

Positive Integral Operators With Analytic Kernels

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Bu çalışmada aynı zamanda analitik olan pozitif tanımlı integral çekirdek örneklerini oluşturacağız.

Anahtar Kelimeler: Integral operatörler, Cauchy integral formülü, Pozitif tanımlı çekirdekler.

1. INTRODUCTION

To construct examples of positive definite integral kernels which are also analytic, we need to recall the following definitions (see [2], [3], [4], [5]).

Throughout, let us denote the inner product on any complex Hilbert space H by $\langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle$. We let $\langle f, f \rangle^{1/2} = \|f\|$ and call it the norm of f .

Definition 1.1. (i) Let I denote any interval (finite or infinite) on the real line. $L^2(I)$ is the space of Lebesgue measurable complex valued functions

$$f : I \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

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which are square integrable, in the sense that $\int_I |f(t)|^2 dt < \infty$, with pointwise operations and inner product

$$\langle f, g \rangle = \int_I f(t) \overline{g(t)} dt.$$

So the norm of f is

$$\|f\|^2 = \int_I |f(t)|^2 dt < \infty.$$

(ii) Given two intervals $I, J \in L^2(I \times J)$ = all measurable complex valued functions k on $I \times J$ such that

$$\int_I \int_J |k(s, u)|^2 duds < \infty.$$

Definition 1.2. Let H, H_1 be Hilbert spaces. A linear operator $S : H_1 \rightarrow H$ is bounded if there exists some $M \in \mathbb{R}$ such that

$$\|Sf\| \leq M \|f\| \text{ for all } f \in H_1.$$

A linear operator $S : H_1 \rightarrow H$ is compact if given a bounded sequence $(f_n) \subseteq H_1$, there exists a subsequence $(f_{n_r}) \subseteq f_n, g \in H$ such that

$$Sf_{n_r} \rightarrow g.$$

We use $B(H_1, H)$ and $K(H_1, H)$ for the space of all bounded linear operators and for all compact operators from H_1 into H respectively.

Theorem 1.1. If $S \in B(H_1, H)$, there exists a unique $S^* \in B(H, H_1)$, called adjoint of S , such that

$$\langle Sf, g \rangle_H = \langle f, S^*g \rangle_{H_1}.$$

If $H = H_1$ and $S = S^*$, then S is called self-adjoint or symmetric.

Definition 1.3. Let T be a self-adjoint linear operator on a Hilbert space $(H, \langle \cdot, \cdot \rangle)$. Then T is called positive, written $T \geq 0$, if $\langle Tf, f \rangle \geq 0$ for all $f \in H$.

Definition 1.4. Let $I, J \subset \mathbb{R}$ be intervals and suppose $k \in L^2(I \times J)$, then the formula

$$Sf(s) = \int_J k(s, u) f(u) du$$

where $s \in I, f \in L^2(J)$, defines a compact linear operator S mapping $L^2(J)$ into $L^2(I)$. The adjoint $S^* : L^2(I) \rightarrow L^2(J)$ is given by

$$S^*g(u) = \int_I g(t) \overline{k(t, u)} dt.$$

So if $g \in L^2(I)$

$$\begin{aligned} SS^*g(s) &= \int_J S^*g(u)k(s,u)du \\ &= \int_J \int_I g(t)\overline{k(t,u)}k(s,u)dtdu \\ &= \int_I g(t)K(s,t)dt \end{aligned}$$

where $K(s,t) = \int_J k(s,u)\overline{k(t,u)}du \quad s,t \in I.$

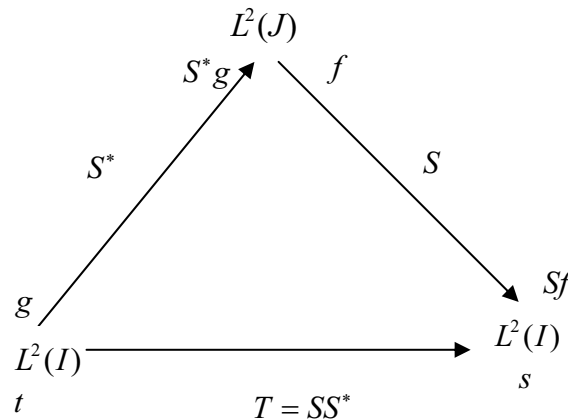


Figure 1.1.

It is well known that, because $k \in L^2(I \times J)$, interchanging the order of integral is legitimate and that $K \in L^2(I \times I)$.

Theorem 1.2. Here $T = SS^*$ is necessarily positive written $T \geq 0$ meaning that $\langle Tf, f \rangle \geq 0$ for all $f \in H$.

Proof: $\langle Tg, g \rangle_{L^2(I)} = \langle SS^*g, g \rangle_{L^2(I)} = \langle S^*g, S^*g \rangle_{L^2(J)} = \|S^*g\|_{L^2(J)}^2 \geq 0.$

Similarly S^*S is positive operator on $L^2(J)$.

This gives us a method of constructing examples of positive integral operators on $L^2(I)$. Whenever $k \in L^2(I \times J)$, $T = SS^*$ will be a positive integral operator on $L^2(I)$ with kernel

$$K(s,t) = \int_J k(s,u)\overline{k(t,u)}du.$$

Definition 1.5. Here k is called kernel of S and K is called the kernel of T .

Remark 1.3. If $k(s, u) = l(s, u)h(u)$ where $|h(u)| = 1$ then

$$\int_J k(s, u) \overline{k(t, u)} du = \int_J l(s, u) \overline{l(t, u)} du.$$

Remark 1.4. A result analogous to theorem is true if the Lebesgue measure on J is multiplied by a positive constant m (usually $(1/2\pi)$). In this case we have

$$Sf(s) = \int_J k(s, u) f(u) (mdu)$$

where $s \in I, f \in L^2(J)$ and

$$S^*g(u) = \int_J \overline{k(s, u)} g(t) dt$$

where $u \in J, t \in I$ and $g \in L^2(I)$

$$Tf(s) = SS^*f(s) = \int_J K(s, t) g(t) dt$$

where $K(s, t) = \int_J k(s, u) \overline{k(t, u)} (mdu)$.

Now, we will use this theorem to give examples of positive definite kernels K using kernels k which arise in a natural way in mathematical analysis. Specifically we consider k 's which arise from Cauchy's integral formula (C.I.F.).

As a sequel we hope to give some more examples using same techniques considering the Fourier transformation and the Laplace transform (see [1]). In all cases K will be an analytic kernel of s and t .

2. Examples suggested by C.I.F.

In this section we will give some examples of positive integral operators suggested by Cauchy's integral formula which were obtained during my M.Sc. study (see [1]).

We recall the parameterized Cauchy's integral formula. We parameterize the integral by taking $z = \varphi(u)$.

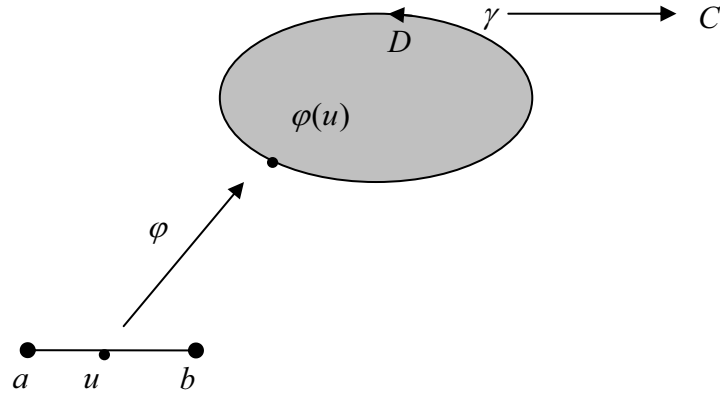


Figure 2.1.

Here γ is a positively oriented rectifiable Jordan curve and D is its inner domain. Let f be an analytic neighborhood of D and $s \in D$

$$\begin{aligned} f(s) &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f(z)}{z-s} dz \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_a^b \frac{f(\varphi(u))\varphi'(u)}{\varphi(u)-s} du. \end{aligned}$$

Example 2.1. Suppose γ is the unit circle, $I = [a, b] \subseteq (-1, 1)$. Here we shall take $J = [-\pi, \pi]$.

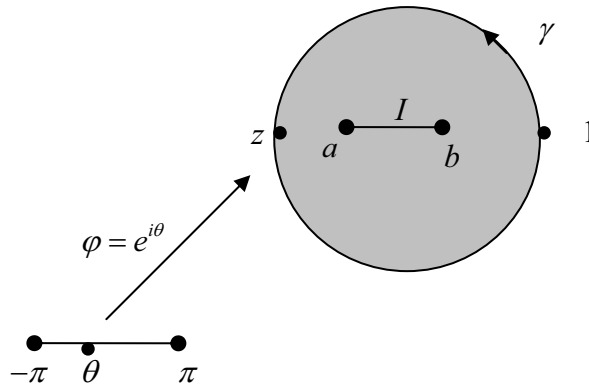


Figure 2.2.

We write the Cauchy's integral formula (C.I.F) to get our integral kernel

$$f(s) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial\Delta} \frac{f(z)}{z-s} dz \quad (s \in I).$$

If we substitute $z = e^{i\theta}$ then $dz = ie^{i\theta} d\theta$ and

$$f(s) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{f(e^{i\theta})ie^{i\theta}}{e^{i\theta} - s} d\theta.$$

This suggests the linear operator $S : L^2([-\pi, \pi]) \rightarrow L^2(I)$ defined by

$$Sf(s) = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(\theta) \frac{1}{e^{i\theta} - s} \frac{d\theta}{2\pi} \quad \left(k(s, \theta) = \frac{1}{e^{i\theta} - s} \right).$$

Hence

$$S^*g(\theta) = \int_I g(t) \frac{1}{e^{-i\theta} - t} dt \quad \left(\overline{k(t, \theta)} = \frac{1}{e^{-i\theta} - t} \right).$$

Here

$$k(s, \theta) = \frac{1}{e^{i\theta} - s} \in L^2(I \times J).$$

For this we need to show that they are square integrable:

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \int_I \frac{1}{|e^{i\theta} - s|^2} ds d\theta < \infty \quad (2.1)$$

Then, equation (2.1) is true since $k(s, \theta)$ is continuous on $I \times J$. So is $\overline{k(t, \theta)}$.

So SS^* has kernel

$$\begin{aligned} K(s, t) &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} k(s, \theta) \overline{k(t, \theta)} d\theta \\ &= \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \frac{1}{(e^{i\theta} - s)(e^{-i\theta} - t)} d\theta. \end{aligned} \quad (2.2)$$

In general, if h is a function on $\partial\Delta$ then

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} h(e^{i\theta})ie^{i\theta} d\theta = \int_{\partial\Delta} h(z) \frac{dz}{2\pi}$$

so that

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} h(e^{i\theta})d\theta = \int_{\partial\Delta} h(z) \frac{1}{iz} \frac{dz}{2\pi}. \quad (2.3)$$

Now if we use (2.3) in (2.2), then we get

$$\begin{aligned} K(s,t) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{\partial\Delta} \frac{1}{(z-s)\left(\frac{1}{z}-t\right)} \frac{dz}{iz} \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial\Delta} \frac{dz}{(z-s)(1-zt)}. \end{aligned}$$

The poles of integrand are at $z = s$ and $z = 1/t$. Since $s, t \in I$, we know that $|s| < 1$, $|1/t| > 1$. Then we have only one pole at $z = s$.

Therefore,

$$K(s,t) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\partial\Delta} \frac{1}{z-s} \frac{1-zt}{z-s} dz = \operatorname{Res}(f(z), s) = \frac{1}{1-st}.$$

Since K is the kernel of SS^* , K is positive definite on $L^2(I)$ where $I \subseteq (-1,1)$.

Now we will find another positive definite kernel for vertical strip.

Example 2.2. Let $\beta \in \mathbb{R}$ and let D be the open half-plane $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z > -\beta\}$. Let γ be the boundary line of D and suppose $I = [a, b] \subseteq D$, (i.e. $a > -\beta$), so that $s, t > -\beta$ where $s, t \in I$.

We shall now construct a positive integral operator on $L^2(I)$ whose kernel is derived from the Cauchy integral formula for functions analytic in a neighborhood of D .

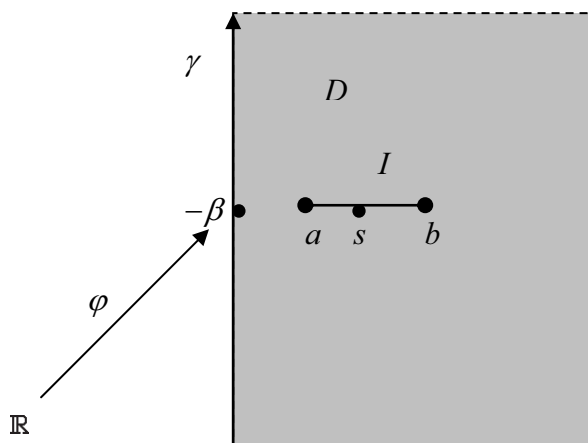


Figure 2.3.

We can parameterize γ by $\gamma = \varphi(u) = -\beta + iu$, $\varphi'(u) = i$ $-\infty < u < \infty$. Then we have by C.I.F.

$$f(s) = -\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\gamma} \frac{f(z)}{z-s} dz = -\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{f(-\beta + iu) \cdot i}{-\beta - s + iu} du.$$

This suggests us the operator $S : L^2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow L^2(I)$ such that

$$Sf(s) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{f(u)}{\beta + s - iu} \frac{du}{2\pi}$$

so we have

$$k(s, u) = \frac{1}{\beta + s - iu}.$$

Here we have that $k(s, u) \in L^2(I \times \mathbb{R})$ because

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_I \frac{1}{|\beta + s - iu|^2} ds du = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_I \frac{1}{(\beta + s)^2 + u^2} ds du.$$

Since the nearest point of I to the line γ is a , we have that $(\beta + s)^2 \geq (\beta + a)^2$ for all $s \in I$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_I \frac{1}{(\beta + s)^2 + u^2} ds du &\leq \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_I \frac{1}{(\beta + a)^2 + u^2} ds du \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{(b - a)}{(\beta + a)^2 + u^2} du < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} K_1(s, t) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{(\beta + s - iu)(\beta + t + iu)} \frac{du}{2\pi} \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{(u + i(\beta + s))(u - i(\beta + t))} \frac{du}{2\pi}. \end{aligned}$$

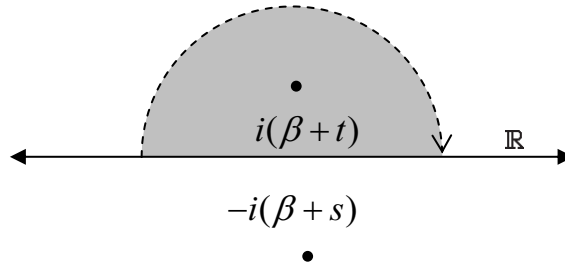


Figure 2.4.

The pole in the upper half plane is at $i(\beta + t)$. Say

$$\frac{1}{(u + i(\beta + s))(u - i(\beta + t))} = h(u)$$

then

$$\begin{aligned} K_1(s, t) &= i \operatorname{Re} s(h(u), i(\beta + t)) \\ &= i \frac{1}{i(\beta + t) + i(\beta + s)} \\ &= \frac{1}{2\beta + s + t}. \end{aligned}$$

Since $K_1(s, t)$ is the kernel of SS^* , (2.4) is positive definite on $L^2(I)$.

Suppose now $\gamma = \beta + iu$, $u \in \mathbb{R}$ and D is all points to the left of γ , that is $D = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Re} z < \beta\}$ and that $I = [a, b] \subseteq D$ (i.e. $b < \beta$).

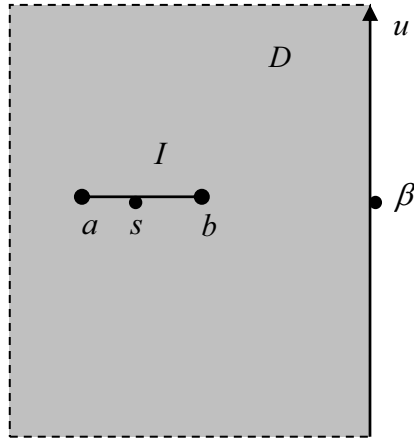


Figure 2.5.

In this case C.I.F. reads

$$f(s) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int \frac{f(z)}{z-s} dz = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int \frac{if(\beta + iu)}{\beta + iu - s} du$$

which suggests the linear operator $S : L^2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow L^2(I)$ such that

$$Sf(s) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{f(u)}{\beta + iu - s} \frac{du}{2\pi}.$$

Then we have

$$k_2(s,u) = \frac{1}{\beta + iu - s} \quad s \in I, u \in \mathbb{R}.$$

Here $k_2(s,u) \in L^2(I \times \mathbb{R})$, because

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_I \frac{1}{|\beta + iu - s|^2} ds du &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_I \frac{1}{(\beta + a)^2 + u^2} ds du \\ &\leq \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_I \frac{1}{(\beta + a)^2 + u^2} ds du \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{(b-a)}{(\beta - b)^2 + u^2} du < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

So

$$\begin{aligned} K_2(s,t) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{(\beta + iu - s)(\beta - iu - t)} \frac{du}{2\pi} \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{(u - i(\beta - s))(u + i(\beta - t))} \frac{du}{2\pi}. \end{aligned}$$

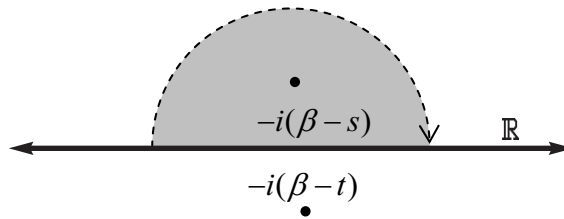


Figure 2.6.

The pole in the upper half plane is $i(\beta - s)$. Say

$$\frac{1}{(u - i(\beta - s))(u + i(\beta - t))} = h(u)$$

then $K_2(s, t) = i \operatorname{Re} s(h(u), i(\beta - s))$. Hence

$$K_2(s, t) = \frac{1}{2\beta - s - t}. \quad (2.5)$$

Since K_2 is kernel of SS^* , (2.5) is positive definite on $L_2(I)$.

For the last part of our example we use the fact that the sum of two positive operators is positive. So if $\beta > 0$ and $I = [a, b] \subseteq (-\beta, \beta)$, we obtain a positive operator on $L_2(I)$ with kernel $K(s, t)$ which is analytic in $D \times D$.

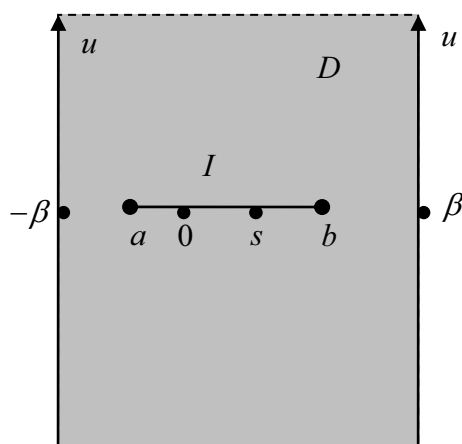


Figure 2.7.

Hence we have

$$\begin{aligned} K(s, t) &= K_1(s, t) + K_2(s, t) \\ &= \frac{1}{2\beta + s + t} + \frac{1}{2\beta - s - t} \\ &= \frac{4\beta}{4\beta^2 - (s+t)^2}. \end{aligned} \quad (2.6)$$

Again since K is kernel of $S_1S_1^* + S_2S_2^*$, (2.6) is positive definite on $L_2(I)$.

We now give another example which is similar to the last one. This time D will be the horizontal strip.

Example 2.3. Let $\beta > 0$ and let D_1 be the open half-plane $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \text{Im } z < \beta\}$. Let γ be the boundary line of D_1 and suppose $I = [a, b] \subseteq D_1$, $s, t \in I$.

We shall now construct a positive integral operator on $L_2(I)$ whose kernel is derived from the Cauchy integral formula for functions analytic in a neighborhood of D_1 .

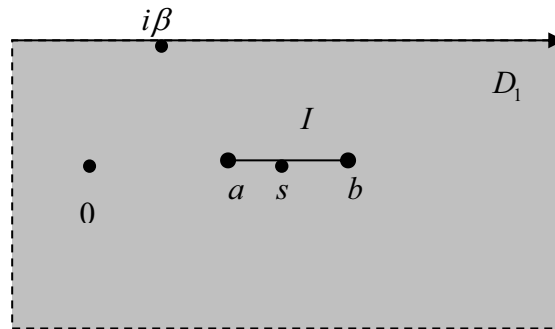


Figure 2.8.

This time C.I.F. reads

$$f(s) = -\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\mathbb{R}+i\beta} \frac{f(z)}{z-s} dz.$$

If we put $z = i\beta + u$ then $dz = du$, then we get

$$f(s) = -\frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{f(i\beta + u)}{i\beta + u - s} du.$$

This suggests the linear operator $S : L^2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow L^2(I)$ defined by

$$Sf(s) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{f(u)}{i\beta + u - s} \frac{du}{2\pi}.$$

Hence

$$S^*g(u) = \int_I \frac{g(t)}{-i\beta + u - t} dt.$$

Then we have

$$k_1(s, t) = \frac{1}{i\beta + u - s} \quad \text{and} \quad \overline{k_1(u, t)} = \frac{1}{-i\beta + u - t}.$$

Here $k_1(s, u) \in L^2(I \times \mathbb{R})$, because

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_I \frac{1}{|i\beta + u - s|^2} ds du = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_I \frac{1}{(u - s)^2 + \beta^2} ds du$$

Let $u = s + \beta \tan \theta$ and $du = \beta \sec^2 \theta d\theta$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_I \frac{1}{(u - s)^2 + \beta^2} ds du &= \int_a^b \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{\beta \sec^2 \theta}{\beta^2 \tan^2 \theta + \beta^2} d\theta ds \\ &= \int_a^b \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} \frac{1}{\beta} d\theta ds \\ &= \int_a^b \frac{\pi}{\beta} ds = \frac{(b - a)\pi}{\beta} < \infty. \end{aligned}$$

Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} K_I(s, t) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{(i\beta + u - s)(-i\beta + u - t)} \frac{du}{2\pi} \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{(u - (s - i\beta))(u - (i\beta + t))} \frac{du}{2\pi}. \end{aligned}$$

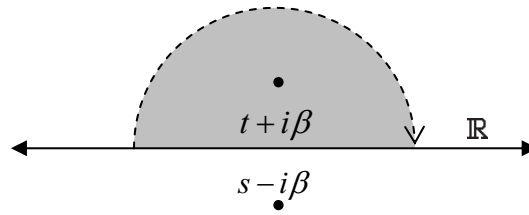


Figure 2.9.

The pole in the upper half plane is $(t + i\beta)$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned} K_1(s, t) &= i \operatorname{Re} s(h(u), t + i\beta) \\ &= \frac{i}{t + i\beta - s + i\beta} \\ &= \frac{i}{t - s + 2i\beta} \\ &= \frac{i(t - s - 2i\beta)}{(t - s)^2 + 4\beta^2}. \end{aligned}$$

Hence

$$K_1(s, t) = \frac{2\beta + i(t - s)}{(t - s)^2 + 4\beta^2} = \overline{K_1(t, s)}.$$

Here $K_1(s, t)$ is symmetric and positive definite.

For the second part of our example we again let $\beta > 0$ and let D_2 be the open half-plane $\{z \in \mathbb{C} : \operatorname{Im} z > -\beta\}$. Let γ be the boundary line of D_2 and suppose $I = [a, b] \subseteq D_2$, $s, t \in I$. We shall now construct a positive integral operator on $L_2(I)$ whose kernel is derived from the Cauchy formula for functions analytic in a neighborhood of D_2 .

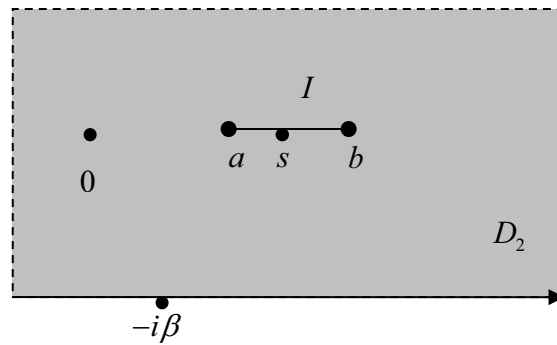


Figure 2.10.

We put $z = \varphi(u) = -i\beta + u$ and $dz = du$ in C.I.F.

$$f(s) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{f(-i\beta + u)}{-i\beta + u - s} du.$$

This suggests the linear operator $S : L^2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow L^2(I)$ such that

$$Sf(s) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{f(u)}{-i\beta + s + u} \frac{du}{2\pi}.$$

Here

$$k_2(s, u) = \frac{1}{-i\beta + s + u} \in L^2(I \times \mathbb{R}), \text{ because}$$

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_I \frac{1}{|-(i\beta + s) + u|^2} ds du = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_I \frac{1}{(u - s)^2 + \beta^2} ds du < \infty \quad \text{by (2,7)}$$

Then,

$$K_2(s, t) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{(-(i\beta + s) + u)(-(-i\beta + t) + u)} \frac{du}{2\pi}.$$

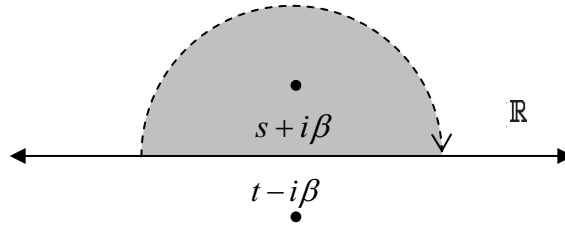


Figure 2.11.

The pole in the upper half plane is $s + i\beta$. Then,

$$\begin{aligned} K_2(s, t) &= i \operatorname{Res}(h(u), s + i\beta) \\ &= \frac{i}{(i\beta - t) + i\beta + s} \\ &= \frac{1}{2\beta + i(t - s)} \\ &= \frac{2\beta - i(t - s)}{(t - s)^2 + 4\beta^2} = \overline{K_2(t, s)}. \end{aligned}$$

Here $K_2(s, t)$ is symmetric and positive definite on $L_2(I)$.

For the last part of our example, we again use the fact that the sum of two positive operators is positive. So if $\beta > 0$ and $I = [a, b] \subseteq \mathbb{R}$, we obtain a positive operator on $L_2(I)$ with kernel $K(s, t)$.

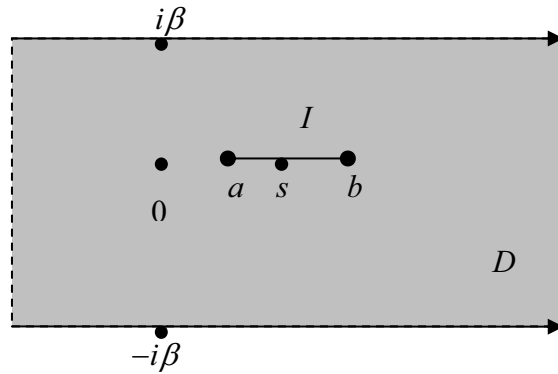


Figure 2.12.

$$\begin{aligned} K(s, t) &= \frac{2\beta + i(t-s)}{(t-s)^2 + 4\beta^2} + \frac{2\beta - i(t-s)}{(t-s)^2 + 4\beta^2} \\ &= \frac{4\beta}{4\beta^2 + (s-t)^2}. \end{aligned} \quad (2.8)$$

Then (2.8) is positive definite on $L_2(I)$.

We will now consider more general half-planes.

Example 3.4. Let $0 < \theta < \pi/2$. We define the two half planes by

$$D_1 = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : -\theta < \arg z < -\theta + \pi\}$$

$$D_2 = \{z \in \mathbb{C} : \theta - \pi < \arg z < \theta\}$$

$I = [a, b]$, $a > 0$ so $I \subseteq D_1 \cap D_2$. Let $\gamma_1 = \partial D_1$, $\gamma_2 = \partial D_2$ and put $\omega = e^{i\theta}$.

We can parameterize γ_1 by $\varphi(u) = \overline{\omega} u$, $u \in \mathbb{R}$.

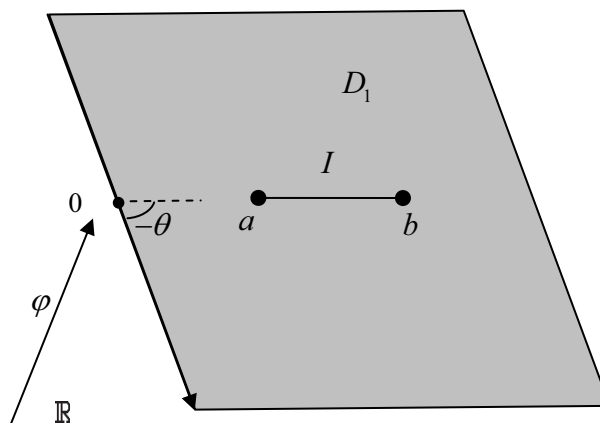


Figure 2.13.

So C.I.F. for D_1 can be written as

$$f(s) = \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{\overline{\omega} f(\overline{\omega} u)}{\overline{\omega} u - s} du$$

where we do not consider ω and $1/2\pi$ since from Remark 1.3. and Remark 1.4.

This suggests the linear operator $S_1 : L^2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow L^2(I)$ defined by

$$Sf(s) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{f(u)}{\overline{\omega} u - s} \frac{du}{2\pi}.$$

Then,

$$k_1(s, u) = \frac{1}{\overline{\omega} u - s} \in L^2(I \times \mathbb{R})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{|\overline{\omega u} - s|^2} ds du &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{|u \cos \theta - s - iu \sin \theta|} ds du \\
 &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{u^2 + s^2 - 2us \cos \theta} ds du \\
 &\leq \int_{\mathbb{R}} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{(1 - \cos \theta)(u^2 + s^2)} ds du \\
 &\leq \frac{(b-a)}{(1 - \cos \theta)} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{u^2 + a^2} < \infty.
 \end{aligned}$$

So that we have

$$\begin{aligned}
 K_1(s, t) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{(\overline{\omega u} - s)(\omega u - t)} \frac{du}{2\pi} \\
 &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{(u - \omega s)(u - \overline{\omega t})} \frac{du}{2\pi}.
 \end{aligned}$$

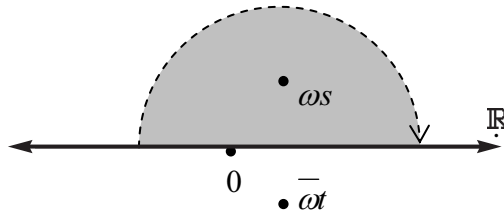


Figure 2.14

The pole in the upper half plane is ωs . Then,

$$\begin{aligned} K_1(s,t) &= i \operatorname{Res}(h(u), \omega s) = \frac{i}{\omega s - \omega t} \\ &= \frac{i}{(s-t)\cos\theta + i(s+t)\sin\theta} \\ &= \frac{1}{(s+t)\sin\theta - i(s-t)\cos\theta} \\ &= \frac{(s+t)\sin\theta + i(s-t)\cos\theta}{(s+t)^2\sin^2\theta + (s-t)^2\cos^2\theta} = \overline{K_1(t,s)}. \end{aligned}$$

Then we know that $K_1(s,t)$ is symmetric and positive definite on $L_2(I)$.

Now we will construct our kernel for D_2 . We can parameterize γ_2 by $\varphi(u) = \omega u$, $u \in \mathbb{R}$.

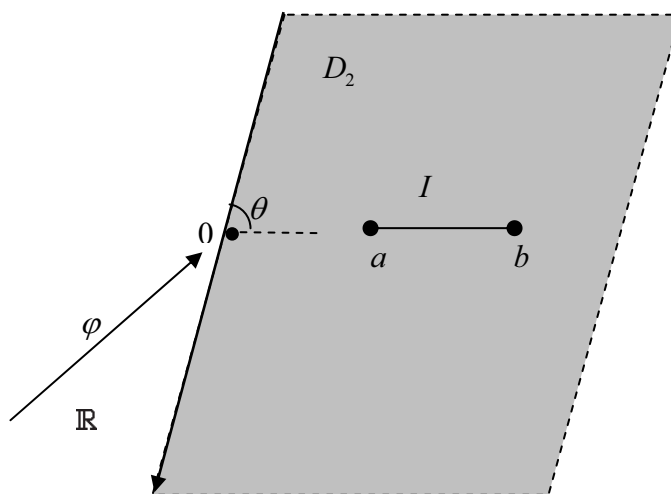


Figure 2.15.

So C.I.F. for D_2 can be written as

$$f(s) = - \frac{1}{2\pi i} \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{\omega f(u)}{\omega u - s} du.$$

This suggests us the operator S from $L_2(\mathbb{R})$ to $L_2(I)$ such that

$$Sf(s) = \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{f(u)}{\omega u - s} \frac{du}{2\pi}.$$

Hence

$$S^*g(u) = \int_I \frac{g(t)}{\omega u - t} dt.$$

Similarly

$$k_2(s, u) = \frac{1}{\omega u - s} \in L^2(I \times \mathbb{R}).$$

Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} K_2(s, t) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{(\omega u - s)(\omega u - t)} \frac{du}{2\pi} \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}} \frac{1}{(u - \omega s)(u - \omega t)} \frac{du}{2\pi}. \end{aligned}$$

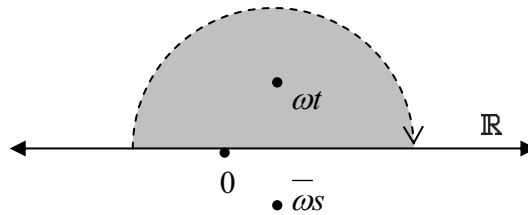


Figure 2.16.

The pole in the upper half plane is ωt . Then,

$$\begin{aligned} K_2(s, t) &= i \operatorname{Re} s(h(u), \omega t) = \frac{i}{\omega t - \omega s} \\ &= \frac{i}{(t-s)\cos\theta + i(t+s)\sin\theta} \\ &= \frac{1}{(t+s)\sin\theta - i(t-s)\cos\theta} \\ &= \frac{(t+s)\sin\theta + i(t-s)\cos\theta}{(s+t)^2\sin^2\theta + (s-t)^2\cos^2\theta} = \overline{K_2(t, s)}. \end{aligned}$$

Then, we know that $K_2(s, t)$ is symmetric and positive definite on $L_2(I)$.

Now for the last part of the example we use the fact that the sum of two positive operators is positive.

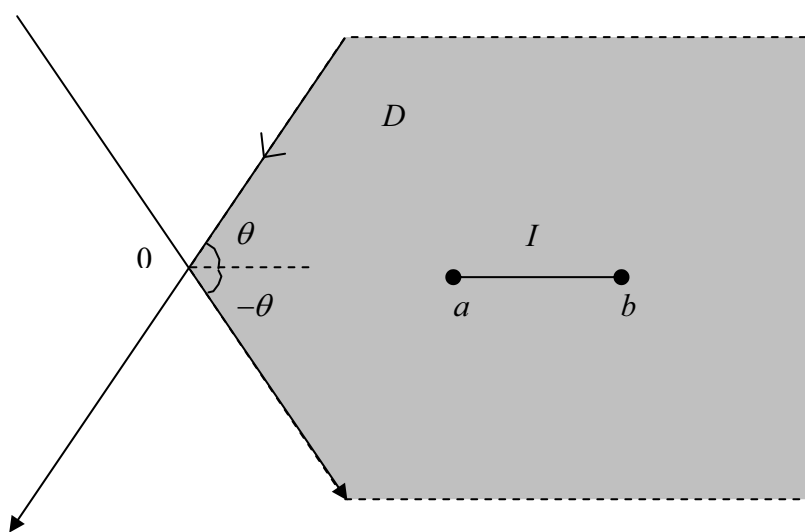


Figure 2.17.

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