

Chapter 19

Fourier Series

19.1 General Properties

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

Coefficients:

$$\int_0^{2\pi} f(x) \cos(ix) dx = a_i \int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2(ix) dx$$

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

$$b_n = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} f(x) \sin nx dx$$

For $i=0$,

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

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

Conditions: (Dirichlet condition)

1. Finite discontinuities
2. Finite number of extreme values

\Rightarrow Piecewise regular

Exponential form:

$$\begin{aligned} f(x) &= \frac{1}{2} \cdot e^{ix} \cdot a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2} a_n (e^{inx} + e^{-inx}) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{2i} b_n (e^{inx} - e^{-inx}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} e^{ix} \cdot a_0 + \frac{1}{2} \sum (a_n - ib_n) e^{inx} + \frac{1}{2} \sum (a_n + ib_n) e^{-inx} \\ &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{+\infty} c_n e^{inx} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$c_n = \frac{1}{2} (a_n - i b_n) \quad c_{-n} = \frac{1}{2} (a_n + i b_n) \quad , \quad n > 0$$

$$c_0 = \frac{1}{2} a_0$$

Sturm-Liouville Theory

$$\mathcal{L} \psi(x) = \lambda \psi(x)$$

$$\mathcal{L}(x) = p_0(x) \frac{d^2}{dx^2} + p_1(x) \frac{d}{dx} + p_2(x)$$

If \mathcal{L} is self-adjoint, then

$$p_0'(x) = p_1(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathcal{L} = \frac{d}{dx} \left[p_0(x) \frac{d}{dx} \right] + p_2(x)$$

$$\mathcal{L}u = (p_0 u')' + p_2 u$$

Consider

$$\begin{aligned} \int_a^b v^* \mathcal{L}u dx &= \int_a^b v^* (p_0 u')' dx + \int_a^b v^* p_2 u dx \\ &= v^* p_0 u' \Big|_a^b + \int_a^b \left[-(v^*)' p_0 u' + v^* p_2 u \right] dx \\ &= \left[v^* p_0 u' - (v^*)' p_0 u \right]_a^b + \int_a^b \left[[p_0(v^*)']' u + v^* p_2 u \right] dx \\ &= \left[v^* p_0 u' - (v^*)' p_0 u \right]_a^b + \int_a^b (\mathcal{L}v)^* u dx \end{aligned}$$

If u, v are both eigenfunctions of \mathcal{L} , then

$$(\lambda_u - \lambda_v) \int_a^b v^* u dx = \left[p_0 (v^* u' - (u^*)' v) \right]_a^b$$

So, if $\lambda_u \neq \lambda_v$ and the boundary term vanishes,

$$\int_a^b v^* u dx = 0 \quad \text{orthogonal}.$$

For our case.

$$-y''(x) = \lambda \cdot y(x).$$

$$y(0) = y(2\pi)$$

$$y'(0) = y'(2\pi)$$

eigenfunctions

$$\textcircled{1} \cos nx, \sin nx$$

$$\textcircled{2} e^{inx}$$

$$\langle \sin nx | \sin nx \rangle = \langle \cos nx | \cos nx \rangle = \pi$$

$$\langle e^{inx} | e^{inx} \rangle = 2\pi$$

$$\text{So, } \varphi_n = \frac{\cos nx}{\sqrt{\pi}} \quad \varphi_{-n} = \frac{\sin nx}{\sqrt{\pi}} \quad \varphi_0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$$

$$\text{or } \varphi_n = \frac{e^{inx}}{\sqrt{2\pi}}$$

Discontinuous Functions.

Consider Fourier series for $|n| \leq r$

$$f_r(x) = \sum_{n=-r}^r c_n e^{inx}, \quad c_n = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) e^{-int} dt$$

So,

$$f_r(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) \sum_{n=-r}^r e^{i(x-t)n} dt$$

Since

$$\sum_{n=-r}^r y^n = \frac{y^{-r} - y^{r+1}}{1-y} = \frac{y^{r+\frac{1}{2}} - y^{-(r+\frac{1}{2})}}{y^{\frac{1}{2}} - y^{-\frac{1}{2}}}$$

So,

$$f_r(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) \cdot \frac{\sin[(r+\frac{1}{2})(x-t)]}{\sin[\frac{1}{2}(x-t)]} dt$$

$$D_r(u) := \frac{\sin[(r+\frac{1}{2})u]}{\sin \frac{1}{2}u} \quad \text{Dirichlet kernel}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow f_r(x) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(t) D_r(x-t) dt \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x-t) D_r(t) dt \end{aligned}$$

and $D_r(u)$ is even, so

$$f_r(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{\pi} (f(x-t) + f(x+t)) D_r(t) dt$$

Riemann Lemma:

If $f: (w_1, w_2) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ is absolutely integrable on (w_1, w_2) , then

$$\lambda \rightarrow \infty, \lambda \in \mathbb{R} \Rightarrow \int_{w_1}^{w_2} f(x) e^{i\lambda x} dx \rightarrow 0$$

So.

$$f_r(x) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^r (f(x-t) + f(x+t)) \xrightarrow{\frac{\sin(r+\frac{1}{2})t}{\sin \frac{1}{2}t}} dt + o(1), \quad r \rightarrow \infty$$

Dini Condition.

$$f: \overset{\circ}{U}(x) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$$

If $f(x_-) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0^+} f(x-t)$ and $f(x_+) = \lim_{t \rightarrow 0^+} f(x+t)$ exist.

Then

$$\int_0^r \frac{(f(x-t) - f(x_-)) + (f(x+t) - f(x_+))}{t} dt = \sigma(x)$$

For our case.

$$\begin{aligned} f_r(x) &\sim \frac{f(x_-) + f(x_+)}{2} \\ &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \frac{(f(x-t) - f(x_-)) + (f(x+t) - f(x_+))}{2 \sin \frac{1}{2}t} \cdot \sin(r + \frac{1}{2}t) dt \end{aligned}$$

Since $2 \sin \frac{1}{2}t \sim t$. By the above, equates 0

So $\lim_{r \rightarrow \infty} f_r(x) = \frac{f(x_-) + f(x_+)}{2}$

Square Wave.

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

$f(x)$ is odd.

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f(x) \cdot \sin(nx) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot 2 \cdot \int_0^{\pi} \frac{h}{2} \cdot \sin(nx) d(nx) \cdot \frac{1}{n} \\ &= \frac{h}{n\sqrt{\pi}} (-\cos nx) \Big|_0^{\pi} \\ &= \begin{cases} \frac{2h}{n\sqrt{\pi}} & , n \text{ is odd} \\ 0 & , n \text{ is even} \end{cases} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{So, } f(x) = \frac{2h}{\pi} \left(\frac{\sin x}{1} + \frac{\sin 3x}{3} + \frac{\sin 5x}{5} + \dots \right)$$

$$f_r(x) = \frac{h}{4\pi} \left[\int_0^{\pi} \frac{\sin[(r+\frac{1}{2})(x-t)]}{\sin \frac{1}{2}(x-t)} dt - \int_{-\pi}^0 \frac{\sin[(r+\frac{1}{2})(x-t)]}{\sin \frac{1}{2}(x-t)} dt \right]$$

$$= \frac{h}{4\pi} \left[\int_{-\pi+x}^x \frac{\sin(r+\frac{1}{2})s}{\sin \frac{1}{2}s} ds - \int_{-\pi-x}^{-x} \frac{\sin(r+\frac{1}{2})s}{\sin \frac{1}{2}s} ds \right]$$

$$\bar{\Phi}(t) := \int_0^t \frac{\sin(r+\frac{1}{2})s}{\sin \frac{1}{2}s} ds$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{So, } f_r(x) &= \frac{h}{4\pi} \left[\bar{\Phi}(x) - \bar{\Phi}(-\pi+x) - \bar{\Phi}(-x) + \bar{\Phi}(-\pi-x) \right] \\ &= \frac{h}{4\pi} \left[(\bar{\Phi}(x) - \bar{\Phi}(-x)) - (\bar{\Phi}(-\pi+x) - \bar{\Phi}(-\pi-x)) \right] \end{aligned}$$

So,

$$f_r(x) = \frac{h}{4\pi} \int_{-\pi}^x \frac{\sin(r + \frac{1}{2})s}{\sin \frac{1}{2}s} ds - \frac{h}{4\pi} \int_{-\pi-x}^{-\pi+x} \frac{\sin(r + \frac{1}{2})s}{\sin \frac{1}{2}s} ds$$

$r \rightarrow +\infty, x \rightarrow 0$

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$$f_r(x) = \frac{h}{4\pi} \int_{-x}^x \frac{\sin(r + \frac{1}{2})s}{\sin \frac{1}{2}s} ds$$

$$r + \frac{1}{2} \rightarrow p \quad ps \rightarrow \xi$$

$$f_r(x) = \frac{h}{2\pi} \int_0^{px} \frac{\sin \xi}{\sin(\xi/2p)} \frac{d\xi}{p}$$

Calculation of Overshoot

$$f_r(0) = 0$$

$p \times \rightarrow \pi, f_r(x)$ reaches maximum

$$\begin{aligned} f_r(x_{\max}) &= \frac{h}{2\pi} \int_0^\pi \frac{\sin \xi d\xi}{p \cdot \sin(\xi/2p)} \approx \frac{h}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \frac{\sin \xi}{\xi} d\xi \\ &= \frac{h}{2} \cdot \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \frac{\sin \xi}{\xi} d\xi \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \int_0^\pi \frac{\sin \xi}{\xi} d\xi &= \int_0^{\pi} \frac{\sin \xi}{\xi} d\xi - \int_{\pi}^{+\infty} \frac{\sin \xi}{\xi} d\xi \\ &= \frac{\pi}{2} - \left(\int_{\pi}^{3\pi} + \int_{3\pi}^{5\pi} + \int_{5\pi}^{7\pi} + \dots \right) \frac{\sin \xi}{\xi} d\xi > \frac{\pi}{2} \end{aligned}$$

So $f_r(x_{\max}) > \frac{\pi}{2}, f_r(x_{\max}) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \frac{\sin \xi}{\xi} d\xi \cdot f(x_{\max})$

$$\frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi \frac{\sin \xi}{\xi} d\xi = 1.1789797\dots$$