

Course description for MATH 827: Classical and Modern Fourier Analysis I

Fall 2007

NAME OF THE COURSE: Classical and Modern Fourier Analysis I

SEMESTER: Fall 2007

INSTRUCTOR: Prof. Diego Maldonado

CREDITS: 3

PREREQUISITE: MATH 821 Real Analysis

TEXT: There is no textbook required for the course as we will be using our own notes. However, the following texts are relevant to the course and they are recommended reading:

- *Fourier analysis* by Javier Duoandikoetxea (translated and revised by David Cruz-Uribe). American Mathematical Society, 2001.
- *Classical and Modern Fourier Analysis* by Loukas Grafakos. Pearson/Prentice Hall, 2004.
- *Harmonic analysis : real-variable methods, orthogonality, and oscillatory integrals* by Elias M. Stein. Princeton University Press, 1993.

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TARGET AUDIENCE: Graduate students from physics, engineering, and mathematics who have taken a course on Real Analysis.

GOAL: To develop a sophisticated mathematical machinery that is tightly connected to both: *abstract fields* such as harmonic analysis in locally compact groups, representation theory, diffusion semigroups, and functional analysis; and to *applied fields* such as signal/image processing and partial differential equations.

DESCRIPTION OF THE COURSE: This course is the first part of the sequence MATH 827 and MATH 828 (Classical and Modern Fourier Analysis II). Along with standard theorems, the course will include topics on:

- (i) Fourier Analysis on the circle: functions as signals, Fourier series, L^2 -convergence of the partial sums of the Fourier series, L^p -convergence, criteria for almost everywhere pointwise convergence, Gibbs phenomenon.
- (ii) Fourier Analysis on the line: The Fourier transforms, the duality smoothness/decay, the uncertainty principle, fractional integrals, filters, connections to fundamental solutions of PDEs.
- (iii) Singular integrals of convolution type: The Hilbert transform, analytic signals and instantaneous frequency, connections to harmonic functions, connections to the L^p -convergence of Fourier series. Singular integrals in higher dimensions, the Riesz transforms, applications to the L^p -theory of elliptic PDEs.
- (iv) Littlewood-Paley theory: Wavelets, characterizations of function spaces (Lebesgue spaces, Hardy spaces, Sobolev spaces, Besov spaces, Triebel-Lizorkin spaces), square functions, multipliers.
- (v) BMO, Carleson measures: The duality between H^1 and BMO .
- (vi) Singular integrals of non-convolution type: General L^p -boundedness theory, applications to the Cauchy integral.

The course will also include historical references, current open problems, and connections of Fourier Analysis with other areas of Mathematics.

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