

# **Shift, Circulant, & DFT Matrices**

## **Linear Algebra**

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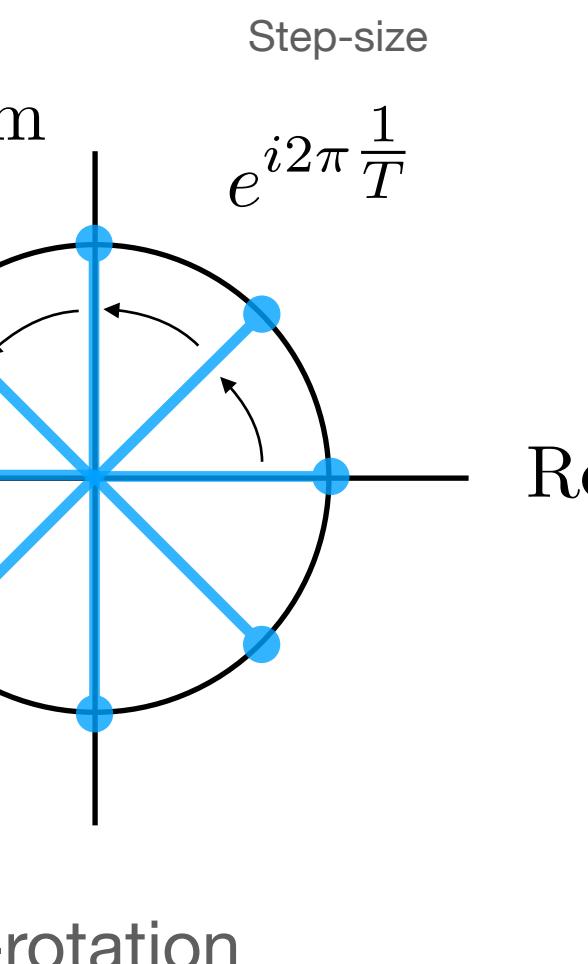
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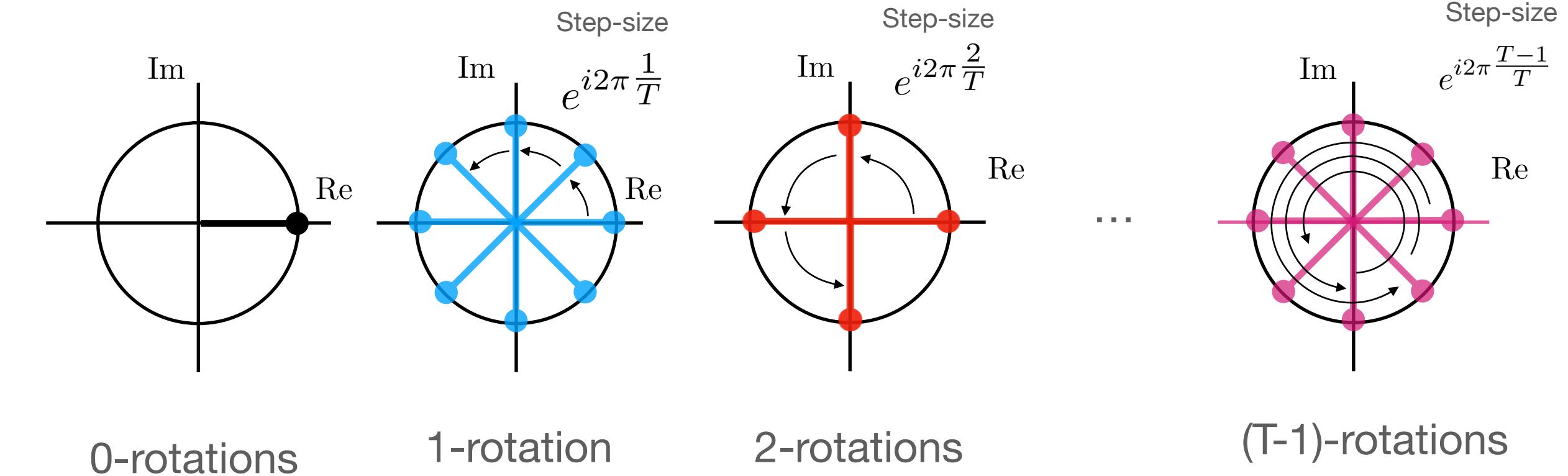
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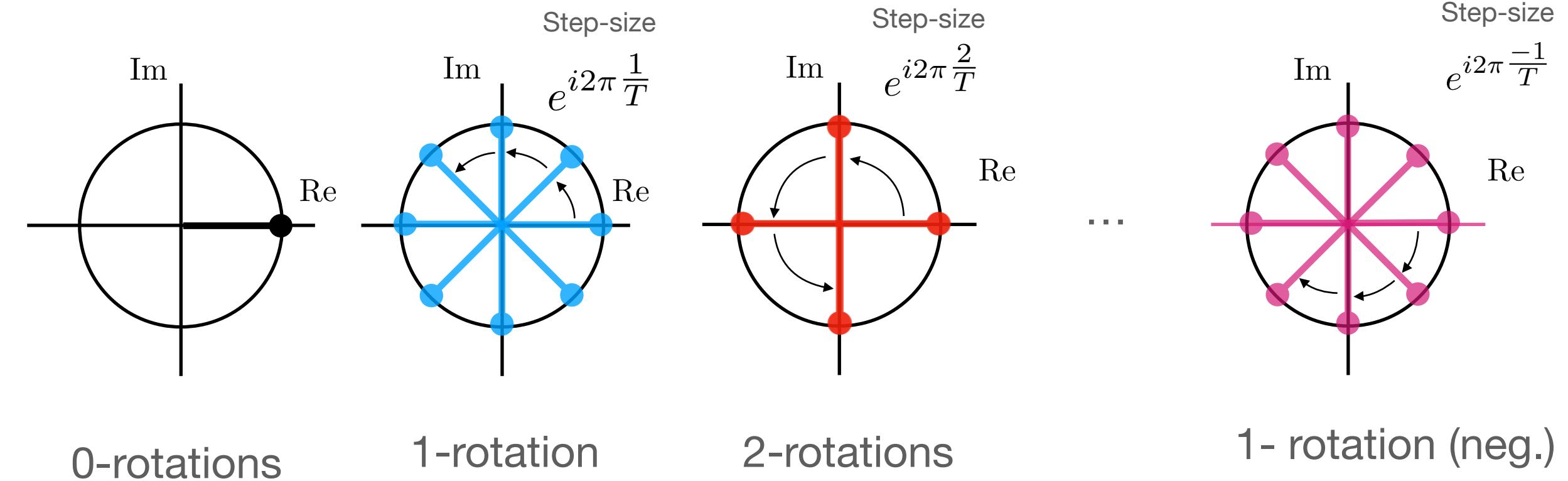
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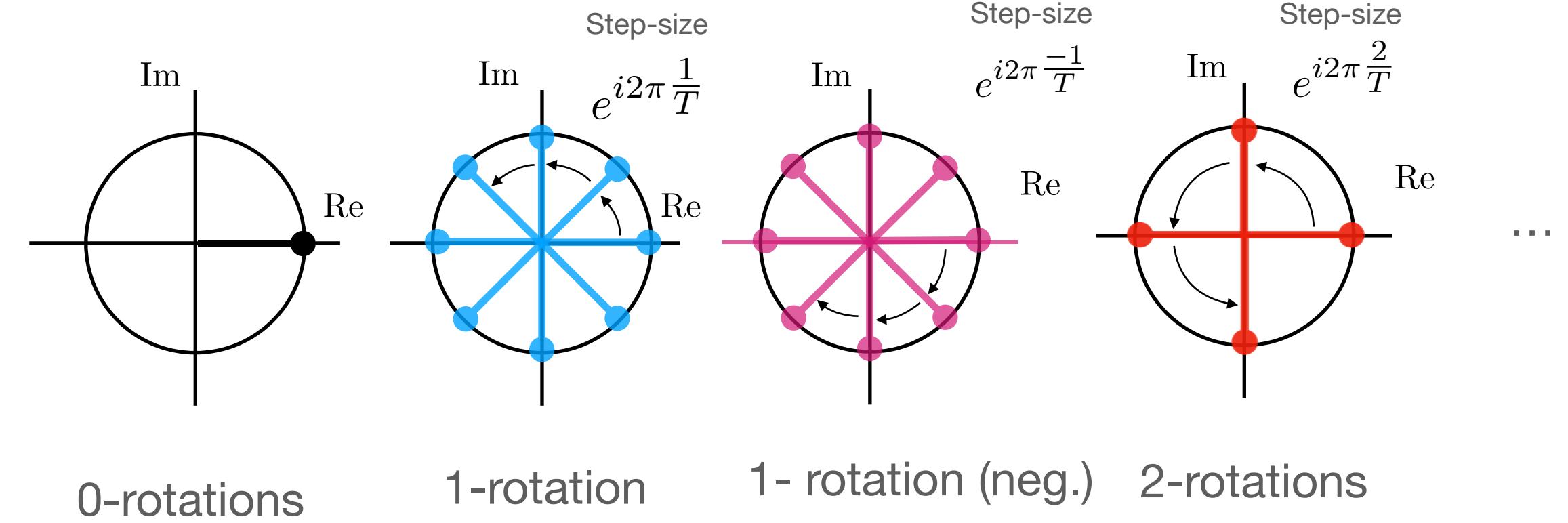
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...step by  
1 time step

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periodic signal

circulant matrix

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**Discrete Convolution:**  $y = (c * x) = Cx$

Impulse Response:  $c = [c_0 \ c_1 \ \cdots \ c_{T-1}]$

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$$y_t = \sum_{\tau} c_{t-\tau} x_{\tau}$$

Note: Impulse response at time  $t$ ... selects that column...

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$$C = \frac{1}{\sqrt{T}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & e^{i2\pi \frac{1(1)}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{1(2)}{T}} & \cdots & e^{i2\pi \frac{1(-2)}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{1(-1)}{T}} \\ 1 & e^{i2\pi \frac{2(1)}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{2(2)}{T}} & \cdots & e^{i2\pi \frac{2(-2)}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{2(-1)}{T}} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-2)1}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-2)2}{T}} & \cdots & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-2)(-2)}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-2)(-1)}{T}} \\ 1 & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-1)1}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-1)2}{T}} & \cdots & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-1)(-2)}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-1)(-1)}{T}} \end{bmatrix} \sqrt{T} \begin{bmatrix} U_0^* c & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & U_1^* c & 0 & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & U_2^* c & \cdots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & U_{T-2}^* c & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 0 & U_{T-1}^* c \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & e^{-i2\pi \frac{1(1)}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{1(2)}{T}} & \cdots & e^{-i2\pi \frac{1(-2)}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{1(-1)}{T}} \\ 1 & e^{-i2\pi \frac{2(1)}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{2(2)}{T}} & \cdots & e^{-i2\pi \frac{2(-2)}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{2(-1)}{T}} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-2)1}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-2)2}{T}} & \cdots & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-2)(-2)}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-2)(-1)}{T}} \\ 1 & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-1)1}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-1)2}{T}} & \cdots & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-1)(-2)}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-1)(-1)}{T}} \end{bmatrix} \frac{1}{\sqrt{T}}$$

# Circulant Matrix

... all shifts of a periodic signal...

$$c \in \mathbb{R}^T \quad C \in \mathbb{R}^{T \times T} \quad S^t = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{0} & I_{T-t} \\ I_t & \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{...step by } t \text{ time step}$$

periodic signal

$$c = \begin{bmatrix} c_0 \\ c_1 \\ c_2 \\ \vdots \\ c_{T-2} \\ c_{T-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

circulant matrix

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} c_0 & c_{T-1} & c_{T-2} & \cdots & c_2 & c_1 \\ c_1 & c_0 & c_{T-1} & \cdots & c_3 & c_2 \\ c_2 & c_1 & c_0 & \cdots & c_4 & c_3 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ c_{T-2} & c_{T-3} & c_{T-4} & \cdots & c_0 & c_{T-1} \\ c_{T-1} & c_{T-2} & c_{T-3} & \cdots & c_1 & c_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sum of shifts:

$$C = c_0 I + c_1 S + c_2 S^2 + \cdots + c_{T-2} S^{T-2} + c_{T-1} S^{T-1}$$

Frequency:  $k = 0, 1, \dots, T - 1$

Eigenvalues:  $\sqrt{T} U_0^* c \quad \sqrt{T} U_1^* c \quad \sqrt{T} U_2^* c \quad \dots \quad \sqrt{T} U_{T-2}^* c \quad \sqrt{T} U_{T-1}^* c$

Eigenvectors:  $U = \frac{1}{\sqrt{T}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & e^{i2\pi \frac{1(1)}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{1(2)}{T}} & \cdots & e^{i2\pi \frac{1(-2)}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{1(-1)}{T}} \\ 1 & e^{i2\pi \frac{2(1)}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{2(2)}{T}} & \cdots & e^{i2\pi \frac{2(-2)}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{2(-1)}{T}} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-2)1}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-2)2}{T}} & \cdots & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-2)(-2)}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-2)(-1)}{T}} \\ 1 & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-1)1}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-1)2}{T}} & \cdots & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-1)(-2)}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-1)(-1)}{T}} \end{bmatrix}$

**Diagonalization:**

Convolution in time domain...

$$y = (c * x) = Cx = \sqrt{T} U \text{dg}(U^* c) U^* x$$

Multiplication in frequency domain...

$$\underbrace{\sqrt{T} U^* y}_{\hat{y}} = \underbrace{\text{dg}\left(\underbrace{\sqrt{T} U^* c}_{\hat{c}}\right)}_{\hat{c}} \underbrace{\sqrt{T} U^* x}_{\hat{x}}$$

elementwise...

$$\hat{y}_k = \hat{c}_k \hat{x}_k$$

**Discrete Fourier Transform**

$$\hat{x} = \sqrt{T} U^* x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 & \cdots & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & e^{-i2\pi \frac{1(1)}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{1(2)}{T}} & \cdots & e^{-i2\pi \frac{1(-2)}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{1(-1)}{T}} \\ 1 & e^{-i2\pi \frac{2(1)}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{2(2)}{T}} & \cdots & e^{-i2\pi \frac{2(-2)}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{2(-1)}{T}} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-2)1}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-2)2}{T}} & \cdots & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-2)(-2)}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-2)(-1)}{T}} \\ 1 & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-1)1}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-1)2}{T}} & \cdots & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-1)(-2)}{T}} & e^{-i2\pi \frac{(T-1)(-1)}{T}} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_{T-2} \\ x_{T-1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{x}_k = \sum_{t=0}^{T-1} x_t e^{-i2\pi \frac{tk}{T}}$$

# Circulant Matrix - parallels with continuous time

|                                      | Discrete Time   | Continuous Time   |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| Signals                              | $c, x, y \in \mathbb{R}^T$  | $c(t), x(t), y(t) \quad t \in [0, \Delta t T]$  |
| Eigen functions                      | $U_k = \begin{bmatrix} e^{i2\pi \frac{0k}{T}} & e^{i2\pi \frac{1k}{T}} & \dots & e^{i2\pi \frac{(T-1)k}{T}} \end{bmatrix}^T \in \mathbb{C}^n$                 | $e^{i2\pi \omega t}$  |
| Time evolution                       | $S = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{0} & I_{T-1} \\ 1 & \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix} \quad S^t = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{0} & I_{T-t} \\ I_t & \mathbf{0} \end{bmatrix}$ | $\frac{d}{dt} x = \dot{x}$<br>...infinitesimal<br>$\int_0^{\Delta t} e^{\Delta t - \tau}(\cdot) d\tau$<br>...integration over a time step<br>$\int_0^{t\Delta t} e^{t\Delta t - \tau}(\cdot) d\tau$<br>...integration over t time steps |
| Laplace/<br>Fourier<br>Transform     | $\hat{x} = \sqrt{T} U^* x \quad \hat{x}_k = \sqrt{T} \sum_{t=0}^{T-1} x_t e^{-i2\pi \frac{tk}{T}}$  | <b>Laplace</b> $\hat{x}(s) = \mathcal{L}(x(t)) = \int_0^\infty e^{-st} x(t) dt$<br><b>Fourier</b> $\hat{x}(\omega) = \mathcal{F}(x(t)) = \int_0^\infty e^{-i2\pi \omega t} x(t) dt$   |
| Inverse<br>Transforms                | $x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{T}} U \hat{x} \quad x_t = \frac{1}{\sqrt{T}} \sum_{k=0}^{T-1} \hat{x}_k e^{i2\pi \frac{tk}{T}}$   | <b>Inv. Fourier</b> $x(t) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}(\hat{x}(\omega)) = \int_{-\infty}^\infty e^{i2\pi \omega t} \hat{x}(\omega) d\omega$   |
| Convolution                          | $y = (c * x) = Cx \quad y_t = \sum_{\tau} c_{t-\tau} x_{\tau}$<br>$y = (c * x) = \sqrt{T} U \text{dg}(U^* c) U^* x$   | $y(t) = \int_0^t c(t-\tau) x(\tau) d\tau$<br>$y(t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1} \left\{ \mathcal{L}\{c\}(s) \cdot \mathcal{L}\{x\}(s) \right\}$<br>$\hat{y}(s) = \hat{c}(s) \hat{x}(s)$   |
| Plancherel/<br>Parseval's<br>Theorem | $\langle \hat{y}, \hat{x} \rangle = \hat{y}^* \hat{x} = \frac{\sqrt{T}}{\sqrt{T}} y^* U U^* x = y^* x$  | $\langle \hat{y}, \hat{x} \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{y}(i\omega)^* \hat{x}(i\omega) d\omega = \int_0^{\infty} y(t)^* x(t) dt = \langle y, x \rangle$   |