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Fourier transform

Ch. 13.

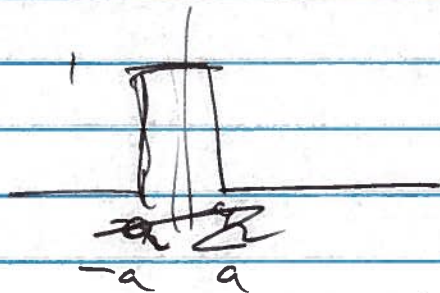
$$f(x) = \int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \tilde{f}(k) e^{ikx}$$

$$\tilde{f}(k) = \int dx f(x) e^{-ikx}$$

Lorentzian (Cauchy) $f(x) = \frac{1}{x^2 + a^2} \iff \tilde{f}(k) = \frac{\pi}{a} e^{-|k|a}$

Gaussian $f(x) = e^{-\frac{1}{2} \frac{x^2}{a^2}} \iff \tilde{f}(k) = 2\pi \cdot \frac{a}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{1}{2} k a^2}$

Top-hat



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

$$\int dx f(x) e^{-ikx} = \left[\frac{e^{-ikx}}{-ik} \right]_{-a}^a = \frac{1}{-ik} (e^{-ika} - e^{ika})$$

$$= 2a \cdot \left(\frac{e^{ika} - e^{-ika}}{2ika} \right) = 2a \cdot \left(\frac{\sin ka}{ka} \right)$$

$(a \rightarrow \infty) f(x) \rightarrow 1$

$\tilde{f} \rightarrow \infty (k=0)$

$f \rightarrow 0 (k \rightarrow \infty)$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dk \cdot 2a \frac{\sin ka}{ka} \tilde{f} \rightarrow 2\pi \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dy \frac{\sin y}{y} = 2\pi$$

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other limit & eq.

mathworld,

$$\frac{\sin(x/\epsilon)}{x/\epsilon} \rightarrow a \frac{\sin(ka)}{\pi ka} = \frac{2 \sin(ka)}{\pi ka}$$

$$\epsilon = \frac{1}{a}$$

$$\int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \cdot 1 \cdot e^{ikx} = \delta(x)$$

δ is always
a limit
background for
doesn't matter.

Iterate:

$$\tilde{f}(k) = \int dx' f(x') e^{-ikx'}$$

$$\int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \tilde{f}(k) = \int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \left[\int dx' f(x') e^{-ikx'} \right] e^{ikx}$$

$$= \int dx' f(x') \left[\int \frac{dk}{2\pi} e^{ik(x-x')} \right]$$

$$= \int dx' f(x') \delta(x-x') = \underline{\underline{f(x)}}$$

$(-i)$ on one, $(+i)$ on other $\rightarrow \delta(x-x')$

reverse. $\rightarrow \delta(k-k')$

Convolution

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$$\int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \tilde{f}(k) \tilde{g}(k) e^{ikx}$$

$$= \int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \left[\int dx' f(x') e^{-ikx'} \right] \left[\int dx'' g(x'') e^{-ikx''} \right] e^{ikx}$$

$$= \int dx' dx'' f(x') g(x'') \left[\int \frac{dk}{2\pi} e^{ik(x-x'-x'')} \right]$$

$$= \int dx' dx'' f(x') g(x'') \cdot \delta(x-x'-x'')$$

do x'' integral $x'' = x - x'$

$$= \int dx' f(x') g(x-x')$$

do x' integral $x' = x - x''$

$$= \int dx'' f(x-x'') g(x'')$$

related by change of variable

"Convolution"

$g = \text{p.s.f.}$

$f * g = f$ smeared/averaged over g .

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$$\text{let } \underline{g = f^*(-x')}$$

$$\tilde{g} = \int dx' f^*(-x') e^{-ikx'}$$

$$= \int dx'' f^*(x'') e^{ikx''} = \left[\int dx' f(x'') e^{-ikx'} \right]^*$$

conclusion:

$$\int dx' f(x') g(x-x') = \int dx' f(x') f^*(x'-x)$$

$$= \int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \tilde{f}(k) \tilde{g}(k) e^{ikx} = \int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \tilde{f}(k) \tilde{f}^*(k) e^{ikx}$$

let $x=0$

$$\int dx' f(x') f^*(x') = \int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \tilde{f}(k) \tilde{f}^*(k)$$

$$\int dx |f(x)|^2 = \int \frac{dk}{2\pi} |\tilde{f}(k)|^2$$

Parseval's Theorem.

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$$\int dx \left[\frac{1}{x^2 + a^2} \right]^2 = \int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \left[\frac{\pi}{a} e^{-|k|a} \right]^2$$

$$= \frac{\pi^2}{2\pi a^2} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dk e^{-2|k|a} = \frac{2\pi^2}{2\pi a^2} \int_0^{\infty} dk e^{-2ka}$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{a^2} \left[\frac{e^{-2ka}}{-2a} \right]_0^{\infty} = \frac{\pi}{a^2} \left(\frac{0 - 1}{-2a} \right) = \frac{\pi}{2a^3}$$

$$\int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \left[\frac{2a \sin ka}{ka} \right]^2 = \frac{4a}{2\pi} \int dy \frac{\sin^2 y}{y^2}$$

$$= \int_{-a}^a dx (1)^2 = 2a$$

$$\int_0^{\infty} dy \frac{\sin^2 y}{y^2} = \pi$$

$$f(0) = \int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \left(\frac{2a \sin ka}{ka} \right) \cdot e^{ikx} = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dy \frac{\sin y}{y} = 1$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} dy \frac{\sin y}{y} = \pi$$

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Laplace Transform

$$\tilde{f}(k) = \int dx f(x) e^{-ikx}$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{l} x \rightarrow t \\ k \rightarrow -is \end{array} \right)$$

$$\tilde{f}(s) = \int_0^{\infty} dt f(t) e^{-st}$$

$$f(x) = \int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \tilde{f}(k) e^{+ikx} \rightarrow$$

$$f(t) = \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} \frac{ds}{2\pi i} \tilde{f}(s) e^{+st}$$

complex plane rotation

$$\tilde{f}(s) = \int_0^{\infty} dt f(t) e^{-st}$$

$$f(t) = \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} \frac{ds}{2\pi i} \tilde{f}(s) e^{+st}$$

$$s = -z$$

$$\begin{array}{l} t = \ln t \\ z = -s \end{array}$$

$$\phi(z) = \int_0^{\infty} dt t^{z-1} f(t)$$

$$f(t) = \int_{-i\infty}^{+i\infty} \frac{dz}{2\pi i} t^{-z} \phi(z)$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} f(x) = \int \frac{dk}{2\pi} \tilde{f}(k) (ik) e^{ikx}$$

$$\tilde{[f'(x)]} = ik \tilde{f}$$

Sharpening

~~$$f_{obs} = \int dx' f(x+x') w(x')$$~~

$$f_{obs} = \int dx' f(x+x') w(x') \quad (\text{Symmetric})$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{f}_{obs} = \tilde{f}_{ideal} \tilde{w}(k)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{f}_{ideal}(k) = \frac{\tilde{f}_{obs}(k)}{\tilde{w}(k)}$$

sharpening

gaussian PSF. \rightarrow (enhances high frequencies)

Amplifies noise