

# Hwmk 18

Math 528 Summer Session 1

Due 6/21 (Monday at 11:59 pm)

## 1 Look Ma, No Tables!

Find the Fourier Transform using the integral (no table)

(a) 3 points

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} e^{2ix} & \text{if } -1 < t < 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

(b) 3 points

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} xe^{-x} & \text{if } -1 < t < 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

## 2 Big Waves My Dude

Suppose you have the PDE:  $\frac{\partial^2 u(x,t)}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u(x,t)}{\partial x^2}$  with  $-\infty < x < \infty$ ,  $0 < t < \infty$  and assume  $u(x, t)$  decays to 0 at  $x = -\infty$  and  $x = \infty$ . This classic PDE is called the wave equation!

(a) 4 points Take the Fourier transform of the PDE (Hint: Your resulting equation will be an ODE with no  $x$  and only  $t$ ,  $w$  and  $\hat{u}(w, t)$ ).