

# HWK 9 sol's

1. Let  $c = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-x^4} dx$  and  $\varphi(x) = \frac{1}{c} e^{-x^4}$ . Then  $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \varphi(x) dx = 1$ .

$\varphi_\varepsilon(x) = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \varphi(\frac{x}{\varepsilon}) = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \cdot \frac{1}{c} \cdot e^{-(x/\varepsilon)^4}$  is a "good kernel."

2. Notice that  $\mathcal{F}^{-1}[g](x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(s) e^{isx} ds =$

$$\mathcal{F}^{-1}[g](-x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(s) e^{-is(-x)} ds. \text{ So } \mathcal{F}^{-1}[g](x) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}[g](-x),$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\cos sx}{s^2+1} ds$$

even

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{\cos sx}{s^2+1} - i \frac{\sin sx}{s^2+1} ds$$

odd

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \sqrt{2\pi} \mathcal{F}^{-1}\left[\frac{1}{s^2+1}\right](x)$$

$$\mathcal{F}^{-1}[f](x) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}[f](-x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \mathcal{F}^{-1}\left[\mathcal{F}\left[\frac{1}{s^2+1}\right]\right](-x)$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{(-x)^2+1} = \frac{1}{\pi(x^2+1)}$$

4. Let  $\varepsilon > 0$ . Since  $\int_{|x|>N} |g(x)| dx \rightarrow 0$  as  $N \rightarrow \infty$ , there

is an  $N_0$  such that  $\left| \int_{|x|>N} g(x) \sin wx dx \right| < \frac{\varepsilon}{3}$  for all  $w$ .

Let  $P$  be a polynomial such that  $|g(x) - P(x)| < \frac{\varepsilon/3}{2N_0}$

on  $[-N_0, N_0]$ . Since  $P$  is  $C^1$ -smooth, we know there

is an  $M$  such that  $\int_{-N_0}^M P(x) \sin wx dx < \frac{\varepsilon}{3}$  when  $w > M$

from HWK 7. Now

$$\left| \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x) \sin wx dx \right| = \left| \int_{|x| > N_0} g(x) \sin wx dx + \int_{-N_0}^{N_0} [g(x) - P(x)] \sin wx dx + \int_{-N_0}^{N_0} P(x) \sin wx dx \right|$$

$$< \frac{\varepsilon}{3} + \underbrace{\frac{\varepsilon/3}{2N_0} \cdot 2N_0}_{\varepsilon} + \frac{\varepsilon}{3} \quad \text{when } w > M.$$

5. Same argument in prob 4 shows  $\int \rightarrow 0$  as  $|w| \rightarrow \infty$ , and even when sine is replaced by cosine. So

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{F}[g](w) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x) e^{-ixw} dx \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x) \cos wx dx - \frac{i}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} g(x) \sin wx dx \\ &\quad \downarrow \qquad \qquad \qquad \downarrow \\ &\quad 0 \qquad \qquad \qquad 0 \\ &\text{as } |w| \rightarrow \infty. \end{aligned}$$