

# Theoretical Questions Chapter 5

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**I :** We need to prove that the following equations statisfies axioms of inner product space over  $\mathbb{C}$ .

$$\langle u, v \rangle = \int_a^b \rho(t) u(t) \overline{v(t)} dt. \quad (1)$$

(1) real positivity:

$$\forall u \in \mathcal{C}[a, b], \quad \langle u, u \rangle = \int_a^b \rho(t) u(t) \overline{u(t)} dt = \int_a^b \rho(t) |u(t)|^2 dt \geq 0. \quad (2)$$

(2) definiteness:

$$\langle u, u \rangle = 0 \Leftrightarrow \rho(t) |u(t)|^2 = 0 \Leftrightarrow |u(t)|^2 = 0 \Leftrightarrow u = 0 \quad (3)$$

(3) additivity in the first slot:

$$\forall u, v, w \in \mathcal{C}[a, b], \quad \langle u + w, v \rangle = \int_a^b \rho(t) (u(t) + w(t)) \overline{v(t)} dt = \int_a^b \rho(t) u(t) \overline{v(t)} dt + \int_a^b \rho(t) w(t) \overline{v(t)} dt = \langle u, v \rangle + \langle w, v \rangle$$

(4) homogeneity in the first slot:

$$\forall c \in \mathbb{C}, \quad \forall u, v \in \mathcal{C}[a, b], \quad \langle cu, v \rangle = c \int_a^b \rho(t) u(t) \overline{v(t)} dt = c \langle u, v \rangle \quad (4)$$

(5) conjugate symmetry :

$$\forall u, v \in \mathcal{C}[a, b] \quad \langle u, v \rangle = \int_a^b \rho(t) u(t) \overline{v(t)} dt = \overline{\int_a^b \rho(x) u(x) \overline{v(x)} dx} = \overline{\int_a^b \rho(x) v(x) \overline{u(x)} dx} = \overline{\langle v, u \rangle} \quad (5)$$

We also need to prove the axioms of norm, (1) real positivity:

$$\|u\|_2 = \left( \int_a^b \rho(t) |u(t)|^2 dt \right)^{1/2} \geq 0 \quad (6)$$

(2) definiteness:

$$\|u\|_2 = 0 \Leftrightarrow \rho(t) |u(t)|^2 = 0 \Leftrightarrow |u(t)|^2 = 0 \Leftrightarrow u = 0 \quad (7)$$

(3) homogeneity

$$\forall c \in \mathbb{C}, \quad \|cu\|_2 = \left( \int_a^b \rho(t) |cu(t)|^2 dt \right)^{1/2} = |c| \left( \int_a^b \rho(t) |u(t)|^2 dt \right)^{1/2} = |c| \|u\|_2 \quad (8)$$

(4) triangle inequality:

$$\forall u, v \in \mathcal{C}[a, b], \quad \|u + v\|_2 = \left( \int_a^b \rho(x) |u(x) + v(x)|^2 dx \right)^{1/2} \quad (9)$$

$$\leq \left( \int_a^b \rho(x) |u(x)|^2 dx \right)^{1/2} + \left( \int_a^b \rho(x) |v(x)|^2 dx \right)^{1/2} = \|u\|_2 + \|v\|_2 \quad (10)$$

**II:** By Definition 2.41,  $T_n(x) = \cos(n \arccos(x))$ ,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(a): For } \forall m, n \langle T_m, T_n \rangle &= \int_{-1}^1 \rho(t) T_m(t) \overline{T_n(t)} dt \\ &= \int_{-1}^1 \frac{\cos(n \arccos t) \cos(m \arccos t)}{\sqrt{1-t^2}} dt \\ &= \int_0^\pi \cos(m\theta) \cos(n\theta) d\theta \\ &= \int_0^\pi \frac{\cos(m\theta + n\theta)}{\cos(m\theta - n\theta)} d\theta \\ &= \begin{cases} \frac{\pi}{2} & \text{when } m = n \neq 0 \\ 0, & \text{when } m \neq n \\ \pi & \text{when } m = n = 0 \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,  $T_n$  are orthogonal.

(bi): We have  $T_0(x) = 1$ ,  $T_1(x) = x$ ,  $T_2(x) = 2x^2 - 1$ , after normalized, we get  $T_0^*(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}}$ ,  $T_1^*(x) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}x$  and  $T_2^*(x) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}(2x^2 - 1)$ .

**III(a):** With the basis  $(T_0^*, T_1^*, T_2^*)$ , the Fourier coefficients are  $\langle y, T_0^* \rangle = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}}$ ,  $\langle y, T_1^* \rangle = 0$ ,  $\langle y, T_2^* \rangle = -\frac{2}{3}\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}$ , the approximate function is  $\hat{\varphi}(x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}}T_0^* + 0T_1^* - \frac{2}{3}\sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}}T_2^* = \frac{10}{3\pi} - \frac{8}{3\pi}x^2$

(b):

$$G(1, x, x^2) = \begin{bmatrix} \langle 1, 1 \rangle & \langle 1, x \rangle & \langle 1, x^2 \rangle \\ \langle 1, 1 \rangle & \langle 1, x \rangle & \langle 1, x^2 \rangle \\ \langle 1, 1 \rangle & \langle 1, x \rangle & \langle 1, x^2 \rangle \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \pi & 0 & \frac{\pi}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{\pi}{2} & 0 \\ \frac{\pi}{2} & 0 & \frac{3\pi}{8} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$c = (\langle y, 1 \rangle, \langle y, x \rangle, \langle y, x^2 \rangle)^T = (2, 0, \frac{2}{3})^T$$

We can solve the equation  $G^T a = c$ , then we can get  $a = (\frac{10}{3\pi}, 0, -\frac{8}{3\pi})$ , thus the approximate function  $\hat{\varphi}(x) = \frac{10}{3\pi} - \frac{8}{3\pi}x^2$

**IV (a):** Using the monomials  $(1, x, x^2)$ , with inner product  $\langle u, v \rangle = \sum_{i=1}^{12} u(t_i)v(t_i)$ , then we have

$$u_1 = v_1 = 1, \|v_1\| = \sqrt{12}, u_1^* = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{3}}$$

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$$v_2 = u_2 - \langle u_2, u_1^* \rangle u_1^* = x - \frac{13}{2}, u_2^* = \frac{1}{\sqrt{143}}(x - \frac{13}{2})$$

,

$$v_3 = u_3 - \langle u_3, u_1^* \rangle u_1^* - \langle u_3, u_2^* \rangle u_2^* = x^2 - 13x + \frac{91}{3}, u_3^* = \sqrt{\frac{3}{4004}}(x^2 - 13x + \frac{91}{3})$$

(b): The best approximate function is

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{\varphi}(x) &= \langle y, u_1^* \rangle u_1^* + \langle y, u_2^* \rangle u_2^* + \langle y, u_3^* \rangle u_3^* \\ &= \frac{831}{\sqrt{3}} u_1^* + \frac{589}{\sqrt{143}} u_2^* + \frac{12068\sqrt{3}}{\sqrt{4004}} u_3^* \\ &\approx 9.042x^2 - 113.4266x + 386.0013 \end{aligned}$$

(c): The orthonormal polynomials can be reused but the normal equation cannot be reused. Due to we need to recalculated G and solving equation but the previous method just renew index of basis, therefore orthonormal polynomials has advantage over normal equations.