



# Fourier Analysis

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# Chapter 1 Fourier Series and Integrals

We will go through the book's notes in this document. Chapter 1 is organized as follows:

1. Fourier coefficients and Series
2. Criteria for pointwise convergence
3. Convergence in norm
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5. The fourier transform of  $L^1$  functions
6. Schwartz class and tempered distributions
7. Fourier transform on  $L^p$ , for  $1 < p \leq 2$
8. Convergence and summability of Fourier Integrals
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**Some Notations** The Lebesgue measure in  $\mathbb{R}^n$  will be denoted using  $dx$ , and on the unit sphere  $S^{n-1}$  will be  $d\sigma$ .

Let  $a = (a_1, \dots, a_n) \in \mathbb{N}^n$  be a multiindex, and  $f : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ , then

$$D^a f = \frac{\partial^{|a|} f}{\partial x_1^{a_1} \dots \partial x_n^{a_n}}$$

where  $|a| = a_1 + \dots + a_n$ .

## Theorem 1.1 (Minkowski's integral inequality.)

Given  $(X, \mu), (Y, \nu)$  as  $\sigma$ -finite measure spaces, we have the following inequality

$$\left( \int_X \left| \int_Y f(x, y) d\nu(y) \right|^p d\mu(x) \right)^{1/p} \leq \int_Y \left( \int_X |f(x, y)|^p d\mu(x) \right)^{1/p} d\nu(y)$$



Taking  $\nu$  to be the counting measure over a two point set  $S = 1, 2$  gives the usual Minkowski inequality

$$\|f_1 + f_2\|_{L^p} \leq \|f_1\|_{L^p} + \|f_2\|_{L^p}$$

We will use  $\mathcal{D}$  to denote the space of test functions, i.e.  $C_c^\infty$ , and  $\mathcal{S}$  to denote the space of Schwartz functions. Recall the dual of  $\mathcal{D}$ , denoted as  $\mathcal{D}'$  is the space of distributions, and  $\mathcal{S}'$  is the space of temperate distributions.

## Definition 1.1 (Convolution of distribution)

Let  $T \in \mathcal{D}'$ , and  $f \in \mathcal{D}$ , then we define

$$T * f(x) = \langle T, \tau_x \tilde{f} \rangle$$

where  $\tilde{f}(y) = f(-y)$ , and  $\tau_x f(y) = f(x + y)$ . Hence it can be read as  $T * f(x) = \langle T, f(x - y) \rangle$



### 1.0.1 1.1 Review of definitions

We now do some math. If  $f$  is a trigonometric series, of the form

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} c_n e^{2\pi i n x}$$

Then we find  $c_n$  for any fixed  $n$  by multiplying  $f(x)$  by  $e^{-2\pi i n x}$ , and integrate. Namely, we have

$$\int_0^1 \sum_n c_n e^{2\pi i n x} \cdot e^{-2\pi i n x} = \int_0^1 c_n = c_n$$

We denote the additive group of  $\mathbb{R}/\mathbb{Z}$  by  $\mathbb{T}$ , which gives  $[0, 1)$ , and naturally identifies with  $S^1$ . Hence, saying a function  $f$  defined on  $\mathbb{T}$  is the same as saying  $f$  is defined on  $\mathbb{R}$  with period 1.

### Definition 1.2 (Fourier coefficients)

Fix  $f \in L^1(\mathbb{T})$ , we associate the sequence  $\{\hat{f}(n)\}$  of  $f$  defined by

$$\hat{f}(k) = \int_0^1 f(x) e^{-2\pi i n x} dx$$

And its Fourier series defined as

$$\sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{f}(n) e^{2\pi i n x}$$



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