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Quiz 2

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Important: Do only TWO questions.

Question I [5 points]. Find all values of the parameters α and β , if any, for which the functions $f(x) = \alpha x + \beta$ and $g(x) = e^x$ are orthogonal over $[0, 1]$.

Question II [5 points]. Assume that f is a continuous piecewise function of period 2π on $[-\pi, \pi]$. Let

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

then prove the following Parseval's identity

$$\frac{1}{2}a_0^2 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n^2 + b_n^2) = \frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f^2(x) dx.$$

Question III [5 points]. If the Fourier series of

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 0 & , \quad -\pi < x < 0 \\ \sin x & , \quad 0 \leq x < \pi \end{cases}$$

is given by

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

Show that

$$\frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{1 \cdot 3} - \frac{1}{3 \cdot 5} + \frac{1}{5 \cdot 7} - \frac{1}{7 \cdot 9} + \dots = \frac{\pi}{4}.$$

Good Luck

Question I. $\int_0^1 f(x)g(x)dx = 0 \Rightarrow \int_0^1 (\alpha x + \beta)e^x dx = 0$

$$\Rightarrow [(\alpha x + \beta)e^x - \alpha e^x] \Big|_0^1 = 0$$

$\alpha x + \beta$	e^x
α	e^x
0	e^x

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$$\Rightarrow [(\alpha + \beta)e - \alpha e] - [\beta - \alpha] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow (e-1)\beta + \alpha = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \boxed{\alpha = (1-e)\beta}$$

Question II. multiply both sides of $\textcircled{*}$ by $f(x)$,

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

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

$$= \frac{a_0}{2} \cdot \pi a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n \cdot \pi a_n + b_n \cdot \pi b_n)$$

or $\frac{1}{\pi} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} f^2(x) dx = \frac{1}{2} a_0^2 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (a_n^2 + b_n^2)$

Question III. put $x = \pi/2$,

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

$$\Rightarrow \sin \frac{\pi}{2} = \frac{1}{\pi} + \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{\pi} \left[\frac{2}{-3} (-1) + 0 + \frac{2}{1-16} (1) + 0 \right. \\ \left. + \frac{2}{1-36} (-1) + 0 + \frac{2}{1-64} (1) + \dots \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} = \frac{1}{\pi} + \frac{2}{\pi} \left[\frac{1}{1 \cdot 3} - \frac{1}{3 \cdot 5} + \frac{1}{5 \cdot 7} - \frac{1}{7 \cdot 9} + \dots \right]$$

Multiply by $\pi/2$,

$$\frac{\pi}{4} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{1 \cdot 3} - \frac{1}{3 \cdot 5} + \frac{1}{5 \cdot 7} - \frac{1}{7 \cdot 9} + \dots$$

Good Luck.