

3) Bessel's Function

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The Bessel's Differential eq. (Bessel's eq.) is:-

$$x^2 \frac{d^2 y}{dx^2} + x \frac{dy}{dx} + (x^2 - n^2)y = 0 \text{ --- (1)}$$

When n is real constant. The solutions of this equations are called the Bessel's functions of order n . In general the solution of eq. (1) is written as:-

$$y(x) = A J_n(x) + B J_{-n}(x) \text{ --- (2)}$$

as we can see from eq. (2) there are two solution to eq. (1) which defines the Bessel's function of the first kind and order n . Where the first solution is:-

$$J_n(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{n+2r}}{r! \Gamma(n+r+1)} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{or} \\ = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{n+2r}}{r! (n+r)!} \end{array} \right\} \text{ --- (3)}$$

with n is a positive integral.

The second solution is

$$J_{-n}(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{-n+2r}}{r! \Gamma(-n+r+1)} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{or} \\ = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{-n+2r}}{r! (-n+r)!} \end{array} \right\} \text{ --- (4)}$$

where n is a negative integral.

example :- show that

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$$J_{-n}(x) = (-1)^n J_n(x)$$

We have

$$J_{-n}(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{-n+2r}}{r! \Gamma(-n+r+1)}$$

or

$$= \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{-n+2r}}{r! (-n+r)!}$$

It is very clear that the first term of this series is zero, since the Γ function or factorial function of negative integral is infinity ∞ . It follows that the series of this equation effectively begins with term when $r=n$, therefore the above equation can be written as

$$J_{-n}(x) = \sum_{r=n}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{-n+2r}}{r! (-n+r)!}$$

Let the variable of summation be changed from (r) to (p) by putting

$$r = n + p \Rightarrow p = r - n \Rightarrow p = 0$$

$$\therefore J_{-n}(x) = \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+p} \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{-n+2n+2p}}{(n+p)! (-n+n+p)!}$$

$$= (-1)^n \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} (-1)^p \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{n+2p}}{p! (n+p)!}$$

$$= (-1)^n J_n(x) \quad \leftarrow \text{Hence proved}$$

Generating Function:-

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$$\frac{x}{2} \left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right) e = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} J_n(x) t^n \quad \leftarrow \text{هذا قانون} \quad (1)$$

The proof:-

taking the left (L.H.S) of above eq.

$$\frac{x}{2} \left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right) e = \frac{x}{2} t e - \frac{x}{2t} e \quad (1)$$

$$\therefore \left(e^p = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{p^r}{r!} \right) \quad (2) \quad \text{هذا قانون حتم خاص}$$

Using eq.(2) in (1) we obtain

$$\frac{x}{2} \left(t - \frac{1}{t}\right) e = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2} t\right)^r}{r!} - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(-\frac{x}{2t}\right)^k}{k!}$$

$$= \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^r t^r}{r!} - \frac{\left(-\frac{x}{2}\right)^k t^{-k}}{k!}$$

$$= \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^r t^r}{r!} \cdot \frac{(-1)^k \left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^k t^{-k}}{k!}$$

$$= \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{r+k}}{r! k!} t^{r-k} \quad (3)$$

let $n = r - k \Rightarrow r = n + k$

So that, n varies from $(-\infty)$ to $(+\infty)$ and $r = n + k$

Now eq.(3) becomes

Ex: show that $J_0'(x) = -J_1(x)$ (4)

Sol. $\therefore J_n(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{(\frac{x}{2})^{n+2r}}{r! (n+r)!}$

$$J_0(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{(\frac{x}{2})^{2r}}{r! (r)!}$$

نسبة النسبة $\therefore J_0'(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{2r (\frac{x}{2})^{2r-1} \cdot \frac{1}{2}}{r! r(r-1)!}$ (1)

$$\therefore J_{-n}(x) = (-1)^n J_n(x)$$

$$\therefore J_n(x) = \frac{J_{-n}(x)}{(-1)^n}$$

$$\therefore J_1(x) = \frac{J_{-1}(x)}{(-1)^1} = - \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{(\frac{x}{2})^{2r-1}}{r! (r-1)!}$$
 (2)

From (1) and (2),

$$J_0'(x) = -J_1(x)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 e^{\frac{x}{2} \left(t - \frac{1}{t} \right)} &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2} \right)^{n+2k}}{(n+k)! k!} t^{n+k-k} \quad (5) \\
 &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} \left[\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2} \right)^{n+2k}}{k! (n+k)!} \right] t^n \\
 &= \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} J_n(x) t^n \quad \text{proved.}
 \end{aligned}$$

Ex proved that: - (1) $J_{\frac{1}{2}}(x) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi x}} \sin x$ (a)
 (H.W) $\Rightarrow$ (2) $J_{-\frac{1}{2}}(x) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi x}} \cos x$ (b)
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The proof:-

$$J_n(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2} \right)^{n+2r}}{r! \Gamma(n+r+1)}$$

$$J_{\frac{1}{2}}(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}+2r}}{r! \Gamma\left(\frac{3}{2}+r\right)}$$

$$= \left[\frac{\left(\frac{x}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi}} - \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2} \right)^{\frac{5}{2}}}{\frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi}} + \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2} \right)^{\frac{9}{2}}}{2! \cdot \frac{5}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{2} \cdot \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi}} + \dots \right]$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi}} \left[1 - \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2} \right)^2}{\frac{3}{2}} + \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2} \right)^4}{2 \cdot \frac{5}{2} \cdot \frac{3}{2}} + \dots \right]$$

$$= \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\pi}} \left[1 - \frac{x^2}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{5!} + \dots \right]$$

$$\therefore \sin x = \left[x - \frac{x^3}{3!} + \frac{x^5}{5!} - \frac{x^7}{7!} + \dots \right]$$

$$\sin x = x \left[1 - \frac{x^2}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{5!} - \dots \right] \quad (6)$$

$$\frac{\sin x}{x} = \left[1 - \frac{x^2}{3!} + \frac{x^4}{5!} - \dots \right]$$

$$\therefore J_{\frac{1}{2}}(x) = \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}}{\frac{1}{2}\sqrt{\pi}} * \frac{\sin x}{x}$$

$$\therefore J_{\frac{1}{2}}(x) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi x}} \sin x \quad \text{proved.}$$

Recurrence Formulae

Theorem (1) :-

$$\frac{d}{dx} \{ X^n J_n(x) \} = X^n J_{n-1}(x)$$

The proof :-

$$\therefore \text{From eq. (1)} \quad J_n(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{n+2r}}{r! \Gamma(n+r+1)}$$

$$X^n J_n(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{X^n \cdot X^{n+2r}}{r! \Gamma(n+r+1)}$$

$$= \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{X^{2n+2r}}{r! \Gamma(n+r+1)}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [X^n J_n(x)] = X^n \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{(n+r) X^{n-1+2r}}{r! (n+r) \Gamma(n+r) 2^{(n-1)+2r}}$$

$$= X^n \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{\left(\frac{x}{2}\right)^{(n-1)+2r}}{r! \Gamma((n-1)+r+1)}$$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dx} [X^n J_n(x)] = X^n J_{n-1}(x)$$

proved.

Theorem (2): $\frac{d}{dx} [X^{-n} J_n(x)] = -X^{-n} J_{n+1}(x) \quad (7)$

$$X^{-n} J_n(x) = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{X^{-n} X^{n+2r}}{r! \Gamma(n+r+1) 2^{n+2r}}$$

$$= \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{X^{2r}}{r! \Gamma(n+r+1) 2^{n+2r}}$$

$$\frac{d}{dx} [X^{-n} J_n(x)] = \sum_{r=0}^{\infty} (-1)^r \frac{X X^{2r-1}}{r(r-1)! \Gamma(n+r+1) 2^{n+2r-1}}$$

let $r-1=p \Rightarrow r=p+1$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dx} [X^{-n} J_n(x)] = \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{p+1} \frac{X^{-n} X^{n+2p+1}}{p! \Gamma(n+p+1+1) 2^{n+2p+2-1}} \quad (X^n \text{ cancelled})$$

$$= (-1)^1 X^{-n} \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} (-1)^p \frac{X^{(n+1)+2p}}{p! \Gamma((n+1)+p+1) 2^{(n+1)+2p}}$$

$$= -X^{-n} \sum_{p=0}^{\infty} (-1)^p \frac{\left(\frac{X}{2}\right)^{(n+1)+2p}}{p! \Gamma((n+1)+p+1)}$$

$$= -X^{-n} J_{n+1}(x)$$

Differentiating theorems (1) and (2) give

From theorem (1) $\Rightarrow$

$$X^n J_n'(x) + n X^{n-1} J_n(x) = X^n J_{n-1}(x) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

From theorem (2) $\Rightarrow$

$$X^{-n} J_n'(x) - n X^{-n-1} J_n(x) = -X^{-n} J_{n+1}(x) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

Multiplying eq.(1) by X^{-n} and eq.(2) X^n we obtain (8)

$$J'_n(x) + \frac{n}{x} J_n(x) = J_{n-1}(x) \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$J'_n(x) - \frac{n}{x} J_n(x) = -J_{n+1}(x)$$

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$$J'_n(x) + J_{n+1}(x) = \frac{n}{x} J_n(x) \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

$$\text{From (3)} \Rightarrow J'_n(x) = J_{n-1}(x) - \frac{n}{x} J_n(x) \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

$$\text{From (4)} \Rightarrow J'_n(x) = \frac{n}{x} J_n(x) - J_{n+1}(x) \quad \text{--- (6)}$$

Adding eq.s (5) and (6) we obtain

$$2 J'_n(x) = J_{n-1}(x) - J_{n+1}(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow J'_n(x) = \frac{1}{2} (J_{n-1}(x) - J_{n+1}(x)) \quad \text{--- (7)}$$

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which is the third formula for $J'_n(x)$

Subtracting eq.(5) and (6) we have.

$$J_{n-1}(x) + J_{n+1}(x) = \frac{2n}{x} J_n(x)$$

$$J_{n-1}(x) = \frac{2n}{x} J_n(x) - J_{n+1}(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow J_{n+1}(x) = \frac{2n}{x} J_n(x) - J_{n-1}(x)$$

Ex 1:- Using the Generating function to prove

$$\cos(x \sin \theta) = J_0(x) + 2J_2(x) \cos(2\theta) + 2J_4(x) \cos(4\theta) + \dots$$

or $\cos(x \sin \theta) = J_0(x) + 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} J_{2n}(x) \cos(2n\theta)$

Solve:-

$$\therefore e^{\frac{x}{2}(t - \frac{1}{t})} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} J_n(x) t^n, \text{ let } t = e^{i\theta}$$

$$\therefore \frac{x}{2} (e^{i\theta} - e^{-i\theta}) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} J_n(x) e^{in\theta}$$

$$e^{ix \sin \theta} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} J_n(x) e^{in\theta}$$

$$e^{ix \sin \theta} = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} J_n(x) e^{in\theta}$$

$$\therefore \sin \theta = \frac{1}{2i} (e^{i\theta} - e^{-i\theta})$$

$$\cos(x \sin \theta) + i \sin(x \sin \theta) = \sum_{n=-\infty}^{\infty} J_n(x) [\cos(n\theta) + i \sin(n\theta)]$$

Expanding the R.H.S we obtain:-

$$\begin{aligned} \text{R.H.S} &= J_0(x) [\cos 0 + i \sin 0] + J_1(x) [\cos \theta + i \sin \theta] \\ &\quad + J_{-1}(x) [\cos(-\theta) + i \sin(-\theta)] \\ &\quad + J_2(x) [\cos(2\theta) + i \sin(2\theta)] \\ &\quad + J_{-2}(x) [\cos(-2\theta) + i \sin(-2\theta)] \\ &\quad + \dots \end{aligned}$$

Note:- $J_{-n}(x) = (-1)^n J_n(x)$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{R.H.S} &= J_0(x) + J_1(x) [\cos \theta + i \sin \theta] + (-1)^1 J_1(x) [\cos \theta - i \sin \theta] \\ &\quad + J_2(x) [\cos(2\theta) + i \sin(2\theta)] + (-1)^2 J_2(x) [\cos 2\theta + i \sin 2\theta] \\ &\quad + \dots \\ &= J_0(x) + 2i J_1(x) \sin \theta + 2J_2(x) \cos(2\theta) + 2i J_3(x) \sin(3\theta) \\ &\quad + 2J_4(x) \cos(4\theta) + \dots \end{aligned}$$

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$$\therefore \cos(x \sin \theta) = J_0(x) + 2J_2(x) \cos(2\theta) + 2J_4(x) \cos(4\theta) + \dots$$

— — — proved

Note:- similarly, equating imaginary part of eq. (a) we get

$$\sin(x \sin \theta) = 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} J_{2n-1}(x) \sin((2n-1)\theta)$$