

Problem 1:- Consider the SL problem

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$$y'' + \lambda y = 0 \quad ; \quad 0 < x < 1$$

$$y(0) = 0$$

$$y(1) - y'(1) = 0$$

Find the Eigenvalue & the Eigenfn of the problem.

Soln:- The characteristic Eqn is  $m^2 + \lambda = 0$ .

Case 1:-  $\lambda < 0$  ~~let~~ let  $\lambda = -\mu^2$ ;  $\mu > 0$ .

$$y(x) = C_1 e^{\mu x} + C_2 e^{-\mu x}$$

$$y(0) = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 + C_2 = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 = -C_2$$

$$y(1) - y'(1) = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 e^{\mu} + C_2 e^{-\mu} - \mu C_1 e^{\mu} + \mu C_2 e^{-\mu} = 0$$

$$-C_2(1-\mu)e^{\mu} + C_2(1+\mu)e^{-\mu} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow C_2[(1+\mu)e^{-\mu} - (1-\mu)e^{\mu}] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow C_2 = 0$$

$\therefore$  There are no negative eigenvalue.

Case 2:- For  $\lambda = 0$  the general soln is  $y(x) = A + Bx$

$$y(0) = 0 \Rightarrow A + B \cdot 0 = 0 \Rightarrow A = 0$$

$$y(1) - y'(1) = 0 \Rightarrow A + B \cdot 1 - B = 0$$

$\therefore B$  is arbitrary

Hence,  $\lambda = 0$  is an eigenvalue with eigenfn

$$y_0 = x$$

For  $\lambda > 0$  set  $\lambda = \mu^2$

and the General soln is

$$y(x) = C_1 \cos(\mu x) + C_2 \sin(\mu x)$$

$$y(0) = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad y(x) = C_2 \sin(\mu x).$$

$$y(1) - y'(1) = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 \sin \mu - C_2 \mu \cos \mu = 0.$$

$\therefore \mu$  must satisfy  $\sin \mu = \mu \cos \mu$  for the eqn to have an eigenvalue.

$$\therefore \tan \mu = \mu.$$

Consider the fcn  $g(\mu) = \tan \mu - \mu$ .  $g(\mu) = \tan \mu - \mu$ .

$$g(n\pi) = -(n\pi)(-1)^n \quad \text{and} \quad g(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}) = (-1)^n.$$

$$\text{Thus, } g(n\pi) g(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}) < 0.$$

$\therefore$  Intermediate Value Theorem implies  $g$  has a zero in  $n\pi$  and  $(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2})$ .

Again since  $g'(\mu) = \sec^2 \mu$  doesn't change sign on  $(n\pi, n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2})$ .

$\therefore g$  has a unique zero on  $[n\pi, n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}]$ .

$\therefore g$  has no zero in  $(n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2}, (n+1)\pi)$

$\therefore$  The Eigenvalues are  $\lambda_n = \mu_n^2$  where  $\mu_n$  satisfies  $\tan \mu_n = \mu_n$  and  $\mu_n \in (n\pi, n\pi + \frac{\pi}{2})$ .

2. Find the eigenvalues & eigenfn's of the SL problem (3)

$$(x^2 y')' + \lambda y = 0, \quad 1 < x < 2$$

$$y(1) = y(2) = 0.$$

Soln:- Note that the ODE is the Cauchy-Euler problem  
 $x^2 y'' + 2x y' + \lambda y = 0$

∴ Characteristic Eqn is  $m^2 + 2m + \lambda = 0$

$$\therefore \text{Roots are } m_1 = \frac{-1 - \sqrt{1 - 4\lambda}}{2} \quad \& \quad m_2 = \frac{-1 + \sqrt{1 - 4\lambda}}{2}.$$

Case 1:- If  $\lambda < 1/4$  then both roots are real and distinct and the soln is given as

$$y = C_1 x^{m_1} + C_2 x^{m_2}.$$

The endpoints conditions are  $y(1) = y(2) = 0$

$$\therefore C_1 + C_2 = 0 \quad \& \quad C_1 2^{m_1} + C_2 2^{m_2} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow C_1 = C_2 = 0 \quad (-\because m_1 \neq m_2).$$

∴ When  $\lambda < 1/4$  ~~there is no~~ the eqn cannot have any eigenvalue.

Case 2:- If  $\lambda = 1/4$  then  $m_1 = m_2 = -1/2$  and the

General soln is  $y(x) = C_1 x^{-1/2} + B x^{-1/2} \ln x$

Putting  $y(1) = y(2) = 0$  we get,

$$C_1 = 0 \quad \text{and} \quad C_2 2^{-1/2} \ln 2 = 0$$

Hence,  $y \equiv 0$  and  $\lambda = 1/4$  is not an eigenvalue.



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Case 3:- If  $\lambda > \frac{1}{4}$ , set  $1-4\lambda = -4\mu^2$ ;  $\mu > 0$ .

The characteristic roots are  $m = -\frac{1}{2} \pm i\mu$ .

$\therefore$  General Soln is  $y(x) = x^{-1/2} (C_1 \cos(\mu \ln x) + C_2 \sin(\mu \ln x))$

$$y(1) = C_1 = 0$$

$$\alpha y(2) = \frac{C_1 \cos(\mu \ln 2) + C_2 \sin(\mu \ln 2)}{\sqrt{2}} = 0$$

$$\text{Hence, } C_2 \sin(\mu \ln 2) = 0 \Rightarrow \sin(\mu \ln 2) = 0 \quad [ \because C_2 \neq 0 ]$$

$$\therefore \mu = \frac{n\pi}{\ln 2}; n \in \mathbb{N} \quad (\because \mu > 0 \text{ assumed}).$$

From  $1-4\lambda = -4\mu^2$  we get

$$\lambda_n = \frac{1}{4} + \mu_n^2 = \frac{1}{4} + \left( \frac{n\pi}{\ln 2} \right)^2; n \in \mathbb{N}$$

and the eigenfunctions are

$$y_n(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x}} \sin \frac{n\pi \ln x}{\ln 2}.$$

Problem 3:- Consider the problem <sup>which</sup> models the wave propagation in a nonhomogeneous string (the mass density of the string is not constant) ⑤

$$u_{tt} = (1+x)^2 u_{xx} ; 0 < x < 1 ; t > 0$$

$$u(0,t) = 0 ; u(1,t) = 0 ; t > 0$$

$$u(x,0) = f(x), 0 < x < 1.$$

$$u_t(x,0) = g(x), 0 < x < 1.$$

The mass density of the string at the pt  $x$  is  $\frac{1}{(1+x)^2}$ .

Using separation of variable;

$$u(x,t) = X(x) T(t)$$

Hence  $X'' + \frac{\lambda}{(1+x)^2} X = 0$  and  $T'' + \lambda T = 0$ . ②

① is a regular S.L. problem with weight  $v(x) = \frac{1}{(1+x)^2}$ .  
Now we need to find the eigenfn and the eigenvalue of ①

① can be written as,

$$(1+x)^2 X'' + \lambda X = 0$$

$\therefore$  Characteristic Eqn:-  $m^2 + m + \lambda = 0$ .

$\therefore$  the roots  $m_{1,2} = \frac{1}{2} \pm \sqrt{\frac{1}{4} - \lambda}$ .

Depending on the parameter  $\lambda$  consider the cases.

Case 1:-  $\lambda < \frac{1}{4}$  then  $m_1$  &  $m_2$  are real and distinct.

$\therefore$  G.S  $\Rightarrow X(x) = C_1(1+x)^{m_1} + C_2(1+x)^{m_2}$



Now,  $X(0) = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 + C_2 = 0$

$\Rightarrow X(1) = C_1 2^{m_1} + C_2 2^{m_2} = 0$

Hence the only soln is  $C_1 = C_2 = 0$

and such  $\lambda$  cannot be an eigenvalue

Case 2: If  $d = 1/4$  then  $m_1 = m_2 = 1/2$ .

the G.S is  $C_1 \sqrt{1+x} + C_2 \sqrt{1+x} \ln(1+x) = X(x)$

$X(0) = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 = 0$

$X(1) = C_1 \sqrt{2} + C_2 \sqrt{2} \ln 2 = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 = 0$

$\therefore \lambda = 1/4$  cannot be an eigenvalue

Case 3: If  $\lambda > 1/4$  then  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  are complex conjugates

set,  $\lambda = \mu^2 + 1/4$  with  $\mu > 0$ .

$\therefore$  roots  $m_{1,2} = \frac{1}{2} \pm i\mu$ .

$\therefore X(x) = A \sqrt{1+x} \cos(\mu \ln(1+x)) + B \sqrt{1+x} \sin(\mu \ln(1+x))$

$X(0) = 0 \Rightarrow A = 0$  &  $X(1) = 0 \Rightarrow B \sqrt{2} \sin(\mu \ln 2) = 0$ .

$\therefore \sin(\mu \ln 2) = 0 \Leftrightarrow \mu = \frac{n\pi}{\ln 2} \quad (n \in \mathbb{N})$

$\therefore$  eigenvalues and eigenfns. of (1) are

$\lambda_n = 1/4 + \mu_n^2$ ;  $X_n(x) = \sqrt{1+x} \sin(\mu_n \ln(1+x))$  where  $\mu_n = \frac{n\pi}{\ln 2}$ .

For each  $n \in \mathbb{N}$  we get from eqn (2)

$T_n'(t) = \cos(\sqrt{\mu_n} t)$ ,  $T_n^2(t) = \sin(\sqrt{\mu_n} t)$

$\therefore$  G.S  $u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [A_n \cos(\sqrt{\mu_n} t) + B_n \sin(\sqrt{\mu_n} t)] \sqrt{1+x} \sin(\mu_n \ln(1+x))$ .

• Since the problem satisfy

$$u(x,0) = f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \sqrt{1+x} \sin(\mu_n \ln(1+x))$$

$$u_t(x,0) = g(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sqrt{\mu_n} B_n \sqrt{1+x} \sin(\mu_n \ln(1+x)).$$

Problem 4 :-  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & -\pi < x < 0 \\ 0 & 0 \leq x < \pi \end{cases}$  and has period  $2\pi$ .  
Find its Fourier series and show  $\pi/4 = 1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \dots$

Soln:- Fourier Representation of  $f(x)$ .

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 1 \cdot dx + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} 0 \cdot dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \cdot \pi = 1$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 1 \cdot \cos nx \, dx + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} 0 \cdot \cos nx \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^0 \cos nx \, dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ \frac{\sin nx}{n} \right]_{-\pi}^0$$

$$= \frac{1}{n\pi} \sin n\pi$$

$\therefore a_n = 0 \cdot \forall n \in \mathbb{N}$

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

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

$$\therefore b_{2n} = 0 \propto b_{2n+1} = -\frac{2}{n\pi}$$



$$\therefore f(x) = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{\pi} \left[ \sin x + \frac{1}{3} \sin 3x + \dots \right]$$

Picking  $x = \pi/2$  we get

$$0 = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{\pi} \left[ \sin \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{1}{3} \sin \frac{3\pi}{2} + \frac{1}{5} \sin \frac{5\pi}{2} + \dots \right]$$

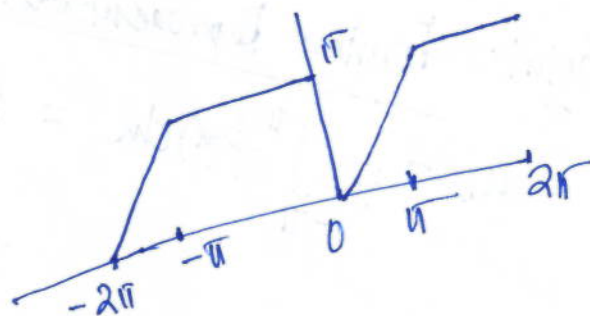
$$\text{or, } 0 = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{2}{\pi} \left[ 1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \dots \right]$$

$$\text{Hence } 1 - \frac{1}{3} + \frac{1}{5} - \frac{1}{7} + \dots = \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

~~Ques~~ Problem 5: Find the Fourier series of

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

and has period  $2\pi$ .



~~Solve~~ and show

$$\frac{\pi^2}{8} = 1 + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \frac{1}{7^2} + \dots$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x dx + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{\pi}^{2\pi} \pi dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \cdot \frac{\pi^2}{2} + \pi = \frac{3\pi}{2}$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ \left[ x \frac{\sin nx}{n} \right]_0^{\pi} - \int_0^{\pi} \frac{\sin nx}{n} dx \right] + \frac{\pi}{\pi} \left[ \frac{\sin nx}{n} \right]_{\pi}^{2\pi}$$

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

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



$$\therefore a_n = \begin{cases} -\frac{2}{n^2\pi} & \text{if } n \text{ is odd,} \\ 0 & \text{if } n \text{ is even.} \end{cases} \quad (9)$$

$$\begin{aligned} b_n &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(x) \sin nx \, dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x \sin nx \, dx + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{\pi}^{2\pi} \pi \sin nx \, dx \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[ \left[ x \left( -\frac{\cos nx}{n} \right) \right]_0^{\pi} - \int_0^{\pi} -\frac{\cos nx}{n} \, dx \right] + \left[ -\frac{\cos nx}{n} \right]_{\pi}^{2\pi} \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi} \left( -\frac{\pi}{n} \cos n\pi + \frac{\sin n\pi - \sin 0}{n^2} \right) - \frac{1}{n} (1 - (-1)^n) \\ &= -\frac{(-1)^n}{n} - \frac{1}{n} (1 - (-1)^n) \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore b_n = -\frac{1}{n} (-1)^n - \frac{1}{n} + \frac{(-1)^n}{n} = -\frac{1}{n}.$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore f(x) &= \frac{3\pi}{4} - \frac{2}{\pi} \left( \cos x + \frac{1}{3^2} \cos 3x + \dots \right) \\ &\quad - \left( \sin x + \frac{1}{2} \sin 2x + \frac{1}{3} \sin 3x + \dots \right) \end{aligned}$$

(ii) Put  $x = 0$ ;

$$\pi/2 = \frac{3\pi}{4} - \frac{2}{\pi} \left( 1 + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \dots \right)$$

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

Problem 6:- Find the fourier sine series of  $f(x) = x$  on  $[0,1]$

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



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

$\therefore$  The Fourier Series of  $f(x) = x$  is

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

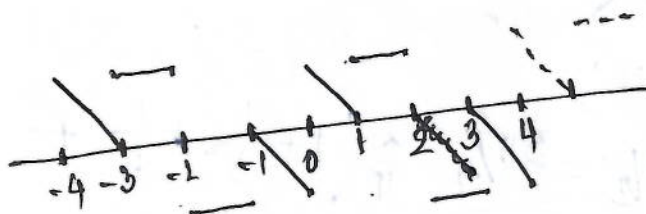
$\therefore f(x) = x$  is continuous the series converge to  $f(x)$  for any  $x \in (0,1)$ . □

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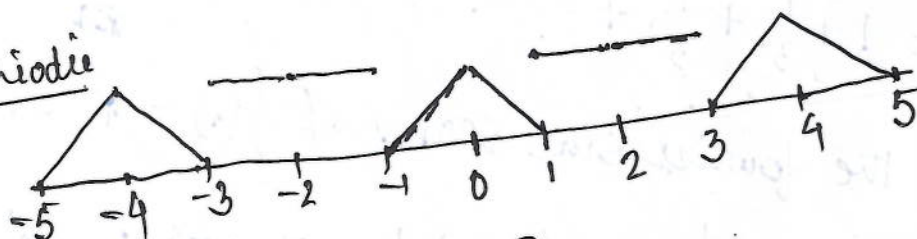
Problem 1:- Consider the fun<sup>n</sup>  
 $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1-x, & 0 < x \leq 1 \\ 1, & 1 < x \leq 2 \end{cases}$

- ① Plot its odd & even periodic extensions over  $(-4,4)$
- ② Compute Fourier Cosine series.

Soln:- Odd-Periodic



Even Periodic



Fourier Cosine series:-  $L=2$

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (1-x) dx + \frac{1}{2} \int_1^2 1 dx = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} = \frac{3}{4}$$



$$a_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx \quad (L=2) \quad (11)$$

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

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

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

$$= \frac{4}{n^2\pi^2} - \frac{4}{n^2\pi^2} \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\right) - \frac{2}{n\pi} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\right)$$

$$\therefore a_n = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } n=4k \\ \frac{4}{n^2\pi^2} - \frac{2}{n\pi} & \text{if } n=4k+1 \\ \frac{8}{n^2\pi^2} & \text{if } n=4k+2 \\ \frac{4}{n^2\pi^2} + \frac{2}{n\pi} & \text{if } n=4k+3 \end{cases} \quad (*)$$

$\therefore$  The Fourier Cosine series is

$$f(x) = \frac{3}{4} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{2}\right) \text{ where } a_n \text{ are as } (*)$$

(8)  $P_n(x)$  satisfies the eqn  $((1-x^2)y')' + n(n+1)y = 0$  on  $(-1,1)$

$P_n$  forms an orthogonal system of polynomials on  $(-1,1)$

$$\therefore n(n+1)P_n(x) = [(x^2-1)P_n'(x)]' \quad (I)$$

$$m(m+1)P_m(x) = [(x^2-1)P_m'(x)]' \quad (II)$$

Multiplying (I) with  $P_m$  and (II) with  $P_n$  we have,



$$\{n(n+1) - m(m+1)\} \int_{-1}^1 P_n(x) P_m(x) dx$$

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$$= \left[ (x^2-1) (P_n' P_m - P_m' P_n) \right]_{-1}^1 = 0$$

$$\boxed{\|P_n(x)\|^2 = \frac{2}{2n+1} \quad \forall n.}$$

$$\int_{-1}^1 f(x) P_n(x) dx = \frac{1}{2^n n!} \int_{-1}^1 f(x) \frac{d^n}{dx^n} \{(x^2-1)^n\} dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{2^n n!} \left\{ \left[ f(x) \frac{d^{n-1}}{dx^{n-1}} \{(x^2-1)^n\} \right]_{-1}^1 - \int_{-1}^1 f'(x) \frac{d^{n-1}}{dx^{n-1}} \{(x^2-1)^n\} dx \right\}$$

$$= - \frac{1}{2^n n!} \int_{-1}^1 f'(x) \frac{d^{n-1}}{dx^{n-1}} \{(x^2-1)^n\} dx$$

Repeating this integration by parts  $(n-1)$  more times gives:

$$\int_{-1}^1 f(x) P_n(x) dx = \frac{(-1)^n}{2^n n!} \int_{-1}^1 (x^2-1)^n f^{(n)}(x) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-1}^1 P_m(x) P_n(x) dx = \frac{(-1)^n}{2^n n!} \int_{-1}^1 (x^2-1)^n P_n^{(n)}(x) dx$$

$$= \frac{(-1)^n}{2^n n!} \int_{-1}^1 (x^2-1)^n \frac{1}{2^n n!} \frac{d^{2n}}{dx^{2n}} \{(x^2-1)^n\} dx$$

Hence,  $\frac{d^{2n}}{dx^{2n}} (x^2-1)^n = 2n(2n-1) \dots 3 \cdot 2 \cdot 1 = \underline{2n!}$  ( $\because (x^2-1)^n = x^{2n} + \dots + (-1)^n$ ).

we see,  $\int_{-1}^1 P_n(x) P_m(x) dx = \frac{(-1)^n}{2^n n!} \int_{-1}^1 (x^2-1)^n \frac{1}{2^n n!} 2n! dx = \frac{(-1)^n 2n!}{2^{2n} (n!)^2} \int_{-1}^1 (x^2-1)^n dx$

using the fact,  $\int_{-1}^1 (x^2-1)^n dx = \frac{2^{2n+2} \ln(n+1) (-1)^n}{(2n+2)}$ .

and hence,  $\int_{-1}^1 P_n^2 dx = \frac{2}{2n+1}$ .



## Legendre - Fourier Series :-

Let  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} C_n P_n(x)$  on  $[-1, 1]$

$\therefore (P_n)$  are orthogonal to each other.

$$\int_{-1}^1 f(x) P_m(x) dx = \int_{-1}^1 [C_0 P_0(x) + C_1 P_1(x) P_m(x) + \dots] dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-1}^1 f(x) P_m(x) dx = \frac{2 C_m}{2m+1} \quad \left[ \because \int_{-1}^1 P_m^2 dx = \frac{2}{2m+1} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow C_m = \frac{2m+1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 f(x) P_m(x) dx$$

Hence,  $f$  can be represented by  $f(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} C_n P_n(x)$  where

$C_n$  are given by  $C_n = \frac{2n+1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 f(x) P_n(x) dx$ .

Ex-1 series of  $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 < x < 1 \\ 0, & -1 < x < 0. \end{cases}$

$$C_n = \frac{2n+1}{2} \int_{-1}^1 f(x) P_n(x) dx$$

$$= \frac{2n+1}{2} \int_0^1 P_n(x) dx$$

$$\therefore C_0 = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 dx = \frac{1}{2} \quad \Bigg| \quad C_1 = \frac{3}{2} \int_0^1 x dx = \frac{3}{4} \quad \Bigg| \quad C_2 = \frac{5}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{1}{2} (3x^2 - 1) dx =$$

$$\text{Hence } 1 = \frac{1}{2} P_0(x) + \frac{3}{4} P_1(x) - \frac{7}{16} P_3(x) + \dots, \quad 0 < x < 1.$$

$$\text{and, } 0 = \frac{1}{2} P_0(x) + \frac{3}{4} P_1(x) - \frac{7}{16} P_3(x) + \dots, \quad -1 < x < 0.$$