

**Problem 1.** *Folland 8.4.30*

Take any  $x$  in the Lebesgue set of  $f$ . Then by Fatou's lemma, we have

$$\lim_{t \rightarrow 0} f^t(x) \geq \int \liminf_{t \rightarrow 0} \hat{f}(\xi) \Phi(t\xi) e^{2\pi i \xi \cdot x} d\xi = \int \hat{f} d\xi$$

(Done with Robbert Liu)

**Problem 2.** *Folland 8.4.26*

(a) Taking  $\varphi(x)$  as in 8.37, then by the inverse fourier transform we get that

$$e^{-\beta} = \int \frac{1}{\pi(1+t^2)} e^{-i\beta t} dt$$

(b) We verify that the equality holds by the following computation:

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\pi} \frac{1}{1+t^2} e^{-i\beta t} dt &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{e^{-i\beta t}}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-(1+t^2)s} ds dt && \text{(by hint)} \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\pi} e^{-i\beta t} e^{-(1+t^2)s} dt ds && \text{(By Fubini-Tonelli)} \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \sqrt{\pi} e^{-s} e^{-i\beta \sqrt{\pi} x} e^{-\pi x^2 s} dx ds && \text{(By substituting } x = \frac{t}{\sqrt{\pi}}) \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} \sqrt{\pi} e^{-s} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{\frac{-i\beta x 2\pi}{2\sqrt{\pi}}} e^{-\pi x^2 s} dx ds \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} \sqrt{\pi} e^{-s} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-2\pi i \xi} e^{-\pi x^2 s} dx ds \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} (\pi s)^{-1/2} e^{-s} e^{\frac{-\beta^2}{4s}} ds \end{aligned}$$

(c) By the previous results,

$$\begin{aligned} e^{-2\pi|\xi|} &= \int_0^{\infty} (\pi s)^{-1/2} e^{-s} e^{-\frac{\pi^2|\xi|^2}{s}} ds \\ &= \int_0^{\infty} (\pi s)^{-1/2} e^{-s} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left(\frac{s}{\pi}\right)^{n/2} e^{-s|x|^2} e^{-2\pi i \xi \cdot x} dx ds \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_0^{\infty} (\pi s)^{-1/2} e^{-s} \left(\frac{s}{\pi}\right)^{n/2} e^{-s|x|^2} e^{-2\pi i \xi \cdot x} ds dx \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} e^{-2\pi i \xi \cdot x} \left( \int_0^{\infty} (s)^{\frac{n-1}{2}} e^{-\pi s} e^{-\pi s|x|^2} ds \right) dx \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} e^{-2\pi i \xi \cdot x} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2}(n+1)\right)}{\pi^{(n+1)/2}} (1+|x|)^{-\frac{n+1}{2}} dx \end{aligned}$$

Which is exactly what we wanted to show. (Done with Robbert Liu)

**Problem 3.** *Folland 8.4.28*

(a) The following computation verifies what we wish to show:

$$\begin{aligned}
 f * P_r(x) &= P_r * f(x) \\
 &= \int f(y) P_r(x - y) dy \\
 &= \int f(y) \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} r^{|k|} e^{2\pi i(x-y)} dy \\
 &= \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} r^{|k|} e^{2\pi i x} \int_{\mathbb{R}} f(y) e^{-2\pi i y} dy \\
 &= \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} r^{|k|} e^{-2\pi i k x} \hat{f}(k)
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) We compute  $P_r(x)$  as

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_r(x) &= \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} r^{|k|} e^{2\pi i k x} \\
 &= 1 + \sum_1^{\infty} r^{|k|} e^{2\pi i k x} + \sum_{-\infty}^{-1} r^{|k|} e^{2\pi i k x} \\
 &= 1 + \sum_1^{\infty} (re^{2\pi i x})^k + \sum_1^{\infty} (re^{-2\pi i x})^k \\
 &= 1 + \left( -1 + \frac{1}{1 - re^{2\pi i x}} \right) + \left( -1 + \frac{1}{1 - re^{-2\pi i x}} \right) \\
 &= -1 + \frac{1}{1 - re^{2\pi i x}} + \frac{1}{1 - re^{-2\pi i x}} \\
 &= \frac{-(1 - re^{2\pi i x})(1 - re^{-2\pi i x}) + 1 - re^{2\pi i x} + 1 - re^{-2\pi i x}}{(1 - re^{2\pi i x})(1 - re^{-2\pi i x})} \\
 &= \frac{1 - r^2}{1 + r^2 - 2r \cos(2\pi x)}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Problem 4.** *Folland 8.4.31*

Using 8.37, and the dilation formula, we compute that

$$\frac{\pi}{a} \cdot \frac{1 + e^{-2\pi a}}{1 - e^{-2\pi a}} = \frac{\pi}{a} \left( \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} e^{-2\pi a k} + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} e^{-2\pi a k} \right) = \frac{\pi}{a} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-2\pi a |k|} = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(k^2 + a^2)}.$$

Therefore the following series of equalities hold:

$$\begin{aligned} 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^2 + a^2} &= \frac{\pi}{a} \cdot \frac{1 + e^{-2\pi a}}{1 - e^{-2\pi a}} - \frac{1}{a^2} \\ &= \frac{a\pi(1 + e^{-2\pi a}) - (1 - e^{2\pi a})}{a^2(1 - e^{-2\pi a})} \end{aligned}$$

To take the limit as  $a \rightarrow 0$ , we apply L'hôpital's rule 3 times. The third derivative of the numerator with respect to  $a$  is:

$$4\pi^3 e^{-2\pi a} + 4\pi^3 e^{-2\pi a} + 4\pi^3 e^{-2\pi a} + 8\pi^4 a e^{-2\pi a} - 8\pi^3 e^{-2\pi a},$$

and the third derivative of the denominator is

$$4\pi e^{-2\pi a}(2\pi^2 a^2 - 6\pi a + 3).$$

At  $a = 0$  we have the quotient equal to  $\frac{\pi^2}{3}$  and we conclude that

$$2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{3}.$$

(Done with Charles Swaney)

**Problem 5.** *Folland 8.5.33*

(a) We compute the convolution as:

$$\begin{aligned}
 f * F_m(x) &= \int f(y) F_m(x-y) dy \\
 &= \int f(y) \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^m \sum_{-k}^k e^{2\pi i k(x-y)} dy \\
 &= \sum_{-k}^k \int f(y) \frac{m+1-|k|}{m+1} e^{-2\pi i k y} e^{2\pi i k x} dy && \text{(by counting like terms)} \\
 &= \sum_{-k}^k e^{2\pi i k x} \frac{m+1-|k|}{m+1} \hat{f}(y)
 \end{aligned}$$

(b) We compute  $F_m$  as

$$\begin{aligned}
 F_m &= \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^m D_k \\
 &= \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^m \frac{e^{(2k+1)\pi i x} - e^{-(2k+1)\pi i x}}{2i} \\
 &= \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^m \frac{e^{(2k+1)\pi i x} - e^{-(2k+1)\pi i x}}{2i} \cdot \frac{e^{(2k+1)\pi i x} + e^{-(2k+1)\pi i x}}{e^{(2k+1)\pi i x} + e^{-(2k+1)\pi i x}} \\
 &= \frac{1}{m+1} \sum_{k=0}^m \frac{e^{(2k+1)\pi i x^2} - e^{-(2k+1)\pi i x^2}}{2i (e^{(2k+1)\pi i x} + e^{-(2k+1)\pi i x})} \\
 &= \frac{\sin^2([m+1]\pi x)}{(m+1) \sin^2(\pi x)} && \text{( by telescopic summations)}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Problem 6.** *Folland 8.5.34*

Using the closed form for the Dirichlet kernel, we compute the limit as  $m \rightarrow \infty$  of  $\|D_m\|_1$  as:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \|D_m\|_1 &= \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \left| \frac{\sin([2m+1]\pi x)}{\sin(\pi x)} \right| dx \\
 &= \lim_{m \rightarrow \infty} \int \left| \frac{\sin(y)}{\sin(y/\pi(2m+1))} \right| \frac{1}{\pi(2m+1)} dy && \text{(substituting } y = \pi(2m+1)x) \\
 &= \int \left| \frac{\sin(y)}{y} \right| dy && \text{(by Monotone Convergence Theorem)} \\
 &= \infty && \text{(Mat157)}
 \end{aligned}$$

**Problem 7.** *Folland 8.5.35*

(a) First we show that  $\phi_m$  is linear. We compute that

$$\phi_m(f + g) = S_m(f + g)(0) = \sum_{-m}^m \hat{f} + \hat{g}(k) = \sum_{-m}^m \hat{f}(k) + \sum_{-m}^m \hat{g}(k) = \phi_m(f) + \phi_m(g),$$

and

$$\phi_m(\alpha f) = S_m(\alpha f(0)) = \alpha \sum_{-m}^m \hat{f}(k) = \alpha \phi_m(f).$$

We now claim that  $\phi_m$  is continuous. For  $|f|_u < \varepsilon$ , we have

$$\|\phi_m(f)\| = \left\| \sum_{-m}^m \hat{f}(k) \right\| \leq \sum_{-m}^m \|\hat{f}\| = 2m \|\hat{f}\| = 2m \int_{\mathbb{T}} |f(x) e^{-2\pi i k x}| dx \leq 2m \varepsilon m^*(\mathbb{T}).$$

Therefore  $\phi_m \in C(\mathbb{T})^*$ . We also have that by Young's Inequality that  $\|\phi_m\| \leq \|D_m\|$ , and that this equality will be attained when we take  $f = 1$ . Thus  $\|\phi_m\| = \|D_m\|$ .

(b) Suppose that the set of all such  $f$  is not meager. Then by Uniform Boundedness Principle we have that the sequence  $\sup_f \{S_m f(0)\} < \infty$ . This contradicts part 8.5.34 since as  $m \rightarrow \infty$ ,  $\|D_m\| \rightarrow \infty$  and by part a) so does  $\|\phi_m\|$ .

(c) First note that the result from b) holds for any  $x \in \mathbb{T}$ , since if we replace 0 with any point  $x$  we still have that  $|e^{2\pi i x k}| = 1$ . Then, by the Principle of Condensation of Singularities (Folland 5.3.40) there is a residual subset of  $C(\mathbb{T})$  so that  $\{S_m f(x)\}$  diverges on a dense subset of  $\mathbb{T}$ .

(Done with Petar Jovasevic)