# ESE 531: Digital Signal Processing

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## Wavelet Transform





 Some signals obviously have spectral characteristics that vary with time



Criticism of Fourier Spectrum

- It's giving you the spectrum of the 'whole timeseries'
- Which is OK if the time-series is stationary. But what if its not?
- We need a technique that can "march along" a time series and that is capable of:
  - Analyzing spectral content in different places
  - Detecting sharp changes in spectral character

















Windowed Sampled CT Signal Example

As before, the sampling rate is Ωs/2π=1/T=20Hz
Hamming Window, L = 32 vs. L = 64







https://youtu.be/MBnnXbOM5S4?t=49





Discrete Time-Dependent FT



- □ Make the window smaller
  - Better localization
  - Less spectral resolution

Discrete Time-Dependent FT



- □ Make the window larger
  - Worse localization
  - More spectral resolution

Discrete Time-Dependent FT

□ Fixed window size, shift in time (Gabor)



- Use a big window for low frequency content that is not localized in time
- Use a small window for high frequency content that is localized in time







 Fourier Analysis is based on an indefinitely long cosine wave of a specific frequency



 Wavelet Analysis is based on an short duration wavelet of a specific center frequency





□ All wavelets derived from *mother* wavelet

$$\Psi_{s,\tau}(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{s}} \Psi\left(\frac{t-\tau}{s}\right)$$

































Scale of colors from MIN to MAX





Inverse Wavelet Transform

 Build up a time-series as sum of wavelets of different scales, s, and positions, t



Discrete wavelets:

□ Scale wavelets only by integer powers of 2

•  $s_j = 2^j$ 

 And shifting by integer multiples of s<sub>j</sub> for each successive scale

• 
$$\tau_{j,k} = k2^j$$

- $\Box \text{ Then } \mathbf{Y}(\mathbf{S}_{j}, \mathbf{T}_{j,k}) = \mathbf{Y}_{jk}$ 
  - where  $j = 1, 2, ..., \infty, k = -\infty ... -2, -1, 0, 1, 2, ..., \infty$

$$\gamma_{j,k} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2^j}} \int f(t) \Psi\left(\frac{t - k2^j}{2^j}\right) dt$$



Wavelet Transform

Determining the wavelet coefficients for a fixed scale, s, can be thought of as a filtering operation

$$\gamma(s,\tau) = \int f(t) \Psi_{s,\tau}(t) dt$$
  
$$\gamma_s(t) = \int f(t) \Psi_s(t) dt = f(t) * \Psi_s(t)$$

• where

$$\Psi_{s}(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{s}} \Psi(\frac{t}{s})$$



 $\Box \Psi(t) = 2 \operatorname{sinc}(2t) - \operatorname{sinc}(t)$ 







Wavelet coefficients are a result of bandpass filtering

Discrete Wavelet Transform

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□ Repeat recursively!







 $\gamma(s_1,t)$ : N/2 coefficients

 $\gamma(s_2,t)$ : N/4 coefficients

 $\gamma(s_2,t)$ : N/8 coefficients

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Total: N coefficients
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#### Coiflet low pass filter 1.5 1 0.5 0 time, t -0.5 L 10 2 6 8 12 4 Coiflet high-pass filter 0.5 0 -0.5 -1 -1.5 L 10 2 6 8 12 4 time, t









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Expanding to Two Dimensions

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## FIGURE 7.7 A

four-band split of the vase in Fig. 7.1 using the subband coding system of Fig. 7.5.

![](_page_46_Figure_4.jpeg)

a(m,n): approximation

d<sup>v</sup>(m,n): detail in vertical

d<sup>H</sup>(m,n): detail in horizontal

d<sup>D</sup>(m,n): detail in diagonal

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- Wavelet transform
  - Capture temporal data with fewer coefficients than STFT
  - Use scaling and translation to get different resolution at different levels

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- Project
  - Due 4/28
- □ Final Exam 5/7 (3pm-5pm)
  - In Canvas
    - Will have a 2 hr window to complete within a 12 hr window
  - Open course notes and textbook, but cannot communicate with each other about the exam
    - Students will have randomized and different questions
    - Reminder, it is not in your best interest to share the exam
  - Old exams posted on old course websites
  - Covers Lec 1- 20
    - Does not include lec 12 (data converters and noise shaping) or IIR Filters