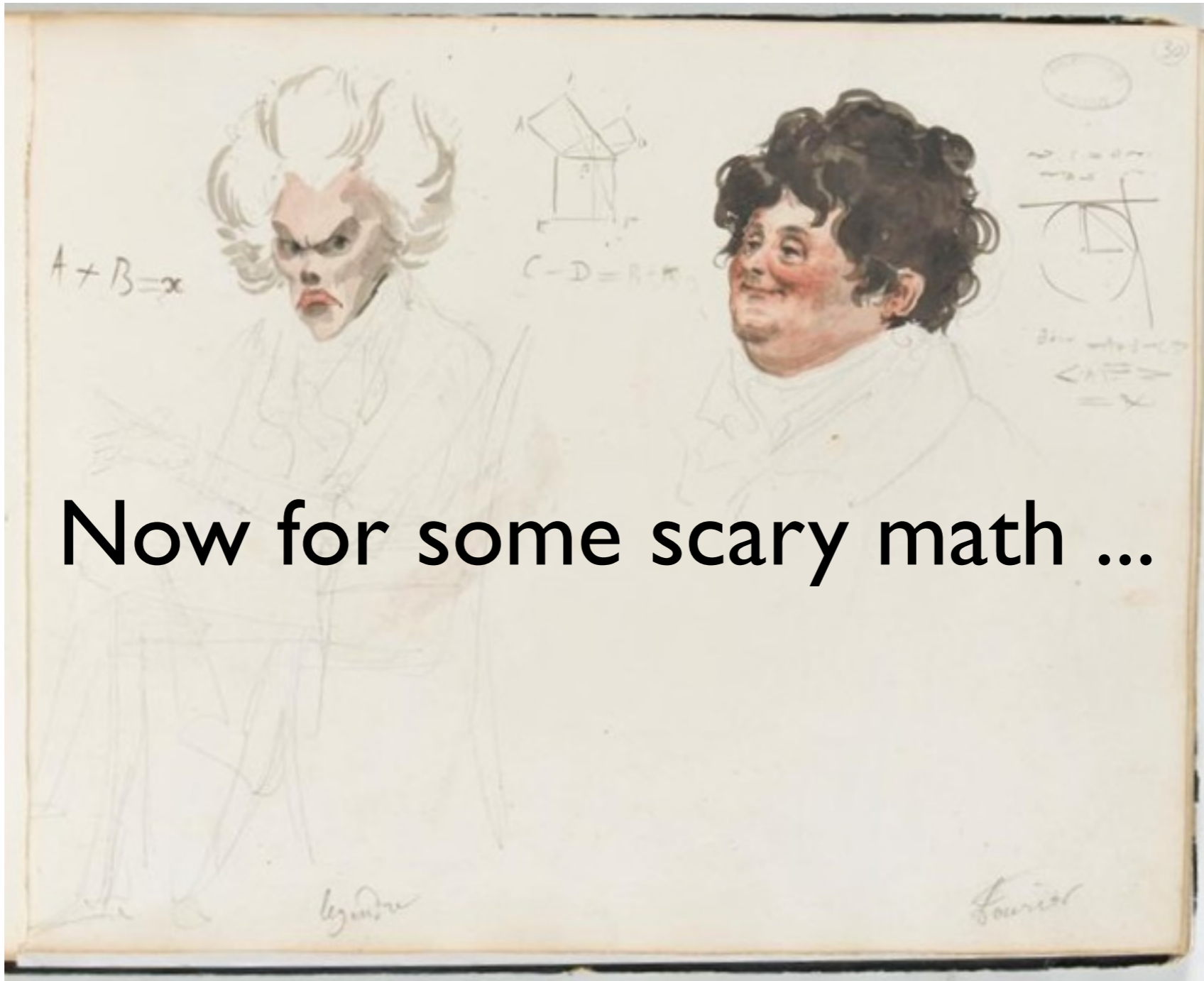


# Fourier Transform



Now for some scary math ...

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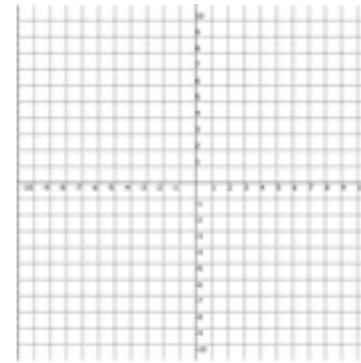
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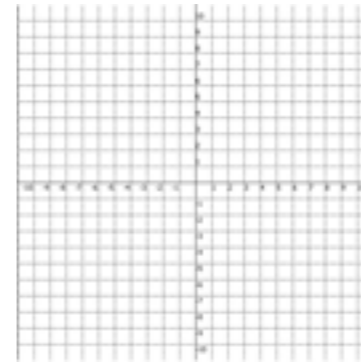
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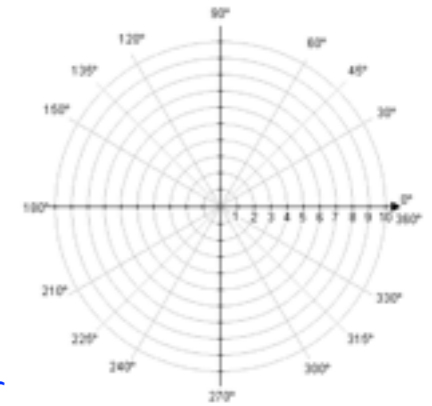
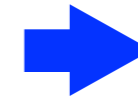
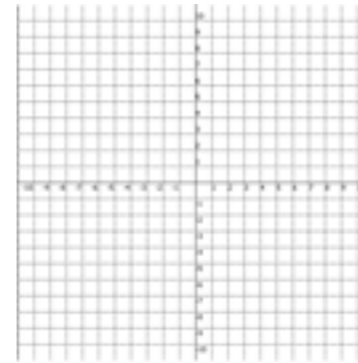
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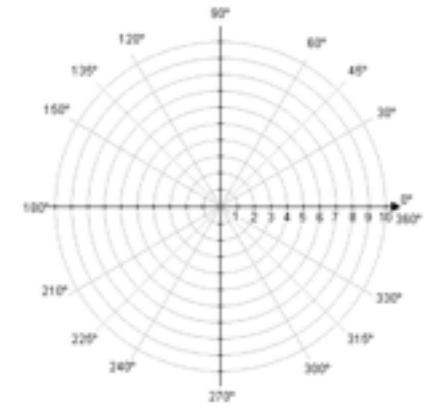
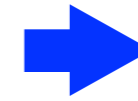
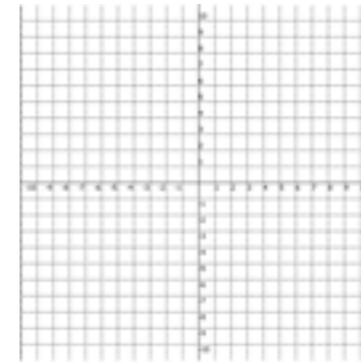
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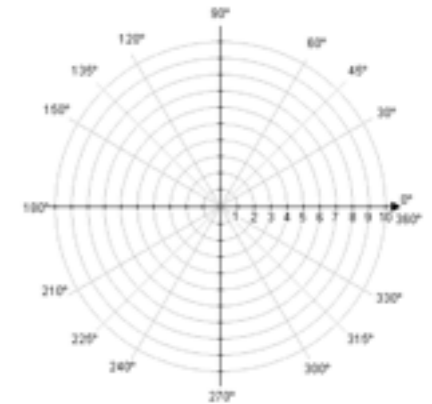
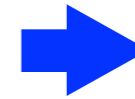
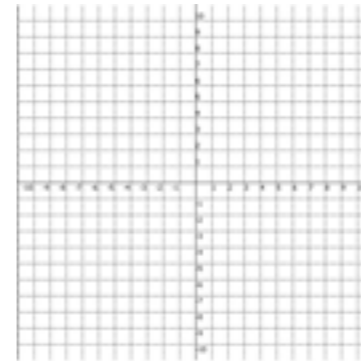
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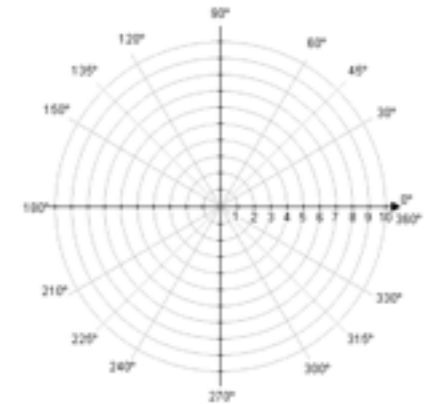
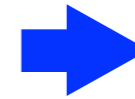
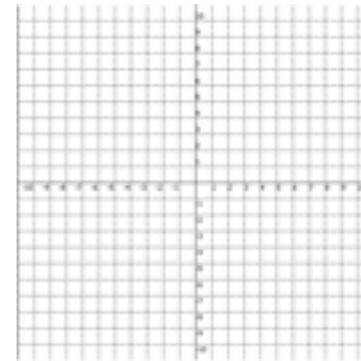
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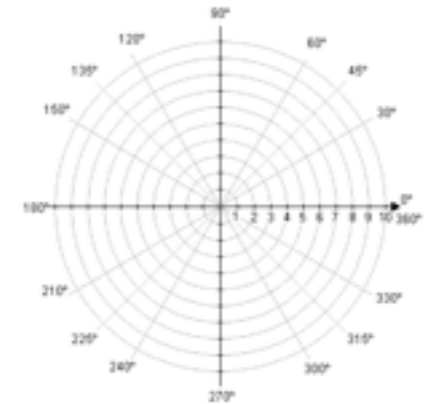
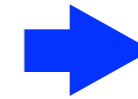
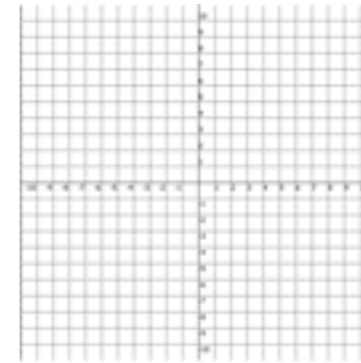
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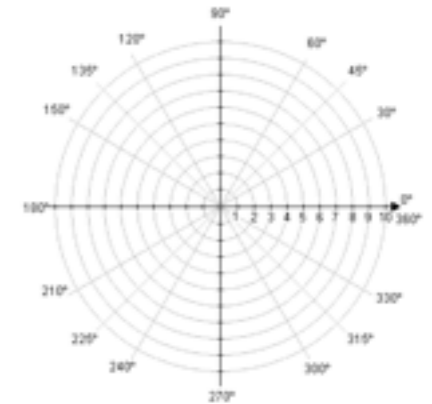
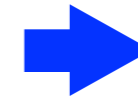
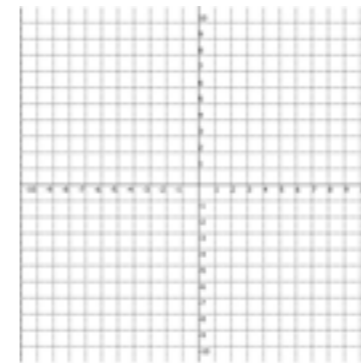
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OR

exponential form

$$r e^{j\theta}$$

'Euler's formula'

$$e^{j\theta} = \cos \theta + j \sin \theta$$

This will help us understanding of the Fourier transform equations ...

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“So how do you actually compute the DFT?”

–A. Student

Computing the Discrete Fourier Transform...

$$F(k) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{x=0}^{N-1} f(x) e^{-j2\pi kx/N}$$

...is just a matrix multiplication.

$$\mathbf{F} = \mathbf{W} \mathbf{f}$$

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$$W = e^{-j2\pi/N}$$

$$W = W^{2N}$$

# Example

input signal

$$\begin{bmatrix} f(0) \\ f(1) \\ f(2) \\ f(3) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 8 \\ 4 \\ 8 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

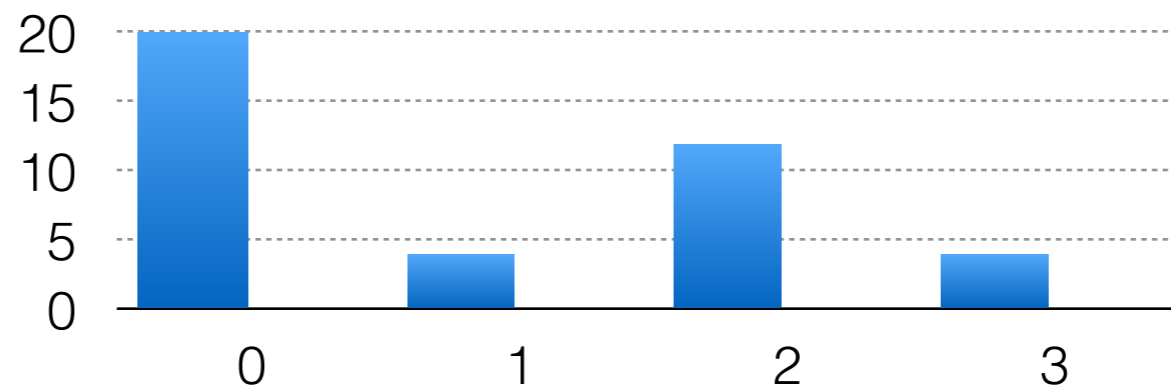
DFT

$$\begin{aligned} F(k) &= \sum_{x=0}^3 f(x) e^{-j2\pi xk/4} \\ &= \sum_{x=0}^3 f(x) (-j)^{xk} \end{aligned}$$

Frequency Domain representation

$$\begin{bmatrix} F(0) \\ F(1) \\ F(2) \\ F(3) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & -j & -1 & j \\ 1 & -1 & 1 & -1 \\ 1 & j & -1 & -j \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f(0) \\ f(1) \\ f(2) \\ f(3) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 20 \\ -j4 \\ 12 \\ j4 \end{bmatrix}$$

Magnitude of DFT coefficients



# The Convolution Theorem

- The Fourier transform of the convolution of two functions is the product of their Fourier transforms

$$\mathcal{F}\{g \star h\} = \mathcal{F}\{g\}\mathcal{F}\{h\}$$

- The inverse Fourier transform of the product of two Fourier transforms is the convolution of the two inverse Fourier transforms

$$\mathcal{F}^{-1}\{gh\} = \mathcal{F}^{-1}\{g\} \star \mathcal{F}^{-1}\{h\}$$

- **Convolution** in spatial domain is equivalent to **multiplication** in frequency domain!