

Trigonometric identities needed in examples 7.01.1 & 7.02.1
(pages 7.04 and 7.05 of the lecture notes)

From page 7.04 of the lecture notes:

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin mx \sin nx \, dx = ?$$

Recall that $\cos(A+B) = \cos A \cos B - \sin A \sin B$ **(A)**

and $\cos(A-B) = \cos A \cos B + \sin A \sin B$ **(B)**

(B) - (A) $\Rightarrow \cos(A-B) - \cos(A+B) = 0 + 2 \sin A \sin B$

$$\Rightarrow \sin A \sin B = \frac{\cos(A-B) - \cos(A+B)}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \sin mx \sin nx \, dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} (\cos(m-n)x - \cos(m+n)x) \, dx$$

which is now integrated easily, as is

$$\int_{-L}^L \sin\left(\frac{m\pi x}{L}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-L}^L \left(\cos\frac{(m-n)\pi x}{L} - \cos\frac{(m+n)\pi x}{L} \right) dx$$

on page 7.05.

(B) + (A) $\Rightarrow \cos(A-B) + \cos(A+B) = 2 \cos A \cos B + 0$

$$\Rightarrow \cos A \cos B = \frac{\cos(A-B) + \cos(A+B)}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-L}^L \cos\left(\frac{m\pi x}{L}\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-L}^L \left(\cos\frac{(m+n)\pi x}{L} + \cos\frac{(m-n)\pi x}{L} \right) dx$$

$$\sin(A+B) = \sin A \cos B + \cos A \sin B \quad \textbf{(C)}$$

$$\sin(A-B) = \sin A \cos B - \cos A \sin B \quad \textbf{(D)}$$

(C) + (D) $\Rightarrow \sin(A+B) + \sin(A-B) = 2 \sin A \cos B + 0$

$$\Rightarrow \sin A \cos B = \frac{\sin(A+B) + \sin(A-B)}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{-L}^L \sin\left(\frac{m\pi x}{L}\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-L}^L \left(\sin\frac{(m+n)\pi x}{L} + \sin\frac{(m-n)\pi x}{L} \right) dx$$