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FFT in quantum physics

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Fourier transform

$$FT : \mathbb{R}^N \rightarrow \mathbb{C}^N$$

The Fourier transform is a mathematical operation with many applications in physics and engineering that expresses a mathematical **function of time** as a **function of frequency**, known as its frequency spectrum; Fourier's theorem guarantees that this can always be done.

Applications

- engineering
- signal processing
- electronics
- cosmology
- NMR spectroscopy
- quantum chemistry
- computational material science
- ...

Fourier transform

$$f \in L^1(\mathbb{R}^N)$$

$$f(\vec{k}) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^N} f(\vec{x}) e^{-2i\pi \vec{x} \vec{k}} d\vec{x}$$

$$f(\vec{k}) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^N} \int_{\mathbb{R}^N} f(\vec{x}) e^{-2i\pi \vec{x} \vec{k}} d\vec{x}$$

$$f(\vec{k}) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{N/2}} \int_{\mathbb{R}^N} f(\vec{x}) e^{-2i\pi \vec{x} \vec{k}} d\vec{x}$$

Inverse Fourier transform

$$f(\vec{k}) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^N} f(\vec{x}) e^{-2i\pi \vec{x} \vec{k}} d\vec{x}$$

$$f(\vec{x}) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^N} \int_{\mathbb{R}^N} f(\vec{k}) e^{2i\pi \vec{k} \vec{x}} d\vec{k}$$

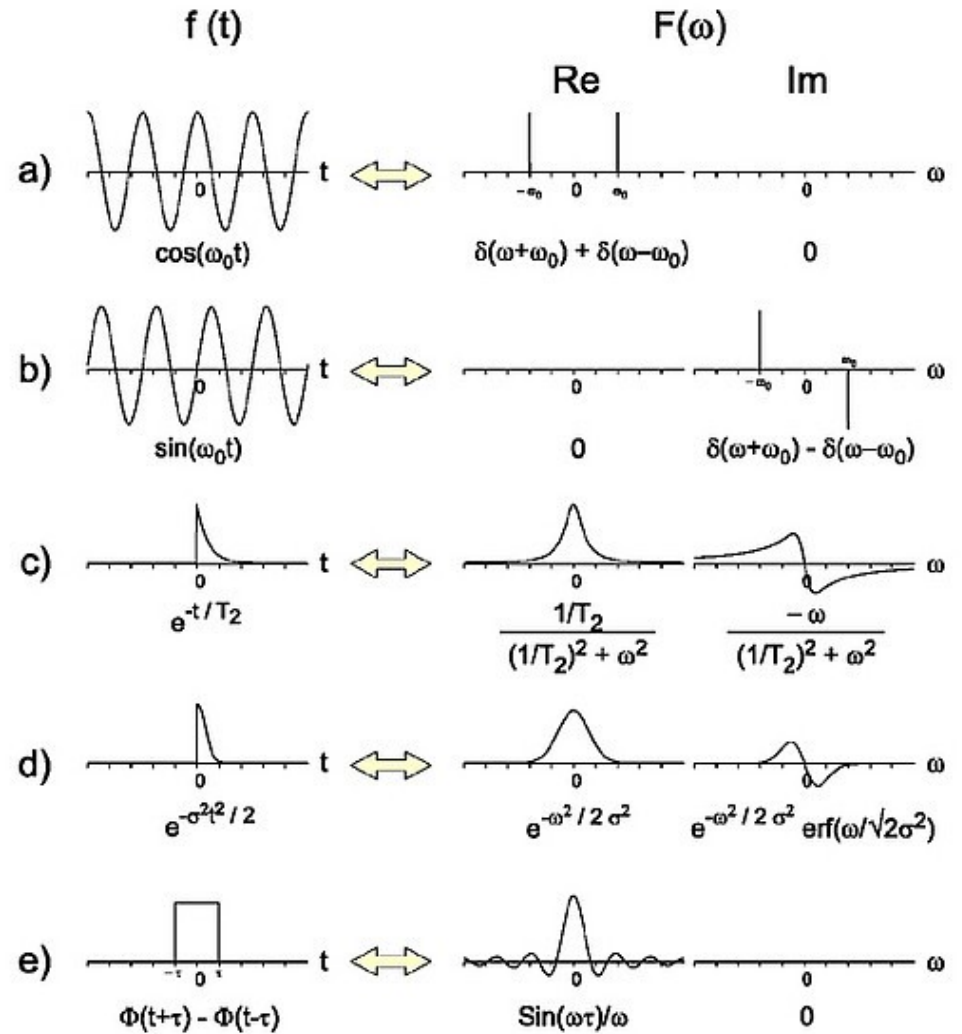
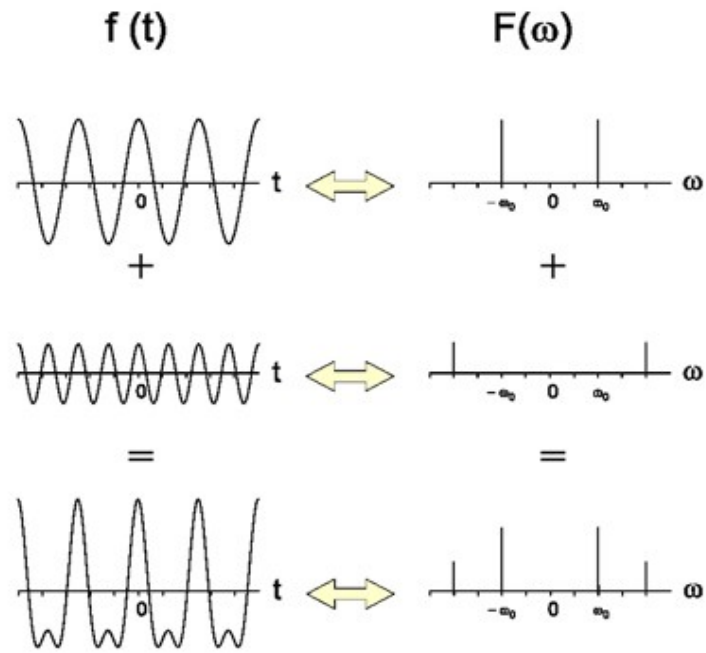
$$f(\vec{k}) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^N} \int_{\mathbb{R}^N} f(\vec{x}) e^{-2i\pi \vec{x} \vec{k}} d\vec{x}$$

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Interpretation



Discrete Fourier transform

$$\int dx \rightarrow \sum_n$$

$$x_k = \sum_n x_n e^{-2i\pi \frac{k}{N} n}$$

$$x_n = \frac{1}{N} \sum_k x_k e^{2i\pi \frac{k}{N} n}$$

$$k = k_0, k_1, \dots, k_{N-1}$$

FFT

A **fast Fourier transform** (FFT) is an efficient algorithm to compute the **discrete Fourier transform** (DFT) and its inverse. There are many distinct FFT algorithms involving a wide range of mathematics, from simple complex-number arithmetic to group theory and number theory.

By far the most common FFT is the Cooley–Tukey algorithm. This is a divide and conquer algorithm that recursively breaks down a DFT of any composite size $N = N_1N_2$ into **many smaller DFTs of sizes N_1 and N_2** , along with $O(N)$ multiplications by complex roots of unity traditionally called twiddle factors (after Gentleman and Sande, 1966).

FFT algorithms

- Cooley–Tukey algorithm
- Prime-factor FFT algorithm
- Bruun's FFT algorithm
- Rader's FFT algorithm
- Bluestein's FFT algorithm
- Odlyzko–Schönhage algorithm

Fourier transform on operators

$$\hat{B}(\vec{x}) \rightarrow \hat{B}(\vec{k})$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \rightarrow ik_x$$

$$\nabla^2(x,y,z) \rightarrow -k^2$$

$$k^2 = |\vec{k}|_2$$

Poisson equation

$$V_H(\vec{r}) = \int \frac{\rho(\vec{R})}{|\vec{r} - \vec{R}|} d\vec{R}$$

$V_H(\vec{r})$ Coulomb potential

$\rho(\vec{r})$ Electrons density

$$\nabla^2 V_H(\vec{r}) = -4\pi\rho(\vec{r})$$

$$-k^2 V_H(\vec{k}) = -4\pi\rho(\vec{k})$$

Solving Poisson equation

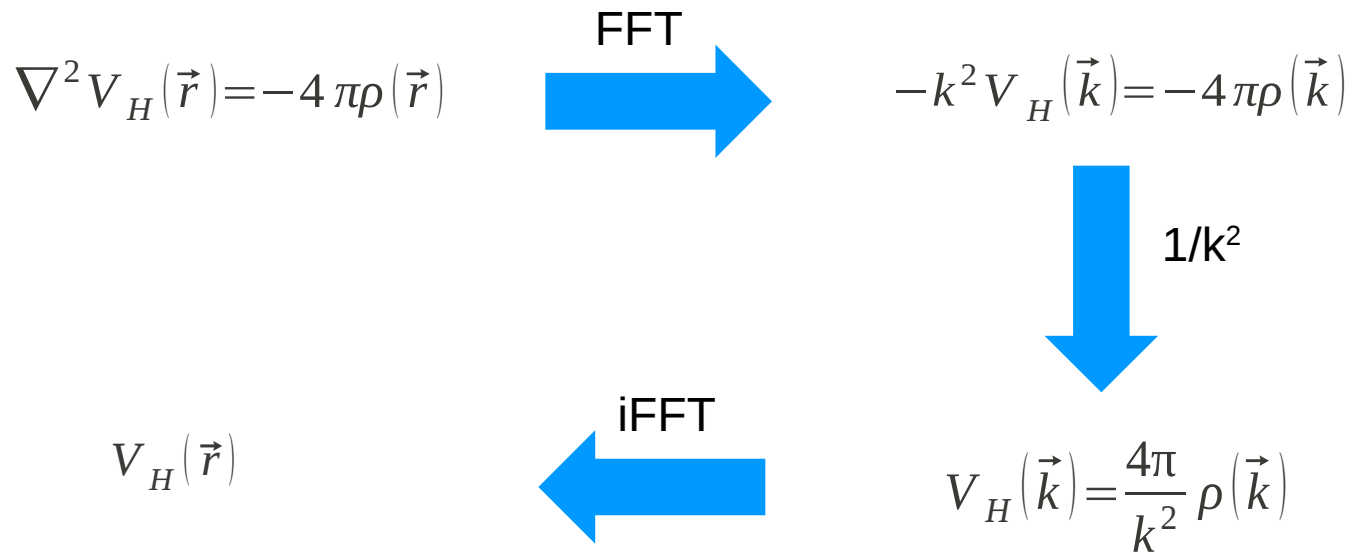
$$\nabla^2 V_H(\vec{r}) = -4\pi\rho(\vec{r})$$



Poisson equation solver

$$V_H(\vec{r})$$

Solving Poisson equation



$k=0$

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$$f(\vec{k}=0) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^N} f(\vec{x}) e^{-2i\pi \vec{x} \cdot 0} d\vec{x} = \int_{\mathbb{R}^N} f(\vec{x}) d\vec{x}$$

$$\rho(\vec{k}=0) = \int \rho(\vec{x}) d\vec{x} = \langle \rho \rangle$$

$\langle x \rangle$ mean value of x

$k=0$

$$\langle \rho \rangle = 0$$

$$\rho(\vec{k}=0) = 0$$

$k=0$

$$\langle \rho \rangle = 0 \qquad \rho(\vec{k}=0) = 0$$

$$\langle \rho \rangle \neq 0 \qquad \rho(\vec{k}=0) \neq 0$$

$$\rho' = \rho + \tilde{\rho} - \tilde{\rho} \qquad \tilde{\rho} : \langle \rho + \tilde{\rho} \rangle = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad V_H(\tilde{\rho}) \quad \text{- easy to compute}$$

$$V_H(\rho) \rightarrow V_H(\rho + \tilde{\rho} - \tilde{\rho}) = V_H(\rho + \tilde{\rho}) - V_H(\tilde{\rho})$$

Electron density

$$\rho(\vec{r}) = \sum |\Psi_n(\vec{r})|^2$$

Schrödinger equation

$$\hat{H} \Psi = E \Psi$$

$$(\nabla^2 + V) \Psi = E \Psi$$

Wave function in 1D

$$(\nabla^2 + V(r)) \Psi(r) = E \Psi(r)$$

$$\int dr |\Psi(\vec{r})|^2 = 1$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} + V(r) \right) \Psi(r) = E \Psi(r)$$

$$V(r) : \Psi(0) = 0 \wedge \Psi(L) = 0$$

$$\Psi(r) = A e^{ikr} + B e^{-ikr}$$

$$\Psi(r) = a \sin(kr) + b \cos(kr)$$

$$\Psi(r) = a \sin(kr) \quad k = \frac{n\pi}{L} \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

Wave function in 3D

$$(\nabla^2 + V(r)) \Psi(r) = E \Psi(r) \qquad \int d r |\Psi(\vec{r})|^2 = 1$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial z^2} + V(\vec{r}) \right) \Psi(\vec{r}) = E \Psi(\vec{r})$$

$$V(\vec{r}): \Psi(0) = 0 \wedge \Psi(\vec{L}) = 0$$

$$\Psi(r) = (A_x e^{ik_x x} + B_x e^{-ik_x x}) (A_y e^{ik_y y} + B_y e^{-ik_y y}) (A_z e^{ik_z z} + B_z e^{-ik_z z})$$

$$\Psi(r) = (a_x \sin(k_x x) + b_x \cos(k_x r_x)) (a_y \sin(k_y y) + b_y \cos(k_y r_y)) (a_z \sin(k_z z) + b_z \cos(k_z r_z))$$

$$\Psi(r) = a \sin(k_x x) \sin(k_y y) \sin(k_z z)$$

$$k_i = \frac{n_i \pi}{L_i} \qquad \begin{array}{l} n_i \in \mathbb{Z} \\ i = x, y, z \end{array}$$

Electron density

$$\rho(\vec{r}) = \sum |\Psi_n(\vec{r})|^2$$

$$\rho(\vec{r}) = a^2 \sin^2(k_x x) \sin^2(k_y y) \sin^2(k_z z)$$

Time evolution

$$\Psi(\vec{r}, t) = e^{-i\omega t} \Psi(\vec{r})$$

Time evolution in 1D

$$\Psi(r,t) = e^{-i\omega t} \Psi(r)$$

$$\Psi(r,t) = Ae^{ikr - i\omega t} + Be^{-ikr - i\omega t}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Psi(r) = & a \sin(kr - \omega t) + b \cos(kr - \omega t) \\ & + c \sin(kr + \omega t) + d \cos(kr + \omega t) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Psi(0,0) = 0$$

$$\Psi\left(\frac{1}{k\omega}, 1\right) = 0$$

$$\Psi(r,t) = a \sin(kr - \omega t)$$

Time evolution in 3D

$$\rho(\vec{r}, t) = \sum |\Psi_n(\vec{r}, t)|^2$$

$$\Psi(\vec{r}, t) = a \sin(k_x x - \omega t) \sin(k_y y) \sin(k_z z)$$

$$\rho(\vec{r}, t) = |a|^2 \sin^2(k_x x - \omega t) \sin^2(k_y y) \sin^2(k_z z)$$

DFT library

- **FFTW**
- **P3DFFT**
- GSL
- ACML
- **ESSL**
- FFTPACK
- FFTEASY
- JTransforms
- GPUFFTW
- ...

Deklaracja biblioteki

```
#include "p3dffft.h"  
#include <mpi.h>
```

P3DFFT: initialization

```
p3dffft_setup(proc_dims, nx, ny, nz, overwrite, memsize)
```

`proc_dims` - An array of two integers, specifying how the processor grid should be decomposed. Either 1D or 2D decomposition can be specified.

`nx, ny, nz` - Dimensions of the 3D transform

`overwrite` - When set to `.true.` (or `1` in C) this argument indicates that it is safe to overwrite the input of the `btran` (backward transform) routine.

`memsize` - An array of three integers, specifying memory used

P3DFFT: Array Decomposition

`p3dfft_get_dims(start, end, size, ip)`

`start` - An array containing 3 integers, defining the beginning indices of the local array for the given task within the global grid

`end` - An array containing 3 integers, defining the ending indices of the local array within the global grid

`size` - An array containing 3 integers, defining the local array's dimensions

`ip` - An integer argument specifying one of the two choices for array types (1 for forward, 2 for backward, 3 for in-place transform)

P3DFFT: Array Decomposition

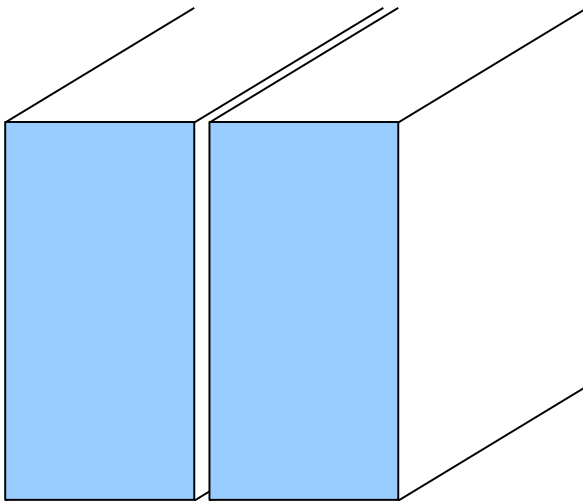
P3DFFT uses 2D block decomposition to assign local arrays for each task. Let P_1 and P_2 be processor grid dimensions defined in the call to `p3dffft_setup`.

For `ip=1` Array is distributed among P_1 tasks in Y dimension and P_2 tasks in Z dimension

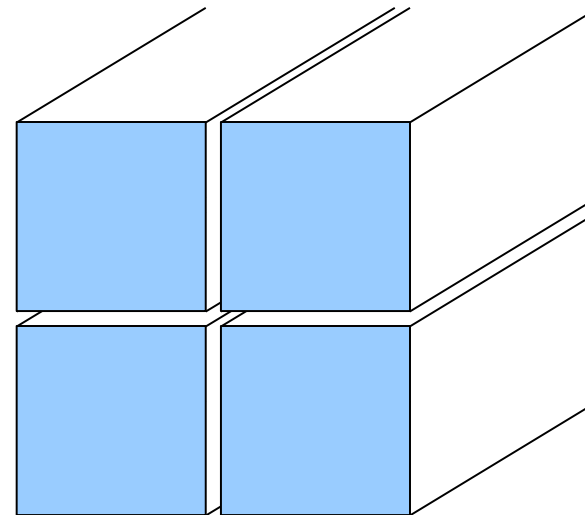
For `ip=2` Array is distributed among P_1 tasks in X dimension and P_2 tasks in Y dimension

Array Decomposition

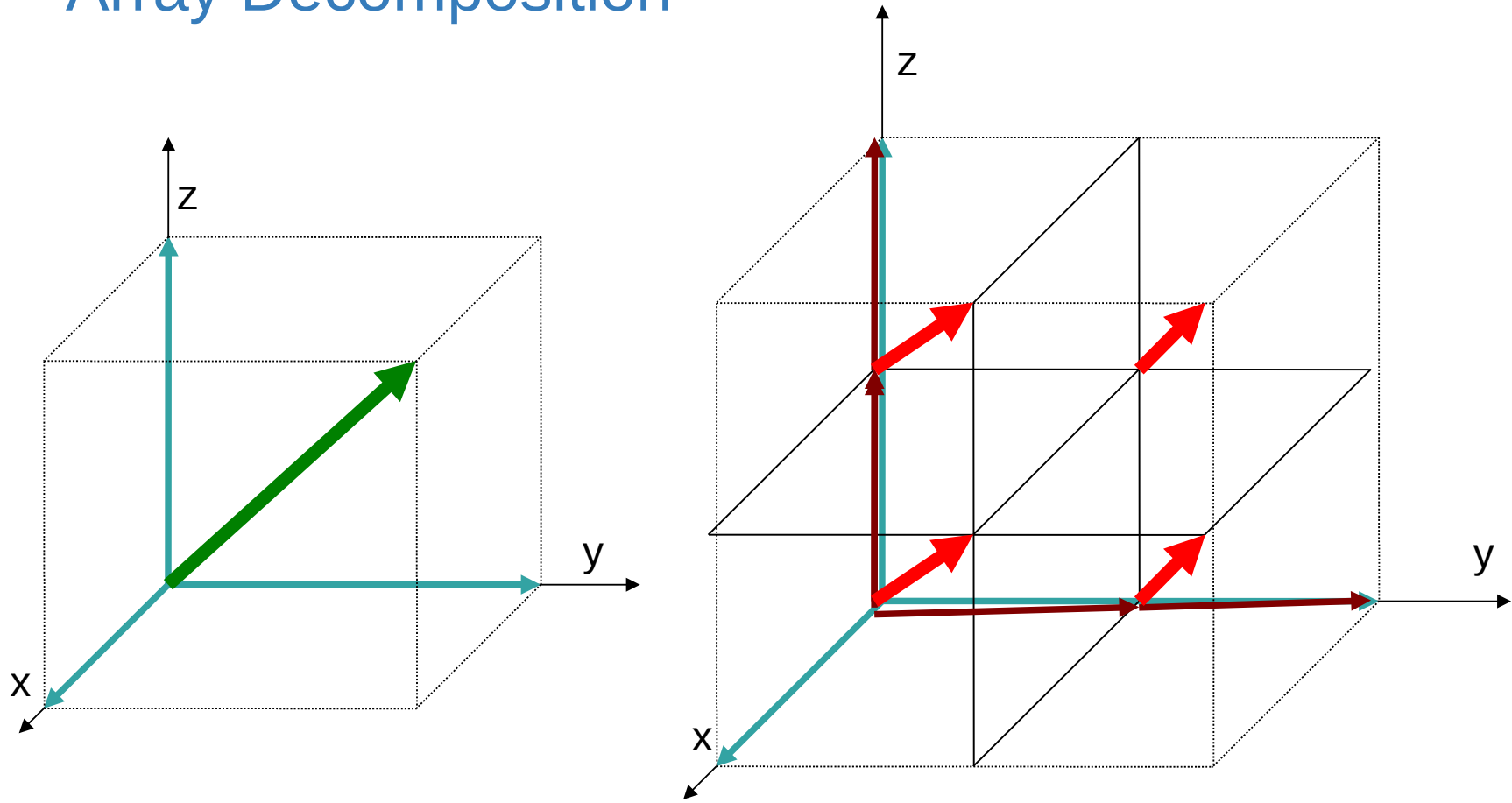
1D (FFTW)



2D (P3DFFT)



Array Decomposition



Array Decomposition

$$\vec{X} = \hat{X} = X \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \dots & N_x - 1 \\ 0 & \dots & N_y - 1 \\ 0 & \dots & N_z - 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\hat{X} = \sum X_p \begin{pmatrix} \text{start}[0] & \dots & \text{end}[0] \\ \text{start}[1] & \dots & \text{end}[1] \\ \text{start}[2] & \dots & \text{end}[2] \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\hat{X} = \sum X_p \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \dots & \text{size}[0] \\ 0 & \dots & \text{size}[1] \\ 0 & \dots & \text{size}[2] \end{pmatrix}$$

P3DFFT: Forward transform

`p3dffft_fttran_r2c(IN, OUT, op)`

IN - an array of real numbers with dimensions defined by array type with `ip=1`

OUT - an array of complex numbers with dimensions defined by array type with `ip=2`

op - 3-letter character string indicating the type of transform desired in X, Y, Z direction

t Fourier transform

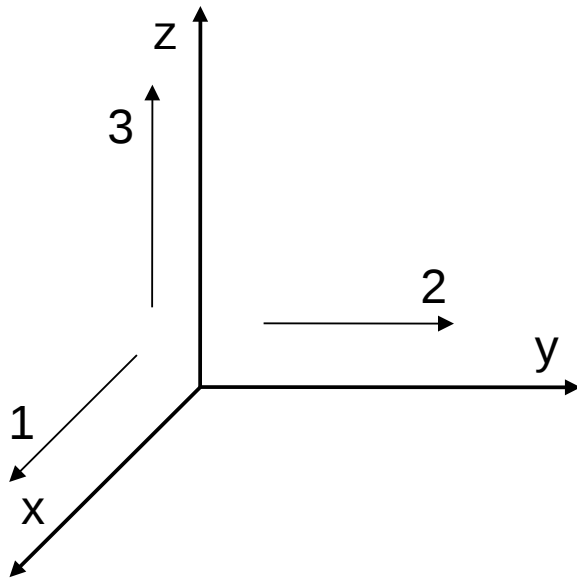
c Cosine transform

s Sine transform

n or \emptyset Empty transform (no operation, output is identical to input)

P3DFFT: Forward transform

IN - an array of double numbers in order:



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IN - an array of double numbers in order:

$$\vec{I} N = \begin{pmatrix} \text{IN}(0,0,0) \\ \text{IN}(1,0,0) \\ \dots \\ \text{IN}(N_x-1,0,0) \\ \text{IN}(0,1,0) \\ \text{IN}(1,1,0) \\ \dots \\ \text{IN}(N_x-1, N_y-1, 0) \\ \text{IN}(0,0,1) \\ \dots \\ \text{IN}(N_x-1, N_y-1, N_z-1) \end{pmatrix}$$

P3DFFT: Forward transform

OUT - an array of complex numbers in order:

$$O\vec{U}T = \begin{bmatrix} \Re(OUT_1) \\ \Im(OUT_1) \\ \Re(OUT_2) \\ \Im(OUT_2) \\ \dots \\ \Re(OUT_{N-1}) \\ \Im(OUT_{N-1}) \end{bmatrix}$$

What is compute

$$X_k = \sum_n x_n e^{-2i\pi \frac{k}{N}n}$$

$$x_n = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_k X_k e^{2i\pi \frac{k}{N}n}$$

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$$x_n = \frac{1}{N} \sum_k X_k e^{2i\pi \frac{k}{N}n}$$

$$X_n \xrightarrow{\text{FFT}} X_k \xrightarrow{\text{iFFT}} NX_n$$

P3DFFT: Backward transform

`p3dffft_ftran_c2r(IN, OUT, op)`

IN - an array of real numbers with dimensions defined by array type with `ip=2`

OUT - an array of complex numbers with dimensions defined by array type with `ip=1`

op - 3-letter character string indicating the type of transform desired in X, Y, Z direction

t Fourier transform

c Cosine transform

s Sine transform

n or \emptyset Empty transform (no operation, output is identical to input)

Terminates P3DFFT

`p3dffft_clean()` - Terminates P3DFFT