

Technical Notes

Converting Erdélyi [1] to Bracewell [2, 3]

Erdélyi defined his Hankel transform of order ν as [1]:

$$g(y; \nu) = \int_0^{\infty} f(x) J_{\nu}(xy) (xy)^{1/2} dx$$

In this project, we just consider all the Hankel transforms of order 0. We unify the Erdélyi version into Bracewell's version [2, 3], which is more easily related to standard Fourier transform notation.

- For $f(x)$, we divided the functions by $x^{1/2}$, and change x to $2\pi r$.
- For the Hankel transform, we divided the functions by $2\pi y^{1/2}$, and then change y to q directly.

Classification

For each function we made, we also marked its classification for the following criteria as true or false:

- 1) Oscillating
- 2) Finite domain
- 3) Singularity
- 4) Non negative
- 5) Monotonic
- 6) Eigen function

You can use our search engine to find the functions which fit your own criteria.

Notes

- 1) The range we chose for graphing each function is r or $q = 2 \times 5^n$, $n \in \mathbb{Z}$, based on the extent of each function.

For example, when $n = -1$, $r = 2 \times 5^{-1} = 0.4$; when $n = 0$, $r = 2 \times 5^0 = 2$

So in our project, you can only find the range equal to 0.4, 2, 10, and 50 (maximum).

- 2) All the functions were made using Mathematica (Wolfram Research, Champaign, IL, USA), and for plotting purposes the Dirac Delta function is given a width of 0.2 and height of 1000.
- 3) All the functions are verified using numerical integration except for a few which are impossible to verify by numerical integration (for example the Dirac Delta function (bracewell_pg249_3)).
- 4) Π function's definition

$$\Pi = \begin{cases} 1 & |x| < \frac{1}{2} \\ 0 & |x| \geq \frac{1}{2} \end{cases}$$

5) Orthogonal polynomials

Legendre polynomial

$$P_n(x) = \frac{1}{2^n n!} \frac{d^n}{dx^n} (x^2 - 1)^n$$

Jacobi polynomial

$$P_n^{(\alpha, \beta)}(x) = \frac{(-1)^n}{2^n n!} (1-x)^{-\alpha} (1+x)^{-\beta} \frac{d^n}{dx^n} [(1-x)^{n+\alpha} (1+x)^{n+\beta}]$$

Laguerre polynomial

$$L_n^\alpha(z) = \frac{e^z z^{-\alpha}}{n!} \frac{d^n}{dz^n} (e^{-z} z^{n+\alpha})$$

$$L_n^0(z) = L_n(z)$$

6) Legendre functions

$$P_\nu^\mu(z) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(1-\mu)} \left(\frac{z+1}{z-1} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}\mu} {}_2F_1\left(-\nu, \nu+1; 1-\mu; \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}z\right)$$

$$Q_\nu^\mu(z) = \frac{e^{i\mu\pi} \pi^{\frac{1}{2}} \Gamma(\mu+\nu+1)}{2^{\nu+1} \Gamma(\nu+3/2)} z^{-\mu-\nu-1} (z^2-1)^{\frac{1}{2}\mu} \times {}_2F_1\left(\frac{\mu+\nu+1}{2}, \frac{\mu+\nu+2}{2}; \nu+\frac{3}{2}; \frac{1}{z^2}\right)$$

z in the complex plane cut along the real axis from -1 to 1.

$$P_\nu^\mu(x) = \frac{1}{\Gamma(1-\mu)} \left(\frac{1+x}{1-x} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}\mu} {}_2F_1\left(-\nu, \nu+1; 1-\mu; \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}x\right), -1 < x < 1$$

$$Q_\nu^\mu(x) = \frac{1}{2} e^{-i\mu\pi} \left[e^{-\frac{1}{2}i\mu\pi} Q_\nu^\mu(x+i0) + e^{\frac{1}{2}i\mu\pi} Q_\nu^\mu(x-i0) \right], -1 < x < 1$$

$$P_\nu(z) = P_\nu^0(z), Q_\nu(z) = Q_\nu^0(z).$$

7) Bessel functions and related functions

$$J_\nu(z) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m \left(\frac{1}{2}z\right)^{\nu+2m}}{m! \Gamma(\nu+m+1)}$$

$$Y_\nu(z) = \cos \nu\pi [J_\nu(z) \cos \nu\pi - J_{-\nu}(z)]$$

$$H_v^{(1)}(z) = J_v(z) + iY_v(z)$$

$$H_v^{(2)}(z) = J_v(z) - iY_v(z)$$

Modified Bessel functions

$$I_\nu(z) = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{1}{2}z\right)^{\nu+2m}}{m!\Gamma(\nu+m+1)}$$

$$K_\nu(z) = \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{I_{-\nu}(z) - I_\nu(z)}{\sin \nu\pi}$$

Kelvin's and related functions

$$\text{ber}_\nu(z) + i \text{bei}_\nu(z) = J_\nu\left(ze^{\frac{1}{4}\pi i}\right)$$

$$\text{ber}_\nu(z) - i \text{bei}_\nu(z) = J_\nu\left(ze^{-\frac{1}{4}\pi i}\right)$$

$$\text{ker}_\nu(z) + i \text{kei}_\nu(z) = K_\nu\left(ze^{\frac{1}{4}\pi i}\right)$$

$$\text{ker}_\nu(z) - i \text{kei}_\nu(z) = K_\nu\left(ze^{-\frac{1}{4}\pi i}\right)$$

$$\text{ber}(z) = \text{ber}_0(z), \text{bei}(z) = \text{bei}_0(z)$$

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Struve's functions

$$\begin{aligned} H_\nu(z) &= \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^m \left(\frac{z}{2}\right)^{\nu+2m+1}}{\Gamma\left(m + \frac{3}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\nu + m + \frac{3}{2}\right)} \\ &= \frac{\left(\frac{z}{2}\right)^{\nu+1}}{\Gamma\left(\frac{3}{2}\right)\Gamma\left(\nu + \frac{3}{2}\right)} {}_1F_2\left(1; \frac{3}{2}, \nu + \frac{3}{2}; -\frac{z^2}{4}\right) \\ &= 2^{1-\nu} \pi^{-1/2} \left[\Gamma\left(\nu + \frac{1}{2}\right)\right]^{-1} s_{\nu,\nu}(z) \end{aligned}$$

8) Hypergeometric functions

$${}_mF_n(a_1, \dots, a_m; \gamma_1, \dots, \gamma_n; z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(a_1)_k \dots (a_m)_k}{(\gamma_1)_k \dots (\gamma_n)_k} \frac{z^k}{k!}$$

${}_2F_1(a, b; c; z)$ is Gauss' denoted by hypergeometric series and is often denoted by

$$F(a, b; c; z).$$

${}_1F_1(a, b; c; z)$ is Kummer's confluent hypergeometric series and is sometimes denoted by $\Phi(a; c; z)$.

9) Confluent hypergeometric functions

Whittaker's function

$$M_{k, \mu}(z) = z^{1/2 + \mu} e^{-1/2z} {}_1F_1\left(\frac{1}{2} + \mu - k; 2\mu + 1; z\right)$$

$$W_{k, \mu}(z) = \frac{\Gamma(-2\mu) M_{k, \mu}(z)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2} - \mu - k\right)} + \frac{\Gamma(2\mu) M_{k, -\mu}(z)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{1}{2} + \mu - k\right)}$$

Parabolic cylinder functions

$$D_\nu(z) = 2^{1/2\nu + 1/4} z^{-1/2} W_{\frac{1}{2}\nu + 1/4, \frac{1}{4}}\left(\frac{1}{2} z^2\right)$$

$$D_n(z) = (-1)^n e^{1/4z^2} \frac{d^n}{dz^n} \left(e^{-1/2z^2} \right)$$

$$\text{si}(x) = -\int_x^\infty \frac{\sin t}{t} dt = \frac{1}{2i} [\text{Ei}(ix) - \text{Ei}(-ix)]$$

$$\text{Si}(x) = \int_x^\infty \frac{\sin t}{t} dt = \frac{1}{2}\pi + \text{si}(x)$$

$$\text{Ci}(x) = -\int_x^\infty \frac{\cos t}{t} dt = -\text{ci}(x) = \frac{1}{2i} [\text{Ei}(ix) + \text{Ei}(-ix)]$$

10) Elliptic functions and integrals

$$K(k) = \int_0^{1/2\pi} (1 - k^2 \sin^2 \phi)^{-1/2} d\phi = \frac{1}{2}\pi {}_2F_1\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; 1; k^2\right)$$

$$E(k) = \int_0^{1/2\pi} (1 - k^2 \sin^2 \phi)^{1/2} d\phi = \frac{1}{2}\pi {}_2F_1\left(-\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}; 1; k^2\right)$$

Errors/Typos in books

- 1) erdelyi_8.2_17: Added to the 2μ power to the end, this has been verified by numerical integration.
- 2) erdelyi_8.2_38: Changed a^2 to a . There is no reason for the squared there. Added $a > 0$ constraint to compensate.
- 3) erdelyi_8.2_39: Changed a^2 to a . There is no reason for the squared there. Added $a > 0$ constraint to compensate.
Added a negative sign to $F(q)$, numerical integration showed that it was missing the negative sign
- 4) erdelyi_8.2_46: $b > 0$ is required, numerical integration fail for $b = -1$, ($a < 0$ is fine since all a term is square of symmetric)

- 5) erdelyi_8.2_47: Changed a^2 to a . There is no reason for the squared there. Added $a > 0$ constraint to compensate.
- 6) erdelyi_8.3_4: Replace x^2 in Hankel transform function to y^2 .
- 7) erdelyi_8.3_7: Replace x^2 in Hankel transform function to y^2 .
- 8) erdelyi_8.3_43: For $F(q)$, multiply factor 2, verified by numerical integration.
- 9) Bracewell Page 335 Fig. 13.3 replace $\Pi(v)$ by $\sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}}\delta(\pi - v) + \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}}\delta(\pi + v)$.

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