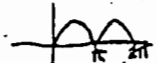


FOURIER SERIES

7A-1

a) For  $\sin kt$ ,  $\cos kt$  the frequency is  $k$ ,  
and  $(\text{frequency})(\text{period}) = 2\pi$ .  
 $\therefore \frac{\pi}{3} \cdot P = 2\pi, P = 6$

b)  Period is  $\pi$ :  $|\sin(t+\pi)| = |-\sin t| = |\sin t|$

c)  $\cos 3t$  has period  $= \frac{2\pi}{3}$  (see problem 4)  
 $\cos^2 3t$  has period  $\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{2\pi}{3}$  (as in prob. 9):  
 $(\cos 3(t+\frac{\pi}{3}))^2 = (\cos(3t+\pi))^2 = (-\cos(3t))^2 = (\cos(3t))^2$

7A-2 a)



$$a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \cos nt \, dt = \frac{\sin nt}{n\pi} \Big|_0^{\pi} = 0$$

$$(a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} dt = 1)$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \sin nt \, dt = -\frac{\cos nt}{n\pi} \Big|_0^{\pi} = \frac{-(-1)^n - (-1)}{n\pi}$$

$$= \frac{1 - (-1)^n}{n\pi} = \begin{cases} 0, & n \text{ even} \\ \frac{2}{n\pi}, & n \text{ odd} \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore f(t) \sim \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{\pi} \left( \sin t + \frac{\sin 3t}{3} + \frac{\sin 5t}{5} + \dots \right)$$

7A-2 b)



$$a_0 = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |t| \, dt = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} t \, dt = \frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{\pi^2}{2}$$

$$= \pi$$

$$a_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |t| \cos nt \, dt = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} t \cos nt \, dt$$

even function

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[ t \frac{\sin nt}{n} - \int \frac{\sin nt}{n} \, dt \right]_0^{\pi}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\pi} \left( 0 + \left[ \frac{\cos nt}{n^2} \right]_0^{\pi} \right) = \frac{2}{\pi} \left[ \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n^2} \right]$$

$$= \begin{cases} 0, & n \text{ even} \\ -\frac{4}{\pi n^2}, & n \text{ odd} \end{cases}$$

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} |t| \sin nt \, dt = 0$$

odd function

$$f(t) \sim \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{4}{\pi} \left( \cos t + \frac{\cos 3t}{3^2} + \frac{\cos 5t}{5^2} + \dots \right)$$

7A-3

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \cos mt \cos nt \, dt = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\cos(m+n)t + \cos(m-n)t) \, dt$$

$$\begin{cases} = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{\sin(m+n)t}{m+n} + \frac{\sin(m-n)t}{m-n} \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} = 0 & \text{if } m \neq n \\ = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{\sin 2mt}{2m} + t \right]_{-\pi}^{\pi} = \frac{\pi - (-\pi)}{2} = \pi, & \text{if } m = n \end{cases}$$

7A-4

$$\int_P^{a+P} f(t) \, dt = \int_0^a f(u+P) \, du = \int_0^a f(u) \, du$$

$u = t - P$   
 $\text{so } t = u + P$       (since  $f(u+P) = f(u)$ )

Then: (b)

$$\begin{aligned} \int_a^{a+P} f(t) \, dt &= \int_a^P f(t) \, dt + \int_P^{a+P} f(t) \, dt \\ &= \int_a^P f(t) \, dt + \int_0^a f(t) \, dt \quad \text{by the first part} \\ &= \int_0^P f(t) \, dt \end{aligned}$$

7B-1. a)  $a_0 = 2 \int_0^1 (1-t) dt = 2t - t^2 \Big|_0^1 = 1$

$a_n = 2 \int_0^1 (1-t) \cos n\pi t dt$  Integ. by parts:  
 $= 2 \left[ (1-t) \frac{\sin n\pi t}{n\pi} - \int (-1) \frac{\sin n\pi t}{n\pi} dt \right]_0^1$   
 $= 2 \left[ (1-t) \frac{\sin n\pi t}{n\pi} + \frac{\cos n\pi t}{(n\pi)^2} \right]_0^1$   
 $= \frac{-2}{n^2 \pi^2} [(-1)^n - 1] = \begin{cases} 0, & n \text{ even} \\ \frac{4}{n^2 \pi^2}, & n \text{ odd} \end{cases}$

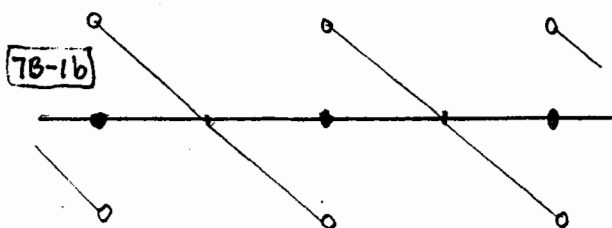
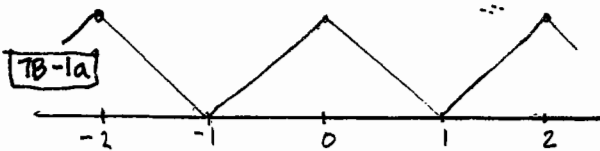
$f(t) \sim \frac{1}{2} + \frac{4}{\pi^2} \left( \frac{\cos \pi t}{3^2} + \frac{\cos 3\pi t}{5^2} + \frac{\cos 5\pi t}{7^2} + \dots \right)$   
 Fourier cosine series (picture below)

b)  $b_n = 2 \int_0^1 (1-t) \sin n\pi t dt$  Integ. by parts:  
 $= 2 \left[ (1-t) \left( -\frac{\cos n\pi t}{n\pi} \right) - \int (-1) \left( -\frac{\cos n\pi t}{n\pi} \right) dt \right]_0^1$   
 (this part is 0)  
 $= 2 \left[ 0 + \frac{1}{n\pi} \right]$

$\therefore f(t) \sim \frac{2}{\pi} \left[ \sin \pi t + \frac{\sin 2\pi t}{2} + \frac{\sin 3\pi t}{3} + \dots \right]$   
 Fourier sine series (picture below)

7B-3 a)  $\int_{-a}^0 f(t) dt = \int_a^0 f(-u) (-du) = \int_0^a f(u) du$   
 f even (if  $t = -u$ ) ( $f(-u) = f(u)$ )

b)  $\int_{-a}^0 f(t) dt = \int_a^0 -f(u) (-du) = -\int_0^a f(u) du$   
 f odd ( $t = -u$ ,  $f(-u) = -f(u)$ )



7B-2a  $X'' + 2X = 1$ ,  $x(0) = x(\pi) = 0$

1) First expand 1 in a Fourier sine series. This means the periodic extension looks like We can then get a f. sine series for  $x(t)$ , + it will fit the bdy. conditions.  
 $a_n(2)$ , 8.1,

$f(t) = \frac{4}{\pi} (\sin t + \frac{1}{3} \sin 3t + \dots)$  (\*)

2) Look for a series  $x(t) = \sum b_n \sin nt$  (this satisfies  $x(0) = x(\pi) = 0$ ).

$x'' = \sum -b_n \cdot n^2 \sin nt$   
 $+ 2x = \sum 2b_n \sin nt$  Adding  
 $f(x) = \sum b_n (2 - n^2) \sin nt$   
 $= \frac{4}{\pi} (\sin t + \frac{1}{3} \sin 3t + \dots)$

$\therefore b_n = 0$ ,  $n$  even

$b_n = \frac{4}{\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{2-n^2} \cdot \frac{1}{n}$ , if  $n$  is odd

$= \frac{-4}{n(n^2-2)\pi}$ ,  $n$  odd.

$\therefore x(t) = \frac{-4}{\pi} \sum_{n \text{ odd}} \frac{\sin nt}{n(n^2-2)}$ ,  $0 \leq t \leq \pi$

7B-2b  $x'' + 2x = t$ ,  $x'(0) = x'(\pi) = 0$

a) Expand  $t$  in a Fourier cosine series; (we will then get a F. cosine series for  $x(t)$ , + it will satisfy the 2 endpoint conditions).

Get  $a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi t \cos nt dt$  Integ. by parts

$= \frac{2}{\pi} \left[ t \frac{\sin nt}{n} + \frac{\cos nt}{n^2} \right]_0^\pi = \frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{n^2}$

$a_n = \begin{cases} = \frac{-4}{n^2 \pi} & \text{if } n \text{ odd} \\ = 0 & \text{if } n \text{ even.} \end{cases}$   $a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi t dt = \frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \frac{\pi^2}{2} = \pi$

$\therefore t \sim \frac{\pi}{2} - \frac{4}{\pi} \left( \cos t + \frac{\cos 3t}{3^2} + \frac{\cos 5t}{5^2} + \dots \right)$

b)  $x = \frac{A_0}{2} + \sum A_n \cos nt$  (x 2)

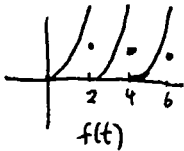
$x'' = -\sum n^2 A_n \cos nt$  Adding,

$t = \frac{A_0}{2} + \sum A_n (2 - n^2) \cos nt$

$\therefore A_0 = \frac{\pi}{2}$ ,  $A_n = 0$  if  $n$  even  $A_n = -4$   
 $A_n = \frac{-4}{\pi} \cdot \frac{1}{n^2(2-n^2)}$  if  $n$  odd

7B-4

$$f(t) = \frac{4}{3} + \frac{4}{\pi^2} \sum_1^{\infty} \frac{\cos n\pi t}{n^2} - \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_1^{\infty} \frac{\sin n\pi t}{n}$$



$$f(t) \stackrel{?}{=} -\frac{4}{\pi^2} \sum_1^{\infty} \frac{\sin n\pi t}{n} - \frac{4}{\pi} \sum_1^{\infty} \cos n\pi t$$

This series doesn't converge (the worse terms don't add up - for example, when  $t=0$ ). So it certainly can't converge to  $f(t)$

7C-1

Preliminary remarks

$$mX'' + kx = F(t)$$

The natural frequency of the spring-mass system

$$\omega_0 = \sqrt{k/m}$$

The typical term of the Fourier expansion of  $F(t)$  is  $\cos \frac{n\pi}{L}t$ ,  $\sin \frac{n\pi}{L}t$ ; thus we get pure resonance if and only if the Fourier series has a  $\cos \frac{n\pi}{L}t$  or  $\sin \frac{n\pi}{L}t$  term where  $\frac{n\pi}{L} = \omega_0$

a)  $\omega_0 = \sqrt{5}$  for spring-mass system  
 $L = 1$

Fourier series is  $\sum b_n \sin n\pi t$   
 $n\pi \neq \sqrt{5} \quad \therefore$  no resonance

b)  $\omega_0 = 2\pi \quad L=1$

Fourier series is  $\sum b_n \sin n\pi t$ , and  $n\pi = 2\pi$  if  $n=2$

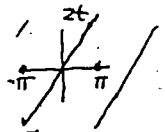
Example 1, 8.4 shows that this term actually occurs in the Fourier series for  $2t$  (just change scale).  $\therefore$  get resonance.

c)  $\omega_0 = 3$  Fourier series is a sine series ( $F(t)$  is odd):

$F(t) = \sum b_n \sin nt$  all odd  $n$  occur (see Problem 8.3/11, or ex. 1, 8.1)  
 $\therefore n=3$  occurs,  $\therefore$  we get resonance.

7C-2

Fourier series for  $f(t)$



will be same (up to factor 2) as the Fourier sine series in Example 1, 8.3 ( $L=\pi$ )

$$f(t) = 4(\sin t - \frac{1}{2} \sin 2t + \frac{1}{3} \sin 3t - \dots)$$

$$x' = \sum B_n \sin nt \quad \times 3$$

$$x'' = \sum -B_n \cdot n^2 \sin nt \quad \text{Adding:}$$

$$f(t) = \sum B_n (3 - n^2) \sin nt$$

$$\therefore B_n = (-1)^{n+1} \cdot \frac{4}{n} \cdot \frac{1}{(3-n^2)} = \frac{(-1)^n \cdot 4}{n(n^2-3)}$$

7C-3a

The natural frequency of the undamped spring

$$\omega_0 = \sqrt{18/2} = 3$$

This frequency occurs in the Fourier series for  $F(t)$  (see problem 3). Thus the  $n=3$  term should dominate. (The actual series is

$$x_{sp}(t) \approx .25 \sin(t - .0065) - .20 \sin(2t - .02) + 4.44 \sin(3t - 1.5708) - .07 \sin(4t - 3.1130) \dots$$

(steadily periodic)  $\uparrow$   
soln - no transients

7C-3b

The natural frequency of the undamped spring is  $\sqrt{30/3} = \sqrt{10}$

Expanding the force in a Fourier series, since  $L=1$  (half-period),  $\therefore F(t)$  is odd, it will be  $F(t) = \sum b_n \sin n\pi t$

It's virtually certain all terms will occur (since  $F(t)$  looks so messy). - (check soln to 8.4/5 in back of book)

$\therefore$  since  $\sqrt{10} \approx \pi$ ,  $b_1 \sin \pi t$  should be the dominant term in the series (this checks with answer given in back of book)

[Note: Edwards + Penney 4th edn:

8.4 (16), p. 590 has a sign error in denominators - cf. (13), which is correct.]