

## 11.9 Fourier transform.

Fourier integral: Given a function  $f(x)$

$$F(x) = \int_0^\infty (A(\omega) \cos(\omega x) + B(\omega) \sin(\omega x)) d\omega$$

$$\stackrel{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) \cos(\omega z) dz, \quad \stackrel{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) \sin(\omega z) dz$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} (f(z) \cos(\omega z) \cos(\omega x) + f(z) \sin(\omega z) \sin(\omega x)) dz d\omega$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) (\cos(\omega z) \cos(\omega x) + \sin(\omega z) \sin(\omega x)) dz d\omega$$

$$/ (\cos \theta = \cos(-\theta)) \quad \stackrel{d\omega}{\text{Cos}}(\omega z - \omega x) = \text{Cos}(\omega \theta(-z))$$

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) \cos(\omega(x-z)) dz d\omega$$

*an even function of  $\omega$*

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(\omega) d\omega = 2 \int_0^{\infty} g(\omega) d\omega \text{ if } g \text{ is even.}$$

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) \cos(\omega(x-z)) dz d\omega :$$

$$\star \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) \sin(\omega(x-z)) dz d\omega = 0$$

*odd.*

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) \cos(\omega(x-z)) dz d\omega$$

$$+ i \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) \sin(\omega(x-z)) dz d\omega$$

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) (\cos(\omega(x-z)) + i \sin(\omega(x-z))) dz d\omega$$

$$e^{i\omega(x-z)} = + i \sin(\omega(x-z)) dz d\omega$$

*Euler formula :  $\frac{1}{2\pi} = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}\right)^2$*

$$F(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) e^{i\omega z} \frac{e^{-i\omega z}}{dz} dz d\omega$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) e^{-i\omega z} dz e^{i\omega x} d\omega$$

*"  $\hat{f}(w) = \mathcal{F}(f)$*

Def 1.  $\hat{f}(w) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) e^{-i\omega z} dz$

*the Fourier transform of  $f$ .*

$$2. \hat{f}(w) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{iwx} dx$$

: the inverse Fourier transform  
of  $\hat{f}(w)$

(Ex)  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & |x| < a \\ 0, & |x| \geq a \end{cases} \quad (a > 0)$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{f}(w) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{-ixw} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-a}^a e^{-ixw} dx = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left[ \frac{e^{-ixw}}{-iw} \right]_{-a}^a \\ &= \frac{-1}{iw\sqrt{2\pi}} (e^{-ixa} - e^{ixa}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{f}(w) &= \frac{-1}{iw\sqrt{2\pi}} (\cos(wa) - i\sin(wa) \\ &\quad - (\cos(wa) + i\sin(wa))) \\ &= \frac{+1}{iw\sqrt{2\pi}} (+2i) \sin(wa) = \frac{2\sin(wa)}{w\sqrt{2\pi}} \end{aligned}$$

Q  $f(x) \equiv 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{f}(w) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-ixw} dx = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left[ \frac{e^{-ixw}}{-iw} \right]_{-\infty}^{\infty} \\ &= \frac{1}{-iw\sqrt{2\pi}} \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{-ixw} - \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} e^{-ixw} \right) \\ e^{-ixw} &= \cos(wx) - i\sin(wx) : \text{No limit} \end{aligned}$$

$\hat{f}(w) = \mathcal{F}(1)$  doesn't exist.  
: not defined

Q Which functions have Fourier transform?

Thm 1

- ①  $f(x)$  is piecewise continuous on every finite interval.
- ②  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)| dx$  is finite ( $\therefore f$  is integrable)
- ③  $\mathcal{F}(f)$  exists.

$$(Ex) f(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & x < 0 \\ e^{-ax}, & x \geq 0 \end{cases} \quad (a > 0)$$

$$(1) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)| dx = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-ax} dx = \left[ \frac{e^{-ax}}{-a} \right]_0^{\infty} = -\frac{1}{a} \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{-ax} \right) = \frac{1}{a} \text{ is finite}$$

$$(2) \mathcal{F}(f) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{-ixw} dx \\ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-ax} e^{-ixw} dx = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-(a+ixw)x} dx \\ = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left[ \frac{e^{-(a+ixw)x}}{-(a+ixw)} \right]_0^{\infty}$$

$$\mathcal{F}(f) = \frac{1}{-(a+ixw)\sqrt{2\pi}} \left( \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} e^{-ax} e^{-ixw} \right) = 1$$

Remark:  $|e^{-ixw}| = |\cos(wx) + i\sin(wx)| = 1$ .

$$\mathcal{F}(f) = \frac{1}{(a+ixw)\sqrt{2\pi}}$$

$$(Ex) \mathcal{F}(e^{-x^2}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} e^{-\frac{w^2}{4}} \quad (\text{MAS25})$$

(Properties).

$$1. \mathcal{F}(af + bg) = a\mathcal{F}(f) + b\mathcal{F}(g)$$

$$2. \mathcal{F}(f') = iw\mathcal{F}(f).$$

$$\mathcal{F}(f'') = (iw)^2 \mathcal{F}(f) = -w^2 \mathcal{F}(f).$$

$$3. f * g(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(z) g(x-z) dz$$

$$\mathcal{F}(f * g) = \sqrt{2\pi} \mathcal{F}(f) \cdot \mathcal{F}(g)$$

## 12.1. Partial Differential equations (PDE).

Def A PDE = an equation involving one or more partial derivatives

The order of a PDE

= the order of the highest order derivatives of the PDE.

(Ex) 1. 1st order PDE.

$$(1) \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + a(x, t) \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 0 : \text{transport equation}$$

$$(2) \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 0 : \text{Burger's equation.}$$

2. 2nd order PDE.

(1) Wave equation: (Sec 12.2)

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 0$$

Q  $u(x, t) = ?$

(A)  $u(x, t) = \cos(ct) \sin(x)$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = -c \sin(ct) \sin(x), \quad \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \cos(ct) \cos(x)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = -c^2 \cos(ct) \sin(x),$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = -\cos(ct) \sin(x)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} - c^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = -c^2 \cos(ct) \sin(x)$$

$$+ c^2 (+) \cos(ct) \sin(x) = 0$$

(2)  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} - k u_{xx} = 0$  : (1-dim) heat equation

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} - D \cdot (k \nabla u) = 0 \quad : \text{d-dim} \quad "$$

Q  $u(x, t) = ?$

$$u_{xx} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$$

Ⓐ  $u(x, t) = e^{-kt} \sin(x)$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = -k e^{-kt} \sin(x)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = e^{-kt} (-1) \sin(x)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} - k \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = -k e^{-kt} \sin(x) + k e^{-kt} (+) \sin(x)$$

$$= 0$$

(3)  $\Delta u = \nabla^2 u = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$

: Laplace equation.

Q  $u(x, y) = 0$

Ex  $u(x, y) = x^2 - y^2$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 2, \quad \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = -2 : \nabla^2 u = 2 - 2 = 0$$