

Indian Statistical Institute, Bangalore

M. Math. II Year, First Semester

Mid-Sem Examination

Fourier Analysis

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Maximum marks you can get is 40. Part A with 20 marks is compulsory. So max marks you can get in parts B is 20.

Notation For any function f , the fourier transform of f is denoted by \widehat{f}

PART - A

1. Let $f_1(x) = (1 - x^2)e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}}$.
Show that $\int dt \frac{|\widehat{f}_1(t)|^2}{|t|} < \infty$. [2]
2. Let $g \in L^2(\mathbb{R})$ be given by $\widehat{g}(t) = \chi_{[\pi, 2\pi]}^{(|t|)} e^{it/2}$. Show that the family $\{g(2^p t - r) : p, r \text{ are integers}\}$ is a complete family in the Hilbert space $L^2(\mathbb{R})$. [4]
3. Let $SL^2(n, j)$, be the L^2 spline functions of order n on standard intervals of length 2^{-j} , given by $SL^2(n, j) = \{f \in L^2(\mathbb{R}) : f \in C^{n-1}(\mathbb{R}), \text{ and on } [r2^{-j}, (r+1)2^{-j}] \text{ is a polynomial of degree } \leq n \text{ for each integer } r\}$.
Here j is an integer. Show that $\bigcap_{j=-\infty}^{\infty} SL^2(n, j) = 0$. [3]
4. Calculate the Fourier transform of the following functions.
 - a) $f_1(t) = e^{-t}$ for $t \geq 0, 0$ for $t \leq 0$
 - b) $f_2(t) = e^t$ for $t \leq 0, 0$ for $t > 0$
 - c) $e^{-|t|}$
 - d) Let $f(t) = f_1(t) - f_2(t)$. Find $\lim_{\delta \rightarrow 0} [f(\delta)]^\wedge(\xi)$
 - e) Give $g \in L'(\mathbb{R})$ such that \widehat{g} is not in $L'(\mathbb{R})$ and prove your claim. [5]
5. a) Show that
$$\sup_{|y| \leq a} \int_{|x| \geq 2a} \left| \frac{1}{x-y} - \frac{1}{x} \right| dx \leq \frac{k}{2a}$$
 for some constant k , independent of $a > 0$. [3]

6. Let $\psi \in L^2(\mathbb{R}) \cap L'(\mathbb{R})$, $f \in L^2(\mathbb{R})$. Define $\psi_{a,b}(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{a}} \psi[\frac{t-b}{a}]$. For $a > 0$, b real. Show that $\int db e^{-itb} \langle f, \psi_{a,b} \rangle$
 $= k \sqrt{a} \widehat{f}(t) \overline{\widehat{\psi}(at)}$
for some constant k independent of f . [3]

PART - B

7. Let $f_2 \in L' \cap L^2(\mathbb{R})$, $\text{supp } f_2$ bounded and $\int f_2 = 0$. Show that
 $\int dt \frac{|\widehat{f_2}(t)|^2}{|t|} < \infty$. [2]
8. Let $f, Qf \in L'(r)$ where $(Qf)(x) = xf(x)$. Show that \widehat{f} is a differentiable function. Find a relation between derivative of \widehat{f} and $(Qf)\widehat{f}$ and prove your claim. [3]
9. Let $f \in L'(R)$ and continuous. Show that
 $\liminf |f(t)| = 0$
 $|t| \rightarrow \infty$ [3]
10. Let $f, f' \in L'(R)$. Find a relation between $Q\widehat{f}$ and \widehat{f}' and prove your claim. [2]
11. Let $B_0 = \chi_{[0,1]}$, the indicator function of the interval $[0, 1]$. Show that $B_n = B_0 * B_0 * \dots * B_0$, convolution of B_0 , $n + 1$ times, is in $C^{n-1}(R)$ and B_n is a polynomial of degree $\leq n$ on each interval $[j, j + 1]$ for j any integer. [3]
12. Let $f \in L'(R)$ with $\int f(t)dt = 0$ and $\text{supp } f \subset [-a, a]$ for some $a > 0$. Let H be the Hilbert transform of f . show that $\int_{|t| \geq 2a} |H(f)(t)| dt \leq K \|f\|_1$.
for some constant K independent of f . [3]
13. Let $f \in L'(R)$, $f \geq 0$, and $\lambda > 0$. State and prove Calderon Zygmund decomposition for f at level λ . [5]
14. Let $f \in C'[0, 2\pi]$ with $f(0) = f(2\pi)$. Let $S_n(f)$ be the fourier series associated with f . Show that $\|S_n(f) - f\|_\infty \rightarrow 0$ as $n \rightarrow \infty$. [3]
15. Let $f \in L'(R)$ with bounded support. State Paley-Wiener theorem for \widehat{f} . [2]