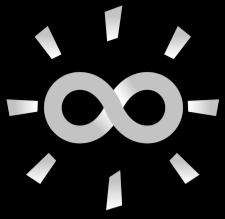


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Fourier Series

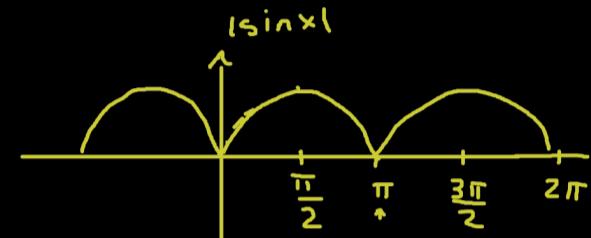
Exercises 1

Exercise 1. Compute the Fourier series of $f(x) = |\sin(x)|$.

$$f(x) \approx \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_k \cos(k\omega x) + b_k \sin(k\omega x)) \quad \omega = \frac{2\pi}{T}$$

$$a_k = \frac{2}{T} \int_0^T f(x) \cos(k\omega x) dx, \quad k \geq 0$$

$$b_k = \frac{2}{T} \int_0^T f(x) \sin(k\omega x) dx, \quad k \geq 1$$



→ even : $b_k = 0$

$$\frac{a_0}{2} = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \sin(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} (-\cos(\pi) + \cos(0)) = \frac{2}{\pi} \quad T = \pi \quad \omega = \frac{2\pi}{\pi} = 2$$

$$a_k = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \sin(x) \cos(2kx) dx$$

$$\int \sin(x) \cos(2kx) dx = -\cos(x) \cos(2kx) - 2k \int \cos(x) \sin(2kx) dx$$

$$\begin{aligned} f'(x) &= \sin(x) & g'(x) &= \cos(2kx) \\ f(x) &= -\cos(x) & g(x) &= \sin(2kx) \\ f'(x) &= -\sin(x) & g'(x) &= -\sin(2kx) 2k \end{aligned}$$

$$\int \sin(x) \cos(2kx) dx = -\cos(x) \cos(2kx) - 2k \left(\sin(x) \sin(2kx) - 2k \int \sin(x) \cos(2kx) dx \right)$$

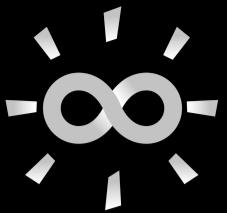
$$(1 - 4k^2) \int_0^\pi \sin(x) \cos(2kx) dx = (-\cos(x) \cos(2kx) - 2k \sin(x) \sin(2kx)) \Big|_0^\pi$$

$$\int_0^\pi \sin(x) \cos(2kx) dx = \frac{1}{1-4k^2} \left(-(-1)(1) - (-1)(1) \right) = \frac{2}{1-4k^2}$$

$$a_k = \frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{2}{1-4k^2}, \quad k \geq 1, \quad a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi}, \quad b_k = 0$$

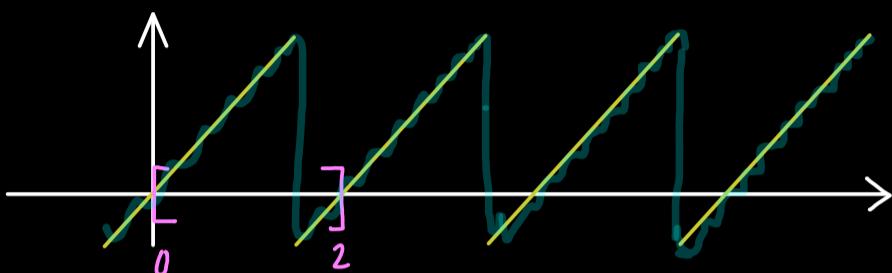
$$f(x) \approx \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (a_k \cos(k\omega x) + b_k \sin(k\omega x))$$

$$|\sin(x)| \approx \frac{2}{\pi} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{\pi(1-4k^2)} \cos(2kx)$$

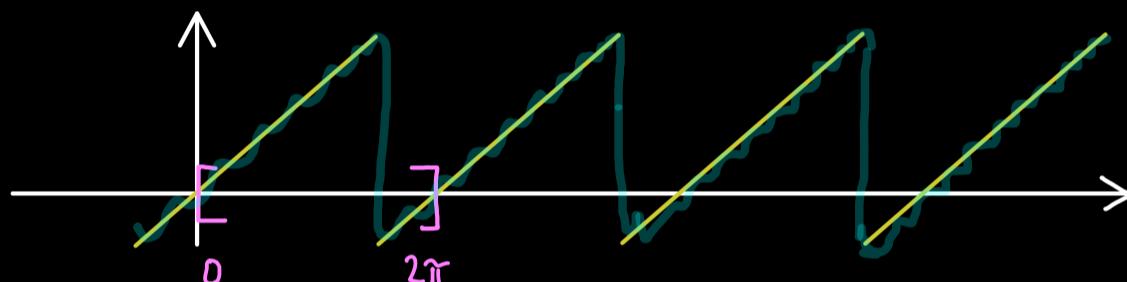


Fourier Transform - Part 2

Idea of Fourier series:



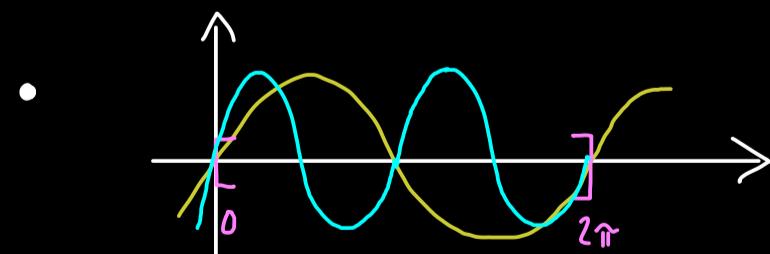
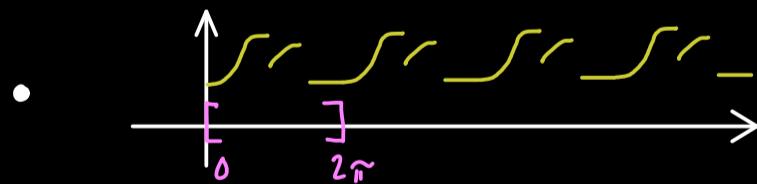
The function is 2-periodic: $f(x+2) = f(x)$ for all $x \in \mathbb{R}$



$$\mathcal{F}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R}) = \left\{ f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R} \mid f(x+2\pi) = f(x) \text{ for all } x \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

↪ real vector space

Example: • constant function $f(x) = 5$



$$x \mapsto \sin(x)$$

$$x \mapsto \sin(2x)$$

Proposition: $\mathcal{U} \subseteq \mathcal{F}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R})$ given by

$$\mathcal{U} := \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x \mapsto \sin(x), \quad x \mapsto \sin(2x), \quad x \mapsto \sin(3x), \dots, \\ x \mapsto 1, \quad x \mapsto \cos(x), \quad x \mapsto \cos(2x), \quad x \mapsto \cos(3x), \dots \end{array} \right\}$$

odd functions
even functions

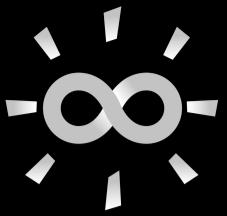
is linearly independent.

Definition: A linear combination $f \in \text{Span}(\mathcal{U})$, $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, is called (real) trigonometric polynomial:

$$f(x) = a_0 + \sum_{k=1}^n a_k \cdot \cos(k \cdot x) + \sum_{k=1}^n b_k \cdot \sin(k \cdot x), \quad a_i, b_i \in \mathbb{R}$$

For $\mathcal{F}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$, we have a (complex) trigonometric polynomial:

$$f(x) = \sum_{k=-n}^n c_k \cdot \exp(i \cdot k \cdot x), \quad c_k \in \mathbb{C}$$



Fourier Transform - Part 3

In $\mathcal{F}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{R})$, we have (real) trigonometric polynomials:

$$f(x) = a_0 + \sum_{k=1}^n a_k \cdot \cos(k \cdot x) + \sum_{k=1}^n b_k \cdot \sin(k \cdot x), \quad a_i, b_i \in \mathbb{R}$$

Subspace: $\mathcal{P}_{2\pi\text{-per}} := \text{Span} \left(x \mapsto 1, x \mapsto \cos(x), x \mapsto \cos(2x), x \mapsto \cos(3x), \dots, x \mapsto \sin(x), x \mapsto \sin(2x), x \mapsto \sin(3x), \dots \right)$

basis!

Definition: For $f, g \in \mathcal{P}_{2\pi\text{-per}}$, we define an inner product:

$$\langle f, g \rangle := \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) g(x) dx$$

Example: $\langle x \mapsto 1, x \mapsto 1 \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} 1 dx = 1$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle x \mapsto \cos(x), x \mapsto \sin(x) \rangle &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(x) \sin(x) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\frac{1}{2} (\sin(x))^2 \Big|_{-\pi}^{\pi} \right) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\langle x \mapsto \cos(k \cdot x), x \mapsto \sin(m \cdot x) \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \underbrace{\cos(k \cdot x) \sin(m \cdot x)}_{\text{odd function}} dx = 0$$

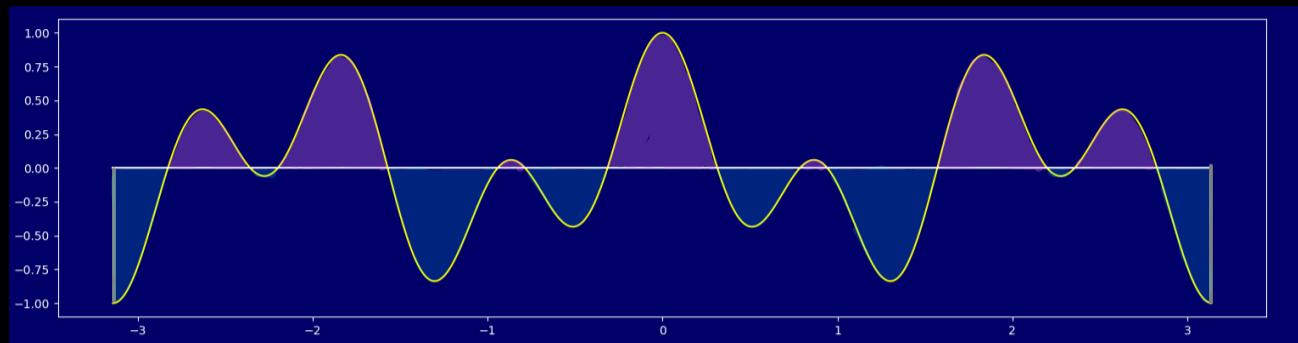
$$\langle x \mapsto 1, x \mapsto \cos(k \cdot x) \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(k \cdot x) dx = \frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{1}{k} \sin(k \cdot x) \Big|_{-\pi}^{\pi} = 0$$

$$\langle x \mapsto 1, x \mapsto \sin(m \cdot x) \rangle = 0$$

$$\langle x \mapsto \cos(kx), x \mapsto \cos(mx) \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(kx) \cos(mx) dx$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{if } k \neq m$$

$$\text{Use: } \cos(x) = \frac{1}{2} (e^{ix} + e^{-ix})$$



$$\text{Then: } \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(kx) \cos(mx) dx = \frac{1}{4} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left(e^{i(k+m)x} + e^{-i(k+m)x} + e^{i(k-m)x} + e^{-i(k-m)x} \right) dx$$

$$\stackrel{k \neq m}{=} \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{1}{i(k+m)} e^{i(k+m)x} + \frac{1}{-i(k+m)} e^{-i(k+m)x} + \frac{1}{i(k-m)} e^{i(k-m)x} + \frac{1}{-i(k-m)} e^{-i(k-m)x} \right) \Big|_{-\pi}^{\pi}$$

$$\text{Use: } \sin(x) = \frac{1}{2i} (e^{ix} - e^{-ix})$$

$$= \frac{1}{i} \left(\frac{1}{k+m} \sin((k+m)x) + \frac{1}{k-m} \sin((k-m)x) \right) \Big|_{-\pi}^{\pi} = 0$$

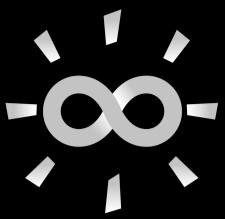
$$\text{And similarly: } \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(kx) \sin(mx) dx \stackrel{k \neq m}{=} 0$$

$$\text{Result: } \mathcal{B} = \left(x \mapsto 1, x \mapsto \cos(x), x \mapsto \cos(2x), x \mapsto \cos(3x), \dots, x \mapsto \sin(x), x \mapsto \sin(2x), x \mapsto \sin(3x), \dots \right)$$

$$\text{satisfies } \langle f, g \rangle = 0 \quad f \neq g, \quad f, g \in \mathcal{B}$$

$\rightsquigarrow \mathcal{B}$ orthogonal basis (OB)

\rightsquigarrow make to orthonormal basis (ONB)



Fourier Transform - Part 4

We already know: we have an orthogonal basis (OB)

$$\mathcal{B} = \left(x \mapsto 1, x \mapsto \cos(x), x \mapsto \cos(2x), x \mapsto \cos(3x), \dots, x \mapsto \sin(x), x \mapsto \sin(2x), x \mapsto \sin(3x), \dots \right)$$

for $P_{2\pi\text{-per}}$ with inner product $\langle f, g \rangle_1 := \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) g(x) dx$

Normalize: $\langle x \mapsto \sin(kx), x \mapsto \sin(kx) \rangle_1 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\sin(kx))^2 dx$ ↑

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\sin(kx))^2 dx = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \underbrace{\sin(kx)}_u \underbrace{\sin(kx)}_v dx = \sin(kx) \left(-\frac{1}{k} \cos(kx)\right) \Big|_{-\pi}^{\pi} - \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} k \cos(kx) \left(-\frac{1}{k} \cos(kx)\right) dx$$

integration by parts: $u' = k \cos(kx)$ $v = -\frac{1}{k} \cos(kx)$

$$= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\cos(kx))^2 dx = \underbrace{\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} 1 dx}_{1 - (\sin(kx))^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \cdot \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\sin(kx))^2 dx = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} 1 dx = 2\pi$$

$$\langle x \mapsto \sin(kx), x \mapsto \sin(kx) \rangle_1 = \frac{1}{2} \quad \leadsto \text{length} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

Hence: $x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \cdot \sin(kx)$ has norm 1

Proposition: (1) $\mathcal{B} = \left(x \mapsto 1, x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \cos(x), x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \cos(2x), x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \cos(3x), \dots, x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \sin(x), x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \sin(2x), x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \sin(3x), \dots \right)$

is an ONB w.r.t. the inner product: $\langle f, g \rangle_1 := \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) g(x) dx$

(2)

$$\mathcal{B} = \left(x \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}}, x \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cos(x), x \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cos(2x), x \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cos(3x), \dots, x \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sin(x), x \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sin(2x), x \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \sin(3x), \dots \right)$$

is an ONB w.r.t. the inner product: $\langle f, g \rangle_2 := \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) g(x) dx$

(3)

$$\mathcal{B} = \left(x \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, x \mapsto \cos(x), x \mapsto \cos(2x), x \mapsto \cos(3x), \dots, x \mapsto \sin(x), x \mapsto \sin(2x), x \mapsto \sin(3x), \dots \right)$$

is an ONB w.r.t. the inner product: $\langle f, g \rangle_3 := \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) g(x) dx$

For trigonometric polynomials:

$$f(x) = \tilde{a}_0 \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \sum_{k=1}^n a_k \cos(kx) + \sum_{k=1}^n b_k \sin(kx), \quad a_i, b_i \in \mathbb{R}$$

↑ ↑
Fourier coefficients w.r.t. ONB in (3)

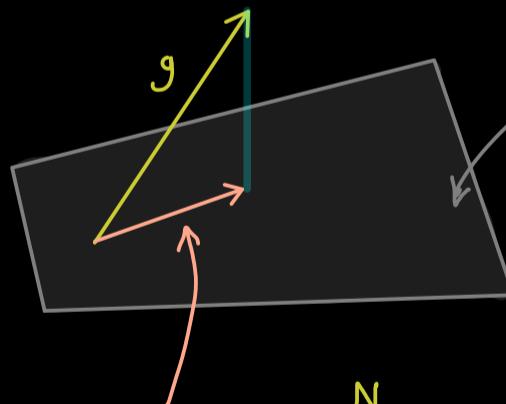
$$a_k = \langle x \mapsto \cos(kx), f \rangle_3, \quad \tilde{a}_0 = \langle x \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, f \rangle_3$$

$$b_k = \langle x \mapsto \sin(kx), f \rangle_3$$

Approximation of periodic functions?

$$g : \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$\mathbb{Z}\pi$ -periodic + "integrable"

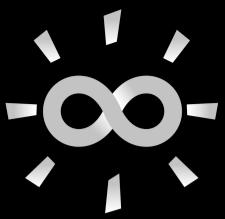


trigonometric polynomials
with basis:

$$\mathcal{B} = (h_1, h_2, \dots, h_N)$$

ONB!

$$\text{orthogonal projection} = \sum_{k=1}^N h_k \langle h_k, g \rangle$$



Fourier Transform - Part 5

$$\mathcal{F}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) = \left\{ f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \mid f(x+2\pi) = f(x) \text{ for all } x \in \mathbb{R} \right\}$$

$$\mathcal{P}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) := \text{span} \left(x \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, x \mapsto \cos(x), x \mapsto \cos(2x), x \mapsto \cos(3x), \dots, x \mapsto \sin(x), x \mapsto \sin(2x), x \mapsto \sin(3x), \dots \right)$$

$$\hookrightarrow \text{inner product } \langle f, g \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \overline{f(x)} g(x) dx$$

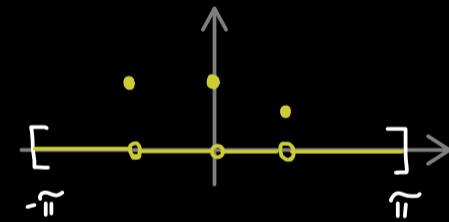
Let's take integrable functions:

$$\mathcal{L}^1_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) = \left\{ f \in \mathcal{F}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) \mid \underbrace{\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |f(x)| dx}_{f \text{ integrable with respect to Lebesgue measure on } [-\pi, \pi]} < \infty \right\}$$

↓
complex vector space

norm? $\|f\|_1 := \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |f(x)| dx$ problem:

\hookrightarrow not a norm on $\mathcal{L}^1_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$



solution: equivalence relation $f \sim g : \Leftrightarrow \|f - g\|_1 = 0$

set of all equivalence classes: $L^1_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) := \mathcal{L}^1_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) / \sim$

$$\|[f]\|_1 := \|f\|_1$$

\hookrightarrow norm!

complex vector space

identify: $L^1_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) \supseteq \mathcal{P}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$

Let's take square-integrable functions:

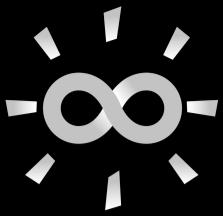
$$\mathcal{L}^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) = \left\{ f \in \mathcal{F}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) \mid \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |f(x)|^2 dx < \infty \right\}$$

norm? $\|f\|_2 := \sqrt{\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |f(x)|^2 dx}$

solution: equivalence relation $f \sim g : \Leftrightarrow \|f - g\|_2 = 0$

set of all equivalence classes: $L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) := \mathcal{L}^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) / \sim$

↪ complex vector space with inner product



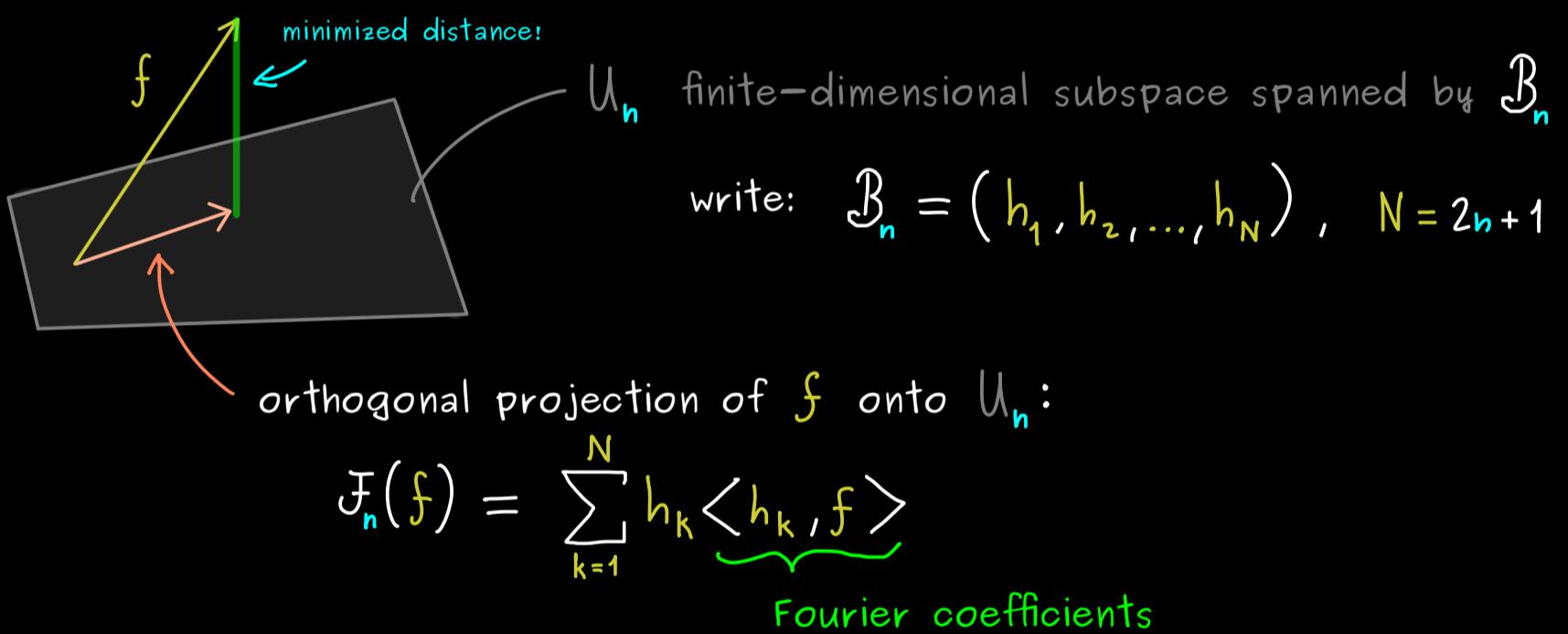
Fourier Transform - Part 6

We know: $L^1_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) \supseteq L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) \supseteq \mathcal{P}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$

$$\text{inner product: } \langle f, g \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \overline{f(x)} \cdot g(x) dx$$

Orthogonality: $\mathcal{B}_n = \left(x \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, x \mapsto \cos(x), x \mapsto \cos(2x), \dots, x \mapsto \cos(nx), x \mapsto \sin(x), x \mapsto \sin(2x), x \mapsto \sin(3x), \dots, x \mapsto \sin(nx) \right)$

ONS in $L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$ for every $n \in \mathbb{N}$



$$\mathcal{F}_n(f) = \sum_{k=1}^N h_k \underbrace{\langle h_k, f \rangle}_{\text{Fourier coefficients}}$$

Definition: $\mathcal{F}_n(f)(x) = \tilde{a}_0 \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \sum_{k=1}^n a_k \cdot \cos(k \cdot x) + \sum_{k=1}^n b_k \cdot \sin(k \cdot x)$

$$\text{with } \tilde{a}_0 = \langle x \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, f \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} f(x) dx$$

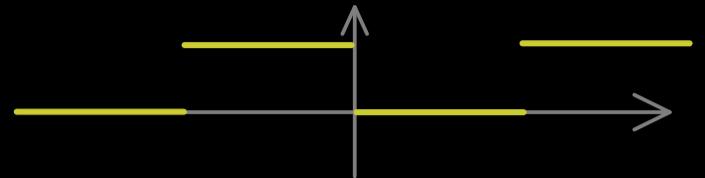
$$a_k = \langle x \mapsto \cos(k \cdot x), f \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(k \cdot x) f(x) dx$$

$$b_k = \langle x \mapsto \sin(k \cdot x), f \rangle = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(k \cdot x) f(x) dx$$

The map $n \mapsto \mathcal{F}_n(f)(x)$ (with $x \in \mathbb{R}$)

is called the Fourier series of $f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$ can be extended to $f \in L^1_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$

Example: $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$, $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x \in (-\pi, 0) \\ 0, & x \in [0, \pi] \end{cases}$



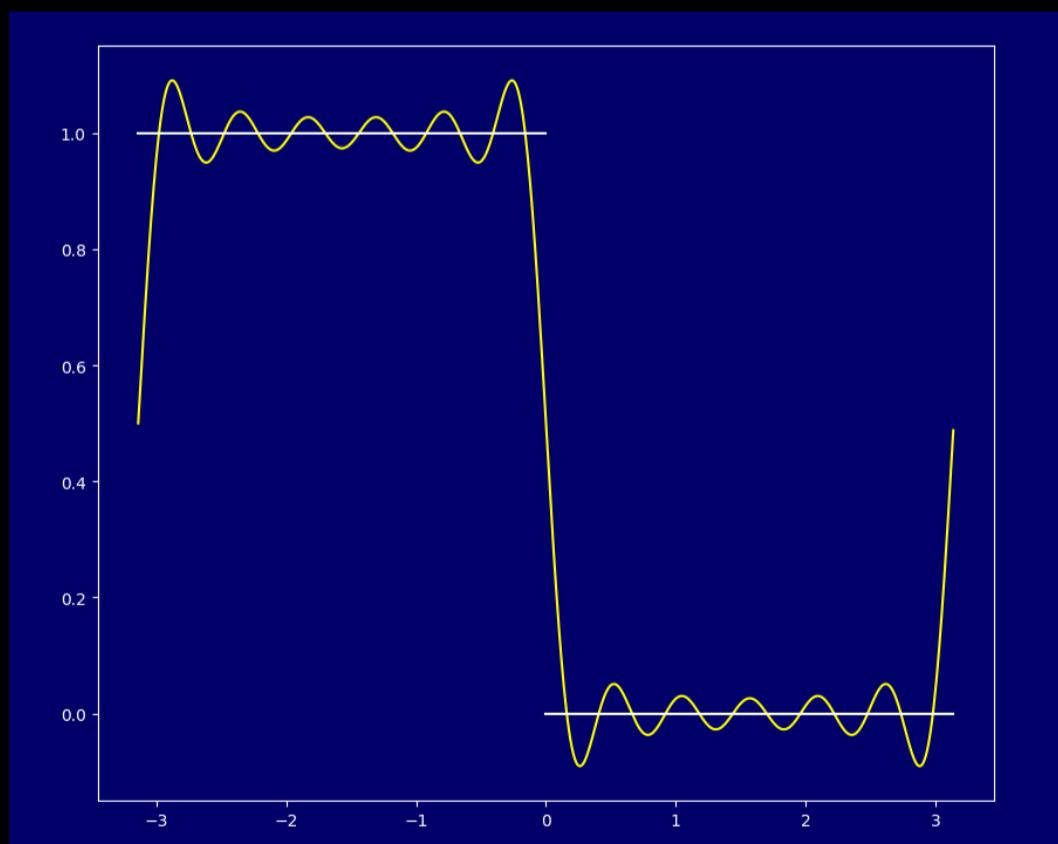
$$\tilde{a}_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} dx = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$$

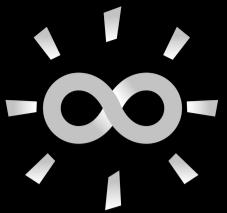
$$a_k = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(kx) f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 \cos(kx) dx = 0$$

$$b_k = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin(kx) f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 \sin(kx) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \left(-\frac{1}{k} \cos(kx) \right) \Big|_{-\pi}^0$$

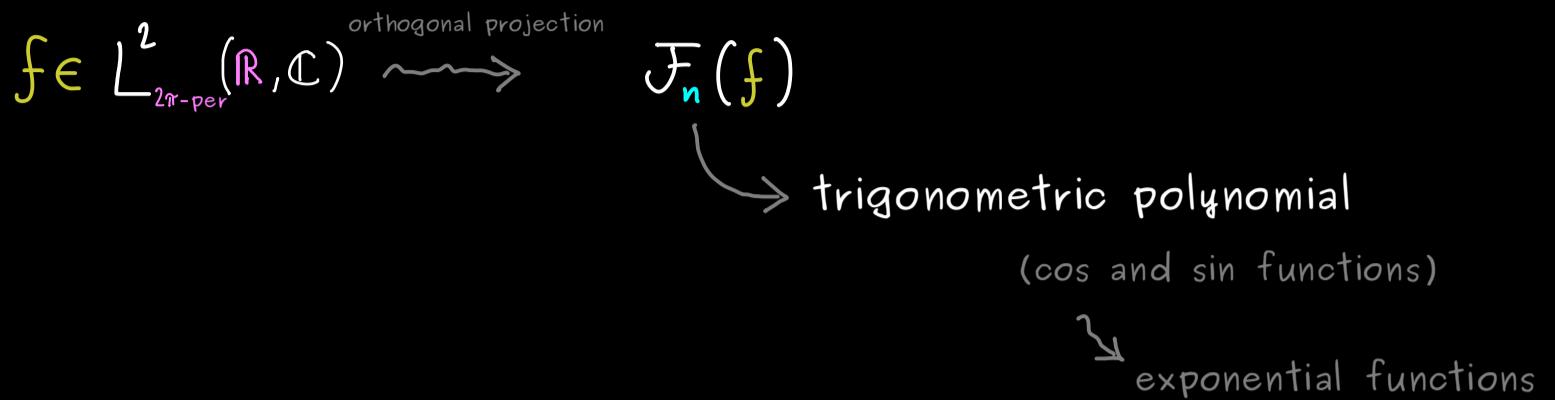
$$= \begin{cases} 0, & k \text{ even} \\ -\frac{2}{\pi k}, & k \text{ odd} \end{cases}$$

Fourier series: $\frac{1}{2} + \frac{-2}{\pi} \sin(x) + \frac{-2}{\pi 3} \cdot \sin(3x) + \frac{-2}{\pi 5} \cdot \sin(5x) + \dots$





Fourier Transform - Part 7



Euler's formula: $\cos(x) = \frac{1}{2} (e^{ix} + e^{-ix})$

$$\sin(x) = \frac{1}{2i} (e^{ix} - e^{-ix})$$

Example: $A \cdot \cos(x) + B \cdot \cos(2x) + C \cdot \sin(2x), \quad A, B, C \in \mathbb{C}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{A}{2} (e^{ix} + e^{-ix}) + \frac{B}{2} (e^{i2x} + e^{-i2x}) + \frac{C}{2i} (e^{i2x} - e^{-i2x}) \\ &= \frac{A}{2} \cdot e^{ix} + \frac{A}{2} \cdot e^{-ix} + \left(\frac{B}{2} + \frac{C}{2i} \right) e^{i2x} + \left(\frac{B}{2} - \frac{C}{2i} \right) e^{-i2x} \end{aligned}$$

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complex linear combination!

Remember: In $P_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$:

$$\text{Span} \left(x \mapsto \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, \quad x \mapsto \cos(x), \quad x \mapsto \cos(2x), \dots, \quad x \mapsto \cos(nx), \right.$$

$$\left. x \mapsto \sin(x), \quad x \mapsto \sin(2x), \quad x \mapsto \sin(3x), \dots, \quad x \mapsto \sin(nx) \right)$$

$$= \text{Span} \left(x \mapsto e^{-inx}, \dots, x \mapsto e^{-ix}, x \mapsto e^{i0 \cdot x}, x \mapsto e^{ix}, \dots, x \mapsto e^{inx} \right)$$

and $\tilde{a}_0 \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} + \sum_{k=1}^n a_k \cos(k \cdot x) + \sum_{k=1}^n b_k \sin(k \cdot x) = \sum_{k=-n}^n c_k e^{ikx}$

with $c_k = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} (a_k + \frac{b_k}{i}), & \text{for } k > 0 \\ \tilde{a}_0 \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}, & \text{for } k = 0 \\ \frac{1}{2} (a_{-k} - \frac{b_{-k}}{i}), & \text{for } k < 0 \end{cases}$

Result: Take $L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) \supseteq \mathcal{P}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$

with inner product: $\langle f, g \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \overline{f(x)} \cdot g(x) dx$

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi}$$

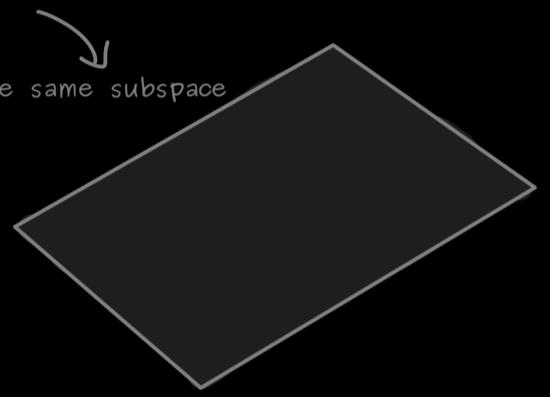


best factor for exponential functions

ONS: $\mathcal{B}_n = \left(x \mapsto 1, x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \cos(x), x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \cos(2x), x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \cos(3x), \dots, x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \cos(nx), x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \sin(x), x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \sin(2x), x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \sin(3x), \dots, x \mapsto \sqrt{2} \sin(nx) \right)$

ONS: $\mathcal{E}_n = \left(x \mapsto e^{ikx} \right)_{k=-n, \dots, n} = \left(e_k \right)_{k=-n, \dots, n}$

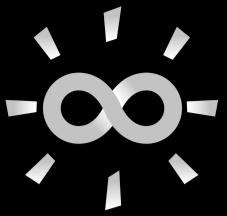
they span the same subspace



For $f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$: $\mathcal{F}_n(f) = \sum_{k=-n}^n c_k \underbrace{\langle e_k, f \rangle}_{\text{Fourier coefficients}}$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{F}_n(f)(x) = \sum_{k=-n}^n c_k e^{ikx}, \quad c_k = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{-ikx} f(x) dx$$

The map $n \mapsto \mathcal{F}_n(f)$ is called the Fourier series of $f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$
(with complex coefficients)



Fourier Transform - Part 8

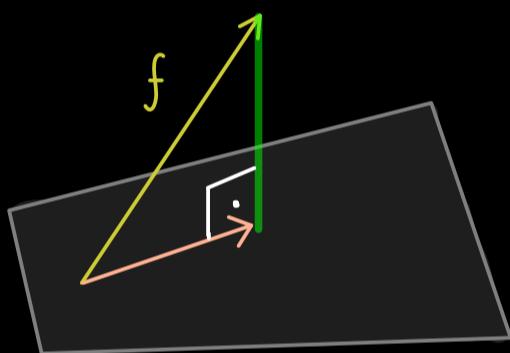
Fourier series: $f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{F}_n(f) \in P_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$

trigonometric polynomial

$$\mathcal{F}_n(f) = \sum_{k=-n}^n c_k e^{ikx}$$

$$c_k = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{-ikx} f(x) dx$$

Geometric picture: For $f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{F}_n(f) \in P_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$



$$\mathcal{F}_n(f) \perp \underbrace{f - \mathcal{F}_n(f)}$$

normal component

Question: What happens for $n \rightarrow \infty$? $\mathcal{F}_n(f) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} f$?

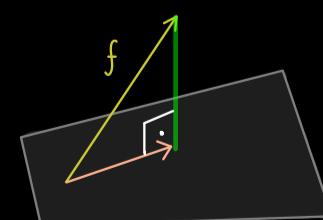
Proposition: $L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$ with inner product $\langle f, g \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \overline{f(x)} \cdot g(x) dx$

and ONS $(..., e_{-2}, e_{-1}, e_0, e_1, e_2, ...)$ given by $e_k: x \mapsto e^{ikx}$.

Then for $f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$ and $\mathcal{F}_n(f) = \sum_{k=-n}^n e_k \underbrace{\langle e_k, f \rangle}_{c_k}$, we have:

$$(a) \|f - \mathcal{F}_n(f)\|^2 = \|f\|^2 - \sum_{k=-n}^n |c_k|^2$$

L^2 -norm $\|\cdot\| := \sqrt{\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle}$

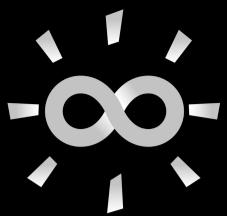


Pythagorean theorem: $\|f\|^2 = \|\mathcal{F}_n(f)\|^2 + \|f - \mathcal{F}_n(f)\|^2$

$$(b) \sum_{k=-n}^n |c_k|^2 \leq \|f\|^2 \quad \text{for all } n \quad (\text{Bessel's inequality})$$

$$\left(\Rightarrow \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |c_k|^2 \leq \|f\|^2 \quad \text{and} \quad c_k \xrightarrow{k \rightarrow \infty} 0 \right)$$

$$(c) \|f - \mathcal{F}_n(f)\| \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0 \iff \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |c_k|^2 = \|f\|^2 \quad (\text{Parseval's identity})$$



Fourier Transform - Part 9

$L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$ has ONS ($\dots, e_{-2}, e_{-1}, e_0, e_1, e_2, \dots$) given by $e_k: x \mapsto e^{ikx}$
 \leadsto Fourier series $\mathcal{F}_n(f) = \sum_{k=-n}^n e_k \langle e_k, f \rangle$

Parseval's identity: $\|f\|^2 = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |\langle e_k, f \rangle|^2$

$$\Leftrightarrow \|f - \mathcal{F}_n(f)\| \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$$

means: $f = \mathcal{F}_n(f) + r_n$ with $\|r_n\| \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$

Consider two functions: $f, g \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$

$\langle f, g \rangle \leftarrow$ formula with Fourier coefficients?

$$f = \mathcal{F}_n(f) + r_n \quad \text{with} \quad \|r_n\| \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$$

$$g = \mathcal{F}_n(g) + \tilde{r}_n \quad \text{with} \quad \|\tilde{r}_n\| \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{We have: } |\langle \mathcal{F}_n(g), r_n \rangle| &\leq \|\mathcal{F}_n(g)\| \|r_n\| \\ &\stackrel{\substack{\text{Cauchy} \\ \text{Schwarz}}}{\leq} \|g\| \cdot \|r_n\| \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0 \\ &\stackrel{\text{Bessel's inequality}}{\leq} \|g\| \cdot \|r_n\| \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle f, g \rangle &= \langle \mathcal{F}_n(f) + r_n, \mathcal{F}_n(g) + \tilde{r}_n \rangle \\ &= \langle \mathcal{F}_n(f), \mathcal{F}_n(g) \rangle + \underbrace{\langle r_n, \mathcal{F}_n(g) \rangle + \langle \mathcal{F}_n(f), \tilde{r}_n \rangle + \langle r_n, \tilde{r}_n \rangle}_{(*)} \\ &= \left\langle \sum_{k=-n}^n e_k \langle e_k, f \rangle, \sum_{l=-n}^n e_l \langle e_l, g \rangle \right\rangle + (*) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \sum_{k=-n}^n \sum_{l=-n}^n \overline{\langle e_k, f \rangle} \langle e_l, g \rangle \underbrace{\langle e_k, e_l \rangle}_{= \delta_{kl}} + (*) \\
&= \sum_{k=-n}^n \langle f, e_k \rangle \langle e_k, g \rangle + (*) \\
&\xrightarrow{h \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \langle f, e_k \rangle \langle e_k, g \rangle
\end{aligned}$$

Remember the equivalent statements: $L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$ with ONS $(e_k)_{k \in \mathbb{Z}}$

(a) Parseval's identity: $\|f\|^2 = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |\langle e_k, f \rangle|^2$

(b) ONS is complete: $\left\| f - \sum_{k=-n}^h e_k \langle e_k, f \rangle \right\| \xrightarrow{h \rightarrow \infty} 0$

$$\left(f = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} e_k \langle e_k, f \rangle \right)$$

(c) ONS gives inner product:

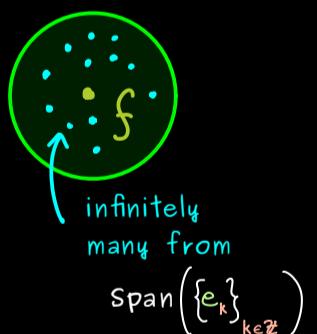
$$\langle f, g \rangle = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \langle f, e_k \rangle \langle e_k, g \rangle \quad \left(\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |e_k \langle e_k, g \rangle| = 1 \right)$$

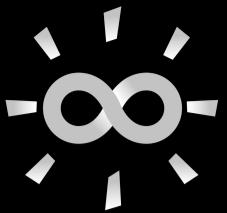
informal:

(d) ONS is total: $\text{Span}\left(\{e_k\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}}\right)$ is dense in $L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$:

$$\forall f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) \quad \forall \epsilon > 0 \quad \exists N \in \mathbb{N}, \lambda_1, \lambda_2, \dots, \lambda_N \in \mathbb{C} :$$

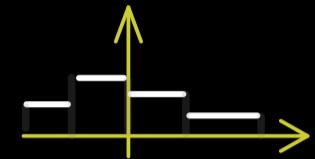
$$\left\| f - \sum_{k=-N}^N \lambda_k e_k \right\| < \epsilon$$





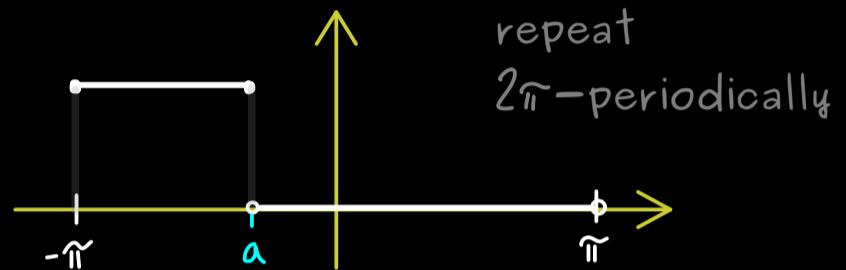
Fourier Transform - Part 10

For proving Parseval's identity \rightsquigarrow step functions



Most important step function:

$$h_a(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & x \in [-\pi, a] \\ 0, & x \in (a, \pi] \end{cases}$$



for every $a \in [-\pi, \pi]$

Fourier series for this example:

$$c_k = \langle e_k, h_a \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{-ikx} h_a(x) dx = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{-ikx} dx$$

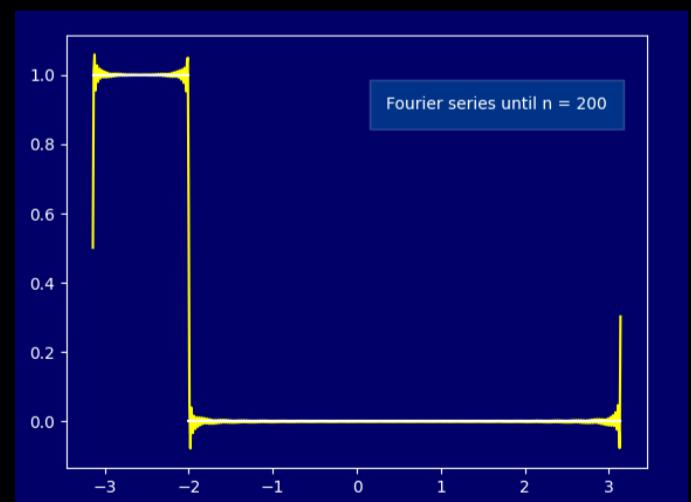
$$= \begin{cases} \frac{a + \pi}{2\pi}, & k = 0 \\ \frac{1}{2\pi(-ik)} (e^{-ika} - e^{ik\pi}), & k \neq 0 \end{cases}$$



Visualization:

$$a_k = 2 \cdot \operatorname{Re}(c_k)$$

$$b_k = -2 \cdot \operatorname{Im}(c_k)$$



Show Parseval's identity:

$$\begin{aligned}
 k \neq 0 : |c_k|^2 &= \frac{1}{2\pi(-ik)} (e^{-ik\alpha} - e^{ik\pi}) \overline{\frac{1}{2\pi(-ik)} (e^{-ik\alpha} - e^{ik\pi})} \\
 &= \frac{1}{4\pi^2 k^2} \cdot (e^{-ik\alpha} - e^{ik\pi}) \cdot (e^{ik\alpha} - e^{-ik\pi}) \\
 &= \frac{1}{4\pi^2 k^2} \cdot (1 - e^{ik(\pi+\alpha)} - e^{-ik(\pi+\alpha)} + 1) \\
 &= \frac{1}{4\pi^2 k^2} \cdot (2 - 2 \cos(k(\pi+\alpha))) = \frac{1}{2\pi^2 k^2} \cdot (1 - \cos(k(\pi+\alpha)))
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{k=-n}^n |c_k|^2 = \left(\frac{\alpha + \pi}{2\pi}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{2\pi^2} \left(\sum_{\substack{k=-n \\ k \neq 0}}^n \frac{1}{k^2} - \sum_{\substack{k=-n \\ k \neq 0}}^n \frac{\cos(k(\pi+\alpha))}{k^2} \right)$$

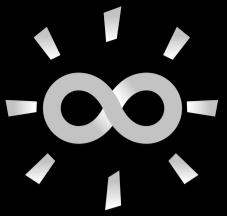
$$= \left(\frac{\alpha + \pi}{2\pi}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{\pi^2} \left(\sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k^2} - \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\cos(k(\pi+\alpha))}{k^2} \right)$$

General formula: $x \in [0, 2\pi]$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(kx))}{k^2} = \frac{(x-\pi)^2}{4} - \frac{\pi^2}{12}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 \downarrow n \rightarrow \infty & & \downarrow n \rightarrow \infty \\
 (*) & \Rightarrow \frac{\pi^2}{6} & (**) \\
 & & \frac{\alpha^2}{4} - \frac{\pi^2}{12}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |c_k|^2 &= \left(\frac{\alpha + \pi}{2\pi}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{\pi^2} \left(\frac{\pi^2}{6} - \frac{\alpha^2}{4} + \frac{\pi^2}{12} \right) \\
 &= \left(\frac{\alpha + \pi}{2\pi}\right)^2 + \frac{1}{4} - \frac{\alpha^2}{4\pi^2} = \frac{2\alpha\pi + \pi^2}{4\pi^2} + \frac{1}{4} \\
 &= \frac{\alpha}{2\pi} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot (\alpha + \pi) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\alpha} 1 dx = \langle h_{\alpha}, h_{\alpha} \rangle \\
 &= \|h_{\alpha}\|^2
 \end{aligned}$$



Fourier Transform - Part 11

Let's prove: $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(kx)}{k} = \frac{(x-\pi)^2}{4} - \frac{\pi^2}{12}, \quad x \in [0, 2\pi]$

Note: $\frac{1}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^n \cos(kx) = \frac{1}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{2} \cdot (e^{ikx} + e^{-ikx}) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{k=-n}^n e^{ikx}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2} e^{-ix} \sum_{k=0}^{2n} e^{ikx} \xrightarrow{q = e^{ix}} q \neq 1 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} e^{-ix} \cdot \frac{1 - q^{2n+1}}{1 - q} \xleftarrow{\text{geometric sum formula}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{e^{-ix} - e^{i(n+1)x}}{1 - e^{ix}} \cdot \frac{-e^{-\frac{1}{2}ix}}{-e^{-\frac{1}{2}ix}} \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \frac{e^{i(n+\frac{1}{2})x} - e^{-i(n+\frac{1}{2})x}}{e^{\frac{1}{2}ix} - e^{-\frac{1}{2}ix}} \cdot \frac{\frac{1}{2i}}{\frac{1}{2i}} = \frac{1}{2} \frac{\sin((n+\frac{1}{2})x)}{\sin(\frac{1}{2}x)} \end{aligned}$$

for $x \in \mathbb{R} \setminus \{2\pi m \mid m \in \mathbb{Z}\}$

Lemma: $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(kx)}{k} = \frac{\pi - x}{2} \quad \text{for } x \in (0, 2\pi)$

and we have uniform convergence on interval $[\varepsilon, 2\pi - \varepsilon]$, $\varepsilon > 0$.

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\sin(kx)}{k} &= \sum_{k=1}^n \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos(kt) dt = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^n \cos(kt) dt \\ &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left(\frac{1}{2} \frac{\sin((n+\frac{1}{2})t)}{\sin(\frac{1}{2}t)} - \frac{1}{2} \right) dt \\ &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \underbrace{\frac{\sin((n+\frac{1}{2})t)}{2 \sin(\frac{1}{2}t)}}_{f_n(x)} dt - \frac{1}{2}(x - \pi) \end{aligned}$$

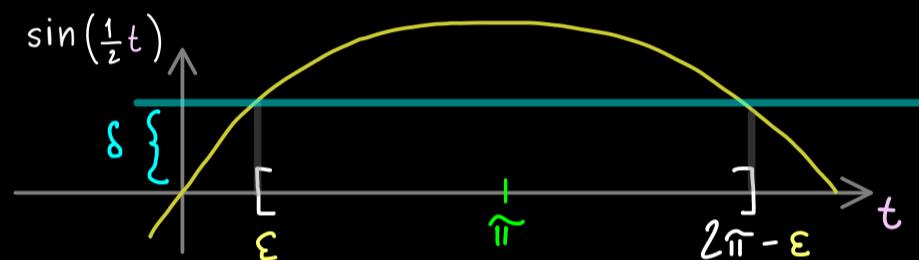
integration by parts: $f_n(x) = \int_{\pi}^x \frac{1}{2 \sin(\frac{1}{2}t)} \cdot \sin((n+\frac{1}{2})t) dt$

$u = \frac{1}{2 \sin(\frac{1}{2}t)}$
 $v = \sin((n+\frac{1}{2})t)$

$$v = \frac{1}{n + \frac{1}{2}} \cdot (-1) \cdot \cos((n+\frac{1}{2})t)$$

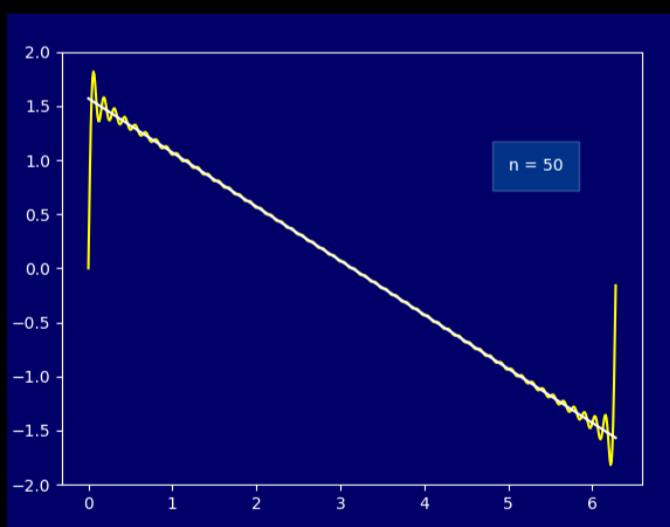
$$\begin{aligned} f_n(x) &= \left. \frac{1}{n + \frac{1}{2}} \cdot \frac{(-1) \cos((n+\frac{1}{2})t)}{2 \sin(\frac{1}{2}t)} \right|_{\pi}^x - \int_{\pi}^x \frac{1}{n + \frac{1}{2}} \cdot \frac{(-1) \cdot \cos((n+\frac{1}{2})t) \cos(\frac{1}{2}t)}{(-4) \cdot (\sin(\frac{1}{2}t))^2} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{n + \frac{1}{2}} \left(\underbrace{\frac{(-1) \cos((n+\frac{1}{2})x)}{2 \sin(\frac{1}{2}x)}}_{= a(x)} - \frac{1}{4} \int_{\pi}^x \frac{\cos((n+\frac{1}{2})t) \cos(\frac{1}{2}t)}{(\sin(\frac{1}{2}t))^2} dt \right) \end{aligned}$$

For $\varepsilon > 0$, choose $x \in [\varepsilon, 2\pi - \varepsilon]$:



$$\|f_n\|_{\infty} \leq \frac{1}{n + \frac{1}{2}} \left(\|a\|_{\infty} + \|b\|_{\infty} \right)$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{n + \frac{1}{2}} \left(\frac{1}{2\delta} + \frac{1}{4\delta^2} \cdot \pi \right) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$$



Recall $f_n(x) = \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{\sin(kx)}{k} + \frac{1}{2}(x - \pi)$

□

Theorem: $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(kx))}{k^2} = \frac{(x-\pi)^2}{4} - \frac{\pi^2}{12}, \quad x \in [0, 2\pi]$

uniform convergence on $[0, 2\pi]$

Proof: For $\varepsilon > 0$, $x_0 \in [\varepsilon, 2\pi - \varepsilon]$: (use Lemma)

$$\int_{x_0}^x \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(kt)}{k} dt = \int_{x_0}^x \frac{\pi - t}{2} dt = -\frac{(\pi - t)^2}{4} \Big|_{x_0}^x = -\frac{(x - \pi)^2}{4} + C_0$$

uniform convergence $\Rightarrow //$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \int_{x_0}^x \frac{\sin(kt)}{k} dt = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} -\frac{\cos(kt))}{k^2} \Big|_{x_0}^x = -\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(kx))}{k^2} + C_1$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(kx))}{k^2} = \frac{(x - \pi)^2}{4} + C \quad \leftarrow \text{calculate it!}$$

\Rightarrow still uniform convergence on $[\varepsilon, 2\pi - \varepsilon]$

We know more:

(1) $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(kx))}{k^2}$ uniformly convergent on $[0, 2\pi]$

by Weierstrass M-test since $\left| \frac{\cos(kx))}{k^2} \right| \leq \frac{1}{k^2}$

$\Rightarrow [0, 2\pi] \ni x \mapsto \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(kx))}{k^2}$ continuous function

(2) $[0, 2\pi] \ni x \mapsto \frac{(x - \pi)^2}{4} + C$ continuous function

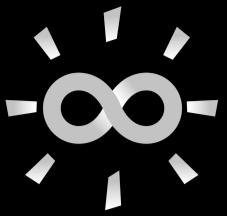
(3) $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(kx))}{k^2} = \frac{(x - \pi)^2}{4} + C$ for all $x \in (0, 2\pi)$

$\Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(kx))}{k^2} = \frac{(x - \pi)^2}{4} + C$ uniformly convergent on $[0, 2\pi]$

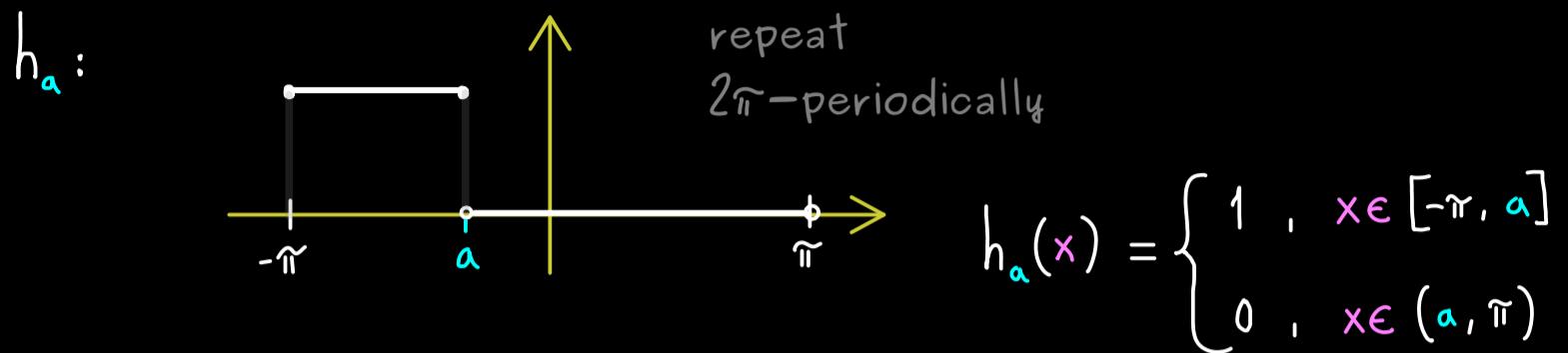
$$\text{Find } C : \int_0^{2\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos(kx))}{k^2} dx = \int_0^{2\pi} \left(\frac{(x - \pi)^2}{4} + C \right) dx = \underbrace{\frac{(x - \pi)^3}{12}}_0 \Big|_0^{2\pi} + 2\pi \cdot C$$

\leftarrow uniform convergence

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \int_0^{2\pi} \frac{\cos(kx))}{k^2} dx = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad C = -\frac{\pi^2}{12}$$



Fourier Transform - Part 12

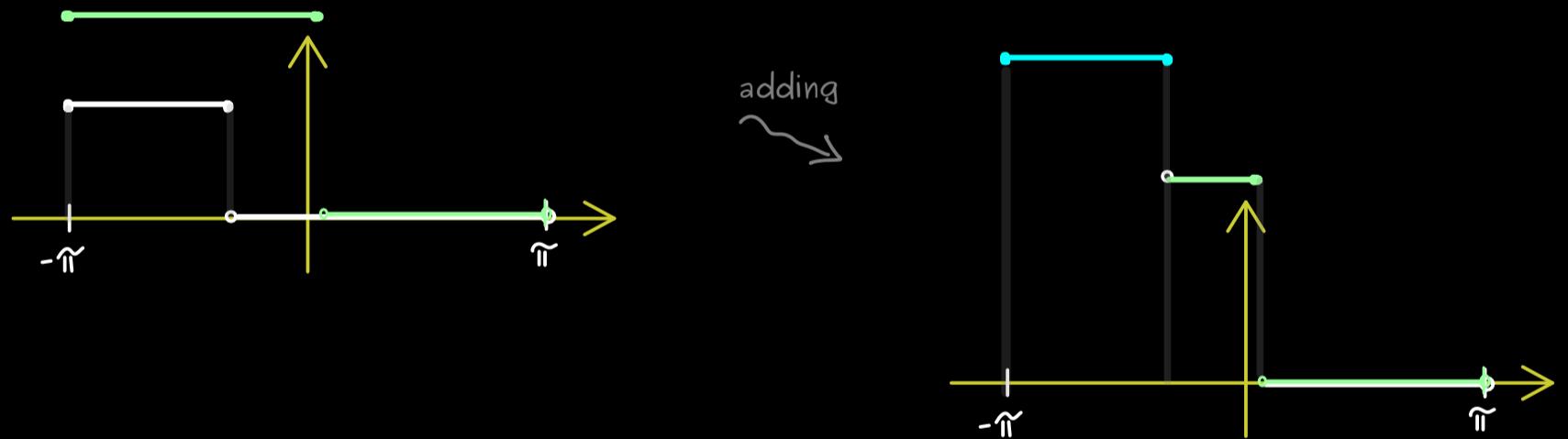


Parseval's identity holds for h_a for every possible a . (part 10)

Step functions: consider the complex vector space:

$$\mathcal{S}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) := \left\{ g \in \mathcal{F}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) \mid \begin{array}{l} \text{there are } m \in \mathbb{N}, a_i \in [-\pi, \pi], \\ \lambda_i \in \mathbb{C} \text{ such that:} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$g = \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i \cdot h_{a_i}$$



Do we have Parseval's identity here?

Consider step function $g \in \mathcal{S}_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) \rightsquigarrow$

$$g = \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i \cdot h_{a_i}$$

$$c_k = \langle e_k, g \rangle = \left\langle e_k, \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i \cdot h_{a_i} \right\rangle = \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i \langle e_k, h_{a_i} \rangle$$

$$|c_k|^2 = \bar{c}_k c_k = \overline{\sum_{j=1}^m \lambda_j \langle e_k, h_{aj} \rangle} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i \langle e_k, h_{ai} \rangle$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{i=1}^m \bar{\lambda}_j \lambda_i \langle h_{aj}, e_k \rangle \langle e_k, h_{ai} \rangle$$

$$\sum_{k=-n}^n |c_k|^2 = \sum_{i,j=1}^m \bar{\lambda}_j \lambda_i \left(\sum_{k=-n}^n \langle h_{aj}, e_k \rangle \langle e_k, h_{ai} \rangle \right)$$

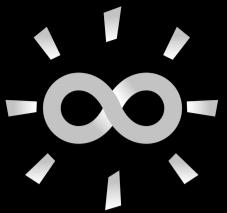
(part 9) $\xrightarrow{h \rightarrow \infty}$

informal:
 $\left(\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |e_k \rangle \langle e_k| = \mathbb{1} \right)$
 we have Parseval's identity
 for h_{aj} and h_{ai}

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |c_k|^2 = \sum_{i,j=1}^m \bar{\lambda}_j \lambda_i \underbrace{\langle h_{aj}, h_{ai} \rangle}_{\langle h_{aj}, h_{ai} \rangle} = \left\langle \sum_{j=1}^m \lambda_j \cdot h_{aj}, \sum_{i=1}^m \lambda_i \cdot h_{ai} \right\rangle$$

$$= \langle g, g \rangle = \|g\|^2$$

Result: Parseval's identity holds for $L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) \subseteq L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$.



Fourier Transform - Part 13

Theorem: $L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$ with inner product $\langle f, g \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \overline{f(x)} \cdot g(x) dx$
 and ONS $(..., e_{-2}, e_{-1}, e_0, e_1, e_2, ...)$ given by $e_k: x \mapsto e^{ikx}$.

For $f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$ define: $\mathcal{F}_n(f) = \sum_{k=-n}^n e_k \underbrace{\langle e_k, f \rangle}_{c_k}$.

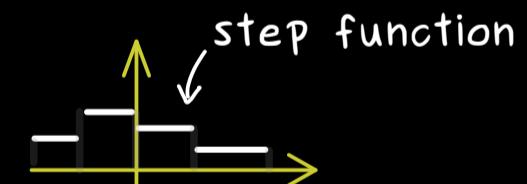
Then: $\|f - \mathcal{F}_n(f)\| \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$ \curvearrowleft L^2 -norm

(equivalent to Parseval's identity: $\|f\|^2 = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |\langle e_k, f \rangle|^2$)

Fact: Continuous functions are dense in $L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$, which means:

For $f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$ and $\varepsilon > 0$, there is a 2π -periodic continuous function
 $g: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ with $\|f - g\| < \varepsilon$. \curvearrowleft L^2 -norm

Proposition: $L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$ is dense in $L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$.

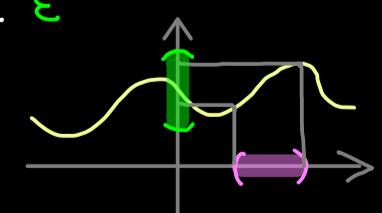


Proof: Let $\varepsilon > 0$, $f: [-\pi, \pi] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ square integrable.

Then there is a continuous function $g: [-\pi, \pi] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ with $\|f - g\| < \varepsilon$.

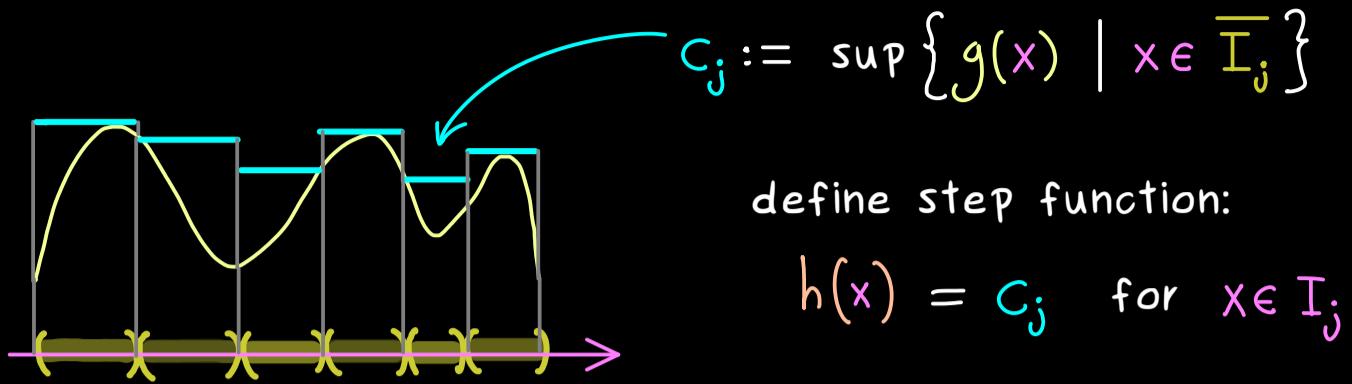
domain compact $\Rightarrow g$ is uniformly continuous: for given $\varepsilon > 0$ there $\delta > 0$:

$$|x - y| < \delta \Rightarrow |g(x) - g(y)| < \varepsilon$$



Decompose $[-\pi, \pi]$: $\underbrace{I_1}_{-\pi} \cup \underbrace{I_2}_{-\pi} \cup \dots \cup \underbrace{I_N}_{\pi}$ \rightarrow

$$\text{length}(I_j) < \delta$$



define step function:

$$h(x) = c_j \quad \text{for } x \in I_j$$

We get: $|g(x) - h(x)| = |g(x) - g(y)| \quad \text{for } y \in \overline{I_j}$
 $\uparrow \quad \quad \quad x \in I_j$
 $\leq \varepsilon \quad \text{because} \quad |x-y| < \delta$

In total: $\|f - h\| \leq \underbrace{\|f - g\|}_{< \varepsilon} + \underbrace{\|g - h\|}_{= \left(\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \underbrace{|g(x) - h(x)|^2}_{< \varepsilon} \right)^{1/2}} < C \cdot \varepsilon$

□

Theorem (see above): For $f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$: $\|f - \mathcal{F}_n(f)\| \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$

Proof: Let $\varepsilon > 0$, $f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$. Choose $h \in S_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$ with $\|f - h\| < \varepsilon$.

Then: $\|f - \mathcal{F}_n(f)\| = \|f + h - h - \mathcal{F}_n(f) + \mathcal{F}_n(h) - \mathcal{F}_n(h)\|$

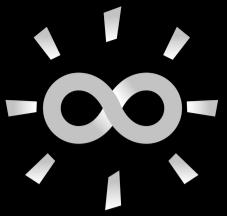
$$\leq \underbrace{\|(f-h) - \mathcal{F}_n(f-h)\|}_{\leq \|(f-h)\| < \varepsilon} + \underbrace{\|\mathcal{F}_n(h) - \mathcal{F}_n(h)\|}_{\xrightarrow{h \rightarrow \infty} 0} \xrightarrow{\text{(part 12)}} 0$$

Pythagorean theorem:

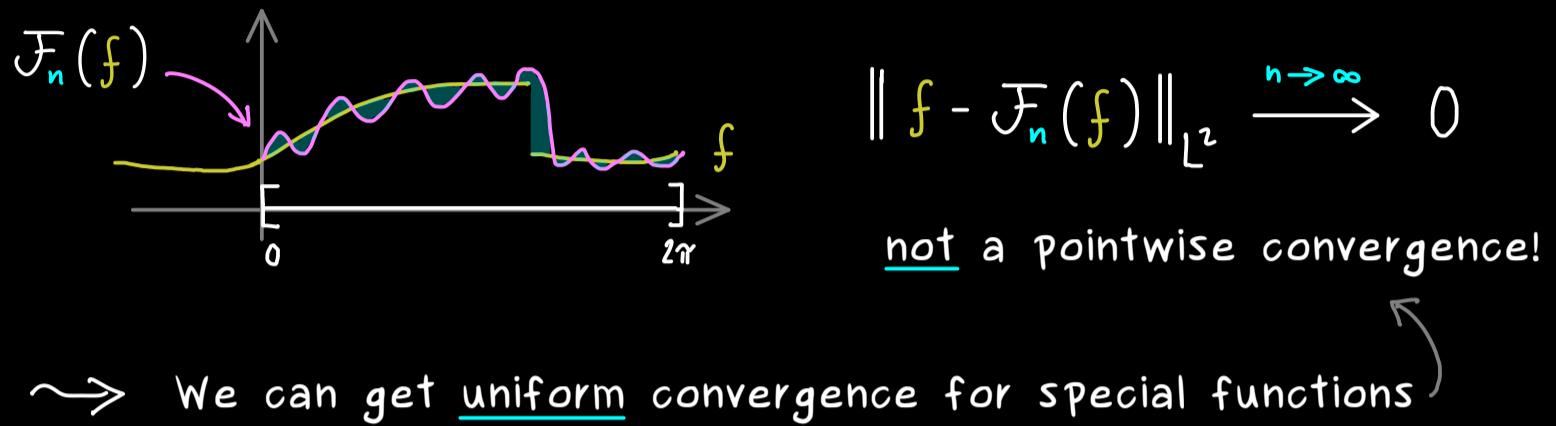
$$\| (f-h) - \mathcal{F}_n(f-h) \|^2 + \| \mathcal{F}_n(f-h) \|^2 = \| (f-h) \|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|f - \mathcal{F}_n(f)\| = 0$$

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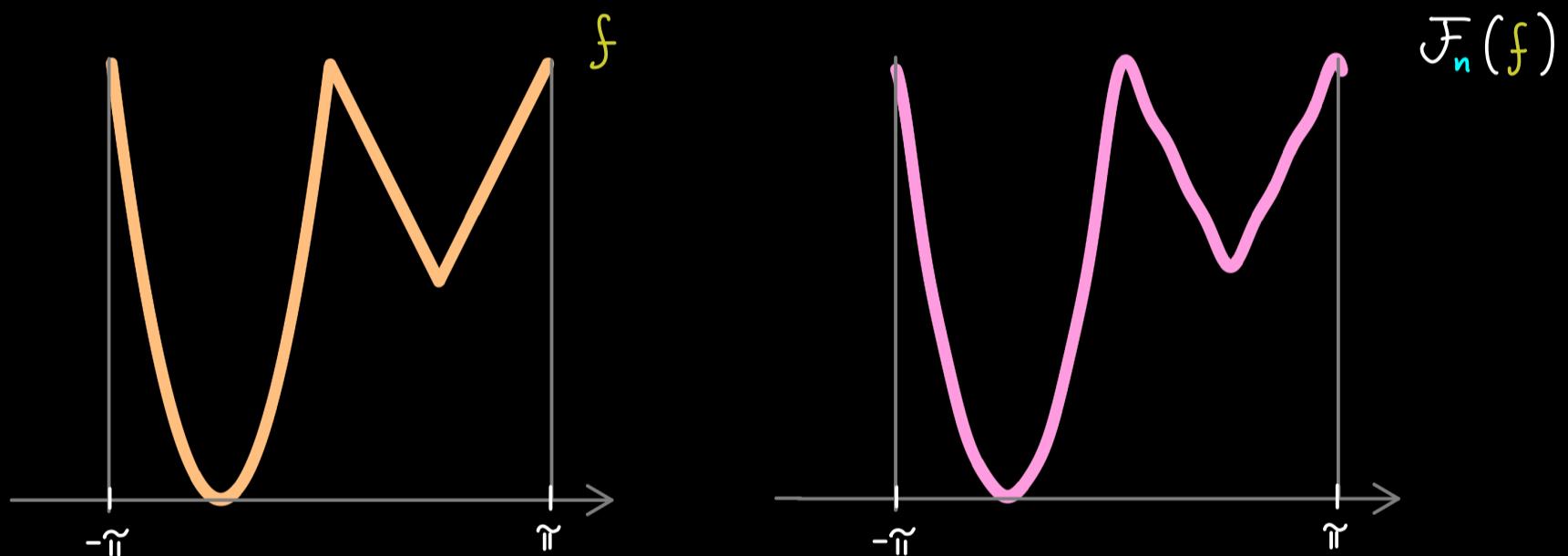


Fourier Transform - Part 14



→ We can get uniform convergence for special functions

Example: continuous and piecewise C^1 -function

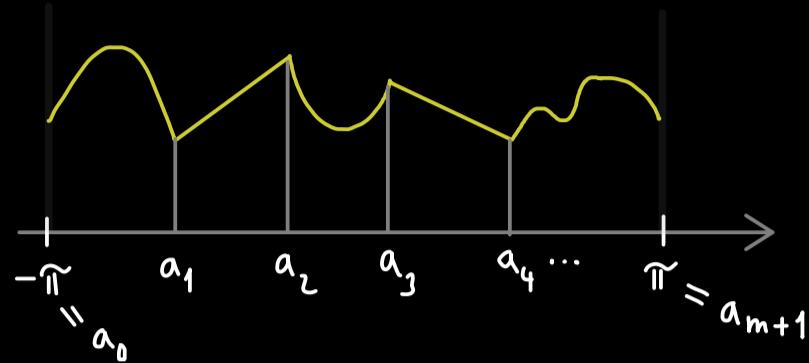


Supremum norm: $\|f\|_\infty := \sup_{x \in [-\pi, \pi]} |f(x)|$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |f(x)|^2 dx \leq \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \|f\|_\infty^2 dx = 2\pi \cdot \|f\|_\infty^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \|f\|_{L^2} \leq \|f\|_\infty$$

Theorem: $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ 2π -periodic continuous function.

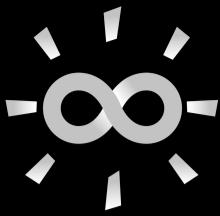


Assume there are finitely many points (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m)

inside the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$ such that:

$$f|_{[a_j, a_{j+1}]} \in C^1 \quad \text{for all } j \in \{0, 1, \dots, m\}$$

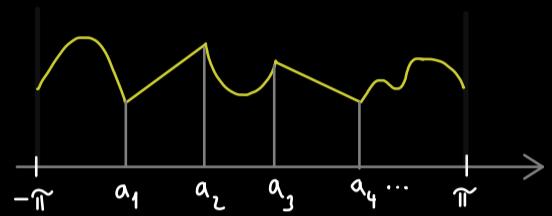
Then: $\| f - \mathcal{F}_n(f) \|_\infty \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$ $\left(\begin{array}{l} \mathcal{F}_n(f) = \sum_{k=-n}^n e_k \langle e_k, f \rangle \\ e_k: x \mapsto e^{ikx} \\ \langle f, g \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \overline{f(x)} \cdot g(x) dx \end{array} \right)$



Fourier Transform - Part 15

Theorem: $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ 2π -periodic continuous function

and piecewise C^1 -function:



there are finitely many points (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m)

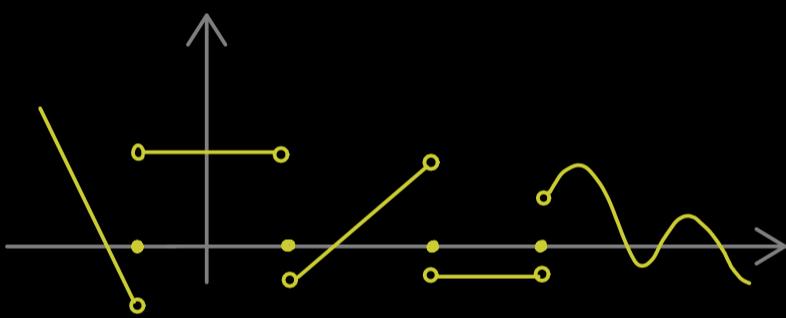
inside the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$ such that: $\tilde{f}|_{[a_j, a_{j+1}]} \in C^1$

for all $j \in \{0, 1, \dots, m\}$, $a_0 := -\pi$, $a_{m+1} := \pi$

Then: $\mathcal{F}_n(f) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} f$ uniformly.

Proof: Consider the derivative function:

$$\tilde{f}(x) := \begin{cases} 0 & , x \in \{a_0, a_1, \dots, a_{m+1}\} \\ f'(x) & , \text{else} \end{cases}$$



piecewise continuous function
 $\in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$

Parseval's identity: $\|\tilde{f}\|^2 = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |\langle e_k, \tilde{f} \rangle|^2 < \infty$

What about the Fourier coefficients of \tilde{f} ?

$$C_k := \langle e_k, \tilde{f} \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \underbrace{e^{-ikx}}_u \underbrace{\tilde{f}(x)}_v dx = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(u \cdot v \Big|_{-\pi}^{\pi} - \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} u' v' dx \right)$$

$u = \frac{1}{ik} e^{-ikx}$ integration by parts

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(0 + \frac{1}{ik} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{-ikx} \tilde{f}'(x) dx \right) = \frac{1}{ik} \langle e_k, \tilde{f}' \rangle$$

General inequality for real numbers: $x \cdot y \leq \frac{x^2 + y^2}{2}$

$$|C_k| = \frac{1}{k} |\langle e_k, \tilde{f}' \rangle| \leq \frac{1}{k} \left(\frac{1}{k^2} + |\langle e_k, \tilde{f}' \rangle|^2 \right)$$

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |C_k| \leq \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{1}{|k|} + \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |\langle e_k, \tilde{f} \rangle|^2 < \infty$$

Weierstrass M-Test

$$\mathcal{F}_n(f)(x) = \sum_{k=-n}^n e^{ikx} \cdot C_k \quad \text{with} \quad |f_k(x)| \leq M_k =: |C_k|, \quad \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} M_k < \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} f_k \quad \text{uniformly convergent to a continuous function}$$

$$h: [-\pi, \pi] \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

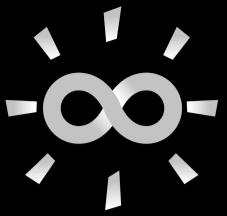
Status quo: $\|\mathcal{F}_n(f) - h\|_{\infty} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0, \quad \|\mathcal{F}_n(f) - f\|_{L^2} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$

More estimates: $\|f - h\|_{L^2} \leq \|f - \mathcal{F}_n(f)\|_{L^2} + \underbrace{\|\mathcal{F}_n(f) - h\|_{L^2}}_{\xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0} \leq \|\mathcal{F}_n(f) - h\|_{\infty}$

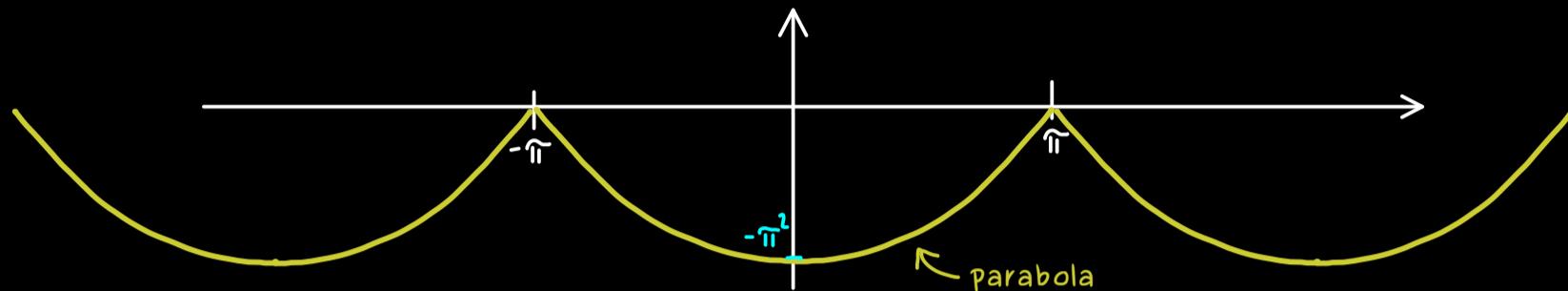
Hence: $\|f - h\|_{L^2} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad f = h$

Conclusion: $\|\mathcal{F}_n(f) - f\|_{\infty} \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} 0$ (uniform convergence of the Fourier series)

□



Fourier Transform - Part 16



\Rightarrow continuous + piecewise C^1 -function

Example: $f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ 2π -periodic with $f(x) = x^2 - \pi^2$ for $x \in [-\pi, \pi]$.

Let's calculate the Fourier coefficients: $C_k := \langle e_k, f \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{-ikx} f(x) dx$

$$\begin{aligned} C_0 &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (x^2 - \pi^2) dx = \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\frac{1}{3}x^3 - \pi^2 x \right) \Big|_{-\pi}^{\pi} \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot 2 \cdot \left(\frac{1}{3}\pi^3 - \pi^3 \right) = -\frac{2}{3}\pi^2 \end{aligned}$$

For $k \neq 0$: $C_k = \frac{1}{2\pi i k} \langle e_k, f \rangle$ (integration by parts, see part 15)

$$\begin{aligned} &= \frac{1}{2\pi i k} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{-ikx} \underbrace{2x}_{u'} dx \quad (\text{integration by parts}) \\ &\quad \rightsquigarrow u = \frac{1}{-ik} e^{-ikx}, v' = 2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i k} \left(-\frac{1}{ik} e^{-ikx} \cdot 2x \Big|_{-\pi}^{\pi} - \underbrace{\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \left(-\frac{1}{ik} e^{-ikx} \right) \cdot 2 dx}_{=0} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi \cdot k^2} \left(\underbrace{e^{-ik\pi}}_{(-1)^k} \pi - \underbrace{e^{ik\pi}}_{(-1)^k} (-\pi) \right) \\ &= \frac{2 \cdot (-1)^k}{k^2} \end{aligned}$$

Fourier series: $x^2 - \pi^2 = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{ikx} = -\frac{1}{3}\pi^2 + \sum_{\substack{k=-\infty \\ k \neq 0}}^{\infty} \frac{2 \cdot (-1)^k}{k^2} e^{ikx}$

$\underbrace{\cos(kx) + i \cdot \sin(kx)}$

$= -\frac{1}{3}\pi^2 + 2 \cdot \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{2 \cdot (-1)^k}{k^2} \cos(kx)$

For all $x \in [-\pi, \pi]$: $x^2 - \frac{1}{3}\pi^2 = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{k^2} (-1)^k \cos(kx)$ uniform convergence!

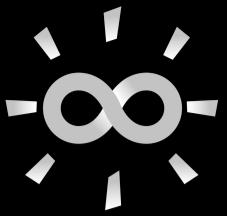
In particular for $x=0$: $-\frac{1}{3}\pi^2 = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{k^2} (-1)^k$

$\Rightarrow \boxed{\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k^2} = -\frac{1}{12}\pi^2}$

Parseval's identity: $\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |C_k|^2 = \|\underline{f}\|_{L^2}^2 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (x^2 - \pi^2)^2 dx = \frac{8}{15}\pi^4$

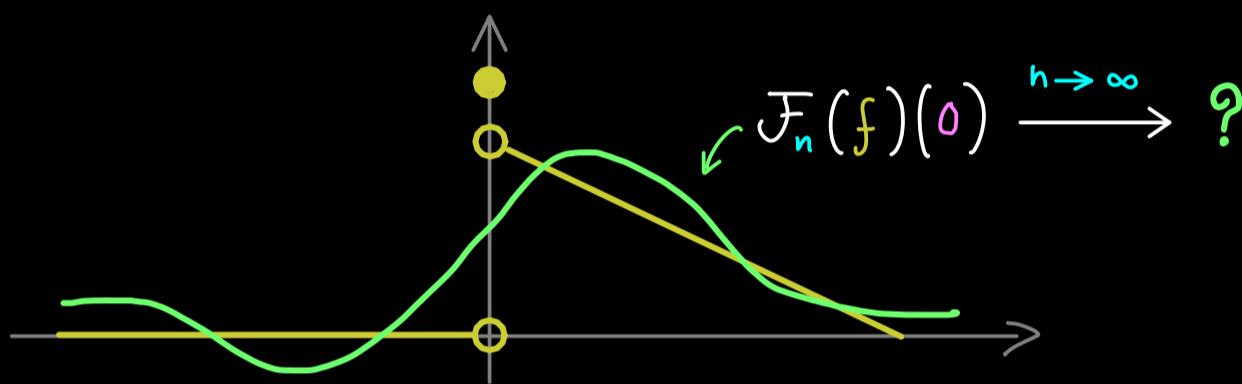
$|C_0|^2 + \sum_{\substack{k=-\infty \\ k \neq 0}}^{\infty} \left| \frac{2 \cdot (-1)^k}{k^2} \right|^2$

$\frac{4}{9} \cdot \pi^4 + 2 \cdot \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{k^4} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \boxed{\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k^4} = \frac{\pi^4}{90}}$



Fourier Transform - Part 17

$$\begin{array}{l}
 f: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \quad 2\pi\text{-periodic} \\
 f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C}) \\
 \text{continuous + piecewise } C^1\text{-function}
 \end{array}
 \Rightarrow
 \begin{array}{l}
 \mathcal{F}_n(f) \xrightarrow{h \rightarrow \infty} f \quad (\text{in } L^2\text{-norm}) \\
 \mathcal{F}_n(f) \xrightarrow{h \rightarrow \infty} f \quad (\text{pointwisely}) \\
 \mathcal{F}_n(f) \xrightarrow{h \rightarrow \infty} f \quad (\text{uniformly})
 \end{array}$$

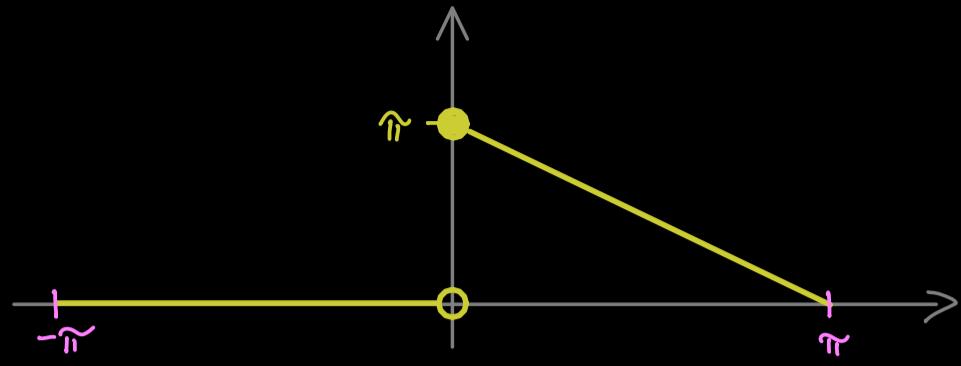


Theorem: $f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$, $\hat{x} \in [-\pi, \pi]$ with:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 f(\hat{x}^-) := \lim_{\substack{\epsilon \rightarrow 0 \\ \epsilon > 0}} f(\hat{x} - \epsilon) \quad \text{exists ,} & \lim_{\substack{h \rightarrow 0 \\ h < 0}} \frac{f(\hat{x} + h) - f(\hat{x})}{h} \quad \text{exists} \\
 f(\hat{x}^+) := \lim_{\substack{\epsilon \rightarrow 0 \\ \epsilon > 0}} f(\hat{x} + \epsilon) \quad \text{exists ,} & \lim_{\substack{h \rightarrow 0 \\ h > 0}} \frac{f(\hat{x} + h) - f(\hat{x})}{h} \quad \text{exists}
 \end{array}$$

Then: $\mathcal{F}_n(f)(\hat{x}) \xrightarrow{h \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2} (f(\hat{x}^+) + f(\hat{x}^-))$

Example:



$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & , x \in [-\pi, 0) \\ \pi - x & , x \in [0, \pi) \end{cases}$$

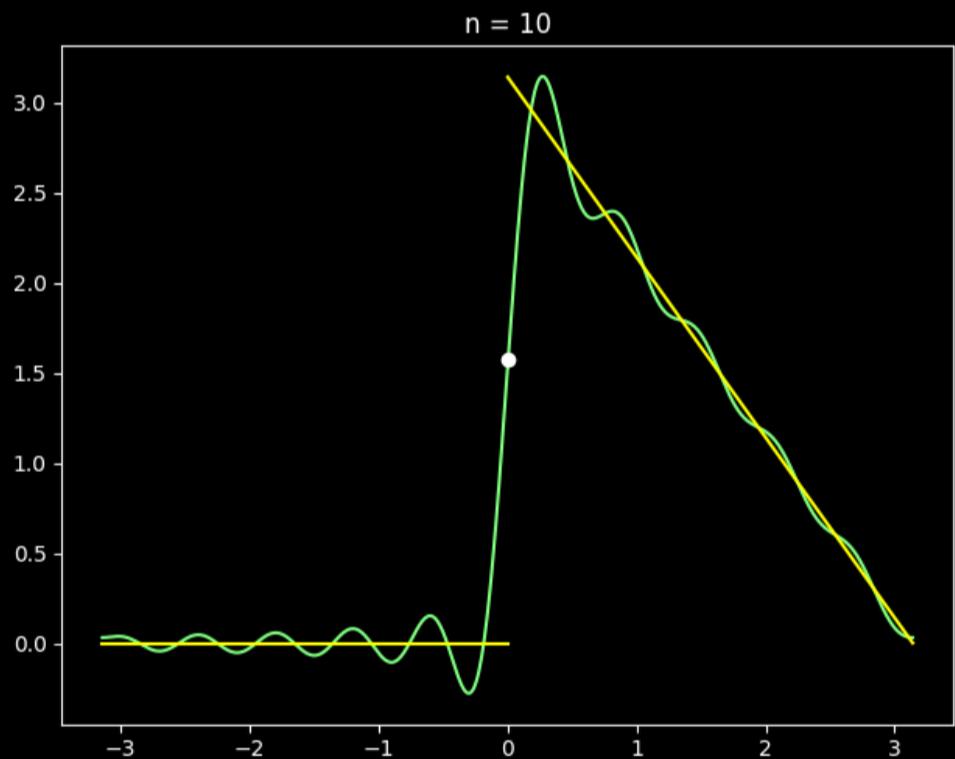
Fourier coefficients: $C_k := \langle e_k, f \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} e^{-ikx} (\pi - x) dx$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{\pi}{4} & , k = 0 \\ \frac{1}{2\pi} \cdot \left(-\frac{1}{k} \left((-1)^k - 1 \right) - i \frac{\pi}{k} \right) & , k \neq 0 \end{cases}$$

Fourier series:

$$\mathcal{F}_n(f)(x) = \frac{\pi}{4} + \sum_{\substack{k=-n \\ k \neq 0}}^n C_k e^{ikx}$$

$$\boxed{a_k = C_k + C_{-k} \\ b_k = i(C_k - C_{-k})}$$



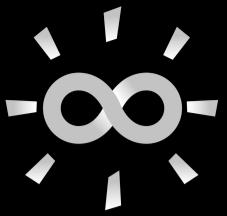
$$= \frac{\pi}{4} + \sum_{k=1}^n a_k \cos(kx) + \sum_{k=1}^n b_k \sin(kx)$$

$$\quad \quad \quad \boxed{\frac{1}{k} \cdot \frac{1}{k^2} \left(1 - (-1)^k \right)}$$

$$\mathcal{F}_n(f)(0) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{\pi}{4} + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k} \frac{1 - (-1)^k}{k^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pi^2}{4} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 - (-1)^k}{k^2}$$

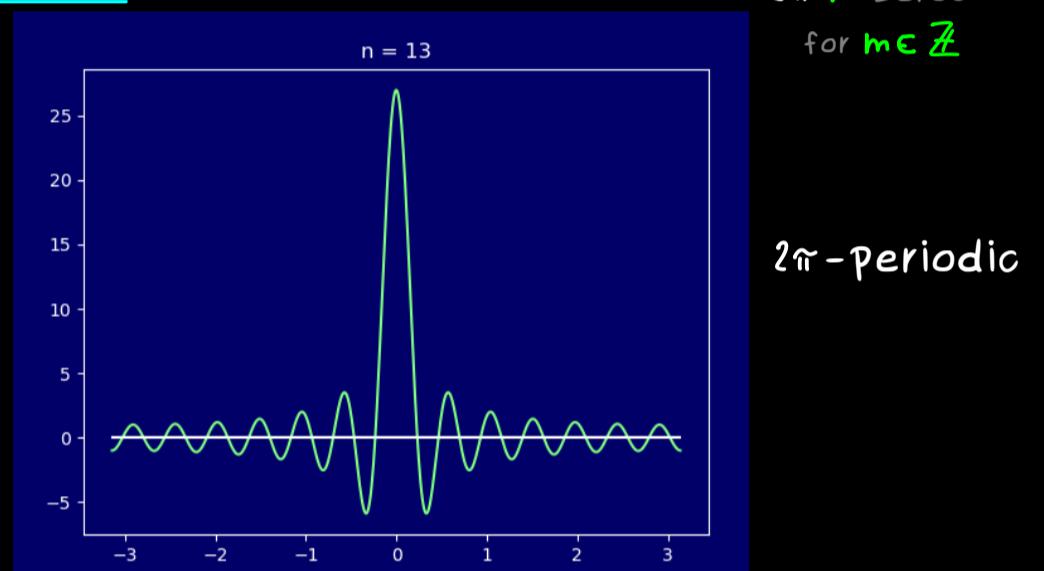


Fourier Transform - Part 18

Definition: The continuous function $\mathcal{D}_n: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$, given by

$$\mathcal{D}_n(x) = \sum_{k=-n}^n e^{ikx} = 1 + 2 \cdot \sum_{k=1}^n \cos(kx) = \frac{\sin((n+\frac{1}{2})x)}{\sin(\frac{1}{2}x)}$$

is called the Dirichlet kernel.



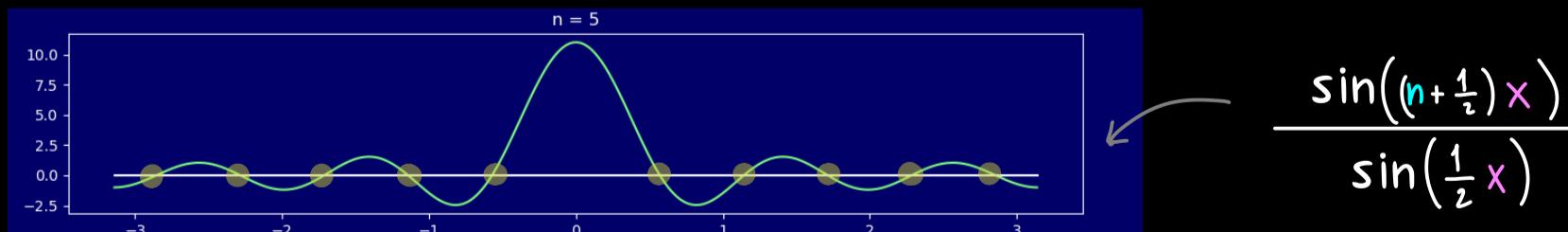
For Fourier series: $\mathcal{F}_n(f)(x) = \sum_{k=-n}^n C_k \cdot e^{ikx} = \sum_{k=-n}^n \left(\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^{-iky} f(y) dy \right) \cdot e^{ikx}$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(y) \sum_{k=-n}^n e^{ik(x-y)} dy = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(y) \mathcal{D}_n(x-y) dy$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{x-\pi}^{x+\pi} f(x-z) \mathcal{D}_n(z) dz = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \mathcal{D}_n(z) f(x-z) dz$$

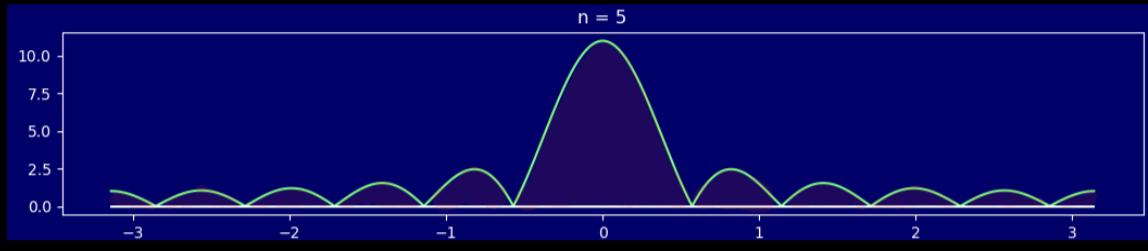
$$= \langle \mathcal{D}_n, f(x-\cdot) \rangle = \frac{1}{2\pi} (\mathcal{D}_n * f)(x) \quad (\text{convolution})$$

Properties: (1) \mathcal{D}_n has exactly $2n$ zeros inside the interval $[-\pi, \pi]$



$$(2) \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \mathbb{D}_n(x) dx = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (1 + e^{ix} + e^{-ix} + e^{2ix} + e^{-2ix} + \dots + e^{inx} + e^{-inx}) dx \\ = 2\pi \Rightarrow \langle \mathbb{D}_n, 1 \rangle = 1$$

$$(3) \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |\mathbb{D}_n(x)| dx \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \infty$$

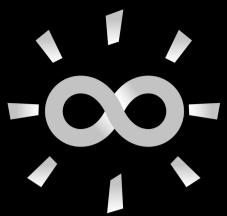


Proof of (3): $|\mathbb{D}_n(x)| = \frac{|\sin((n+\frac{1}{2})x)|}{|\sin(\frac{1}{2}x)|}$

$x \approx \sin(\frac{1}{2}x)$

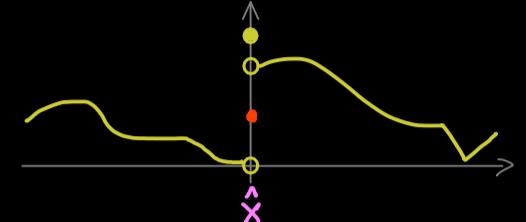
for all $x > 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |\mathbb{D}_n(x)| dx &= 2 \cdot \int_0^{\pi} |\mathbb{D}_n(x)| dx \geq 2 \cdot \int_0^{\pi} \frac{|\sin((n+\frac{1}{2})x)|}{x} dx \\ &= 2 \cdot \int_0^{(n+\frac{1}{2})\pi} \frac{|\sin(y)|}{y} dy \geq 2 \cdot \int_0^{n\pi} \frac{|\sin(y)|}{y} dy \\ &= 2 \cdot \sum_{k=1}^n \int_{(k-1)\pi}^{k\pi} \frac{|\sin(y)|}{y} dy \quad \text{maximal } k\pi \\ &\geq 2 \cdot \sum_{k=1}^n \int_{(k-1)\pi}^{k\pi} \frac{|\sin(y)|}{k\pi} dy \\ &= 2 \cdot \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k\pi} \underbrace{\int_{(k-1)\pi}^{k\pi} |\sin(y)| dy}_{=1} = \text{const.} \cdot \sum_{k=1}^n \frac{1}{k} \\ &\xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \infty \end{aligned}$$



Fourier Transform - Part 19

Theorem: $f \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}(\mathbb{R}, \mathbb{C})$, $\hat{x} \in [-\pi, \pi]$ with:

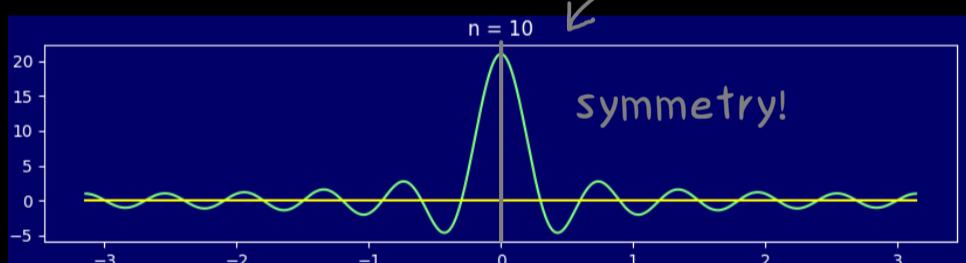


$$f(\hat{x}^-) := \lim_{\substack{\epsilon \rightarrow 0 \\ \epsilon > 0}} f(\hat{x} - \epsilon) \quad \text{exists}, \quad \lim_{\substack{h \rightarrow 0 \\ h < 0}} \frac{f(\hat{x} + h) - f(\hat{x})}{h} \quad \text{exists}$$

$$f(\hat{x}^+) := \lim_{\substack{\epsilon \rightarrow 0 \\ \epsilon > 0}} f(\hat{x} + \epsilon) \quad \text{exists}, \quad \lim_{\substack{h \rightarrow 0 \\ h > 0}} \frac{f(\hat{x} + h) - f(\hat{x})}{h} \quad \text{exists}$$

Then: $\mathcal{F}_n(f)(\hat{x}) \xrightarrow{n \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{2} (f(\hat{x}^+) + f(\hat{x}^-)) =: M$

Proof: Dirichlet kernel: $D_n(x) = \frac{\sin((n+\frac{1}{2})x)}{\sin(\frac{1}{2}x)}$ gives $\mathcal{F}_n(f)(\hat{x}) = \langle D_n, f(\hat{x} - \cdot) \rangle$



and $\langle D_n, M \rangle = M$

Use symmetry:
$$\begin{aligned} \langle D_n, f(\hat{x} - \cdot) \rangle &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} D_n(x) f(\hat{x} - x) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\int_{-\pi}^0 D_n(x) f(\hat{x} - x) dx + \int_0^{\pi} D_n(x) f(\hat{x} - x) dx \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left(\int_0^{\pi} D_n(y) f(\hat{x} + y) dy + \int_0^{\pi} D_n(x) f(\hat{x} - x) dx \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} D_n(y) (f(\hat{x} + y) + f(\hat{x} - y)) dy \end{aligned}$$

Pointwise limit: $\mathcal{F}_n(f)(x) - M = \langle D_n, f(x-\cdot) \rangle - \langle D_n, M \rangle$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi D_n(y) (f(x+y) + f(x-y)) dy - \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi D_n(y) \underbrace{2 \cdot M}_{f(x^+) + f(x^-)} dy \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi D_n(y) (f(x+y) - f(x^+) + f(x-y) - f(x^-)) dy \\
&= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \sin((n+\frac{1}{2})y) \underbrace{\frac{f(x+y) - f(x^+) + f(x-y) - f(x^-)}{\sin(\frac{1}{2}y)}}_{g(y)} dy
\end{aligned}$$

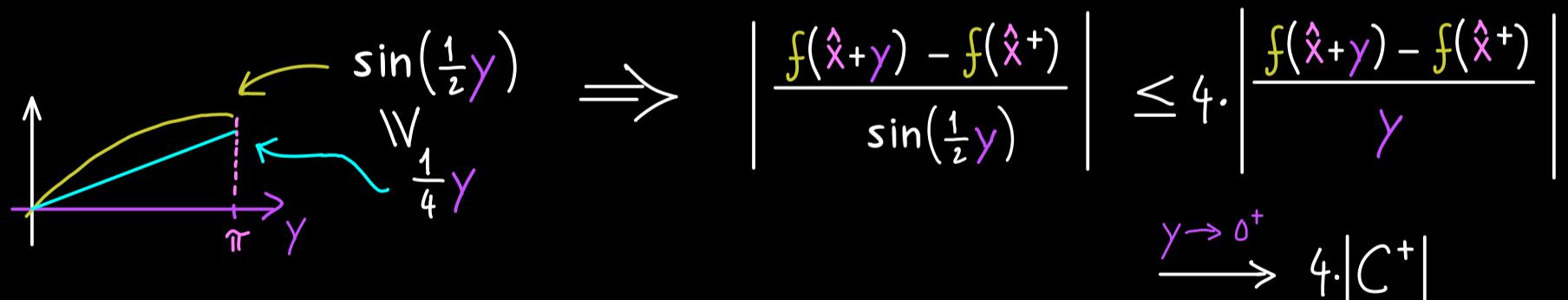
In the case that $g \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}$, we get:

$$\begin{aligned}
&\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \underbrace{\sin((n+\frac{1}{2})y)}_{\left(\frac{1}{2i} \cdot (e^{iy} e^{i\frac{1}{2}y} - e^{-iy} e^{-i\frac{1}{2}y}) \right)} g(y) dy \\
&\quad \left\langle e_{-n}, g_1 \right\rangle + \left\langle e_n, g_2 \right\rangle \xrightarrow[n \rightarrow \infty]{\text{part 8}} 0 \\
&\quad \xrightarrow{\text{Bessel's inequality}} L^2\text{-functions}
\end{aligned}$$

Show that $g \in L^2_{2\pi\text{-per}}$:

$$g(y) = \begin{cases} \frac{f(x+y) - f(x^+)}{\sin(\frac{1}{2}y)} + \frac{f(x-y) - f(x^-)}{\sin(\frac{1}{2}y)}, & y \in (0, \pi) \\ 0, & y \in [-\pi, 0] \end{cases}$$

Does $g(y)$ explode for $y \rightarrow 0^+$?



because $\lim_{\substack{h \rightarrow 0 \\ h > 0}} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} =: C^+$

and $\left| \frac{f(x-y) - f(x^-)}{\sin(\frac{1}{2}y)} \right| \leq 4 \cdot \left| \frac{f(x-y) - f(x^-)}{y} \right| \xrightarrow{y \rightarrow 0^+} 4 \cdot |C^-|$

because $\lim_{\substack{h \rightarrow 0 \\ h < 0}} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} =: C^-$ □