

Parseval's Identity.

Let $f(x)$ be a periodic function defined in the interval $(-l, l)$ then

$$\frac{1}{2l} \int_{-l}^l [f(x)]^2 dx = \left[\frac{a_0^2}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n^2 + b_n^2) \right]$$

for the interval $(0, 2l)$

$$\frac{1}{2l} \int_0^{2l} [f(x)]^2 dx = \frac{a_0^2}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n^2 + b_n^2)$$

1) Find the Fourier Series of $f(x) = x^2$ in $-\pi < x < \pi$ & deduce the

$$i) \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots = \frac{\pi^2}{6}$$

$$ii) \frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} - \dots = \frac{\pi^2}{12}$$

$$iii) \frac{1}{1^4} + \frac{1}{3^4} + \frac{1}{5^4} + \dots = \frac{\pi^4}{8}$$

$$iv) \frac{1}{1^4} - \frac{1}{2^4} + \frac{1}{3^4} - \dots = \frac{\pi^4}{90}$$

$$f(x) = x^2 \quad \text{in } -\pi < x < \pi$$

$f(x)$ is even function

$$\therefore b_n = 0$$

$$\therefore f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos nx$$

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

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\frac{x^3}{3} \right]_0^{\pi} = \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\frac{\pi^3}{3} \right]$$

$$a_0 = \frac{2\pi^2}{3}$$

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

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} x^2 \cos nx dx$$

$$u = x^2$$

$$u' = 2x$$

$$u'' = 2$$

$$u''' = 0$$

$$v = \cos nx$$

$$v_1 = \frac{\sin nx}{n}$$

$$v_2 = -\frac{\cos nx}{n^2}$$

$$v_3 = -\frac{\sin nx}{n^3}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[x^2 \frac{\sin nx}{n} + 2x \frac{\cos nx}{n^2} - 2 \frac{\sin nx}{n^3} \right]_0^{\pi}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\pi^2 \frac{\sin n\pi}{n} + 2\pi \frac{\cos n\pi}{n^2} - 2 \frac{\sin n\pi}{n^3} - 0 - 0 + \frac{2 \sin 0}{n^3} \right]$$

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

$$= \frac{4}{n^2} (-1)^n$$

\therefore The Fourier Series is

$$f(x) = \frac{2\pi^2}{3} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{n^2} (-1)^n \cos nx$$

$$x^2 = \frac{\pi^2}{3} + 4 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2} \cos nx \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

ii)

Put $x=0$ in (1)

$$0 = \frac{\pi^2}{3} + 4 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2} \quad (1)$$

$$0 = \frac{\pi^2}{3} + 4 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2}$$

$$-\frac{\pi^2}{3} = 4 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2}$$

$$-\frac{\pi^2}{12} = \frac{-1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} - \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{4^2} - \dots$$

$$\therefore \frac{\pi^2}{12} = \frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} + \dots \quad (2)$$

i)

Put $x=\pi$ in (1)

$$\pi^2 = \frac{\pi^2}{3} + 4 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2} \cos n\pi$$

$$\pi^2 - \frac{\pi^2}{3} = 4 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n}{n^2} (-1)^n$$

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

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

$$\therefore \frac{\pi^2}{6} = \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots \quad (3)$$

iii)

Adding (2) & (3)

$$\frac{\pi^2}{12} + \frac{\pi^2}{6} = \left[\frac{1}{1^2} - \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} - \frac{1}{4^2} + \dots \right] + \left[\frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{2^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \dots \right]$$

$$\frac{\pi^2 + 2\pi^2}{12} = 2 \left[\frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \dots \right]$$

$$\frac{3\pi^2}{2 \times 12} = \frac{1}{1^2} + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \dots$$

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

iv) By using Parseval's identity;

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} [f(x)]^2 dx = 2\pi \left[\frac{a_0^2}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n^2 + b_n^2) \right]$$

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (x^2)^2 dx = 2\pi \left[\frac{\left(\frac{2\pi^2}{3}\right)^2}{4} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\frac{4}{n^2} (-1)^n \right]^2 + 0 \right]$$

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} x^4 dx = 2\pi \left[\frac{\pi^4}{9} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{16}{n^4} (-1)^{2n} \right]$$

$$\left[\frac{x^5}{5} \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} = 2\pi \left[\frac{\pi^4}{9} + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{16}{n^4} \right]$$

$$\frac{\pi^5}{5} + \frac{\pi^5}{5} = \frac{2\pi^5}{9} + \frac{2\pi}{2} \times 16 \left[\frac{1}{1^4} + \frac{1}{2^4} + \frac{1}{3^4} + \dots \right]$$

$$\frac{2\pi^5}{5} - \frac{2\pi^5}{9} = 16\pi \left[\frac{1}{1^4} + \frac{1}{2^4} + \frac{1}{3^4} + \dots \right]$$

$$\frac{8\pi^5}{45} \times \frac{1}{16\pi} = \frac{1}{1^4} + \frac{1}{2^4} + \frac{1}{3^4} + \dots$$

$$\therefore \frac{\pi^4}{90} = \frac{1}{1^4} + \frac{1}{2^4} + \frac{1}{3^4} + \dots$$