

Fourier Series and transforms

A series expansion of a function in terms of trigonometric functions $\cos(mx)$ and $\sin(nx)$ is called Fourier series.

Many functions including some discontinuous periodic functions can be written in form a Fourier series.

Hence, it has wide application in solving ODE's and PDE's.

consider a set of functions,

$\{f_1, f_2, f_3, \dots\}$ defined in $[a, b]$

these are said to be orthogonal if $\int_a^b f_i(x) f_j(x) dx = 0, \forall i \neq j$

\therefore Now, we see $\left\{1, \cos\left(\frac{\pi x}{l}\right), \cos\left(\frac{2\pi x}{l}\right), \dots, \sin\left(\frac{\pi x}{l}\right), \sin\left(\frac{2\pi x}{l}\right), \dots\right\}$ is orthogonal in $[-l, l]$ since, ①

$$\int_{-l}^l \cos\left(\frac{m\pi x}{l}\right) dx = \int_{-l}^l \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx = 0$$

$$\int_{-l}^l \cos\left(\frac{m\pi x}{l}\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx = \begin{cases} 0, & m \neq n \\ l, & m = n \end{cases}$$

$$\int_{-l}^l \sin\left(\frac{m\pi x}{l}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx = \begin{cases} 0, & m \neq n \\ l, & m = n \end{cases}$$

$$\int_{-l}^l \cos\left(\frac{m\pi x}{l}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx = 0, \forall m, n$$

Hence, if we take any 2 diff. functions from set ① and integrate their product from $[-l, l]$ then we get '0' which means given set of function is orthogonal.

Now consider a function $f(x)$ which is periodic with period $2l$ defined on $[-l, l]$.

Assuming, $f(x)$ can be expressed as a linear combination of trig. functions $\cos(mx)$, $\sin(mx)$ then

$$f(x) = \text{constant} \times \left[1 + \cos \frac{\pi x}{l} + \cos \frac{2\pi x}{l} + \dots + \sin \frac{\pi x}{l} + \sin \frac{2\pi x}{l} + \dots \right]$$

$$f(x) = \left[\frac{a_0}{2} + \frac{a_1}{2} \cos \frac{\pi x}{l} + \frac{a_2}{2} \cos \frac{2\pi x}{l} + \dots + \frac{b_1}{2} \sin \frac{\pi x}{l} + \frac{b_2}{2} \sin \frac{2\pi x}{l} \right]$$

$$= \frac{a_0}{2} + a_1 \cos \frac{\pi x}{l} + a_2 \cos \frac{2\pi x}{l} + \dots + b_1 \sin \frac{\pi x}{l} + b_2 \sin \frac{2\pi x}{l}$$

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

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

Now to find ' a_0 ' we integrate both sides from $-l$ to $l \rightarrow$

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

$$\int_{-l}^l f(x) dx = \frac{a_0}{2} \times 2l + 0$$

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

$$\int_{-l}^l \cos \left(\frac{n\pi x}{l} \right) dx = 0$$

$$\int_{-l}^l \sin \left(\frac{n\pi x}{l} \right) dx = 0$$

for any 'n'

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

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

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

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

$$\left| \begin{array}{l} \cos(n\pi) = (-1)^n \\ n = 1, 2, 3, \dots \end{array} \right.$$

Now, $b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 (\pi+x) \sin(n\pi) dx \Rightarrow \frac{1}{\pi} \left[(\pi+x) \left(-\frac{\cos(nx)}{n}\right) + \frac{\sin(nx)}{n^2} \right]_{-\pi}^0$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left(-\frac{\pi}{n}\right) \Rightarrow b_n = -\frac{1}{n}$$

\therefore Fourier series of $f(x)$ is,

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

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

Convergence of Fourier series for continuous funcn.

If a periodic funcn $f(x)$ with period $2l$ is conti. in $[-l, l]$ and has continuous 1st and 2nd order derivatives at each point in that interval, then the Fourier series of $f(x)$ is convergent

Proof:

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_n &= \frac{1}{l} \int_{-l}^l f(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{l} \left[\left(f(x) \frac{\sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right)}{\left(\frac{n\pi}{l}\right)} \right)_{-l}^l - \int_{-l}^l f'(x) \frac{\sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right)}{\left(\frac{n\pi}{l}\right)} dx \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{n\pi} \left[\left(f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) \right)_{-l}^l - \int_{-l}^l f'(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx \right] \\
 &= \frac{-1}{n\pi} \left[\left(\frac{f'(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right)}{\frac{n\pi}{l}} \right)_{-l}^l + \int_{-l}^l f''(x) \frac{\cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right)}{\left(\frac{n\pi}{l}\right)} dx \right] \\
 &= \frac{-1}{n\pi} \left[\frac{-l}{n\pi} \left(f'(l) \cos n\pi - f'(-l) \cos n\pi \right) + \frac{l}{n\pi} \int_{-l}^l f''(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx \right] \\
 &= \frac{-l}{n^2 \pi^2} \int_{-l}^l f''(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx
 \end{aligned}$$

Since, $f(x)$ has $T=2l$
 i.e. $f(x+2l) = f(x)$
 \therefore 1st derivative is conti.
 $\therefore f'(x+2l) = f'(x)$
 at $x=-l$
 $f'(l) = f'(-l)$

Since, $f''(x)$ is also conti. in $[-l, l]$ so, for some 'M'

$$|f''(x)| < M \quad \text{also} \quad \left| \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) \right| \leq 1$$

$$\therefore |a_n| = \frac{l}{n^2 \pi^2} \left| \int_{-l}^l f''(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx \right| < \frac{l}{n^2 \pi^2} \int_{-l}^l (M \times 1) dx = \frac{2Ml}{n^2 \pi^2}$$

Similarly, $|b_n| < \frac{2Ml}{n^2\pi^2}$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore |f(x)| &= \left| \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos \frac{n\pi x}{l} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} \right| \\ &< \frac{|a_0|}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{2Ml}{n^2\pi^2} + \frac{2Ml}{n^2\pi^2} \right) \\ &< \frac{|a_0|}{2} + \frac{4Ml}{\pi^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{n^2} \right) \end{aligned}$$

By p-series test $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{n^2} \right) \rightarrow$ convergent as $p > 1$

$\therefore |f(x)|$ is convergent

and $f(x) \leq |f(x)|$

$\therefore f(x) \rightarrow$ also convergent

convergence of fourier series for piecewise conti. funcn.

A function f is said to be piecewise conti. in $[-l, l]$ if,

- $f(x)$ is defined and conti. in $\forall x \in [-l, l]$ except at finite number of points in $[-l, l]$.
- At a point $x_0 \in (-l, l)$, if funcn is not continuous, then $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} f(x)$ exist and are finite.
- At the end point of interval, $\lim_{x \rightarrow -l^-} f(x)$ and $\lim_{x \rightarrow -l^+} f(x)$ exist and are finite.

now, of

- ① $f(x) \rightarrow$ periodic with period $2l$, single valued & finite.
- ② $f(x) \rightarrow$ piecewise conti. in $[-l, l]$
- ③ $f(x) \rightarrow$ has left hand derivative & RHD at each point in $[-l, l]$

then, for convergence of piecewise cont. funcn we have a theorem: Let $f(x)$ and $f'(x)$ be piecewise cont. funcn on the interval $[-l, l]$ then the fourier series of $f(x)$ converges to $f(x)$ at the point of continuity.

At the point of discontinuity, say $x_0 \in (-l, l)$ fourier series converges to $\frac{f(x_0^+) + f(x_0^-)}{2}$ where $f(x_0^+)$ & $f(x_0^-)$ are RHL, LHL of $f(x)$ at x_0 .

At both end points of $[-l, l]$, fourier series converges to $\frac{f(-l^+) + f(l^-)}{2}$.

Q. Find the fourier series expansion of the following funcⁿ

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} -\pi & , -\pi < x < 0 \\ x & , 0 \leq x < \pi \end{cases} \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \text{Hence, deduce:} \\ \frac{\pi^2}{8} = \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \dots \end{array} \right.$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\int_{-\pi}^0 -\pi dx + \int_0^{\pi} x dx \right]$$

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

we have our funcⁿ in $[-\pi, \pi]$

$$\therefore l = \pi$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\int_{-\pi}^0 -\pi \cos(nx) dx + \int_0^{\pi} x \cos nx dx \right]$$

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

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

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\int_{-\pi}^0 -\pi \sin nx dx + \int_0^{\pi} x \sin nx dx \right]$$

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

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

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

we need sq. terms only in denomi. so $\sin nx = 0$

\therefore put $x=0$

$$f(0) = -\frac{\pi}{4} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\pi n^2} [(-1)^n - 1]$$

$f(x)$ is discont. at $x=0$ so, $f(0)$ converges to

$$\frac{f(0^+) + f(0^-)}{2} \quad \text{i.e.} \quad f(0) = \frac{\pi - \pi}{2} \Rightarrow f(0) = -\frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{\pi}{2} = -\frac{\pi}{4} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{\pi n^2} [(-1)^n - 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{\pi^2}{4} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} [(-1)^n - 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{\pi^2}{4} = -\frac{2}{1^2} - \frac{2}{3^2} - \frac{2}{5^2} \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\pi^2}{8} = \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \dots //$$

Fourier cosine transform-

Let $f(x)$ be defined $\forall x \geq 0$ then the Fourier cosine transform of $f(x)$ is given by

$$F(\lambda) = \int_0^{\infty} f(x) \cos(\lambda x) dx, \quad \lambda \rightarrow \text{parameter} > 0$$

Similarly, Fourier inverse cosine transform of $F(\lambda)$ is given by

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} F(\lambda) \cos(\lambda x) d\lambda$$

$$Q.2 \quad f(x) = \begin{cases} \cos x & , \quad 0 < x < a \\ 0 & , \quad x > a \end{cases}$$

Find Fourier cosine transform of $f(x)$

$$F(\lambda) = \int_0^a \cos x \cos \lambda x dx + \int_a^{\infty} 0 \cdot \cos \lambda x dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^a 2 \cos x \cos \lambda x dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\int_0^a \cos(1-\lambda)x dx + \int_0^a \cos(1+\lambda)x dx \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{\sin(1-\lambda)x}{1-\lambda} + \frac{\sin(1+\lambda)x}{1+\lambda} \right]_0^a$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{\sin(1-\lambda)a}{1-\lambda} + \frac{\sin(1+\lambda)a}{1+\lambda} \right]$$

Q. Find Fourier cosine transform of $f_1(x) = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$ then find F. sine transform of $f_2(x) = \frac{x}{1+x^2}$

$$F_1(\lambda) = \int_0^{\infty} f_1(x) \cos(\lambda x) dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\cos(\lambda x)}{1+x^2} dx = I(\lambda) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\frac{dI}{d\lambda} = - \int_0^{\infty} \frac{x \sin \lambda x}{(1+x^2)} dx = - \int_0^{\infty} \frac{x^2 \sin \lambda x}{(1+x^2) x} dx$$

$$= - \int_0^{\infty} \frac{(x^2+1-1) \sin \lambda x}{(1+x^2) x} dx$$

$$= - \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin \lambda x}{x} dx + \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin \lambda x}{(1+x^2) x} dx$$

$$= -\frac{\pi}{2} + \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin \lambda x}{x(1+x^2)} dx \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

$$\frac{d^2 I}{d\lambda^2} = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\cos \lambda x}{(1+x^2)} dx = I$$

$$\therefore \frac{d^2 I}{d\lambda^2} - I = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{d}{d\lambda} \left(\frac{dI}{d\lambda} \right) = I$$

$\int d \left(\frac{dI}{d\lambda} \right) = \int I d\lambda \Rightarrow \frac{dI}{d\lambda} \neq I$ (can't be evaluated becoz $I(\lambda)$ is a general function.)

$$\text{So, } \frac{d^2 I}{d\lambda^2} - I = 0 \Rightarrow (D^2 - 1)I = 0 \quad \left| \frac{d}{d\lambda} = D \right.$$

$$\text{aux. eqn: } m^2 - 1 = 0 \Rightarrow m = \pm 1$$

$$\therefore I = (CF + PI) \quad (\text{But RHS} = 0 \Rightarrow PI = 0)$$

$$\therefore I = CF = c_1 e^{\lambda} + c_2 e^{-\lambda} \quad - (3)$$

Now, we need to find $c_1, c_2 \rightarrow$

$$\therefore \text{Put } \lambda = 0 \text{ i.e. } I(0) = c_1 + c_2 \quad - (4)$$

$$\text{in } \left. \frac{dI}{d\lambda} \right|_{\lambda=0} = c_1 e^{\lambda} - c_2 e^{-\lambda} \Rightarrow c_1 - c_2 \quad - (5)$$

$$\text{put } \lambda = 0 \text{ in } (2) \Rightarrow \text{so that } \frac{dI}{d\lambda} = -\frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\text{put now } c_1 - c_2 = -\frac{\pi}{2} \quad - (6)$$

$$\text{put } \lambda = 0 \text{ in } (1) \quad I(0) = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \tan^{-1}(x) \Big|_0^{\infty}$$

$$\text{i.e. } c_1 + c_2 = \frac{\pi}{2} \quad - (7) \quad = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$(6) + (7) \rightarrow \quad c_1 = 0 \quad \therefore \quad c_2 = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\therefore I = \frac{\pi}{2} e^{-\lambda}$$

Now, Fourier sine transform of $f_2(x) = \frac{x}{1+x^2}$

$$\text{i.e. } F_2(\lambda) = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{x}{1+x^2} \sin(\lambda x) dx = D(\lambda) \quad (\text{say})$$

$$\text{we already evaluated, } \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\cos(\lambda x)}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{2} e^{-\lambda} \quad - (8)$$

differentiating (1) w.r.t $\lambda \rightarrow$

$$\rightarrow \int_0^{\infty} \frac{x \sin(\lambda x)}{1+x^2} dx = \frac{\pi}{2} e^{-\lambda}$$

$$\therefore F_2(\lambda) = \frac{\pi}{2} e^{-\lambda}$$

Fourier sine transform:

If $f(x)$ is defined $\forall x > 0$, Fourier sine transform of $f(x)$ is given by

$$F(\lambda) = \int_0^{\infty} f(x) \sin(\lambda x) dx, \quad \lambda > 0$$

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} F(\lambda) \sin(\lambda x) d\lambda \quad (\text{Inverse Fourier sine transform of } F(\lambda))$$

Q. $f(x) = e^{-|x|}$ evaluate Fourier sine transform of $f(x)$

hence evaluate $\int_0^{\infty} \left(\frac{x \sin mx}{1+x^2} \right) dx$

$$\rightarrow F(\lambda) = \int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} \sin \lambda x dx = I(\lambda) \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \because x > 0 \\ \therefore |x| = x \end{array} \right.$$

$$I = \left[-\frac{e^{-x} \cos \lambda x}{\lambda} \right]_0^{\infty} - \int_0^{\infty} \frac{e^{-x} \cos \lambda x}{\lambda} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\lambda} - \frac{1}{\lambda} \left[\frac{e^{-x} \sin \lambda x}{\lambda} + \int \frac{e^{-x} \sin \lambda x}{\lambda} dx \right]$$

$$I = \frac{1}{\lambda} - \frac{I}{\lambda^2} \Rightarrow I \left(1 + \frac{1}{\lambda^2} \right) = \frac{1}{\lambda}$$

$$I = \frac{\lambda}{\lambda^2 + 1} //$$

now, $\int_0^{\infty} e^{-x} \sin \lambda x \, dx = \frac{\lambda}{\lambda^2 + 1} = F(\lambda)$

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} F(\lambda) \sin(\lambda x) \, d\lambda$$

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\lambda}{\lambda^2 + 1} \cdot \sin \lambda x \, d\lambda$$

$$\frac{\pi}{2} e^{-x} = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\lambda}{\lambda^2 + 1} \sin(\lambda x) \, d\lambda$$

Put $x = m$ both sides \rightarrow

$$\frac{\pi}{2} e^{-m} = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\lambda}{\lambda^2 + 1} \cdot \sin(\lambda m) \, d\lambda$$

using property $\int_a^b f(x) \, dx = \int_a^b f(t) \, dt$

$$\frac{\pi}{2} e^{-m} = \int_0^{\infty} \frac{x}{x^2 + 1} \cdot \sin(mx) \, dx //$$

Half range Fourier sine and cosine series

Till now we defined fourier series in complete interval $(-l, l)$ to get $f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) + b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) \right]$

but now, we are defining fourier series in half range i.e. $(0, l)$ so, depending on the case whether $f(x)$ is even or odd in $(-l, l)$ we get Half range fourier cosine series & sine series.

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

where $a_n = \frac{2}{l} \int_0^l f(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) \, dx$

{ Fourier half range cosine series }

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

where

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

{ Fourier half
range sine
series }

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

when $f(x) \rightarrow$ even

$$a_0 = 0$$

when $f(x) \rightarrow$ odd

$$a_n = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{l} \int_0^l f(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx, & f(x) \rightarrow \text{even} \\ 0, & f(x) \rightarrow \text{odd} \end{cases}$$

$$b_n = \begin{cases} \frac{2}{l} \int_0^l f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx, & f(x) \rightarrow \text{odd} \\ 0, & f(x) \rightarrow \text{even} \end{cases}$$

Note: ① odd funcⁿ x odd funcⁿ \rightarrow even funcⁿ
 even " " even " \rightarrow " "
 even " x odd " \rightarrow odd "

② depending upon $f(x) \rightarrow$ odd or even diff. values of a_0, a_n, b_n are coming which ultimately giving half range sine and cosine series.

This is sometimes also known as Fourier series for even and odd funcⁿs.

Fourier transforms and integrals

Fourier transform of $f(x)$ multi. by x^n .

$$F[x^n f(x)] = i^n F^n(\lambda)$$

Finite Fourier sine and cosine transform.

For $f(x)$ in the interval $[0, l]$

F. Fourier cosine transform, $F_c(n) = \int_0^l f(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx$

F. " sine " $F_s(n) = \int_0^l f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx$

Similarly, their inverse are defined,

as $f(x) = \frac{1}{l} \left[F_c(0) + 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} F_c(n) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) \right]$

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

Convolution Theorem-

Let $f(x), g(x)$ be piecewise conti. on every interval $[-l, l]$

& $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)| dx, \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |g(x)| dx$ converge. $F[f(x)] = F(\lambda)$

and $F[g(x)] = G(\lambda)$ then,

$$(f * g)(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u) g(x-u) du = (g * f)(x)$$

is known as convolution of 'f' & 'g' w.r.t 'x'.

Now,

$$F[f * g](\lambda) = F(\lambda) G(\lambda) \quad (\text{convolution theorem})$$

Fourier cosine and sine transform of derivatives :

$$F_c[f''(x)] = \int_0^{\infty} f''(x) \cos(\lambda x) dx = -\lambda^2 F_c(\lambda) - f'(0)$$

$$F_s[f''(x)] = \int_0^{\infty} f''(x) \sin(\lambda x) dx = -\lambda^2 F_s(\lambda) + \lambda f(0)$$



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Fourier integrals -

If $f(x)$ satisfies the Fourier condⁿ \rightarrow

- ① $f(x)$ is piecewise conti. in every interval $[-l, l]$.
- ② $f(x)$ is absolutely integrable on x -axis i.e. $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)| dx$ converges.
- ③ At every 'x' on real line $f(x)$ has LHD & RHD.

then Fourier integral representation of $f(x)$ is,

$$f(x) = \int_0^{\infty} [A(\lambda) \cos(\lambda x) + B(\lambda) \sin(\lambda x)] d\lambda$$

$$\text{where, } A(\lambda) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \cos(\lambda x) dx$$

$$\text{and } B(\lambda) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \sin(\lambda x) dx$$

Note: Fourier integral converges to $f(x)$ at a point of continuity but if x is a point of discontinuity then Fourier integral converges to $\frac{f(x^+) + f(x^-)}{2}$.

Fourier cosine and sine Integrals -

$$f(x) = \int_0^{\infty} A(\lambda) \cos(\lambda x) d\lambda$$

$$f(x) = \int_0^{\infty} B(\lambda) \sin(\lambda x) d\lambda$$

Complex form of Fourier integral-

we have $f(x) = \int_0^{\infty} [A(\lambda) \cos(\lambda x) + B(\lambda) \sin(\lambda x)] d\lambda$ - (1)

and $A(\lambda) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \cos(\lambda x) dx$ - (2)

$B(\lambda) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) \sin(\lambda x) dx$ - (3)

using (2) & (3) in (1)

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u) \cos(\lambda(x-u)) du d\lambda \quad - (4)$$

Since, $i \sin(\lambda(u-x)) \rightarrow$ odd func $\therefore \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \sin(\lambda(u-x)) du = 0$
 \therefore we add $i \sin(\lambda(u-x))$ in (4) becoz it doesn't affect (4).

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u) [\cos(\lambda(u-x)) + i \sin(\lambda(u-x))] du d\lambda$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u) e^{i\lambda(u-x)} du d\lambda$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u) e^{i\lambda u} du \right] e^{-i\lambda x} d\lambda$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} c(\lambda) e^{-i\lambda x} d\lambda$$

where, $c(\lambda) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u) e^{i\lambda u} du$

Complex form of fourier series

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

is fourier series' real form, in interval $[-l, l]$

$$\therefore \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) = \frac{e^{in\pi x/l} + e^{-in\pi x/l}}{2}$$

$$\sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) = \frac{e^{in\pi x/l} - e^{-in\pi x/l}}{2i}$$

\therefore complex form of fourier series is given by,

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} C_n e^{(in\pi x/l)} \quad \text{where } C_n = \frac{1}{2l} \int_{-l}^l f(x) e^{(in\pi x/l)} dx$$

$l \rightarrow$ half length of the $(n = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots)$ interval in which fourier series is formed

[for ex. in $[-l, l]$, interval length = $2l \therefore$ we take 'l']

* Some useful results:

$$(1) \int e^{ax} \sin(\lambda x) dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a^2 + \lambda^2} [a \sin(\lambda x) + \lambda \cos(\lambda x)]$$

$$(2) \int e^{ax} \cos(\lambda x) dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a^2 + \lambda^2} [a \cos(\lambda x) + \lambda \sin(\lambda x)]$$

$$(3) \int_0^{\infty} \frac{\sin x}{x} dx = \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$(4) \int e^{ax} \sin(\lambda x) dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a^2 + \lambda^2} [a \sin(\lambda x) - \lambda \cos(\lambda x)]$$

Fourier transforms -

An integral transform similar to Laplace transform, $f(x)$ be piecewise conti. in $(-\infty, \infty)$ and assuming $f(x)$ is absolutely convergent i.e. $\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} |f(x)| dx$ converges then,

Fourier transform of $f(x)$ is defined as,

$$\mathcal{F}[f(x)] = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x) e^{-i\lambda x} dx = F(\lambda)$$

$$\text{then } \mathcal{F}^{-1}[F(\lambda)] = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} F(\lambda) e^{i\lambda x} d\lambda = f(x) \quad (\text{inverse Fourier transform}).$$

Properties \rightarrow

1. $\mathcal{F}[f(x-a)] = e^{-ia\lambda} F(\lambda)$ Shifting on x-axis
2. $\mathcal{F}[e^{ixa} f(x)] = F(\lambda-a)$ Frequency shifting
3. $\mathcal{F}[f(x) \cos(ax)] = \frac{1}{2} [F(\lambda+a) + F(\lambda-a)]$
4. $\mathcal{F}[f(x) \sin(ax)] = \frac{1}{2} [F(\lambda+a) - F(\lambda-a)]$ [Modulation theorem]
5. $\mathcal{F}[f(x)] = 2\pi f(-\lambda)$ Symmetry property
6. $\mathcal{F}[af(x) + bg(x)] = a\mathcal{F}[f(x)] + b\mathcal{F}[g(x)]$ Linearity property

Note:

① Here $\mathcal{F}[f(x)] = F(\lambda)$ and $a \in \mathbb{R}$

② Most of these properties are similar to Laplace properties.

Fourier transform of derivatives \rightarrow

$$f(x) = F(\lambda) \text{ then, } \mathcal{F}[f'(x)] = (i\lambda) F(\lambda)$$

Fourier transform of integral \rightarrow

If above defiⁿ. of Fourier transform holds under stated condⁿ.

$$\text{and } F(0) = 0 \text{ then } \mathcal{F}\left[\int_{-\infty}^x f(u) du\right] = \frac{1}{i\lambda} F(\lambda)$$