

## PROPERTIES of the DFT

The index-domain signal is  $x[n]$  for  $n = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1$ ; and the frequency domain values are  $X[k]$  for  $k = 0, 1, 2, \dots, N-1$ . Outside the range  $[0, N-1]$ , the values of  $x[n]$  and  $X[k]$  are periodic.

$$\text{Analysis Equation: } X[k] = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} x[n] W_N^{nk} \quad (1)$$

$$\text{Synthesis Equation: } x[n] = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} X[k] W_N^{-nk} \quad (2)$$

$$\text{Exponential: } W_N = e^{-j2\pi/N} \quad (3)$$

| $N$ -point signal: $x[n], n = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$                                | $N$ -point DFT: $X[k], k = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$                    |
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| $ax_1[n] + bx_2[n]$  | $aX_1[k] + bX_2[k]$ (Linearity)                                 |
| $x[n] = W_N^{-\ell_o n} = e^{+j2\pi\ell_o n/N}$                                | $X[k] = N \delta[(k - \ell_o) \bmod N]$                         |
| $y[n] = X[k]  _{k \leftarrow n}$   | $Y[k] = N \cdot x[(-k) \bmod N]$ (Duality)                      |
| $y[n] = \frac{1}{N} \cdot X[(-n) \bmod N]$                                     | $Y[k] = x[n]  _{n \leftarrow -k}$ (Duality)                     |
| $x[(n - n_o) \bmod N]$   | $W_N^{n_o k} X[k]$  |
| $W_N^{-\ell_o n} x[n]$   | $X[(k - \ell_o) \bmod N]$                                       |
| $x[n] \bigcircledast h[n] = \sum_{\ell=0}^{N-1} x[\ell] h[(n - \ell) \bmod N]$ | $X[k] \cdot H[k]$   |
| $x[n] w[n]$ (windowing)  | $\frac{1}{N} \sum_{\ell=0}^{N-1} X[\ell] W[(k - \ell) \bmod N]$ |
| $x^*[n]$   | $X^*[(-k) \bmod N]$   |
| $x^*[(-n) \bmod N]$  | $X^*[k]$  |
| $\Re e\{x[n]\}$  | $X_{cs}[k] = \frac{1}{2}\{X[k \bmod N] + X^*[(-k) \bmod N]\}$   |
| $j \Im m\{x[n]\}$  | $X_{cas}[k] = \frac{1}{2}\{X[k \bmod N] - X^*[(-k) \bmod N]\}$  |
| $x_{cs}[n] = \frac{1}{2}\{x[n \bmod N] + x^*[(-n) \bmod N]\}$                  | $\Re e\{X[k]\}$ (cs = conjugate-sym)                            |
| $x_{cas}[n] = \frac{1}{2}\{x[n \bmod N] - x^*[(-n) \bmod N]\}$                 | $j \Im m\{X[k]\}$ (cas = conj-anti-sym)                         |
| Parseval's Theorem: $N \sum_{n=0}^{N-1}  x[n] ^2 = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1}  X[k] ^2$  |   |
| The following properties apply when $x[n]$ is purely real:                     |   |
| Conjugate Symmetry   | $X[k] = X^*[(-k) \bmod N]$                                      |
| Real part of $X[k]$ is even  | $\Re e\{X[k]\} = \Re e\{X[(-k) \bmod N]\}$                      |
| Imaginary part of $X[k]$ is odd  | $\Im m\{X[k]\} = -\Im m\{X[(-k) \bmod N]\}$                     |
| $ X[k] $ (Magnitude) is even   |   |
| $\arg\{X[k]\}$ (Phase) is odd  |   |