

FOURIER SERIES of  $f$  on  $(-p, p)$ 

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ a_n \cos \frac{n\pi x}{p} + b_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{p} \right]$$

$$\text{where } a_0 = \frac{1}{p} \int_{-p}^p f(x) dx$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{p} \int_{-p}^p f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi x}{p} dx$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{p} \int_{-p}^p f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{p} dx$$

FOURIER COSINE SERIESof  $f$  on  $(-p, p)$ . $f$  is EVEN  $\therefore b_n = 0$ 

$$a_0 = \frac{2}{p} \int_0^p f(x) dx$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{p} \int_0^p f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi x}{p} dx$$

FOURIER SINE SERIESof  $f$  on  $(-p, p)$ . $f$  is ODD  $\therefore a_0 = a_n = 0$ 

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

EXAMPLES1. Zand C 12.2 N<sup>o</sup> 3 p. 661.

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

$$a_0 = \int_{-1}^0 1 dx + \int_0^1 x dx = 1 + \frac{1}{2} \therefore a_0 = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$a_n = \int_{-1}^0 \cos n\pi x dx + \int_0^1 x \cos n\pi x dx$$

$$\therefore a_n = \left[ \frac{1}{n\pi} \sin n\pi x \right]_{-1}^0 + \left[ \frac{1}{n\pi} x \sin n\pi x + \frac{1}{n^2 \pi^2} \cos n\pi x \right]_0^1$$

$$\therefore a_n = \frac{1}{n^2 \pi^2} (\cos n\pi - 1)$$

$$\therefore a_n = \frac{1}{n^2 \pi^2} [(-1)^n - 1]$$

$$b_n = \int_{-1}^0 \sin n\pi x dx + \int_0^1 x \sin n\pi x dx$$

$$= \left[ -\frac{1}{n\pi} \cos n\pi x \right]_{-1}^0 + \left[ \frac{1}{n^2 \pi^2} \sin n\pi x - \frac{1}{n\pi} x \cos n\pi x \right]_0^1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore b_n &= -\frac{1}{n\pi} [1 - \cos(-n\pi)] \\ &\quad - \frac{1}{n\pi} \cos n\pi \\ \therefore b_n &= -\frac{1}{n\pi} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } f(x) = \frac{3}{4} +$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n^2 \pi^2} \cos n\pi x - \frac{1}{n\pi} \sin n\pi x \right]$$

2. Zand C 12.3 N<sup>o</sup> 29, p. 668.

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



(i) COSINE series

$$\begin{aligned} a_0 &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left\{ \int_0^{\pi/2} x dx + \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} (\pi - x) dx \right\} \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left\{ \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^{\pi/2} + \left[ \pi x - \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \right\} \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left\{ \frac{\pi^2}{8} + \pi^2 - \frac{\pi^2}{2} - \frac{\pi^2}{2} + \frac{\pi^2}{8} \right\} \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \times \frac{\pi^2}{4} \therefore a_0 = \frac{\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_n &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left\{ \int_0^{\pi/2} x \cos nx dx + \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} (\pi - x) \cos nx dx \right\} \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left\{ \left[ \frac{x \sin nx}{n} + \frac{\cos nx}{n^2} \right]_0^{\pi/2} + \left[ \frac{\pi - x}{n} \sin nx - \frac{\cos nx}{n^2} \right]_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \right\} \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left\{ \frac{\pi}{2n} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\cos n\pi/2}{n^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} - \frac{\cos n\pi}{n^2} - \frac{\pi}{2n} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{\cos n\pi/2}{n^2} \right\} \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left\{ \frac{2 \cos n\pi/2}{n^2} - \frac{1}{n^2} - \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2} \right\} \\ &= \frac{2}{n^2 \pi} \left\{ 2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - 1 - (-1)^n \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

EXERCISE (ii) SINE series

$$\begin{aligned} b_n &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left\{ \int_0^{\pi/2} x \sin nx dx + \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} (\pi - x) \sin nx dx \right\} \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left\{ \left[ -\frac{x \cos nx}{n} + \frac{\sin nx}{n^2} \right]_0^{\pi/2} + \left[ -\frac{(\pi - x)}{n} \cos nx - \frac{\sin nx}{n^2} \right]_{\pi/2}^{\pi} \right\} \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left\{ \frac{\sin n\pi/2}{n^2} - \frac{\pi \cos n\pi/2}{2n} + \frac{\pi \cos n\pi/2}{2n} - \frac{2 \sin n\pi/2}{n^2} \right\} \\ \therefore b_n &= \frac{2 \sin n\pi/2}{n^2} \end{aligned}$$