

Recall that if  $I = [a, b] \subset \mathbb{R}$  then we defined  $h_I : I \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$  by

$$h_I(x) = \begin{cases} |b - a|^{-\frac{1}{2}}, & \text{if } x \in [a, \frac{a+b}{2}) \\ -|b - a|^{-\frac{1}{2}}, & \text{if } x \in [\frac{a+b}{2}, b) \\ 0, & \text{if } x \notin [a, b) \end{cases}$$

The Collection of dyadic intervals  $\mathcal{D}$  is defined by

$$\mathcal{D} := \{[\frac{i}{2^j}, \frac{i+1}{2^j}) : i, j \in \mathbb{Z}\}$$

We have that  $\{h_I : I \in \mathcal{D}\} \cup \{\chi_{[0,1]}\}$  is a basis for the vector space of Riemann integrable functions. Let

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} \epsilon^{-\frac{1}{2}}, & \text{if } x \in [\frac{1}{2}(1 - \epsilon), \frac{1}{2}(1 + \epsilon)] \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Assume  $\epsilon = 2^{-n_0}$ .

1. How many non-zero coefficients  $a_I$  would it take to write

$$f(x) = \sum_{\substack{I \in \mathcal{D} \\ I \subset [0,1]}} a_I h_I(x)$$

2. How many of them would be bigger than  $\delta$ ?
3. How many non-zero coefficients  $c_n$  would it take to write  $f$  in the Fourier basis?
4. How many of them would be bigger than  $\delta$ ?