

# RIESZ - FISCHER THEOREM $\rightarrow$

Let  $\{ \varphi_i(x) \}$  is an orthogonal system of  $L_2$ -functions defined and integrable together with the squares of their moduli in the domain of  $(a, b)$  and  $\{ \alpha_i \}$  is a sequence of complex numbers, then the series

$$\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_i|^2$$

converges. There exists a unique function  $f(x)$ , integrable together with the square of its modulus for which the numbers  $\alpha_i$  are the Fourier coefficients with regard to an orthogonal system  $\{ \varphi_i(x) \}$  to which the Fourier series converges in the mean.

Proof  $\rightarrow$  Consider the sequence of partial sums

$$S_n(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i \varphi_i(x) \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

since we know that

$$\int_a^b |S_{n+m}(x) - S_n(x)|^2 dx = K_{n+1}^2 + K_{n+2}^2 + \dots + K_{n+m}^2$$

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Since that the sequence  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} |\alpha_i|^2$  is convergent for every  $\epsilon > 0$ , there exist an arbitrary chosen positive small number  $\delta$  such that

$$\|S_{n+m}(\alpha) - S_n(\alpha)\| < \epsilon \quad \forall n > \delta, m \rightarrow (3)$$

Thus, there exists a unique function  $f(x)$  (given integrable in the domain  $(a, b)$ ) together with the square of its modulus to which the sequence (1) converges in the mean & therefore

$$\|f(x) - \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i \phi_i(x)\| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty \rightarrow (4)$$

Since the numbers  $\alpha_i$ , are the Fourier Coefficients of the function  $f(x)$  with regard to the system  $\{\phi_i(x)\}$  then

$$\|f - \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i \phi_i\|^2 = \|f\|^2 + \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i|^2 - \sum_{i=1}^n |\alpha_i - C_i|^2 \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty \rightarrow (5)$$

Using Bessel's Inequality

$$\alpha_i = C_i = \int_a^b f(x) \overline{\phi_i(x)} dx \rightarrow (6)$$

The Fourier Series  $\sum_{i=1}^{\infty} C_i \phi_i(x)$  of the function  $f(x)$  with regard to the system  $\{\phi_i(x)\}$  is convergent in the mean to that function that is

$$\|f - \sum_{i=1}^n C_i \phi_i\| \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{as } n \rightarrow \infty \rightarrow (7)$$

(5) We observed that the Fourier Coefficients  $C_i$  of the system  $\{\phi_i(x)\}$  satisfy Parseval's Eq