# Answers of Exercises

Module Fourier Series

<u>Note:</u>

• The symbol [P] in the margin of an exercise denotes there is a pencast available.

## Exercise 1

 $\mathbf{a}.$ 

$$x(t) = 6 + 6\cos(400\pi t + \frac{\pi}{2}) + 8\cos(100\pi t)$$

b.  $T_0 = 1/50$  [sec]

 $\mathbf{c}.$ 

$$\alpha_0 = 6$$
;  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_{-1}^* = 4$ ;  $\alpha_4 = \alpha_{-4}^* = 3e^{j\frac{\pi}{2}}$ 

All other Fourier weight  $\alpha_k$  are equal to zero.

## Exercise 2

- a.  $T_0 = 1/50[\text{sec}]$
- b.  $\alpha_k = 0$  except for  $\alpha_0 = 1$ ,  $\alpha_3 = \alpha_{-3} = 3/2$  and  $\alpha_5 = \alpha_{-5}^* = e^{-j\frac{3\pi}{4}}$

#### Exercise 3

 $\omega_0 = 200\pi$  [rad/sec]. Furthermore  $\alpha_k = 0$  except for  $\alpha_2 = \alpha_{-2}^* = 2e^{-j\frac{\pi}{2}}$  and  $\alpha_5 = \alpha_{-5}^* = 4\sqrt{2}e^{j\frac{\pi}{4}}$ . Exercise 4



b.  $F_0 = 250$  [Hz]. Furthermore  $\alpha_k = 0$  except for  $\alpha_{39} = \alpha^*_{-39} = \frac{1}{4} e^{-j\frac{\pi}{2}}$ ;  $\alpha_{40} = \alpha_{-40} = \frac{1}{2}$ ;  $\alpha_{41} = \alpha^*_{-41} = \frac{1}{4} e^{j\frac{\pi}{2}}$ 

## Exercise 5

- a. Yes, x(t) is periodic with  $T_{0,x} = 40$  [msec].
- b. The frequency of the new sinusoid is different from all the frequencies in the spectrum of x(t). The signal y(t) is periodic with  $T_{0,y} = 200$  [msec].
- c. w(t) is not periodic .

## Exercise 6

[P1]

a.



b.  $\alpha_0 = 1$ 

c. 
$$\alpha_k = \frac{1 - (-1)^k}{k\pi} e^{-j\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

d. The result for N = 1 is depicted in the figure:



e.  $\beta_0 = 2\alpha_0 - 1$  and for  $k \neq 0$   $\beta_k = 2(-1)^k \alpha_k$ .

## Exercise 7

 $\mathbf{a}.$ 

$$\begin{aligned} \beta_0 &= 2\alpha_0 + 3\\ \beta_k &= 2\alpha_k \qquad \text{for all } k \text{ except } k = 0. \end{aligned}$$

 $\mathbf{b}.$ 

$$\gamma_k = \alpha_k \mathrm{e}^{-\mathrm{j}k\frac{\pi}{2}} \qquad k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \cdots$$

Exercise 8

All values of  $\alpha_k$  are equal to zero except for  $\alpha_1 = \alpha_{-1} = \frac{3}{8}$  and  $\alpha_3 = \alpha_{-3} = \frac{1}{8}$ .

Exercise 9 R1 - R4, R2 - R7, R3 - R5, R6 - R8. Exercise 10

a. The signal is a triangular wave form as depicted in the figure.



- b.  $\alpha_0 \frac{1}{2}$
- c.  $\alpha_k = \frac{(-1)^k 1}{\pi^2 k^2}$
- d. The approximation  $\hat{x}(t)$  of the original square wave with the first harmonic is depicted in the figure:

