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Math 118
Second Midterm Exam

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State your answers clearly and fully (with whole sentences, please). Include all your work.

(Total points = 40.)

1. For each integer n let V_n and W_n be the usual subspaces of $L^2(\mathbb{R})$ coming from the Haar scaling function and wavelet (for dilation by 2).
 - 6 a) Explain carefully how the V_n 's and W_n 's are obtained.
 - 6 b) Exhibit explicitly the Haar wavelet orthonormal basis for W_2 .
 - 8 c) For each n let X_n be the subspace of W_n consisting of those functions which have value 0 outside the interval $[0, 5]$. Determine the dimensions of X_1 and X_{-1} by finding bases for them. Justify your answer.
2. Fix a positive integer N , and let x and y be complex-valued functions on $\{0, 1, \dots, N-1\}$.
 - 5 a) Define what is meant by the (discrete) Fourier transform, \hat{x} , of x .
 - 5 b) Define the convolution $x*y$ of x and y .
 - 10 c) Show that $(x*y)^\wedge = \hat{x} \hat{y}$, the pointwise product.