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12.1 Orthogonal Functions

25. In R^3 the set $\{i, j\}$ is not complete since k is orthogonal to both i and j . The set $\{i, j, k\}$ is complete. To see this suppose that $ai + bj + ck$ is orthogonal to i, j , and k . Then

$$0 = (ai + bj + ck, i) = a(i, i) + b(j, i) + c(k, i) = a(1) + b(0) + c(0) = a$$

Similarly, $b = 0$ and $c = 0$. Thus, the only vector in R^3 orthogonal to i, j , and k is 0 , so $\{i, j, k\}$ is complete.

EXERCISES 12.2

Fourier Series

1. $a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} 1 dx = 1$
 $a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi}{\pi} x dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \cos nx dx = 0$
 $b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi}{\pi} x dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin nx dx = \frac{1}{n\pi} (1 - \cos n\pi) = \frac{1}{n\pi} [1 - (-1)^n]$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 - (-1)^n}{n} \sin nx$$
2. $a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 (-1) dx + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} 2 dx = 1$
 $a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 -\cos nx dx + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} 2 \cos nx dx = 0$
 $b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 -\sin nx dx + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} 2 \sin nx dx = \frac{3}{n\pi} [1 - (-1)^n]$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{3}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 - (-1)^n}{n} \sin nx$$
3. $a_0 = \int_{-1}^1 f(x) dx = \int_{-1}^0 1 dx + \int_0^1 x dx = \frac{3}{2}$
 $a_n = \int_{-1}^1 f(x) \cos n\pi x dx = \int_{-1}^0 \cos n\pi x dx + \int_0^1 x \cos n\pi x dx = \frac{1}{n^2 \pi^2} [(-1)^n - 1]$
 $b_n = \int_{-1}^1 f(x) \sin n\pi x dx = \int_{-1}^0 \sin n\pi x dx + \int_0^1 x \sin n\pi x dx = -\frac{1}{n\pi}$

$$f(x) = \frac{3}{4} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n^2 \pi^2} \cos n\pi x - \frac{1}{n\pi} \sin n\pi x \right]$$
4. $a_0 = \int_{-1}^1 f(x) dx = \int_0^1 x dx = \frac{1}{2}$
 $a_n = \int_{-1}^1 f(x) \cos n\pi x dx = \int_0^1 x \cos n\pi x dx = \frac{1}{n^2 \pi^2} [(-1)^n - 1]$
 $b_n = \int_{-1}^1 f(x) \sin n\pi x dx = \int_0^1 x \sin n\pi x dx = \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n\pi}$

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

$$5. a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x^2 dx = \frac{1}{3} \pi^2$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x^2 \cos nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \left(\frac{x^2}{\pi} \sin nx \Big|_0^{\pi} - \frac{2}{n} \int_0^{\pi} x \sin nx dx \right) = \frac{2(-1)^n}{n^2}$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x^2 \sin nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \left(-\frac{x^2}{n} \cos nx \Big|_0^{\pi} + \frac{2}{n} \int_0^{\pi} x \cos nx dx \right) = \frac{\pi}{n} (-1)^{n+1} + \frac{2}{n^3 \pi} [(-1)^n - 1]$$

$$f(x) = \frac{\pi^2}{6} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{2(-1)^n}{n^2} \cos nx + \left(\frac{\pi}{n} (-1)^{n+1} + \frac{2[(-1)^n - 1]}{n^3 \pi} \right) \sin nx \right]$$

$$6. a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 \pi^2 dx + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (\pi^2 - x^2) dx = \frac{5}{3} \pi^2$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 \pi^2 \cos nx dx + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (\pi^2 - x^2) \cos nx dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left(\frac{\pi^2 - x^2}{n} \sin nx \Big|_0^{\pi} + \frac{2}{n} \int_0^{\pi} x \sin nx dx \right) = \frac{2}{n^2} (-1)^{n+1}$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 \pi^2 \sin nx dx + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (\pi^2 - x^2) \sin nx dx$$

$$= \frac{\pi}{n} [(-1)^n - 1] + \frac{1}{\pi} \left(\frac{x^2 - \pi^2}{n} \cos nx \Big|_0^{\pi} - \frac{2}{n} \int_0^{\pi} x \cos nx dx \right) = \frac{\pi}{n} (-1)^n + \frac{2}{n^3 \pi} [1 - (-1)^n]$$

$$f(x) = \frac{5\pi^2}{6} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{2}{n^2} (-1)^{n+1} \cos nx + \left(\frac{\pi}{n} (-1)^n + \frac{2[1 - (-1)^n]}{n^3 \pi} \right) \sin nx \right]$$

$$7. a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (x + \pi) dx = 2\pi$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (x + \pi) \cos nx dx = 0$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin nx dx = \frac{2}{n} (-1)^{n+1}$$

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

$$8. a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (3 - 2x) dx = 6$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (3 - 2x) \cos nx dx = 0$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (3 - 2x) \sin nx dx = \frac{4}{n} (-1)^n$$

$$f(x) = 3 + 4 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n} \sin nx$$

$$9. a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x dx = \frac{2}{\pi}$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x \cos nx dx = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (\sin(1+n)x + \sin(1-n)x) dx$$

12.2 Fourier Series

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1 + (-1)^n}{\pi(1 - n^2)} \quad \text{for } n = 2, 3, 4, \dots \\
 a_1 &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \sin 2x \, dx = 0 \\
 b_n &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^\pi f(x) \sin nx \, dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \sin x \sin nx \, dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi (\cos(1-n)x - \cos(1+n)x) \, dx = 0 \quad \text{for } n = 2, 3, 4, \dots \\
 b_1 &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi (1 - \cos 2x) \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \\
 f(x) &= \frac{1}{\pi} + \frac{1}{2} \sin x + \sum_{n=2}^\infty \frac{1 + (-1)^n}{\pi(1 - n^2)} \cos nx \\
 10. \quad a_0 &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} f(x) \, dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos x \, dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \\
 a_n &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} f(x) \cos 2nx \, dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos x \cos 2nx \, dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} (\cos(2n-1)x + \cos(2n+1)x) \, dx \\
 &= \frac{2(-1)^{n+1}}{\pi(4n^2 - 1)} \\
 b_n &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_{-\pi/2}^{\pi/2} f(x) \sin 2nx \, dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos x \sin 2nx \, dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} (\sin(2n-1)x + \sin(2n+1)x) \, dx \\
 &= \frac{4n}{\pi(4n^2 - 1)} \\
 f(x) &= \frac{1}{\pi} + \sum_{n=1}^\infty \left[\frac{2(-1)^{n+1}}{\pi(4n^2 - 1)} \cos 2nx + \frac{4n}{\pi(4n^2 - 1)} \sin 2nx \right] \\
 11. \quad a_0 &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^2 f(x) \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_{-1}^0 -2 \, dx + \int_0^1 1 \, dx \right) = -\frac{1}{2} \\
 a_n &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^2 f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_{-1}^0 (-2) \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx + \int_0^1 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx \right) = -\frac{1}{n\pi} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \\
 b_n &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^2 f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_{-1}^0 (-2) \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx + \int_0^1 \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx \right) = \frac{3}{n\pi} \left(1 - \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} \right) \\
 f(x) &= -\frac{1}{4} + \sum_{n=1}^\infty \left[-\frac{1}{n\pi} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x + \frac{3}{n\pi} \left(1 - \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} \right) \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x \right] \\
 12. \quad a_0 &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^2 f(x) \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_0^1 x \, dx + \int_1^2 1 \, dx \right) = \frac{3}{4} \\
 a_n &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^2 f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_0^1 x \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx + \int_1^2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx \right) = \frac{2}{n^2\pi^2} \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - 1 \right) \\
 b_n &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^2 f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_0^1 x \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx + \int_1^2 \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx \right) \\
 &= \frac{2}{n^2\pi^2} \left(\sin \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{n\pi}{2} (-1)^{n+1} \right) \\
 f(x) &= \frac{3}{8} + \sum_{n=1}^\infty \left[\frac{2}{n^2\pi^2} \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - 1 \right) \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x + \frac{2}{n^2\pi^2} \left(\sin \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{n\pi}{2} (-1)^{n+1} \right) \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
13. \quad a_0 &= \frac{1}{5} \int_{-5}^5 f(x) dx = \frac{1}{5} \left(\int_{-5}^0 1 dx + \int_0^5 (1+x) dx \right) = \frac{9}{2} \\
a_n &= \frac{1}{5} \int_{-5}^5 f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi}{5} x dx = \frac{1}{5} \left(\int_{-5}^0 \cos \frac{n\pi}{5} x dx + \int_0^5 (1+x) \cos \frac{n\pi}{5} x dx \right) = \frac{5}{n^2 \pi^2} [(-1)^n - 1] \\
b_n &= \frac{1}{5} \int_{-5}^5 f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi}{5} x dx = \frac{1}{5} \left(\int_{-5}^0 \sin \frac{n\pi}{5} x dx + \int_0^5 (1+x) \sin \frac{n\pi}{5} x dx \right) = \frac{5}{n\pi} (-1)^{n+1} \\
f(x) &= \frac{9}{4} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{5}{n^2 \pi^2} [(-1)^n - 1] \cos \frac{n\pi}{5} x + \frac{5}{n\pi} (-1)^{n+1} \sin \frac{n\pi}{5} x \right]
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
14. \quad a_0 &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^2 f(x) dx = \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_{-2}^0 (2+x) dx + \int_0^2 2 dx \right) = 3 \\
a_n &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^2 f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx = \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_{-2}^0 (2+x) \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx + \int_0^2 2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx \right) = \frac{2}{n^2 \pi^2} [1 - (-1)^n] \\
b_n &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^2 f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx = \frac{1}{2} \left(\int_{-2}^0 (2+x) \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx + \int_0^2 2 \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx \right) = \frac{2}{n\pi} (-1)^{n+1} \\
f(x) &= \frac{3}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{2}{n^2 \pi^2} [1 - (-1)^n] \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x + \frac{2}{n\pi} (-1)^{n+1} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x \right]
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
15. \quad a_0 &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^x dx = \frac{1}{\pi} (e^{\pi} - e^{-\pi}) \\
a_n &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos nx dx = \frac{(-1)^n (e^{\pi} - e^{-\pi})}{\pi(1+n^2)} \\
b_n &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} e^x \sin nx dx = \frac{(-1)^n n (e^{-\pi} - e^{\pi})}{\pi(1+n^2)} \\
f(x) &= \frac{e^{\pi} - e^{-\pi}}{2\pi} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{(-1)^n (e^{\pi} - e^{-\pi})}{\pi(1+n^2)} \cos nx + \frac{(-1)^n n (e^{-\pi} - e^{\pi})}{\pi(1+n^2)} \sin nx \right]
\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
16. \quad a_0 &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (e^x - 1) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} (e^{\pi} - \pi - 1) \\
a_n &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (e^x - 1) \cos nx dx = \frac{[e^{\pi}(-1)^n - 1]}{\pi(1+n^2)} \\
b_n &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (e^x - 1) \sin nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \left(\frac{ne^{\pi}(-1)^{n+1}}{1+n^2} + \frac{n}{1+n^2} + \frac{(-1)^n}{n} - \frac{1}{n} \right) \\
f(x) &= \frac{e^{\pi} - \pi - 1}{2\pi} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{e^{\pi}(-1)^n - 1}{\pi(1+n^2)} \cos nx + \left(\frac{n}{1+n^2} [e^{\pi}(-1)^{n+1} + 1] + \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n} \right) \sin nx \right]
\end{aligned}$$

17. The function in Problem 5 is discontinuous at $x = \pi$, so the corresponding Fourier series converges to $\pi^2/2$ at $x = \pi$. That is,

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\pi^2}{2} &= \frac{\pi^2}{6} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{2(-1)^n}{n^2} \cos n\pi + \left(\frac{\pi}{n} (-1)^{n+1} + \frac{2[(-1)^n - 1]}{n^3 \pi} \right) \sin n\pi \right] \\
&= \frac{\pi^2}{6} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2(-1)^n}{n^2} (-1)^n = \frac{\pi^2}{6} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{6} + 2 \left(1 + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots \right)
\end{aligned}$$

and

$$\frac{\pi^2}{6} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\pi^2}{2} - \frac{\pi^2}{6} \right) = 1 + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots$$

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At $x = 0$ the series converges to 0 and

$$0 = \frac{\pi^2}{6} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2(-1)^n}{n^2} = \frac{\pi^2}{6} + 2 \left(-1 + \frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{4^2} - \cdots \right)$$

so

$$\frac{\pi^2}{12} = 1 - \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} + \cdots$$

18. From Problem 17

$$\frac{\pi^2}{8} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\pi^2}{6} + \frac{\pi^2}{12} \right) = \frac{1}{2} \left(2 + \frac{2}{3^2} + \frac{2}{5^2} + \cdots \right) = 1 + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \cdots$$

19. The function in Problem 7 is continuous at $x = \pi/2$ so

$$\frac{3\pi}{2} = f\left(\frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \pi + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n} (-1)^{n+1} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} = \pi + 2 \left(1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \cdots \right)$$

and

$$\frac{\pi}{4} = 1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \cdots$$

20. The function in Problem 9 is continuous at $x = \pi/2$ so

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

$$1 = \frac{1}{\pi} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{3\pi} - \frac{2}{3 \cdot 5\pi} + \frac{2}{5 \cdot 7\pi} - \cdots$$

and

$$\pi = 1 + \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{2}{3} - \frac{2}{3 \cdot 5} + \frac{2}{5 \cdot 7} - \cdots$$

or

$$\frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{1 \cdot 3} - \frac{1}{3 \cdot 5} + \frac{1}{5 \cdot 7} - \cdots$$

21. Writing

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + a_1 \cos \frac{\pi}{p} x + \cdots + a_n \cos \frac{n\pi}{p} x + \cdots + b_1 \sin \frac{\pi}{p} x + \cdots + b_n \sin \frac{n\pi}{p} x + \cdots$$

we see that $f^2(x)$ consists exclusively of squared terms of the form

$$\frac{a_0^2}{4}, \quad a_n^2 \cos^2 \frac{n\pi}{p} x, \quad b_n^2 \sin^2 \frac{n\pi}{p} x$$

and cross-product terms, with $m \neq n$, of the form

$$a_0 a_n \cos \frac{n\pi}{p} x, \quad a_0 b_n \sin \frac{n\pi}{p} x, \quad 2a_m a_n \cos \frac{m\pi}{p} x \cos \frac{n\pi}{p} x,$$

$$2a_m b_n \cos \frac{m\pi}{p} x \sin \frac{n\pi}{p} x, \quad 2b_m b_n \sin \frac{m\pi}{p} x \sin \frac{n\pi}{p} x.$$

The integral of each cross-product term taken over the interval $(-p, p)$ is zero by orthogonality. For the squared terms we have

$$\frac{a_0^2}{4} \int_{-p}^p dx = \frac{a_0^2 p}{2}, \quad a_n^2 \int_{-p}^p \cos^2 \frac{n\pi}{p} x dx = a_n^2 p, \quad b_n^2 \int_{-p}^p \sin^2 \frac{n\pi}{p} x dx = b_n^2 p.$$

Thus

$$RMS(f) = \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} a_0^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n^2 + b_n^2)}.$$

EXERCISES 12.3

Fourier Cosine and Sine Series

1. Since $f(-x) = \sin(-3x) = -\sin 3x = -f(x)$, $f(x)$ is an odd function.
2. Since $f(-x) = -x \cos(-x) = -x \cos x = -f(x)$, $f(x)$ is an odd function.
3. Since $f(-x) = (-x)^2 - x = x^2 - x$, $f(x)$ is neither even nor odd.
4. Since $f(-x) = (-x)^3 + 4x = -(x^3 - 4x) = -f(x)$, $f(x)$ is an odd function.
5. Since $f(-x) = e^{|-x|} = e^{|x|} = f(x)$, $f(x)$ is an even function.
6. Since $f(-x) = e^{-x} - e^x = -f(x)$, $f(x)$ is an odd function.
7. For $0 < x < 1$, $f(-x) = (-x)^2 = x^2 = -f(x)$, $f(x)$ is an odd function.
8. For $0 \leq x < 2$, $f(-x) = -x + 5 = f(x)$, $f(x)$ is an even function.
9. Since $f(x)$ is not defined for $x < 0$, it is neither even nor odd.
10. Since $f(-x) = |(-x)^5| = |x^5| = f(x)$, $f(x)$ is an even function.
11. Since $f(x)$ is an odd function, we expand in a sine series:

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} 1 \cdot \sin nx \, dx = \frac{2}{n\pi} [1 - (-1)^n].$$

Thus

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

12. Since $f(x)$ is an even function, we expand in a cosine series:

$$a_0 = \int_1^2 1 \, dx = 1$$

$$a_n = \int_1^2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx = -\frac{2}{n\pi} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2}$$

Thus

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

13. Since $f(x)$ is an even function, we expand in a cosine series:

$$a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x \, dx = \pi$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x \cos nx \, dx = \frac{2}{n^2\pi} [(-1)^n - 1].$$

Thus

$$f(x) = \frac{\pi}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n^2\pi} [(-1)^n - 1] \cos nx.$$

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14. Since $f(x)$ is an odd function, we expand in a sine series:

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x \sin nx \, dx = \frac{2}{n} (-1)^{n+1}.$$

Thus

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n} (-1)^{n+1} \sin nx.$$

15. Since $f(x)$ is an even function, we expand in a cosine series:

$$a_0 = 2 \int_0^1 x^2 \, dx = \frac{2}{3}$$

$$a_n = 2 \int_0^1 x^2 \cos n\pi x \, dx = 2 \left(\frac{x^2}{n\pi} \sin n\pi x \Big|_0^1 - \frac{2}{n\pi} \int_0^1 x \sin n\pi x \, dx \right) = \frac{4}{n^2 \pi^2} (-1)^n.$$

Thus

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{3} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{n^2 \pi^2} (-1)^n \cos n\pi x.$$

16. Since $f(x)$ is an odd function, we expand in a sine series

$$b_n = 2 \int_0^1 x^2 \sin n\pi x \, dx = 2 \left(-\frac{x^2}{n\pi} \cos n\pi x \Big|_0^1 + \frac{2}{n\pi} \int_0^1 x \cos n\pi x \, dx \right) = \frac{2(-1)^{n+1}}{n\pi} + \frac{4}{n^3 \pi^3} [(-1)^n - 1].$$

Thus

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2(-1)^{n+1}}{n\pi} + \frac{4}{n^3 \pi^3} [(-1)^n - 1] \right) \sin n\pi x.$$

17. Since $f(x)$ is an even function, we expand in a cosine series:

$$a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (\pi^2 - x^2) \, dx = \frac{4}{3} \pi^2$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (\pi^2 - x^2) \cos nx \, dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \left(\frac{\pi^2 - x^2}{n} \sin nx \Big|_0^{\pi} + \frac{2}{n} \int_0^{\pi} x \sin nx \, dx \right) = \frac{4}{n^2} (-1)^{n+1}.$$

Thus

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{3} \pi^2 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{n^2} (-1)^{n+1} \cos nx \, dx.$$

18. Since $f(x)$ is an odd function, we expand in a sine series:

$$\begin{aligned} b_n &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x^3 \sin nx \, dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \left(-\frac{x^3}{n} \cos nx \Big|_0^{\pi} + \frac{3}{n} \int_0^{\pi} x^2 \cos nx \, dx \right) = \frac{2\pi^2}{n} (-1)^{n+1} - \frac{12}{n^2 \pi} \int_0^{\pi} x \sin nx \, dx \\ &= \frac{2\pi^2}{n} (-1)^{n+1} - \frac{12}{n^2 \pi} \left(-\frac{x}{n} \cos nx \Big|_0^{\pi} + \frac{1}{n} \int_0^{\pi} \cos nx \, dx \right) = \frac{2\pi^2}{n} (-1)^{n+1} + \frac{12}{n^3} (-1)^n. \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2\pi^2}{n} (-1)^{n+1} + \frac{12}{n^3} (-1)^n \right) \sin nx.$$

19. Since $f(x)$ is an odd function, we expand in a sine series:

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (x+1) \sin nx \, dx = \frac{2(\pi+1)}{n\pi} (-1)^{n+1} + \frac{2}{n\pi}.$$

Thus

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

20. Since $f(x)$ is an odd function, we expand in a sine series:

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

Thus

$$f(x) = -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n\pi} \sin n\pi x.$$

21. Since $f(x)$ is an even function, we expand in a cosine series:

$$\begin{aligned} a_0 &= \int_0^1 x \, dx + \int_1^2 1 \, dx = \frac{3}{2} \\ a_n &= \int_0^1 x \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx + \int_1^2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx = \frac{4}{n^2 \pi^2} \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - 1 \right). \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$f(x) = \frac{3}{4} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{n^2 \pi^2} \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - 1 \right) \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x.$$

22. Since $f(x)$ is an odd function, we expand in a sine series:

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x \sin \frac{n}{2} x \, dx + \int_{\pi}^{2\pi} \pi \sin \frac{n}{2} x \, dx = \frac{4}{n^2 \pi} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{2}{n} (-1)^{n+1}.$$

Thus

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

23. Since $f(x)$ is an even function, we expand in a cosine series:

$$\begin{aligned} a_0 &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x \, dx = \frac{4}{\pi} \\ a_n &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x \cos nx \, dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (\sin(1+n)x + \sin(1-n)x) \, dx \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi(1-n^2)} (1 + (-1)^n) \quad \text{for } n = 2, 3, 4, \dots \\ a_1 &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin 2x \, dx = 0. \end{aligned}$$

Thus

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} \frac{2[1 + (-1)^n]}{\pi(1-n^2)} \cos nx.$$

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24. Since $f(x)$ is an even function, we expand in a cosine series. [See the solution of Problem 10 in Exercises 12.2 for the computation of the integrals.]

$$a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi/2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos x \, dx = \frac{4}{\pi}$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{\pi/2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos x \cos \frac{n\pi}{\pi/2} x \, dx = \frac{4(-1)^{n+1}}{\pi(4n^2 - 1)}$$

Thus

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4(-1)^{n+1}}{\pi(4n^2 - 1)} \cos 2nx.$$

25. $a_0 = 2 \int_0^{1/2} 1 \, dx = 1$

$$a_n = 2 \int_0^{1/2} 1 \cdot \cos n\pi x \, dx = \frac{2}{n\pi} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2}$$

$$b_n = 2 \int_0^{1/2} 1 \cdot \sin n\pi x \, dx = \frac{2}{n\pi} \left(1 - \cos \frac{n\pi}{2}\right)$$

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

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

26. $a_0 = 2 \int_{1/2}^1 1 \, dx = 1$

$$a_n = 2 \int_{1/2}^1 1 \cdot \cos n\pi x \, dx = -\frac{2}{n\pi} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2}$$

$$b_n = 2 \int_{1/2}^1 1 \cdot \sin n\pi x \, dx = \frac{2}{n\pi} \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{2} + (-1)^{n+1}\right)$$

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

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

27. $a_0 = \frac{4}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos x \, dx = \frac{4}{\pi}$

$$a_n = \frac{4}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos x \cos 2nx \, dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} [\cos(2n+1)x + \cos(2n-1)x] \, dx = \frac{4(-1)^n}{\pi(1-4n^2)}$$

$$b_n = \frac{4}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} \cos x \sin 2nx \, dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi/2} [\sin(2n+1)x + \sin(2n-1)x] \, dx = \frac{8n}{\pi(4n^2-1)}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4(-1)^n}{\pi(1-4n^2)} \cos 2nx$$

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{8n}{\pi(4n^2-1)} \sin 2nx$$

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$$28. a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x \, dx = \frac{4}{\pi}$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x \cos nx \, dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} [\sin(n+1)x - \sin(n-1)x] \, dx = \frac{2[(-1)^n + 1]}{\pi(1-n^2)} \quad \text{for } n = 2, 3, 4, \dots$$

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x \sin nx \, dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} [\cos(n-1)x - \cos(n+1)x] \, dx = 0 \quad \text{for } n = 2, 3, 4, \dots$$

$$a_1 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin 2x \, dx = 0$$

$$b_1 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin^2 x \, dx = 1$$

$$f(x) = \sin x$$

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

$$29. a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi} \left(\int_0^{\pi/2} x \, dx + \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} (\pi - x) \, dx \right) = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \left(\int_0^{\pi/2} x \cos nx \, dx + \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} (\pi - x) \cos nx \, dx \right) = \frac{2}{n^2 \pi} \left(2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} + (-1)^{n+1} - 1 \right)$$

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \left(\int_0^{\pi/2} x \sin nx \, dx + \int_{\pi/2}^{\pi} (\pi - x) \sin nx \, dx \right) = \frac{4}{n^2 \pi} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2}$$

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

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{n^2 \pi} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \sin nx$$

$$30. a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{2\pi} (x - \pi) \, dx = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

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

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{2\pi} (x - \pi) \sin \frac{n}{2} x \, dx = \frac{2}{n} (-1)^{n+1} - \frac{4}{n^2 \pi} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2}$$

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

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

$$31. a_0 = \int_0^1 x \, dx + \int_1^2 1 \, dx = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$a_n = \int_0^1 x \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx + \int_1^2 1 \cdot \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx = \frac{4}{n^2 \pi^2} \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - 1 \right)$$

$$b_n = \int_0^1 x \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx + \int_1^2 1 \cdot \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x \, dx = \frac{4}{n^2 \pi^2} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{2}{n\pi} (-1)^{n+1}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{3}{4} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{n^2 \pi^2} \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - 1 \right) \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x$$

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

$$32. a_0 = \int_0^1 1 dx + \int_1^2 (2-x) dx = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$a_n = \int_0^1 1 \cdot \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx + \int_1^2 (2-x) \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx = \frac{4}{n^2 \pi^2} \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{2} + (-1)^{n+1} \right)$$

$$b_n = \int_0^1 1 \cdot \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx + \int_1^2 (2-x) \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx = \frac{2}{n\pi} + \frac{4}{n^2 \pi^2} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{3}{4} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{n^2 \pi^2} \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{2} + (-1)^{n+1} \right) \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x$$

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

$$33. a_0 = 2 \int_0^1 (x^2 + x) dx = \frac{5}{3}$$

$$a_n = 2 \int_0^1 (x^2 + x) \cos n\pi x dx = \frac{2(x^2 + x)}{n\pi} \sin n\pi x \Big|_0^1 - \frac{2}{n\pi} \int_0^1 (2x + 1) \sin n\pi x dx = \frac{2}{n^2 \pi^2} [3(-1)^n - 1]$$

$$b_n = 2 \int_0^1 (x^2 + x) \sin n\pi x dx = \frac{2(x^2 + x)}{n\pi} \cos n\pi x \Big|_0^1 + \frac{2}{n\pi} \int_0^1 (2x + 1) \cos n\pi x dx$$

$$= \frac{4}{n\pi} (-1)^{n+1} + \frac{4}{n^3 \pi^3} [(-1)^n - 1]$$

$$f(x) = \frac{5}{6} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n^2 \pi^2} [3(-1)^n - 1] \cos n\pi x$$

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{4}{n\pi} (-1)^{n+1} + \frac{4}{n^3 \pi^3} [(-1)^n - 1] \right) \sin n\pi x$$

$$34. a_0 = \int_0^2 (2x - x^2) dx = \frac{4}{3}$$

$$a_n = \int_0^2 (2x - x^2) \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx = \frac{8}{n^2 \pi^2} [(-1)^{n+1} - 1]$$

$$b_n = \int_0^2 (2x - x^2) \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx = \frac{16}{n^3 \pi^3} [1 - (-1)^n]$$

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{3} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{8}{n^2 \pi^2} [(-1)^{n+1} - 1] \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x$$

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{16}{n^3 \pi^3} [1 - (-1)^n] \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x$$

$$35. a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} x^2 dx = \frac{8}{3} \pi^2$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} x^2 \cos nx dx = \frac{4}{n^2}$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} x^2 \sin nx dx = -\frac{4\pi}{n}$$

$$f(x) = \frac{4}{3}\pi^2 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{4}{n^2} \cos nx - \frac{4\pi}{n} \sin nx \right)$$

36. $a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x \, dx = \pi$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x \cos 2nx \, dx = 0$$

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x \sin 2nx \, dx = -\frac{1}{n}$$

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

37. $a_0 = 2 \int_0^1 (x+1) \, dx = 3$

$$a_n = 2 \int_0^1 (x+1) \cos 2n\pi x \, dx = 0$$

$$b_n = 2 \int_0^1 (x+1) \sin 2n\pi x \, dx = -\frac{1}{n\pi}$$

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

38. $a_0 = \frac{2}{2} \int_0^2 (2-x) \, dx = 2$

$$a_n = \frac{2}{2} \int_0^2 (2-x) \cos n\pi x \, dx = 0$$

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

$$f(x) = 1 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n\pi} \sin n\pi x$$

39. We have

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} 5 \sin nt \, dt = \frac{10}{n\pi} [1 - (-1)^n]$$

so that

$$f(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{10[1 - (-1)^n]}{n\pi} \sin nt.$$

Substituting the assumption $x_p(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n \sin nt$ into the differential equation then gives

$$x_p'' + 10x_p = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n(10 - n^2) \sin nt = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{10[1 - (-1)^n]}{n\pi} \sin nt$$

and so $B_n = 10[1 - (-1)^n]/n\pi(10 - n^2)$. Thus

$$x_p(t) = \frac{10}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 - (-1)^n}{n(10 - n^2)} \sin nt.$$

40. We have

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

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so that

$$f(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n\pi} \sin n\pi t.$$

Substituting the assumption $x_p(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n \sin n\pi t$ into the differential equation then gives

$$x_p'' + 10x_p = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n(10 - n^2\pi^2) \sin n\pi t = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2}{n\pi} \sin n\pi t$$

and so $B_n = 2/n\pi(10 - n^2\pi^2)$. Thus

$$x_p(t) = \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n(10 - n^2\pi^2)} \sin n\pi t.$$

41. We have

$$a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (2\pi t - t^2) dt = \frac{4}{3}\pi^2$$

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

so that

$$f(t) = \frac{2\pi^2}{3} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{n^2} \cos nt.$$

Substituting the assumption

$$x_p(t) = \frac{A_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \cos nt$$

into the differential equation then gives

$$\frac{1}{4}x_p'' + 12x_p = 6A_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \left(-\frac{1}{4}n^2 + 12\right) \cos nt = \frac{2\pi^2}{3} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{n^2} \cos nt$$

and $A_0 = \pi^2/9$, $A_n = 16/n^2(n^2 - 48)$. Thus

$$x_p(t) = \frac{\pi^2}{18} + 16 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2(n^2 - 48)} \cos nt.$$

42. We have

$$a_0 = \frac{2}{1/2} \int_0^{1/2} t dt = \frac{1}{2}$$

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

so that

$$f(t) = \frac{1}{4} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n^2\pi^2} \cos 2n\pi t.$$

Substituting the assumption

$$x_p(t) = \frac{A_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \cos 2n\pi t$$

into the differential equation then gives

$$\frac{1}{4}x_p'' + 12x_p = 6A_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n(12 - n^2\pi^2) \cos 2n\pi t = \frac{1}{4} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n^2\pi^2} \cos 2n\pi t$$

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and $A_0 = 1/24$, $A_n = [(-1)^n - 1]/n^2\pi^2(12 - n^2\pi^2)$. Thus

$$x_p(t) = \frac{1}{48} + \frac{1}{\pi^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n^2(12 - n^2\pi^2)} \cos 2n\pi t.$$

43. (a) The general solution is $x(t) = c_1 \cos \sqrt{10}t + c_2 \sin \sqrt{10}t + x_p(t)$, where

$$x_p(t) = \frac{10}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 - (-1)^n}{n(10 - n^2)} \sin nt.$$

The initial condition $x(0) = 0$ implies $c_1 + x_p(0) = 0$. Since $x_p(0) = 0$, we have $c_1 = 0$ and $x(t) = c_2 \sin \sqrt{10}t + x_p(t)$. Then $x'(t) = c_2 \sqrt{10} \cos \sqrt{10}t + x'_p(t)$ and $x'(0) = 0$ implies

$$c_2 \sqrt{10} + \frac{10}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 - (-1)^n}{10 - n^2} \cos 0 = 0.$$

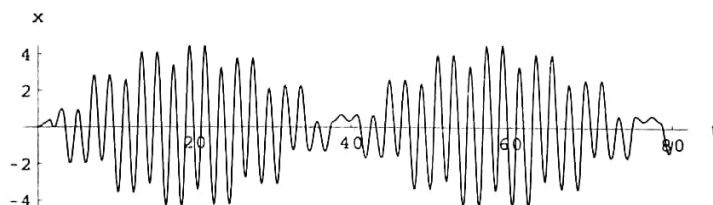
Thus

$$c_2 = -\frac{\sqrt{10}}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 - (-1)^n}{10 - n^2}$$

and

$$x(t) = \frac{10}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 - (-1)^n}{10 - n^2} \left[\frac{1}{n} \sin nt - \frac{1}{\sqrt{10}} \sin \sqrt{10}t \right].$$

(b) The graph is plotted using eight nonzero terms in the series expansion of $x(t)$.



44. (a) The general solution is $x(t) = c_1 \cos 4\sqrt{3}t + c_2 \sin 4\sqrt{3}t + x_p(t)$, where

$$x_p(t) = \frac{\pi^2}{18} + 16 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2(n^2 - 48)} \cos nt.$$

The initial condition $x(0) = 0$ implies $c_1 + x_p(0) = 0$ or

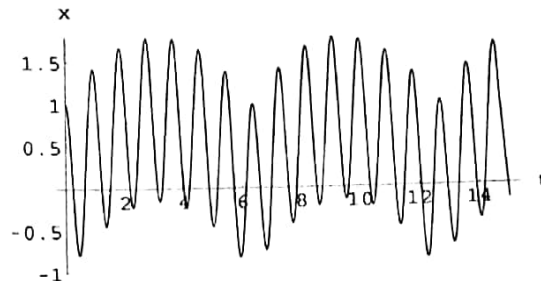
$$c_1 = 1 - x_p(0) = 1 - \frac{\pi^2}{18} - 16 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2(n^2 - 48)}.$$

Now $x'(t) = -4\sqrt{3}c_1 \sin 4\sqrt{3}t + 4\sqrt{3}c_2 \cos 4\sqrt{3}t + x'_p(t)$, so $x'(0) = 0$ implies $4\sqrt{3}c_2 + x'_p(0) = 0$. Since $x'_p(0) = 0$, we have $c_2 = 0$ and

$$\begin{aligned} x(t) &= \left(1 - \frac{\pi^2}{18} - 16 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2(n^2 - 48)} \right) \cos 4\sqrt{3}t + \frac{\pi^2}{18} + 16 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2(n^2 - 48)} \cos nt \\ &= \frac{\pi^2}{18} + \left(1 - \frac{\pi^2}{18} \right) \cos 4\sqrt{3}t + 16 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2(n^2 - 48)} [\cos nt - \cos 4\sqrt{3}t]. \end{aligned}$$

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(b) The graph is plotted using five nonzero terms in the series expansion of $x(t)$.



45. (a) We have

$$b_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L \frac{w_0 x}{L} \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} x dx = \frac{2w_0}{n\pi} (-1)^{n+1}$$

so that

$$w(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2w_0}{n\pi} (-1)^{n+1} \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} x.$$

(b) If we assume $y_p(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n \sin(n\pi x/L)$ then

$$y_p^{(4)} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^4 \pi^4}{L^4} B_n \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} x$$

and so the differential equation $EI y_p^{(4)} = w(x)$ gives

$$B_n = \frac{2w_0 (-1)^{n+1} L^4}{EI n^5 \pi^5}.$$

Thus

$$y_p(x) = \frac{2w_0 L^4}{EI \pi^5} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n^5} \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} x.$$

46. We have

$$b_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_{L/3}^{2L/3} w_0 \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} x dx = \frac{2w_0}{n\pi} \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{3} - \cos \frac{2n\pi}{3} \right)$$

so that

$$w(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2w_0}{n\pi} \left(\cos \frac{n\pi}{3} - \cos \frac{2n\pi}{3} \right) \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} x.$$

If we assume $y_p(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n \sin(n\pi x/L)$ then

$$y_p^{(4)}(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n^4 \pi^4}{L^4} B_n \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} x$$

and so the differential equation $EI y_p^{(4)}(x) = w(x)$ gives

$$B_n = 2w_0 L^4 \frac{\cos \frac{n\pi}{3} - \cos \frac{2n\pi}{3}}{EI n^5 \pi^5}.$$

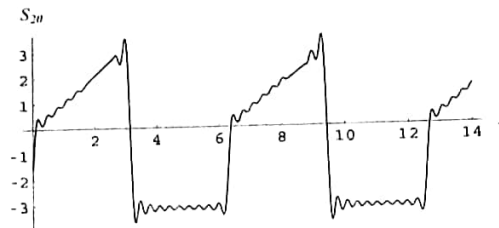
Thus

$$y_p(x) = \frac{2w_0 L^4}{EI \pi^5} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\cos \frac{n\pi}{3} - \cos \frac{2n\pi}{3}}{n^5} \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} x.$$

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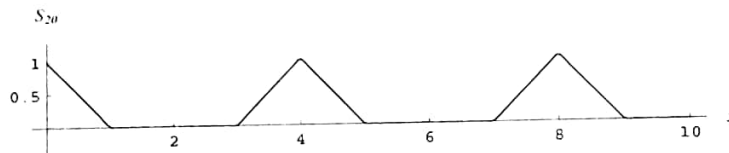
47. The graph is obtained by summing the series from $n = 1$ to 20. It appears that

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



48. The graph is obtained by summing the series from $n = 1$ to 10. It appears that

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



49. The function in Problem 47 is not unique; it could also be defined as

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

The function in Problem 48 is not unique; it could also be defined as

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

50. The cosine series converges to an even extension of the function on the interval $(-\pi, 0)$. Since the even extension of $f(x)$ is $f(-x)$, in this case $f(-x) = e^{-x}$ on $(-\pi, 0)$.
51. No, it is not a full Fourier series. A full Fourier series of $f(x) = e^x, 0 < x < \pi$, would converge to the π -periodic extension of f . The cosine and sine series converge to a 2π -periodic extension (even and odd, respectively). The average of the two series converges to a 2π -periodic extension of

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} e^x, & 0 < x < \pi \\ 0, & -\pi < x < 0 \end{cases}$$

52. (a) If f and g are even and $h(x) = f(x)g(x)$ then

$$h(-x) = f(-x)g(-x) = f(x)g(x) = h(x)$$

and h is even.