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How the Fast Taylor-Fourier Transform (FTFT) will change the basic concepts of Power Systems?

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Abstract: After showing the strong limitations of the Fourier transform to deal with oscillatory signals, the signal model of the Taylor-Fourier transform is presented. This transform is obtained by the inversion of the Taylor-Fourier basis matrix. Its theoretical solution leads to the O-splines, and their derivatives, which help to reduce the computation complexity, and to obtain the solution for any Taylor order. The factorization of the Taylor-Fourier operator into two operators, leads to its fast implementation when the number N of samples per period is an integer power of 2 ($N = 2^m$). This is very useful when the *states* of the full set of harmonics needs to be estimated. Examples of applications of the DTFT filters to analyze power oscillations with variable frequency; to assess synchrophasor, frequency and ROCOF estimates from real signals; and to obtain the *analytical signals* of the harmonic components. De la O wavelets obtained from the O-splines are also illustrated for future applications. A list of power system basic concepts to review is provided at the end, to promote future research in power systems using the FTFT.

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