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MATHS TERM TEST 2

Q1 Find Half Range sine series for $f(x) = x(\pi - x)$ in $(0, \pi)$ and hence find the $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3}$

ANS 1: $f(x) = x(\pi - x)$ in $[0, \pi]$

$$[0, l] = [0, \pi]$$

$$\therefore l = \pi$$

Half range sine series is given by $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \cdot \sin nx$.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{where } b_n &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(x) \cdot \sin nx \, dx \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x(\pi - x) \sin nx \, dx \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (\pi x - x^2) \sin nx \, dx \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\begin{aligned} &(\pi x - x^2) \left(\frac{-\cos nx}{n} \right) - \left(\pi - 2x \right) \left(\frac{-\sin nx}{n^2} \right) \\ &+ (-2) \left(\frac{\cos nx}{n^3} \right) \end{aligned} \right]_0^{\pi} \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[(\pi x - x^2) \left(\frac{-\cos nx}{n} \right) - 2 \left(\frac{\cos nx}{n^3} \right) \right]_0^{\pi} \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[0 - \frac{2\cos n\pi}{n^3} - \left(0 - \frac{2}{n^3} \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\frac{2}{n^3} - \frac{2\cos n\pi}{n^3} \right] \\ &= \frac{4}{\pi n^3} [1 - (-1)^n] \quad [\because \cos n\pi = (-1)^n] \\ &= \begin{cases} 0 & \text{for } n \text{ even} \\ 4/\pi n^3 & \text{for } n \text{ odd} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\therefore x(\pi - x) = \frac{8}{\pi} \left[\frac{\sin x}{1^3} + \frac{\sin 3x}{3^3} + \frac{\sin 5x}{5^3} \dots \right]$$

By Parseval's Identity,

$$\frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} [f(x)]^2 dx = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n^2 \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\text{Consider: } \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} [f(x)]^2 dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x^2 (\pi - x)^2 dx$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x^2 \pi^2 - 2\pi x^3 + x^4 dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\pi^2 \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^{\pi} - 2\pi \left[\frac{x^4}{4} \right]_0^{\pi} + \left[\frac{x^5}{5} \right]_0^{\pi} \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\frac{\pi^5}{3} - \frac{\pi^5}{2} + \frac{\pi^5}{5} \right]$$

$$= \pi^4 \left[\frac{1}{3} - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{5} \right]$$

$$= \frac{\pi^4}{30}$$

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Substitute in (1)

$$\therefore \frac{\pi^4}{30} = \frac{1}{2} \times \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{1 - (-1)^n}{n^3} \right]^2$$

$$\frac{\pi^4}{30} = \frac{8}{\pi^2} \left[\frac{4}{1^6} + \frac{4}{3^6} + \frac{4}{5^6} + \dots \right]$$

$$\therefore \frac{\pi^6}{240 \times 4} = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^6} = \frac{1}{1^6} + \frac{1}{3^6} + \frac{1}{5^6} + \dots$$

$$\text{let } S = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^6}$$

$$\therefore S = \left(\frac{1}{1^6} + \frac{1}{3^6} + \frac{1}{5^6} + \dots \right) + \left(\frac{1}{2^6} + \frac{1}{4^6} + \frac{1}{6^6} + \dots \right)$$

$$S = \frac{\pi^6}{960} + \frac{1}{2^6} \left(\frac{1}{1^6} + \frac{1}{2^6} + \frac{1}{3^6} + \dots \right)$$

$$S = \frac{\pi^6}{960} + \frac{1}{64} S$$

$$\frac{63 S}{64} = \frac{\pi^6}{960}$$

$$\therefore S = \frac{\pi^6 \times 64}{960 \times 63} = \frac{\pi^6}{945}$$

$$\therefore \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^6} = \frac{\pi^6}{945}$$

Q2

Find the complex form of Fourier Series for

$$f(x) = e^{-x} \quad \text{in } (-2, 2)$$

ANS

$$f(x) = e^{-x} \quad \text{in } (-2, 2)$$

Here $l=2$

Complex form is given by :

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} c_n \cdot e^{\frac{i n \pi x}{l}} \\ &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} c_n \cdot e^{\frac{i n \pi x}{2}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{where } c_n = \frac{1}{2l} \int_{-l}^l f(x) e^{-\frac{i n \pi x}{l}} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int_{-2}^2 e^{-x} \cdot e^{-i n \pi x / 2} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \int_{-2}^2 e^{-\left(\frac{2+i n \pi}{2}\right)x} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{e^{-\left(\frac{2+i n \pi}{2}\right)x}}{-\left(\frac{2+i n \pi}{2}\right)} \right]_{-2}^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{-2}{(2+i n \pi)} e^{-(2+i n \pi)} + \frac{2}{2+i n \pi} e^{(2+i n \pi)} \right]$$

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

$$= \frac{(2-i n \pi)}{2(4+n^2 \pi^2)} \left[e^2 \cdot e^{i n \pi} - e^{-2} \cdot e^{-i n \pi} \right]$$

$$= \frac{(2 - in\pi)}{4^2 + n^2\pi^2} (-1)^n \left[\frac{e^2 - e^{-2}}{2} \right] \quad [\because e^{in\pi} = (-1)^n]$$

$$C_n = \frac{(-1)^n (2 - in\pi)}{4^2 + n^2\pi^2} \sinh(2)$$

$$\therefore f(x) = \sinh(2) \cdot \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (2 - in\pi)}{4 + n^2\pi^2} e^{\frac{in\pi x}{2}}$$

$$\therefore \bar{e}^x = \sinh(2) \cdot \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n (2 - in\pi)}{4 + n^2\pi^2} e^{\frac{in\pi x}{2}}.$$

Q3 Show that the set of functions $\{\sin(2n+1)x \mid n=0,1,2,\dots\}$ are orthogonal on $[0, \pi/2]$ and hence construct an orthonormal set from this on $[0, \pi/2]$

ANS

Given : $f_n(x) = \sin(2n+1)x \quad n=0,1,2,\dots$

$\therefore f_m(x) = \sin(2m+1)x \quad m=0,1,2,\dots$

range = $[0, \pi/2]$

\therefore For orthogonal : $\int_0^{\pi/2} f_m(x) \cdot f_n(x) \cdot dx = 0$

$\therefore \text{LHS} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin(2n+1)x \cdot \sin(2m+1)x \, dx$

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

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

$= \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{\sin 2x(m-n)}{m-n} + \frac{\sin 2x(m+n+1)}{m+n+1} \right]_0^{\pi/2}$

$= \frac{1}{4} \left[\frac{\sin(m-n)\pi}{m-n} + \frac{\sin(m+n+1)\pi}{m+n+1} - \frac{\sin 0}{m-n} - \frac{\sin 0}{m+n+1} \right]$

$\therefore \sin n\pi = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad \sin 0 = 0$

$\therefore \text{LHS} = \frac{1}{4} [0] = 0$

$= \text{RHS}$

Hence the function $\{\sin(2n+1)x \mid n=0,1,2,\dots\}$ is orthogonal on $[0, \pi/2]$

For orthonormal : $\int_0^{\pi/2} f_n(x) \cdot f_n(x) dx = 1$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin(2n+1)x \cdot \sin(2n+1)x dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^2(2n+1)x dx$$

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

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

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

But $\sin n\pi = \sin 0 = 0$

$$\therefore \text{LHS} = \frac{\pi}{4}$$

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

Dividing both sides by $\pi/4$

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

\therefore For orthonormal set on $[0, \pi/2]$, $f_n(x) = \frac{\sin(2n+1)x}{\sqrt{\pi/4}}$

Q4 a. Find Fourier series for $f(x) = x + x^2$ in $(-\pi, \pi)$ hence deduce that $\frac{\pi^2}{8} = \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \frac{1}{7^2} + \dots$

ANS $f(x) = x + x^2$ is the sum of odd function $f_1(x) = x$ and even function $f_2(x) = x^2$.

Hence, Fourier expansion of $f(x)$ is the sum of the Fourier expansions of $f_1(x)$ and $f_2(x)$.

Since $f_1(x) = x$ is an odd function $[\therefore a_n = 0]$

$$\text{Let } f_1(x) = x = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \cdot \sin nx.$$

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

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

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\left\{ \pi(-1) \frac{(-1)^n}{n} - 0 \right\} - \left\{ 0 \right\} \right] \quad [\because \cos n\pi = (-1)^n]$$

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

$$\therefore f_1(x) = x = 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{n+1}}{n} \cdot \sin nx.$$

Now, since $f_2(x) = x^2$ is an even function $[\because b_n = 0]$

$$\text{let } f_2(x) = x^2 = a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos nx$$

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x^2 dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^{\pi} = \frac{\pi^2}{3}$$

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

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

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\left\{ 0 + 2\pi \frac{\cos n\pi}{n^2} - 0 \right\} - \{0\} \right]$$

$$= 4 \cdot \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2} \quad [\because \cos n\pi = (-1)^n]$$

$$\therefore f_2(x) = x^2 = \frac{\pi^2}{3} + 4 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2} \cos nx$$

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

For deduction, we consider the series of x^2 only.

$$\therefore x^2 = \frac{\pi^2}{3} + 4 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2} \cos nx \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

(i) putting $n = \pi$ in (1)

$$\pi^2 = \frac{\pi^2}{3} + 4 \left[\frac{-1 \cos \pi}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} \cos 2\pi - \frac{1}{3^2} \cos 3\pi + \dots \right]$$

$$\frac{2\pi^2}{3} = 4 \left[\frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots \right]$$

$$\therefore \frac{\pi^2}{6} = \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

(ii) putting $n = 0$ in (1)

$$0 = \frac{\pi^2}{3} + 4 \left[\frac{-1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots \right]$$

$$\frac{\pi^2}{12} = \frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} + \dots \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

(iii) Adding (2) and (3)

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

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