

Let  $x(t)$  be a function whose spectrum is limited to the range  $0$ - $W$  cps, whose sample values  $x_1, x_2$ , etc. (taken  $1/2W$  sec apart) are nonzero only

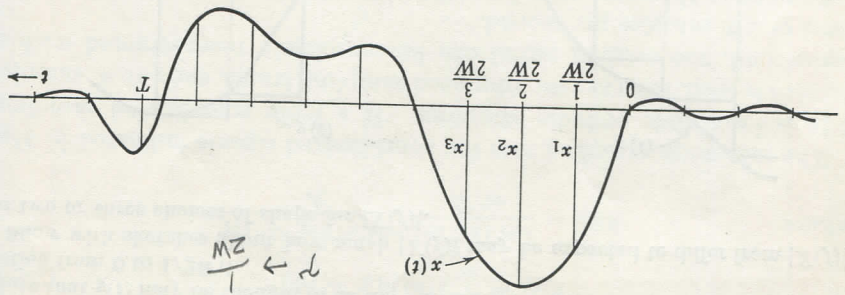


Fig. 2-15. Sampled band-limited signal with a finite number of nonzero samples.

in the range  $0$  to  $T$  (Fig. 2-15). It can be described exactly by<sup>1</sup>

$$x(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{2TW} x_n \frac{\sin \pi(2Wt - n)}{\pi(2Wt - n)} \quad (2-40)$$

This function can be represented as a vector in  $2TW$ -dimensional space whose components are

$$\mathbf{X} = x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_{2TW} \quad (2-41)$$

Addition and subtraction of multidimensional vectors may be defined by extension from the three-dimensional case; the dot product may be similarly defined:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{X} + \mathbf{Y} &\triangleq x_1 + y_1, x_2 + y_2, \dots \\ \mathbf{X} \cdot \mathbf{Y} &\triangleq (x_1 + x_2 + x_3 + \dots) \cdot (y_1 + y_2 + y_3 + \dots) \\ &= x_1y_1 + x_2y_2 + \dots \end{aligned} \quad (2-42) \quad (2-43)$$

The total energy in the signal  $f(t)$  is, from Eq. (2-40),

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2(t) dt = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[ \sum_{n=1}^{2TW} x_n \frac{\sin \pi(2Wt - n)}{\pi(2Wt - n)} \right]^2 dt \quad (2-44)$$

<sup>1</sup> For simplicity in presentation, the signal-space concept is here discussed only in terms of band-limited signals restricted to the frequency range  $0$  to  $W$  cps. As indicated in Sec. 2-5, the sampling concept, and hence the signal-space representation, can be extended to band-limited signals in the range  $W_1$  to  $W_1 + W$ . In some discussions later in the book it will be so used without further justification.

But note that<sup>1</sup>

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin \pi(2Wt - n)}{\pi(2Wt - n)} \frac{\sin \pi(2Wt - m)}{\pi(2Wt - m)} dt$$

Thus it follows that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{2TW} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x^2(t) dt = \frac{1}{2W} \sum_{n=1}^{2TW} x_n^2$$

In a similar manner it follows that the dot product of the integral of the product of

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} x(t)y(t) dt = \frac{1}{2W} \mathbf{X} \cdot \mathbf{Y}$$

where  $x_n$  and  $y_n$  are the sample values

Note that the time-average power of a signal is the sum of the squares of the sample values of samples:

$$P = \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T x^2(t) dt \approx \frac{1}{2TW} \mathbf{X} \cdot \mathbf{X}$$

Thus all signals with the same average power which terminate on a sphere (or hypersphere) in the sampling functions represent one term of which  $x(t)$  can be expanded. Fourier-series expansion.

Consider the set of band-limited time whose sample values (taken  $1/2W$  sec apart) in the interval  $0 \leq t \leq T$  and zero sample values are  $\sin(2\pi kt/T)$  in this

These are orthogonal, since for  $2TW > 2$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} c_j(t)c_k(t) dt = \frac{1}{2W} \sum_{n=1}^{2TW} \cos \frac{\pi jn}{2W} \cos \frac{\pi kn}{2W}$$

<sup>1</sup> This is most easily shown using Parseval's theorem

$$c_k = \cos(2\pi kt/T) \quad s_k = \sin(2\pi kt/T)$$