

# **EE2703 : Applied Programming Lab Assignment 3**

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## Function Definition and Visualization

We need to ensure that the function can output correct values even for an N-dimensional vector as an input. The built-in functions in numpy can be used to accomplish the same :

```
1 import numpy as np
2 def expo(x):
3     return np.exp(x)
4 def coscos(x):
5     return np.cos(np.cos(x))
```

The above functions are plotted over the interval  $[2\pi, 4\pi)$  using 300 points sampled uniformly over this interval. The following plots are obtained :

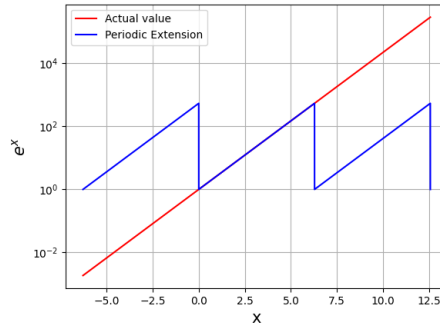


Figure 1:  $e^x$  in semi-log scale along with expected Fourier  $e^x$

The function  $e^x$  is ever increasing with  $x$  and is non-periodic. However for the evaluation of the Fourier series, the function is made  $2\pi$  periodic.  $\cos(x)$  is periodic and thus  $\cos(\cos(x))$  is also periodic. Since  $\cos(x) = \cos(x)$ , the period of  $\cos(\cos(x))$  is  $\pi$ .

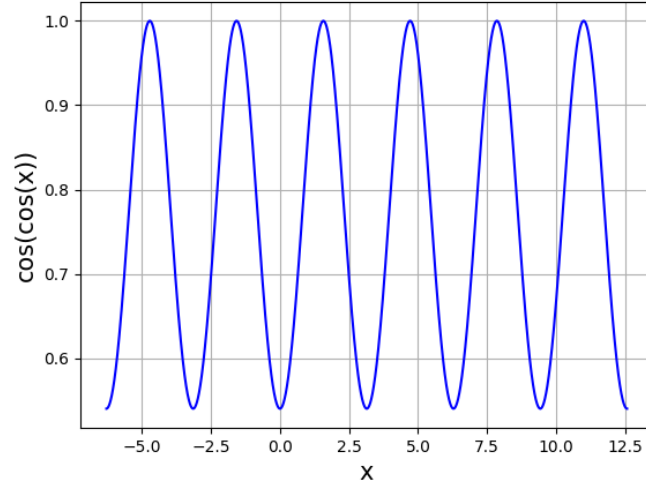


Figure 2: Plot of  $\cos(\cos(x))$  in linear scale

The Fourier series gives us the expression for the function in terms of  $2\pi$  periodic sinusoids. For an aperiodic function, it is calculated by looking at the function in the interval  $[0, 2\pi)$  and repeating the function pattern so that we obtain a  $2\pi$  periodic function for which the Fourier series can be evaluated.  $e^x$  is a function with a swift increase and this can be represented only by high frequency sinusoids. The Fourier series would only yield a reasonable approximation even for sufficiently large number of coefficients. Since  $\cos(\cos(x))$  has a period of  $\pi$ , we can expect the Fourier series expansion to yield an almost exact approximation for the function.

## The Fourier Series Coefficients

The Fourier series coefficients are obtained using the quad function in the scipy library. The following code snippet evaluates the first n coefficients of the Fourier series expansion of  $e^x$  and  $\cos(\cos(x))$ :

```

1 def u(x,k):
2     return expo(x)*np.cos(k*x)
3 def v(x,k):
4     return expo(x)*np.sin(k*x)
5 def p(x,k):
6     return coscos(x)*np.cos(k*x)
7 def q(x,k):
8     return coscos(x)*np.sin(k*x)
9

```

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10 expo_a0= (integrate.quad(u,0,2*np.pi,args=(0,))[0])/(2*np.pi)
11 expo_a = np.array([integrate.quad(u,0,2*np.pi,args=(i,))[0]
12 \newline
13 for i in range(1,26)])/(np.pi)
14 expo_b = np.array([integrate.quad(v,0,2*np.pi,args=(i,))[0]
15 for i in range(1,26)])/(np.pi)
16
17 coscos_a0= (integrate.quad(p,0,2*np.pi,args=(0,))[0])/(2*np.
    pi)
18 coscos_a = np.array([integrate.quad(p,0,2*np.pi,args=(i,))[0]
    for i in range(1,26)])/(np.pi)
19 coscos_b = np.array([integrate.quad(q,0,2*np.pi,args=(i,))[0]
    for i in range(1,26)])/(np.pi)

```

We thus obtain the first 51 coefficient of the two functions. A plot of the coefficients of  $e^x$  in a semilog and loglog scale is :

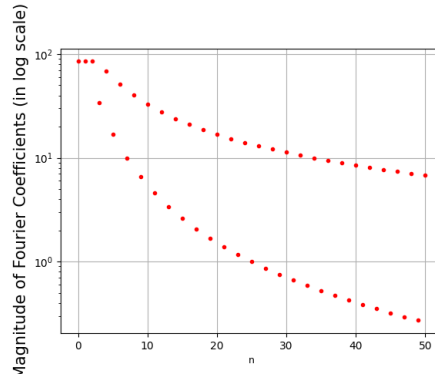


Figure 3: Fourier Coefficients of  $e^x$  by direct integration in semilog scale

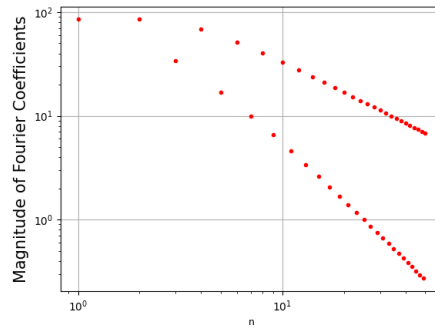


Figure 4: Fourier Coefficients of  $e^x$  by direct integration in loglog scale

Similarly, the plots for  $\cos(\cos(x))$  are as follows :

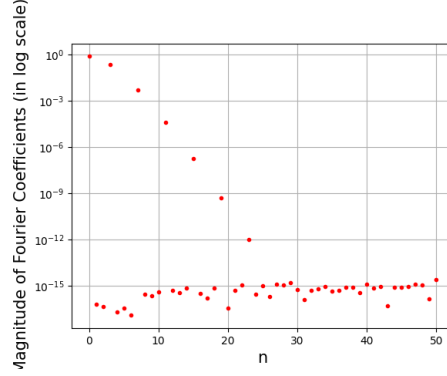


Figure 5: Fourier Coefficients of  $\cos(\cos(x))$  by direct integration in semilog scale

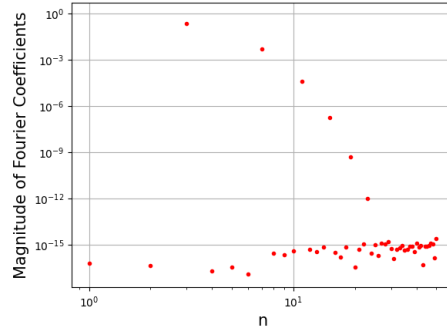


Figure 6: Fourier Coefficients of  $\cos(\cos(x))$  by direct integration in loglog scale

We notice that the  $b_n$  coefficients in the second case are expected to be zero as the function  $\cos(\cos(x))$  is even and thus the odd sinusoidal components are zero. The values obtained are non-zero because of the limitation in the numerical accuracy upto which  $\pi$  can be stored in memory. In the first case, the function, having an exponentially increasing gradient, contains a wide range of frequencies in its fourier series. In the second case,  $\cos(\cos(x))$  has a relatively low frequency of  $1/\pi$  and thus contribution by the higher sinusoids is less, manifesting in the quick decay of the coefficients with  $n$ .

## The Least Squares Approach

The original functions are tried to be reconstructed using the Fourier expansion upto first 51 terms. The Fourier coefficients are calculated using `np.linalg.lstsq` function.

```
1 X = np.linspace(0,2*np.pi,401)
2 X=X[:-1]
3 b1 = expo(X)
4 b2 = coscos(X)
5 A = np.zeros((400,51))
6 A[:,0] = 1
7
8 for k in range(1,26):
9     A[:,2*k-1] = np.cos(k*X)
10    A[:,2*k] = np.sin(k*X)
11
12 c1 = np.linalg.lstsq(A,b1,rcond = -1)[0]
13 c2 = np.linalg.lstsq(A,b2,rcond = -1)[0]
```

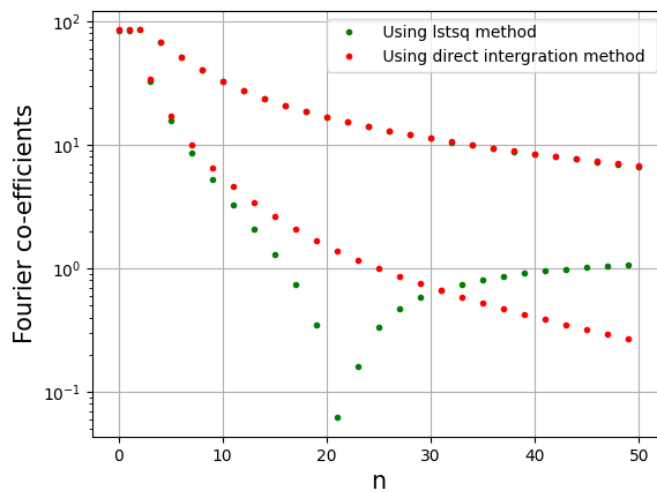


Figure 7: Fourier co-efficients of  $e^x$  in semilog scale

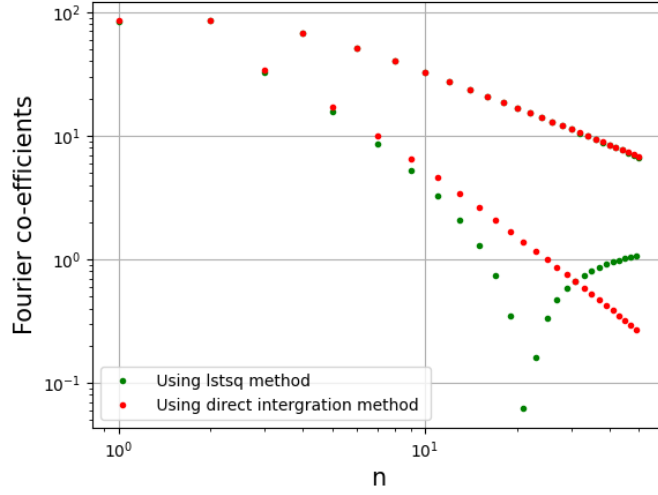


Figure 8: Fourier co-efficients of  $e^x$  in loglog scale

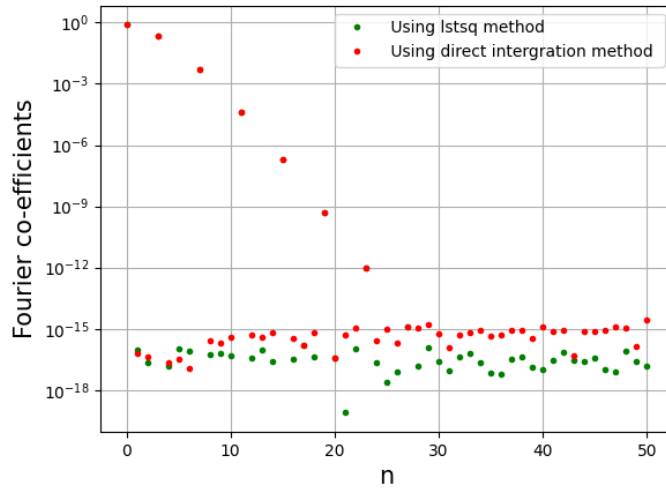


Figure 9: Fourier co-efficients of  $\cos(\cos(x))$  in semilog scale

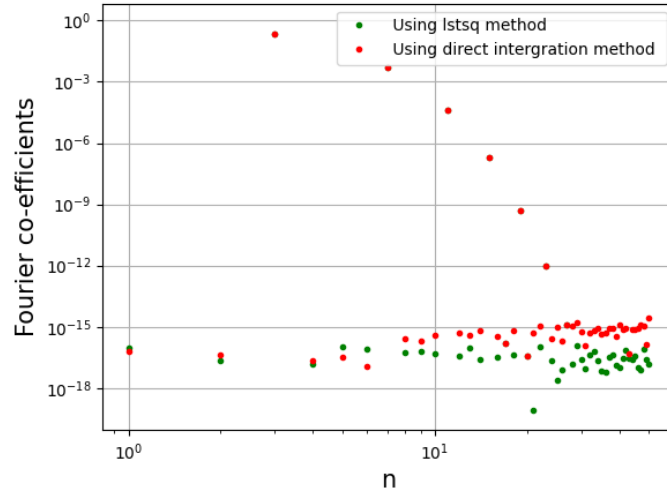


Figure 10: Fourier co-efficients of  $\cos(\cos(x))$  in loglog scale

## Plots of Reconstructed Functions:

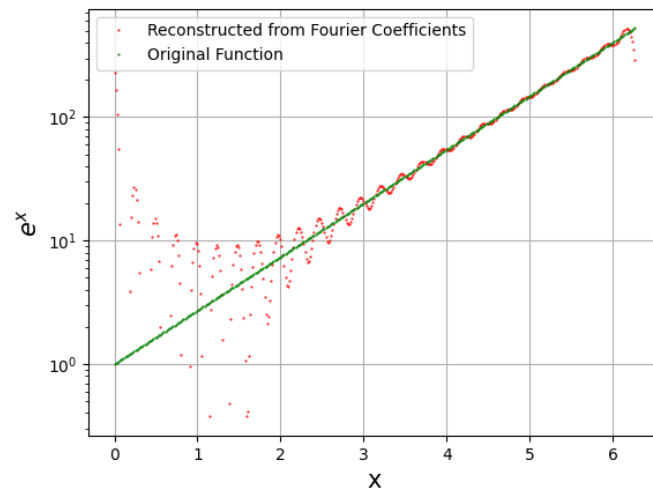


Figure 11: Original function  $e^x$  and the Reconstructed function from Fourier Coefficients.



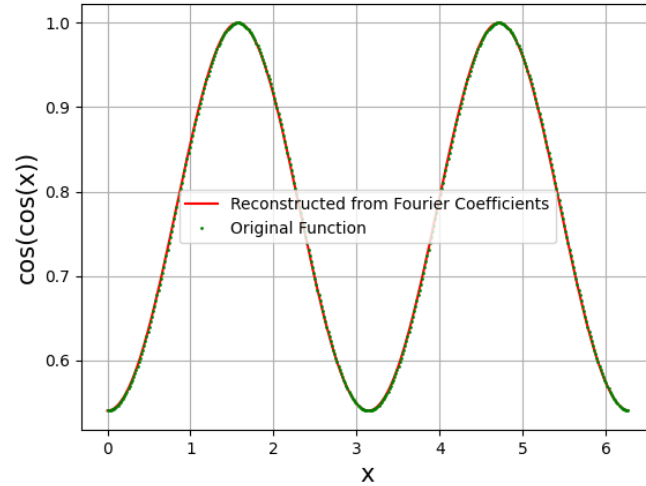


Figure 12: Original function  $\cos(\cos(x))$  and the Reconstructed function from Fourier Coefficients.

## Error Analysis

The error is calculated as follows:

```

1 print("Absolute difference between Fourier Coefficients in
    expo(x) = exp(x) is {}".format(np.sum(abs(c1 - F))))
2 print("Largest Deviation between Fourier Coefficients in expo
    (x) = exp(x) is {}".format(np.amax(abs(c1 - F))))
3 print("Mean Error in expo(x) = exp(x) is {}".format(np.mean(
    abs(c1 - F))))
4
5 print("Absolute difference between Fourier Coefficients in
    coscos(x) = cos(cos(x)) is {}".format(np.sum(abs(c2 - G))
    ))
6 print("Largest Deviation between Fourier Coefficients in
    coscos(x) = cos(cos(x)) is {}".format(np.amax(abs(c2 - G))
    ))
7 print("Mean Error in coscos(x) = cos(cos(x)) is {}".format(np
    .mean(abs(c2 - G))))

```

### Maximum Deviation:

- The Maximum deviation in  $f(x) = e^x$  in between the coefficients estimated through LSTSQ method and Direct Integration Method is 1.3327308703354106 , which occurs at a25
- The Maximum deviation in  $g(x) = \cos(\cos(x))$  in between the coefficients estimated through LSTSQ method and Direct Integration Method is 2.656286271711572e-15 , which occurs at a25

### Absolute Error:

- The absolute error in  $f(x) = e^x$  in between the coefficients estimated through LSTSQ method and Direct Integration Method is 35.12283611763861
- The absolute error in  $g(x) = \cos(\cos(x))$  in between the coefficients estimated through LSTSQ method and Direct Integration Method is 2.8114348359621343e-14

### Mean Error:

- The Mean Error in  $f(x) = e^x$  in between the coefficients estimated through LSTSQ method and Direct Integration Method is 0.6886830611301689
- The Mean Error in  $g(x) = \cos(\cos(x))$  in between the coefficients estimated through LSTSQ method and Direct Integration Method is 5.51261732541595e-16

### Result:

- The function  $\cos(\cos(x))$  is periodic while  $e^x$  is not periodic but for  $e^x$  we get a periodic extension using Fourier analysis.
- Coefficients  $b_n$  of  $\cos(\cos(x))$  are expected to be 0 as the function is even and  $b_n$  are coefficients of odd sinusoidal components but the small values of  $b_n$  are due to error in integration.
- The coefficients of  $e^x$  decay slowly compared to  $\cos(\cos(x))$  as the function is not periodic in the given interval of  $[0, 2\pi)$ .

## Conclusion:

We calculated the Fourier Expansion of two functions  $f(x) = e^x$  and  $g(x) = \cos(\cos(x))$  and calculated the deviation the reconstructed function from the actual function.