

UNIT-1

(Lecture-4)

Energy & Power Signals

Classification of Signals

- Deterministic & Non Deterministic Signals
- Periodic & A periodic Signals
- Even & Odd Signals
- **Energy & Power Signals**

Energy and Power Signals

Energy Signal

- A signal with finite energy and zero power is called Energy Signal i.e. for energy signal

$$0 < E < \infty \text{ and } P = 0$$

- Signal energy of a signal is defined as the *area under the square of the magnitude of the signal*.

$$E_x = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |x(t)|^2 dt$$

- The units of signal energy depends on the unit of the signal.

Energy and Power Signals Contd.

Power Signal

- Some signals have infinite signal energy. In that case it is more convenient to deal with **average signal power**.

- For power signals

$$0 < P < \infty \text{ and } E = \infty$$

- Average power of the signal is given by

$$P_x = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_{-T/2}^{T/2} |x(t)|^2 dt$$

Energy and Power Signals Contd.

- For a periodic signal $x(t)$ the average signal power is

$$P_x = \frac{1}{T} \int_T |x(t)|^2 dt$$

- T is any period of the signal.
- Periodic signals are generally power signals.

Signal Energy and Power for DT Signal

- A discrete time signal with finite energy and zero power is called Energy Signal i.e. for energy signal

$$0 < E < \infty \text{ and } P = 0$$

- The signal energy of a discrete time signal $x[n]$ is

$$E_x = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} |x[n]|^2$$

Signal Energy and Power for DT Signal Contd.

The average signal power of a discrete time power signal

$x[n]$ is

$$P_x = \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2N} \sum_{n=-N}^{N-1} |x[n]|^2$$

For a periodic signal $x[n]$ the average signal power is

$$P_x = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=\langle N \rangle} |x[n]|^2$$

(The notation $\sum_{n=\langle N \rangle}$ means the sum over any set of consecutive n 's exactly N in length.)