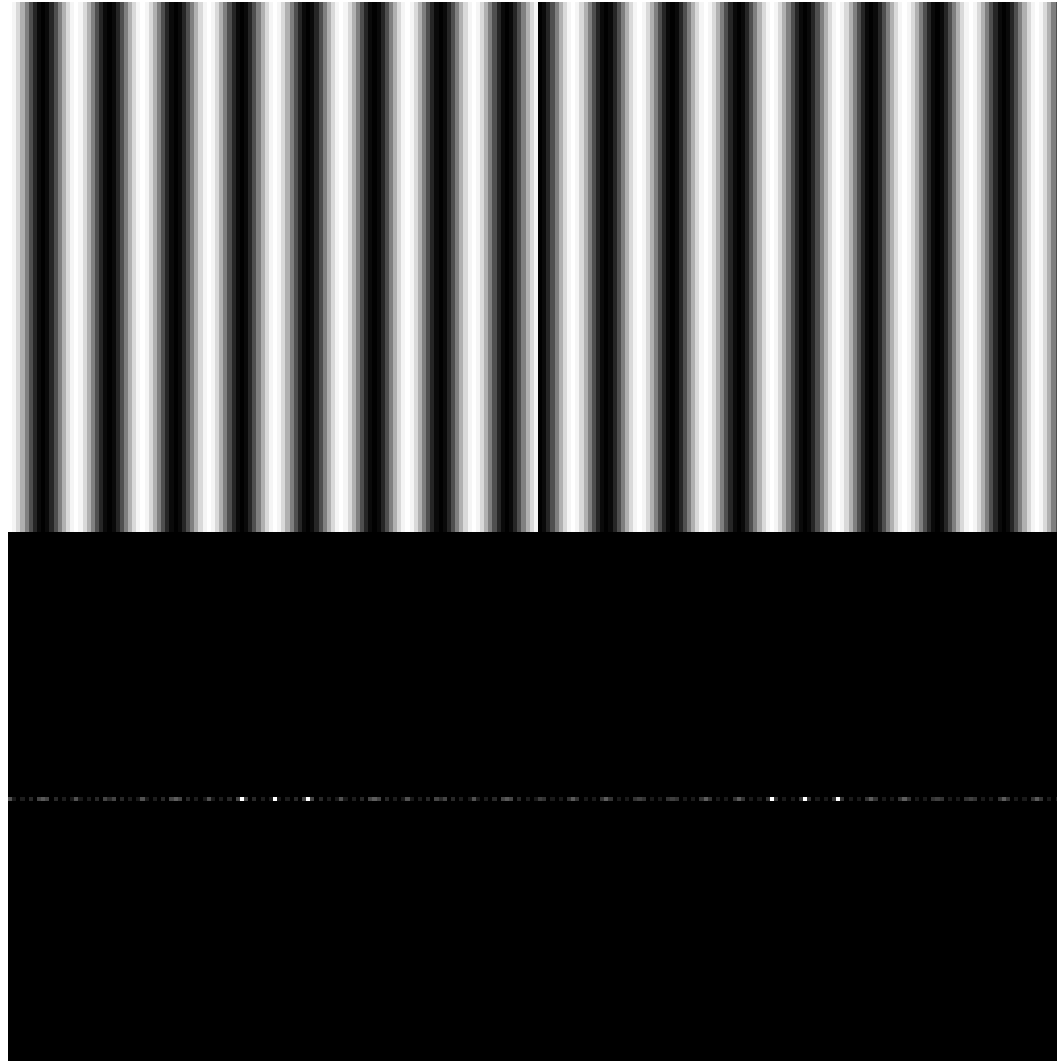
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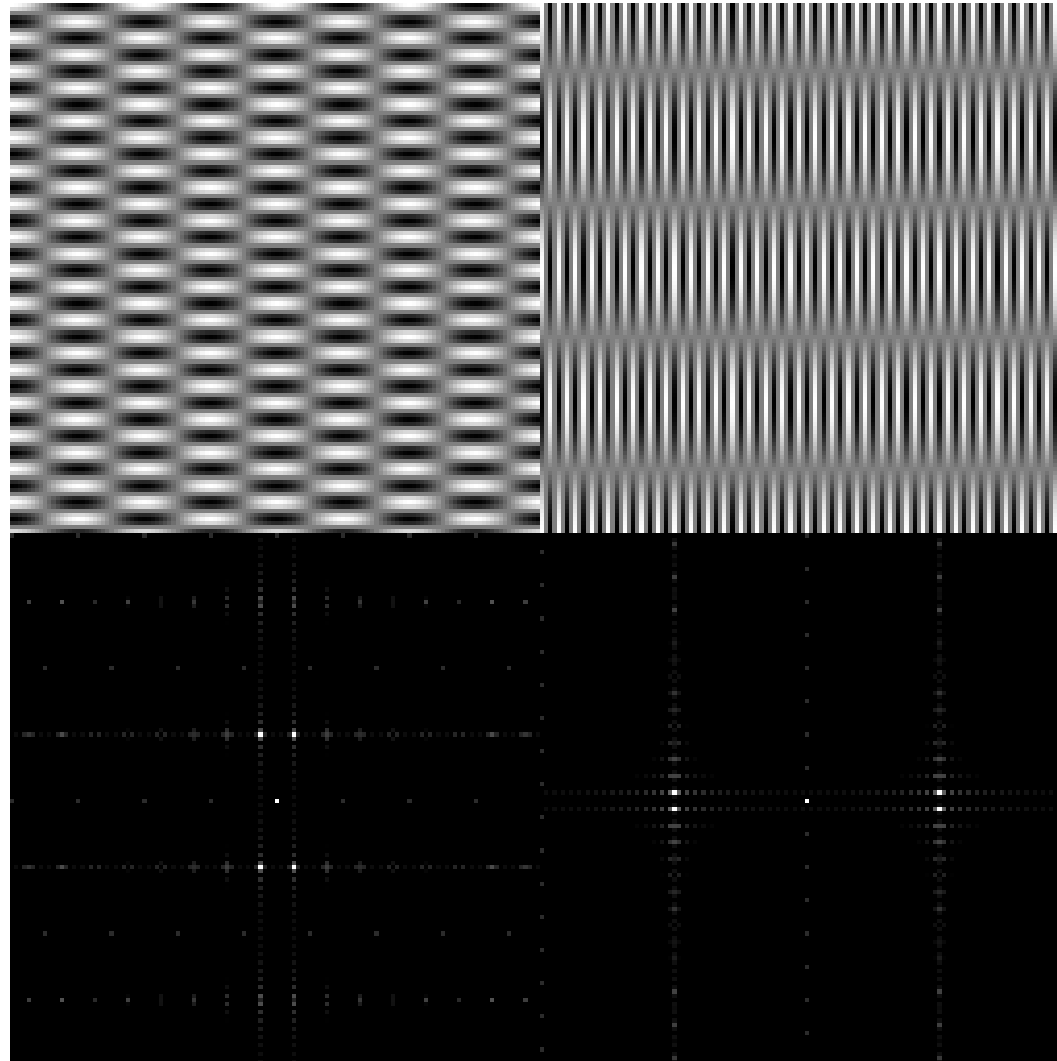
Ex. 1



Ex. 2

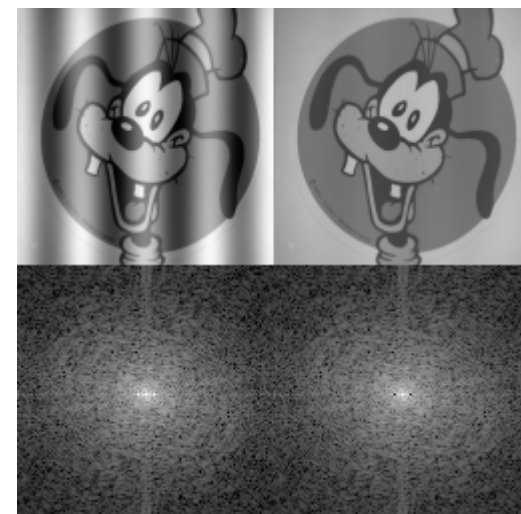
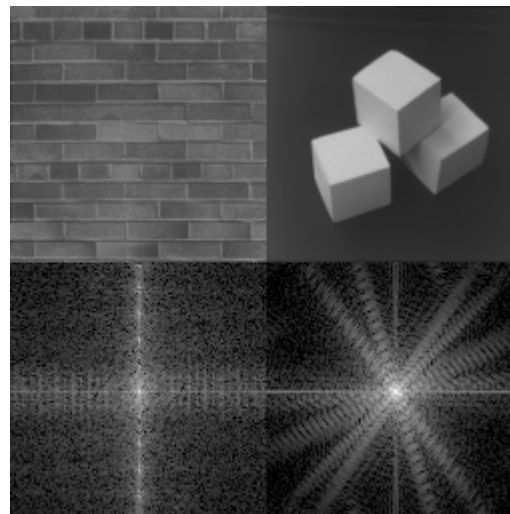
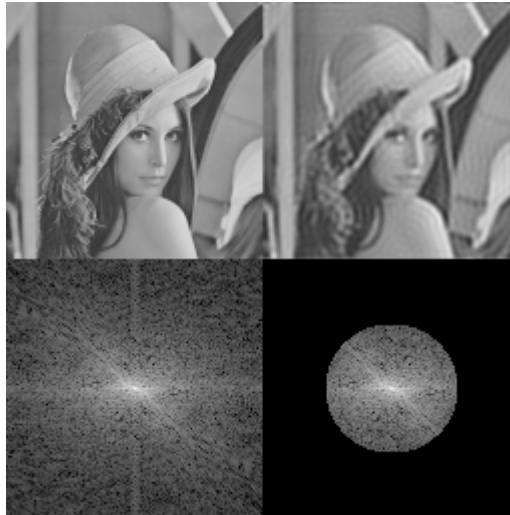
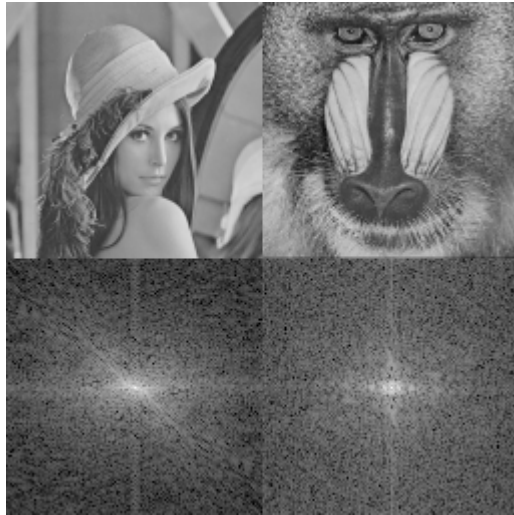


Ex. 3



Magnitudes

Examples



Properties

- Linearity $af(x, y) + bg(x, y) \Leftrightarrow aF(u, v) + bG(u, v)$
- Shifting $f(x - x_0, y - y_0) \Leftrightarrow e^{-j2\pi(ux_0 + vy_0)} F(u, v)$
- Modulation $e^{j2\pi(u_0x + v_0y)} f(x, y) \Leftrightarrow F(u - u_0, v - v_0)$
- Convolution $f(x, y) * g(x, y) \Leftrightarrow F(u, v)G(u, v)$
- Multiplication $f(x, y)g(x, y) \Leftrightarrow F(u, v) * G(u, v)$
- Separability $f(x, y) = f(x)f(y) \Leftrightarrow F(u, v) = F(u)F(v)$

Separability

$$\begin{aligned} F(u, v) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) e^{-j2\pi(ux+vy)} dx dy \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) e^{-j2\pi ux} dx \right] e^{-j2\pi vy} dy \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(u, y) e^{-j2\pi vy} dy \end{aligned}$$

2D Fourier Transform can be implemented as a sequence of 1D Fourier Transform operations performed independently along the two axis

2D Fourier Transform of a Discrete function

- Fourier Transform of a 2D a-periodic signal defined over a 2D discrete grid
 - The grid can be thought of as a 2D brush used for sampling the continuous signal with a given spatial resolution (T_x, T_y)

$$F(\Omega) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} f[k]e^{-j\Omega k}, f[k] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{2\pi} F(\Omega)e^{j\Omega k} dt$$

$$F(\Omega_x, \Omega_y) = \sum_{k_1=-\infty}^{+\infty} \sum_{k_2=-\infty}^{+\infty} f[k_1, k_2] e^{-j(k_1\Omega_x + k_2\Omega_y)}$$

$$f[k] = \frac{1}{4\pi^2} \int_{2\pi} \int_{2\pi} F(\Omega_x, \Omega_y) e^{j(k_1\Omega_x + k_2\Omega_y)} d\Omega_x d\Omega_y$$

Unitary frequency notations

$$\begin{cases} \Omega_x = 2\pi u \\ \Omega_y = 2\pi v \end{cases}$$

$$F(u, v) = \sum_{k_1=-\infty}^{+\infty} \sum_{k_2=-\infty}^{+\infty} f[k_1, k_2] e^{-j2\pi(k_1 u + k_2 v)}$$

$$f[k_1, k_2] = \int_{-1/2}^{1/2} \int_{-1/2}^{1/2} F(u, v) e^{-j2\pi(k_1 u + k_2 v)} du dv$$

- The integration interval for the inverse transform has width=1 instead of 2π
 - It is quite common to choose

$$-\frac{1}{2} \leq u, v < \frac{1}{2}$$

Properties

- Periodicity: 2D Fourier Transform of a discrete a-periodic signal is periodic with period
 - The period is 1 for the unitary frequency notations and 2π for normalized frequency notations. Referring to the firsts:

$$\begin{aligned} F(u+k, v+l) &= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} f[m, n] e^{-j2\pi((u+k)m+(v+l)n)} \\ &= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} f[m, n] e^{-j2\pi(um+vn)} e^{-j2\pi km} e^{-j2\pi ln} \\ &= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} f[m, n] e^{-j2\pi(um+vn)} \quad \begin{matrix} \nearrow 1 \\ \nearrow 1 \end{matrix} \\ &= F(u, v) \end{aligned}$$

Arbitrary integers

Properties

- Linearity
- shifting
- modulation
- convolution
- multiplication
- separability
- energy conservation properties also exist for the 2D Fourier Transform of discrete signals.
- NOTE: in what follows, (k_1, k_2) is replaced by (m, n)

Fourier Transform: Properties

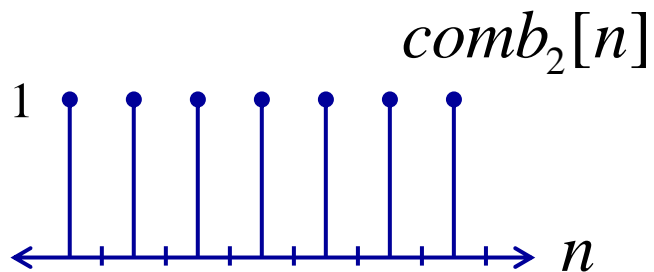
- Linearity $af[m, n] + bg[m, n] \Leftrightarrow aF(u, v) + bG(u, v)$
- Shifting $f[m - m_0, n - n_0] \Leftrightarrow e^{-j2\pi(um_0 + vn_0)} F(u, v)$
- Modulation $e^{j2\pi(u_0m + v_0n)} f[m, n] \Leftrightarrow F(u - u_0, v - v_0)$
- Convolution $f[m, n] * g[m, n] \Leftrightarrow F(u, v)G(u, v)$
- Multiplication $f[m, n]g[m, n] \Leftrightarrow F(u, v) * G(u, v)$
- Separable functions $f[m, n] = f[m]f[n] \Leftrightarrow F(u, v) = F(u)F(v)$
- Energy conservation $\sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |f[m, n]|^2 = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |F(u, v)|^2 du dv$

Impulse Train

- Define a *comb* function (impulse train) as follows

$$\text{comb}_{M,N}[m,n] = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta[m - kM, n - lN]$$

where M and N are integers



2D-DTFT: delta

- Define *Kronecker delta function*

$$\delta[m, n] = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{for } m = 0 \text{ and } n = 0 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- Fourier Transform of the Kronecker delta function

$$F(u, v) = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\delta[m, n] e^{-j2\pi(um+vn)} \right] = e^{-j2\pi(u0+v0)} = 1$$

Fourier Transform: (piecewise) constant

■ Fourier Transform of 1

$$f[m, n] = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} F[u, v] &= \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \left[1 e^{-j2\pi(um+vn)} \right] = \\ &= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(u - k, v - l) \end{aligned}$$

To prove: Take the inverse Fourier Transform of the Dirac delta function and use the fact that the Fourier Transform has to be periodic with period 1.

Impulse Train

$$\text{comb}_{M,N}[m,n] \triangleq \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta[m - kM, n - lN]$$

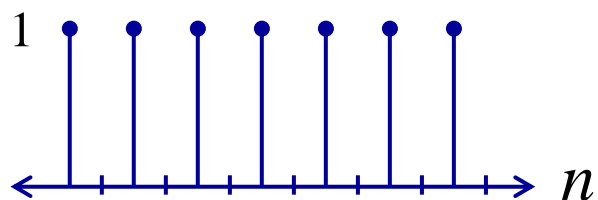
$$\text{comb}_{M,N}(x,y) \triangleq \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(x - kM, y - lN)$$

- Fourier Transform of an impulse train is also an impulse train:

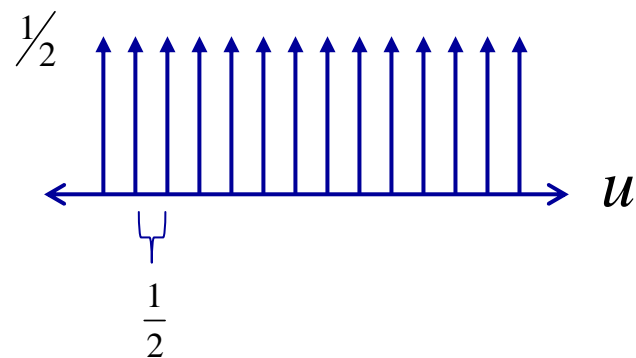
$$\underbrace{\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta[m - kM, n - lN]}_{\text{comb}_{M,N}[m,n]} \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{MN} \underbrace{\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta\left(u - \frac{k}{M}, v - \frac{l}{N}\right)}_{\text{comb}_{\frac{1}{M}, \frac{1}{N}}(u,v)}$$

Impulse Train

$$\text{comb}_2[n]$$



$$\frac{1}{2} \text{comb}_{\frac{1}{2}}(u)$$



Impulse Train

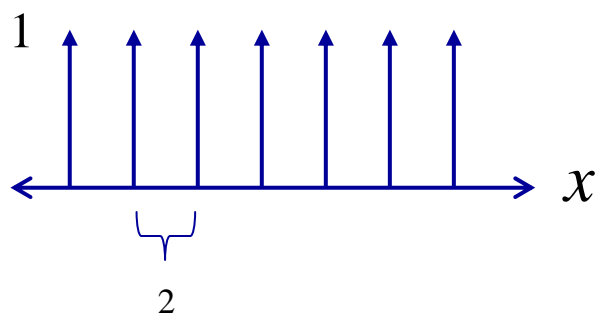
$$\text{comb}_{M,N}(x, y) \triangleq \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(x - kM, y - lN)$$

- In the case of continuous signals:

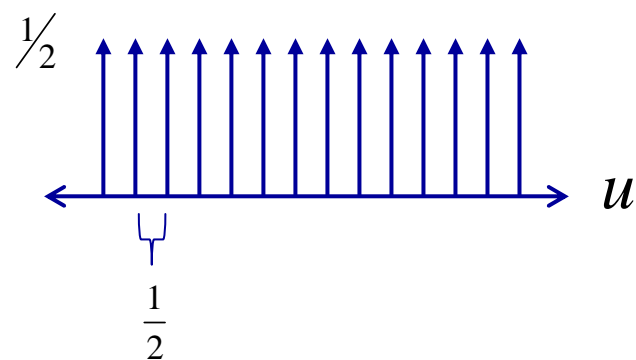
$$\underbrace{\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta(x - kM, y - lN)}_{\text{comb}_{M,N}(x, y)} \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{MN} \underbrace{\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{l=-\infty}^{\infty} \delta\left(u - \frac{k}{M}, v - \frac{l}{N}\right)}_{\text{comb}_{\frac{1}{M}, \frac{1}{N}}(u, v)}$$

Impulse Train

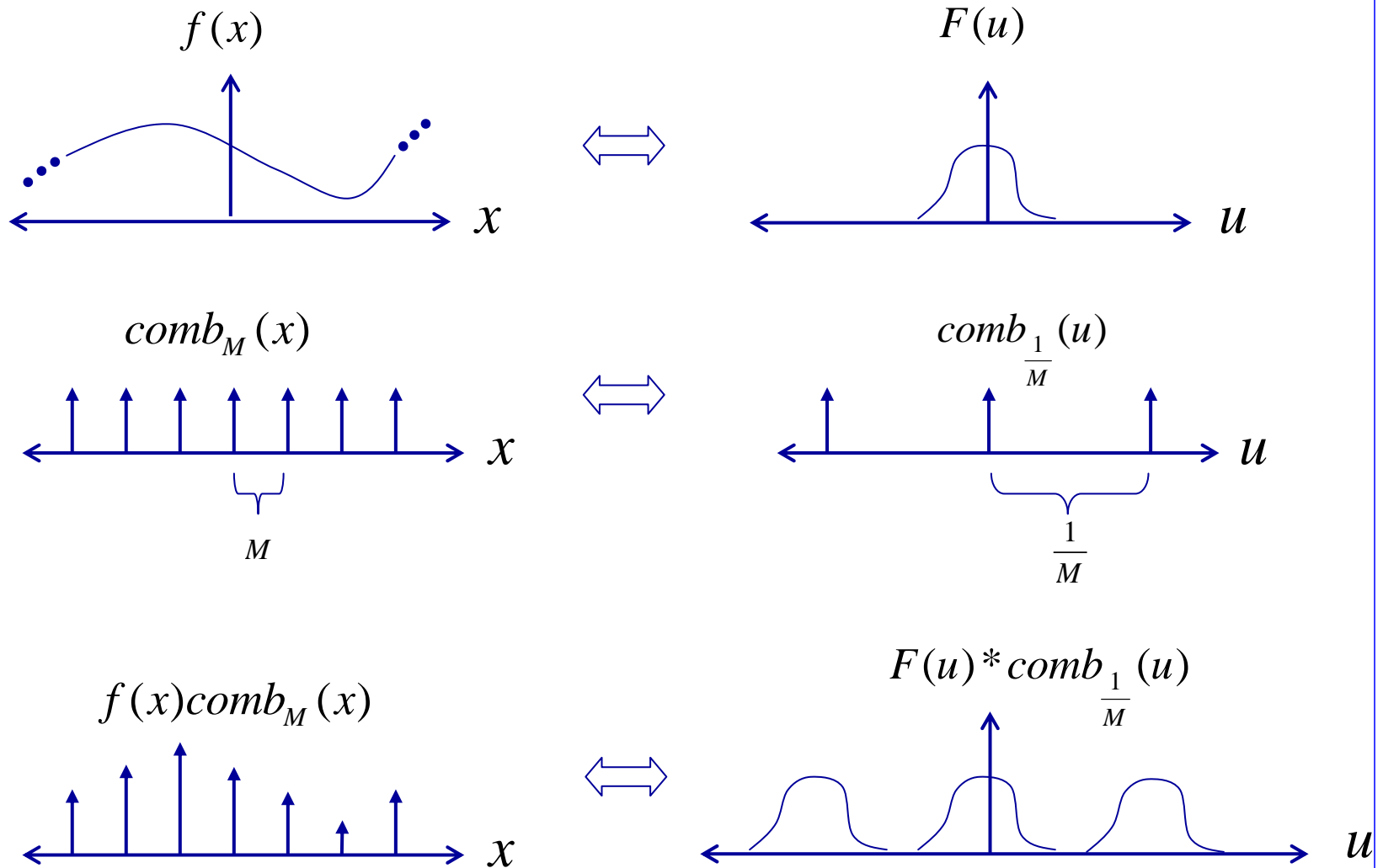
$$\text{comb}_2(x)$$



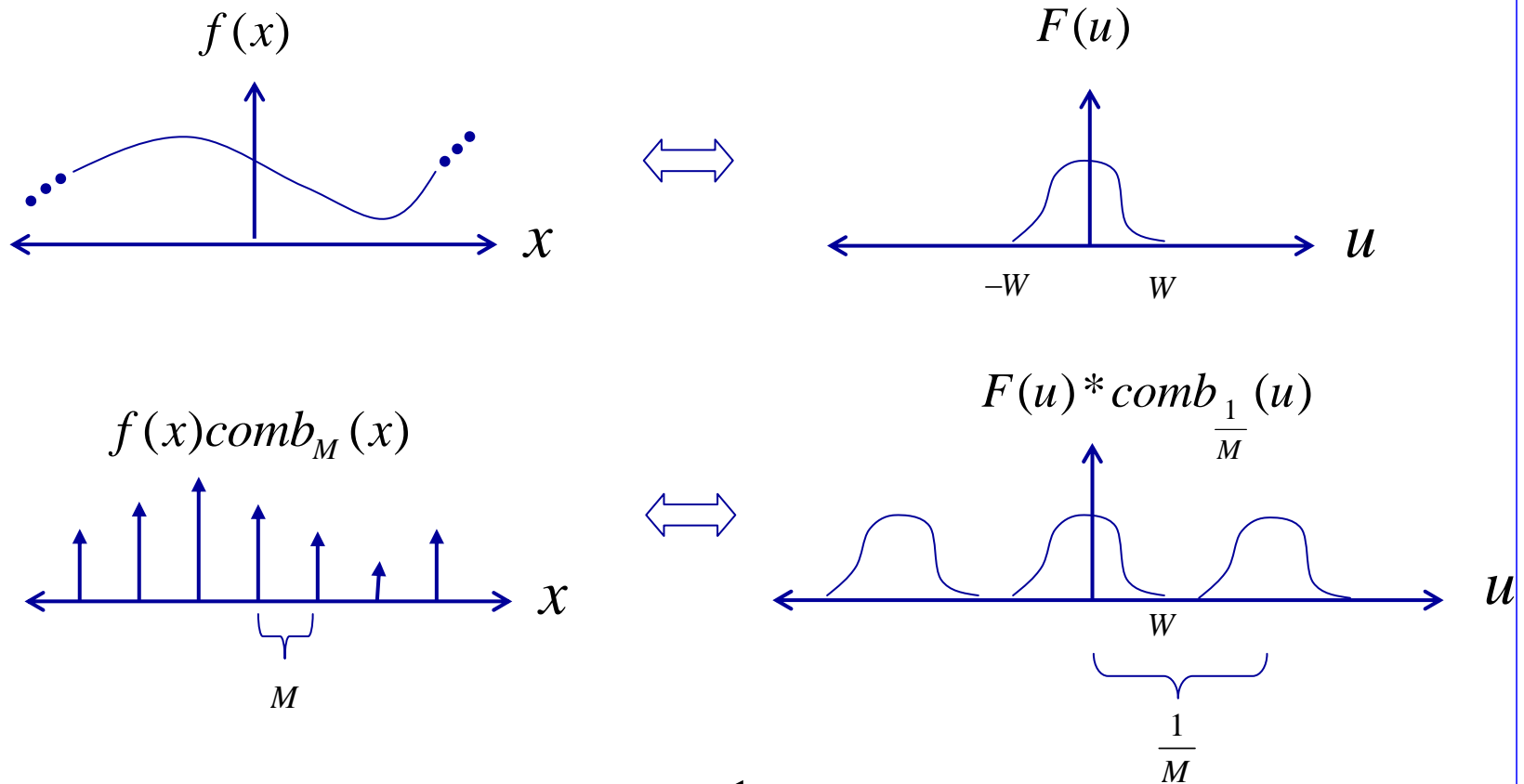
$$\frac{1}{2} \text{comb}_{\frac{1}{2}}(u)$$



Sampling revisitation

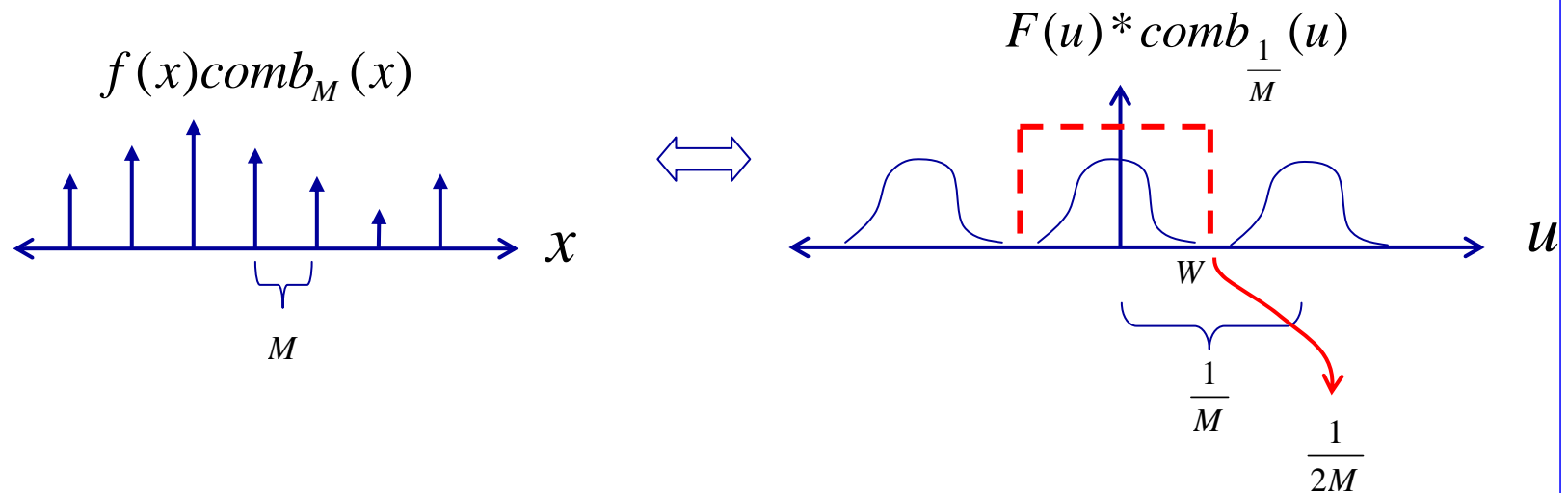


Sampling revisitation



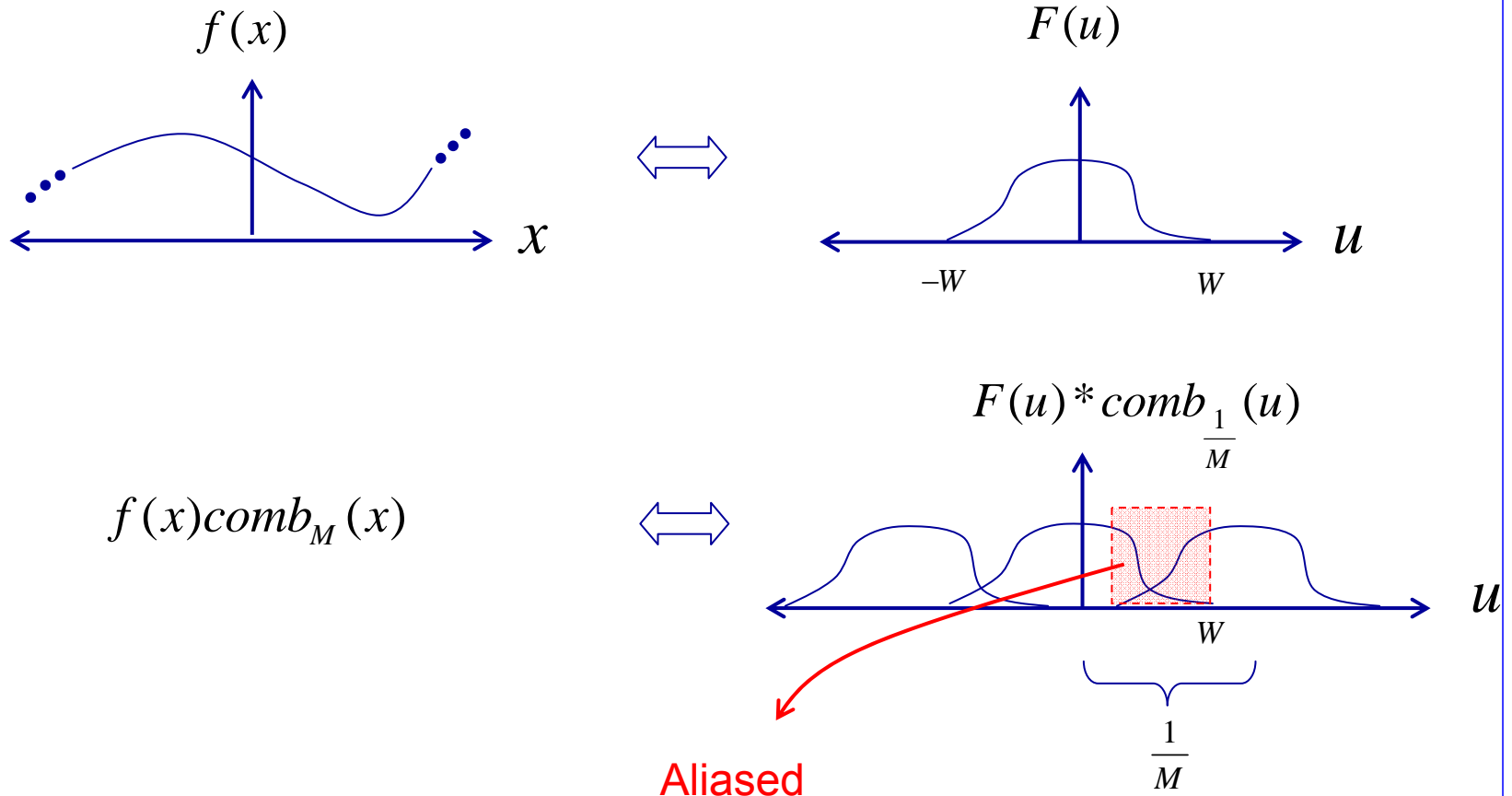
No aliasing if $\frac{1}{M} > 2W$

Sampling and aliasing

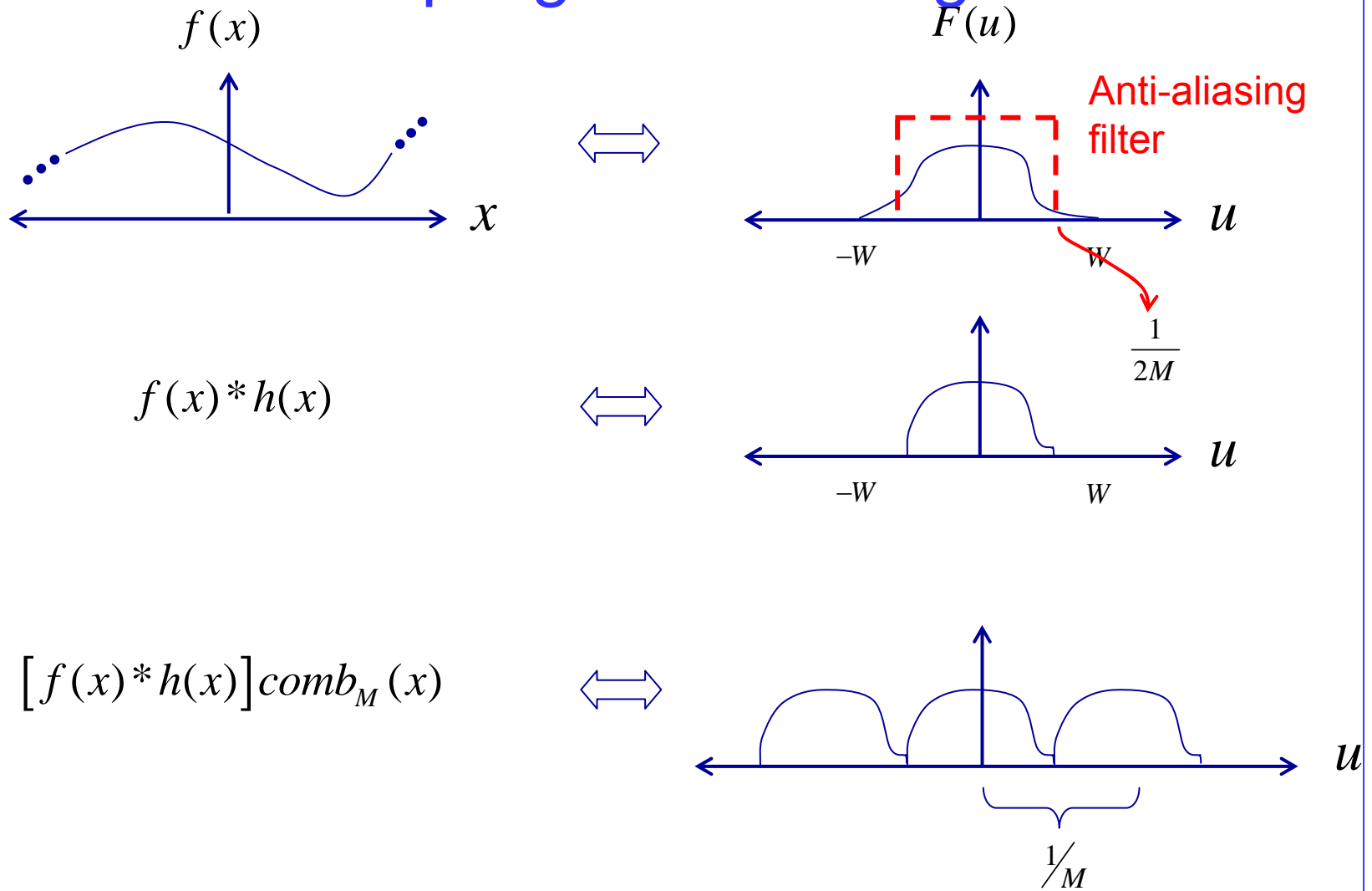


If there is no aliasing, the original signal can be recovered from its samples by low-pass filtering.

Sampling and aliasing



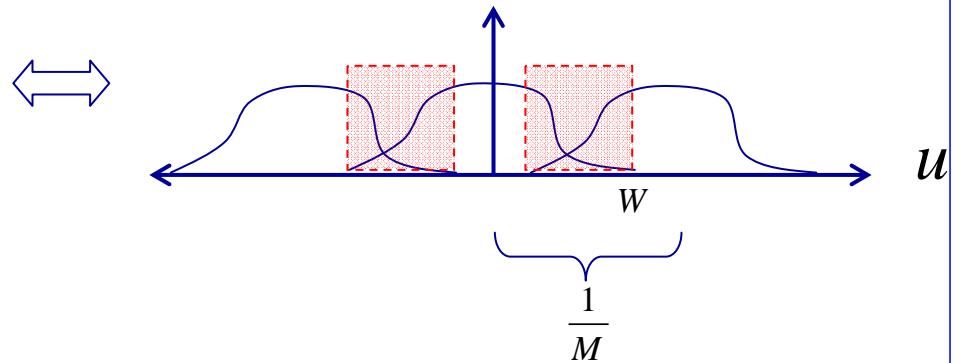
Sampling and aliasing



Sampling and aliasing

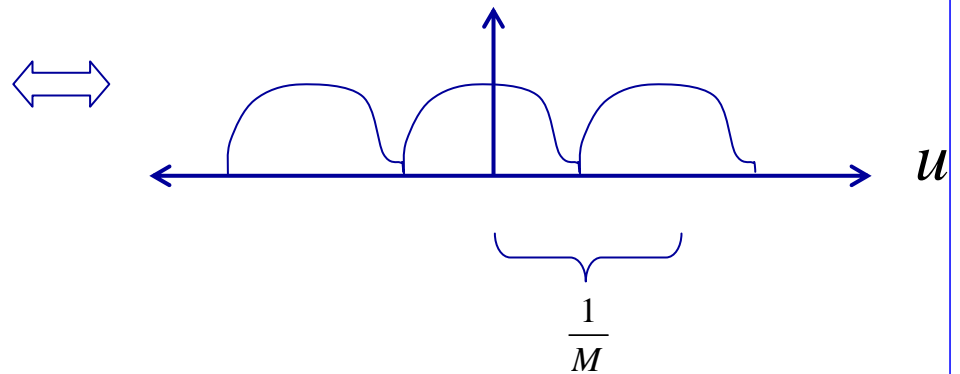
- Without anti-aliasing filter:

$$f(x)comb_M(x)$$



- With anti-aliasing filter:

$$[f(x) * h(x)]comb_M(x)$$



Aliasing in images

- Without the anti-aliasing filter the recovered image (subsampling+upsampling) is different from the original.
- With anti-aliasing filter (low-pass), the *smoothed* version of the original image can be recovered by interpolation

Anti-Aliasing

```
a=imread('barbara.tif');
```



Anti-Aliasing

```
a=imread('barbara.tif');  
b=imresize(a,0.25);  
c=imresize(b,4);
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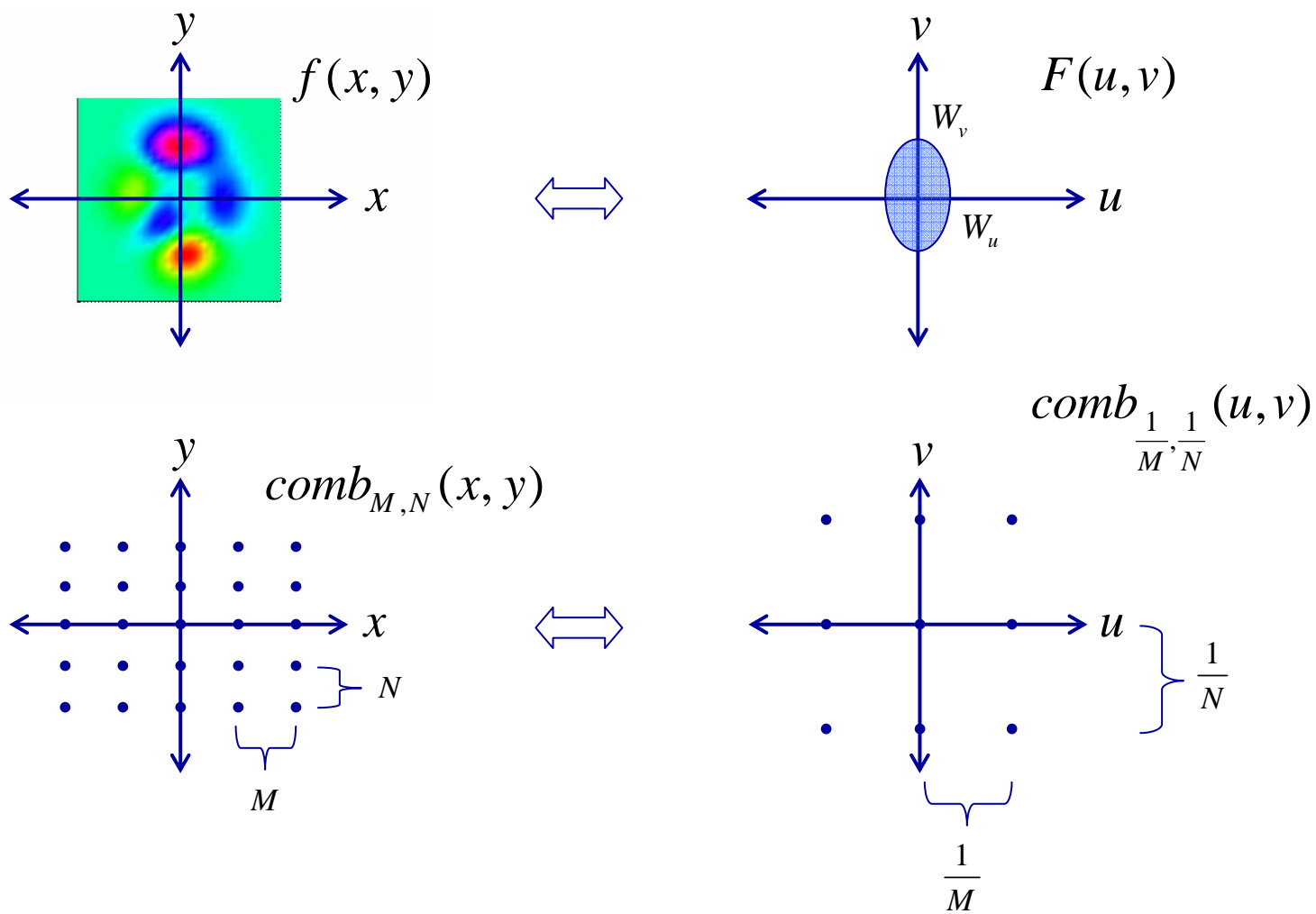


Anti-Aliasing

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a=imread('barbara.tif');  
b=imresize(a,0.25);  
c=imresize(b,4);  
  
H=zeros(512,512);  
H(256-64:256+64, 256-64:256+64)=1;  
  
Da=fft2(a);  
Da=fftshift(Da);  
Dd=Da.*H;  
Dd=fftshift(Dd);  
d=real(ifft2(Dd));
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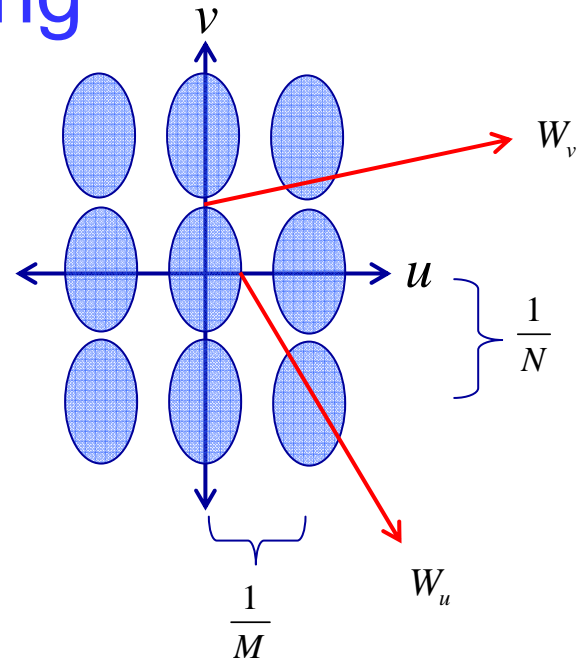


Sampling



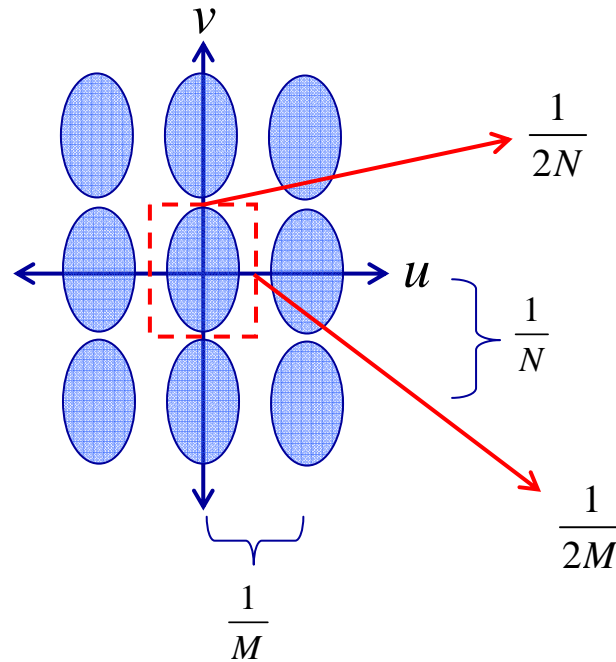
Sampling

$$f(x, y) \text{comb}_{M, N}(x, y)$$



No aliasing if $\frac{1}{M} > 2W_u$ and $\frac{1}{N} > 2W_v$

Interpolation



*Ideal reconstruction
filter:*

$$H(u, v) = \begin{cases} MN, & \text{for } u \leq \frac{1}{2M} \text{ and } v \leq \frac{1}{2N} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Ideal Reconstruction Filter

$$h(x, y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} H(u, v) e^{j2\pi(ux+vy)} du dv = \int_{\frac{1}{2N}}^{\frac{1}{2N}} \int_{\frac{-1}{2M}}^{\frac{1}{2M}} M N e^{j2\pi(ux+vy)} du dv$$

$$= \int_{\frac{-1}{2M}}^{\frac{1}{2M}} M e^{j2\pi ux} du \int_{\frac{-1}{2N}}^{\frac{1}{2N}} N e^{j2\pi vy} dv$$

$$= M \frac{1}{j2\pi x} \left(e^{j2\pi x \frac{1}{2M}} - e^{-j2\pi x \frac{1}{2M}} \right) N \frac{1}{j2\pi y} \left(e^{j2\pi y \frac{1}{2N}} - e^{-j2\pi y \frac{1}{2N}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{M} x\right)}{\frac{\pi}{M} x} \frac{\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{N} y\right)}{\frac{\pi}{N} y}$$

$$\sin(x) = \frac{1}{2j} (e^{jx} - e^{-jx})$$