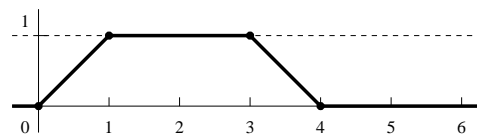
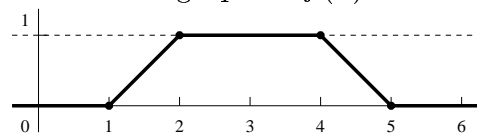
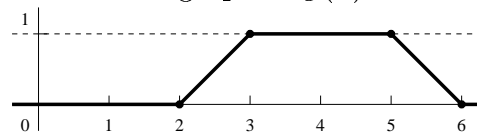


- (12) 1. Complete the definitions.
- a) Suppose  $v_1, v_2, \dots$  and  $v_t$  are vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ . Then  $v_1, v_2, \dots$  and  $v_t$  are *linearly independent* if
- b) Suppose  $A$  is an  $n$  by  $n$  matrix.  $\lambda$  is an *eigenvalue* of  $A$  if

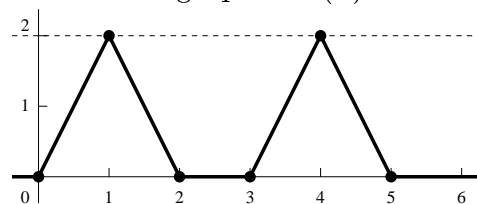
(22) 2. Suppose that  $A = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$ . **Note**  $A$  is *not* symmetric!

- a) Compute the characteristic polynomial of  $A$ .
- b) Find the eigenvalues of  $A$ .
- c) Find a basis of  $\mathbb{R}^3$  consisting of eigenvectors of  $A$ .
- d) Find a diagonal matrix  $D$  and an invertible matrix  $P$  so that  $P^{-1}AP = D$ .
- e) Find  $P^{-1}$ .
- f) Compute  $Z = AP$ .
- g) Compute  $P^{-1}Z$  using the results of d) and e).
- h) Write  $A$  as a product of  $D$  and  $P$  and  $P^{-1}$  (in the correct order!) and use this information to compute  $A^6$ . **Note** The entries in the answer are 0, 1, 31, or 32.

- (16) 3. In this problem the functions  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  and  $h(x)$  are piecewise linear functions. Parts of their graphs are shown to the right. The domains of these functions are all real numbers (all of  $\mathbb{R}$ ). The functions are 0 where the graphs are not shown.

The graph of  $f(x)$ The graph of  $g(x)$ The graph of  $h(x)$ 

- a) Prove that the functions  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  and  $h(x)$  are linearly independent.
- b) The function  $Q(x)$  is piecewise linear and part of its graph is shown to the right. The domain of  $Q(x)$  is all real numbers (all of  $\mathbb{R}$ ) and the function  $Q(x)$  is 0 where the graph is not shown. Can  $Q(x)$  be written as a linear combination of  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  and  $h(x)$ ?

The graph of  $Q(x)$ 

- (12) 4. Suppose  $M$  is the matrix  $\begin{pmatrix} a+b & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ b & -1 & 0 & 1 \\ c & 2 & -1 & 0 \\ b-c & 1 & -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$ . Prove that  $M$  is not invertible exactly

when the vector  $(a, b, c)$  in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  is perpendicular to the vector  $(1, 1, -2)$  in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ .

- (18) 5. In this problem,  $f(x) = x + 1$ . a) Compute  $\int f(x) \sin(nx) dx$ .

**Comment** Yes, this is an indefinite integral. Yes, you should integrate by parts. Yes, you can *guess* the answer, but then you must verify the answer by differentiation.

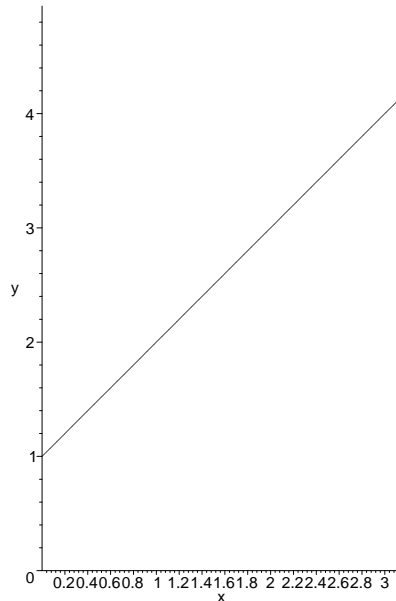
b) Compute  $b_n = \int_0^\pi f(x) \sin(nx) dx$  as explicitly as you can when  $n$  is a positive integer.

c) Give exact values for  $b_1$  and  $b_2$  and  $b_3$  and  $b_4$ .

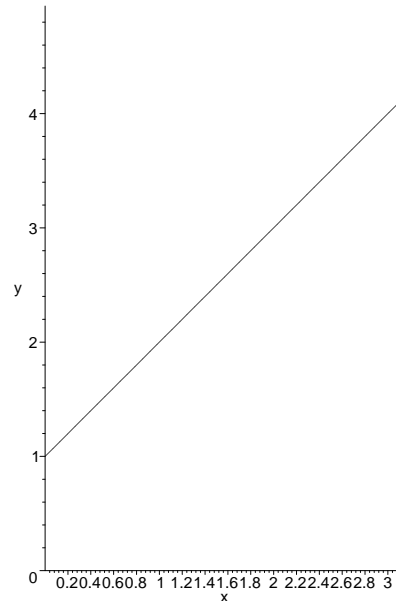
d) Suppose  $g(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{100} b_n \sin(nx)$  and  $h(x) = \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin(nx)$ . Below are two graphs of  $f(x) = x + 1$  for  $x$  in  $[0, \pi]$ .

Sketch a reasonable approximation to  $g(x)$  on the left graph.

Sketch a reasonable approximation to  $h(x)$  on the right graph.



Graph of  $g(x)$ , the 100<sup>th</sup> partial sum of the Fourier sine series on  $[0, \pi]$



Graph of  $h(x)$ , the sum of the whole Fourier sine series on  $[0, \pi]$

- (12) 6. Suppose  $f(x) = 3 \sin(2x) - 5 \cos(3x) + 2 \cos(4x)$ . Which of these integrals is larger:

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (f(x))^2 dx \text{ or } \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (f'(x))^2 dx?$$

*The following problem statement as presented on the exam was not well-written. Better alternatives are written below.*

- (8) 7. Suppose  $f(x) = x + x^4$  for  $x$  in  $[0, \pi]$ .

a) If  $F(x)$  is the odd extension of  $f(x)$  to  $[-\pi, \pi]$ , write a formula or formulas for  $F(x)$ . Be sure you specify  $F(x)$  for all  $x$ 's in  $[-\pi, \pi]$ . Which terms *must* be 0 in the Fourier series of  $F(x)$ ?

**Alternative statement** Suppose  $F(x)$  is the odd extension of  $f(x)$  to  $[-\pi, \pi]$ . Write a polynomial formula for  $F(x)$  when  $x < 0$ . Which Fourier coefficients of  $F(x)$  must be 0?

b) If  $G(x)$  is the even extension of  $f(x)$  to  $[-\pi, \pi]$ , write a formula or formulas for  $G(x)$ . Be sure you specify  $G(x)$  for all  $x$ 's in  $[-\pi, \pi]$ . Which terms *must* be 0 in the Fourier series of  $G(x)$ ?

**Alternative statement** Suppose  $G(x)$  is the even extension of  $f(x)$  to  $[-\pi, \pi]$ . Write a polynomial formula for  $G(x)$  when  $x < 0$ . Which Fourier coefficients of  $G(x)$  must be 0?

## Second Exam for Math 421, section 3

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**Do all problems, in any order.**

**Show your work. An answer alone may not receive full credit.**

**No notes other than the distributed formula sheet may be used on this exam.**

**No calculators may be used on this exam.**

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