

Properties of the Fourier Transform

Property	$f(t)$	$F(\omega)$
Linearity (Superposition)	$a_1 f_1(t) + a_2 f_2(t)$	$a_1 F_1(\omega) + a_2 F_2(\omega)$
Time Shifting	$f(t - t_d)$	$e^{-j\omega t_d} F(\omega)$
Time Scaling	$f(ct)$	$\frac{1}{ c } F\left(\frac{\omega}{c}\right)$
Symmetry (Duality)	$F(t)$	$2\pi f(-\omega)$
Time Reversal	$f(-t)$	$F(-\omega)$
Frequency Scaling	$f(t)e^{j\omega_c t}$	$F(\omega - \omega_c)$
Modulation	$f(t)\cos(\omega_c t)$	$\frac{1}{2}F(\omega - \omega_c) + \frac{1}{2}F(\omega + \omega_c)$
Time Differentiation	$\frac{df(t)}{dt}$	$j\omega F(\omega)$
Frequency Differentiation	$tf(t)$	$j\frac{dF(\omega)}{d\omega}$
Conjugate	$f^*(t)$	$F^*(-\omega)$
Integration	$\int_{-\infty}^t f(\lambda)d\lambda$	$\frac{1}{j\omega}F(\omega) + \pi F(0)\delta(\omega)$
Convolution	$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} h(\lambda)x(t - \lambda)d\lambda$	$H(\omega)X(\omega)$
Multiplication	$f_1(t)f_2(t)$	$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F_1(\nu)F_2(\omega - \nu)d\nu$
Parseval's Theorem	$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) ^2 dt$	$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(\omega) ^2 d\omega$

Table 16.2 Fourier Transform Pairs ($a > 0$)

$f(t)$	$F(\omega)$	$F(f)$
$\Pi\left(\frac{t}{a}\right) = \text{rect}\left(\frac{t}{a}\right)$	$a \text{sinc}\left(\frac{\omega a}{2\pi}\right)$	$a \text{sinc}(fa)$
$\Lambda\left(\frac{t}{a}\right) = \text{tri}\left(\frac{t}{a}\right)$	$a \text{sinc}^2\left(\frac{\omega a}{2\pi}\right)$	$a \text{sinc}^2(fa)$
$e^{-at}u(t)$	$\frac{1}{j\omega + a}$	$\frac{1}{j2\pi f + a}$
$e^{at}u(-t)$	$\frac{1}{-j\omega + a}$	$\frac{1}{-j2\pi f + a}$
$e^{-a t }$	$\frac{2a}{\omega^2 + a^2}$	$\frac{2a}{4\pi^2 f^2 + a^2}$
$e^{-at}u(t) - e^{at}u(-t)$	$\frac{-2j\omega}{\omega^2 + a^2}$	$\frac{-j4\pi f}{4\pi^2 f^2 + a^2}$
$\delta(t)$	1	1
1	$2\pi\delta(\omega)$	$\delta(f)$
$u(t)$	$\pi\delta(\omega) + \frac{1}{j\omega}$	$\frac{1}{2}\delta(f) + \frac{1}{j2\pi f}$
$tu(t)$	$\frac{\pi}{j\omega}\delta(\omega) + \frac{1}{(j\omega)^2}$	$\frac{1}{j4\pi f}\delta(f) + \frac{1}{(j2\pi f)^2}$
$te^{-at}u(t)$	$\frac{1}{(j\omega + a)^2}$	$\frac{1}{(j2\pi f + a)^2}$
$\cos(\omega_c t) = \cos(2\pi f_c t)$	$\pi[\delta(\omega - \omega_c) + \delta(\omega + \omega_c)]$	$\frac{1}{2}[\delta(f - f_c) + \delta(f + f_c)]$

$$\sin(\omega_c t) = \sin(2\pi f_c t) \quad -j\pi[\delta(\omega - \omega_c) - \delta(\omega + \omega_c)] \quad \frac{-j}{2}[\delta(f - f_c) - \delta(f + f_c)]$$

$$e^{-at}u(t)\cos(\omega_c t) \quad \frac{j\omega + a}{(j\omega + a)^2 + \omega_c^2} \quad \frac{j2\pi f + a}{(j2\pi f + a)^2 + (2\pi f_c)^2}$$

$$e^{-at}u(t)\sin(\omega_c t) \quad \frac{\omega_c}{(j\omega + a)^2 + \omega_c^2} \quad \frac{2\pi f_c}{(j2\pi f + a)^2 + (2\pi f_c)^2}$$

$$\text{sgn}(t) \quad \frac{2}{j\omega} \quad \frac{1}{j\pi f}$$

$$\text{sinc}(ct) \quad \frac{1}{c} \text{rect}\left(\frac{\omega}{2\pi c}\right) \quad \frac{1}{c} \text{rect}\left(\frac{f}{c}\right)$$

$$\text{sinc}^2(ct) \quad \frac{1}{c} \text{tri}\left(\frac{\omega}{2\pi c}\right) \quad \frac{1}{c} \text{tri}\left(\frac{f}{c}\right)$$

$$\cos\left(\frac{\pi t}{a}\right)\text{rect}\left(\frac{t}{a}\right) \quad \frac{2a}{\pi} \frac{\cos\left(\frac{\omega a}{2}\right)}{1 - \left(\frac{\omega a}{\pi}\right)^2} \quad \frac{2a}{\pi} \frac{\cos(\pi a f)}{1 - (2af)^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \left[1 + \cos\left(\frac{\pi t}{a}\right) \right] \text{rect}\left(\frac{t}{2a}\right) \quad a \frac{\sin(\omega a)}{\omega a \left[1 - \left(\frac{\omega a}{\pi}\right)^2 \right]} \quad a \frac{\sin(2\pi f a)}{2\pi f a [1 - (2af)^2]}$$