

Practise session 3: Image transforms, Fourier Transform

1. Fourier Transform and convolution. (1p)

The discrete Fourier transform for a sequence x(i) is defined as

$$X(k) = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x(i)e^{-2\pi i \frac{ik}{N}}$$

Let y(i) be another sequence of length N, and $y_c(i)$ its N-periodic extension $y_c(i) = y(i \mod N)$. Let us define convolution to be

$$h(m) = \sum_{i=0}^{N-1} x(i) y_c(m-i)$$

Prove that the Fourier transform of the convolution of two functions can be calculated by multiplying their Fourier transforms, that is, H(k) = X(k)Y(k) where H(k) is Fourier transform of h(m).

- 2. $N \log_2 N$ additions and $\frac{1}{2} N \log_2 N$ multiplications are needed to compute the Fast Fourier Transform (FFT) of N points. How many additions and multiplications are needed to compute the 2D FFT of and $N \times N$ image? What if the image is a spectral image of size $N \times N \times N$? (1p)
- 3. The following 8 signals f(x) are given. Find their Fourier transforms F(u) and describe the signals and their corresponding Fourier transforms with words real, imaginary, complex, even, and odd (using also possible combinations of those words). (1p)

4. Matlab task: Apply Fourier transform to the three images given in Practice session 2. Which functions and options are available in Matlab for FT/DFT/FFT and how the results of them can be displayed/visualized? (1p)