

- plan:
- mesh-dependent Z-transform (finish discussion)
  - finite domain (Dirichlet b.c.'s)

last time:  $\hat{u}(\xi) = \sum_j u_j e^{-ij\xi}$  unscaled Z-transform

$$\tilde{u}(k) = h \sum_j u_j e^{-ijk} \quad \begin{matrix} \text{mesh dependent (physical)} \\ \text{Z-transform} \end{matrix}$$

we showed that if  $u_j = U(jh)$   $\leftarrow$  sampled function

then

$$\hat{u}(k) = \sum_{m=-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{U}\left(k - \frac{2\pi}{h}m\right)$$

Fourier transform of  $U$ :  $\hat{U}(k) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} U(x) e^{-ikx} dx$

- sampling  $u_j = U(jh)$  and computing  $\tilde{u}(k)$  yields a  $\frac{2\pi}{h}$ -periodic function

- Summing  $\hat{U}\left(k - \frac{2\pi}{h}m\right)$  periodizes  $\hat{U}(k)$

It's amazing that they're exactly equal!

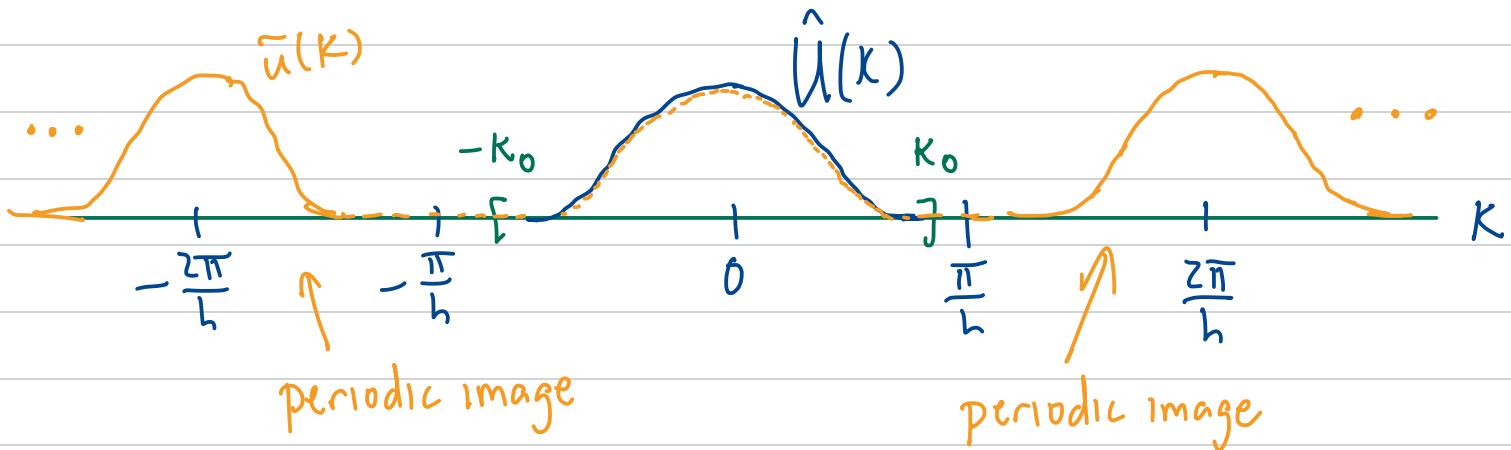
This is similar to the aliasing formula for the discrete Fourier transform (DFT or FFT). Ref: 228A Lec 12b

$$f(x) = \sum_k c_k e^{ikx}, \quad y_j = f(jh), \quad h = \frac{2\pi}{N}, \quad \hat{y}_k = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} y_j e^{-2\pi i j k / N}$$

the DFT of the sampled data is  $N$ -periodic  $\Rightarrow \hat{y}_k = \sum_{m \in \mathbb{Z}} c_{k+mN} \leftarrow$  exact formula!  
 $\leftarrow$  periodizes the  $c_k$

back to the  $\hat{u}$ -transform:

Picture for the case where  $\hat{u}(k) = 0$  for  $|k| \geq K_0 > \frac{\pi}{h}$ :



if  $\hat{u}(k)$  decays reasonably fast, then

$$\hat{u}(k) \rightarrow \hat{u}(k) \text{ as } h \rightarrow 0.$$

(The other terms in the sum  $\sum_m \hat{u}(k - \frac{2\pi}{h}m)$  are small for  $-\frac{\pi}{h} \leq k \leq \frac{\pi}{h}$  when  $h$  is small.)

And if  $\hat{U}(K)$  is supported in  $[-\frac{\pi}{h}, \frac{\pi}{h}]$ , then

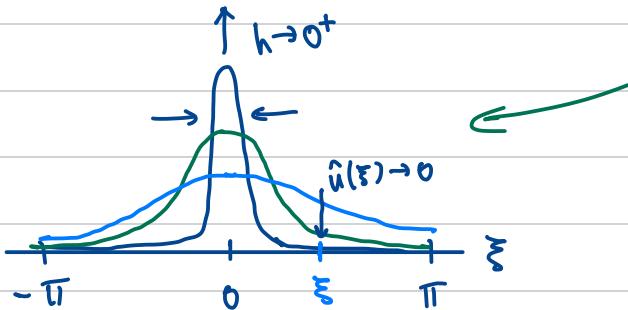
$$\hat{U}(k) = \tilde{U}(k) \chi_{[-\frac{\pi}{h}, \frac{\pi}{h}]}(k) \leftarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{no errors} \\ \text{at all!} \end{array}$$

The inverse Fourier transform of this equation is the Shannon sampling theorem (math 118):

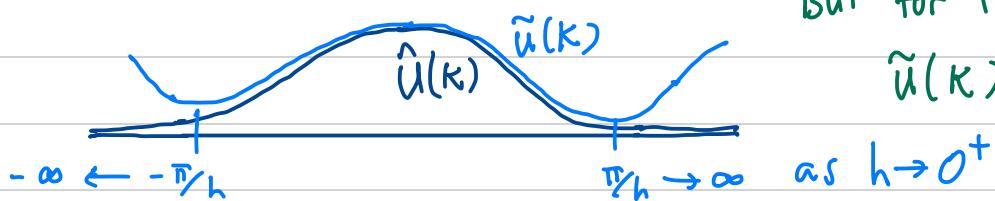
$$U(x) = \sum_j U(jh) \operatorname{sinc}\left(\frac{\pi}{h}(x-jh)\right), \quad \operatorname{sinc} x = \begin{cases} 1 & x=0 \\ \frac{\sin x}{x} & x \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

$\uparrow$  exact reconstruction of a band-limited function from sampled values.

I prefer to work with  $\hat{U}(\xi)$  for stability analysis. But it's nice to understand how to rescale it for the  $h \rightarrow 0^+$  limit to be meaningful.



plots of  $\hat{U}(\xi)$  as  $h \rightarrow 0^+$   
for sampled values  $U_j = U(jh)$ .  
For fixed  $\xi \neq 0$ ,  $\hat{U}(\xi) \rightarrow 0$ .



But for fixed  $K$ ,  
 $\tilde{U}(K) = h \hat{U}(hK) \rightarrow \hat{U}(K)$

Finite domains the amplification factor allows us

to compute the 2-norm of a finite difference operator  
on the whole real line (on  $\mathbb{L}_h^2$ )

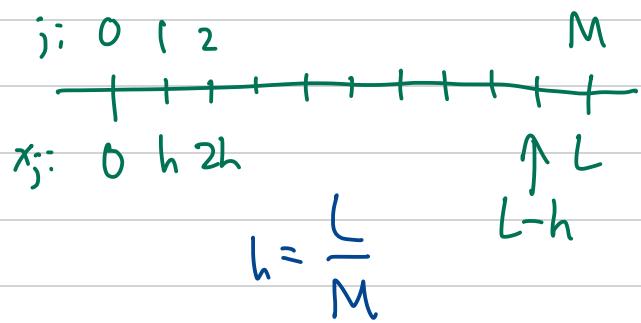
$$Bu_j = \sum_m c_m u_{j+m}, \quad G(\xi) = \sum_m c_m e^{im\xi}$$

$$\|B\|_{\mathbb{L}_h^2} = \|G\|_{L^\infty[-\pi, \pi]}$$

What does it tell us about finite domain problems?

Answer: in some cases the eigenvalues of the finite  
version of  $B$  (call it  $A$ ) are sampled values of  $G(\xi)$ .

case 1: Dirichlet B.C.'s and  $B$  is real, symmetric, tri-diagonal

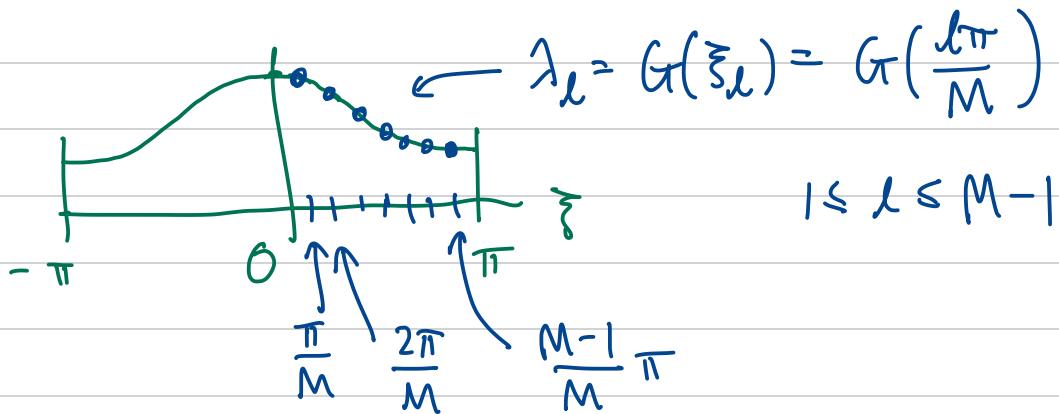


$$A = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta & & & \\ \beta & \alpha & \beta & & \\ & \beta & \alpha & \beta & \\ & & \beta & \alpha & \beta \\ & & & \beta & \alpha \end{pmatrix}_{(M-1) \times (M-1)}$$

Claim: the eigenvalues of  $A$  are the values of  $G(\xi)$

sampled at equal intervals  $\xi_l = \frac{l\pi}{M}$ ,  $1 \leq l \leq M-1$

$$( \text{so } \|A\| = \max_{1 \leq \ell \leq M-1} |\lambda_\ell| \leq \|G\|_\infty = \|B\| )$$



proof: first note that  $G(\xi) = \beta e^{i\xi} + \alpha e^0 + \beta e^{-i\xi} = \alpha + 2\beta \cos \xi$

We know  $w \in \mathbb{C}^\infty$  given by

$$w_j = e^{ij\xi} \quad -\infty < j < \infty \quad (\xi \text{ fixed})$$

satisfies  $Bw_j = G(\xi)w_j$ .

$$\text{Suppose } \xi = \xi_\ell = \frac{\ell\pi}{M}, \quad 1 \leq \ell \leq M-1, \quad w_j = e^{ij\ell\pi/M}$$

We claim  $u \in \mathbb{R}^{M-1}$  given by  $u_j = \text{Im}(w_j) = \sin \frac{j\ell\pi}{M}$

is an eigenvector of  $A$  with eigenvalue  $G(\xi_\ell)$ ,  $1 \leq j \leq M-1$

Use the same formulas for  $j=0, M$

$$A u = \text{Im} \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} B & \begin{matrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \beta & \alpha \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \beta & \alpha \end{matrix} & B \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} w_0 \\ w_1 \\ \vdots \\ w_{M-1} \\ w_M \end{pmatrix} \right\} = \text{Im} \left\{ G(\xi) \begin{pmatrix} w_1 \\ \vdots \\ w_{M-1} \end{pmatrix} \right\} = \underbrace{G(\xi) u}_{\mathcal{A} u}$$

here I use  $\alpha, \beta$  are real, and  $\text{Im } w_0 = \text{Im } w_M = 0$

$\begin{pmatrix} \text{rows } 1..M-1 \\ \text{cols } 0..M \end{pmatrix}$  of  $B$  and  $G(\xi)$  is real

discrete orthogonality lemma (proved below) :

$$\Phi = \sqrt{\frac{2}{M}} \begin{pmatrix} u^{(\lambda=1)}, \dots, u^{(\lambda=M-1)} \end{pmatrix} \text{ satisfies } \Phi^T \Phi = I$$

so the columns of  $\Phi$  are linearly independent and

$$A = \Phi \Lambda \Phi^{-1}, \quad \Lambda = \begin{pmatrix} \gamma_1 & & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & \gamma_{M-1} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \gamma_\lambda = G\left(\frac{\lambda \pi}{M}\right)$$

discrete orthogonality lemma (for sines)

1. Suppose  $M \geq 2$  and  $1 \leq l \leq m \leq M-1$

$$\text{then } \sum_{j=1}^{M-1} \sin \frac{j l \pi}{M} \sin \frac{j m \pi}{M} = \frac{M}{2} \delta_{lm}$$

proof:

$$\text{LHS} = \text{Im} \sum_{j=1}^{M-1} \left( \frac{e^{ijl\pi/M} - e^{-ijl\pi/M}}{2i} e^{ijm\pi/M} \right)$$

⊕

$$= -\frac{1}{2} \text{Re} \sum_{j=1}^{M-1} \left( e^{ij(m+l)\pi/M} - e^{ij(m-l)\pi/M} \right)$$

$$(m+l) + (m-l) = 2m \text{ is even}$$

so  $m+l$  and  $m-l$  are both even or both odd

both odd: This rules out  $m=l$ , so  $1 \leq l < m \leq M-1$

Let  $p = m+l$  or  $p = m-l$ . Then  $p$  is odd  
and  $1 \leq p \leq 2M-3$

$$\text{for } j \in \{1, \dots, M-1\}, e^{i(M-j)p\pi/M} = \underbrace{e^{ip\pi}}_{-1} e^{-ijp\pi/M}$$

$$\text{so } \sum_{j=1}^{M-1} e^{ijp\pi/M} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^{M-1} \left( e^{ip\pi/M} + e^{i(M-j)p\pi/M} \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^{M-1} \left( e^{ip\pi/M} - e^{-ip\pi/M} \right) \text{ is purely imaginary}$$

$(z - \bar{z} = (x+iy) - (x-iy) = 2iy)$

Taking the real part in ⊕ gives  $-\frac{1}{2}(0-0) = 0$ , as claimed for  $m \neq l$ .

both even: we can extend the sum in  $\oplus$  to  $\sum_{j=0}^{M-1}$

since the  $j=0$  term is  $(e^0 - e^0) = (1-1) = 0$

If  $1 \leq p \leq 2M-1$  and  $p$  is even, then

$$\sum_{j=0}^{M-1} e^{ijp\pi/M} = \sum_{j=0}^{M-1} a^j, \quad a = e^{ip\pi/M} \neq 1$$

$$= \frac{1-a^M}{1-a} = \frac{1-e^{ip\pi}}{1-a} = \frac{1-1}{1-a} = 0$$

In  $\oplus$ ,  $m+l$  is even and  $2 \leq m+l \leq 2M-2$

so the first term in the sum gives 0.

$m-l$  is also even and  $0 \leq m-l \leq M \leq 2M-1$ .

$\uparrow$  (we assumed  $m \geq l$ ).

If  $m \neq l$ , then  $1 \leq m-l \leq 2M-1$  and the second term in the sum is also 0.

If  $m=l$ , we instead have

$$\oplus = -\frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Re} \left\{ 0 - \sum_{j=0}^{M-1} e^0 \right\} = \frac{M}{2}$$

In all cases,  $\sum_{j=1}^{M-1} \sin \frac{jl\pi}{M} \sin \frac{jm\pi}{M} = \frac{M}{2} \delta_{lm}$