

# Math 3150H: Assignment I

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My student number is 0805980 so  $p = 9$ ,  $q = 5$ , and  $r = 22$ .

**Problem 1.** Consider the second order linear PDE given by

$$pu_{xx} + 10pu_{xy} + 9pu_{yy} + qu_x + qu_y = 8pqx + e^{8ry}$$

- (a) Find a canonical form of the PDE.
- (b) Determine the general solution of the PDE.
- (c) Show that the general solution you obtained satisfies the original equation.

**Solution 1.**

- (a) Here we have

$$\Delta = B^2 - 4AC = 100p^2 - 4(p)(9p) = 64p^2 > 0$$

So the PDE is hyperbolic. Now we solve

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{B \pm \sqrt{64p^2}}{2A} = \frac{10p \pm 8p}{2p} = 5 \pm 4.$$

Which gives in the plus case

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 9 \implies y = 9x + \xi \implies \xi = y - 9x$$

and in the minus case

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = 1 \implies y = x + \eta \implies \eta = y - x.$$

Now we do our partials

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \xi_x = -9 & \xi_{xx} = 0 & \xi_y = 1 & \xi_{yy} = 0 & \xi_{xy} = 0 \\ \eta_x = -1 & \eta_{xx} = 0 & \eta_y = 1 & \eta_{yy} = 0 & \eta_{xy} = 0. \end{array}$$

Now we find our new coefficients. We expect  $A_1 = C_1 = 0$  but we'll check just to be sure,

$$\begin{aligned}
A_1 &= A\xi_x^2 + B\xi_x\xi_y + C\xi_y^2 \\
&= p \cdot (-9)^2 + 10p \cdot (-9) \cdot (1) + 9p \cdot (1)^2 \\
&= 0 \\
B_1 &= 2A\xi_x\eta_x + B(\xi_x\eta_y + \xi_y\eta_x) + 2C\xi_y\eta_y \\
&= 2p \cdot (-9) \cdot (-1) + 10p \cdot ((-9) \cdot (1) + (1) \cdot (-1)) + 2 \cdot (9p) \cdot (1) \cdot (1) \\
&= -64p \\
C_1 &= A\eta_x^2 + B\eta_x\eta_y + C\eta_y^2 \\
&= p \cdot (-1)^2 + 10p \cdot (-1) \cdot (1) + 9p \cdot (1)^2 \\
&= 0 \\
D_1 &= A\xi_{xx} + B\xi_{xy} + C\xi_{yy} + D\xi_x + E\xi_y \\
&= q \cdot (-9) + q \cdot (1) \\
&= -8q \\
E_1 &= A\eta_{xx} + B\eta_{xy} + C\eta_{yy} + D\eta_x + E\eta_y \\
&= q \cdot (-1) + q \cdot (1) \\
&= 0 \\
F_1 &= 0 \\
G_1 &= pq(\eta - \xi) + e^{r(9\eta - \xi)}
\end{aligned}$$

Where for  $G_1$  we've made the substitution

$$\begin{aligned}
x &= \frac{1}{8}(\eta - \xi) \\
y &= \frac{1}{8}(9\eta - \xi).
\end{aligned}$$

This gives our new canonical form PDE as (with some manipulation):

$$64pu_{\xi\eta} + 8qu_{\xi} = pq(\eta - \xi) + e^{r(9\eta - \xi)}$$

(b) First we integrate with respect to  $\xi$ ,

$$\begin{aligned}
\int 64pu_{\xi\eta} + 8qu_{\xi} d\xi &= \int pq(\eta - \xi) + e^{r(9\eta - \xi)} d\xi \\
64pu_{\eta} + 8qu &= pq\left(\eta\xi - \frac{\xi^2}{2}\right) - \frac{e^{r(9\eta - \xi)}}{r} \\
u_{\eta} + \frac{8q}{64p}u &= \frac{pq}{64p}\left(\eta\xi - \frac{\xi^2}{2}\right) - \frac{e^{r(9\eta - \xi)}}{64pr}
\end{aligned}$$

Which is a linear first order ODE so we find an integrating factor  $\mu$ ,

$$\mu = \exp\left(\int \frac{8q}{64p} d\eta\right) = \exp\left(\frac{8q}{64p}\eta\right).$$

This gives us

$$\begin{aligned}
u \exp\left(\frac{8q}{64p}\eta\right) &= \int \exp\left(\frac{8q}{64p}\eta\right) \left[ \frac{q}{64} \left(\eta\xi - \frac{\xi^2}{2}\right) - \frac{e^{r(9\eta - \xi)}}{64pr} \right] d\eta \\
&= -\frac{e^{9r\eta + \frac{q\eta}{8p} - r\xi}}{64pr\left(9r + \frac{q}{8p}\right)} + \frac{\xi(8pq\eta - 64p^2)e^{\frac{q\eta}{8p}}}{64q} - \frac{p\xi^2 e^{\frac{q\eta}{8p}}}{16}
\end{aligned}$$

Transforming this back to something in terms of  $x$  and  $y$  we get

$$u = \exp\left(-\frac{8q}{64p}(y - x)\right) \left( -\frac{e^{9r(y-x) + \frac{q(y-x)}{8p} - r(y-9x)}}{64pr\left(9r + \frac{q}{8p}\right)} + \frac{(y - 9x)(8pq(y - x) - 64p^2)e^{\frac{q(y-x)}{8p}}}{64q} - \frac{p(y - 9x)^2 e^{\frac{q(y-x)}{8p}}}{16} \right)$$

(c) For this we first calculate the partials,

$$\begin{aligned} u_x &= -\frac{q(63x+y)}{64} & u_{xx} &= -\frac{63q}{64} & u_{xy} &= -\frac{q}{64} \\ u_y &= \frac{q(2y-2x)}{128} - \frac{e^{8ry}}{8p} & u_{yy} &= \frac{q}{64} - \frac{re^{8ry}}{p} \end{aligned}$$

Then evaluate the original equation with these values,

$$\begin{aligned} &= pu_{xx} + 10pu_{xy} + 9pu_{yy} + qu_x + qu_y \\ &= p \left[ -\frac{63q}{64} \right] + 10p \left[ -\frac{q}{64} \right] + 9p \left[ \frac{q}{64} - \frac{re^{8ry}}{p} \right] + q \left[ -\frac{q(63x+y)}{64} \right] + q \left[ \frac{q(2y-2x)}{128} \right] \\ &= -q(p+qx) - 9e^{8ry}r \\ &8pqx + e^{8ry} \end{aligned}$$

**Problem 2.** Use the method of characteristics to solve the IVP

$$u_y + R(x, y)u_x = ru; \quad u(x, 0) = r, \quad R(x, y) = (1-x)(p-q\sin(qy)) - p(1-x)^2 e^{py} \sin(qy)$$

**Solution 2.** From the IVP we obtain

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dx}{dt} &= R(x, y) & \frac{dy}{dt} &= 1 \frac{dz}{dt} = r \\ \implies t &= \int \frac{dx}{R} & y &= t + C_2 z = rt + C_3. \end{aligned}$$

Solving the more difficult integral,

$$\begin{aligned} &= \int \frac{dx}{R} \\ &= \int \frac{du}{pe^{py} \sin(qy) u^2 + (p-q\sin(qy))u} & u &= x-1 \implies du = dx \\ &= \int \frac{du}{[pe^{py} \sin(qy) + (p-q\sin(qy))/u] u^2} \\ &= -\frac{1}{p-q\sin(qy)} \int \frac{dv}{v} & v &= pe^{py} \sin(qy) + (p-q\sin(qy))/u \implies dv = -(p-q\sin(qy))/u^2 du \\ &= \frac{1}{q\sin(qy)-p} \ln \left( pe^{py} \sin(qy) + \frac{p-q\sin(qy)}{u} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{q\sin(qy)-p} \ln \left( pe^{py} \sin(qy) + \frac{p-q\sin(qy)}{x-1} \right) + C_1 \end{aligned}$$

Now applying our initial condition,

$$x(0) = s; \quad y(0) = 0; \quad z(0) = r$$

and solving for the constants we obtained,

$$\begin{aligned} y(0) &= 0 + C_2 = 0 \implies y = t \\ z(0) &= 0 + C_3 = r \implies z = r(t+1) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
0 &= \frac{1}{q \sin(0) - p} \ln \left( p e^0 \sin(0) + \frac{p - q \sin(0)}{x(0) - 1} \right) + C_1 \\
0 &= -\frac{1}{p} \ln \left( \frac{p}{x(0) - 1} \right) + C_1 \\
1 &= \exp -\frac{1}{p} \ln \left( \frac{p}{x(0) - 1} \right) + C_1 \\
1 &= e^{C_1} \left( \exp \ln \left( \frac{p}{x(0) - 1} \right) \right)^{-1/p} \\
1 &= e^{-pC_1} \frac{p}{x(0) - 1} \\
x(0) &= p e^{-pC_1} + 1 = s
\end{aligned}$$

**Problem 3.** Use SAGE or otherwise to show that a transformation of a second order linear PDE to its canonical form does not alter the classification of the PDE.

**Solution 3.** Given that for the PDE

$$A u_{xx} + B u_{xy} + C u_{yy} + D u_x + E u_y + F u = G$$

has discriminant

$$\Delta = B^2 - 4AC$$

and can be transformed into a canonical form with (disregarding other terms as they do not affect  $\Delta$ )

$$\begin{aligned}
A_1 &= A \xi_x^2 + B \xi_x \xi_y + C \xi_y^2 \\
B_1 &= 2A \xi_x \eta_x + B (\xi_x \eta_y + \xi_y \eta_x) + 2C \xi_y \eta_y \\
C_1 &= A \eta_x^2 + B \eta_x \eta_y + C \eta_y^2.
\end{aligned}$$

we can say that the discriminant of the new PDE in the  $(\xi, \eta)$  plane will be

$$\begin{aligned}
\Delta_1 &= B_1^2 - 4A_1C_1 \\
&= B_1^2 - 4A_1C_1 \\
&= (2A \xi_x \eta_x + B (\xi_x \eta_y + \xi_y \eta_x) + 2C \xi_y \eta_y)^2 - 4(A \xi_x^2 + B \xi_x \xi_y + C \xi_y^2)(A \eta_x^2 + B \eta_x \eta_y + C \eta_y^2) \\
&= (B^2 - 4AC) \eta_y^2 \xi_x^2 - 2(B^2 - 4AC) \eta_x \eta_y \xi_x \xi_y + (B^2 - 4AC) \eta_x^2 \xi_y^2 \\
&= (B^2 - 4AC) (\eta_y \xi_x - \eta_x \xi_y)
\end{aligned}$$

Sage's full\_simplify()

which we can see is

$$J^2 \Delta.$$

Because we started with canonical forms by making a change of variables with non-singular (real) Jacobian

$$J = \begin{vmatrix} \xi_x & \xi_y \\ \eta_x & \eta_y \end{vmatrix} \implies \operatorname{sgn} J^2 \Delta = \operatorname{sgn} \Delta$$

which will return the same classification as we originally had in the  $x, y$  plane.

**Problem 4.** Consider the functions

$$\begin{aligned}
f_1(x) &= \begin{cases} r, & -p < x < 0 \\ e^{-qx}, & 0 < x < p \end{cases} \\
f(x) &= e^{-qx}, \quad 0 < x < p
\end{aligned}$$

- (a) Find the Fourier sine series of  $f_1(x)$
- (b) Find the Fourier sine series of  $f(x)$  on  $[0, p]$
- (c) Find the Fourier cosine series of  $f(x)$  on  $[0, p]$

(d) Sketch the appropriate periodic extensions of the functions for each of the above series.

(e) Sketch the graph of each of the above series.

**Solution 4.** (a) Our coefficient here is

$$\begin{aligned}
 b_n &= \frac{1}{p} \left[ \int_{-p}^p f_1(x) \sin(n\pi x/p) dx \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{p} \left[ \int_{-p}^0 r \sin(n\pi x/p) dx + \int_0^p e^{-qx} \sin(n\pi x/p) dx \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{p} \left[ -\frac{pr}{n\pi} \cos(n\pi x/p) \Big|_{-p}^0 - \frac{1}{q^2 + (n\pi/p)^2} e^{-qx} \left( q \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) + \frac{n\pi}{p} \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) \right) \Big|_0^p \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{p} \left[ \frac{pr}{n\pi} [-\cos(0) + \cos(-n\pi)] + \frac{1}{q^2 + (n\pi/p)^2} \left[ e^{-qp} \left( q \sin(n\pi) + \frac{n\pi}{p} \cos(n\pi) \right) - \left( q \sin(0) + \frac{n\pi}{p} \cos(0) \right) \right] \right] \\
 &= - \left[ \frac{r}{n\pi} [1 + (-1)^{n-1}] + \frac{n\pi}{(pq)^2 + (n\pi/p)^2} [(-1)^{n-1} e^{-qp} + 1] \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

which gives a corresponding Fourier sine series of

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} - \left[ \frac{r}{n\pi} [1 + (-1)^{n-1}] + \frac{n\pi}{(pq)^2 + (n\pi/p)^2} [(-1)^{n-1} e^{-qp} + 1] \right] \sin(n\pi x/p)$$

(b) Here we have almost the same integral as previously,

$$\begin{aligned}
 b_n &= \frac{2}{p} \int_0^p e^{-qx} \sin(n\pi x/p) dx \\
 &= \frac{2e^{-pq} (n\pi e^{pq} + n\pi (-1)^{n+1})}{(pq)^2 + (n\pi)^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

which gives a corresponding series of

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2e^{-pq} (n\pi e^{pq} + n\pi (-1)^{n+1})}{(pq)^2 + (n\pi)^2} \sin(n\pi x/p)$$

(c)

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{p} \int_0^p r dx = r$$

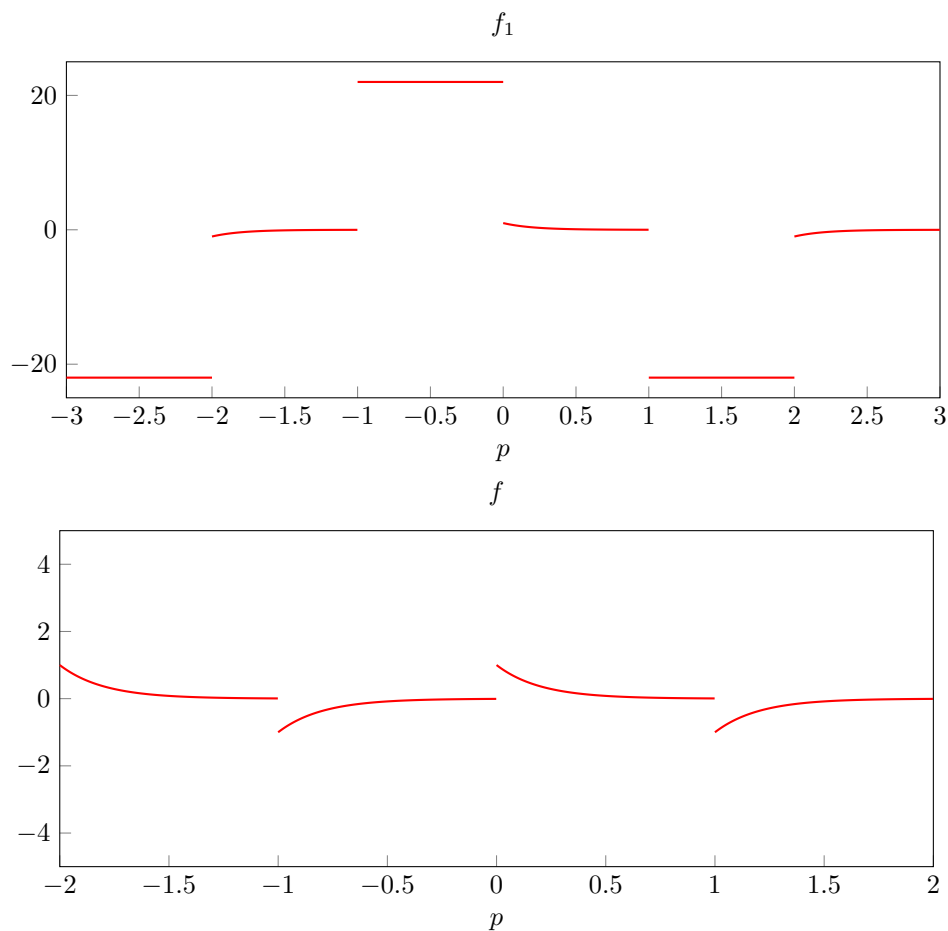
and

$$\begin{aligned}
 a_n &= \frac{2}{p} \int_0^p e^{-qx} \cos(n\pi x/p) dx \\
 &= \frac{2pqe^{-pq} (e^{pq} + (-1)^{n+1})}{(pq)^2 + (n\pi)^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

which gives a corresponding series of

$$r + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2pqe^{-pq} (e^{pq} + (-1)^{n+1})}{(pq)^2 + (n\pi)^2} \cos(n\pi x/p)$$

(d)



(e) Sketch the graph of each of the above series.

**Problem 5.** Consider the function

$$f(x) = (px/r)^2 + q$$

defined on  $[0, r]$ .

- Use SageMath to compute the  $N^{th}$  partial sum of the Fourier sine series of  $f(x)$  for  $N = 5, 10, 50, 100$ . Plot the partial sums along with the odd extension of  $f(x)$  on the extension interval  $[-r, r]$ .
- Use SageMath to compute the  $N^{th}$  partial sum of the Fourier cosine series of  $f(x)$  for  $N = 5, 10, 50, 100$ . Plot the partial sums along with the even extension of  $f(x)$  on the extension interval  $[-r, r]$ .
- Demonstrate the Gibbs Phenomenon from your results.

**Solution 5.** (a)

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[1]: # Q5 a
clear_vars()
q = 5
p = 9
r = 22
n, x = var('n x')

f = ((p*x/r)^2)+q
# plot function s dashed line to see convergence
f_ext = piecewise([((-r, 0), -f), ((0,r), f)])
func_sin = plot(f_ext, (x, -r, r), color='black', linestyle='dashed')
N = [5, 10, 50, 100] #list of N values to plot over
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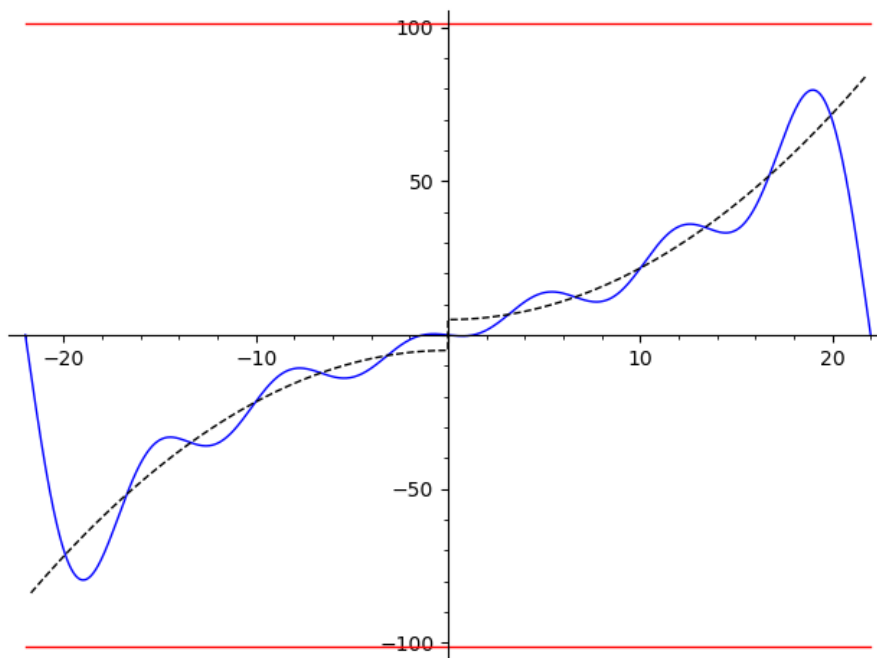
approx_sin = [] #initialize array of plots
L = r #Define length

b(n) = (2/L) * (integral((f*sin(n*pi*x/L)), x, 0, L))
for i in range (len(N)):
    g(x) = sum((b(n)*sin(n*pi*x/L)) for n in (1..(N[i]+1)))
    approx_sin += [plot(g, (x, -r, r))] #compute and load up plots into array

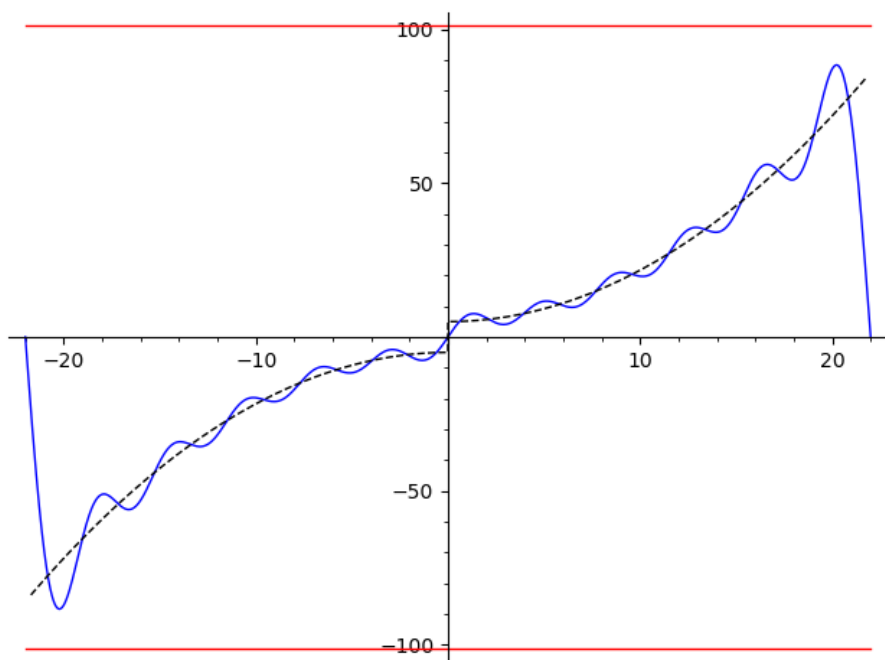
for i in range (len(N)):
    print("{}th partial sum of Fourier Sine series".format(N[i]))
    gibbs_upper = plot(f(x=r) * 1.18, (x, -r, r), color="red")
    gibbs_lower = plot(-f(x=r) * 1.18, (x, -r, r), color="red")
    show(approx_sin[i] + func_sin + gibbs_upper + gibbs_lower) #print out plots with
    ↪ labels

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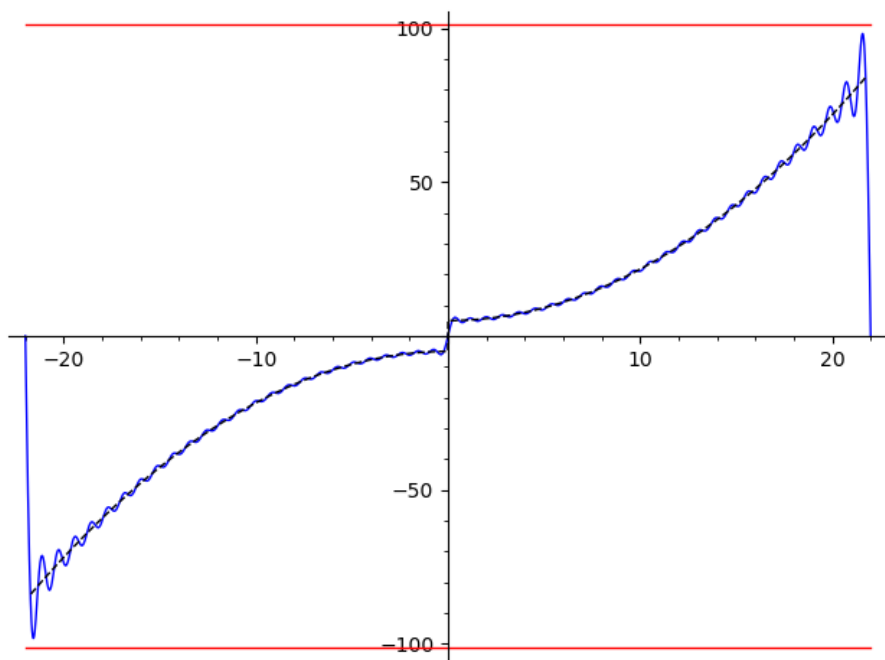
[1]: 5th partial sum of Fourier Sine series



10th partial sum of Fourier Sine series

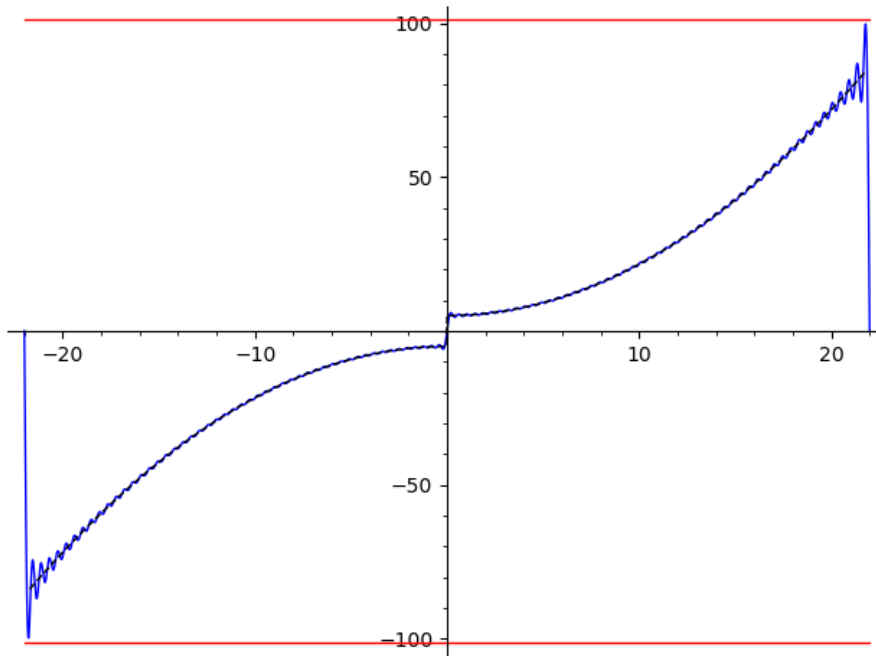


50th partial sum of Fourier Sine series



100th partial sum of Fourier Sine series



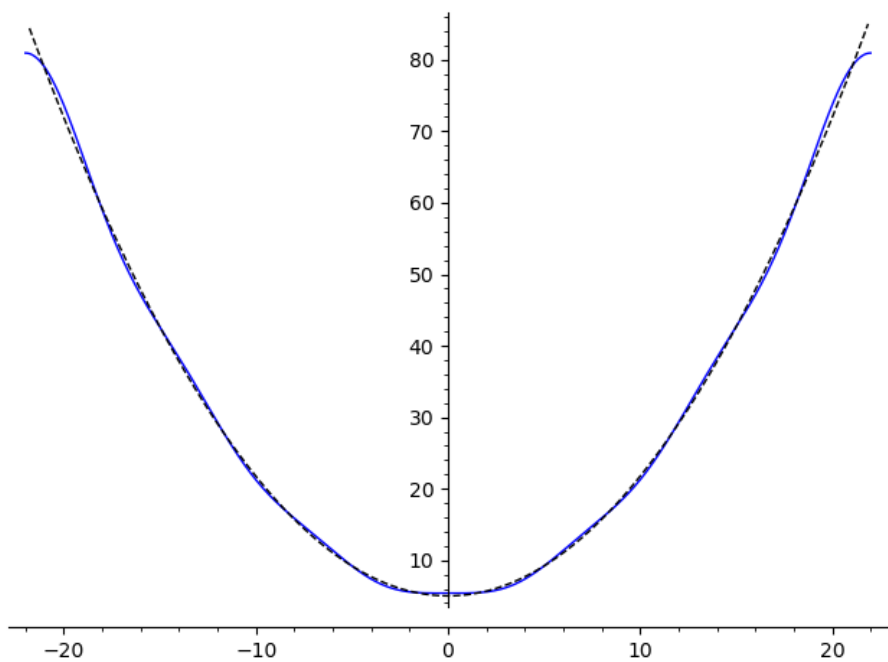


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clear_vars()
q = 5
p = 9
r = 22
n, x = var('n x')

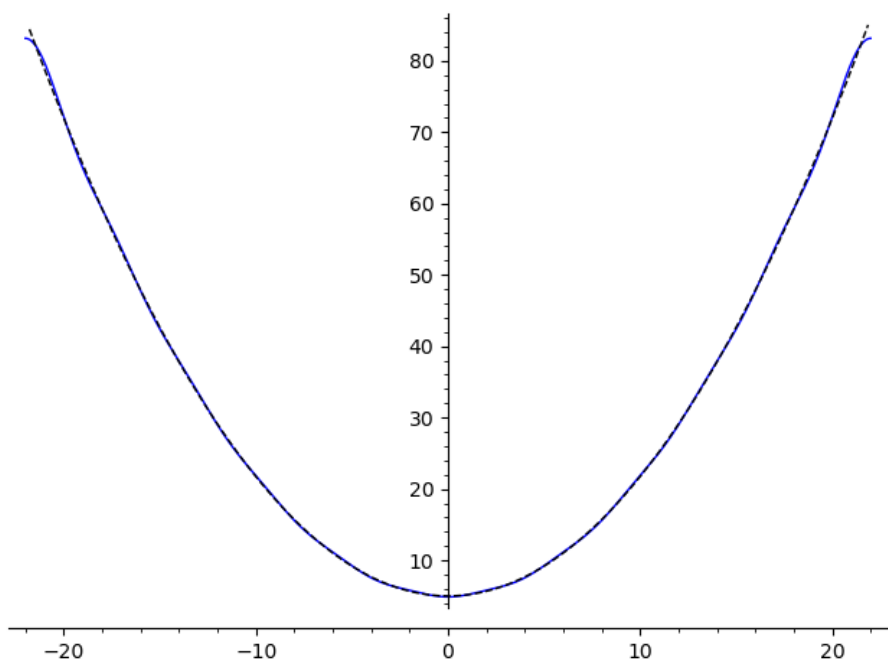
f = ((p*x/r)^2)+q
# plot function s dashed line to see convergence
f_ext = piecewise([((-r, 0), f), ((0,r), f)])
func_sin = plot(f_ext, (x, -r, r), color='black', linestyle='dashed')
N = [5, 10, 50, 100] #list of N values to plot over
approx_sin = [] #initialize array of plots
L = r #Define length
a_0 = (1/L) * (integral(f, x, 0, L))
a(n) = (2/L) * (integral((f*cos(n*pi*x/L)), x, 0, L))
for i in range(len(N)):
    g(x) = a_0 + sum((a(n)*cos(n*pi*x/L)) for n in (1..(N[i]+1)))
    approx_sin += [plot(g, (x, -r, r))] #compute and load up plots into array

for i in range(len(N)):
    print("{}th partial sum of Fourier Cosine series".format(N[i]))
    show(approx_sin[i] + func_sin) #print out plots with labels
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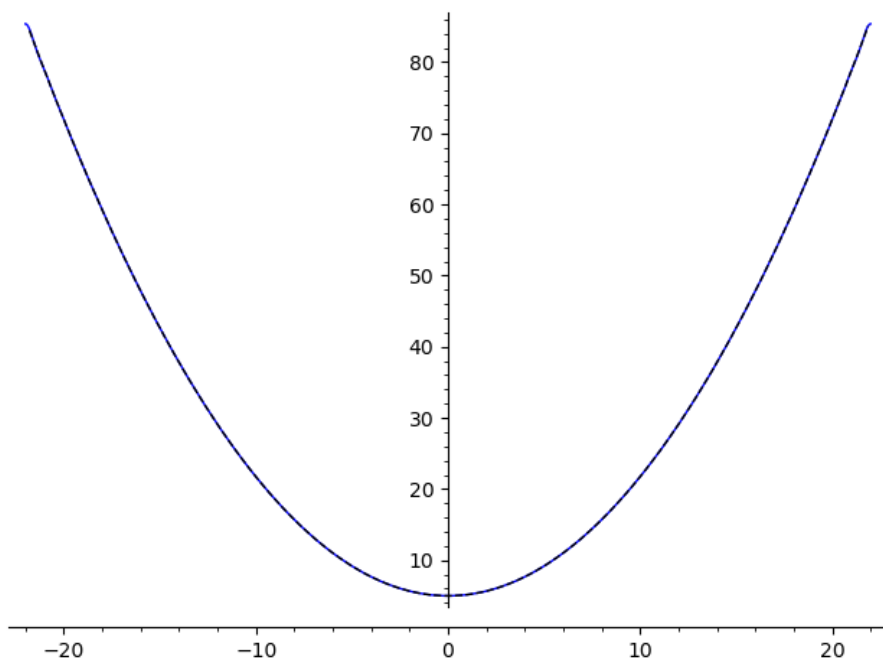
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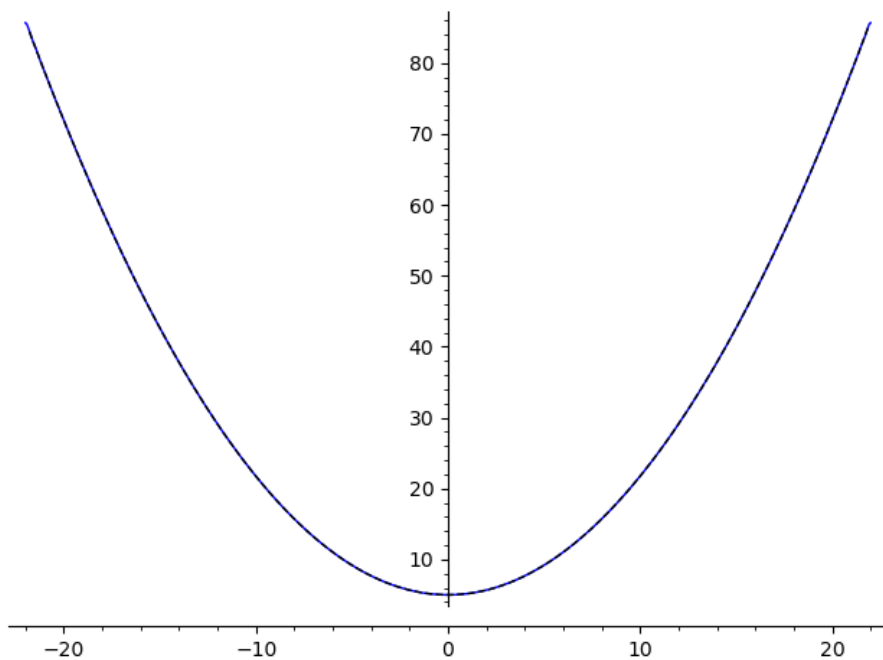
10th partial sum of Fourier Cosine series



50th partial sum of Fourier Cosine series



100th partial sum of Fourier Cosine series



- (c) See the red line in the sine series plots. Note that the multiplication by 1.18 to obtain the approximate 9% Gibbs Phenomenon value originates from the expression for 9% of the jump height,

$$\frac{f(x_j^+) + f(x_j^-)}{2} \cdot 0.09 = 2f(x_j) \cdot 0.09 = 0.18 \cdot f(x).$$

**Problem 6.** Recall that an odd function  $f(x)$  which is defined on an interval  $[-L, L]$  has a Fourier series comprised only of sines. Determine an additional symmetric condition on  $f(x)$  that will make the sine coefficients with even indices vanish.

**Solution 6.** If  $f(x)$  is odd then, as stated in the problem, our Fourier series drops down to

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

with

$$\begin{aligned}
b_n &= \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(x) \sin(n\pi x/L) dx \\
&= \frac{1}{L} \left( \int_{-L}^0 f(x) \sin(n\pi x/L) dx + \int_0^L f(x) \sin(n\pi x/L) dx \right) \\
&= \frac{1}{L} \left( \int_0^L f(x) \sin(n\pi x/L) dx + \int_0^L f(x) \sin(n\pi x/L) dx \right) \quad x = L - x \text{ in the first integral} \\
&= \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \sin(n\pi x/L) dx
\end{aligned}$$

now if we assume  $f(x) = f(L - x)$ , e.g.  $f(x)$  is symmetric about  $L/2$  then the above integral becomes

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

which makes the integrand odd for even  $n$  as  $(-1)^{n-1} = -1$  which makes the integrand odd overall.