

HOMEWORK #7s(12.3 ~12.4)

Due on May 3

1) Expand the given function in an appropriate cosine or sine series. (Problem 23, page 668)

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

**ANS** Since  $f(x)$  is an even function, we expand in a cosine series:

$$a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x dx = \frac{2}{\pi} (-\cos x) \Big|_0^{\pi} = \frac{4}{\pi}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_n &= \frac{2}{\pi/2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin x \cos nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi/2} \int_0^{\pi/2} [\sin(1+n)x + \sin(1-n)x] dx \\ &= \frac{2}{\pi(1-n^2)} [1 + (-1)^n] \quad \text{for } n = 2, 3, 4, \dots \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_n &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x \cos nx dx = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} [\sin(n+1)x - \sin(n-1)x] dx \\ &= -\frac{1}{\pi} \left[ \frac{\cos(n+1)x}{n+1} - \frac{\cos(n-1)x}{n-1} \right]_0^{\pi} \\ &= -\frac{1}{\pi} \left[ \frac{(-1)^{n+1} - 1}{n+1} - \frac{(-1)^{n-1} - 1}{n-1} \right] \\ &= -2 \frac{(-1)^n + 1}{\pi(n^2 - 1)} \end{aligned}$$

$$a_1 = \frac{1}{\pi/2} \int_0^{\pi/2} \sin 2x dx = 0$$

$$a_1 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin x \cos x dx = 0$$

Thus

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

2) Find the half-range cosine and sine expansion of the given function (Problem 31, page 668)

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

$$\boxed{\text{ANS}} \quad a_0 = \int_0^1 x dx + \int_1^2 1 dx = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$a_n = \int_0^1 x \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx + \int_1^2 1 \cdot \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx = \frac{4}{n^2 \pi^2} (\cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - 1)$$

$$b_n = \int_0^1 x \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx + \int_1^2 1 \cdot \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} x dx = \frac{4}{n^2 \pi^2} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{2}{n\pi} (-1)^{n+1}$$

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

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

3) Expand the given function in a Fourier series ( Problem 37, page 668)

$$f(x) = x + 1, \quad 0 < x < 1$$

$$\boxed{\text{ANS}} \quad a_0 = 2 \int_0^1 (x+1) dx = 3$$

$$a_n = 2 \int_0^1 (x+1) \cos 2n\pi x dx = 0$$

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

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

4) Proceed as in Example 4 to find a particular solution  $x_p(t)$  of equation (11) when

$m = 1$ ,  $k = 10$ , and the driving force  $f(t)$  is as given. Assume that when  $f(t)$  is extended to the negative  $t$ -axis in a periodic manner, the resulting function is odd.

( Problem 39, page 668)

$$f(t) = \begin{cases} 5, & 0 < t < \pi \\ -5, & \pi < t < 2\pi \end{cases}; \quad f(t + 2\pi) = f(t)$$

$\boxed{\text{ANS}}$  We have

$$b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} 5 \sin nt dt = \frac{10}{n\pi} [1 - (-1)^n]$$

so that

$$f(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{10[1 - (-1)^n]}{n\pi} \sin nt$$

Substituting the assumption  $x_p(t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n \sin nt$  into the differential equation then

$$\text{gives } x_p'' + 10x_p = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n (10 - n^2) \sin nt = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{10[1 - (-1)^n]}{n\pi} \sin nt$$

$$\text{and so } B_n = \frac{10[1 - (-1)^n]}{n\pi(10 - n^2)} \quad \text{Thus}$$

$$x_p(t) = \frac{10}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1 - (-1)^n}{n(10 - n^2)} \sin nt$$

5) Find the complex Fourier series of  $f$  on the given interval. (Problem 1, page 672)

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

**ANS** we make use of the following identities due to Euler's formula:

$$e^{in\pi} = e^{-in\pi} = (-1)^n, \quad e^{-2in\pi} = 1, \quad e^{-in\pi/2} = (-i)^n$$

Identifying  $p = 2$  we have

$$\begin{aligned} c_n &= \frac{1}{4} \int_{-2}^2 f(x) e^{-in\pi x/2} dx = \frac{1}{4} \left[ \int_{-2}^0 (-1) e^{-in\pi x/2} dx + \int_0^2 e^{-in\pi x/2} dx \right] \\ &= \frac{i}{2n\pi} [-1 + e^{in\pi} + e^{-in\pi} - 1] = \frac{i}{2n\pi} [-1 + (-1)^n + (-1)^n - 1] = \frac{1 - (-1)^n}{n\pi i} \end{aligned}$$

and

$$c_0 = \frac{1}{4} \int_{-2}^2 f(x) dx = 0$$

Thus

$$f(x) = \sum_{\substack{n=-\infty \\ n \neq 0}}^{\infty} \frac{1 - (-1)^n}{in\pi} e^{in\pi x/2}$$