

Lecture 3f - How are FRFs Measured?

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$$f(t) = \operatorname{Re}(F e^{i\omega t}) \rightarrow x(t) = \operatorname{Re}(X e^{i\omega t})$$

$$X = H F \rightarrow H(\omega) = \frac{X(\omega)}{F(\omega)}$$

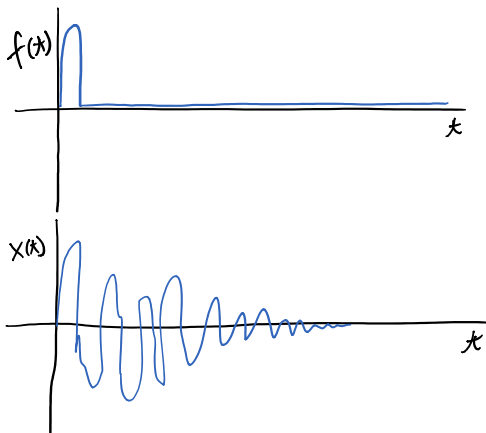
- 1.) apply $f(t)$ above
- 2.) wait for steady-state
- 3.) Measure complex amplitudes F, X
- 4.) $H = X/F$

→ This method is great but can be very slow!

$$\tau = \frac{1}{\xi \omega_n} \rightarrow \tau = \frac{1}{0.01 \cdot (1 \text{ Hz} \cdot 2\pi)} \hat{=} 16 \text{ sec}$$

$8\tau > 2 \text{ min}$ per frequency

Alternative: Use FFT!

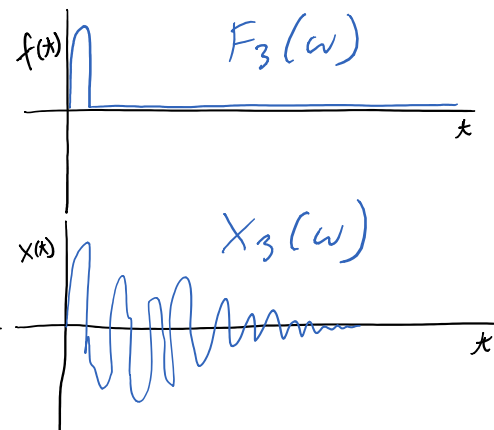
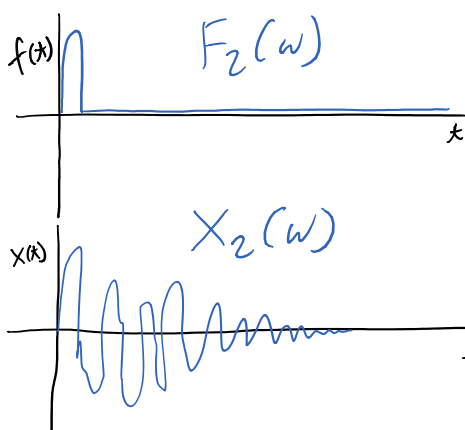
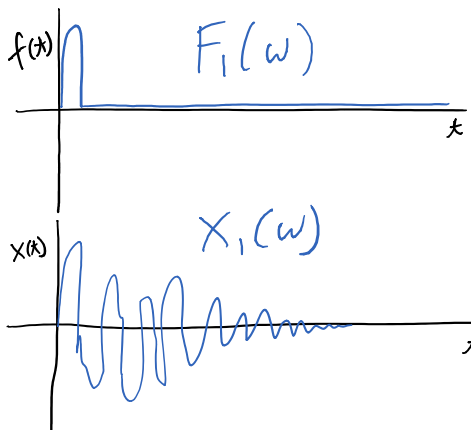


FFT gives $F(\omega), X(\omega)$

for frequencies $[0, \omega_1, 2\omega_1, \dots, \omega_{\max}]$

$$H(\omega) = \frac{X(\omega)}{F(\omega)}$$

Average over several measurements to minimize noise!



$$\begin{aligned} X_1(\omega) &= H(\omega) F_1(\omega) \\ X_2(\omega) &= H(\omega) F_2(\omega) \\ X_3(\omega) &= H(\omega) F_3(\omega) \end{aligned} \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ X_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} F_1 \\ F_2 \\ F_3 \end{bmatrix} H \quad \text{at each freq. } (\omega)$$

"H₁" Solution

$$\begin{bmatrix} F_1^* & F_2^* & F_3^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ X_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} F_1^* & F_2^* & F_3^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} F_1 \\ F_2 \\ F_3 \end{bmatrix} H$$

$$(F_1^* X_1 + F_2^* X_2 + F_3^* X_3) = \sum_{j=1}^3 F_j^* X_j$$

$$S_{XF} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N X_j F_j^*$$

$$S_{XF} = S_{FF} H$$

$$H_1(\omega_k) = S_{FX}(\omega) S_{FF}^{-1}(\omega_k)$$

"H₂" Solution

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_1^* & X_2^* & X_3^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ X_2 \\ X_3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} X_1^* & X_2^* & X_3^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} F_1 \\ F_2 \\ F_3 \end{bmatrix} H$$

$$S_{XX} = S_{FX} H$$

$$H_2(\omega) = S_{XX} S_{FX}^{-1}$$

These formulas are also valid for a MIMO test

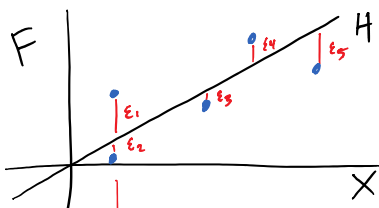
$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \{X(\omega)\}_1 & \{X(\omega)\}_2 & \dots & \{X(\omega)\}_{N_{avg}} \end{bmatrix}}_{N_o \times 1} = \underbrace{[H(\omega)]}_{N_o \times N_i} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \{F(\omega)\}_1 & \{F(\omega)\}_2 & \dots & \{F(\omega)\}_{N_{avg}} \end{bmatrix}}_{N_i \times 1} \underbrace{\quad}_{[F(\omega)]}$$

post-multiply by $[F(\omega)]^H$

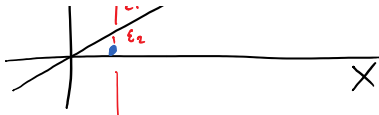
$$(\)^H = \text{Hermetian} = ((\)^T)^*$$

$$S_{XF} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^{N_{avg}} \underbrace{\{X(\omega)\}_j}_{N_o \times N_i} \underbrace{\{F(\omega)\}_j}_{N_i \times 1} = \begin{bmatrix} \{X\}_1 & \{X\}_2 & \dots & \{X\}_{N_{avg}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \{F\}_1^H \\ \{F\}_2^H \\ \vdots \\ \{F\}_{N_{avg}}^H \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{N_{avg}}$$

Least Squares Solution

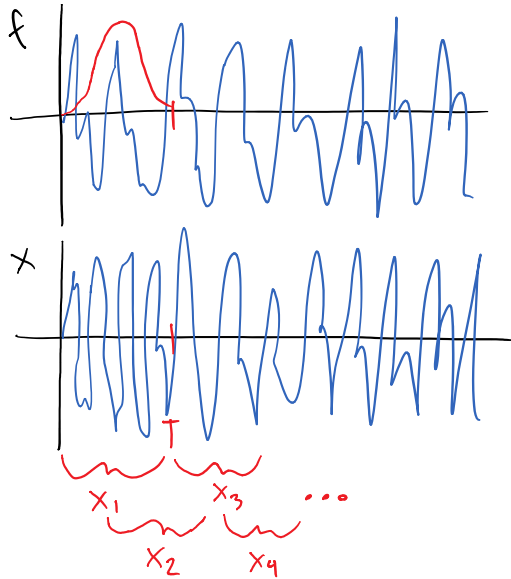


$$\text{minimize } \left(\sum_j \epsilon_j^2 \right)$$

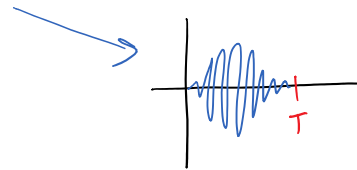


Simple Method: $H_j = \frac{X_j}{F_j} \rightarrow H = \frac{1}{N_{avg}} \sum_{j=1}^{N_{avg}} H_j$

But here $H_2 = \frac{x_2}{F_2} = \frac{x_2}{0} = \infty$ destroys average

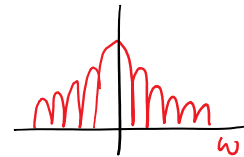


→ Apply window to minimize leakage:



Hanning Window:
 $w(t) = \left(1 - \cos\left(\frac{\omega_c t}{2}\right)\right)^2$

$w(t) \rightarrow w(\omega)$



Distortion typically minimal/
 if $T > 4\tau$