

Find the Fourier series for

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 + \frac{2x}{\pi}, & -\pi < x < 0 \\ 1 - \frac{2x}{\pi}, & 0 < x < \pi \end{cases}$$

Consider

$$\phi_1(x) = 1 + \frac{2x}{\pi}$$

$$\phi_2(x) = 1 - \frac{2x}{\pi}$$

$$\phi_1(-x) = 1 + \frac{2(-x)}{\pi} = 1 - \frac{2x}{\pi} = \phi_2(x)$$

$$\phi_2(-x) = 1 - \frac{2(-x)}{\pi} = 1 + \frac{2x}{\pi} = \phi_1(x)$$

$\therefore f(x)$ is even function

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

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

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

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

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

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \left(1 - \frac{2x}{\pi}\right) \cos nx dx$$

$$u = 1 - \frac{2x}{\pi}$$

$$V = \cos nx$$

$$u' = -\frac{2}{\pi}$$

$$V_1 = \frac{\sin nx}{n}$$

$$u'' = 0$$

$$V_2 = -\frac{\cos nx}{n^2}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\left(1 - \frac{2x}{\pi}\right) \frac{\sin nx}{n} - \left(-\frac{2}{\pi}\right) \left(-\frac{\cos nx}{n^2}\right) \right]_0^{\pi}$$

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

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

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

$$a_n = \frac{4}{\pi^2 n^2} [1 - (-1)^n]$$

\therefore The Fourier series is

$$f(x) = 0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{\pi^2 n^2} [1 - (-1)^n] \cos nx$$

$$= \frac{4}{\pi^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} [1 - (-1)^n] \cos nx.$$

Find the Fourier series for

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} L+x & , -L < x < 0 \\ L-x & , 0 < x < L \end{cases}$$

$$\phi_1(x) = L+x$$

$$\phi_1(-x) = L-x = \phi_2(x)$$

$$\phi_2(x) = L-x$$

$$\phi_2(-x) = L+x = \phi_1(x)$$

$\therefore f(x)$ is even function.

\therefore The Fourier series is

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)$$

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

$$= \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L (L-x) dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{L} \left[Lx - \frac{x^2}{2} \right]_0^L = \frac{2}{L} \left[L^2 - \frac{L^2}{2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{2}{L} \left[\frac{L^2}{2} \right] = L$$

$$\boxed{a_0 = L}$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{L} \int_{-L}^L f(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx$$

$$= \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L (L-x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx$$

$$u = L - x$$

$$u' = -1$$

$$u'' = 0$$

$$v = \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)$$

$$v_1 = \frac{\sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)}{\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)}$$

$$v_2 = \frac{-\cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)}{\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2}$$

$$= \frac{2}{L} \left[(L-x) \frac{\sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)}{\frac{n\pi}{L}} - (-1) \left(\frac{-\cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)}{\frac{n^2\pi^2}{L^2}} \right) \right]_0^L$$

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

$$= \frac{2}{L} \cdot \frac{L^2}{\pi^2 n^2} [1 - \cos n\pi]$$

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

$$\therefore f(x) = \frac{L}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{2L}{n^2\pi^2} [1 - (-1)^n] \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)$$

$$= \frac{L}{2} + \frac{2L}{\pi^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (1 - (-1)^n) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)$$

1. Find the Fourier series to represent the

function $f(x) = |\sin x|$, $-\pi < x < \pi$

Here $\sin x$ is an odd function, But $|\sin x|$ is an even function.

\therefore The Fourier coefficient $b_n = 0$.

\therefore The Fourier series for $f(x) = |\sin x|$ becomes

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

To find a_0 :

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(x) dx \quad [\because f(x) \text{ is even}]$$

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

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} [-\cos x]_0^{\pi} = \frac{2}{\pi} [1+1] = \frac{4}{\pi}$$

To find a_n :

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

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} f(x) \cos nx dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} |\sin x| \cos nx dx$$

[\because in $(0, \pi)$, $|\sin x| = \sin x$]

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

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \frac{1}{2} [\sin(n+1)x - \sin(n-1)x] dx$$

$$[2 \cos A \sin B = \sin(A+B) - \sin(A-B)]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\frac{-\cos(n+1)x}{n+1} + \frac{\cos(n-1)x}{n-1} \right]_0^{\pi}$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\frac{-\cos n\pi \cos \pi}{n+1} + \frac{\cos n\pi \cos \pi}{n-1} + \frac{1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{n-1} \right]$$

$\cos(A+B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$

$$[\because \sin n\pi = 0]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\frac{\cos n\pi}{n+1} - \frac{\cos n\pi}{n-1} + \frac{1}{n+1} - \frac{1}{n-1} \right]$$

$$[\cos \pi = -1]$$

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

$$= \frac{1}{(n^2-1)\pi} [-2\cos n\pi - 2]$$

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

~~as per the question~~

$$\therefore a_n = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{when } n \text{ is odd} \\ \frac{-4}{\pi(n^2-1)} & \text{when } n \text{ is even, } n \neq 1 \end{cases}$$

When $n=1$,

$$a_1 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x \cos x \, dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \int_0^{\pi} \sin 2x \, dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{\pi} \left[-\frac{\cos 2x}{2} \right]_0^{\pi}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\pi} [-1+1] = 0.$$

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + a_1 \cos x + \sum_{n=2}^{\infty} a_n \cos nx$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} + \sum_{n=2,4,\dots}^{\infty} \frac{-4}{\pi(n^2-1)} \cos nx.$$

$$| \sin x | = \frac{2}{\pi} - \frac{4}{\pi} \left[\sum_{n=2,4}^{\infty} \frac{\cos nx}{n^2-1} \right]$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} - \frac{4}{\pi} \left[\frac{\cos 2x}{3} + \frac{\cos 4x}{15} + \frac{\cos 6x}{35} + \dots \right]$$