

1) Fourier Series ✓

2) Complex Analysis ✓ → Schaum Series
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3) Vectors →

4) Partial differential Equations ✓

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Preliminaries:

Periodic function:

A function $f(t)$ is said to be periodic with period T if $f(t+T) = f(t)$ for all t .

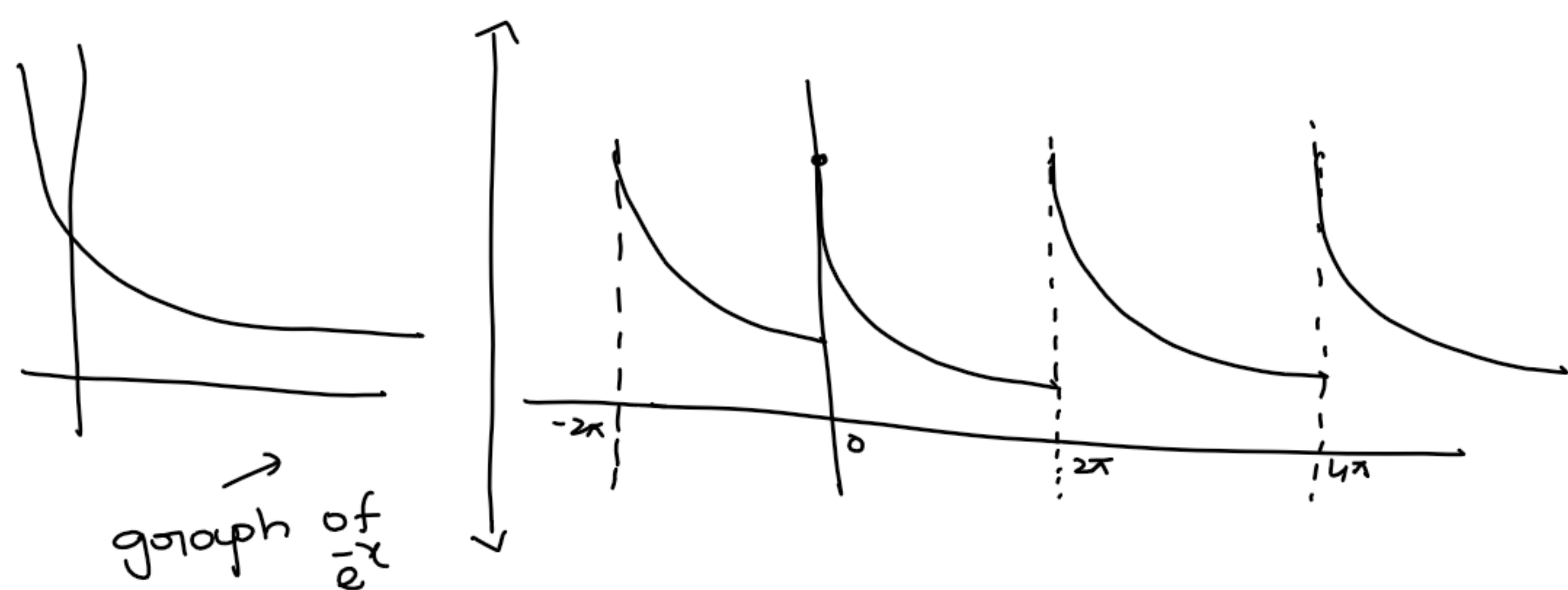
Note: If $f(t)$ is periodic with period T , then $f(t+nT) = f(t)$ for all integers n .

The smallest positive number T satisfying the above property is called primitive period or simply the period of the function $f(t)$.

The graph of periodic function $f(t)$ with period T , periodically repeats in an interval of width T .

Eg:- If the given function $f(x) = e^x$ in $(0, 2\pi)$

$f(x+2\pi) = f(x)$ then the graph of $f(x)$ is



Since the function has period 2π , the same shape of curve repeats

Note:

If $f(x)$ and $g(x)$ are periodic functions of x with period T_1 and T_2 respectively, then $C_1 f(x) + C_2 g(x)$ is also periodic with period $T = \text{lcm}(T_1, T_2)$.

Example:

1) The primitive period of

$f(x) = 2 + 3\cos 3x + 2\sin 6x$ is —.

period of const function = 0.

" " $\cos x = 2\pi$.

" " $\sin x = 2\pi$.

$\therefore 3x = 2\pi \Rightarrow x = 2\pi/3$.

$$6x = 2\pi \Rightarrow x = \frac{2\pi}{6} = \pi/3$$

multiples of $\frac{2\pi}{3} \Rightarrow \left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right), \frac{4\pi}{3}, \frac{6\pi}{3}, \dots$

" of $\pi/3 \Rightarrow \pi/3, \left(\frac{2\pi}{3}\right), 3\pi/3, \dots$

$$\therefore \text{lcm}\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}, \pi/3\right) = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

$$\therefore \text{primitive period} = \frac{2\pi}{3}$$

Note: The functions $\sin kt$ and $\cos kt$ have period $T = \frac{2\pi}{k}$. Since

$$f\left(t + \frac{2\pi}{k}\right) = \sin k\left(t + \frac{2\pi}{k}\right) = \sin(kt + 2\pi) = \sin kt$$

2) The primitive period of

$$f(x) = 3 + \cos 2x + 3 \sin 3x \text{ is } \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$\text{Soln:-} \quad \begin{array}{l|l} 2x = 2\pi & 3x = 2\pi \\ x = \pi & x = \frac{2\pi}{3} \end{array}$$

$$\pi \rightarrow \pi, 2\pi, 3\pi, \dots$$

$$\frac{2\pi}{3} \rightarrow \frac{2\pi}{3}, 2\pi, \frac{4\pi}{3}, \dots$$

$$\text{lcm}\left(\pi, \frac{2\pi}{3}\right) = \underline{2\pi}$$

$$\therefore \text{Primitive Period} = 2\pi$$

3) The primitive period of

$$f(x) = 3 + \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}x\right) + \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{3}x\right) \text{ is } \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$\begin{array}{l|l} \frac{2\pi}{3}x = 2\pi & \frac{\pi}{3}x = 2\pi \\ x = 3 & x = 6 \end{array}$$

$$\text{lcm}(3, 6) = 6$$

$$\therefore \text{primitive period} = 6$$

4) The primitive period of

$$f(x) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}x\right) + \sin(\pi x) \text{ is } \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$\begin{array}{l|l} \frac{\pi}{6}x = 2\pi & \pi x = 2\pi \\ x = 12 & x = 2 \end{array}$$

$$\text{primitive period} = \underline{12}$$

5) The primitive period of

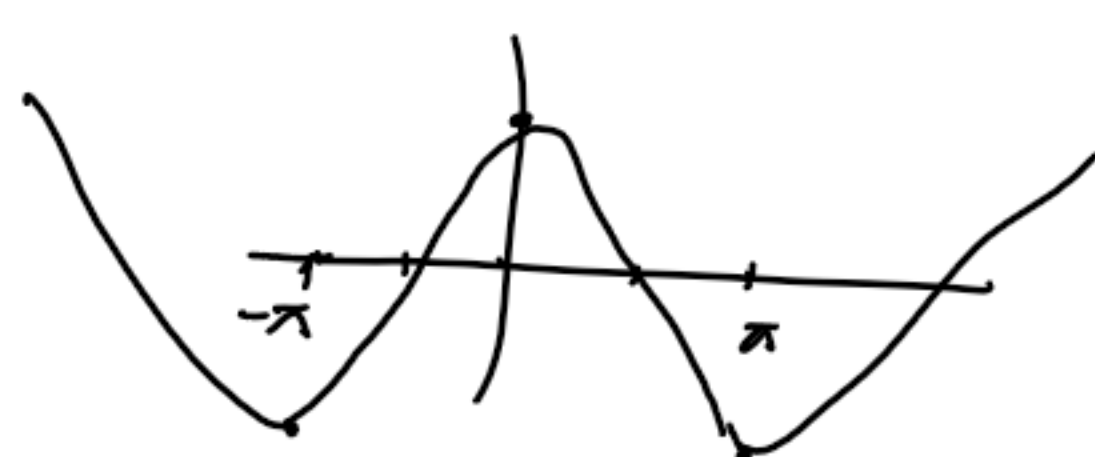
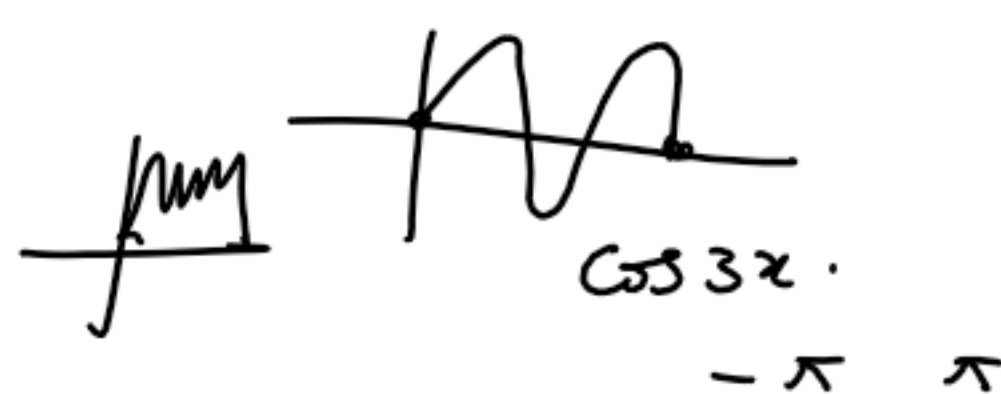
$$f(x) = 3 \cos 3x + \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{3}x\right) \text{ is } \underline{\hspace{2cm}}$$

$$\begin{array}{l|l} 3x = 2\pi & \frac{2\pi}{3}x = 2\pi \\ x = \frac{2\pi}{3} & x = 3 \end{array}$$

Primitive period does not exist,

Dirichlet conditions:

- 1) $f(x)$ is periodic, single valued and finite
- 2) $f(x)$ has finite number of discontinuities in any one period
- 3) $f(x)$ has at most a finite number of maxima and minima.



Fourier Series:

Let $f(x)$ be a periodic function with period C and is defined in an interval $[a, a+2C]$

Then the expansion of the form

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

if exists is called the Fourier Series expansion of $f(x)$. Here a_0, a_n, b_n are called Fourier coefficients and $f(x)$ should satisfy Dirichlet conditions.

eg:- $1 + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots = \frac{1}{6} \left[\frac{2x^2}{3} - \pi \right]$



The Fourier coefficients a_0, a_n, b_n are given by Euler's formulae.

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{C} \int_a^{a+2C} f(x) dx$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{C} \int_a^{a+2C} f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi x}{C} dx$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{C} \int_a^{a+2C} f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{C} dx$$

Some standard formulae:

1) $\cos n\pi = (-1)^n$; $\sin n\pi = 0$

2) $\cos (2n-1)\pi/2 = 0$; $\sin (2n-1)\pi/2 = (-1)^{n-1}$, $n=1, 2, 3, \dots$

3) $\int uv = uv_1 - u'v_2 + u''v_3 - u'''v_4 + \dots$

4) To find c , $c = \frac{U \cdot L - L \cdot L}{2} = \frac{(x+2c) - x}{2}$

$$5) \int e^{ax} \cos bx \, dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a^2 + b^2} [a \cos bx + b \sin bx]$$

$$\int e^{ax} \sin bx \, dx = \frac{e^{ax}}{a^2 + b^2} [a \sin bx - b \cos bx]$$

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum a_n \cos \frac{n\pi x}{c} + \sum b_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{c} \quad \text{--- ①}$$

To find a_0

Integrate ① from x to $x+2c$

$$\int_x^{x+2c} f(x) \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_x^{x+2c} a_0 \, dx + \int_x^{x+2c} \sum a_n \cos \frac{n\pi x}{c} \, dx + \int_x^{x+2c} \sum b_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{c} \, dx$$

$$= \frac{a_0}{2} (x+2c - x) + \left(\sum a_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{c} \right) \Big|_x^{x+2c} - \left(\sum b_n \cos \frac{n\pi x}{c} \right) \Big|_x^{x+2c}$$

$$= a_0 c + \left[\sum a_n \left(\sin \frac{n\pi}{c} [x+2c] - \sin \frac{n\pi x}{c} \right) - \left[\sum b_n \cos \frac{n\pi}{c} (x+2c) - \cos \frac{n\pi x}{c} \right] \right]$$

$$= a_0 c + \sum a_n \left(\sin \frac{n\pi x}{c} - \sin \frac{n\pi x}{c} \right) - \sum b_n \left(\cos \frac{n\pi x}{c} - \cos \frac{n\pi x}{c} \right)$$

$$= a_0 c$$

$$\boxed{\begin{aligned} f(t+nT) &= f(t) \\ \sin \left(\frac{n\pi x}{c} + \underbrace{(2n\pi)}_{= \sin \frac{n\pi x}{c}} \right) &= \sin \frac{n\pi x}{c} \end{aligned}}$$

$$\int_x^{x+2c} \cos \frac{m\pi x}{c} \cos \frac{n\pi x}{c} \, dx = \begin{cases} 0, & m \neq n \\ c, & m = n \end{cases}$$

$$\int_x^{x+2c} \sin \frac{m\pi x}{c} \sin \frac{n\pi x}{c} \, dx = \begin{cases} 0, & m \neq n \\ c, & m = n \end{cases}$$

$$\int_x^{x+2c} \sin \frac{m\pi x}{c} \cos \frac{n\pi x}{c} \, dx = 0, \quad \forall m, n$$

xy ① by $\cos \frac{n\pi x}{C}$ & integrate from x to $x+2c$

$$\int_x^{x+2c} f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi x}{C} dx = \int_x^{x+2c} \frac{a_0}{2} \cos \frac{n\pi x}{C} dx +$$

$$\int_x^{x+2c} \left[a_1 \cos \frac{\pi x}{C} \cos \frac{n\pi x}{C} + \dots + a_n \cos^2 \frac{n\pi x}{C} + \dots \right] dx$$

$$+ \int_x^{x+2c} \left[\sum b_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{C} \cos \frac{n\pi x}{C} \right] dx$$

$$= \frac{a_0}{2} \cdot 0 + a_1 \cdot 0 + a_2 \cdot 0 + \dots + a_n C + 0 + \dots$$

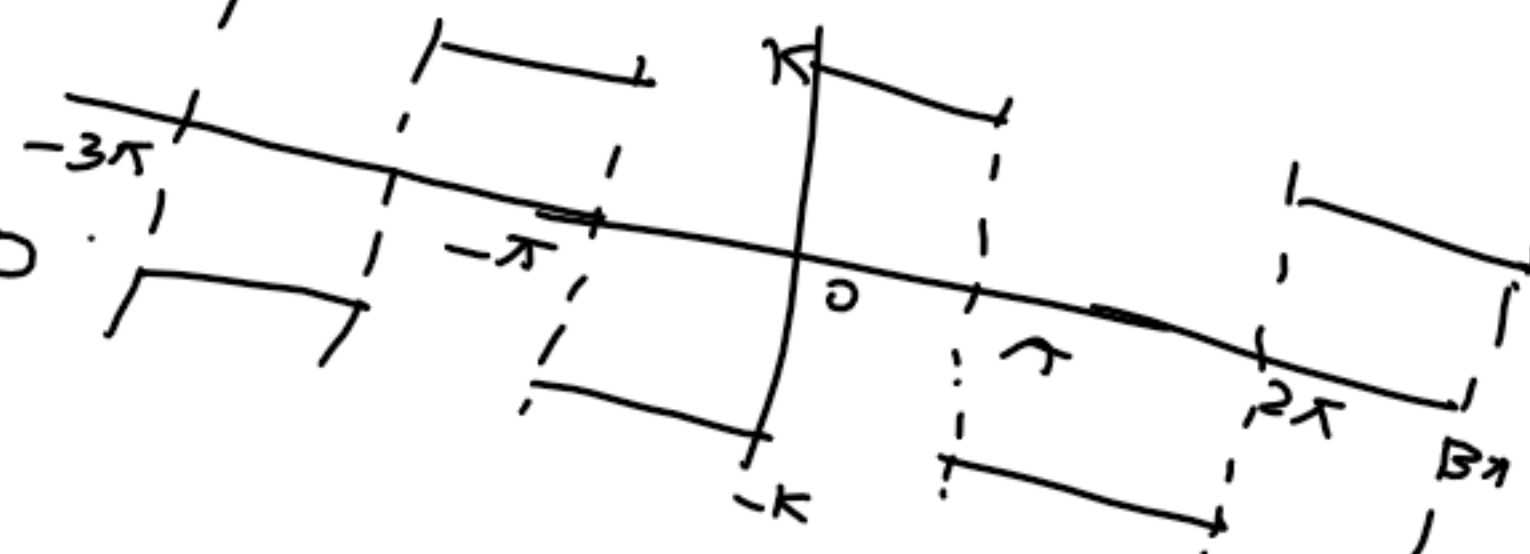
$$+ b_n \cdot 0$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{C} \int_x^{x+2c} f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi x}{C} dx$$

Rectangular wave:

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

Soln:-

$$a_0 = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = 0$$


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

$$b_n = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{\pi} dx = \frac{2K}{n\pi} [1 - \cos n\pi]$$

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

$$= \frac{4K}{\pi} \sin x + \frac{4K}{3\pi} \sin 3x + \frac{4K}{5\pi} \sin 5x + \dots$$

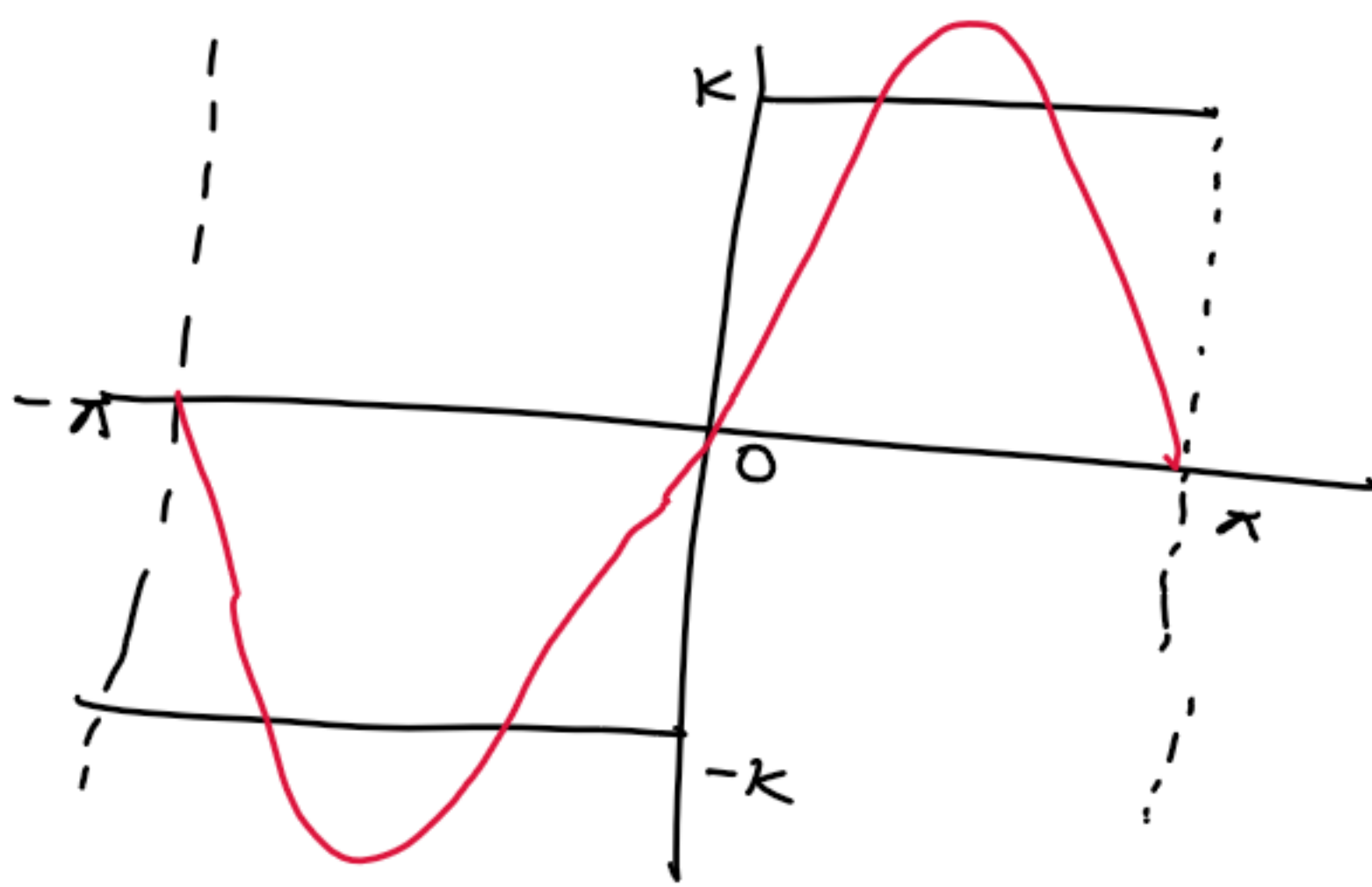
$$= \frac{4K}{\pi} \left[\sin x + \frac{\sin 3x}{3} + \frac{\sin 5x}{5} + \dots \right]$$

put $x = \pi/2$

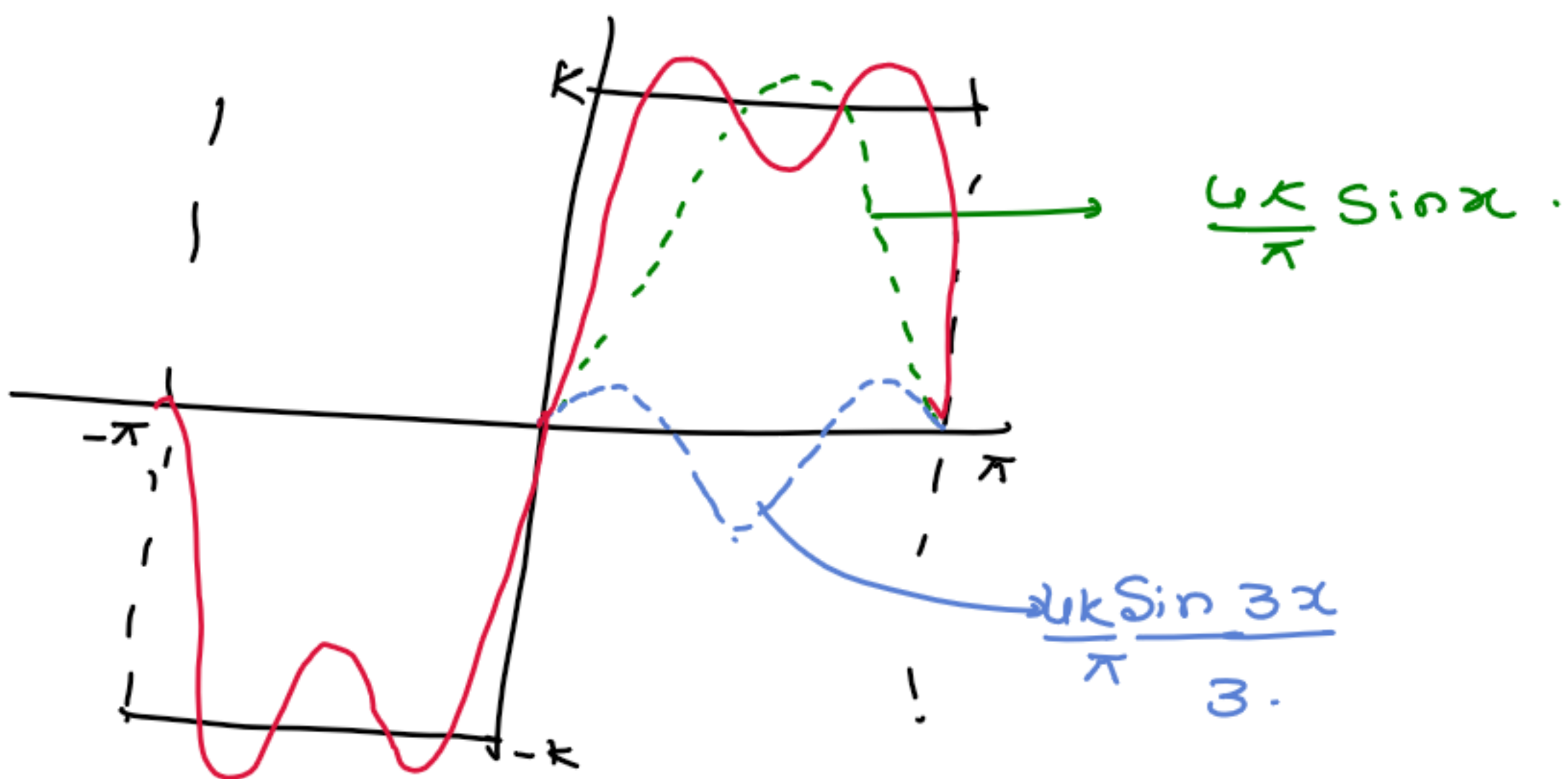
$$K = \frac{4K}{\pi} \left[\sin \frac{\pi}{2} + \frac{\sin \frac{3\pi}{2}}{3} + \frac{\sin \frac{5\pi}{2}}{5} + \dots \right]$$

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

$$S_1 = \frac{4k}{\pi} \sin x.$$



$$S_2 = \frac{4k}{\pi} \left(\sin x + \frac{\sin 3x}{3} \right)$$



$$S_3 = \frac{4k}{\pi} \left(\sin x + \frac{\sin 3x}{3} + \frac{\sin 5x}{5} \right)$$

