

Find the Fourier series of the given function $f(x)$, which is assumed to have the period 2π .

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} x + \pi, & \text{if } -\pi < x < 0 \\ -x + \pi, & \text{if } 0 < x < \pi \end{cases}. [103\text{中山材光6}]$$

[解] $f(x)$ 為偶函數，其Fourier級數為

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

$$a_0 = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi (-x + \pi) dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \left(-\frac{x^2}{2} + \pi x \right) \Big|_0^\pi = \frac{2}{\pi} \cdot \left(-\frac{\pi^2}{2} + \pi^2 \right) = \pi$$

$$\begin{aligned} a_n &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\pi (-x + \pi) \cos nx dx = \frac{2}{\pi} \left(\frac{1}{n} \right) \left((-x + \pi) \sin nx \Big|_0^\pi + \int_0^\pi \sin nx dx \right) \\ &= \frac{2}{n\pi} \left(0 - \frac{\cos nx}{n} \Big|_0^\pi \right) = -\frac{2}{n^2\pi} (\cos n\pi - 1) = -\frac{2}{n^2\pi} [(-1)^n - 1] = \frac{4}{(2n-1)^2\pi} \end{aligned}$$

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

