

We have, from (6.13.12),

$$f(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \cos kx \, dk \int_0^1 \cos kt \, dt = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \left( \frac{\sin k}{k} \right) \cos kx \, dk,$$

or,

$$1 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\infty \frac{\sin k}{k} \cos kx \, dk.$$

## 6.14 Exercises

1. Find the Fourier series of the following functions:

$$(a) f(x) = \begin{cases} x & -\pi < x < 0 \\ h & 0 < x < \pi, \end{cases} \quad h \text{ is a constant}$$

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

$$(c) f(x) = x + \sin x \quad -\pi < x < \pi,$$

$$(d) f(x) = 1 + x \quad -\pi < x < \pi,$$

$$(e) f(x) = e^x \quad -\pi < x < \pi,$$

$$(f) f(x) = 1 + x + x^2 \quad -\pi < x < \pi.$$

2. Determine the Fourier sine series of the following functions:

$$(a) f(x) = \pi - x \quad 0 < x < \pi,$$

$$(b) f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 < x < \pi/2 \\ 2 & \pi/2 < x < \pi, \end{cases}$$

$$(c) f(x) = x^2 \quad 0 < x < \pi,$$

$$(d) f(x) = \cos x \quad 0 < x < \pi,$$

$$(e) f(x) = x^3 \quad 0 < x < \pi,$$

$$(f) f(x) = e^x \quad 0 < x < \pi.$$

3. Obtain the Fourier cosine series representation for the following functions:

$$(a) f(x) = \pi + x \quad 0 < x < \pi,$$

$$(b) f(x) = x \quad 0 < x < \pi,$$

$$(c) f(x) = x^2 \quad 0 < x < \pi,$$

$$(d) f(x) = \sin 3x \quad 0 < x < \pi,$$

$$(e) f(x) = e^x \quad 0 < x < \pi,$$

$$(f) f(x) = \cosh x \quad 0 < x < \pi.$$

4. Expand the following functions in a Fourier series:

$$(a) f(x) = x^2 + x \quad -1 < x < 1,$$

$$(b) f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 < x < 3 \\ 0 & 3 < x < 6, \end{cases}$$

$$(c) f(x) = \sin(\pi x/l) \quad 0 < x < l,$$

$$(d) f(x) = x^3 \quad -2 < x < 2,$$

$$(e) f(x) = e^{-x} \quad 0 < x < 1,$$

$$(f) f(x) = \sinh x \quad -1 < x < 1.$$

5. Expand the following functions in a complex Fourier series:

$$(a) f(x) = e^{2x} \quad -\pi < x < \pi,$$

$$(b) f(x) = \cosh x \quad -\pi < x < \pi,$$

$$(c) f(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & -\pi < x < 0 \\ \cos x & 0 < x < \pi, \end{cases}$$

$$(d) f(x) = x \quad -1 < x < 1,$$

$$(e) f(x) = x^2 \quad -\pi < x < \pi,$$

$$(f) f(x) = \sinh(\pi x/2) \quad -2 < x < 2.$$

6. (a) Find the Fourier series expansion of the function

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & -\pi < x < 0 \\ x/2, & 0 < x < \pi. \end{cases}$$

- (b) With the use of the Fourier series of
- $f(x)$
- in 6(a), show that

$$\frac{\pi^2}{8} = 1 + \frac{1}{3^2} + \frac{1}{5^2} + \frac{1}{7^2} + \dots$$

7. (a) Determine the Fourier series of the function

$$f(x) = x^2, \quad -l < x < l.$$

- (b) With the use of the Fourier series of
- $f(x)$
- in 7(a), show that

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

8. Determine the Fourier series expansion of each of the following functions by performing the differentiation of the appropriate Fourier series:

(a)  $\sin^2 x \quad 0 < x < \pi,$

(b)  $\cos^2 x \quad 0 < x < \pi,$

(c)  $\sin x \cos x \quad 0 < x < \pi,$

(d)  $\cos x + \cos 2x \quad 0 < x < \pi,$

(e)  $\cos x + \cos 2x \quad 0 < x < \pi.$

9. Find the functions represented by the new series which are obtained by termwise integration of the following series from 0 to
- $x$
- :

(a)  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^{k+1}}{k} \sin kx = x/2 \quad -\pi < x < \pi,$

(b)  $\frac{3}{2} + \frac{1}{\pi} \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{1-(-1)^k}{k} \sin kx = \begin{cases} 1 & -\pi < x < 0 \\ 2 & 0 < x < \pi, \end{cases}$

(c)  $\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} (-1)^{k+1} \frac{\cos kx}{k} = \ln \left( 2 \cos \frac{x}{2} \right) \quad -\pi < x < \pi,$

$$(d) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(2k+1)x}{(2k+1)^3} = \frac{\pi^2 x - \pi x^2}{8} \quad 0 < x < 2\pi,$$

$$(e) \left(\frac{4}{\pi}\right) \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin(2k-1)x}{(2k-1)} = \begin{cases} -1 & -\pi < x < 0 \\ 1 & 0 < x < \pi. \end{cases}$$

10. Determine the double Fourier series of the following functions:

$$(a) f(x, y) = 1 \quad 0 < x < \pi \quad 0 < y < \pi,$$

$$(b) f(x, y) = xy^2 \quad 0 < x < \pi \quad 0 < y < \pi,$$

$$(c) f(x, y) = x^2 y^2 \quad 0 < x < \pi \quad 0 < y < \pi,$$

$$(d) f(x, y) = x^2 + y \quad -\pi < x < \pi \quad -\pi < y < \pi,$$

$$(e) f(x, y) = x \sin y \quad -\pi < x < \pi \quad -\pi < y < \pi,$$

$$(f) f(x, y) = e^{x+y} \quad -\pi < x < \pi \quad -\pi < y < \pi,$$

$$(g) f(x, y) = xy \quad 0 < x < 1 \quad 0 < y < 2,$$

$$(h) f(x, y) = 1 \quad 0 < x < a \quad 0 < y < b,$$

$$(i) f(x, y) = x \cos y \quad -1 < x < 1 \quad -2 < y < 2,$$

$$(j) f(x, y) = xy^2 \quad -\pi < x < \pi \quad -\pi < y < \pi,$$

$$(k) f(x, y) = x^2 y^2 \quad -\pi < x < \pi \quad -\pi < y < \pi.$$

11. Deduce the general double Fourier series expansion formula for the function  $f(x, y)$  in the rectangle  $-a < x < a$ ,  $-b < y < b$ .

12. Prove the *Weierstrass Approximation Theorem*: If  $f$  is a continuous function on the interval  $-\pi \leq x \leq \pi$  and if  $f(-\pi) = f(\pi)$ , then, for any  $\varepsilon > 0$ , there exists a trigonometric polynomial

$$T(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{k=1}^n (a_k \cos kx + b_k \sin kx)$$

such that

$$|f(x) - T(x)| < \varepsilon$$

for all  $x$  in  $[-\pi, \pi]$ .