

Instructional School for Teachers, Fourier Analysis
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Lecture 1: 14-11-2016

Consider 2π periodic functions. Definition of Fourier series, Definition of convolution

$$N^{\text{th}} \text{ Dirichlet kernel: } D_N(x) = \sum_{n=-N}^N e^{inx}$$

Properties of Dirichlet kernel, Definition of Good kernels

Lecture 2: 15-11-2016

Proof of the following theorem:

Theorem: If $\{K_n\}$ is a family of good kernels and f is 2π periodic integrable function which is continuous at x , then

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} (f * K_n)(x) = f(x).$$

Notion of Cesaro summability

$$\text{Fejer Kernel: } F_N(x) = \frac{D_0(x) + \dots + D_{N-1}(x)}{N}$$

This is example of a family of good kernels.

Notion of Abel summability

Lecture 3: 16-11-2016

Statement of Uniqueness problem

Proof of trigonometric polynomials are dense in the set of continuous functions on unit circle.

Statement of Dirichlet problem

$$\text{Poisson kernel: } P_r(\theta) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} r^{|n|} e^{in\theta}$$

This is example of a family of good kernels.

Lecture 4: 17-11-2016

Dirichlet kernel is not a good kernel.

Applications:

- 1) Isoperimetric Inequality
- 2) Parseval's Identity

Lecture 5,6: 18-11-2016

Fourier Transform on \mathbb{R} .

Definitions of functions of moderate decrease $M(\mathbb{R})$ and Schwartz space $S(\mathbb{R})$.

Properties and examples, $S(\mathbb{R}) \subseteq M(\mathbb{R})$

$K_\delta(x) = \delta^{-1/2}e^{-\pi x^2/\delta}$, $\delta > 0$ is a family of good kernels.

Properties of Fourier Transform on \mathbb{R} .