

Solution

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MATH 301 Methods of Applied Mathematics Term 061

QUIZ #5(a)

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Q1) Find the *Fourier cosine* and *Fourier sine* series in $0 < x < 4$.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 < x < 2 \\ -1, & 2 \leq x < 4 \end{cases}$$

Fourier Cosine Series : $f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos \frac{n\pi x}{4}$, $0 < x < 4$

$$a_0 = \frac{2}{4} \int_0^4 f(x) dx = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \int_0^2 dx + \int_2^4 -dx \right\} = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ [x]_0^2 - [x]_2^4 \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ 2 - 4 + 2 \right\} = 0.$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{4} \int_0^4 f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi x}{4} dx = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \int_0^2 \cos \frac{n\pi x}{4} dx - \int_2^4 \cos \frac{n\pi x}{4} dx \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{4}{n\pi} \left(\sin \frac{n\pi x}{4} \Big|_0^2 - \sin \frac{n\pi x}{4} \Big|_2^4 \right) \right\}$$

$$= \frac{2}{n\pi} \left\{ 2 \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} - \sin n\pi \right\} = \frac{4}{n\pi} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2}$$

So, $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{n\pi} \sin \left(\frac{n\pi}{2} \right) \cos \frac{n\pi x}{4}$

Fourier Sine Series : $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin \left(\frac{n\pi x}{4} \right)$

$$b_n = \frac{2}{4} \int_0^4 f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{4} dx$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \int_0^2 \sin \frac{n\pi x}{4} dx - \int_2^4 \sin \frac{n\pi x}{4} dx \right\} = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ \frac{4}{n\pi} \left[\left(-\cos \frac{n\pi x}{4} \right) \Big|_0^2 + \left(\cos \frac{n\pi x}{4} \right) \Big|_2^4 \right] \right\}$$

$$= \frac{2}{n\pi} \left[-2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} + 1 + (-1)^n \right]$$

Thus, $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n\pi} \left(-2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} + 1 + (-1)^n \right) \sin \left(\frac{n\pi x}{4} \right).$

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QUIZ #5(b)

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Q1) Find the *Fourier cosine* and *Fourier sine* series in $0 < x < \pi$.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -\frac{1}{2}, & 0 < x < \frac{\pi}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2}, & \frac{\pi}{2} \leq x < \pi \end{cases}$$

Fourier cosine series : $f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos nx, \quad 0 < x < \pi$

$$a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} -\frac{1}{2} dx + \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \frac{1}{2} dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \left\{ \left[-x \right]_0^{\pi/2} + \left[x \right]_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[-\frac{\pi}{2} + \pi - \frac{\pi}{2} \right] = 0$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(x) \cos nx dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\int_0^{\pi/2} -\cos nx dx + \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \cos nx dx \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left\{ \left[-\sin nx \right]_0^{\pi/2} + \left[\sin nx \right]_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \right\} = \frac{1}{n\pi} \left\{ -\sin \frac{n\pi}{2} + \sin \pi - \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{-2}{n\pi} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2}$$

So, $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{-2 \sin(\frac{n\pi}{2})}{n\pi} \cos nx$

Fourier sine series $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin nx, \quad 0 < x < \pi$

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(x) \sin nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\int_0^{\pi/2} -\sin nx dx + \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \sin nx dx \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left\{ \left[\cos nx \right]_0^{\pi/2} - \left[\cos nx \right]_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{n\pi} \left\{ \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - 1 - (-1)^n + \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} \right\} = \frac{1}{n\pi} \left\{ 2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - 1 - (-1)^n \right\}$$

So, $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n\pi} \left(2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - 1 - (-1)^n \right) \sin nx$

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QUIZ #5(c)

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Q1) Find the *Fourier cosine* and *Fourier sine* series in $0 < x < 3$.

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -1, & 0 < x < 1 \\ 0, & 1 \leq x < 2 \\ 1, & 2 \leq x < 3. \end{cases}$$

Fourier Cosine Series $f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos \frac{n\pi}{3} x$, $0 < x < 3$

$$a_0 = \frac{2}{3} \int_0^3 f(x) dx = \frac{2}{3} \left\{ \int_0^1 -1 dx + \int_1^2 0 dx + \int_2^3 1 dx \right\}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left\{ [-x]_0^1 + [x]_1^2 \right\} = \frac{2}{3} \left\{ -1 + 3 - 2 \right\} = 0$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{3} \int_0^3 f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi}{3} x dx = \frac{2}{3} \left\{ \int_0^1 -\cos \frac{n\pi}{3} x dx + \int_2^3 \cos \frac{n\pi}{3} x dx \right\}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left\{ \frac{3}{n\pi} \left(-\sin \frac{n\pi}{3} x \Big|_0^1 + \sin \frac{n\pi}{3} x \Big|_2^3 \right) \right\}$$

$$= \frac{2}{n\pi} \left\{ -\sin \frac{n\pi}{3} + \sin \frac{2n\pi}{3} \right\}$$

Thus $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n\pi} \left(-\sin \frac{n\pi}{3} + \sin \frac{2n\pi}{3} \right) \cos \frac{n\pi}{3} x$

Fourier Sine Series: $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin \frac{n\pi}{3} x$, $0 < x < 3$

$$b_n = \frac{2}{3} \int_0^3 f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi}{3} x dx = \frac{2}{3} \left\{ \int_0^1 -\sin \frac{n\pi}{3} x dx + \int_2^3 \sin \frac{n\pi}{3} x dx \right\}$$

$$= \frac{2}{3} \left\{ \frac{3}{n\pi} \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{3} x \Big|_0^1 - \cos \frac{n\pi}{3} x \Big|_2^3 \right) \right\} = \frac{2}{n\pi} \left[\cos \frac{n\pi}{3} - 1 - (-1)^n + \cos \frac{2n\pi}{3} \right]$$

Thus, $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n\pi} \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{3} - 1 - (-1)^n + \cos \frac{2n\pi}{3} \right) \sin \frac{n\pi}{3} x$.