

Convolution theorem involving n-dimensional windowed fractional Fourier transform

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Appendix A Preliminaries

The n-dimensional FRFT with rotational angle α of $f(t)$ on $t \in \mathbb{R}^n$ is defined as

$$(\mathcal{F}_\alpha f)(\omega) = \widehat{f}_\alpha(\omega) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(t) K_\alpha(t, \omega) dt, \quad \omega \in \mathbb{R}^n, \quad (\text{A1})$$

where

$$K_\alpha(t, \omega) = \begin{cases} C_\alpha e^{\frac{i(|t|^2 + |\omega|^2) \cot \alpha - i\langle t, \omega \rangle \csc \alpha}{2}}, & \alpha \neq n\pi, \\ \frac{e^{-i\langle t, \omega \rangle}}{(2\pi)^{\frac{n}{2}}}, & \alpha = \frac{\pi}{2}, \end{cases} \quad (\text{A2})$$

and

$$C_\alpha = (2\pi i \sin \alpha)^{-\frac{n}{2}} e^{\frac{in\alpha}{2}} = [\pi(1 - e^{-2i\alpha})]^{-\frac{n}{2}}, \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{Z}. \quad (\text{A3})$$

The corresponding inversion formula is given by

$$f(t) = \mathcal{F}_\alpha^{-1}[\widehat{f}_\alpha](t) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \widehat{f}_\alpha(\omega) \overline{K_\alpha(t, \omega)} d\omega, \quad t \in \mathbb{R}^n, \quad (\text{A4})$$

where

$$\overline{K_\alpha(t, \omega)} = \begin{cases} C'_\alpha e^{\frac{-i(|t|^2 + |\omega|^2) \cot \alpha + i\langle t, \omega \rangle \csc \alpha}{2}}, & \alpha \neq n\pi, \\ \frac{e^{i\langle t, \omega \rangle}}{(2\pi)^{\frac{n}{2}}}, & \alpha = \frac{\pi}{2}, \end{cases} \quad (\text{A5})$$

and

$$C'_\alpha = (2\pi i \sin \alpha)^{\frac{n}{2}} e^{-\frac{in\alpha}{2}} = [\pi(1 - e^{-2i\alpha})]^{-\frac{n}{2}}. \quad (\text{A6})$$

Let $f, g \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^n)$, the convolution of f and g is defined by [1]

$$(f * g)(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(y) g(x - y) dy,$$

and the convolution operator of FRFT is defined by [2]

$$\begin{aligned} (f \star g)(a) &= C_\alpha \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} e^{-i\langle t, a-t \rangle \cot \alpha} f(t) g(a-t) dt \\ &= C_\alpha e^{-ia^2 \cot \alpha} (f_1 * g_1)(a), \quad a \in \mathbb{R}^n, \end{aligned} \quad (\text{A7})$$

where $f_1(t) = e^{it \cot \alpha} f(t)$, $g_1(t) = e^{it \cot \alpha} g(t)$ and C_α is given by (A3). According to (A1) and (A7), we have

$$\mathcal{F}_\alpha[(f \star g)](\omega) = e^{-\frac{i|\omega|^2 \cot \alpha}{2}} \widehat{f}_\alpha(\omega) \widehat{g}_\alpha(\omega). \quad (\text{A8})$$

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Let $f \in L^p(\mathbb{R}^n)$, $g \in L^q(\mathbb{R}^n)$, $\frac{1}{p} + \frac{1}{q} = 1$, $1 \leq p, q < \infty$, then

$$\|f \star g\|_\infty \leq \|f\|_p \|g\|_q. \quad (\text{A9})$$

By multiplying the function $f \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^n)$ with a window function $\psi \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^n)$ before taking the FRFT, the WFRFT is obtained

$$(S_\psi f)(u, \xi) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(t) \overline{\psi}(t-u) K_\alpha(t, \xi) dt, \quad u, \xi \in \mathbb{R}^n. \quad (\text{A10})$$

Let $h(t, u) = f(t) \overline{\psi}(t-u)$, then

$$(S_\psi f)(u, \xi) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} h(t, u) K_\alpha(t, \xi) dt = (\mathcal{F}_\alpha h)(\omega). \quad (\text{A11})$$

According to (A4), we have

$$f(t) \overline{\psi}(t-u) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} (S_\psi f)(u, \xi) \overline{K_\alpha(t, \omega)} d\omega. \quad (\text{A12})$$

Multiplying both sides of (A12) from the right by $\psi(t-u)$ and integrating with respect to du , we get

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(t) \overline{\psi}(t-u) \psi(t-u) du = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} (S_\psi f)(u, \xi) \overline{K_\alpha(t, \omega)} \psi(t-u) dud\omega.$$

Hence, we have

$$\|\psi\|_2^2 f(t) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} (S_\psi f)(u, \xi) \overline{K_\alpha(t, \omega)} \psi(t-u) dud\omega.$$

Let $\|\psi\|_2 \neq 0$, then we obtain the inversion formula of n-dimensional WFRFT

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{\|\psi\|_2^2} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} (S_\psi f)(u, \xi) \overline{K_\alpha(t, \omega)} \psi(t-u) dud\omega.$$

According to (A7) and (A10), the WFRFT can be expressed in term of convolution

$$(S_\psi f)(u, \xi) = (\widetilde{f}_\xi \star \widetilde{\psi}_u)(u), \quad (\text{A13})$$

where

$$\widetilde{f}_\xi(t) = f(t) e^{\frac{i(|\xi|^2 + |t|^2) \cot \alpha}{2} - i\langle t, \xi \rangle \csc \alpha}, \quad \widetilde{\psi}_u(t) = \overline{\psi}(-t) e^{i\langle u, t \rangle \cot \alpha - i|t|^2 \cot \alpha}. \quad (\text{A14})$$

The window convolution product associated with the n-dimensional FRFT is defined by

$$S_\psi(f \otimes g)(u, \xi) = (S_\psi f)(u, \xi) (S_\psi g)(u, \xi). \quad (\text{A15})$$

It is shown that the application of the WFRFT to the convolution of two functions yields the product of their transforms.

Appendix B Proof of Theorem 1

Proof. Using (A1) and (A13), we have

$$\mathcal{F}_\alpha[(S_\psi f)(u, \xi)](\omega) = \mathcal{F}_\alpha[(\widetilde{f}_\xi \star \widetilde{\psi}_u)(u)](\omega). \quad (\text{B1})$$

Applying (A8) to (B1), we get

$$\mathcal{F}_\alpha[(S_\psi f)(u, \xi)](\omega) = e^{\frac{-i|\omega|^2 \cot \alpha}{2}} \widehat{\widetilde{f}_\xi, \alpha}(\omega) \widehat{\widetilde{\psi}_u, \alpha}(\omega). \quad (\text{B2})$$

Using (A15), we have

$$\mathcal{F}_\alpha[S_\psi(f \otimes g)(u, \xi)](\omega) = \mathcal{F}_\alpha[(S_\psi f)(u, \xi) (S_\psi g)(u, \xi)](\omega). \quad (\text{B3})$$

From (B1), we obtain

$$\mathcal{F}_\alpha[S_\psi(f \otimes g)(u, \xi)](\omega) = \mathcal{F}_\alpha[(\widetilde{f}_\xi \star \widetilde{\psi}_u) \times (\widetilde{g}_\xi \star \widetilde{\psi}_u)](\omega). \quad (\text{B4})$$

Applying (B2) to the above expression, we get

$$e^{\frac{-i|\omega|^2 \cot \alpha}{2}} \mathcal{F}_\alpha[U(t, \xi)(f \otimes g)](\omega) \widehat{\psi_{u, \alpha}}(\omega) = \mathcal{F}_\alpha[(\widetilde{f}_\xi \star \widetilde{\psi}_u) \times (\widetilde{g}_\xi \star \widetilde{\psi}_u)](\omega), \quad (\text{B5})$$

where $U(t, \xi) = e^{\frac{i(|\xi|^2 + |t|^2) \cot \alpha}{2} - i\langle t, \xi \rangle \csc \alpha}$. Therefore, we obtain

$$\mathcal{F}_\alpha[U(t, \xi)(f \otimes g)](\omega) = \frac{e^{\frac{i|\omega|^2 \cot \alpha}{2}}}{\widehat{\psi_{u, \alpha}}(\omega)} \mathcal{F}_\alpha[(\tilde{f}_\xi \star \tilde{\psi}_u) \times (\tilde{g}_\xi \star \tilde{\psi}_u)](\omega), \quad (\text{B6})$$

provided, $\widehat{\psi_{u, \alpha}}(\omega) \neq 0$. Hence

$$U(t, \xi)(f \otimes g)(t) = \mathcal{F}_\alpha^{-1} \left\{ \frac{e^{\frac{i|\omega|^2 \cot \alpha}{2}}}{\widehat{\psi_{u, \alpha}}(\omega)} \mathcal{F}_\alpha[(\tilde{f}_\xi \star \tilde{\psi}_u) \times (\tilde{g}_\xi \star \tilde{\psi}_u)] \right\} (\omega). \quad (\text{B7})$$

Applying (A4) to the above expression, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} U(t, \xi)(f \otimes g)(t) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \overline{K_\alpha(t, \omega)} \frac{e^{\frac{i|\omega|^2 \cot \alpha}{2}}}{\widehat{\psi_{u, \alpha}}(\omega)} \mathcal{F}_\alpha[(\tilde{f}_\xi \star \tilde{\psi}_u) \times (\tilde{g}_\xi \star \tilde{\psi}_u)] d\omega \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \overline{K_\alpha(t, \omega)} \frac{e^{\frac{i|\omega|^2 \cot \alpha}{2}}}{\widehat{\psi_{u, \alpha}}(\omega)} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} K_\alpha(x, \omega) (\tilde{f}_\xi \star \tilde{\psi}_u)(x) \times (\tilde{g}_\xi \star \tilde{\psi}_u)(x) dx d\omega. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B8})$$

Using (A7), we have

$$\begin{aligned} U(t, \xi)(f \otimes g)(t) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \overline{K_\alpha(t, \omega)} \frac{e^{\frac{i|\omega|^2 \cot \alpha}{2}}}{\widehat{\psi_{u, \alpha}}(\omega)} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} K_\alpha(x, \omega) C_\alpha \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} e^{-i\langle y, x-y \rangle \cot \alpha} \tilde{f}_\xi(y) \tilde{\psi}_u(x-y) dy \\ &\quad \times C_\alpha \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} e^{-i\langle \eta, x-\eta \rangle \cot \alpha} \tilde{g}_\xi(\eta) \tilde{\psi}_u(x-\eta) d\eta dx d\omega \\ &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \overline{K_\alpha(t, \omega)} K_\alpha(x, \omega) C_\alpha C_\alpha \frac{\tilde{\psi}_u(x-y) \tilde{\psi}_u(x-\eta)}{\widehat{\psi_{u, \alpha}}(\omega)} e^{\frac{i|\omega|^2 \cot \alpha}{2}} \\ &\quad \times e^{-i\langle y, x-y \rangle \cot \alpha} e^{-i\langle \eta, x-\eta \rangle \cot \alpha} U(y, \xi) f(y) U(\eta, \xi) g(\eta) dx dy d\omega d\eta. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B9})$$

Hence

$$\begin{aligned} (f \otimes g)(t) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{\tilde{\psi}_u(x-y) \tilde{\psi}_u(x-\eta)}{\widehat{\psi_{u, \alpha}}(\omega)} \frac{U(y, \xi) U(\eta, \xi)}{U(t, \xi)} \overline{K_\alpha(t, \omega)} K_\alpha(x, \omega) \\ &\quad \times C_\alpha^2 e^{\frac{i|\omega|^2 \cot \alpha}{2}} e^{-i\langle y, x-y \rangle \cot \alpha} e^{-i\langle \eta, x-\eta \rangle \cot \alpha} dx d\omega f(y) g(\eta) dy d\eta. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B10})$$

By (A2) and (A5), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} (f \otimes g)(t) &= \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} C_\alpha^2 \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \frac{\tilde{\psi}_u(x-y) \tilde{\psi}_u(x-\eta)}{\widehat{\psi_{u, \alpha}}(\omega)} e^{i\frac{|x|^2 + |y|^2 + |\omega|^2 + |\eta|^2 + |\xi|^2}{2} \cot \alpha} e^{-i\langle \eta + y, x \rangle \cot \alpha} \\ &\quad \times e^{i\langle t-x, \omega \rangle \csc \alpha} e^{-i\langle y + \eta - t, \xi \rangle \csc \alpha} dx d\omega f(y) g(\eta) dy d\eta. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{B11})$$

Appendix C Proof of Theorem 2

Proof. From Lemma 1, we have

$$\|\psi\|_2 \|f \otimes g\|_2 = \|S_\psi(f \otimes g)(u, \xi)\|_2. \quad (\text{C1})$$

Applying (A15) to the above expression, we obtain

$$\|\psi\|_2 \|f \otimes g\|_2 = \|(S_\psi f)(S_\psi g)\|_2 = \left(\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |(S_\psi f)(u, \xi) (S_\psi g)(u, \xi)|^2 du d\xi \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}. \quad (\text{C2})$$

Using (A13), we obtain

$$|(S_\psi g)(u, \xi)| = |(\tilde{g}_\xi \star \tilde{\psi}_u)(u)|. \quad (\text{C3})$$

Hence, by (A9) we have

$$|(S_\psi g)(u, \xi)| \leq \|g\|_2 \|\psi\|_2. \quad (\text{C4})$$

From (C2) and (C4), we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|\psi\|_2 \|f \otimes g\|_2 &\leq \|g\|_2 \|\psi\|_2 \left(\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |(S_\psi f)(u, \xi)|^2 du d\xi \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\ &= \|g\|_2 \|\psi\|_2 \|S_\psi f\|_2. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{C5})$$

Using Lemma 1, we obtain

$$\|f \otimes g\|_2 \leq \|f\|_2 \|g\|_2 \|\psi\|_2. \quad (\text{C6})$$

Appendix D Proof of Theorem 3

Proof. Using (A15), we have

$$|S_\psi(f \otimes g)(u, \xi)| = |(S_\psi f)(u, \xi)(S_\psi g)(u, \xi)|. \quad (\text{D1})$$

From (A13), we have

$$|S_\psi(f \otimes g)(u, \xi)| = |(\tilde{f}_\xi \star \tilde{\psi}_u)(u)| |(\tilde{g}_\xi \star \tilde{\psi}_u)(u)|. \quad (\text{D2})$$

By (A9), we get

$$|S_\psi(f \otimes g)(u, \xi)| \leq \|f\|_p \|\psi\|_{p'} \|g\|_q \|\psi\|_{q'}. \quad (\text{D3})$$

Appendix E Proof of Theorem 4

Proof. Using (A15), we have

$$\left| \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |S_\psi(f \otimes g)(u, \xi)| du d\xi \right| = \left| \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |(S_\psi f)(u, \xi)(S_\psi g)(u, \xi)| du d\xi \right|. \quad (\text{E1})$$

By Lemma 1, we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \left| \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |S_\psi(f \otimes g)(u, \xi)| du d\xi \right| &= \|\psi\|_2^2 \left| \int_{\mathbb{R}^n} f(t)g(t) dt \right| \\ &\leq \|\psi\|_2^2 \|f\|_2 \|g\|_2. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{E2})$$

Appendix F Proof of Theorem 5

Proof. According to (A7) and the Young's inequality [1, 3], we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \|f \star \psi\|_r &= \left(\int_{\mathbb{R}^n} |C_\alpha e^{-ia^2 \cot \alpha} (f_1 \star \psi_1)(a)|^r da \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} \\ &= C_\alpha \|f_1 \star \psi_1\|_r \\ &\leq C_\alpha \|f_1\|_p \|\psi_1\|_q, \end{aligned} \quad (\text{F1})$$

where $f_1(t) = e^{it \cot \alpha} f(t)$, $\psi_1(t) = e^{i(t,a) \cot \alpha} \psi(t)$ and C_α is given by (A3).

Note that $\|f_1\|_p = \|f\|_p$, $\|\psi_1\|_q = \|\psi\|_q$. Hence, we get

$$\|f \star \psi\|_r \leq C_\alpha \|f\|_p \|\psi\|_q. \quad (\text{F2})$$

Using (A13) and (F2), we have

$$\|S_\psi f\|_r = \|\tilde{f}_\xi \star \tilde{\psi}_u\|_r \leq C_\alpha \|f\|_p \|\psi\|_q, \quad (\text{F3})$$

where \tilde{f}_ξ and $\tilde{\psi}_u$ are given by (A14).

By (A15) and the proof of Theorem 2, we have

$$\begin{aligned} \|S_\psi(f \otimes g)\|_r &= \|(S_\psi f) \times (S_\psi g)\|_r \\ &= \|g\|_p \|\psi\|_q \|S_\psi f\|_r. \end{aligned} \quad (\text{F4})$$

Substituting (F3) into (F4), we obtain

$$\|S_\psi(f \otimes g)\|_r \leq C_\alpha \|f\|_p \|g\|_p \|\psi\|_q^2. \quad (\text{F5})$$

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