

Here we used the notation $-E_f = \{-\xi : \xi \in E_f\}$, $y + E_f = \{y + \xi : \xi \in E_f\}$, $\lambda E_f = \{\lambda \xi : \xi \in E_f\}$, $A^t E_f = \{A^t \xi : \xi \in E_f\}$.

Proof. To prove (1), we notice that $(f+g)_N = \widehat{f_N} + \widehat{g_N}$ converges to $\widehat{f} + \widehat{g}$ on the complement of the null set $E_f \cup E_g$, therefore $\widehat{f+g}$ lies in $L^2_{ae}(\mathbf{R}^n)$ and equals $\widehat{f} + \widehat{g}$ on $\mathbf{R}^n \setminus (E_f \cup E_g)$. Moreover $E_{f+g} \subseteq E_f \cup E_g$. To prove property (2) we note that $(bf)_N = b\widehat{f_N} = b\widehat{f_N}$ but $b\widehat{f_N}$ converges to $b\widehat{f}$ on $\mathbf{R}^n \setminus E_f$. Thus bf lies in L^2_{ae} and $b\widehat{f} = \widehat{bf}$. For (3) observe that $(\widehat{f})_N = \widehat{f_N} = \widehat{f_N}$ and that $\widehat{f_N} \rightarrow \widehat{f}$ on the complement of $-E_f$. Hence so does $(\widehat{f})_N$, thus \widehat{f} lies in L^2_{ae} and $\widehat{f} = \widehat{f}$ on $\mathbf{R}^n \setminus (-E_f)$. For (4) notice that conjugating $\widehat{f_N}(\xi) \rightarrow \widehat{f}(\xi)$ yields $(\widehat{f})_N(-\xi) \rightarrow \widehat{f}(\xi)$ when $\xi \notin E_f$, thus \widehat{f} lies in L^2_{ae} and the identity in (4) holds on the complement of $-E_f$. For (5) we observe that $(e^{2\pi i(\cdot)y} f_N)^\wedge(\xi) = \widehat{f_N}(\xi - y)$ which converges to $\widehat{f}(\xi - y)$ when ξ lies in $y + E_f$. Property (6) is proved similarly except that the translation is replaced by dilation. The proof of (7) relies on the identity $\widehat{f_N \circ A} = \widehat{f_N} \circ A$ [Proposition 2.1.6 (9)] and the fact that the balls $B(0, N)$ remain invariant under rotations. To prove (8), we note that as f is defined on $\mathbf{R}^n \setminus \{0\}$, then we have $f = f \circ A$ on $\mathbf{R}^n \setminus \{0\}$ for every orthogonal matrix A . The fact that $E_f = \{0\}$ yields that $A^t E_f = \{0\}$; on the complement of this set we have the identity $\widehat{f \circ A} = \widehat{f} \circ A$ by part (7). But $f = f \circ A$ implies $\widehat{f} = \widehat{f \circ A}$ and $\widehat{f \circ A} = \widehat{f} \circ A$ for every orthogonal matrix A , we deduce that \widehat{f} is radial. \square

Proposition 2.3.7. For f, g, h in L^2 we have

- (i) (*Plancherel's identity*) $\|f\|_{L^2(\mathbf{R}^n)} = \|\widehat{f}\|_{L^2(\mathbf{R}^n)}$
- (ii) (*Parseval's identity*) $\int_{\mathbf{R}^n} f(x) \overline{g(x)} dx = \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} \widehat{f}(\xi) \overline{\widehat{g}(\xi)} d\xi$
- (iii) (*Fourier inversion*) $(\widehat{f})^\vee = \widehat{f^\vee} = f$ a.e.
- (iv) (*Jumping hat identity*) We have $\int_{\mathbf{R}^n} f(x) \widehat{h}(x) dx = \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} \widehat{f}(\xi) h(\xi) d\xi$.

Proof. Given $f \in L^2(\mathbf{R}^n)$, pick a sequence of Schwartz functions ϕ_N (which certainly lie in $L^1 \cap L^2$) such that $\phi_N \rightarrow f$ in $L^2(\mathbf{R}^n)$. Proposition 2.3.1 gives that $\|\phi_N\|_{L^2} = \|\widehat{\phi_N}\|_{L^2}$ for all N . As the definition of \widehat{f} is independent of the sequence converging to the function, $\widehat{\phi_N} \rightarrow \widehat{f}$ in $L^2(\mathbf{R}^n)$. Thus $\|\phi_N\|_{L^2} \rightarrow \|f\|_{L^2}$ and $\|\widehat{\phi_N}\|_{L^2} \rightarrow \|\widehat{f}\|_{L^2}$ as $N \rightarrow \infty$ and thus assertion (i) follows.

To prove (ii) we use *polarization* as follows: We apply (i) to $f + g$, we expand both sides, and we use (i) for f and g to obtain

$$\operatorname{Re} \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} f(x) \overline{g(x)} dx = \operatorname{Re} \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} \widehat{f}(\xi) \overline{\widehat{g}(\xi)} d\xi.$$

We then apply (i) to $f + ig$ and likewise we obtain

$$\operatorname{Re} \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} -if(x) \overline{g(x)} dx = \operatorname{Re} \int_{\mathbf{R}^n} -i\widehat{f}(\xi) \overline{\widehat{g}(\xi)} d\xi$$