

# Eigenfunction Expansions of Ultradifferentiable Functions and Ultradistributions

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On  $\mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $n \geq 2$ ,  
**Heat Operator:**

$$L = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_n} - \sum_{j=1}^{n-1} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_j^2}.$$

The fundamental Solution:

$$E(x) = \begin{cases} (4\pi x_n)^{\frac{(1-n)}{2}} \exp\left[-\frac{(x_1^2 + \dots + x_{n-1}^2)}{4x_n}\right], & x_n > 0 \\ 0 & x_n \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

$E \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n \setminus 0)$ , but is **not** analytic for  $x_n = 0$ .

But for any fixed compact subset  $K \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ ,  $0 \notin K$ ,

$$|\partial^\alpha E(x)| \leq C^{|\alpha|+1} (\alpha!)^2, \quad x \in K.$$



Generalizing this the Gevrey spaces on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  were defined.

L. Rodino, “Linear partial differential operators in Gevrey spaces.” *World Scientific Publishing Co., Inc., River Edge, NJ*, 1993.

Let  $G$  be a compact group of dimension  $n$ .

$\widehat{G}$  : set of equivalence classes of continuous irreducible unitary representations of  $G$ .

### Irreducible Unitary representation:

A strongly continuous mapping  $\xi : G \rightarrow \mathcal{U}(H_\xi)$ ,

- $\xi(x)^* = \xi(x)^{-1}$  (unitary)
- $\xi(xy) = \xi(x)\xi(y)$  (preserves group structure)
- $\xi \neq \xi_1 \oplus \xi_2$  for some unitary representations  $\xi_1, \xi_2$  (irreducible)

$$\dim(\xi) = \dim(\mathcal{H}_\xi) = d_\xi$$

$\xi_{ij}(x) = \langle e_i, \xi(x)e_j \rangle$ , where  $\{e_j\}_{j=1}^{d_\xi}$  is an orthonormal basis of  $\mathcal{H}_\xi$

$$\xi = (\xi_{ij})_{i,j=1}^{d_\xi} \in \mathbb{C}^{d_\xi \times d_\xi}$$

- **Fourier coefficient:**  $\hat{f}(\xi)$  of  $f \in C^\infty(G)$  at  $\xi \in \hat{G}$  is

$$\hat{f}(\xi) = \int_G f(x) \xi(x)^* dx$$

Note that  $\hat{f}(\xi) \in \mathbb{C}^{d_\xi \times d_\xi}$  is a matrix!

- **Plancherel Identity:**

$$\|f\|_{L^2(G)} = \left( \sum_{[\xi] \in \hat{G}} d_\xi \|\hat{f}(\xi)\|_{HS}^2 \right)^{1/2} = \|\hat{f}\|_{\ell^2(\hat{G})}$$

where  $\|B\|_{HS} = \sqrt{\text{Tr}(BB^*)}$

- **Fourier inversion formula/ Fourier series:**

$$f(x) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}(\hat{f}) = \sum_{\xi \in \hat{G}} d_\xi \text{Tr} \left( \hat{f}(\xi) \xi(x) \right).$$

- For each  $[\xi] \in \hat{G}$ ,

$$-\mathcal{L}_G \xi_{ij}(x) = \lambda_{[\xi]}^2 \xi_{ij}(x), \quad 1 \leq i, j \leq d_{[\xi]}$$

$\{\sqrt{d_{[\xi]}} \xi_{ij}\}$  is an orthonormal basis of  $L^2(G)$ .

Denote  $|\xi| := \lambda_{[\xi]} \geq 0$

- $\langle \xi \rangle = \left(1 + \lambda_{[\xi]}^2\right)^{1/2}$  are the **eigenvalues** of elliptic first order pseudo-differential operators  $(I - \mathcal{L}_G)^{1/2}$ .

# Gevrey Functions

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## Definition

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# Gevrey Ultradistributions

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$$\left( \|\widehat{v}(\xi)\|_{\text{HS}} \leq K e^{B\langle \xi \rangle^{1/s}} \right), \forall [\xi] \in \hat{G}.$$

$$\widehat{v}(\xi) = v_\xi := \langle v, \xi^* \rangle = v(\xi^*).$$

A. Dasgupta and M. Ruzhansky, "Gevrey functions and ultradistributions on compact Lie groups and homogenous spaces." *Bull. Sci. Math.*, 138(6): 756-782, 2014.

# Applications

Consider the Cauchy problem for the wave equation

$$\partial_t^2 u - a(t)\mathcal{L}_G u = 0.$$



Global Characterisations of Gevrey space + Energy inequality  $\implies$   
well posedness result.

C. Garetto and M. Ruzhansky, “Wave equation for sums of squares on compact Lie groups.” *J. Differ. Equ.*, 258(12): 4324-4347, 2015.

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# Analytic functions

$X$  be a compact analytic manifold.

$E$  : an analytic, elliptic, positive differential operator of order  $\nu$ .

$\{\lambda_j\}$  and  $\{\phi_j\}$  be respectively eigenvalues and eigenfunctions of  $E$ .

A smooth function  $f$ ,

- $f = \sum_j f_j \phi_j$  is analytic  $\iff$  there is a constant  $C > 0$  such that for all  $k \geq 0$

$$\sum_j \lambda_j^{2k} |f_j|^2 \leq ((\nu k)!)^2 C^{2k+2}.$$

- $f = \sum_j f_j \phi_j$  is analytic  $\iff$  the sequence  $\{A^{\lambda_j^{1/\nu}} f_j\}$  is bounded for some  $A > 1$ .

R. T. Seeley. "Eigenfunction expansions of analytic functions". *Proc. Amer. Math. Soc.*, 21: 734-738, 1969.

Let  $X$  be a compact  $C^\infty$  manifold of dimension  $n$ .

$E \in \Psi_{+e}^\nu(X)$  : a positive elliptic pseudo-differential operators of an integer order  $\nu$ .

The eigenvalues of  $E$  form a sequence  $\{\lambda_j\}$  and assume that  $0 < \lambda_1 < \lambda_2 < \dots$ .

$H_j$  : The corresponding eigenspace for the eigen value  $\lambda_j$ .

$d_j := \dim H_j$ ,  $H_0 := \ker E$ ,  $\lambda_0 := 0$ ,  $d_0 := \dim H_0$ .

$\{e_j^k\}$ ,  $1 \leq k \leq d_j$ , the orthonormal basis of  $H_j$ , so  $H_j = \text{span}\{e_j^k\}_{k=1}^{d_j}$ .

$$L^2(X) = \bigoplus_{j=0}^{\infty} H_j.$$

It can shown that,

$$\sum_{j=1}^{\infty} d_j (1 + \lambda_j)^{-q} < \infty \text{ if and only if } q > \frac{n}{\nu}.$$



## Fourier Coefficients:

For  $f \in L^2(X)$ ,  $\widehat{f}(j, k) := (f, e_j^k)_{L^2}$

and

$$\widehat{f}(j) = \begin{pmatrix} \widehat{f}(j, 1) \\ \vdots \\ \widehat{f}(j, d_j) \end{pmatrix} \in \mathbb{C}^{d_j}.$$

## Plancherel formula :

$$\|f\|_{L^2(X)}^2 = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=1}^{d_j} |\widehat{f}(j, k)|^2 = \sum_{j=0}^{\infty} \|\widehat{f}(j)\|_{\text{HS}}^2.$$

Let  $\{M_k\}$  be a sequence of positive numbers such that

$$(M.1) \quad M_0 = 1$$

$$(M.2) \quad M_{k+1} \leq AH^k M_k, \quad \text{for some } A > 0, H \geq 1 \text{ and } k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$(M.3) \quad M_{2k} \leq AH^{2k} M_k^2$$



$$(M.3') \quad M_k \leq AH^k \min_{0 \leq q \leq k} M_q M_{k-q}, \quad k = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$(M.4) \quad \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{M_{k-1}}{M_k} < \infty$$

# Ultradifferentiable functions on $\mathbb{R}^n$

## Definition

The space of functions  $\psi \in C^\infty(\mathbb{R}^n)$  such that for every compact  $K \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  there exist  $h > 0$  and a constant  $C$  such that

$$\sup_{x \in K} |\partial^\alpha \psi(x)| \leq Ch^{|\alpha|} M_{|\alpha|}.$$

H. Komatsu, "Ultradistributions. I. Structure theorems and a characterization." *J. Fac. Sci. Univ. Tokyo. Sect. IA. Math.*, 20: 25-105, 1973.

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## Komatsu Type Ultradifferentiable Functions:

$\{M_k\}$  satisfies (M.1), (M.2), (M.3) and

$k! \leq C_l l^k M_k, \forall k \in \mathbb{N}_0$ , for some  $l, C_l > 0$ . (Romieu Class),

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# Results

We have proved the following properties:

- 1  $\Gamma_{\{M_k\}}(X)$  is independent of the choice of an operator  $E \in \Psi_e^\nu(X)$ .
- 2  $\phi \in \Gamma_{\{M_k\}}(X)$  if and only if there exist  $h > 0$  and  $C > 0$  such that

$$\|\partial^\alpha \phi\|_{L^2(X)} \leq Ch^{|\alpha|} M_{|\alpha|},$$

where  $\partial^\alpha = \partial_{j_1}^{\alpha_1} \dots \partial_{j_k}^{\alpha_k}$ , with  $1 \leq j_1, \dots, j_k \leq N$ ,  $\sum_{j=1}^N \partial_j^2$  is elliptic and  $|\alpha| = \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + \dots + \alpha_k$ .

- 3 Assume  $X$  and  $E$  are analytic. Then the class  $\Gamma_{\{M_k\}}(X)$  is preserved by analytic change of variables, and is well defined in  $X$ . Moreover, in every local coordinate chart, it consists of functions locally belonging to the class  $\Gamma_{\{M_k\}}(\mathbb{R}^n)$ .

# Gevrey Spaces

If  $M_k = (k!)^s$  for  $s \geq 1$  then  $\gamma^s(X) = \Gamma_{\{(k!)^s\}}(X)$ , that is functions which belong to the Gevrey classes  $\gamma^s(\mathbb{R}^n)$  in local coordinate charts, which means,

$\phi \in \gamma^s(\mathbb{R}^n) \Rightarrow \exists A > 0, C > 0$  such that  $\forall \alpha$ ,

$$|\partial^\alpha \phi(x)| \leq CA^{|\alpha|}(\alpha!)^s.$$

For  $s = 1$  it will be the space of analytic functions.

**Associated function:**

$$M(r) := \sup_{k \in \mathbb{N}} \log \frac{r^{\nu k}}{M_{\nu k}}, \quad r > 0, \text{ and set } M(0) = 0$$

For Gevrey Class,  $M(r) \approx r^{1/s}$ , that is,  $\frac{s}{4\nu e} r^{1/s} \leq M(r) \leq sr^{1/s}$ .

## Theorem

$\phi \in \Gamma_{\{M_k\}}(X)$  if and only if there exist constants  $C > 0$ ,  $L > 0$  such that

$$\|\widehat{\phi}(l)\|_{HS} \leq C \exp\{-M(L\lambda_l^{1/\nu})\}, \quad \text{for all } l \geq 1,$$

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## Corollary

Let  $X$  and  $E$  be analytic and let  $s \geq 1$ . Then  $\phi \in \gamma^s(X)$  if and only if there exists constants  $C > 0$ ,  $L > 0$  such that

$$\|\widehat{\phi}(l)\|_{HS} \leq C \exp(-L\lambda_l^{1/s\nu}), \quad \text{for all } l \geq 1.$$

In particular, for  $s = 1$ , we recover the characterisation of analytic functions by Seeley.

# Ultradistributions

## Definition

The space  $\Gamma'_{\{M_k\}}(X)$  is the set of all linear forms  $u$  on  $\Gamma_{\{M_k\}}(X)$  such that for every  $\epsilon > 0$  there exists  $C_\epsilon > 0$  such that

$$|u(\phi)| \leq C_\epsilon \sup_{\alpha} \epsilon^{|\alpha|} M_{\nu|\alpha|}^{-1} \sup_{x \in X} |E^{|\alpha|} \phi(x)|$$

holds for all  $\phi \in \Gamma_{\{M_k\}}(X)$ .

## Theorem

$u \in \Gamma'_{\{M_k\}}(x)$  if and only if for every  $L > 0$  there exists  $K = K_L > 0$  such that

$$\|\widehat{u}(l)\|_{HS} \leq K \exp\left(M(L\lambda_l^{1/\nu})\right)$$

holds for all  $l \in \mathbb{N}$ .

Here the Fourier coefficients of  $u \in \Gamma'_{\{M_k\}}(x)$  are defined by

$$\widehat{u}(e_l^k) := u(\bar{e}_l^k) \text{ and } \widehat{u}(l) := \widehat{u}(e_l) := \left[ u(\bar{e}_l^k) \right]_{k=1}^{d_l}.$$

# $\alpha$ -duals

## Definition

The  $\alpha$ -dual of the space  $\Gamma_{\{M_k\}}(X)$  of ultradifferentiable functions, denoted by  $[\Gamma_{\{M_k\}}(X)]^\wedge$ , is defined as

$$\left\{ v = (v_l)_{l \in \mathbb{N}_0} : \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \sum_{j=1}^{d_l} |(v_l)_j| |\hat{\phi}(l, j)| < \infty, v_l \in \mathbb{C}^{d_l}, \text{ for all } \phi \in \Gamma_{\{M_k\}}(X) \right\}.$$

G. Köthe, "Topological vector spaces. I." Band 159. Springer-Verlag New York Inc., New York, 1969.

## Theorem

*The following statements are equivalent:*

- 1  $v \in [\Gamma_{\{M_k\}}(X)]^\wedge$ ;
- 2 *for every  $L > 0$  we have*

$$\sum_{l=1}^{\infty} \exp\left(-M(L\lambda_l^{1/\nu})\right) \|v_l\|_{HS} < \infty;$$

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## Theorem

$v \in \Gamma'_{\{M_k\}}(x)$  *if and only if*  $v \in [\Gamma_{\{M_k\}}(X)]^\wedge$ .

# Beurling Class

## Theorem

$\phi \in \Gamma_{(M_k)}(X)$  if and only if for every  $L > 0$  there exists  $C_L > 0$  such that

$$\|\widehat{\phi}(l)\|_{HS} \leq C_L \exp\{-M(L\lambda_l^{1/\nu})\}, \text{ for all } l \geq 1.$$

For the dual space and for the  $\alpha$ -dual, the following statements are equivalent:

- ❶  $v \in \Gamma_{(M_k)}(X)'$
- ❷  $v \in [\Gamma_{(M_k)}(X)]^\wedge$
- ❸ there exists  $L > 0$  such that we have

$$\sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \exp\left(-M(L\lambda_l^{1/\nu})\right) \|v_l\|_{HS} < \infty$$

## Continued..

## Theorem

4 there exists  $L > 0$  and  $K > 0$  such that

$$\|v_l\|_{HS} \leq K \exp \left( M(L\lambda_l^{1/\nu}) \right)$$

holds for all  $l \in \mathbb{N}_0$ .

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