1 Fast Fourier Transform

Fast (Discrete) Fourier Transform (DFT): An algorithm for quickly computing change of coordinates to or from Fourier basis.

2 Image compression

3 Abstract vector spaces

A vector space V over the field \mathbb{F} is a set of objects which can be

- ullet added in such a way that the sum of two elements of V is again an element of V, and
- multiplied by elements of \mathbb{F} , in such a way that the product of an element of V by an element of \mathbb{F} is an element of V,

and the following properties are satisfied:

VS 1 Given elements $\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w}$ of V, we have

$$(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}) + \mathbf{w} = \mathbf{u} + (\mathbf{v} + \mathbf{w}).$$

VS 2 There is an element of V, denoted by $\mathbf{0}$, such that

$$0+u=u+0=u$$

for all elements \mathbf{u} of V.

VS 3 Given an element \mathbf{u} of V, there exists an element $-\mathbf{u}$ in V such that

$$\mathbf{u} + (-\mathbf{u}) = \mathbf{0}.$$

VS 4 For all elements \mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v} of V, we have

$$\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v} + \mathbf{u}$$
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VS 5 If c is a number, then $c(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{v}) = c\mathbf{u} + c\mathbf{v}$.

VS 6 If a, b are two numbers, then $(a + b)\mathbf{v} = a\mathbf{v} + b\mathbf{v}$.

VS 7 If a, b are two numbers, then $(ab)\mathbf{v} = a(b\mathbf{v})$.

VS 8 For all elements \mathbf{u} of V, we have $1\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{u}$ (1 here is the number one).

4 Vector spaces of functions

Example: Let $C([-\pi, \pi])$ be the vector space of continuous real-valued functions on $[-\pi, \pi]$.

Inner product:

• linear in first coordinate:

$$* < cf, g > = c < f, g >$$

$$^* \, < f + g, h > \quad = \quad < f, h > + < g, h >$$

• conjugate symmetry:

$$* < f, g > = \overline{< g, f >}$$

• positive definite:

$$* < f, f > \ge 0$$

$$* < f, f > = 0 \iff f = 0$$

Orthogonal functions:
Distance between functions:
Convergence for sequences of functions:

5 Fourier series

The set of functions

$$\{\sin nx : n = 1, 2, 3, \ldots\} \cup \{\cos nx : n = 1, 2, 3, \ldots\} \cup \left\{\frac{1}{2}\right\}$$

E.g. Fourier series for step function:

$$f = \frac{1}{2} + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 + (-1)^m}{m\pi} \sin mx$$

• Sawtooth:

$$f(x) = 2\sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{m+1}}{n} \sin(nx)$$

• Parabolic pulse:

$$f(x) = \frac{\pi^2}{12} - \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{(2m)^2} \cos(2mx) + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{\pi (2m-1)^3} \sin((2m-1)x)$$

• Triangle pulse:

$$f(x) = \frac{\pi}{8} - \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\pi (4m-2)^2} \cos((4m-2)x) + \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{(2m-1)^2} \sin((2m-1)x)$$

• Triangle wave:

$$f(x) = 2\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{2}{\pi(4n+1)^2} \sin((4n+1)x) - 2\sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{2}{\pi(4n+3)^2} \cos((4n+3)x)$$