

Math 513-131 HW 1

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Q.1: Find Fourier series of the function $f(t) = \begin{cases} 0 & -\pi < t < 0 \\ \sin(t) & 0 < t < \pi \end{cases}$.

Use the result to show that $\frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{1.3} - \frac{1}{3.5} + \frac{1}{5.7} + \dots$. Plot the graph of function with partial sums of the series for $n = 1, 2, \dots, 6$.

Sol: $a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin(t) dt = \frac{2}{\pi}$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{For } n \neq 1, a_n &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin(t) \cos(nt) dt = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} [\sin(1+n)t + \sin(1-n)t] dt \\ &= \frac{-1}{2\pi} \left[\frac{\cos(1+n)t}{1+n} + \frac{\cos(1-n)t}{1-n} \right]_0^{\pi} = \frac{-1}{2\pi} \left[\frac{\cos(n+1)t}{n+1} - \frac{\cos(n-1)t}{n-1} \right]_0^{\pi} \\ &= \frac{-1}{2\pi} \left[\frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n+1} - \frac{(-1)^{n-1}}{n-1} - \frac{1}{n+1} + \frac{1}{n-1} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[\frac{(-1)^n}{n+1} - \frac{(-1)^n}{n-1} + \frac{1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{n-1} \right] \\ &= \frac{-1}{\pi} \left[\frac{(-1)^n}{n^2-1} + \frac{1}{n^2-1} \right] = \frac{-1}{\pi} \left[\frac{(-1)^n + 1}{n^2-1} \right] \end{aligned}$$

$$a_1 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin(t) \cos(t) dt = \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\frac{\sin^2(t)}{2} \right]_0^{\pi} = 0.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{For } n \neq 1, b_n &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin(t) \sin(nt) dt = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} [\cos(1-n)t - \cos(1+n)t] dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \left[\frac{\sin(1-n)t}{1-n} - \frac{\sin(1+n)t}{1+n} \right]_0^{\pi} = \frac{-1}{2\pi} \left[\frac{\cos(n+1)t}{n+1} - \frac{\cos(n-1)t}{n-1} \right]_0^{\pi} = 0 \\ b_1 &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin^2(t) dt = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} [1 - \cos(2t)] dt = \frac{1}{2}. \end{aligned}$$

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{\pi} + \frac{1}{2} \sin(t) - \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(-1)^n + 1}{n^2 - 1} \right] \cos(nt).$$

Q.2: Find Half Range Fourier sine and cosine series of $f(t) = \pi^2 - t^2$, $0 < t < \pi$. Write these series in Phase angle form. Plot the graph of function with partial sums of the series for $n = 1, 2, \dots, 6$.

Sol: $a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \pi^2 - t^2 dt = \frac{4\pi^2}{3}$.

$$a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (\pi^2 - t^2) \cos(nt) dt = \frac{4[0 - n \cos(n\pi)\pi]}{\pi n^3} = \frac{-4(-1)^n}{n^2}$$

Half Range Fourier Cosine Series $f(t) = \frac{2\pi^2}{3} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{4(-1)^n}{n^2} \right] \cos(nt)$

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (\pi^2 - t^2) \sin(nt) dt = \frac{2(\pi^2 n^2 + 2 - 2(-1)^n)}{\pi n^3}$$

Half Range Fourier Sine Series $f(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{2(\pi^2 n^2 + 2 - 2(-1)^n)}{\pi n^3} \right] \sin(nt)$

Note: a_n and b_n are calculated using integration by parts.