

## Properties of sinusoids

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periodicity  $v(t+T_0) = v(t)$   $T_0 \equiv \text{period}$

Signals that are not periodic are called aperiodic.

Consider  $v(t) = V_A \cos\left(2\pi \frac{t}{T_0}\right)$

$$v(t+T_0) = V_A \cos\left(2\pi \left(\frac{t+T_0}{T_0}\right)\right) = V_A \cos\left(2\pi \frac{t}{T_0} + 2\pi\right)$$

$$\therefore v(t+T_0) = v(t) \text{ for the cosine.}$$

### additive property

Sums of sinusoids cannot be done by adding amplitudes and phase representations.

Must use Fourier representation to add sinusoids.

$$v_1(t) = a_1 \cos(2\pi f_0 t) + b_1 \sin(2\pi f_0 t)$$

$$v_2(t) = a_2 \cos(2\pi f_0 t) + b_2 \sin(2\pi f_0 t)$$

$$v_{\text{TOTAL}}(t) = v_1(t) + v_2(t)$$

$$= (a_1 + a_2) \cos(2\pi f_0 t) + (b_1 + b_2) \sin(2\pi f_0 t)$$

### derivative

$$\frac{d}{dt}(V_A \cos \omega t) = -\omega V_A \sin \omega t = \omega V_A \cos\left(\omega t + \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

↑  
use trig identity

### integral

$$\int V_A \cos \omega t dt = V_A \frac{\sin \omega t}{\omega} = \frac{V_A}{\omega} \cos\left(\omega t - \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

↑  
trig identity

### Example 5-8

(a) Find the period, cyclic and radian frequency of

$$v_1(t) = 17 \cos(2000t - 30^\circ) \quad v_2(t) = 12 \cos(2000t + 30^\circ)$$

(b) Find the sum  $v_3(t) = v_1(t) + v_2(t)$

#### SOLUTION

(a) Always first check the frequency

$v_1(t)$  and  $v_2(t)$  are at the same frequency.

By inspection  $\omega_0 = 2000$

$$f_0 = \frac{\omega_0}{2\pi} = \frac{2000}{2\pi} = 318.3 \text{ Hz}$$

$$T_0 = \frac{1}{f_0} = \frac{1}{318.3} = 3.14 \times 10^{-3} \text{ seconds.}$$

(b) To compute the sum we have to find the fourier representation of  $v_1$  and  $v_2$ , and add those representations.

$$v_1(t) = 17 \cos(2000t - 30^\circ) \quad \text{watch sign } \cos(x \pm y) = \cos x \cos y \mp \sin x \sin y$$

$$v_1(t) = 17 [\cos 2000t \cos(-30^\circ) - \sin 2000t \sin(-30^\circ)]$$

$$v_1(t) = 14.7 \cos 2000t + 8.5 \sin 2000t$$

$$v_2(t) = 12 \cos(2000t + 30^\circ)$$

$$v_2(t) = 12 [\cos 2000t \cos 30^\circ - \sin 2000t \sin 30^\circ]$$

$$v_2(t) = [12 \cos 30^\circ] \cos 2000t + [-12 \sin 30^\circ] \sin 2000t$$

$$v_2(t) = 10.4 \cos 2000t - 6 \sin 2000t$$

$$\therefore v_3(t) = (14.7 + 10.4) \cos 2000t + (8.5 - 6) \sin 2000t$$

$$v_3(t) = 25.1 \cos 2000t + 2.5 \sin 2000t$$

This can be converted into a single expression.

$$V_A = \sqrt{(25.1)^2 + (2.5)^2} = 25.2$$

$$\phi = \tan^{-1} \left( \frac{-2.5}{25.1} \right) = -5.69^\circ$$

$$v_3(t) = 25.2 \cos(2000t - 5.69^\circ)$$

## 5.5 Composite Waveforms produced by combining waveforms 12

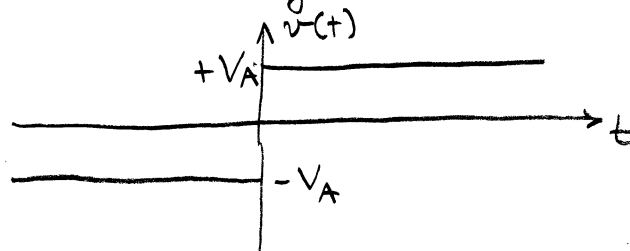
Example 5-10

$$v(t) = V_A u(t) - V_A u(-t)$$

What is new here is the time reflected  $u(-t)$

$$u(t) = \begin{cases} 1 & t < 0 \\ 0 & t > 0 \end{cases}$$

The waveform has a jump discontinuity of  $2V_A$  at  $t=0$  and is called the signum function

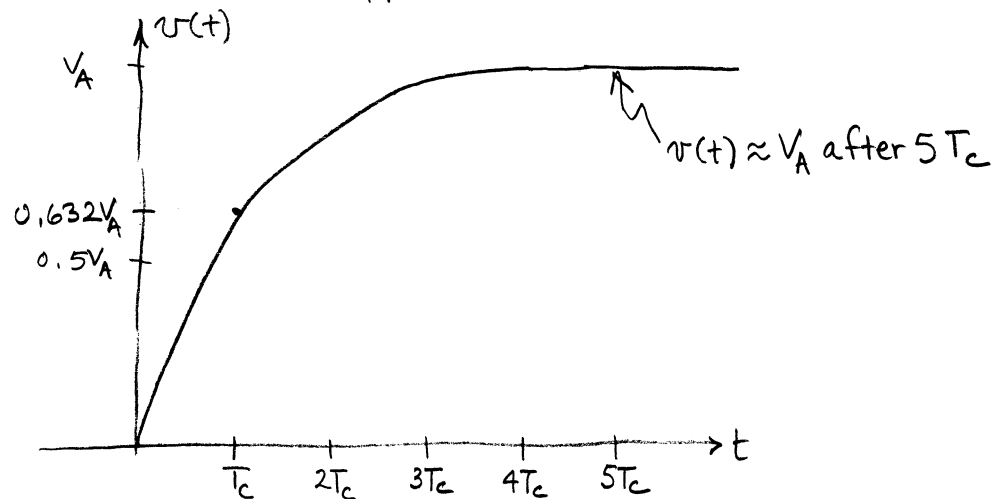


Example 5-11

$$v(t) = V_A u(t) - V_A e^{-\frac{t}{T_c}} u(t)$$

For  $t \leq 0$   $v(t) = 0$

For  $t \gg T_c$  the waveform approaches the constant value  $V_A$

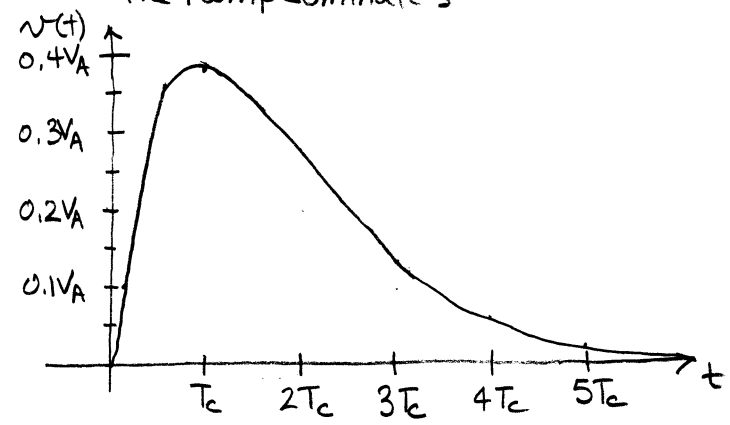


This waveform is called a "charging exponential" or a "exponential rise."

Example 5-12

$$v(t) = \frac{r(t)}{T_c} V_A e^{-\frac{t}{T_c}} u(t)$$

for small t the ramp dominates  
 for large t the exponential dominates

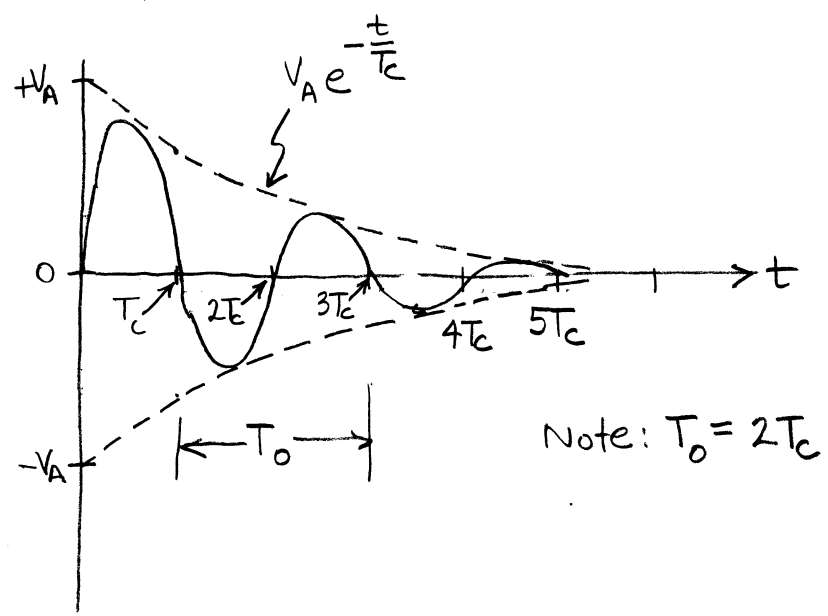


This is called a "damped ramp"

Example 5-13

$$v(t) = \sin \omega_0 t V_A e^{-\frac{t}{T_c}} u(t) = V_A \left[ e^{-\frac{t}{T_c}} \sin \omega_0 t \right] u(t)$$

This waveform is NOT periodic because the decaying exponential changes the amplitude.

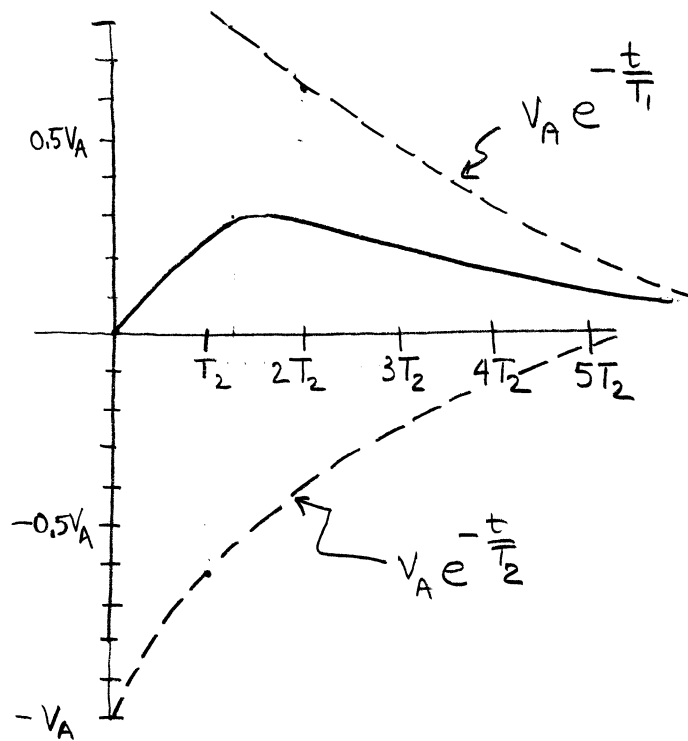


This waveform is called a "damped sine"

Example 5-14

$$v(t) = V_A e^{-\frac{t}{T_1}} u(t) - V_A e^{-\frac{t}{T_2}} u(t)$$

Assume  $T_1 = 2T_2$



This is called a "double" exponential.

## Fourier description of wave forms

Example - 5-15

$$v(t) = 5 - \frac{10}{\pi} \sin(2\pi 500t) - \frac{10}{2\pi} \sin(2\pi 1000t) - \frac{10}{3\pi} \sin(2\pi 1500t)$$

(this is a ramp approximation)

Second example

$$v(t) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{n=1,3,5,\dots}^{\infty} \frac{\sin n\omega_0 t}{n}$$

(this is a square wave approximation)

The constant is called the dc term.

The term at  $\omega_0$  is called the fundamental.

This is  $\omega_0 = 2\pi 500$  in Example 5-15

The term at  $2\omega_0$  is called the 2nd harmonic.

This is  $2\omega_0 = 2\pi 1000$  in Example 5-15

The term at  $3\omega_0$  is called the 3rd harmonic,

This is  $3\omega_0 = 2\pi 1500$  in Example 5-15

# 5-6 Waveform Partial Descriptors

peak  $V_p$

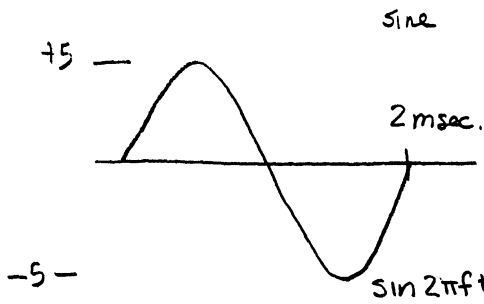
peak-to-peak  $V_{pp}$

average  $V_{avg} = \frac{1}{T} \int_t^{t+T} v(x) dx$

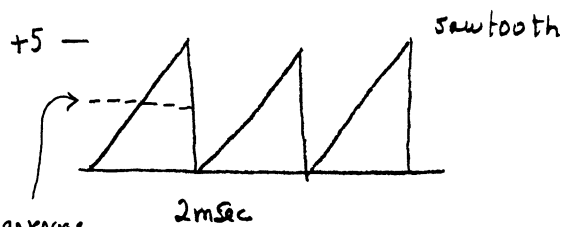
mechanical meters measure this

rms  $V_{rms} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{T} \int_t^{t+T} v^2(x) dx}$

use for <sup>average</sup> power calculations



sine



sawtooth

average = 2.5

$$f = \frac{1}{2 \times 10^{-3}} = 500 \text{ Hz}$$

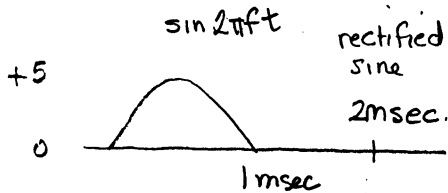
$V_{peak} = 5$   
 $V_{peak-peak} = 10$   
 $V_{average} = 0$

$V_{peak} = 5$

$V_{peak-peak} = 5$

$$V_{average} = \frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} \frac{5t}{T_0} dt = \frac{1}{T_0^2} \left. \frac{5t^2}{2} \right|_0^{T_0}$$

$$= \frac{1}{T_0^2} \frac{5T_0^2}{2} = \frac{5}{2}$$



$V_{peak} = 5$

$V_{peak-peak} = 5 \times 10^{-3}$

one msec  $V_{average} = \frac{1}{10^{-3}} \int_0^{10^{-3}} 5 \sin(2\pi 500t) dt$

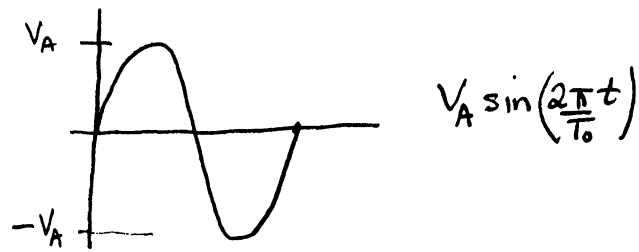
$$V_{average} = \frac{5}{10^{-3}} \left. \frac{-\cos(2\pi 500t)}{2\pi 500} \right|_0^{10^{-3}} = \frac{5}{10^{-3}} \frac{-\cos(\pi) + \cos(0)}{1000\pi} = \frac{5(1+1)}{\pi} = 3.18$$

2 msec  $V_{average} = \frac{5}{2 \times 10^{-3}} \left. \frac{-\cos(2\pi 500t)}{2\pi 500} \right|_0^{10^{-3}} = \frac{5}{2 \times 10^{-3}} \left( \frac{1+1}{1000\pi} \right) = \frac{10}{2\pi} = 1.59 \text{ volts}$





RMS value of a sinusoid - very important and useful.



What is RMS? in this case

$$V_{rms} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} V_A^2 \sin^2\left(\frac{2\pi t}{T_0}\right) dt}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{V_A^2}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} \sin^2\left(\frac{2\pi t}{T_0}\right) dt}$$

$$\text{use } \sin^2 x = \frac{1}{2}(1 - \sin 2x)$$

$$\int_0^{T_0} \frac{1}{2} (1 - \sin \frac{4\pi t}{T_0}) dt$$

$$\frac{1}{2} \left( t + \frac{\cos \frac{4\pi t}{T_0}}{\frac{4\pi}{T_0}} \right) \Big|_0^{T_0}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (T_0 - 0) + \frac{T_0}{8\pi} \left[ \cos(4\pi) - \cos(0) \right]$$

$$\therefore V_{rms} = \sqrt{\frac{V_A^2 T_0}{T_0} \frac{1}{2}} = \frac{V_A}{\sqrt{2}} \text{ for a sine or cosine}$$

Simple example: If  $V_{rms} = 120V$  what is  $V_{peak}$  for household voltage

$$V_{peak} = 120 \sqrt{2} = 169.7 \text{ volts.}$$

$$V_{peak-peak} = 339.4 \text{ volts}$$

## MEASURING RMS VOLTAGES

Mechanical meter measures  $V_{AVG}$

- calibrated for sinusoidal  $V_{RMS}$

Rectifier DMM (cheap)

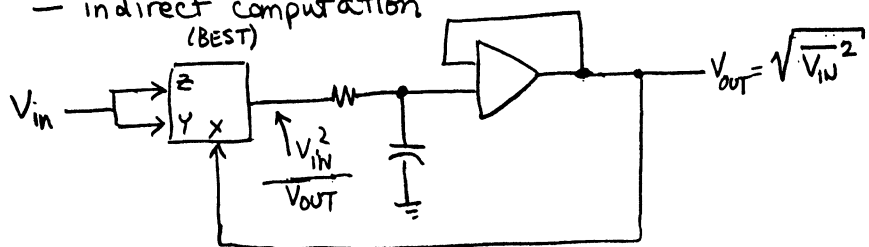
- measures average of rectified sine wave and multiplies by 1.11 to get  $V_{RMS}$  (accurate only for sine waves)

Averaging DMM

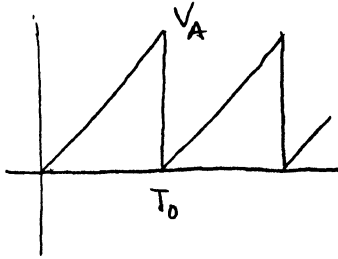
- measure  $V_{AVG}$  of actual waveform and multiply by conversion for sine wave (accurate only for sine waves)

True RMS DMM

- uses RMS converter
  - actual thermal measurement compare heat with a calibrated heater
  - direct computation  
square, average, square root (analog or digital)
  - indirect computation (BEST)



Example for sawtooth.



$$v(t) = \frac{V_A t}{T_0} \quad 0 \leq t \leq T_0$$

$$V_{RMS} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{T_0} \int_0^{T_0} \left(\frac{V_A t}{T_0}\right)^2 dt}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1}{T_0} \frac{V_A^2}{T_0^2} \int_0^{T_0} t^2 dt}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{V_A^2}{T_0^3} \frac{t^3}{3} \Big|_0^{T_0}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{V_A^2}{T_0^3} \frac{T_0^3}{3}}$$

$$V_{RMS} = \frac{V_A}{\sqrt{3}}$$