

## FOURIER TRANSFORM (FINITE) (ii)

Definition ① The Finite Fourier Sine transform of  $F(x)$ :  
The finite Fourier sine transform of  $F(x)$ , where  $0 < x < l$ , is defined by

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, where  $s$  is a positive integer. The function  $F(x)$  is then called the inverse finite Fourier sine transform of  $f_s(s)$  and is given by

$$F_s^{-1}\{f_s(s)\} = F(x) = \frac{2}{l} \sum_{s=1}^{\infty} f_s(s) \sin \frac{s\pi x}{l}.$$

Definition ② The Finite Fourier Cosine transform of  $F(x)$ :  
The finite Fourier cosine transform of  $F(x)$ , where  $0 < x < l$ , is defined by

$$F_c\{F(x)\} = f_c(s) = \int_0^l F(x) \cos \frac{s\pi x}{l} dx$$
, where  $s$  is a positive or zero integer. The function  $F(x)$  is then called the inverse finite cosine transform of  $f_c(s)$  and is given by

$$F_c^{-1}\{f_c(s)\} = F(x) = \frac{1}{l} f_c(0) + \frac{2}{l} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} f_c(s) \cos \frac{s\pi x}{l}.$$

Theorem ① Fourier integral Theorem

Statement: If  $f(x)$  satisfies the following conditions

(i)  $f(x)$  satisfies the Dirichlet conditions in every interval  $-l \leq x \leq l$ . (ii)  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)| dx$  converges i.e.  $f(x)$  is absolutely integrable in the interval  $-\infty < x < \infty$ , then

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{s=-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{t=-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) \cos s(x-t) ds dt$$



The integral on R.H.S. is called Fourier integral or Fourier integral expansion of  $f(x)$ .

Proof: Let us consider a function  $f(x)$  satisfying Dirichlet's condition in every interval  $(-c, c)$ , however large. Also let  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)| dx$  is convergent. Then in

the interval  $(-c, c)$

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( a_n \cos \frac{n\pi x}{c} + b_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{c} \right) \quad (2)$$

where  $a_n = \frac{1}{c} \int_{-c}^c f(t) \cos \frac{n\pi t}{c} dt, n=0, 1, 2, \dots$

and  $b_n = \frac{1}{c} \int_{-c}^c f(t) \sin \frac{n\pi t}{c} dt, n=1, 2, 3, \dots$

Putting the values of  $a_n$  and  $b_n$  in (2),

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \frac{1}{2c} \int_{-c}^c f(t) dt + \\ &\quad \frac{1}{c} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_{-c}^c f(t) \left\{ \cos \frac{n\pi t}{c} \cos \frac{n\pi x}{c} + \sin \frac{n\pi t}{c} \sin \frac{n\pi x}{c} \right\} dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2c} \int_{-c}^c f(t) dt + \frac{1}{c} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_{-c}^c f(t) \cos \frac{n\pi}{c} (t-x) dt. \end{aligned}$$

Making use of the fact that  $f(x)$  is uniformly convergent in the closed interval  $-c \leq x \leq c$ , then we get

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \frac{1}{2c} \int_{-c}^c f(t) dt + \frac{1}{c} \int_{-c}^c f(t) \left[ \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \cos \frac{n\pi(t-x)}{c} \right] dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2c} \int_{-c}^c f(t) \left[ 1 + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} 2 \cos \frac{n\pi(t-x)}{c} \right] dt \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned}
 f(x) &= \frac{1}{2c} \int_{-c}^c \left[ 1 + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=-n}^n \left\{ \cos \frac{r\pi(t-x)}{c} + \cos \frac{-r\pi(t-x)}{c} \right\} \right] f(t) dt \\
 &= \frac{1}{2c} \int_{-c}^c f(t) \left[ 1 + \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=-n}^n \cos \frac{r\pi(t-x)}{c} \right] dt \\
 &= \frac{1}{2c} \int_{-c}^c f(t) dt + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-c}^c f(t) \left[ \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sum_{r=-n}^n \frac{1}{c/\pi} \cos \frac{r\pi(t-x)}{c/\pi} \right] dt
 \end{aligned}$$

Making use of definition of integral as a limit of sum, we get

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2c} \int_{-c}^c f(t) dt + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-c}^c \left[ \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \cos u(t-x) du \right] dt$$

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Making  $c \rightarrow \infty$  and using (1)

$$f(x) = 0 + \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) dt \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \cos u(t-x) du$$

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Finally if  $-\infty < x < \infty$ , then

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(t) \cos u(t-x) dt du$$

Proved