

DSP : Discrete Fourier
Transform (DFT)

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But observe that each, \bar{f}_i vectors are N-dimensional

And $f_0, f_1, f_2 \dots f_{N-1}$ are all orthogonal,
thus must be also



Vectors $\bar{f}_0, \bar{f}_1, \bar{f}_2 \dots \bar{f}_{N-1}$ form a basis for
N-dimensional space.

Now, express the original signal X in time & freq. basis

$$\mathbb{I} X_t =$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & & 0 \\ & & \ddots & \\ 0 & & & 0 \\ \vdots & & & \vdots \\ & & & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_{N-1} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \\ \\ \\ \\ \phantom{x_{N-1}} \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus, Fourier transform is the representation of
a signal vector in a different (frequency) basis.

$$F \cdot X_f = X_t$$

$$X_f = F^{-1} X_t =$$

$$Z_2 = e^{-j\theta} x_0 +$$

$$Z_2 = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x_n \quad \text{where } \theta =$$

$$Z_m =$$



What is 'm' in Z_m ?

Inverse DFT \Rightarrow From freq back to time domain

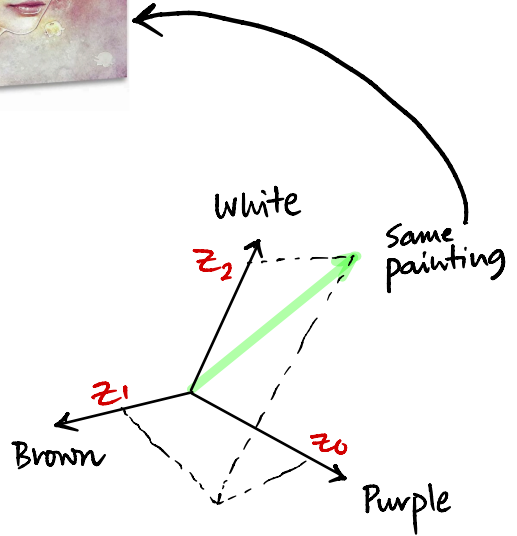
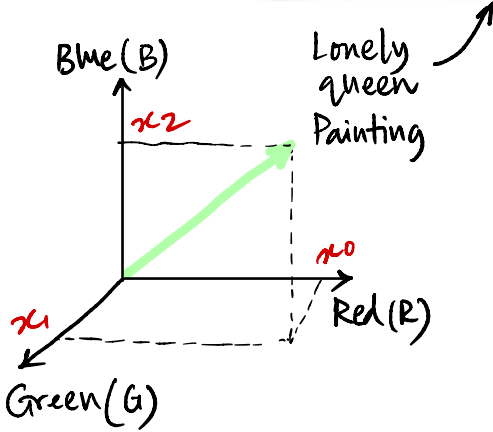
$$IX = F.$$

$$\begin{matrix} \downarrow & & \downarrow & & \downarrow \\ \begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_{N-1} \end{bmatrix} & & \begin{bmatrix} | & | & \dots & | \\ f_0 & f_1 & \dots & f_{N-1} \\ | & | & \dots & | \end{bmatrix} & & \begin{bmatrix} z_0 \\ z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_{N-1} \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

$$x_n = \sum_{m=0}^{N-1}$$

\hookrightarrow Inverse Discrete Fourier Transform (IDFT)

Analogy



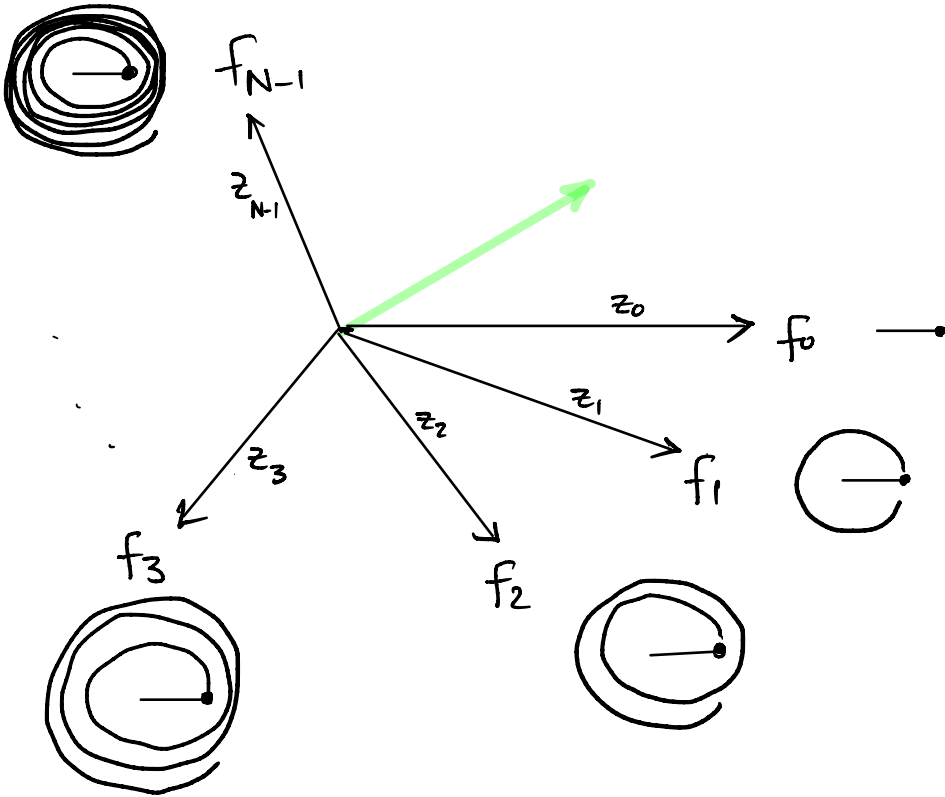
$$\text{Lonely queen} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ R & G & B \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ P & Br & W \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} z_0 \\ z_1 \\ z_2 \end{bmatrix}$$

② Now when basis is complex, what about the weights?

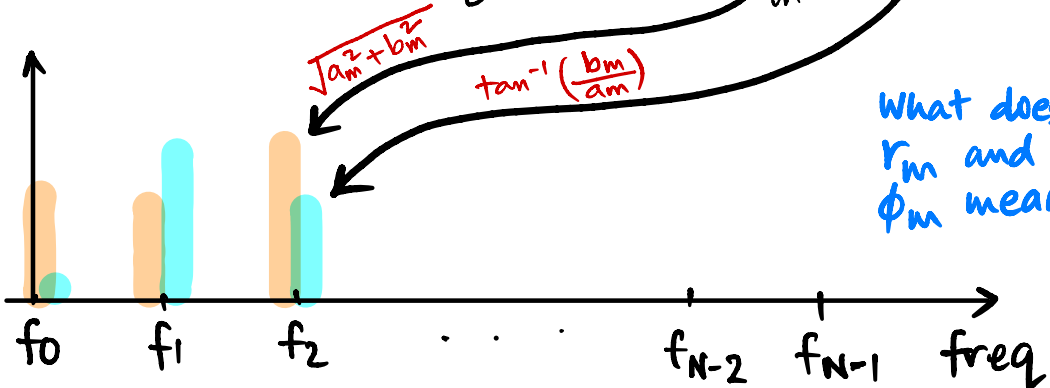
$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_{N-1} \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{Real}} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} e^{j0} & e^{j0} & \dots & e^{j0} \\ e^{j0} & e^{j0} & \dots & e^{j(N-1)j0} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ e^{j0} & e^{j(N-1)j0} & \dots & e^{j(N-1)2j0} \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{Complex}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} z_0 \\ z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_{N-1} \end{bmatrix}}_{?}$$

DFT is a complex Vector

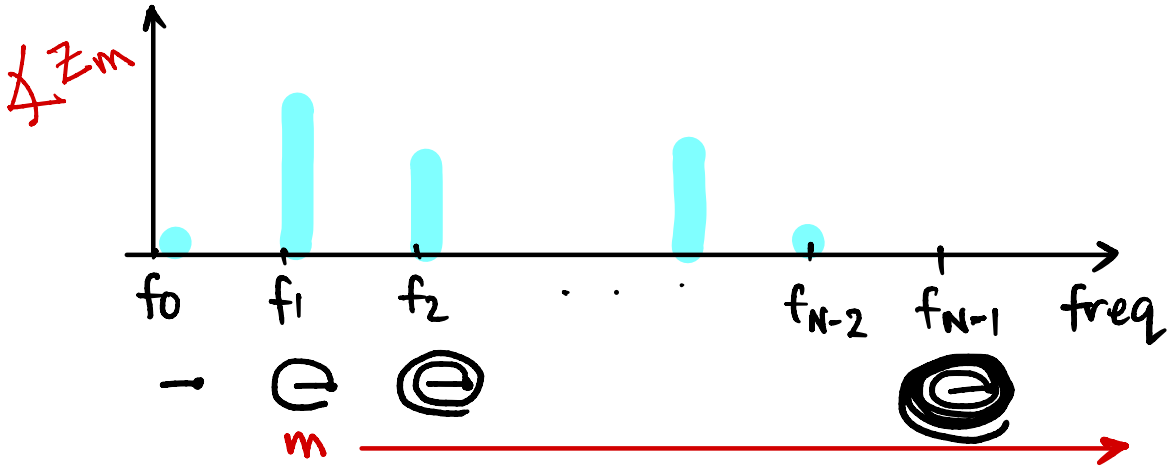
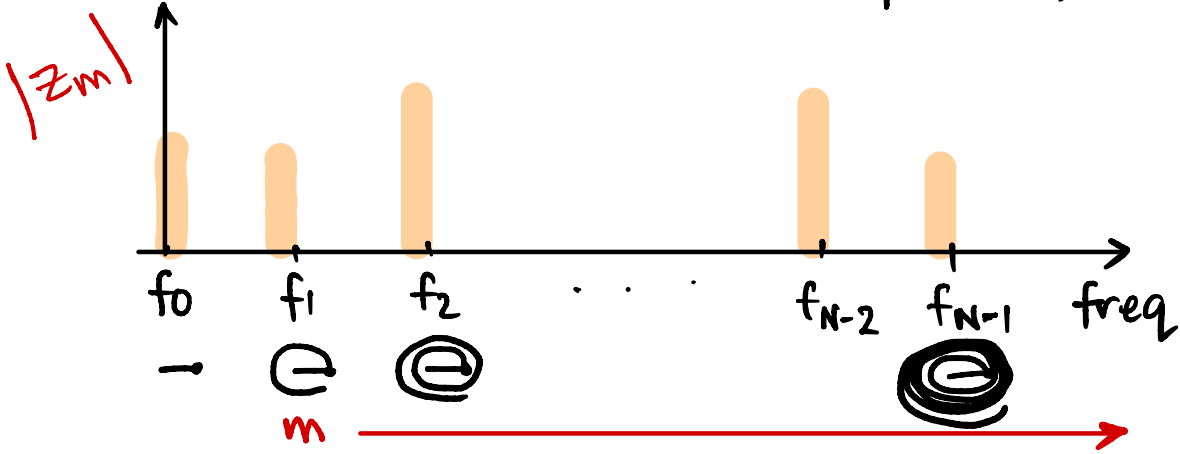
↳ What does that mean?



$$z_m = a_m + j b_m = r_m e^{j \phi_m}$$



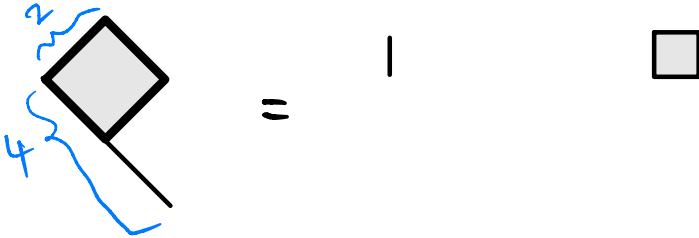
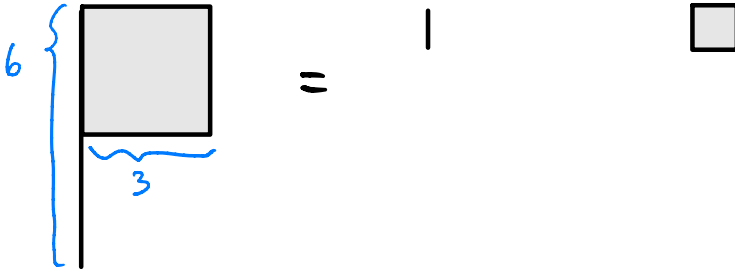
Magnitude and Phase plots of DFT



(⇒) Signals will have non-zero magnitudes for some frequencies.

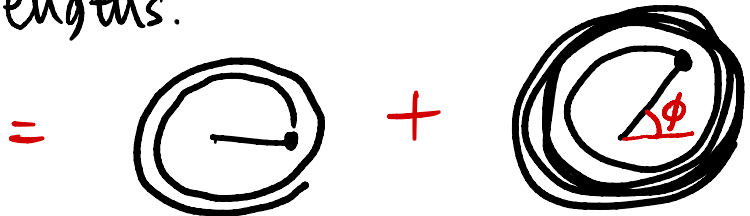
Bandwidth =

Analogy



③ Similarly, to synthesize ^{any} signal with spinning sticks, you may need to start some of the sticks by rotating them with phase ϕ_m , in addition to increasing/decreasing their lengths.

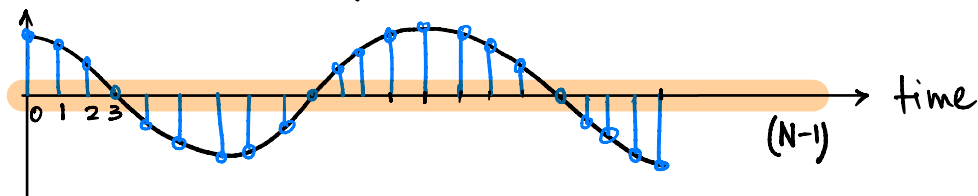
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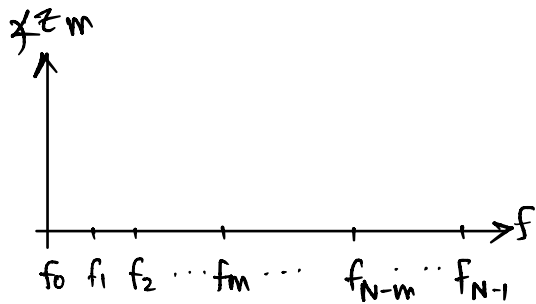
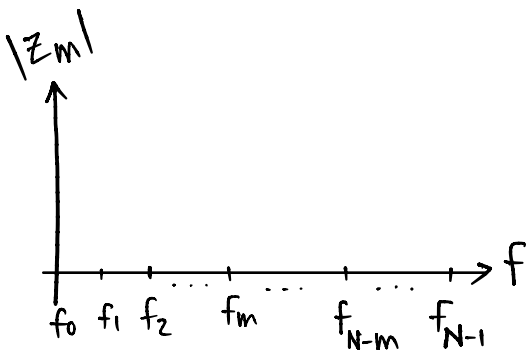
Q: Does a time domain signal have phase?

② Example 1 : $x(t) = \cos 2\pi f_m t$

Discrete sampled signal $x[n] =$



⇓ synthesize with frequency basis.



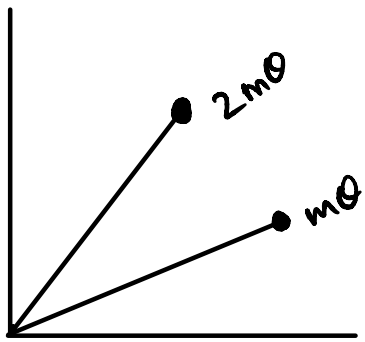
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③ But $\cos 2\pi f_m n t_s$ only has f_m freq. Why does DFT have components?

Answer:

: Note that $\cos 2\pi f_m n t_s$ is not a rotation. It's only the X-axis shadow of the rotation. So, to make $\cos 2\pi f_m n t_s$, we need to cancel out the y-axis shadows of the rotating stick.

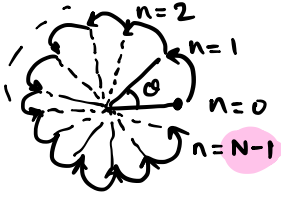
$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos 0 \\ \cos(m\theta) \\ \cos 2(m\theta) \\ \cos 3(m\theta) \\ \vdots \\ \cos(N-1)(m\theta) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} e^{j0} \\ e^{jm\theta} \\ e^{j2m\theta} \\ e^{j3m\theta} \\ \vdots \\ e^{j(N-1)\theta} \end{bmatrix} \times z_m$$



⊛ This, real signals always around center of

⊛ For $\cos 2\pi f_m nT_s$, all phases are 0

② Translating to real-world frequencies



Now, slowest freq = N samples/cycle

Say sampling freq. = f_s

N samples take

1 cycle takes

∴ slowest frequency =

$\frac{f_s}{N} \Rightarrow$ Called Fundamental freq.

Faster freq. \Rightarrow

For large N , $(N-1) \approx N$,

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