

Given: Random process $x(t) = A \cos(\omega t + \theta)$ where ω is a known constant.
Random: A and θ are independent random variables. $f_\theta(\Theta) = \frac{1}{2\pi}, 0 < \Theta < 2\pi$.
Goal: Compute the mean $E[x(t)]$ and covariance $K_x(t, s)$ functions of $x(t)$.

Mean: $E[x(t)] = E[A]E[\cos(\omega t + \theta)] = E[A] \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{1}{2\pi} \cos(\omega t + \Theta) d\Theta = 0$.

Covariance: $K_x(t, s) = R_x(t, s) = E[x(t)x(s)] = E[A^2]E[\cos(\omega t + \theta) \cos(\omega s + \theta)]$
 $= E[A^2] \frac{1}{2} E[\cos(\omega(t+s) + 2\theta) + \cos(\omega(t-s))]$ $= \frac{1}{2} E[A^2] \cos(\omega(t-s))$.

Note: (1) $x(t)$ WSS; (2) Need only $E[A^2]$, not $f_a(A)$; (3) Can have $E[A] \neq 0$.

Now: Let $A > 0$ be a known constant. Compute $f_{x(t)}(X)$ and $f_{x(t)|x(s)}(X_t|X_s)$.

Note: Sample functions are sinusoids with frequency ω and amplitude A .

Different sample points \rightarrow different phases \rightarrow different sample functions.

EX: $x(t)$ is ideal oscillator with known amp. and freq. but random phase.

$f_{x(t)}(X)$: t is fixed \rightarrow this is a *derived distribution* problem from θ to $x(\theta)$.

Jaco- $f_x(X) = \sum_1^2 (1/|\frac{dx}{d\theta}|) f_\theta(\Theta_i)|_{\Theta_i=x^{-1}(X)}$, where $\frac{dx}{d\theta} = \frac{d}{d\theta} A \cos(\omega t + \theta)$

bian: $= -A \sin(\omega t + \theta) = \pm A \sqrt{1 - \cos^2(\omega t + \theta)} = \pm \sqrt{A^2 - X^2}$.

$f_x(X) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{A^2 - X^2}} \frac{1}{2\pi} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{A^2 - X^2}} \frac{1}{2\pi} = 1/(\pi \sqrt{A^2 - X^2}), |X| < A$.

Note: Integrates to one; diverges at $X = \pm A$ (most likely values of $x(t)$).

Note: \exists 2 solns Θ_1, Θ_2 to $x(\theta) = X \rightarrow \theta = x^{-1}(X)$: x sweeps $[-A, A]$ twice.

Next: $f_{x(t)|x(s)}(X_t|X_s) = \frac{1}{2} \delta(X_t - X_1) + \frac{1}{2} \delta(X_t - X_2)$, where X_1, X_2 are
 $x(s) = A \cos(\omega s + \theta) = X_s \rightarrow \theta = \cos^{-1} \frac{X_s}{A} - \omega s \rightarrow 2$ values of θ :
 $\rightarrow x(t) = A \cos(\omega t + \theta_1) = X_1$ or $x(t) = A \cos(\omega t + \theta_2) = X_2$.

Note: Each of X_1 and X_2 is equally likely with probability $1/2$, hence $\delta(\cdot)$.

Note: 1^{st} -order stationary \Leftrightarrow id; *not* independent or 2^{nd} -order stationary.

Next: $f_{x(t),x(s)}(X_t, X_s) = f_{x(t)|x(s)}(X_t|X_s) f_{x(s)}(X_s)$. All of these now known.

$f_{x(t),x(s)}(X_t, X_s) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{1}{\sqrt{A^2 - X_s^2}} (\delta(X_t - X_1) + \delta(X_t - X_2)), |X_s| < A$

Note: Once have $f_{x(t),x(s)}(X_t, X_s)$, can get any 2^{nd} -order statistic or $\Pr[\text{event}]$.
