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Conjugate Temperatures

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We develop Cauchy-Riemann equations for pairs of temperature functions with boundary values in $L^1(R, dx/(1+x^2))$. © 1992 Academic Press, Inc.

1. INTRODUCTION

The Cauchy-Riemann equations $D_x u = D_y v$ and $D_y u = -D_x v$ can be viewed as a splitting of Laplace's equation $D_x^2 u + D_y^2 u = 0$. The pair of solutions of the Cauchy-Riemann equations, for a large class of functions, is related via the Hilbert transform.

We show that for a large class of functions the Hilbert transform similarly splits the heat equation $D_t u(x, t) = D_x^2 u(x, t)$.

Write $(u(x, t), v(x, t)) \in \mathscr{AH}$ if

$$D_x u(x, t) = -i D_t^{1/2} v(x, t)$$
(1)

and

$$iD_{t}^{1/2}u(x,t) = D_{x}v(x,t)$$
⁽²⁾

for t > 0 and $x \in R$, where $D_t^{1/2}$ is a Weyl fractional derivative operator (see below).

We show that for $g \in L^1(R, dx/(1+x^2))$, if u(x, t) = g * k(x, t), where k(x, t) is the Gauss-Weierstrass kernel, then $(u(x, t), \mathcal{H}u(x, t)) \in \mathcal{AH}$, where $\mathcal{H}u(x, t)$ denotes the Hilbert transform of u(x, t) with respect to the first variable.

Weyl's fractional integral of order $\alpha > 0$ is defined by

$$D^{-\alpha}f(t) = \frac{e^{i\pi\alpha}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_{t}^{\infty} f(u)(u-t)^{\alpha-1} du$$
(3)

and the fractional derivative of order $\alpha > 0$ is

$$D^{\alpha}f(t) = \frac{e^{i\pi\tilde{\alpha}}}{\Gamma(\tilde{\alpha})} \int_{t}^{\infty} f^{(n)}(u)(u-t)^{\tilde{\alpha}-1} du, \qquad (4)$$

where $\alpha = n - \tilde{\alpha}$, for a positive integer *n* and $0 < \tilde{\alpha} \leq 1$.

This version of the Weyl fractional derivative was proposed by M. Riesz in [3]. It is shown in [3] that for functions f which are sufficiently regular we have $D^{\alpha}D^{\beta}f = D^{\alpha+\beta}f$ and $(d/dt) D^{-1}f = f$. In particular, if u(x, t) and v(x, t) are nice enough, then $(u(x, t), v(x, t)) \in \mathcal{AH}$ implies

$$D_t u(x, t) = D_t^{1/2} D_t^{1/2} u(x, t) = -i D_t^{1/2} D_x v(x, t)$$

= $-i D_x D_t^{1/2} v(x, t) = D_x^2 u(x, t)$

and

$$D_t v(x, t) = D_t^{1/2} D_t^{1/2} v(x, t) = i D_t^{1/2} D_x u(x, t)$$
$$= i D_x D_t^{1/2} u(x, t) = D_x^2 v(x, t)$$

so that u(x, t) and v(x, t) satisfy the heat equation.

For $f \in L^{p}(R)$, $1 \leq p < \infty$, the Hilbert transform is defined a.e. by

$$\mathscr{H}f(x) = \text{p.v.} \, \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{R} \frac{f(s)}{x-s} \, ds.$$
(5)

We prove our results for $f \in L^1(R, dx/(1+x^2))$; this space contains BMO(R). For $f \in L^1(R, dx/(1+x^2))$, the above integral might fail to converge. In this case the Hilbert transform may be defined a.e. up to additive constants by

$$\mathscr{H}f(x) = \text{p.v.} \, \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{R} \left(\frac{1}{x-s} + \frac{1}{(s)_1} \right) f(s) \, ds,$$
 (6)

where $1/(s)_{\delta} = 1/s$ for $|s| > \delta$ and zero otherwise.

Suppose $f \in L^2(R)$. The Fourier transform of f is defined

$$\hat{f}(t) = \int_{R} f(x) e^{-ixt} dx.$$
(7)

The function f is obtained from its Fourier transform by the Fourier inversion formula

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{R} \hat{f}(t) e^{ixt} dt.$$
 (8)

The Fourier transforms of $f \in L^2(\mathbb{R})$ and of $\mathscr{H}f$ are related by the identity $\widehat{\mathscr{H}f(x)} = -i \operatorname{sgn} x \cdot \widehat{f}(x).$ (9)

2. Conjugate Temperatures

Let $\mathscr{G}(x) = (1/\sqrt{2\pi}) e^{-x^2/2}$. The fundamental solution of the heat equation is the Gauss-Weierstrass kernel

$$k(x, t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2t}} \mathscr{G}\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2t}}\right) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi t}} e^{-x^{2/4t}}.$$
 (10)

We define its conjugate by

$$S(x, t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2t}} S\left(\frac{x}{\sqrt{2t}}\right),\tag{11}$$

where

$$S(x) = \mathscr{HG}(x) = \frac{1}{\pi} e^{-x^2/2} \int_0^x e^{u^2/2} du.$$
 (12)

See [1].

Since $\hat{k}(x, t) = e^{-tx^2}$ for t > 0, we have from the Fourier inversion formula

$$k(x, t) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty e^{-ty^2} \cos xy \, dy \tag{13}$$

and

$$S(x, t) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty e^{-ty^2} \sin xy \, dy.$$
 (14)

THEOREM 1. For t > 0 and $x \in R$,

$$(k(x, t), S(x, t)) \in \mathscr{AH}.$$
(15)

Proof. Since

$$D_t S(x, t) = \frac{-1}{\pi} \int_0^\infty y^2 e^{-ty^2} \sin xy \, dy,$$

we have

$$-iD_{t}^{1/2} S(x, t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{0}^{\infty} D_{t} S(x, u+t) u^{-1/2} du$$
$$= \frac{-1}{\pi \sqrt{\pi}} \int_{0}^{\infty} \left(\int_{0}^{\infty} y^{2} e^{-(u+t)y^{2}} \sin xy \, dy \right) u^{-1/2} du$$
$$= \frac{-1}{\pi \sqrt{\pi}} \int_{0}^{\infty} \left(\int_{0}^{\infty} e^{-uy^{2}} u^{-1/2} \, du \right) y^{2} e^{-ty^{2}} \sin xy \, dy$$
$$= -\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{0}^{\infty} y e^{-ty^{2}} \sin xy \, dy = D_{x} k(x, t).$$

Similarly,

$$iD_{t}^{1/2}k(x, t) = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{0}^{\infty} D_{t}k(x, u+t) u^{-1/2} du$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{0}^{\infty} \left(\int_{0}^{\infty} y^{2}e^{-(u+t)y^{2}} \cos xy \, dy \right) u^{-1/2} du$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{0}^{\infty} \left(\int_{0}^{\infty} e^{-uy^{2}} u^{-1/2} \, du \right) y^{2}e^{-ty^{2}} \cos xy \, dy$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{0}^{\infty} ye^{-ty^{2}} \cos xy \, dy = D_{x}S(x, t).$$

We now consider conjugate temperatures which are convolutions of initial values $g(x) \in L^1(R, dx/(1+x^2))$ with k(x, t) and S(x, t). However, for $g \in L^1(R, dx/(1+x^2))$, the convolution g * S(x, t) is not always defined because S(x, t) = O(1/|x|) as $|x| \to \infty$; see, e.g., [2]. Therefore, in analogy with (6), we define up to additive constants

$$\widetilde{S}g(x,t) = \int_{R} \left[S(x-y,t) + S(y) \right] g(y) \, dy. \tag{16}$$

This operator is defined for $g \in L^1(R, dx/(1+x^2))$ since, as we will show later,

$$S(x-y, t) + S(y) = O\left(\frac{1}{y^2}\right), \qquad |y| \to \infty.$$

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We show that for $g \in L^1(R, dx/(1+x^2))$ we have

$$(g * k(x, t), \widetilde{S}g(x, t)) \in \mathscr{AH}.$$

For $g \in L^{p}(\mathbb{R})$, $1 \leq p < \infty$, since $D_{i}^{1/2}(1) = 0$, this is equivalent to

$$(g * k(x, t), g * S(x, t)) \in \mathscr{AH}.$$

We denote by C a positive constant, not necessarily the same on different occurrences.

LEMMA 2. If $0 < \alpha < 1$, $\beta > 2\alpha$, x > 0; and if for all t > 0,

$$|D_t w(t)| \leq \min\left\{\frac{1}{x^{\beta}}, \frac{1}{t^{\beta/2}}\right\},\$$

then

$$|D_t^{1-\alpha}w(t)| \leq C \cdot \min\left\{\frac{1}{x^{\beta-2\alpha}}, \frac{1}{t^{(\beta-2\alpha)/2}}\right\}.$$
(17)

Proof. Since

$$D_t^{1-\alpha}w(t) = \frac{e^{i\pi\alpha}}{\Gamma(\alpha)}\int_0^\infty D_t w(u+t) u^{\alpha-1} du,$$

we have

$$|D_t^{1-\alpha}w(t)| \leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \int_0^\infty \frac{1}{(u+t)^{\beta/2}} u^{\alpha-1} du = \frac{\Gamma((\beta-2\alpha)/2)}{\Gamma(\beta/2)} \cdot \frac{1}{t^{(\beta-2\alpha)/2}}.$$

We also have

$$\begin{aligned} |D_t^{1-\alpha}w(t)| &\leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \left(\frac{1}{x^{\beta}} \int_0^{x^2} u^{\alpha-1} \, du + \int_{x^2}^{\infty} \frac{1}{(u+t)^{\beta/2}} u^{\alpha-1} \, du \right) \\ &\leq \frac{1}{\Gamma(\alpha)} \left(\frac{1}{\alpha x^{\beta-2\alpha}} + \frac{2}{\beta-2\alpha} \cdot \frac{1}{x^{\beta-2\alpha}} \right). \quad \blacksquare \end{aligned}$$

LEMMA 3. For t > 0 and $x \in R$, we have

$$|D_t k(x, t)| \le C \cdot \min\left\{\frac{1}{|x|^3}, \frac{1}{t^{3/2}}\right\},\tag{18}$$

$$|D_x S(x,t)| \le C \cdot \min\left\{\frac{1}{x^2}, \frac{1}{t}\right\},\tag{19}$$

and

$$|D_t S(x, t)| \le C \cdot \min\left\{\frac{1}{|x|^3}, \frac{1}{t^{3/2}}\right\}.$$
 (20)

Proof. Note that

$$D_t k(x, t) = \frac{1}{4\sqrt{\pi}} \left(\frac{x^2}{2t} - 1\right) \frac{1}{t^{3/2}} e^{-x^2/4t}$$

and for $t, \beta > 0$

$$\frac{1}{t^{\beta}}e^{-x^2/4t} \leqslant \left(\frac{4\beta}{e}\right)^{\beta} \cdot \frac{1}{|x|^{2\beta}}.$$
(21)

We have for $x^2 > 2t$

$$\begin{split} |D_t k(x,t)| &\leq \frac{1}{4\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \frac{x^2}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{t^{5/2}} e^{-x^2/4t} \\ &\leq \frac{x^2}{8\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \left(\frac{10}{e}\right)^{5/2} \cdot \frac{1}{|x|^5} \\ &= \frac{1}{8\sqrt{\pi}} \left(\frac{10}{e}\right)^{5/2} \cdot \min\left\{\frac{1}{|x|^3}, \frac{1}{(2t)^{3/2}}\right\}. \end{split}$$

We have for $x^2 \leq 2t$

$$|D_t k(x, t)| \leq \frac{1}{4\sqrt{\pi}} \frac{1}{t^{3/2}} = \frac{1}{4\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \min\left\{\frac{2^{3/2}}{|x|^3}, \frac{1}{t^{3/2}}\right\}.$$

This proves (18).

Observe that $D_x S(x, t) = iD_t^{1/2}k(x, t)$. Therefore by Lemma 2 applied to (18), we have

$$|D_x S(x, t)| \leq C \cdot \min\left\{\frac{1}{x^2}, \frac{1}{t}\right\},\$$

which proves (19).

Since $D_t S(x, t) = D_t^{1/2} D_t^{1/2} S(x, t) = i D_t^{1/2} (D_x k(x, t))$, the proof of (20) is similar.

LEMMA 4. For t > 0 and $x, y \in R$,

$$|S(x-y,t) + S(y)| \leq C \cdot \left(\frac{|x|}{t} \chi_{\{|y| \leq 2|x|\}}(y) + \frac{|x|}{y^2} \chi_{\{|y| > 2|x|\}}(y)\right) + C \cdot \min\left\{\frac{|t-1/2|}{|y|^3}, \frac{|\sqrt{2t}-1|}{\sqrt{t}}\right\}.$$
 (22)

Proof. Since S(y, t) = -S(-y, t) we have

$$|S(y, t) + S(x - y, t)| \leq \operatorname{sgn} x \int_{y - x}^{y} |D_s S(s, t)| \, ds$$
$$\leq C \cdot \operatorname{sgn} x \int_{y - x}^{y} \min\left\{\frac{1}{t}, \frac{1}{s^2}\right\} \, ds.$$

For all y, the last term is majorized by $C \cdot |x|/t$. If |y| > 2|x|, then the integral is majorized by

$$\operatorname{sgn} x \int_{y-x}^{y} \frac{1}{s^2} ds = \left| \frac{x}{y(y-x)} \right| \leq \frac{2|x|}{y^2}.$$

We have shown that

$$|S(y,t) + S(x-y,t)| \leq C \cdot \left(\frac{|x|}{t} \chi_{\{|y| \leq 2|x|\}}(y) + \frac{|x|}{y^2} \chi_{\{|y| > 2|x|\}}(y)\right).$$
(23)

We show next that

$$|S(y,t) - S(y)| \le C \cdot \min\left\{\frac{|t - 1/2|}{|y|^3}, \frac{|\sqrt{2t} - 1|}{\sqrt{t}}\right\}.$$
 (24)

Since $S(y) = S(y, \frac{1}{2})$, we have

$$\begin{split} |S(y,t) - S(y)| &\leq \mathrm{sgn}\left(t - \frac{1}{2}\right) \int_{1/2}^{t} |D_{\tau}S(y,\tau)| \ d\tau \\ &\leq C \cdot \mathrm{sgn}\left(t - \frac{1}{2}\right) \int_{1/2}^{t} \min\left\{\frac{1}{|y|^{3}}, \frac{1}{\tau^{3/2}}\right\} d\tau \\ &\leq C \cdot \min\left\{\frac{|t - 1/2|}{|y|^{3}}, \frac{|\sqrt{2t} - 1|}{\sqrt{t}}\right\}. \end{split}$$

By combining (23) and (24) we get the result.

In particular Lemma 4 shows

$$|S(x-y,t)+S(y)| = O\left(\frac{1}{y^2}\right), \qquad |y| \to \infty.$$
⁽²⁵⁾

THEOREM 5. If $g(x) \in L^1(R, dx/(1+x^2))$, then for t > 0 and $x \in R$,

$$-iD_t^{1/2}\,\tilde{S}g(x,\,t) = D_x(g\,*\,k)(x,\,t).$$
(26)

Proof. It is easy to see that

$$D_t \int_R (S(x-y, t) + S(y)) g(y) \, dy = \int_R D_t S(x-y, t) g(y) \, dy.$$

Therefore,

$$D_{t}^{1/2} \int_{R} \left(S(x-y,t) + S(y) \right) g(y) \, dy$$

= $\frac{i}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{0}^{\infty} D_{t} \left(\int_{R} \left(S(x-y,u+t) + S(y) \right) g(y) \, dy \right) u^{-1/2} \, du$
= $\frac{i}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{0}^{\infty} \left(\int_{R} D_{t} S(x-y,u+t) \, g(y) \, dy \right) u^{-1/2} \, du$
= $\frac{i}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{R} g(y) \left(\int_{0}^{\infty} D_{t} S(x-y,u+t) \, u^{-1/2} \, du \right) dy$
= $\int_{R} g(y) D_{t}^{1/2} S(x-y,t) \, dy$
= $i \int_{R} g(y) D_{x} k(x-y,t) \, dy$
= $i D_{x}(g * k)(x,t).$

Here the application of Fubini's theorem is justified by

$$\int_0^\infty |D_t S(y, u+t)| \ u^{-1/2} \ du \leq C \int_0^\infty \min\left\{\frac{1}{|y|^3}, \frac{1}{(u+t)^{3/2}}\right\} u^{-1/2} \ du$$
$$\leq C \cdot \min\left\{\frac{1}{y^2}, \frac{1}{t}\right\}.$$

THEOREM 6. If $g(x) \in L^1(R, dx/(1+x^2))$, then for t > 0 and $x \in R$,

$$iD_t^{1/2}(g * k)(x, t) = D_x \tilde{S}g(x, t).$$
 (27)

Proof.

$$D_{t}^{1/2} \int_{R} g(x-y) k(y,t) dy$$

= $\frac{i}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{0}^{\infty} D_{t} \left(\int_{R} g(x-y) k(y,u+t) dy \right) u^{-1/2} du$

$$\begin{split} &= \frac{i}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^\infty \left(\int_R g(x-y) \, D_t k(y, u+t) \, dy \right) u^{-1/2} \, du \\ &= \frac{i}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_R g(x-y) \left(\int_0^\infty D_t k(y, u+t) \, u^{-1/2} \, du \right) dy \\ &= \int_R g(x-y) \, D_t^{1/2} \, k(y, t) \, dy \\ &= -i \int_R g(x-y) \, D_y S(y, t) \, dy \\ &= -i \int_R g(y) \, D_y S(x-y, t) \, dy \\ &= -i \int_R g(y) \, D_x (S(x-y, t) + S(y)) \, dy \\ &= -i D_x \, \tilde{S}g(x, t). \end{split}$$

Here the application of Fubini's theorem is justified by (18).

It is well-known that for $g \in L^1(R, dx/(1+x^2))$,

$$\lim_{t\to 0+} g * k(x, t) = g(x)$$

at all Lebesgue points of g(x). (In fact this holds for a much larger class of functions; see, e.g., [4].) The following theorem was proved in [1] for $g \in L^{p}(R)$, $1 \leq p < \infty$.

THEOREM 7. For
$$g \in L^1(R, dx/(1+x^2))$$
,

$$\lim_{t \to 0+} \tilde{S}g(x, t) = \mathscr{H}g(x) \quad a.e. \text{ on } R.$$
(28)

Proof.

$$\begin{split} \widetilde{S}g(x,t) &= \int_{R} \left(S(x-y,t) + S(y) \right) g(y) \, dy \\ &= \int_{R} \left(S(x-y,t) - \frac{1}{\pi(x-y)\sqrt{2t}} \right) g(y) \, dy \\ &+ \int_{R} \left(S(y) - \frac{1}{\pi(y)_{1}} \right) g(y) \, dy \\ &+ \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{R} \left(\frac{1}{(x-y)\sqrt{2t}} + \frac{1}{(y)_{1}} \right) g(y) \, dy. \end{split}$$

The second integral converges since

$$\left|S(y) - \frac{1}{\pi(y)_1}\right| \leq \frac{C}{|y|^3},\tag{29}$$

see [1]. Since \tilde{S} and \mathcal{H} are defined up to additive constants for $g \in L^1(R, dx/(1+x^2))$, we may ignore this term. The third integral converges to $\mathcal{H}g(x)$ a.e. on R.

It is enough to show therefore that the first integral converges to zero at all Lebesgue points of g. Fix a > 1. We have

$$\begin{split} \int_{R} \left(S(x-y,t) - \frac{1}{\pi(x-y)\sqrt{2t}} \right) g(y) \, dy \\ &= \int_{|y| \leq a\sqrt{2t}} \left(S(y,t) - \frac{1}{\pi(y)\sqrt{2t}} \right) g(x-y) \, dy \\ &+ \int_{|y| > a\sqrt{2t}} \left(S(y,t) - \frac{1}{\pi(y)\sqrt{2t}} \right) g(x-y) \, dy \\ &= I_{1} + I_{2}. \end{split}$$

Since S(y, t) and $1/\pi(y)_{\sqrt{2t}}$ are odd functions,

$$I_1 = \int_{|y| \leq a\sqrt{2t}} \left(S(y, t) - \frac{1}{\pi(y)\sqrt{2t}} \right) \left(g(x-y) - g(x) \right) dy.$$

Since S(x) = O(1/|x|) as $|x| \to \infty$, S(x) is a bounded function, so $|S(y, t)| \leq C/\sqrt{2t}$. Clearly also $|1/\pi(y)_{\sqrt{2t}}| \leq 1/(\pi\sqrt{2t})$, so that

$$|I_1| \leq \frac{C}{\sqrt{2t}} \int_{|y| \leq a\sqrt{2t}} |g(x-y) - g(x)| \, dy \to 0$$
(30)

as $t \to 0^+$, at all Lebesgue points of g.

Since

$$S(y, t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2t}} S\left(\frac{y}{\sqrt{2t}}\right),$$

we have from (29)

$$\left|S(y,t)-\frac{1}{\pi(y)\sqrt{2t}}\right| \leq \frac{Ct}{|y|^3}.$$

Thus

$$|I_2| \leq Ct \int_{|y| > a\sqrt{2t}} \frac{|g(x-y)|}{|y|^3} dy.$$

Now decompose $g = g_1 + g_2$, where $g_1(x - y) = 0$ for |y| > 1 and $g_2(x - y) = 0$ for $|y| \le 1$. We have

$$|I_2| \leq Ct \int_{a\sqrt{2t} < |y| < 1} \frac{|g_1(x-y)|}{|y|^3} \, dy + Ct \int_{|y| > 1} \frac{|g_2(x-y)|}{|y|^3} \, dy.$$
(31)

Note that

$$\int_{|y|>1} \frac{|g_2(x-y)|}{|y|^3} \, dy = C(x) < \infty.$$

Let $\delta > 0$, and observe that

$$\delta^{2} \int_{|y| > \delta} \frac{|g_{1}(x-y)|}{|y|^{3}} dy = \delta^{2} \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \int_{2^{l}\delta < |y| \le 2^{l+1}\delta} \frac{|g_{1}(x-y)|}{|y|^{3}} dy$$
$$\leq \delta^{2} \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^{3l}\delta^{3}} \int_{|y| \le 2^{l+1}\delta} |g_{1}(x-y)| dy$$
$$\leq C \sum_{l=0}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2^{2l}} \mathcal{M}g_{1}(x)$$
$$\leq C \mathcal{M}g_{1}(x),$$

where Mg_1 is the Hardy-Littlewood maximal function. Choosing $\delta = a \sqrt{2t}$ gives

$$t \int_{|y| > a\sqrt{2t}} \frac{|g_1(x-y)|}{|y|^3} \, dy \leqslant \frac{C}{a^2} \, \mathcal{M}g_1(x), \tag{32}$$

so that by combining (30), (31), and (32) we have

$$\limsup_{t\to 0+} \left| \int_{\mathcal{R}} \left(S(x-y,t) - \frac{1}{\pi(x-y)\sqrt{2t}} \right) g(y) \, dy \right| \leq \frac{C}{a^2} \, \mathcal{M}g_1(x).$$

Since *a* can be chosen arbitrarily large, the theorem is proved.

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