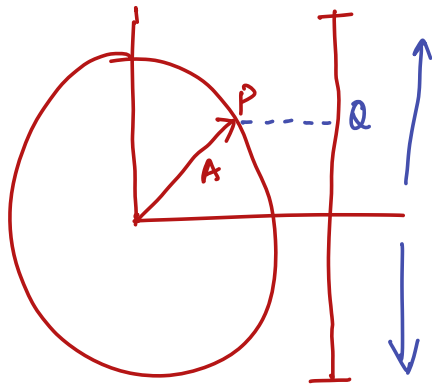


FEB 11<sup>TH</sup>, 2022 : Average value of a function :



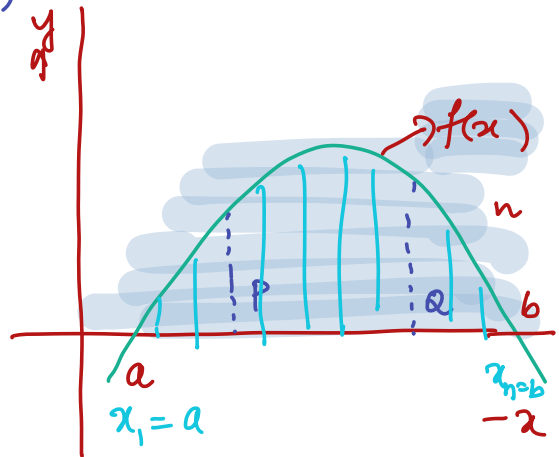
$$y = A \sin \omega t$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = A\omega \cos \omega t$$

$$y = A \sin(\omega t + \phi)$$

Fourier Series :- (Cos & Sin)

Average of a function :



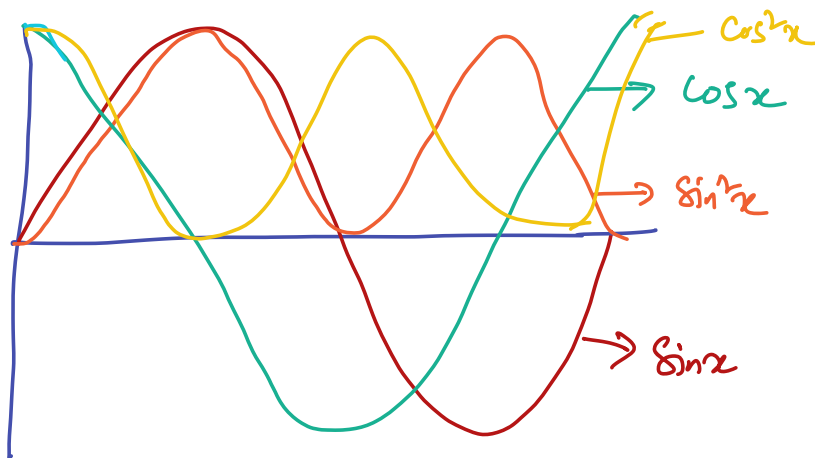
$$\frac{\int_a^b f(x) dx}{b-a}$$

$$\frac{f(x_1) + f(x_2) + f(x_3) + \dots + f(x_n)}{n}$$

It may happen that the average value of a given function is zero

Example

$\sin x$

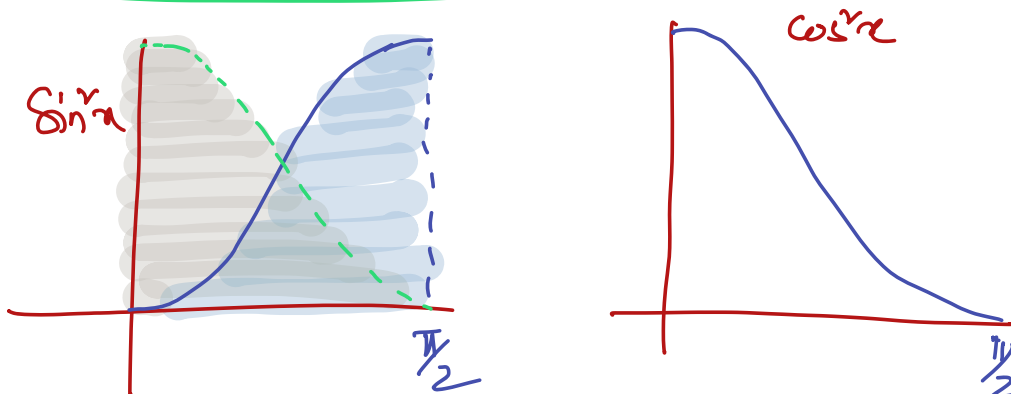


Average of  $\sin x = 0$

Similarly Average of  $\cos x = 0$

However if we take the average of  $\sin^2 x$  or  $\cos^2 x \neq 0$

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin^2 x \, dx = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos^2 x \, dx$$



for  $\underline{n \neq 0}$

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin^2 \underline{nx} \, dx = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos^2 \underline{nx} \, dx$$

we have

$$\sin^2 nx + \cos^2 nx = 1$$

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\sin^2 nx + \cos^2 nx) dx = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} dx = 2\pi$$

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin^2 nx dx = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos^2 nx dx = \pi$$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin^2 nx dx = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos^2 nx dx = \frac{\pi}{2\pi} = \frac{1}{2}$$

Fourier Series: Expansion of a periodic function in series of sines and cosines.

$2\pi$  is the periodicity for  $\sin nx$  &  $\cos nx$

$$\sin n(x+2\pi) = \sin(nx+2n\pi) = \sin nx$$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2} a_0 + a_1 \cos x + a_2 \cos 2x + a_3 \cos 3x + \dots$$
$$+ b_1 \sin x + b_2 \sin 2x + b_3 \sin 3x + \dots$$

$\Rightarrow \textcircled{A}$

① The average value of  $\sin mx \cos nx$  (over a period)

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin mx \cos nx \, dx = 0$$

② The average value of  $\sin mx \sin nx$  (over a period)

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin mx \sin nx \, dx = \begin{cases} 0 & m \neq n \\ \frac{1}{2} & m = n \neq 0 \\ 0 & m = n = 0 \end{cases}$$

③ The average value of  $\cos mx \cos nx$  (over a period)

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos mx \cos nx \, dx = \begin{cases} 0 & m \neq n \\ \frac{1}{2} & m = n \neq 0 \\ 1 & m = n = 0 \end{cases}$$

Now we try to find the Fourier Coefficients:  $[a_0, a_1, a_2, \dots, b_1, b_2, \dots]$

Integrating eq (A) over a period

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \, dx = \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} a_0}_{\text{underbrace}} \underbrace{\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} dx}_{\text{underbrace}} + a_1 \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \underline{\cos x \, dx} + \dots$$

$$+ b_1 \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \underline{\sin x \, dx} + \dots$$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{2} a_0 \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} dx + a_1(0) + \dots b_1(0) \dots$$

$$= \frac{a_0}{2} \frac{1}{2\pi} (2\pi)$$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{1}{2} a_0$$



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

Evaluating  $a_1$   $\Rightarrow$  multiply  $f(x) \times \cos x$ , and integrate over a period

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos x dx &= \frac{a_0}{2} \underbrace{\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos x dx}_0 + a_1 \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos^2 x dx \\ &+ a_2 \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \underbrace{\cos 2x \cos x dx}_0 + \dots \\ &+ b_1 \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \underbrace{\sin x \cos x dx}_0 + \dots \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos x dx = a_1 \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos^2 x dx = \frac{1}{2} a_1$$

$$a_1 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cos x dx$$

Similarly, one can evaluate all  $n$  terms

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

$\Rightarrow$  Similarly

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \sin nx dx$$