

Assignment-1, Fourier Integral and Fourier Transform

(Based on Fourier Integral)

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1. Find the (a) Fourier Cosine integral and (b) Fourier sine integral representation of  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \sin x, & 0 \leq x \leq \pi \\ 0, & x > \pi \end{cases}$

2. Using Fourier integral representation, show that  $\int_0^\infty \frac{\cos x\lambda + \lambda \sin x\lambda}{1 + \lambda^2} d\lambda = \begin{cases} 0, & x < 0 \\ \frac{\pi}{2}, & x = 0 \\ \pi e^{-x}, & x > 0 \end{cases}$

3. Using Fourier sine integral show that  $\int_0^\infty \frac{1 - \cos \pi\lambda}{\lambda} \sin x\lambda d\lambda = \begin{cases} \frac{\pi}{2}, & 0 < x < \pi \\ 0, & x > \pi \end{cases}$

4. Find the Fourier integral representation of the function  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 2, & |x| < 2 \\ 0, & |x| > 2 \end{cases}$

5. Prove that  $\int_0^\infty \frac{\cos x\lambda}{1 + \lambda^2} d\lambda = \frac{\pi}{2} e^{-x}; \quad x \geq 0.$

6. Find the (a) Fourier Cosine integral and (b) Fourier sine integral representation of  $f(x) = \begin{cases} e^x; & 0 < x < 1 \\ 0, & x > 1 \end{cases}$

7. Find the Fourier integral representation of  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \cos x; & -\frac{\pi}{2} < x < \frac{\pi}{2} \\ 0, & |x| > \frac{\pi}{2} \end{cases}$

8. Find the Fourier cosine integral of  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x; & 0 < x < a \\ 0, & |x| > a \end{cases}$

(Based on Fourier Transform)

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1. Find the Fourier Transform of  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & |x| < 1 \\ 0, & |x| > 1 \end{cases}$ . Hence evaluate  $\int_0^\infty \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$ .

2. Find the Fourier Transform of  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 - x^2, & |x| \leq 1 \\ 0, & |x| > 1 \end{cases}$ . Hence evaluate  $\int_0^\infty \frac{x \cos x - \sin x}{x^3} \cos \frac{x}{2} dx$ .

3. Find the Fourier transform of  $e^{-a^2 x^2}$ ,  $a > 0$ . deduce that  $e^{-x^2/2}$  self reciprocal in respect of Fourier transform.

4. Find the Fourier cosine transform of  $e^{-x^2}$ .

5. Find the Fourier sine transform of  $e^{|x|}$ . Hence show that  $\int_0^\infty \frac{x \sin mx}{1 + x^2} dx = \frac{\pi e^{-m}}{2}$ ,  $m > 0$ .

6. Find the Fourier cosine transform of  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x; & 0 < x < 1 \\ 2 - x; & 1 < x < 2 \\ 0; & x > 2 \end{cases}$

7. Find the Fourier sine transform of  $\frac{e^{-ax}}{x}$ .

8. Find the Fourier sine and cosine transform of  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1; & 0 < x < a \\ 0, & x > a \end{cases}$

9. Find the Fourier transform of  $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2; & |x| < a \\ 0, & |x| > a \end{cases}$

## ASSIGNMENT 1.

→ (Based on Fourier Transform)

Ex: 1 Find the Fourier transform of  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & |x| < 1 \\ 0, & |x| \geq 1 \end{cases}$

Hence evaluate  $\int_0^\infty \frac{\sin x}{x} dx$

Soln: The Fourier transform is

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(s) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) e^{ist} dt \\
 &= \int_{-\infty}^{-1} 0 \cdot e^{ist} dt + \int_{-1}^1 1 \cdot e^{ist} dt + \int_{1}^{\infty} 0 \cdot e^{ist} dt \\
 &= \int_{-1}^1 e^{ist} dt \\
 &= \left[ \frac{e^{ist}}{is} \right]_{-1}^1 = \left[ \frac{e^{is}}{is} - \frac{e^{-is}}{is} \right] \\
 &= \frac{e^{is} - e^{-is}}{is} = \frac{e^{is} - e^{-is}}{2s} \times \frac{2}{2} = \frac{2}{s} \sin s \quad \rightarrow (1)
 \end{aligned}$$

Now from inverse F.T of  $f(s)$  is

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(s) e^{-isx} ds \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{2}{s} \sin s e^{-isx} ds \\
 &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin s}{s} e^{-isx} dx
 \end{aligned}$$

Putting  $s=0$  then

$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin s}{s} ds \quad \therefore f(x) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx \\
 &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx \quad (\because \frac{\sin x}{x} \text{ is an even function}) \\
 \therefore \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx &= \frac{\pi}{2} f(x)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{\pi}{2} & ; |x| \leq 1 \\ 0 & ; |x| > 1 \end{cases}$$

Ex: 2 find the fourier transform of  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1-x^2, & |x| \leq 1 \\ 0, & |x| > 1 \end{cases}$

Hence evaluate  $\int_0^\infty x \frac{\cos x - \sin x}{x^2} \cos \frac{\pi}{2} dx$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{soln:- } f(s) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) e^{ist} dt \\ &= \int_{-\infty}^{-1} 0 dt + \int_{-1}^1 (1-t^2) e^{ist} dt + \int_1^{\infty} 0 dt \\ &= \int_{-1}^1 (1-t^2) e^{ist} dt \\ &= \left[ (1-t^2) \frac{e^{ist}}{is} - (-2t) \left( \frac{e^{ist}}{(is)^2} \right) + (-2) \left( \frac{e^{ist}}{(is)^3} \right) \right]_{-1}^1 \\ &= \left[ \left\{ 0 - (-2 \cdot 1) \frac{e^{is}}{2^2 s^2} + (-2) \frac{e^{is}}{2^3 s^3} \right\} - \left\{ 0 - (-2)(-1) \frac{e^{-is}}{2^2 s^2} + (-2) \frac{e^{-is}}{2^3 s^3} \right\} \right] \\ &= \left[ -2 \frac{e^{is}}{s^2} + \frac{2e^{is}}{is^3} - 2 \frac{e^{-is}}{s^2} - \frac{2e^{-is}}{is^3} \right] \\ &= \left[ -\frac{2}{s^2} (e^{is} + e^{-is}) + \frac{2}{is^3} (e^{is} - e^{-is}) \right] \\ &= -\frac{4}{s^2} \left( \frac{e^{is} + e^{-is}}{2} \right) + \frac{4}{is^3} \left( \frac{e^{is} - e^{-is}}{2} \right) \\ &= -\frac{4}{s^2} \cos s + \frac{4}{is^3} \sin s \\ &= -\frac{4}{s^3} (s \cos s - \sin s) \quad (\because a \cdot 2i(-i)) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now by inverse F.T } f(x) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(s) e^{isx} ds \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} -\frac{4}{s^3} (s \cos s - \sin s) e^{-isx} ds = f(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$= \begin{cases} 1-x^2; & |x| \leq 1 \\ 0; & |x| > 1 \end{cases}$$

Putting  $\omega = 1/2$ ; then

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} -\frac{4}{s^3} (\cos s - \sin s) e^{-\frac{is}{2}} ds = 1 - \frac{1}{4} = 3/4$$

$$+ \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{s \cos s - \sin s}{s^3} (\cos \frac{s}{2} + \sin \frac{s}{2}) ds = 3/4$$

$$(\because e^{i\theta} = \cos \theta + i \sin \theta)$$

$$\therefore \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{s \cos s - \sin s}{s^3} \cdot \cos \frac{s}{2} + \frac{s \cos s - \sin s}{s^3} \sin \frac{s}{2} \right] ds = -\frac{3\pi}{8}$$

$$(\because (x,y) = \omega + iy)$$

$\therefore$  Equating real & imaginary part both side we get

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{s \cos s - \sin s}{s^3} \cdot \cos \frac{s}{2} ds = -\frac{3\pi}{8}$$

$$\therefore 2 \int_0^{\infty} \frac{s \cos s - \sin s}{s^3} \cos \frac{s}{2} ds = -\frac{3\pi}{8}$$

$$\therefore \int_0^{\infty} \frac{s \cos s - \sin s}{s^3} \cos \frac{s}{2} ds = -\frac{3\pi}{16}$$

$$(\because \frac{s \cos s - \sin s}{s^3} \cos \frac{s}{2} \text{ is even fn.})$$

Q13 find the fourier transform of  $e^{-a^2 x^2}$ ,  $a > 0$ . deduce that  $e^{-\alpha^2/2}$  self reciprocal in respect of fourier transform.

$$\text{Soln: } F(\lambda) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-a^2 v^2} e^{-i\lambda v} dv$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\left(\lambda v - \frac{i\lambda}{2a}\right)^2} e^{-\frac{a^2}{4a^2}} dv$$

$$= \frac{e^{-\frac{\lambda^2}{4a^2}}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-(av - \frac{\lambda t}{2a})^2} dv \quad \text{Putting } av - \frac{\lambda t}{2a} = t$$

$$= \frac{e^{-\frac{\lambda^2}{4a^2}}}{a\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-t^2} dt$$

$$= \frac{e^{-\frac{\lambda^2}{4a^2}}}{a\sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot \sqrt{\pi}, \quad \text{since } \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-t^2} dt = \sqrt{\pi}$$

$$\therefore F(\lambda) = \frac{e^{-\frac{\lambda^2}{4a^2}}}{a\sqrt{2}}$$

(2) Replace  $a^2$  by  $\lambda^2$  in (1).

$$(3) \text{ If } a = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \text{ in (1) we get } f(e^{-\frac{\lambda^2}{2}}) = e^{-\frac{\lambda^2}{2}} = e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}} \quad (\because \text{Replacing } \lambda = x)$$

We have shown above that  $e^{-\frac{x^2}{2}}$  is self-reciprocal under Fourier transform.

$\therefore$  Defn of self-reciprocal :- If the transform of  $f(x)$  is  $f(\lambda)$ , the function  $f(x)$  is called self-reciprocal.

Q4) find the Fourier cosine transform of  $e^{-x^2}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Soln:- } F_c(\lambda) &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x^2} \cos \lambda x dx \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left[ \frac{e^{-x^2}}{1+\lambda^2} (-\cos \lambda x + \lambda \sin \lambda x) \right]_0^{\infty} \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left[ \left\{ \frac{e^{-\infty}}{1+\lambda^2} (-\cos \lambda \infty + \lambda \sin \lambda \infty) \right\} - \left\{ \frac{e^0}{1+\lambda^2} (-\cos \lambda 0 + \lambda \sin \lambda 0) \right\} \right] \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left[ \left\{ 0 \right\} + \left\{ \frac{1}{1+\lambda^2} + 0 \right\} \right] \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left( \frac{1}{1+\lambda^2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Ex. ⑤ find the fourier sine transform of  $e^{ix}$ . Hence show that  $\int_0^\infty \frac{x \sin mx}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\pi e^{-m}}{2}$ ,  $m > 0$

Soln :- The fourier sine transform is

$$f_s(s) = \int_0^\infty f(x) \sin sx dx \quad \text{--- ①}$$

$x$  being the variable in the integral  $(0, \infty)$

$$\text{So, } e^{-|x|} = e^{-x} \quad \therefore \text{ from ①}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_s(s) &= \int_0^\infty e^{-x} \sin sx dx \\ &= \left[ \frac{e^{-x}}{(s-1)^2 + s^2} (-\sin sx - s \cos sx) \right]_0^\infty \\ &= \left[ \left\{ \frac{d}{ds} \left\{ \frac{1}{1+s^2} \right\} (0-s) \right\} \right] = \frac{s}{1+s^2} \quad \text{--- ②} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Now } f(x) &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\infty f_s(s) \sin sx ds \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \frac{s}{1+s^2} \sin sx ds \\ \therefore &= \int_0^\infty \frac{s \sin sx}{1+s^2} ds = \frac{\pi}{2} f(x) = \frac{\pi}{2} e^{-x} \end{aligned}$$

Changing from  $x$  to  $m$

$$\therefore \int_0^\infty \frac{s \sin sm}{1+s^2} ds = \frac{\pi}{2} e^{-m} \quad \text{and changing } s \text{ to } x$$

$$\therefore \int_0^\infty \frac{x \sin mx}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{2} e^{-m}$$

Ex: 6 find the fourier cosine transform of

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x & ; 0 < x < 1 \\ 2-x & ; 1 < x < 2 \\ 0 & ; x > 2 \end{cases}$$

$$f_c(s) = \int_0^{\infty} f(t) \cos st dt$$

$$= \int_0^1 x \cos st dx + \int_1^2 (2-x) \cos st dx + \int_2^{\infty} 0 \cos st dx$$

$$= \left[ x \left( \frac{\sin st}{s} \right) - (-1) \left( -\frac{\cos st}{s^2} \right) \right]_0^1 + \left[ (2-x) \left( \frac{\sin st}{s} \right) - (-1) \left( -\frac{\cos st}{s^2} \right) \right]_1^2 + \dots$$

$$= \left[ \left\{ \frac{\sin s}{s} + \frac{\cos s}{s^2} \right\} - \left\{ 0 + \frac{1}{s^2} \right\} \right] + \left[ \left\{ 0 - \frac{\cos 2s}{s^2} \right\} - \left\{ \left( \frac{\sin s}{s} \right) - \frac{\cos s}{s^2} \right\} \right]$$

$$= \cancel{\frac{\sin s}{s}} + \frac{\cos s}{s^2} - \frac{1}{s^2} - \frac{\cos 2s}{s^2} - \cancel{\frac{\sin s}{s}} + \frac{\cos s}{s^2}$$

$$= \frac{2 \cos s}{s^2} - \frac{\cos 2s}{s^2} - \frac{1}{s^2}$$

Ex: 7 find the fourier sine transform of  $\frac{e^{-ax}}{x}$ .

$$\text{Soln: } f_s(s) = \int_0^{\infty} f(x) \sin sx dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} \frac{e^{-ax}}{x} \sin sx dx = f(s) \text{ say} \quad \dots \quad (1)$$

Diff. eqn (1) with r. t. s both side.

$$\frac{dF}{ds} = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{d}{ds} \left( \frac{e^{-ax}}{x} \sin sx \right) dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} \frac{e^{-ax}}{x} (x \cos sx) dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} e^{-ax} \cos sx dx$$

$$= \left[ \frac{e^{-ax}}{(a^2+s^2)} (-a \cos sx + s \sin sx) \right]_0^\infty$$

$$= \left[ 0 - \left\{ \frac{1}{a^2+s^2} (-a(1) + s(0)) \right\} \right]$$

$$\frac{dF}{ds} = \frac{a}{s^2+a^2} \quad \text{Int. both sides w.r.t. } s, \text{ we get}$$

$$\therefore F = \int \frac{a}{s^2+a^2} ds + c$$

$$= a \int \frac{1}{s^2+a^2} ds + c$$

$$= a \frac{1}{a} \tan^{-1} s/a + c$$

$$f(s) = \tan^{-1} s/a + c \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Taking  $s=0$  in (1)

$\therefore f(s) = 0$ , Also  $f(s) = 0$  when  $s=0$

$$\therefore c=0$$

$\therefore$  From (2)  $f(s) = \tan^{-1} s/a$



Q18. find the fourier sine and cosine transform of

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 < x < 9 \\ 0 & x > 9 \end{cases}$$

Soln:- from the definitions of cosine and sine transform of  $f(x)$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} f_c(\lambda) &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} f(x) \cos \lambda x \, dx \quad (\because \text{cosine formula}) \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left[ \int_0^9 1 \cdot \cos \lambda x \, dx + \int_9^{\infty} 0 \cdot \cos \lambda x \, dx \right] \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^9 \cos \lambda x \, dx \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left[ \frac{\sin \lambda x}{\lambda} \right]_0^9 = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} = \left[ \frac{\sin \lambda 9}{\lambda} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} f_s(\lambda) &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^{\infty} f(x) \sin \lambda x \, dx. \quad (\because \text{sine formula}) \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \int_0^9 1 \cdot \sin \lambda x \, dx \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left[ -\frac{\cos \lambda x}{\lambda} \right]_0^9 \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left[ -\left\{ \frac{\cos \lambda 9}{\lambda} \right\} - \left\{ \frac{\cos \lambda 0}{\lambda} \right\} \right] \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left[ -\frac{\cos \lambda 9}{\lambda} + 1 \right] \\ &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left[ \frac{1 - \cos \lambda 9}{\lambda} \right] \end{aligned}$$