## Math 241 Final Exam Spring 2013

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7	10	
8	15	
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$$\int_0^x u \cos nu \ du = \frac{\cos nx + nx \sin nx - 1}{n^2} \quad \text{for any real } n \neq 0$$

$$\int_0^x u \sin nu \ du = \frac{\sin nx - nx \cos nx}{n^2} \quad \text{for any real } n \neq 0$$

$$\int_0^x e^{mu} \cos nu \ du = \frac{e^{mx} (m \cos nx + n \sin nx) - m}{m^2 + n^2} \quad \text{for any real } n, m$$

$$\int_0^x e^{mu} \sin nu \ du = \frac{e^{mx} (-n \cos nx + m \sin nx) + n}{m^2 + n^2} \quad \text{for any real } n, m$$

$$\int_0^x \sin nu \cos mu \ du = \frac{m \sin nx \sin mx + n \cos nx \cos mx - n}{m^2 - n^2} \quad \text{for any real numbers } m \neq n$$

$$\int_0^x \cos nu \cos mu \ du = \frac{m \cos nx \sin mx - n \sin nx \cos mx}{m^2 - n^2} \quad \text{for any real numbers } m \neq n$$

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## FORMULAS INVOLVING BESSEL FUNCTIONS

• Bessel's equation:  $r^2R'' + rR' + (\alpha^2r^2 - n^2)R = 0$  – The only solutions of this which are bounded at r = 0 are  $R(r) = cJ_n(\alpha r)$ .

$$J_n(x) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k}{k!(k+n)!} \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{n+2k}.$$

 $J_0(0) = 1$ ,  $J_n(0) = 0$  if n > 0.  $z_{nm}$  is the mth positive zero of  $J_n(x)$ .

• Orthogonality relations:

If 
$$m \neq k$$
 then  $\int_0^1 x J_n(z_{nm}x) J_n(z_{nk}x) dx = 0$  and  $\int_0^1 x (J_n(z_{nm}x))^2 dx = \frac{1}{2} J_{n+1}(z_{nm})^2$ .

• Recursion and differentiation formulas:

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^n J_n(x)) = x^n J_{n-1}(x) \quad \text{or} \quad \int x^n J_{n-1}(x) \, dx = x^n J_n(x) + C \quad \text{for } n \ge 1$$
 (1)

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x^{-n}J_n(x)) = -x^{-n}J_{n+1}(x) \quad \text{for} \quad n \ge 0$$
 (2)

$$J'_n(x) + \frac{n}{r}J_n(x) = J_{n-1}(x)$$
(3)

$$J'_n(x) - \frac{n}{x}J_n(x) = -J_{n+1}(x)$$
(4)

$$2J'_n(x) = J_{n-1}(x) - J_{n+1}(x)$$
(5)

$$\frac{2n}{x}J_n(x) = J_{n-1}(x) + J_{n+1}(x)$$
(6)

• Modified Bessel's equation:  $r^2R'' + rR' - (\alpha^2r^2 + n^2)R = 0$  – The only solutions of this which are bounded at r = 0 are  $R(r) = cI_n(\alpha r)$ .

$$I_n(x) = i^{-n} J_n(ix) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{k!(k+n)!} \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{n+2k}.$$

- Associated Legendre Functions:  $\frac{d}{d\phi}\left(\sin\phi\frac{dg}{d\phi}\right) + \left(\mu \frac{m^2}{\sin\phi}\right)g = 0$ . Using the substitution  $x = \cos\phi$ , this equation becomes  $\frac{d}{dx}\left((1-x^2)\frac{dg}{dx}\right) + \left(\mu \frac{m^2}{1-x^2}\right)g = 0$ . This equation has bounded solutions only when  $\mu = n(n+1)$  and  $0 \le m \le n$ . The solution  $P_n^m(x)$  is called an associated Legendre function of the first kind.
- Associated Legendre Function Identities:

$$P_n^0(x) = \frac{1}{2^n n!} \frac{d^n}{dx^n} (x^2 - 1)^n$$
 and  $P_n^m(x) = (-1)^m (1 - x^2)^{m/2} \frac{d^m}{dx^m} P_n(x)$  when  $1 \le m \le n$ 

• Orthogonality of Associated Legendre Functions: If n and k are both greater than or equal to m,

If 
$$n \neq k$$
 then  $\int_{-1}^{1} P_n^m(x) P_k^m(x) dx = 0$  and  $\int_{-1}^{1} (P_n^m(x))^2 dx = \frac{2(n+m)!}{(2n+1)(n-m)!}$ .

- Spherical Bessel Functions:  $(\rho^2 f')' + (\alpha^2 \rho^2 n(n+1))f = 0$ . If we define the spherical Bessel function  $j_n(\rho) = \rho^{-\frac{1}{2}} J_{n+\frac{1}{2}}(\rho)$ , then only solution of this ODE bounded at  $\rho = 0$  is  $j_n(\alpha \rho)$ .
- Spherical Bessel Function Identity:

$$j_n(x) = x^2 \left(-\frac{1}{x}\frac{d}{dx}\right)^n \left(\frac{\sin x}{x}\right).$$

• Spherical Bessel Function Orthogonality: Let  $z_{nm}$  be the m-th positive zero of  $j_n$ .

If 
$$m \neq k$$
 then  $\int_0^1 x^2 j_n(z_{nm}x) j_n(z_{nk}x) dx = 0$  and  $\int_0^1 x^2 (j_n(z_{nm}x))^2 dx = \frac{1}{2} (j_{n+1}(z_{nm}))^2$ .

## ONE-DIMENSIONAL FOURIER TRANSFORM

$$\mathcal{F}[u](\omega) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u(x)e^{i\omega x} dx, \qquad \mathcal{F}^{-1}[U](x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} U(\omega)e^{-i\omega x} d\omega$$

Table of Fourier Transform Pairs Fourier Transform Pairs ( $\alpha>0$ ) ( $\beta>0$ )

$u(x) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}[U]$	$U(\omega) = \mathcal{F}[u]$	$u(x) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}[U]$	$U(\omega) = \mathcal{F}[u]$
$e^{-\alpha x^2}$	$\frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi\alpha}}e^{-\frac{\omega^2}{4\alpha}}$	$\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{\beta}}e^{-\frac{x^2}{4\beta}}$	$e^{-\beta\omega^2}$
$e^{-\alpha x }$	$\frac{1}{2\pi} \frac{2\alpha}{x^2 + \alpha^2}$	$\frac{2\beta}{x^2 + \beta^2}$	$e^{-\beta \omega }$
$u(x) = \begin{cases} 0 &  x  > \alpha \\ 1 &  x  < \alpha \end{cases}$	$\frac{1}{\pi} \frac{\sin \alpha \omega}{\omega}$	$2\frac{\sin\beta x}{x}$	$U(\omega) = \begin{cases} 0 &  \omega  > \beta \\ 1 &  \omega  < \beta \end{cases}$
$\delta(x-x_0)$	$\frac{1}{2\pi}e^{i\omega x_0}$	$e^{-i\omega_0 x}$	$\delta(\omega-\omega_0)$

- 1. The following are questions about Bessel functions. [+2.5 points for a correct answer.]
  - (a) The modified Bessel functions  $\{I_m(x)\}\$  remains bounded as x tends to 0. True / False
  - (b) The Bessel functions  $J_0$  and  $Y_0$  have infinitely many zeros on the positive real axis.

    True / False
  - (c) If  $\{z_5\}$  is a zero of  $J_5(x)$ , and  $\{z_4\}$  is a zero of  $J_4(x)$ , then True / False

$$\int_{0}^{1} J_{5}(z_{5}r)J_{4}(z_{4}r)rdr = 0.$$
 (1)

(d) The functions  $\{K_n(r): n=0,1,\ldots\}$  are used to solve the boundary value problem:

$$\begin{cases}
\nabla^2 u(r,\theta) = 0 \text{ where } 1 < r \\
u(1,\theta) = f(\theta) \\
\lim_{r \to \infty} u(r,\theta) = 0.
\end{cases}$$
(2)

2. In the study of forced vibrating membranes, one may encounter a differential equation such as

$$\frac{d^2A}{dt^2} + \omega^2 A = \cos \omega t,$$

where  $\omega > 0$  is a fixed constant. Which of the following functions is a particular solution to this ordinary differential equation

(a) 
$$A(t) = \sin \omega t$$

(b) 
$$A(t) = \cos \omega t$$

(c) 
$$A(t) = \frac{1}{2\omega}t\sin\omega t$$

(d) 
$$A(t) = \frac{1}{2\omega}t\cos\omega t$$

Is this an instance of resonance?

3. Decide whether the following statements regarding the Fourier transformation  $\mathcal{F}$ :

$$\mathcal{F}(f)(\omega) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x)e^{i\omega x} dx$$
 (3)

are true or false. [+2.5 points for a correct answer, -2.5 points for an incorrect answer.]

- (a) A Gaussian is a function of the form  $\alpha e^{-\beta x^2}$ , for constants  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$ . The Fourier transform of a Gaussian is always a Gaussian. True / False
- (b) If  $F(\omega)=\mathcal{F}[f(x)]$ , then for any constant  $\beta$ , True / False  $\mathcal{F}[f(x-\beta)]=e^{-i\omega\beta}F(\omega).$
- (c) If we let  $f*g(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int\limits_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(y)g(x-y)dy,$

then True / False

$$\mathcal{F}[f * g] = \mathcal{F}[f]\mathcal{F}[g].$$

(d) If  $F(\omega)$  is the Fourier transform of f(x), then  $\frac{\partial F}{\partial \omega}$  is the Fourier transform of  $\frac{\partial f}{\partial x}$ .

4. Suppose that u satisfies the heat equation in a rod (0 < x < L) with the boundary conditions on the left. Match the boundary conditions on the left with the reference temperature  $u_0$  on the right so that  $v = u - u_0$  satisfies homogeneous boundary conditions.

i) 
$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(0,t) = A(t), u(L,t) = B(t)$$
 (a)  $u_0(x,t) = xA(t) + \frac{x^2}{2L}[B(t) - A(t)]$ 

ii) 
$$u(0,t) = A(t), u(L,t) = B(t)$$
 (b)  $u_0(x,t) = B(t) + A(t)[x-L]$ 

iii) 
$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(0,t) = A(t), \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(L,t) = B(t)$$
 (c)  $u_0(x,t) = A(t) + \frac{x}{L}[B(t) - A(t)].$ 

5. Compute the Fourier transforms of the following functions

(a) 
$$f(x) = e^{-5|x-1|}$$

(b) 
$$f(x) = \frac{4x}{(1+x^2)^2}$$

(c) 
$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x \text{ for } -1 \le x \le 1\\ 0 \text{ for } 1 < |x| \end{cases}$$

6. Solve Laplace's equation on the half space

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0, \quad -\infty < x < \infty, \quad y > 0,$$

subject to the boundary conditions  $\lim_{x\to\pm\infty}u(x,y)=\lim_{y\to\infty}u(x,y)=0$  and

$$u(x,0) = \begin{cases} 1, & |x| < 1 \\ 0, & |x| \ge 1 \end{cases}.$$

7. The vertical displacement of a circular membrane of radius 1, fixed at the boundary satisfies the PDE

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \nabla^2 u \tag{4}$$

with

$$u(1, \theta, t) = 0. \tag{5}$$

Let  $J_0(z)$  be the 0th Bessel function of the first kind with roots  $z_1, z_2, \ldots, z_n, \ldots$ Find a formula for the vertical displacement  $u(r, \theta, t)$  of a vibrating circular membrane subject to the initial conditions

$$u(r, \theta, 0) = 2J_0(z_2r) - 3J_0(z_5r), \text{ and } \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}(r, \theta, 0) = 0.$$

**Hint**: The solution should be circularly symmetric.

8. Find a solution in the unit disk,  $r^2 \leq 1$ , to the inhomogeneous Laplace equation

$$\nabla^2 u = r^2 \tag{6}$$

with

$$u(1,\theta) = \cos(2\theta). \tag{7}$$