

# AMATH 391 Midterm Review

## 1 Week 1

Lec 1 just for information.

### 1.1 Fourier series

The coefficients of Fourier expansion is given on **Midterm Examination FACT SHEET**.

The partial sums  $S_N(x)$  are functions that will serve as **approximations** to the function  $f(x)$ .

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} S_N = f$$

### 1.2 Metric spaces

A metric space  $(X, d)$ , is a set  $X$  with a "metric"  $d$  that assigns nonnegative "distances" between any two elements in  $X$ .

1. Positivity:  $d(x, y) \geq 0$ ,  $d(x, x) = 0$
2. Strict positivity:  $d(x, y) = 0 \implies x = y$
3. Symmetry:  $d(x, y) = d(y, x)$
4.  $\triangle$  inequality:  $d(x, y) \leq d(x, z) + d(z, y)$

#### 1.2.1 Metric spaces for functions

listed in fact sheet.

## 2 Week 2

### 2.1 Convergence

Cauchy sequence: for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists  $N_\varepsilon > 0$  such that

$$d(x_n, x_m) < \varepsilon \quad \text{for all } n, m > N_\varepsilon$$

**Defn** Complete metric space: if all every Cauchy sequence  $\{x_n\}$  converges (to an element  $x \in X$ )

Convergence in  $d_\infty$  implies not only pointwise convergence but uniform convergence.

## 2.2 Normed Linear Spaces

Let  $X$  be a vector space. A real-valued function  $\|x\|$  defined on  $X$  is a norm on  $X$  if the following properties are satisfied:

1. positivity
2. strict positivity  $\|x\| = 0 \iff x = 0$
3.  $\triangle$  inequality
4. homogeneity:  $\|\alpha x\| = |\alpha|\|x\|$

The pair  $(X, \|\cdot\|)$  is called a **normed linear space**. And it is a metric space.

If we consider a normed linear space  $X$  as a metric space  $d$ , then we may ask whether it is complete.

**Defn** A complete normed space is called **Banach space**.

## 2.3 Best approximation

Examples:

1.  $X = C[a, b]$ . The set of functions  $\{1, x, x^2, \dots\}$ : linearly independent set.

$$\min_{c_0, \dots, c_{n-1}} \|f - v_n\| = \min_{c_0, \dots, c_{n-1}} \max_{x \in [a, b]} |f(x) - c_0 - c_1x - \dots - c_{n-1}x^{n-1}|$$

Special case:  $n = 1$ .  $d_\infty(f, c)$

2.  $X = L^1[a, b]$ . Special case  $n = 1$ .

3.  $X = L^2[a, b]$

(a)  $n = 1$ . Two methods:

- expand the integrand and integrate to produce an expression for  $\Delta_2^2(c)$  in terms of  $c$ .
- use Lebiniz's Rule to differentiate the integral.

(b) special case  $n = 2$ :  $f(x) \cong c_0 + c_1x$ . Then minimize

$$h(c_0, c_1) = \Delta_2^2(c_0c_1)$$

Critical points  $(c_0, c_1)$  must satisfy the following stationarity conditions:

$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial c_0} = \frac{\partial h}{\partial c_1} = 0$$

4. We return to the approx. that yielded by partial sums of the Fourier series of a function  $f(x)$  defined on the interval  $[-\pi, \pi]$ . We simply state that  $S_N(x)$  is the best approximation to  $f(x)$  in this  $2N + 1$ -dimensional space.

## 2.4 Inner product spaces

The inner product satisfies the following conditions:

1.  $\langle x + y, z \rangle = \langle x, z \rangle + \langle y, z \rangle$
2.  $\langle \alpha x, y \rangle = \alpha \langle x, y \rangle$
3.  $\langle x, y \rangle = \overline{\langle y, x \rangle}$ . If the field of scalars is  $\mathbb{C}$ , then this becomes  $\langle x, y \rangle = \overline{\langle y, x \rangle}$
4.  $\langle x, x \rangle \geq 0$

We then say that  $(X, \langle, \rangle)$  is an inner product space.

An inner product defines a norm which, in turn, defines a metric.

A complete inner product space is called a **Hilbert space**.

### 2.4.1 Orthogonality in inner product spaces

convex, direct sum of two subspaces (algebraic complements). orthogonal complement:  $S, S^\perp$ .

## 2.5 Projection Theorem

Let  $H$  be a Hilbert space and  $Y \subset H$  any closed subspace of  $H$ . Now let  $Z = Y^\perp$ . Then for any  $x \in H$ , there is a unique decomposition of the form

$$x = y + z, \quad y \in Y, \quad z \in Z = Y^\perp$$

The point  $y$  is called the (orthogonal) projection of  $x$  on  $Y$ .

mapping  $P_Y : H \rightarrow Y$ , the projection of  $H$  onto  $Y$ . This is idempotent operator:  $P_Y^2 = P_Y$ .

### 2.5.1 Best approximations in Hilbert spaces

**Theorem** Let  $\{e_1, \dots, e_n\}$  be an orthonormal set in a Hilbert space  $H$ . Define  $Y = \text{span}\{e_i\}_{i=1}^n$ .  $Y$  is a subspace of  $H$ . Then for any  $x \in H$ , the best approximation of  $x$  in  $Y$  is given by the unique element

$$y = P_Y(x) = \sum_{k=1}^n c_k e_k$$

where

$$c_k = \langle x, e_k \rangle$$

Furthermore, **Bessel's inequality**

$$\sum_{k=1}^n |c_k|^2 \leq \|x\|^2$$

## 3 Week 3

### 3.1 Complete orthonormal basis sets - "Generalized Fourier series"

**Defn** An orthonormal set  $\{e_k\}_1^\infty$  is said to be complete or maximal if the following is true:

If  $\langle x, e_k \rangle = 0$  for all  $k \geq 1$  then  $x = 0$

Here is the main result:

For any  $x \in H$ , (Generalized Fourier Series)

$$x = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \langle x, e_k \rangle e_k$$

Parseval's equation:

$$\|x\|^2 = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} |\langle x, e_k \rangle|^2$$

### 3.2 Convergence of Fourier series expansions

pointwise/uniform convergence, convergence in mean.

uniform  $\implies$  convergence in mean.

### 3.3 Higher variation means higher frequencies are needed

not be examined.

### 3.4 even and odd extensions

### 3.5 Discrete Fourier Transform

In the signal processing literature, the usual notation for such a **sampling** is as follows,

$$f[n] := f(nT), \quad n \in \{0, 1, 2, \dots\} \quad \text{or} \quad n \in \{\dots, -1, 0, 1, \dots\}$$

## 4 Week 4

### 4.1 An orthonormal periodic basis in $\mathbb{C}^N$

inner product:  $\langle f, g \rangle = \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} f[n] \overline{g[n]}$

normalized:

$$u_k = (u_k[0], \dots, u_k[N-1])$$

with components

$$u_k[n] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \exp\left(\frac{i2\pi kn}{N}\right), \quad n = 0, 1, \dots, N-1$$

index  $n$  plays the role of **time or spatial variable** and  $k$  is the index of the **frequency**.

## 4.2 DFT version 3

Given in fact sheet.

### 4.2.1 Some examples

constant signal: only frequency is zero frequency

linearity of DFT.

real-valued signal can have complex-valued DFT.

$$\|f\|^2 = \frac{1}{N} \|F\|^2$$

Important result: The  $N$ -point DFT of the sampled function  $\exp(ik_0x)$ ,  $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ , is given by a single peak:

$$F[k] = \begin{cases} N, & k = k_0 \pmod{N} \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

## 4.3 Some properties

*We should be able to derive them...*

### 4.3.1 Linearity

$$\mathcal{F}(f + g) = \mathcal{F}f + \mathcal{F}g$$

by defn

### 4.3.2 Conjugate symmetry

$$F[k] = \overline{F[N-k]}$$

Note that  $\exp(-i2\pi n) = 1$

### 4.3.3 Shift Theorem

See fact sheet

**Proof** By defn

$$\begin{aligned} G[k] &= \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} g[n] \exp\left(-\frac{i2\pi kn}{N}\right) \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} f[n+1] \exp\left(-\frac{i2\pi kn}{N}\right) \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} f[n+1] \exp\left(-\frac{i2\pi k(n+1)}{N}\right) \exp\left(\frac{i2\pi k}{N}\right) \\ &= \omega^{-k} F[k] \end{aligned}$$

### 4.3.4 Convolution Theorem

Proof by defn.

$$\begin{aligned} H[k] &= \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} h[n] \exp\left(-\frac{i2\pi kn}{N}\right) \\ &= \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} \left[ \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} f[j]g[n-j] \right] \exp\left(-\frac{i2\pi kn}{N}\right) \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} f[j] \exp\left(-\frac{i2\pi kj}{N}\right) \sum_{n=0}^{N-1} g[n-j] \exp\left(-\frac{i2\pi k(n-j)}{N}\right) \\ &= \left[ \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} f[j] \exp\left(-\frac{i2\pi kj}{N}\right) \right] \left[ \sum_{l=0}^{N-1} g[l] \exp\left(-\frac{i2\pi kl}{N}\right) \right] \\ &= F[k]G[k] \end{aligned}$$

The second-to-last line follows the fact from that the products  $f[j]g[n-j]$  exhaust all possible pairs since the vectors are  $N$ -periodic.

$$|F[N-k]| = |F[k]|$$

## 5 Week 5

By "denosing" the signal  $f$ , we mean finding approximations to the noiseless signal  $f_0$ .

## 5.1 A closer look at Conv. Thm

$$h = f * g$$

In this way, we can view  $f$  as a signal, and  $g$  as a mask: the conv. thm produces a new signal  $h$  from  $f$ .

## 5.2 Averaging as a convolution

In the frequency domain, local averaging is shown to perform the greatest shrinkage of DFT coefficients in the high frequency region.

## 5.3 DCT

eliminate convergence problems due to discontinuity at the endpoints. True even extension.

# 6 Week 6

## 6.1 DFT of 2-d datasets

tensor product basis. In matlab, they are `fft2` and `ifft2`.

## 6.2 Fourier Transform

$$f(x) = \sum_{-\infty}^{\infty} a_n e^{in\pi x/L}$$

represents an expansion of the function  $f(x)$  in terms of its frequency components.

- The Fourier series is a summation over discrete frequencies  $\omega_n$
- The Fourier transform is an integration over continuous frequencies  $\omega$ .

### 6.2.1 Import Properties

1. Linearity
2.  $\mathcal{F}(t^n f(t)) = i^n F^{(n)}(\omega)$
3.  $\mathcal{F}^{-1}(\omega^n F(\omega)) = (-i)^n f^{(n)}(t)$
4.  $\mathcal{F}(f^{(n)}(t)) = (i\omega)^n F(\omega)$
5.  $\mathcal{F}^{-1}(F^{(n)}(\omega)) = (-it)^n f(t)$
6.  $\mathcal{F}(f(t-a)) = e^{-i\omega a} F(\omega)$
7.  $\mathcal{F}(e^{i\omega_0 t} f(t)) = F(\omega - \omega_0)$

8. For a  $b > 0$ ,  $\mathcal{F}(f(bt)) = \frac{1}{b}F\left(\frac{\omega}{b}\right)$

9. Convolution Theorem

### 6.2.2 Frequency Shift Thm

number 7 of the properties above.

We may be interested in computing the FT of the product of either  $\cos \omega_0 t$  or  $\sin \omega_0 t$  with a function  $f(t)$ , which are known as **(amplitude) modulations** of  $f(t)$ .

### 6.2.3 Scaling Thm

number 8.

Suppose  $b > 1$ .  $g(t) = f(bt)$  is obtained by contracting the latter horizontally toward  $y$ -axis by a factor of  $\frac{1}{b}$ .

$G$  is obtained by stretching  $F$  outward.

## 6.3 Plancherel Formula

Using complex inner product:

$$\langle f, g \rangle = \langle F, G \rangle$$

norm-preserving. Can be viewed as the continuous version of **Parseval's equation**.

## 6.4 The FT of a Gaussian

The sdv of  $f_\sigma(t)$  is  $\sigma$ , while  $F_\sigma(\omega)$  is  $\sigma^{-1}$ . Consequence of the complementarity of time (or space) and frequency domains.

# 7 Week 7

Lecture 18 only

## 7.1 Convolution thm version 2

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

and version 2:

$$\mathcal{F}[f(t)g(t)] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}(F * G)(\omega)$$



# A product of functions in one representation is equivalent to a convolution in the other.

## 7.2 Using Conv. Thm to reduce high freq

### 7.2.1 low-pass filter

$$H_{\omega_0}(\omega) = F(\omega)B_{\omega_0}(\omega)$$

$B_{\omega_0}(\omega)$  is a boxcar-type function.

### 7.2.2 Gaussian weighting

One may wish to employ smoother.

$$G_{\kappa}(\omega) = e^{-\frac{\omega^2}{2\kappa^2}}$$

(we have not normalized in order to ensure  $G_{\kappa}(0) = 1$ )

Gaussian-weighted FT:

$$H_{\kappa}(\omega) = F(\omega)G_{\kappa}(\omega)$$