

# Unit I - Fourier series

## Fourier series in an interval of length $2\ell$

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

Fourier series of  $f(x)$  in  $(0, 2\ell)$

Fourier series of  $f(x)$  in  $(-\ell, \ell)$

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

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{\ell} \int_0^{2\ell} f(x) dx$$

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

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

$$a_n = \frac{1}{\ell} \int_0^{2\ell} f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi x}{\ell} dx$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\ell} \int_0^{2\ell} f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{\ell} dx$$

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

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

Even Function

Odd Function

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( a_n \cos \frac{n\pi x}{\ell} \right)$$

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

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

$$b_n = 0$$

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( b_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{\ell} \right)$$

$$a_0 = 0$$

$$a_n = 0$$

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

### Convergence of Fourier Series:

- At a continuous point  $x = a$ , Fourier series converges to  $f(a)$
- At end point  $c$  or  $c+2\ell$  in  $(c, c+2\ell)$ , Fourier series converges to  $\frac{f(c) + f(c+2\ell)}{2}$
- At a discontinuous point  $x = a$ , Fourier series converges to  $\frac{f(a-) + f(a+)}{2}$

## Fourier series in the Interval of length $2\pi$

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos nx + b_n \sin nx)$$

Fourier Series of  $f(x)$  in  $(0, 2\pi)$

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos nx + b_n \sin nx)$$

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(x) dx$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(x) \cos nx dx$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(x) \sin nx dx$$

Fourier Series of  $f(x)$  in  $(-\pi, \pi)$

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos nx + b_n \sin nx)$$

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

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

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

Even Function

Odd Function

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cos nx)$$

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

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

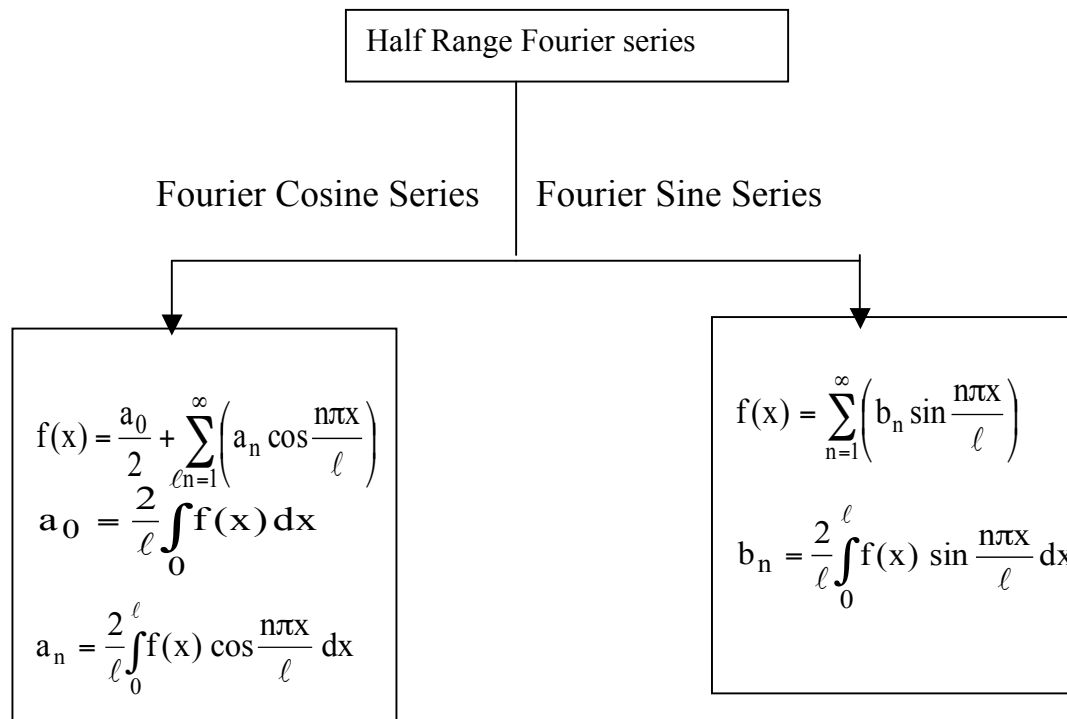
$$b_n = 0$$

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (b_n \sin nx)$$

$$a_0 = 0$$

$$a_n = 0$$

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



### Convergence of Fourier Cosine series:

- At a continuous point  $x = a$ , Fourier cosine series converges to  $f(a)$ .
- At end point  $0$  in  $(0, l)$ , Fourier cosine series converges to  $f(0+)$
- At end point  $l$  in  $(0, l)$ , Fourier cosine series converges to  $f(l-)$

### Convergence of Fourier Sine series:

- At a continuous point  $x = a$ , Fourier Sine series converges to  $f(a)$ .
- At both end points Fourier Sine series converges to  $0$ .

### Harmonic Analysis:

$$a_0 = 2 \left[ \frac{\sum y}{N} \right], \quad a_n = 2 \left[ \frac{\sum y \cos \left( \frac{n\pi x}{\ell} \right)}{N} \right], \quad b_n = 2 \left[ \frac{\sum y \sin \left( \frac{n\pi x}{\ell} \right)}{N} \right]$$

### Parseval's Theorem:

If  $f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( a_n \cos \frac{n\pi x}{\ell} + b_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{\ell} \right)$  is the Fourier series of  $f(x)$  in  $(c, c+2l)$ ,

$$\text{Then } \bar{y}^2 = \frac{a_0^2}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n^2 + b_n^2) \quad (\text{or}) \quad \frac{1}{2\ell} \int_c^{c+2\ell} [f(x)]^2 dx = \frac{a_0^2}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n^2 + b_n^2)$$

## Root Mean Square Value:

$\bar{y}^2$  is the effective value (or) Root Mean square (RMS) value of the function  $y = f(x)$ , which is given by

$$\bar{y} = \sqrt{\frac{\int_c^{c+2\ell} [f(x)]^2 dx}{2\ell}}$$

## Some Important Results:

1.  $\sin n\pi = 0$  for all integer values of  $n$
2.  $\cos n\pi = (-1)^n$  for all integer values of  $n$
3.  $\cos 2n\pi = 1$  for all integer values of  $n$
4.  $\sin 2n\pi = 0$  for all integer values of  $n$
5. If  $f(-x) = f(x)$  then  $f(x)$  is even and If  $f(-x) = -f(x)$  then  $f(x)$  is odd.
6.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \varphi_1(x) & (-\ell, 0) \\ \varphi_2(x) & (0, \ell) \end{cases}$  is even if either  $\varphi_1(-x) = \varphi_2(x)$  or  $\varphi_2(-x) = \varphi_1(x)$
7.  $f(x) = \begin{cases} \varphi_1(x) & (-\ell, 0) \\ \varphi_2(x) & (0, \ell) \end{cases}$  is odd if either  $\varphi_1(-x) = -\varphi_2(x)$  or  $\varphi_2(-x) = -\varphi_1(x)$
8.  $|x| = \begin{cases} x, & x > 0 \\ -x, & x < 0 \end{cases}$
9.  $\int e^{ax} \cos bx dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a^2 + b^2} [a \cos bx + b \sin bx]$
10.  $\int e^{ax} \sin bx dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a^2 + b^2} [a \sin bx - b \cos bx]$
11.  $\int u dv = uv_1 - u'v_2 + u''v_3 - \dots$  Where  
 $u' = \frac{du}{dx}, u'' = \frac{d^2u}{dx^2}, \dots, v_1 = \int dv, v_2 = \int v_1 dx, v_3 = \int v_2 dx \dots$