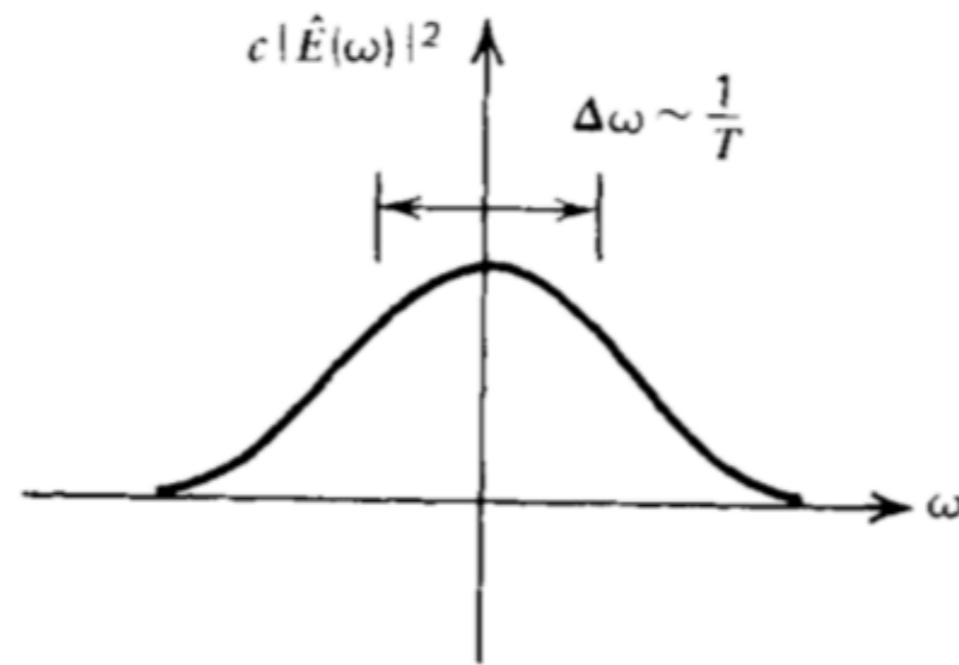


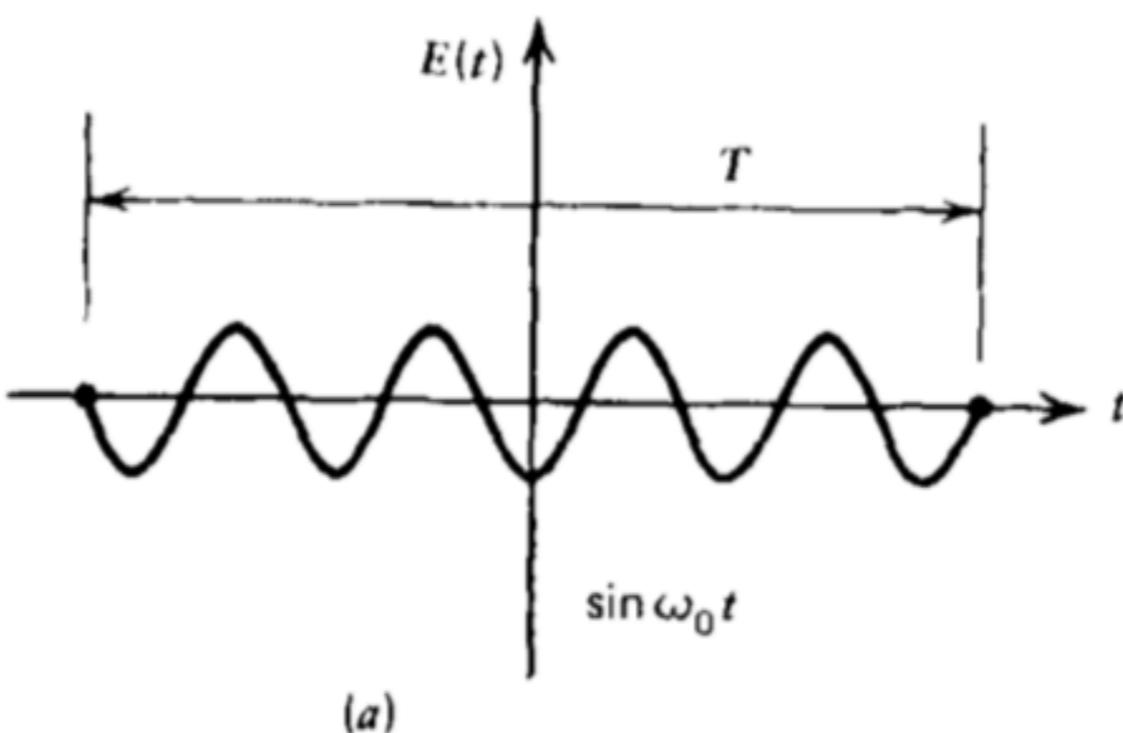
(a)

**Figure 2.1a** Electric field of a pulse of duration  $T$ .

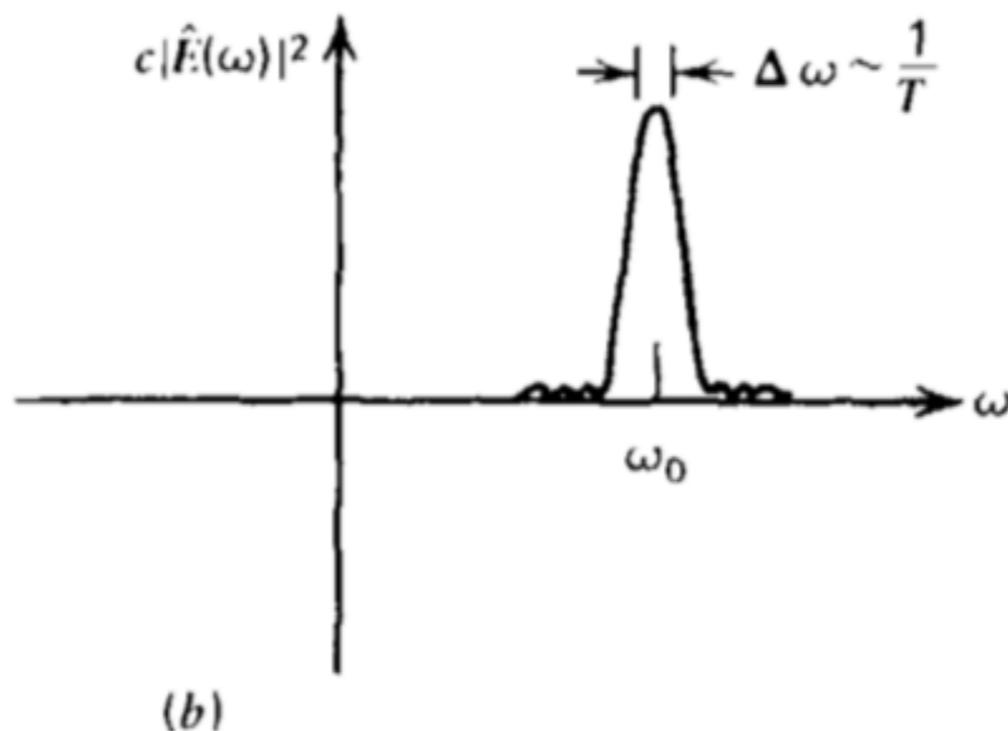


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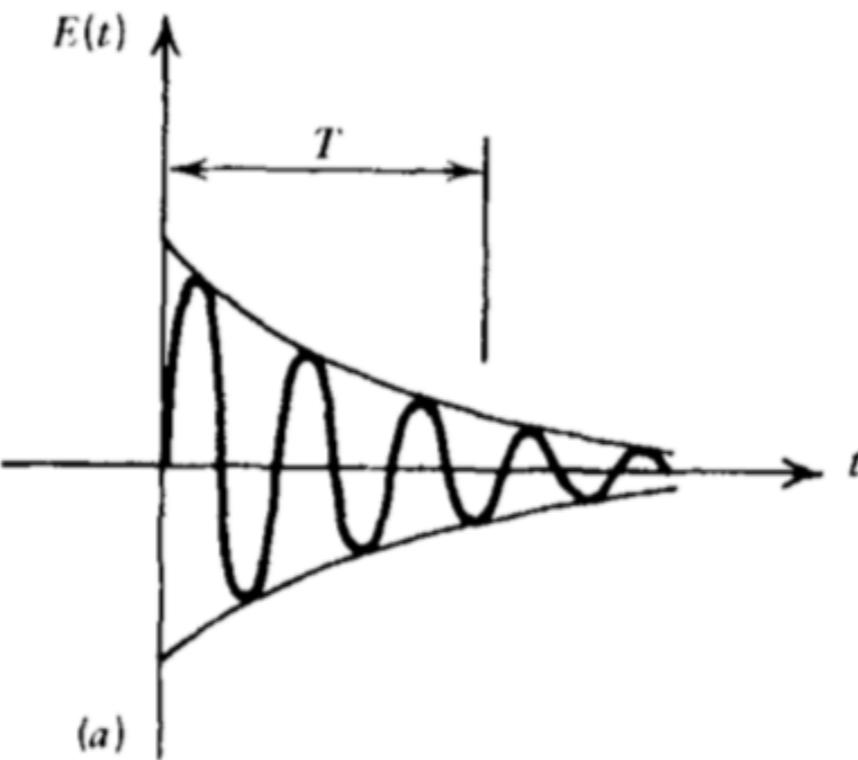
**Figure 2.1b** Power spectrum for a.



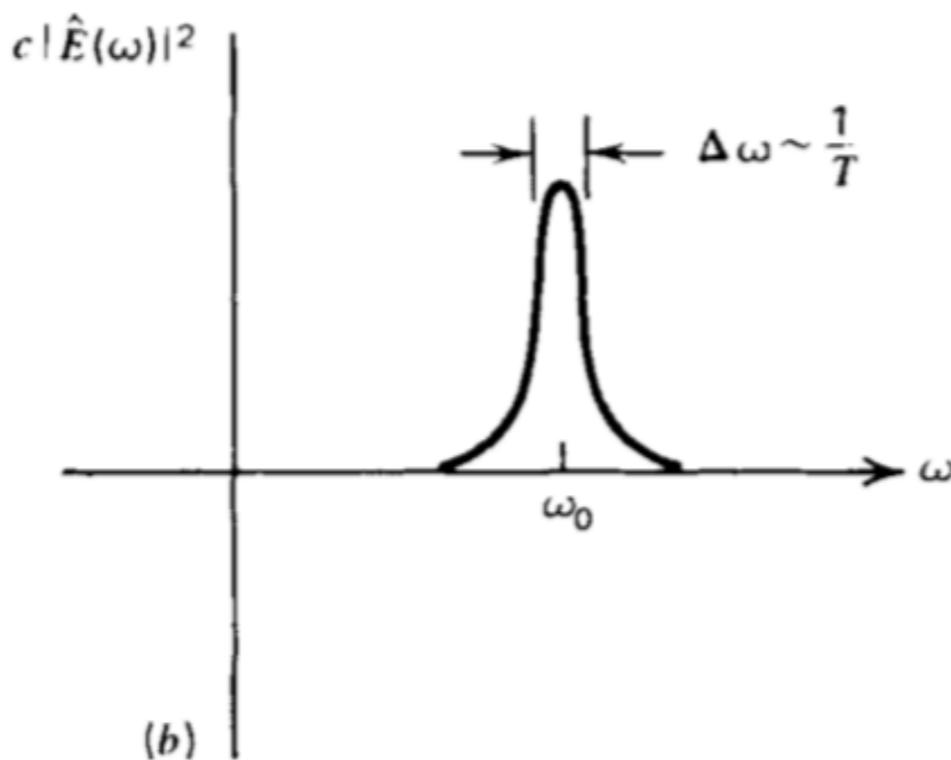
**Figure 2.2a** Electric field of a sinusoidal pulse of frequency  $\omega_0$



**Figure 2.2b** Power spectrum for a.



**Figure 2.3a** Electric field of a damped sinusoid of the form  $\exp(-t/T) \sin \omega_0 t$ .



**Figure 2.3b** Power spectrum for a.

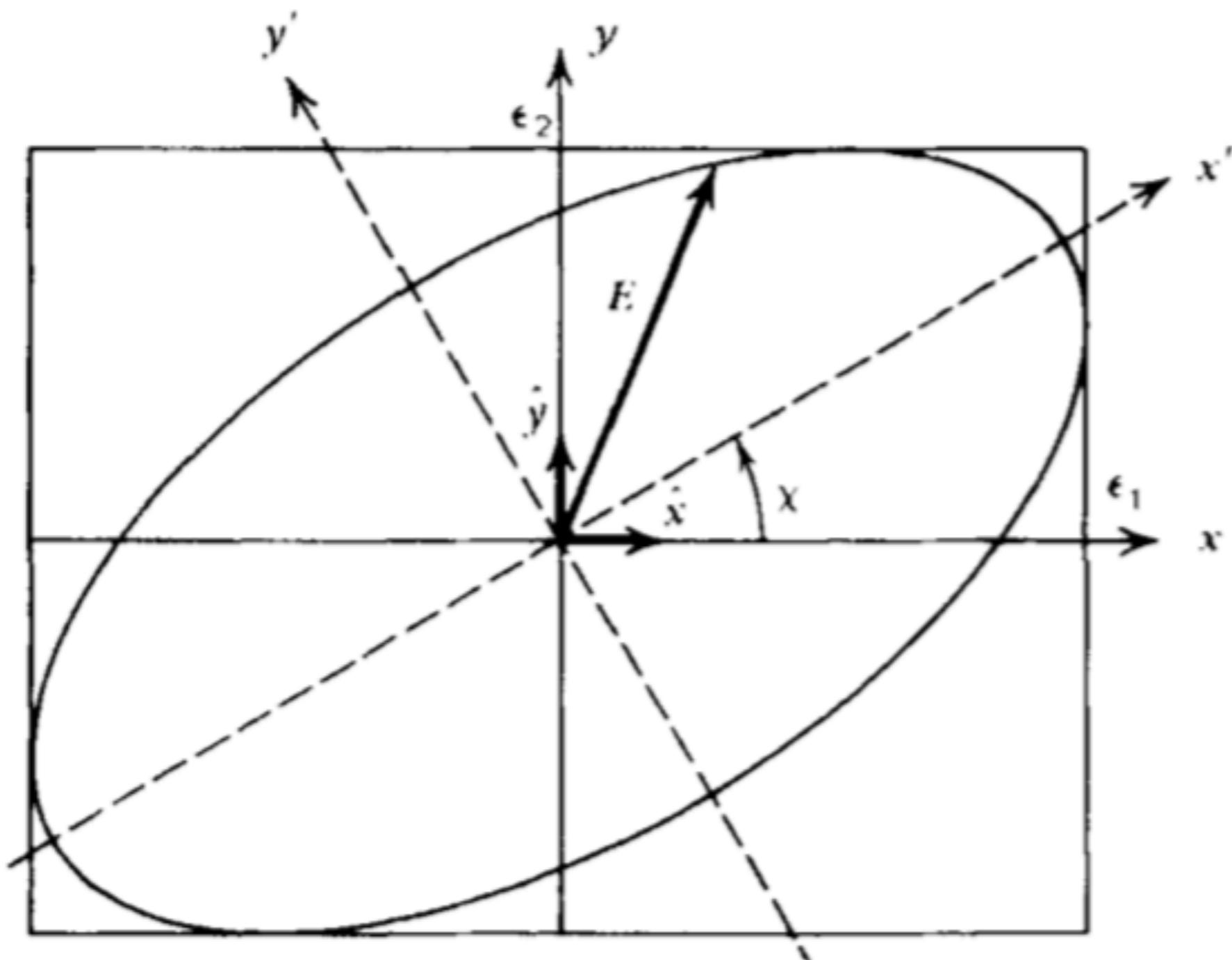


Figure 2.4 Rotation of  $x$  and  $y$  electric field components through angle  $\chi$  to coincide with principal axes of the polarization ellipse.