

Advanced Engineering Mathematics Partial
Differential Equations by Dennis G. Zill Problems

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12 Orthogonal Functions and Fourier Series

12.1 Orthogonal Functions

12.1.7

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

$$\begin{aligned}\|\sin nx\|^2 &= (\sin nx, \sin nx) \\&= \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin^2 nx \, dx \\&= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi/2} (1 - \cos 2nx) \, dx \\&= \frac{1}{2} \left[x - \frac{1}{2n} \sin 2nx \right]_0^{\pi/2} \\&= \frac{\pi}{4} \\ \|\sin nx\| &= \frac{\sqrt{\pi}}{2}\end{aligned}$$

12.1.9

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

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$$\|\sin nx\| = \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{2}}$$

12.1.21

$$T = 1$$

12.1.23

$$T = 2\pi$$

12.1.25

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