

ex. 1.1

$$(a) \int_0^1 u u_t dx = \delta \int_0^1 u u_{xx} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (u^2) dx = \delta \left[u u_x \Big|_{x=0}^{x=1} - \int_0^1 (u_x)^2 dx \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} \|u\|_2^2 = - \delta \int_0^1 (u_x)^2 dx \leq 0 \quad (\|u\|_2 \text{ can not grow in time})$$

integrate w time

$$\Rightarrow \|u\|_2^2 \Big|_{t=0}^{t=t} = \|u(\cdot, t)\|_2^2 - \|u(\cdot, 0)\|_2^2 \leq 0$$

$$\Downarrow$$

$$\|u(\cdot, t)\|_2^2 \leq \|u(\cdot, 0)\|_2^2$$

(b) suppose also v is a solution.

Define $w = u - v \Rightarrow$ linearity $\begin{cases} w_t = \delta w_{xx} \\ w(x, 0) = 0 \\ w(0, t) = w(1, t) = 0 \end{cases}$

$$\Rightarrow \left. \begin{array}{l} \|w(\cdot, t)\|_2^2 \leq 0 \\ \text{but } \|\cdot\|_2^2 \geq 0 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow \|w(\cdot, t)\|_2 = 0$$

$\Rightarrow w = 0$ ("almost everywhere")

$\Rightarrow u = v$ (---)

suppose u solves (c) with $u(x, 0) = u_0(x)$ and v with $v(x, 0) = v_0(x)$
 consider $w = u - v$ once more, then w solves with $w(x, 0) = u_0(x) - v_0(x)$

\Rightarrow energy estimate $\|w(\cdot, t)\|_2^2 \leq \delta \cdot \|u_0(\cdot) - v_0(\cdot)\|_2^2$ (continuity)
 as u_0 and v_0 become closer, then $\|w(\cdot, t)\|_2 \rightarrow 0$



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Exercise 1.2:

Solve the PDEs:

(a) $y u_y = u$

Rewrite the eqⁿ as:

$$\frac{1}{u} du = \frac{1}{y} dy$$

After integration

$$\ln u = \ln y + \ln C$$

or

$$C = u/y$$

(b) $C u_x - u y = 0$

Assume $C \neq 0$, the characteristic equation is

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -\frac{1}{C}$$

with the general solution defined by the equation

$$Cy + x = k = \text{Constant}$$

we make the transformation with

$$\xi = x, \quad \eta = x + Cy$$

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So $u(x,y)$ transforms $u(\xi,\eta)$ as:

$$u_x = u_\xi \frac{\partial \xi}{\partial x} + u_\eta \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial x}$$

$$\boxed{u_x = u_\xi + u_\eta}$$

$$\text{and } u_y = u_\xi \frac{\partial \xi}{\partial y} + u_\eta \frac{\partial \eta}{\partial y} \\ = u_\xi(0) + u_\eta \cdot c$$

$$\boxed{u_y = c u_\eta}$$

In (ξ,η) the PDE takes the form:

$$c(u_\xi + u_\eta) - c u_\eta = 0 \\ \text{or } c u_\xi = 0$$

\Rightarrow integrate $u(\xi,\eta) = g(\eta), c \neq 0$
 \Downarrow in (x,y) coordinates
 $u(x,y) = g(x+cy)$

$g = u_0$

Alternative way:

We have the PDE

$$c u_x - u_y = 0$$

and we suppose that we have the initial condition $u(x,0) = u_0(x)$. From the MoCh we have the following system of ODE's

$$\begin{cases} \frac{dx}{dt} = c \\ \frac{dy}{dt} = -1 \end{cases}$$

and the initial curve C , i.e. $t = 0$, given by

$$\begin{cases} x = s \\ y = 0 \\ z = u_0(s) \end{cases}$$

Integrating the system of ODE's yields

$$\begin{cases} x(s,t) = ct + c_1(s) = ct + s \\ y(s,t) = -t + c_2(s) = -t \end{cases}$$

where we used the fact that from the initial curve C we have that $c_1(s) = s$ and $c_2(s) = 0$. Now note that

$$u(x(s,0), y(s,0)) = u(s,0) = u_0(s)$$

So rewriting $t = -y$ and $s = x - ct = x + cy$ we conclude that

$$u(x,y) = u(s(x,y), t(x,y)) = u(x + cy, -y) = u_0(x + cy)$$

* (c) please check the lecture on the wave equation (March/April)

(a special transformation is needed) involving the wave speeds ± 1

Exercise 1.3 :

Given: The potential equation is $\Delta u = 0$, $(x, y) \in \mathbb{R}^2$

with $z = x + iy \in \mathbb{C}$ and $u(x, y) = \operatorname{Re}(f(z))$

• for $f(z) = 1$:

$$\text{Here } u(x, y) = \operatorname{Re}(f(z)) = 1$$

$$\text{So } u_{xx} = 0, u_{yy} = 0$$

-the Laplace eqⁿ is :

$$\Delta u = u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0. \quad (\text{satisfied})$$

• for $f(z) = z^2$:

As

$$u(x, y) = \operatorname{Re}(f(z))$$

$$f(z) = z^2 = (x + iy)(x + iy) = x^2 + i2xy + i^2y^2$$

$$f(z) = (x^2 - y^2) + i2xy$$

So

$$u(x, y) = (x^2 - y^2)$$

$$u_x = 2x, u_{xx} = 2, u_y = -2y, u_{yy} = -2$$

the Laplace eqⁿ is :

$$\Delta u = u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 2 - 2 = 0. \quad (\text{satisfied})$$

• for $f(z) = \log(z - z_0)$; $z_0 \neq 0$

$$\text{Let } z - z_0 = w \in \mathbb{C}$$

$$\text{and } w = x + iy$$

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$$\text{Let } z = x + iy = re^{i\theta}, \quad r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}, \quad \theta = \tan^{-1}(y/x)$$

So

$$\log(w) = \log(re^{i\theta}) = \log(r) + i\theta \log(e)$$

$$u(x, y) = \text{Re}(f(z)) \quad i-c$$

$$\text{Re}(\log(z - z_0)) = \log(r)$$

$$u(x, y) = \log(x^2 + y^2)^{1/2}$$

$$u_x = \frac{x}{x^2 + y^2}, \quad u_{xx} = \frac{-x^2 + y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}, \quad u_y = \frac{y}{x^2 + y^2}, \quad u_{yy} = \frac{x^2 - y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2}$$

$$\Delta u = u_{xx} + u_{yy} = \frac{-x^2 + y^2 + x^2 - y^2}{(x^2 + y^2)^2} = 0 \quad (\text{satisfied})$$

Exercise 1.4 :

• for $u(x, y) = \sin(cx) e^{-c^2 y}$:

To check $u(x, y)$ solve PDE: $u_{xx} - u_y = 0$; we need to find first, the derivatives u_x, u_{xx}, u_y

$$u_x = e^{-c^2 y} \cos(cx) \cdot c, \quad u_{xx} = -c^2 \sin(cx) e^{-c^2 y}$$

$$u_y = -c^2 e^{-c^2 y} \sin(cx)$$

Hence

$$u_{xx} - u_y = -c^2 \sin(cx) e^{-c^2 y} + c^2 e^{-c^2 y} \sin(cx)$$

$$u_{xx} - u_y = 0 \quad ; \quad (\text{solved})$$

• for $u(x, y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi y}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u_0(\xi) e^{-(x-\xi)^2/4y} d\xi$:

first we find the derivatives u_{xx} & u_y involved in the PDE: $u_{xx} - u_y$

$$u_x = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi y}} \left(\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u_0(\xi) e^{-(x-\xi)^2/4y} \cdot (x-\xi)/2y d\xi \right)$$

$$u_{xx} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi y}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \left(u_0(\xi) e^{-(x-\xi)^2/4y} \left(\frac{x-\xi}{2y} \right)^2 + e^{-(x-\xi)^2/4y} \left(\frac{1}{2y} \right) \right) d\xi$$

$$u_y = \frac{1}{2\sqrt{4\pi y}^{3/2}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u_0(\xi) e^{-(x-\xi)^2/4y} d\xi + \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi y}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} u_0(\xi) e^{-(x-\xi)^2/4y} \cdot \left(\frac{(x-\xi)^2}{4y^2} \right) d\xi$$

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So

$$u_{xx} - u_y = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi y}} \int_0^{\infty} u_0(\xi) e^{-\frac{(x-\xi)^2}{4y}} \frac{(x-\xi)^2}{4y^2} d\xi + \int_0^{\infty} \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi y}} e^{-\frac{(x-\xi)^2}{4y}} \cdot \frac{1}{2y} d\xi$$

$$= \frac{1}{2\sqrt{4\pi y}} \int_0^{\infty} u_0(\xi) e^{-\frac{(x-\xi)^2}{4y}} d\xi + \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi y}} \int_0^{\infty} u_0(\xi) e^{-\frac{(x-\xi)^2}{4y}} \left(\frac{-(x-\xi)^2}{4y^2} \right) d\xi$$

$$\Rightarrow u_{xx} - u_y = 0$$

$$\text{Hence } u(x, y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi y}} \int_0^{\infty} u_0(\xi) e^{-\frac{(x-\xi)^2}{4y}} d\xi$$

Solves the given PDE: $u_{xx} - u_y = 0$

Exercise 1.5 :

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(a) - As $u(x,y)$ and $v(x,y)$ are the solutions of the system

$$\begin{cases} u_x + v_y = 0 & \Rightarrow u_x = -v_y \Rightarrow u_{xx} = -v_{xy} \quad (*) \\ v_x + u_y = 0 & \Rightarrow u_y = -v_x \Rightarrow u_{yy} = -v_{xy} \quad (**) \end{cases}$$

To check whether $u(x,y)$ & $v(x,y)$ solve the PDE: $u_{xx} - u_{yy} = 0$
we substitute (*) & (**) in given PDE:

$$u_{xx} - u_{yy} = -v_{xy} + v_{xy} = 0 \quad (\text{Solved})$$

(b) -
$$\begin{cases} u_x + v_y = 0 & \Rightarrow u_{xx} = -v_{xy} \\ v_x - u_y = 0 & \Rightarrow u_{yy} = v_{xy} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{PDE: } u_{xx} + u_{yy} = -v_{xy} + v_{xy} = 0 \quad (\text{Solved})$$

(c) -
$$\begin{cases} u_x + v_y = 0 & \Rightarrow u_x = -v_y \Rightarrow u_{xx} = -v_{xy} \\ v_x + u_y = 0 & \Rightarrow u_y = -v_x \Rightarrow u_{yy} = -v_{xy} \end{cases}$$

PDE



$$u_{xx} - u_{yy} = -v_{xy} + v_{xy} = 0 \quad (\text{Solved}).$$

Exercise 1.6:-

(a) $4u_{xx} + 5u_{xy} + u_{yy} + u_x + u_y - 2 = 0$

Classification:

Here $A = 4, B = 5, C = 1$

$B^2 - 4AC = 9 > 0$, Hyperbolic

Characteristics:

The differential equations for the family of characteristic curves are;

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{+B \pm \sqrt{B^2 - 4AC}}{2A}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{+5 \pm 3}{8}$$

\Rightarrow

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = +\frac{1}{4}, \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = +1$$

The solutions are $C_2 = y - \frac{1}{4}x$, $C_1 = y - x$ are the characteristic curves.

* Canonical form:

Consider the transformation in ξ and η independent variables i.e from (x, y) to (ξ, η) as

$$\xi = y - x \quad \text{and} \quad \eta = y - \frac{1}{4}x$$

$$\Rightarrow \xi_x = -1, \quad \xi_y = 1, \quad \eta_x = -\frac{1}{4}, \quad \eta_y = 1$$

$$\xi_{xx} = 0, \quad \xi_{yy} = 0, \quad \xi_{xy} = 0, \quad \eta_{xx} = 0, \quad \eta_{yy} = 0, \quad \eta_{xy} = 0$$

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Using the 'Chain Rule', we notice that

$$u_x = u_\xi \xi_x + u_\eta \eta_x \quad , \quad u_y = u_\xi \xi_y + u_\eta \eta_y$$

$$u_{xx} = u_{\xi\xi} \xi_x^2 + 2u_{\xi\eta} \xi_x \eta_x + u_{\eta\eta} \eta_x^2 + u_\xi \xi_{xx} + u_\eta \eta_{xx}$$

$$u_{xy} = u_{\xi\xi} \xi_x \xi_y + u_{\xi\eta} (\xi_x \eta_y + \xi_y \eta_x) + u_{\eta\eta} \eta_x \eta_y + u_\xi \xi_{xy} + u_\eta \eta_{xy}$$

$$u_{yy} = u_{\xi\xi} \xi_y^2 + 2u_{\xi\eta} \xi_y \eta_y + u_{\eta\eta} \eta_y^2 + u_\xi \xi_{yy} + u_\eta \eta_{yy}$$

We have

$$u_x = -u_\xi - \frac{1}{4} u_\eta \quad \rightarrow \quad u_y = u_\xi + u_\eta$$

$$u_{xx} = u_{\xi\xi} + \frac{1}{2} u_{\xi\eta} + \frac{1}{16} u_{\eta\eta}$$

$$u_{xy} = -u_{\xi\xi} - \frac{5}{4} u_{\xi\eta} - \frac{1}{4} u_{\eta\eta}$$

$$u_{yy} = u_{\xi\xi} + 2u_{\xi\eta} + u_{\eta\eta}$$

So given PDE transforms to:

$$4u_{xx} + 5u_{xy} + u_{yy} + u_x + u_y - 2 = -\frac{9}{4} u_{\xi\eta} - \frac{3}{4} - 2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{u_{\xi\eta} = \frac{1}{3} \left(u_\eta - \frac{8}{3} \right)}$$
 is the required canonical form.

(b)-

$$y u_{xx} + (x+y) u_{xy} + x u_{yy} = 0$$

Classification:

Here $A = y$, $B = (x+y)$, $C = x$

$$B^2 - 4AC = (x+y)^2 - 4(y)(x)$$

$$= x^2 + y^2 + 2xy - 4yx$$

$$= (x^2 + y^2 - 2xy) = (x-y)^2 > 0; \text{ Hyperbolic}$$

[if $x=y$, then parabolic]

Characterization:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{B \pm \sqrt{B^2 - 4AC}}{2A}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{(x+y) \pm (x-y)}{2y}$$

Solution is $\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{x}{y}$, $\frac{dy}{dx} = 1$

$$y^2 - x^2 = C_1 \quad , \quad y - x = C_2$$

* Canonical form :-

Choose

$$\xi = y^2 - x^2 \quad , \quad \eta = y - x$$

The given PDE transform to in (ξ, η) coordinate as:

$$u_{\xi\eta} + \frac{1}{\eta} u_{\xi} = 0$$

(C) - $y u_{xx} - 2u_{xy} + e^x u_{yy} + x^2 u_x - u = 0$

Classification:-

Here $A = y, B = -2, C = e^x$

$$B^2 - 4AC = 4 - 4(y)(e^x) = 4 - 4e^x y$$

$$B^2 - 4AC = 4 - 4e^x y : \begin{cases} \text{Elliptic ; } y > e^{-x} \\ \text{parabolic ; } y = e^{-x} \\ \text{hyperbolic ; } y < e^{-x} \end{cases}$$

Characterization:

We discuss here the parabolic case:-
Characteristic polynomial is given by

$$\lambda = B/2A = -1/y$$

Characteristic eqⁿ:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -1/y$$

$$y^2 + x = C$$

new variables ξ, η are given by.

$$\xi = y^2 + x, \quad \eta = x$$

Canonical form:

$$\sqrt{\xi - \eta} (u_{\eta\eta} - 3u_{\xi\xi} - 2u_{\xi\eta}) + e^{\eta} ((4\xi - 4\eta)u_{\xi\xi} + 2u_{\xi}) + \eta^2 (u_{\xi} + u_{\eta}) - u = 0$$

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(d) - $u_{xx} + y u_{yy} = 0$

Classification:

Here $A=1$, $B=0$, $C=y$

$$B^2 - 4AC = -4y : \begin{cases} \text{hyperbolic} & ; y < 0 \\ \text{Elliptic} & ; y > 0 \\ \text{parabolic} & ; y = 0 \end{cases}$$

we discuss here the hyperbolic case:

Characteristics:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{\pm \sqrt{-2y}}{2}$$

$$C_1 = x + 2\sqrt{-y} \rightarrow C_2 = x - 2\sqrt{-y} \text{ and } y = -\frac{1}{4}(x-C)^2$$

* Canonical form:-

Choose $\xi = x + 2\sqrt{-y}$, $\eta = x - 2\sqrt{-y}$

Canonical form of PDE: $u_{xx} - y u_{yy} = 0$, in (ξ, η) coordinate:

$$u_{\xi\eta} = \frac{1}{2(\xi-\eta)} (u_\eta - u_\xi)$$

$$(e) - y^2 u_{xx} + x^2 u_{yy} = 0$$

Classification:

Here $A = y^2$, $B = 0$, $C = x^2$

$B^2 - 4AC = -4x^2y^2 < 0$; therefore the PDE is elliptic.

Characterization:

The roots of the characterization polynomial are given by

$$\lambda_1 = \frac{B - i\sqrt{4AC - B^2}}{2A}, \quad \lambda_2 = \frac{B + i\sqrt{4AC - B^2}}{2A}$$

$$\lambda_1 = -i \frac{2xy}{2y^2}, \quad \lambda_2 = i \frac{2xy}{2y^2}$$

$$\lambda_1 = -i \frac{x}{y}, \quad \lambda_2 = i \frac{x}{y}$$

Characteristic eqⁿs are:

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -i \frac{x}{y}, \quad \frac{dy}{dx} = i \frac{x}{y}$$

Integrating the above two ODE, we obtain

$$y^2 + ix^2 = C_1, \quad y^2 - ix^2 = C_2$$

* Canonical form:

for the transformation of elliptic eqⁿ, we have

$$\alpha = y^2 + ix^2, \quad \beta = y^2 - ix^2$$

if $x=0$
or $y=0$,
then
parabolic

the new coordinates (ξ, η) are given by

$$\xi = \frac{\alpha + \beta}{2}, \quad \eta = \frac{\alpha - \beta}{2i}$$

$$\xi = y^2, \quad \eta = x^2$$

Hence the given PDE is transformed into new coordinate (ξ, η) as:

$$2\xi\eta (u_{\xi\xi} + u_{\eta\eta}) + \eta u_{\xi} + \xi u_{\eta} = 0$$

(f)

$$xu_{xx} + u_{yy} = x^2$$

Classification:

Here $A = x$, $B = 0$, $C = 1$

$$B^2 - 4AC = -4x : \begin{cases} x > 0 & ; \text{Elliptic} \\ x < 0 & ; \text{hyperbolic} \\ x = 0 & ; \text{parabolic} \end{cases}$$

Characterization:

for parabolic case; the characteristic polynomial of the given PDE has only one root i.e

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{B}{2A} = \lambda(x, y)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{0}{2x} = 0$$

$$y = C_1$$

the new coordinates are: $\xi = y$, $\eta = x$



The canonical form of $xu_{xx} + u_{yy} - x^2 = 0$ is;

$$u_{\xi\xi} + \eta u_{\eta\eta} = \eta^2$$

Exercise 1.7 :

(a).

The given nonlinear PDE is : $u^2 u_{xx} + 2u_x u_y u_{xy} - u^2 u_{yy} = 0$

Here $A = u^2$, $B = 2u_x u_y$, $C = -u^2$

$$B^2 - 4AC = 4u_x^2 \cdot u_y^2 - 4u^2(-u^2) = (u_x^2 u_y^2 + u^4)4 > 0 ;$$

Hence the given PDE is always hyperbolic..

(b).

The given PDE : $(1 - u_x^2) u_{xx} - 2u_x u_y u_{xy} + (1 - u_y^2) u_{yy} = 0$

Here $A = (1 - u_x^2)$, $B = -2u_x u_y$, $C = (1 - u_y^2)$

$$B^2 - 4AC = 4u_x^2 u_y^2 - 4(1 - u_x^2)(1 - u_y^2)$$

$$= -4 + 4(u_x^2 + u_y^2)$$

$$(\because |\nabla u| = \sqrt{u_x^2 + u_y^2})$$

$$= -4 + |\nabla u|^2 \cdot 4$$

$$B^2 - 4AC = -4 + 4|\nabla u|^2 = \begin{cases} \text{Elliptic} & ; & |\nabla u| < 1 \\ \text{parabolic} & ; & |\nabla u| = 1 \\ \text{hyperbolic} & ; & |\nabla u| > 1 \end{cases}$$

* Exercise 1.8:

$$(a) = 2u_{xx} + 3u_{xy} + u_{yy} = 0$$

Classification:

$$\text{Here } A=2, B=3, C=1$$

$$B^2 - 4AC = 9 - 4(2)(1) = 9 - 8 = 1 > 0; \text{ Hyperbolic}$$

Characterization equations:

$$2y - x = C_1, \quad y - x = C_2$$

Canonical form:

$$\text{choose } \xi = 2y - x, \quad \eta = y - x$$

the canonical form of the given PDE is given by

$$\begin{aligned} 2u_{xx} + 3u_{xy} + u_{yy} &= 2(u_{\xi\xi} + 2u_{\xi\eta} + u_{\eta\eta}) + 3(-2u_{\xi\xi} - 3u_{\xi\eta} - u_{\eta\eta}) \\ &\quad + (4u_{\xi\xi} + 4u_{\xi\eta} + u_{\eta\eta}) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow u_{\eta\eta} = 0$$

After two times integration w.r.t ξ and η respectively, we obtain

$$u(\xi, \eta) = \eta f(\eta) + g(\xi)$$

Back into original coordinate;

$$u(x, y) = (y-x) f(y-x) + g(2y-x)$$

(b) - $u_{zz} + 4u_z u_y + 4u_{yy} = 0$

Classification: $A=1$, $B=4u_z u_y$, $C=4$.

$$B^2 - 4AC = 16u_z^2 u_y^2 - 4(1)(4)$$

$$= 16u_z^2 u_y^2 - 16 \quad ; \quad \begin{cases} \text{Hyperbolic} & ; & u_z^2 u_y^2 > 1 \\ \text{parabolic} & ; & u_z^2 u_y^2 = 1 \\ \text{Elliptic} & ; & u_z^2 u_y^2 < 1 \end{cases}$$

Exercise 1.9:

(a) - $u_t = u_{xx} - 12u$

$$u(x, 0) = u_0(x)$$

We apply FT \mathcal{F} to the given PDE and use the properties of FT to reduce given PDE to an ODE.

Let $\mathcal{F}[u] = \hat{u}(\omega, t)$, then

$$\mathcal{F}\left\{u_t\right\} = \mathcal{F}\left\{\frac{\partial u}{\partial t}\right\} = \frac{d\hat{u}}{dt}, \quad \mathcal{F}[u_{xx}] = (i\omega)^2 \hat{u} = -\omega^2 \hat{u}(\omega, t)$$

the given PDE is transformed to 1st order ODE

$$\frac{d\hat{u}}{dt} = -\omega^2 \hat{u} - 12\hat{u}$$

with

$$\hat{u}(\omega, 0) = \hat{u}_0(\omega)$$

The solution of above ODE is:

$$\hat{u}(\omega, t) = \hat{u}_0(\omega) e^{-\omega^2 t - 12t}$$

Applying the inverse Fourier transformation to obtain $u(x, y)$
i.e.

$$u(x, t) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}[\hat{u}(\omega, t)]$$

$$u(x, t) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}[\hat{u}_0(\omega) e^{-\omega^2 t - 12t}]$$

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} [\hat{u}_0(\omega) e^{-\omega^2 t - 12t}] e^{i\omega x} d\omega.$$

with

$$\hat{u}_0(\omega) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-i\omega x} u_0(x) dx$$

(b)-

$$u_t = \kappa u_{xx} + \tau u_x$$

Apply the Fourier transform (FT) \mathcal{F} to the given PDE:

Let $\mathcal{F}[u(x,t)] = \hat{u}(\omega, t)$, then $u(x,0) = u_0(x) = \hat{u}_0(\omega)$

the given PDE transform to 1st order ODE as:

$$\frac{d\hat{u}}{dt} = -\omega^2 \kappa \hat{u} + i\omega \tau \hat{u} ; \quad \hat{u}(\omega, 0) = \hat{u}_0(\omega)$$

The solution of the ODE is:

$$\hat{u}(\omega, t) = \hat{u}_0(\omega) e^{(-\omega^2 \kappa + i\omega \tau)t}$$

Applying the inverse Fourier transformation to obtain $u(x,y)$. i.e

$$u(x,t) = \mathcal{F}^{-1}[\hat{u}(\omega, t)] = \mathcal{F}^{-1}[\hat{u}_0(\omega) e^{(-\omega^2 \kappa + i\omega \tau)t}]$$

$$u(x,t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{i\omega x} \hat{u}_0(\omega) e^{(-\omega^2 \kappa + i\omega \tau)t} d\omega$$

Exercise 1.10:

$$u_t = u_{xx} \quad ; \quad u(x,0) = u_0(x)$$

Let $\mathcal{F}[u] = \hat{u}(\omega, t)$, then

with $\frac{d\hat{u}}{dt} = -i\omega^2 \hat{u}(\omega, t)$; is the Fourier transformed form to an ODE.

$$u(\omega, 0) = \hat{u}_0(\omega)$$

The solution of the above ODE is :

$$\hat{u}(\omega, t) = \hat{u}_0(\omega) e^{-i\omega^2 t}$$

Applying the inverse transformation; we get

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{i\omega x} \hat{u}_0(\omega) e^{-i\omega^2 t} d\omega$$

or

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \hat{u}_0(\omega) e^{i\omega(x - \omega^2 t)} d\omega.$$

Exercise 1.11:

$$u_t = -u_{xxxx} \quad ; \quad u(x, 0) = u_0(x)$$

After FT; the given PDE is transformed to an ODE as:

$$\frac{d\hat{u}}{dt} = -\xi^4 \hat{u} \quad \text{with} \quad \hat{u}(\xi, 0) = \hat{u}_0(\xi)$$

the solution of the above ODE is given by:

$$\hat{u}(\xi, t) = e^{-\xi^4 t} \hat{u}_0(\xi)$$

Solution to this equation behaves much like the solution of the heat equation but with even more damping of oscillatory data. for example; the PDE: $u_t = u_{xx}$ with $u(x, 0) = u_0(x)$ we have

$$\hat{u}(\xi, t) = e^{-\xi^2 t} \hat{u}_0(\xi) \quad ; \quad \dots$$

and for PDE:

$$u_t = u_{xxxx}$$

$$\hat{u}(\xi, t) = e^{+\xi^4 t} \hat{u}_0(\xi) \quad ;$$

Here $\hat{u}(\xi, t)$ does not decay in time exponential fast.
 (it grows very fast)

Note: For $u_t = -u_{xx}$, a similar conclusion holds: $e^{+\xi^2 t} \hat{u}_0(\xi)$

Exercise

1.12

(a) set $u(x,t) = X(x)T(t)$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} X'' + 4X' + k^2X = 0 \\ \dot{T} + k^2T = 0 \end{cases}$$

($-k^2$: separation constant)

assumption: $\alpha^2 = k^2 - 4 > 0$

$$\Rightarrow X(x) = e^{-2x} \cdot (A \cos(\alpha x) + B \sin(\alpha x))$$

BC₁

$$\Rightarrow A = 0 ; \text{ BC}_2 \Rightarrow e^{-2} \sin(\alpha) = 0 \Rightarrow \alpha_n = n\pi, n=1,2,\dots$$

$$\Rightarrow X_n(x) = B_n e^{-2x} \sin(n\pi x), n=1,2,3,\dots$$

$$\Rightarrow T_n(t) = C_n e^{-k_n^2 t}, k_n^2 = \alpha_n^2 + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{-k_n^2 t - 2x} \sin(\alpha_n x)$$

IC: $u(x,0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{-2x} \sin(\alpha_n x) = u_0(x)$

$$\Rightarrow a_n = 2e^{2x} \int_0^1 u_0(x) \sin(n\pi x) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow u(x,t) = \dots$$

→

1.12(b) extra IC needed!

set $u_f(x, 0) = 0$

$u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} c^2 X'' + (k^2 - d^2) X = 0 \\ T'' + k^2 T = 0 \end{cases}$$

(-k² separation constant)

$k^2 > d^2$: $X(x) = A \cos(\mu x) + B \sin(\mu x)$

$\mu = \frac{k^2 - d^2}{c^2} > 0$

$X(0) = 0 \Rightarrow A = 0$

$X(1) = 0 \Rightarrow \sin(\mu x) = 0$
 $B \neq 0$ $\mu_n = n\pi, n = 1, 2, \dots$

$\frac{k_n^2 - d^2}{c^2} = n\pi$

$k_n^2 = n\pi c^2 + d^2, n = 1, 2, \dots$

$T(t) = C \cos(k_n t) + D \sin(k_n t)$

$\Rightarrow u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n \sin(\mu_n x) [C_n \cos(k_n t) + D_n \sin(k_n t)]$

IC₂: $\rightarrow u_f(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sin(\mu_n x) [-k_n \tilde{C}_n \sin(k_n t) + k_n \tilde{D}_n \cos(k_n t)]$

$u_f(x, 0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \sin(\mu_n x) [0 + k_n \tilde{D}_n] = 0$

$\Rightarrow \tilde{D}_n = 0 \Rightarrow u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \tilde{C}_n \sin(\mu_n x) \cos(k_n t)$

\tilde{C}_n follows from $u(x, 0) = u_0(x)$ -----



Exercise

1.13

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PDE:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} u_{tt} = -u_{xx} \\ u(x,0) = \sin(2\pi x) \\ u_t(x,0) = 0 \\ u(0,t) = u(1,t) \\ u_x(0,t) = u_x(1,t) \end{array} \right. \quad (**)$$

(a) Show that we end up at the system (only for a_1 and b_1):

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \ddot{a}_1(t) - 4\pi^2 a_1(t) = 0 \\ \ddot{b}_1(t) - 4\pi^2 b_1(t) = 0 \end{array} \right.$$

Solution

As we know from previous ex.

$$u_x = \frac{\partial u(x,t)}{\partial x} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2\pi k \cdot a_k(t) \cos(2\pi k x) - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 2\pi k \cdot b_k(t) \cdot \sin(2\pi k x)$$

Then

$$u_{xx} = \frac{\partial^2 u(x,t)}{\partial x^2} = - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 4\pi^2 k^2 a_k(t) \sin(2\pi k x) - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 4\pi^2 k^2 b_k(t) \cdot \cos(2\pi k x)$$

Substituting partial derivatives in (**) for general case we receive:

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \ddot{a}_k(t) \sin(2\pi k x) + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \ddot{b}_k(t) \cos(2\pi k x) = + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 4\pi^2 k^2 a_k(t) \sin(2\pi k x) + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 4\pi^2 k^2 b_k(t) \cos(2\pi k x)$$

For only a_1 and b_1 , we receive the following!

$$\ddot{a}_1(t) \sin(2\pi x) + \ddot{b}_1(t) \cos(2\pi x) - 4\pi^2 a_1(t) \sin(2\pi x) - 4\pi^2 b_1(t) \cos(2\pi x) = 0$$

Grouping:

$$\sin(2\pi x) (\ddot{a}_1(t) - 4\pi^2 a_1(t)) + \cos(2\pi x) (\ddot{b}_1(t) - 4\pi^2 b_1(t)) = 0$$

Finally we end up with the following system

$$\begin{cases} \ddot{a}_1(t) - 4\pi^2 a_1(t) = 0 \\ \ddot{b}_1(t) - 4\pi^2 b_1(t) = 0 \end{cases}$$

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(b)

Again by letting:

$$\begin{aligned} u_1 &= a_1 \\ u_2 &= b_1 \\ u_3 &= \dot{a}_1 \\ u_4 &= \dot{b}_1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \dot{u}_1 &= \dot{a}_1 = u_3 \\ \dot{u}_2 &= \dot{b}_1 = u_4 \\ \dot{u}_3 &= \ddot{a}_1 = 4\pi^2 a_1 = 4\pi^2 u_1 \\ \dot{u}_4 &= \ddot{b}_1 = 4\pi^2 b_1 = 4\pi^2 u_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{a}_1 \\ \dot{b}_1 \\ \ddot{a}_1 \\ \ddot{b}_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 4\pi^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4\pi^2 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \\ \dot{a}_1 \\ \dot{b}_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \\ \dot{a}_1 \\ \dot{b}_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

In order to find the exact solution of second PDE (**), we need to solve the following:

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \\ \dot{a}_1 \\ \dot{b}_1 \end{pmatrix} (t) = e^{t \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 4\pi^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4\pi^2 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Following the procedure of finding matrix exponential,

we find:

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 4\pi^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 4\pi^2 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det(A - \lambda I) =$$

$$= 1 \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 0 & 1 \\ 4\pi^2 & -\lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 4\pi^2 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} = -\lambda + 16\pi^4 = 0$$

⇒ The eigenvalues are:

$$\lambda_1 = -2\pi$$

$$\lambda_2 = -2\pi$$

$$\lambda_3 = 2\pi$$

$$\lambda_4 = 2\pi$$

Corresponding eigenvectors are:

$$\underline{\lambda_1 = -2\pi}$$

$$V_1 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -\frac{1}{2\pi} \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{\lambda_2 = -2\pi}$$

$$V_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2\pi} \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{\lambda_3 = 2\pi}$$

$$V_3 = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{1}{2\pi} \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{\lambda_4 = 2\pi}$$

$$V_4 = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2\pi} \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\exp(At) = \exp(Z \Lambda Z^{-1}t) = Z \exp(\Lambda t) Z^{-1}$$

$$Z = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{2\pi} & 0 & 1/2\pi \\ -\frac{1}{2\pi} & 0 & 1/2\pi & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Lambda t = \begin{pmatrix} -2\pi & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2\pi & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 2\pi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 2\pi \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Z^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\pi & 0 & 1/2 \\ -\pi & 0 & 1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & \pi & 0 & 1/2 \\ \pi & 0 & 1/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \exp(At) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\frac{1}{2\pi} & 0 & 1/2\pi \\ -\frac{1}{2\pi} & 0 & 1/2\pi & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e^{-2\pi} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-2\pi} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{2\pi} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & e^{2\pi} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\times \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -\pi & 0 & 1/2 \\ -\pi & 0 & 1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & \pi & 0 & 1/2 \\ \pi & 0 & 1/2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} =$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \begin{pmatrix} e^{-2\pi} (1 + e^{4\pi}) \\ 2e^{-2\pi} (-\pi + e^{4\pi}, \pi) \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \\ a_2 \\ b_2 \end{pmatrix} (t) = \begin{pmatrix} \cosh(2\pi t) \\ 0 \\ 2\pi \sinh(2\pi t) \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow a_1 = \cosh(2\pi t)$$

Substituting a_1 in general solution, we obtain:

$$u(x, t) = \cosh(2\pi t) \sin 2\pi x$$

This is the exact solution to PDE (**)

Now we check if this solution satisfies PDE₂ + initial conditions

$$u(x, t) = \cosh(2\pi t) \sin(2\pi x)$$

$$u_t = \frac{\partial u(x, t)}{\partial t} = 2\pi \sinh(2\pi t) \sin(2\pi x)$$

$$u_{tt} = \frac{\partial^2 u(x, t)}{\partial t^2} = 4\pi^2 \cosh(2\pi t) \sin(2\pi x)$$

$$u_x = \frac{\partial u(x, t)}{\partial x} = 2\pi \cosh(2\pi t) \cos(2\pi x)$$

$$u_{xx} = \frac{\partial^2 u(x, t)}{\partial x^2} = -4\pi^2 \cosh(2\pi t) \sin(2\pi x)$$

Substituting partial derivatives into PDE₂ + IC.

$$\begin{cases} 4\pi^2 \cosh(2\pi t) \sin(2\pi x) = 4\pi^2 \cosh(2\pi t) \sin(2\pi x) \\ u(x, 0) = \cosh(0) \sin 2\pi x = \sin 2\pi x \\ u_t(x, 0) = 2\pi \sinh(0) \sin(2\pi x) = 0 \end{cases}$$

Hence our solution satisfies PDE₂ + ICs.

1.13 (c)

PDE :
$$\begin{cases}
 u_{tt} = u_{xx} & x \in [0, 1) \\
 u(x, 0) = \sin(2\pi x) & t > 0 \\
 u_t(x, 0) = 0 \\
 u(0, t) = u(1, t)
 \end{cases}$$

i) Write the solution in the form
$$u(x, t) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k(t) \sin(2\pi kx) + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} b_k(t) \cos(2\pi kx)$$

Show that

$$\begin{cases}
 a_k(0) = \begin{cases} 1, & k=1 \\ 0, & k \neq 1 \end{cases} \\
 b_k(0) = 0 \quad \forall k \\
 \dot{a}_k(0) = \dot{b}_k(0) = 0 \quad \forall k
 \end{cases}$$

Substituting the initial conditions in the solution.

$$\begin{aligned}
 u(x, 0) &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k(0) \sin(2\pi kx) + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} b_k(0) \cos(2\pi kx) = \sin(2\pi x) \\
 \Rightarrow a_1(0) &= 1 \quad \forall k \neq 1 \quad b_1(0) = 0, \quad a_k(0) = 0 \text{ otherwise}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 u_t &= \frac{\partial u(x, t)}{\partial t} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \dot{a}_k(t) \sin(2\pi kx) + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \dot{b}_k(t) \cos(2\pi kx)
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 u_t(x, 0) &= \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \dot{a}_k(0) \sin(2\pi kx) + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \dot{b}_k(0) \cos(2\pi kx) \\
 &= 0 \Rightarrow \underline{\dot{a}_k(0) = 0, \quad \dot{b}_k(0) = 0}
 \end{aligned}$$

ii) Solve using

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \\ c_1 \\ b_1 \end{pmatrix} (t) = e^{At} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2\pi & 0 & 0 \\ 2\pi & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Solution

Calculate e^{At} for matrix

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2\pi & 0 & 0 \\ 2\pi & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

First we find eigenvalues and eigenvectors of A

$$0 = \det(A - \lambda I) =$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -\lambda & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2\pi & -\lambda & 0 \\ 2\pi & 0 & 0 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} =$$

$$= -\lambda \begin{vmatrix} -\lambda & 0 & 1 \\ -2\pi & -\lambda & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \lambda \end{vmatrix} + 1 \begin{vmatrix} 0 & -\lambda & 0 \\ 0 & -2\pi & 0 \\ 2\pi & 0 & -\lambda \end{vmatrix} =$$

$$= -\lambda (-\lambda^3) - 4\pi^2 = 0$$

$$\lambda_1 = -\sqrt[4]{-1} \sqrt{2\pi}$$

$$\lambda_2 = \sqrt[4]{-1} \sqrt{2\pi}$$

$$\lambda_3 = (-1)^{3/4} \sqrt{2\pi}$$

$$\lambda_4 = -(-1)^{3/4} \sqrt{2\pi}$$

$$\lambda_1 = -\sqrt[4]{-1} \sqrt{2\pi}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sqrt[4]{-1} \sqrt{2\pi} & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & \sqrt[4]{-1} \sqrt{2\pi} & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2\pi & \sqrt[4]{-1} \sqrt{2\pi} & 0 \\ 2\pi & 0 & 0 & \sqrt[4]{-1} \sqrt{2\pi} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$V_1 = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \\ -\frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \\ -i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_2 = \sqrt[4]{-1} \sqrt{2\pi}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -\sqrt[4]{-1} \sqrt{2\pi} & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -\sqrt[4]{-1} \sqrt{2\pi} & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2\pi & -\sqrt[4]{-1} \sqrt{2\pi} & 0 \\ 2\pi & 0 & 0 & -\sqrt[4]{-1} \sqrt{2\pi} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$V_2 = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \\ -\frac{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \\ i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_3 = (-1)^{3/4} \sqrt{2\pi}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} -(-1)^{3/4} \sqrt{2\pi} & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -(-1)^{3/4} \sqrt{2\pi} & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2\pi & -(-1)^{3/4} \sqrt{2\pi} & 0 \\ 2\pi & 0 & 0 & -(-1)^{3/4} \sqrt{2\pi} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \\ x_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$V_3 = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \\ \frac{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \\ i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\lambda_4 = -(-1)^{3/4} \sqrt{2\pi}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} (-1)^{3/4} \sqrt{2\pi} & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & (-1)^{3/4} \sqrt{2\pi} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2\pi & (-1)^{3/4} \sqrt{2\pi} & 0 \\ 2\pi & 0 & 0 & (-1)^{3/4} \sqrt{2\pi} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \alpha_2 \\ \alpha_3 \\ \alpha_4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$V_4 = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \\ \frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \\ -i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

In order to find e^{At} we need to calculate

$$\exp(At) = \exp(Z \Lambda Z^{-1} t) = Z \exp(\Lambda t) Z^{-1}$$

where - Z - matrix whose columns are eigenvectors of A

- Z^{-1} - inverse of Z

- $\Lambda(t)$ - diagonal matrix with eigenvalues of A on the diagonal.

$$Z = \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} & -\frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} & \frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} & \frac{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \\ -\frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} & -\frac{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} & \frac{\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} & \frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \\ -i & i & i & -i \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\det(Z) =$$

$$= \left(\frac{i}{2} - \frac{1}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \begin{vmatrix} \left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & i & 1 \\ \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & i & 1 \\ \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & -i & 1 \end{vmatrix} + \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \begin{vmatrix} \left(-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & i & 1 \\ \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & i & 1 \\ \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & -i & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$+ 0 - i$$

$$\begin{vmatrix} \left(-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & \left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & 1 \\ \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & 1 \\ \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & 1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$- 1 \begin{vmatrix} \left(-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & \left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & -i \\ \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & -i \\ \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & -i \end{vmatrix}$$

$$\left(\frac{i}{2} - \frac{1}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \begin{vmatrix} \left(-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & 0 & i & 1 \\ \left(\frac{1}{2} - \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & & i & 1 \\ \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{L}{2}\right) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & -i & & 1 \end{vmatrix} +$$

$$\frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \begin{vmatrix} (-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & i & 1 \\ (\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & i & 1 \\ (\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & -i & 1 \end{vmatrix} =$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}}{\sqrt{\pi}} \cdot \frac{2 - 2i}{\sqrt{\pi}} = \frac{2}{\pi}$$

$$\frac{2}{\pi} + \frac{2}{\pi} + 0 - i \begin{vmatrix} (-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & (-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & 1 \\ (\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & (\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & -1 \\ (\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & (\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & -1 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$- i \begin{vmatrix} (-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & (-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & i \\ (\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & (\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & i \\ (\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & (\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & -i \end{vmatrix}$$

$$- i \begin{vmatrix} (-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & (-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & 1 \\ (\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & (\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & 1 \\ (\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & (\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & 1 \end{vmatrix} =$$

$$= -i \times \frac{2i}{\pi} = \frac{2}{\pi}$$

$$- i \begin{vmatrix} (-\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & (-\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & i \\ (\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & (\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & i \\ (\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & (\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2}) \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} & -i \end{vmatrix} =$$

$$= -\frac{-2}{\pi} = \frac{2}{\pi}$$

$$\frac{2}{\pi} + \frac{2}{\pi} + \frac{2}{\pi} + \frac{2}{\pi} = \frac{8}{\pi}$$

So $\det(Z) = \frac{8}{\pi}$

$$Z^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} (-\frac{1}{4} + \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & (-\frac{1}{4} - \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & -\frac{i}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ (-\frac{1}{4} - \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & (-\frac{1}{4} + \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & \frac{i}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ (\frac{1}{4} + \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & (\frac{1}{4} - \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & \frac{i}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ (\frac{1}{4} - \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & (\frac{1}{4} + \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & -\frac{i}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \end{pmatrix}$$

Finally: $\exp(At)$, where

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2\pi & 0 & 0 \\ 2\pi & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

is equal to

$$\exp(Z \Lambda Z^{-1} t) = Z \exp(\Lambda t) Z^{-1} =$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2} & \frac{1+i}{2} \\ -\frac{1}{2} + \frac{i}{2} & -\frac{1}{2} - \frac{i}{2} & \frac{1-i}{2} \\ -i & i & i \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \times$$

$$\times \begin{pmatrix} e^{-\sqrt{\pi}t} \cos(\sqrt{\pi}t) - i e^{-\sqrt{\pi}t} \sin(\sqrt{\pi}t) & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{-\sqrt{\pi}t} \cos(\sqrt{\pi}t) + i e^{\sqrt{\pi}t} \sin(\sqrt{\pi}t) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & e^{\sqrt{\pi}t} \cos(\sqrt{\pi}t) - i e^{\sqrt{\pi}t} \sin(\sqrt{\pi}t) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & e^{\sqrt{\pi}t} \cos(\sqrt{\pi}t) + i e^{\sqrt{\pi}t} \sin(\sqrt{\pi}t) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} (-\frac{1}{4} + \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & (-\frac{1}{4} - \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & -\frac{i}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ (-\frac{1}{4} - \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & (-\frac{1}{4} + \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & \frac{i}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ (\frac{1}{4} + \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & (\frac{1}{4} - \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & \frac{i}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \\ (\frac{1}{4} - \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & (\frac{1}{4} + \frac{i}{4})\sqrt{\pi} & -\frac{i}{4} & \frac{1}{4} \end{pmatrix} =$$

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$$\sin(\sqrt{t}) - e^{2\sqrt{t}} \sin(\sqrt{t})$$

$$e^{2\sqrt{t}} \cos(\sqrt{t}) + \cos(\sqrt{t})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & - e^{2\sqrt{t}} \cos(\sqrt{t}) + \sqrt{t} \cos(\sqrt{t}) - \\
 & - e^{2\sqrt{t}} \sqrt{t} \sin(\sqrt{t}) - \sqrt{t} \sin(\sqrt{t}) \\
 & e^{2\sqrt{t}} \cos(\sqrt{t}) - \sqrt{t} \cos(\sqrt{t}) - e^{2\sqrt{t}} \times \\
 & \quad \times \sqrt{t} \sin(\sqrt{t}) + \sqrt{t} \sin(\sqrt{t})
 \end{aligned}$$

$$e^{2\sqrt{t}} \cos(\sqrt{t}) + \cos(\sqrt{t})$$

$$e^{2\sqrt{t}} \sin(\sqrt{t}) - \sin(\sqrt{t})$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 & e^{2\sqrt{t}} \sqrt{t} \cos(\sqrt{t}) - \sqrt{t} \cos(\sqrt{t}) - \\
 & - e^{2\sqrt{t}} \sqrt{t} \sin(\sqrt{t}) - \sqrt{t} \sin(\sqrt{t}) \\
 & e^{2\sqrt{t}} \cos(\sqrt{t}) - \sqrt{t} \cos(\sqrt{t}) + \\
 & + e^{2\sqrt{t}} \sqrt{t} \sin(\sqrt{t}) - \sqrt{t} \sin(\sqrt{t})
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{1}{2} e^{-\sqrt{t}}$$

Substituting in

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \\ \dot{a}_1 \\ \dot{b}_1 \end{pmatrix} (t) = e^t \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 1 & 0 \\ 2 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

we finally receive

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \\ \dot{a}_1 \\ \dot{b}_1 \end{pmatrix} (t) = \frac{e^{-\sqrt{t}}}{2} \begin{pmatrix} e^{2\sqrt{t}} \cos(\sqrt{t}) + \cos(\sqrt{t}) \\ e^{2\sqrt{t}} \sin(\sqrt{t}) - \sin(\sqrt{t}) \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \\ \dot{a}_1 \\ \dot{b}_1 \end{pmatrix} (t) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{e^{\sqrt{t}}}{2} + \frac{e^{-\sqrt{t}}}{2} \\ \frac{e^{\sqrt{t}}}{2} - \frac{e^{-\sqrt{t}}}{2} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \sqrt{t} \\ \sin \sqrt{t} \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{aligned} a_1 &= \cosh(\sqrt{t}) \cdot \cos \sqrt{t} \\ b_1 &= \sinh(\sqrt{t}) \cdot \sin \sqrt{t} \\ \dot{a}_1 &= 0 \\ \dot{b}_1 &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

Substituting a_1 and b_1 in solution

in the form

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k(t) \sin(2\pi k x) + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} b_k(t) \cos(2\pi k x)$$

we receive:

$$\boxed{u(x,t)} = \overset{a_1}{\cosh(\sqrt{Jt}) \cos(\sqrt{Jt})} \cdot \sin(2\pi x) + \overset{b_1}{\sinh(\sqrt{Jt}) \sin(\sqrt{Jt})} \cdot \cos(2\pi x)$$

This is exact solution of PDE (*)

(*) Show that we end up at the system (only for a_1 and b_1)

$$* \begin{cases} \ddot{a}_1(t) + 2\pi b_1(t) = 0 \\ \ddot{b}_1(t) - 2\pi a_1(t) = 0 \end{cases}$$

Solution We can prove that we end up at (*)

by substituting solution in the form

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} a_k(t) \sin(2\pi k x) + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} b_k(t) \cos(2\pi k x) \text{ into}$$

PDE and initial conditions:

$$\boxed{u_x} = \overset{\text{first}}{\frac{\partial}{\partial x} u(x,t)} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2\pi k \cdot a_k(t) \cos(2\pi k x) - \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} 2\pi k \cdot \underbrace{b_k(t)}{\sin(2\pi k x)}$$

$$[u_t] = \frac{\partial u(x,t)}{\partial t} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \dot{a}_k(t) \sin(2\pi kx) + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \dot{b}_k(t) \cos(2\pi kx)$$

$$[u_{tt}] = \frac{\partial^2 u(x,t)}{\partial t^2} = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \ddot{a}_k(t) \sin(2\pi kx) + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \ddot{b}_k(t) \cos(2\pi kx)$$

Substituting partial derivatives in PDE 1 :

$$\sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \ddot{a}_k(t) \sin(2\pi kx) + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \ddot{b}_k(t) \cos(2\pi kx) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2\pi k \cdot a_k(t) \cos(2\pi kx) - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} 2\pi k \cdot b_k(t) \sin(2\pi kx)$$

As we know from the previous ex.

$$\begin{cases} a_k(0) = \begin{cases} 1, & k=1 \\ 0, & k \neq 1 \end{cases} \\ b_k(0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

Hence we get:

$$\begin{aligned} \ddot{a}_1 \sin(2\pi x) + \ddot{b}_1(t) \cos(2\pi x) &= 2\pi a_1(t) \cos(2\pi x) - \\ &- 2\pi b_1(t) \sin(2\pi x) \\ \sin(2\pi x) (\ddot{a}_1 + 2\pi b_1(t)) - \cos(2\pi x) (\ddot{b}_1 - 2\pi a_1(t)) &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{cases} \ddot{a}_1 + 2\pi b_1(t) = 0 \\ \ddot{b}_1 - 2\pi a_1(t) = 0 \end{cases}$$

By letting

$$\begin{aligned} \beta_1 &= a_1 \\ \beta_2 &= b_1 \\ \beta_3 &= \dot{a}_1 \\ \beta_4 &= \dot{b}_1 \end{aligned}$$

we obtain

$$\beta_1 = \dot{a}_1 = \beta_3$$

$$\beta_2 = \dot{b}_1 = \beta_4$$

$$\beta_3 = \dot{a}_1 = -2\pi b_1 = -2\pi \beta_2$$

$$\beta_4 = \dot{b}_1 = 2\pi a_1 = 2\pi \beta_1$$

This corresponds to,

$$\begin{pmatrix} \dot{a}_1 \\ \dot{b}_1 \\ \dot{a}_1 \\ \dot{b}_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2\pi & 0 & 0 \\ 2\pi & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \\ \dot{a}_1 \\ \dot{b}_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ b_1 \\ \dot{a}_1 \\ \dot{b}_1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Also we check the correctness of initial condition

$$u(x,0) = \underbrace{a_1(0)}_{=1} \sin 2\pi x + 0 + \dots + 0$$

$$+ \underbrace{b_0(t)}_0 \cos(2\pi kx)$$

$$= \sin 2\pi x$$

$$u_t(x,0) = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \underbrace{\dot{a}_k(0)}_{=0} \sin 2\pi x + \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \underbrace{\dot{b}_k(0)}_{=0} \underbrace{\cos 2\pi kx}_1$$

$$= 0$$

Exercise 1.14:

$$u_t = K u_{xx}, \quad K \in \mathbb{R}; \quad x \in [0, 1].$$

with

$$\text{I.C: } u(x, 0) = \sin(\pi x)$$

$$\text{BCs: } u(0, t) = u(1, t) = 0$$

Let a solution of the form $u(x, t) = X(x) T(t)$

the given heat equation becomes

$$\frac{\dot{T}(t)}{K \cdot T(t)} = \frac{X''(x)}{X(x)} = C (\text{constant})$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{cases} \dot{T}(t) - K \cdot C \cdot T(t) = 0 \\ X''(x) - C \cdot X(x) = 0 \end{cases}$$

The solution of the first ODE is;

$$T_n(t) = b_n e^{-K(n\pi)^2 t} \quad \text{with } C = -\lambda_n^2 = (n\pi)^2$$

from second ODE: we have three cases:

- $C > 0$: let $C = \lambda^2 \Rightarrow X(x) = c_1 e^{\lambda x} + c_2 e^{-\lambda x}$

Applying BCs, we have

$$c_1 = c_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow X(x) = 0 \quad (\text{trivial solution})$$

- $C = 0$: $X(x) = c_3 + c_4 x \xrightarrow{\text{BCs}} c_3 = c_4 = 0$

Hence $X(x) = 0$ (trivial solution)

• $C < 0$: let $C = -\lambda^2$, we have

$$X(x) = C_5 \cos(\lambda x) + C_6 \sin(\lambda x)$$

BCs: \rightarrow

$$X_n(x) = a_n \sin(n\pi x) \quad ; \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

with

$$\lambda_n = n\pi$$

Hence the solution is:

$$u_n(x, t) = X_n(x) T_n(t)$$

$$= a_n \sin(n\pi x) b_n e^{-k(n\pi)^2 t}$$

or

$$u_n(x, t) = d_n e^{-k(n\pi)^2 t} \sin(n\pi x) \quad (\because d_n = a_n b_n)$$

Applying Superposition principle:

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n e^{-k(n\pi)^2 t} \sin(n\pi x)$$

with

$$c_n = 2 \int_0^1 \sin(\pi x) \sin(n\pi x) dx \quad (\because u(x, 0) = u_0(x) = \sin(\pi x))$$

Initial condition:

$$u(x, 0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n e^0 \sin(n\pi x)$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin(n\pi x) \stackrel{\text{given}}{=} \sin(\pi x)$$

$\Rightarrow n=1$ only, remaining terms not present

$$\Rightarrow c_1 = 2 \int_0^1 \sin^2(\pi x) dx = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow u(x, t) = e^{-k\pi^2 t} \sin(\pi x)$$

$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} k > 0 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{well-posed } t > 0 \\ \text{ill-posed } t < 0 \end{array} \right. \\ k < 0 \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{ill-posed } t > 0 \\ \text{well-posed } t < 0 \end{array} \right. \end{array} \right.$

Exercise 1.15:

Consider the hyperbolic PDE:

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + a \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + bu = f(x,t) ; \quad a \& b \text{ are constants}$$

Coordinate change: $(x, t) \longrightarrow (\xi, \tau)$

with $\tau = t$, $\xi = x - at$

inverse mapping: $t = \tau$, $x = \xi + a\tau$

Define $\hat{u}(\xi, \tau) = u(x, t)$

the given PDE transforms to new coordinate as:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \hat{u}}{\partial \tau} &= \frac{\partial t}{\partial \tau} \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial x}{\partial \tau} \cdot \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \\ &= \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + a \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial \hat{u}}{\partial \tau} = -b\hat{u} + f(\xi + a\tau, \tau) \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \because \text{from given PDE:} \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + a \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = -bu + f(x,t) \end{array} \right)$$

The solution of this ODE:

$$\hat{u}(\xi, \tau) = u_0(\xi) e^{-b\tau} + \int_0^\tau f(\xi + a\sigma, \sigma) e^{-b(\tau-\sigma)} d\sigma$$

Back to the original coordinate $(x, t) \Rightarrow$

$$u(x, t) = u_0(x - at) e^{-bt} + \int_0^t f(x - a(t-s), s) e^{-b(t-s)} ds.$$

Exercise 1.16:

$$u_t + \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{2} \cos(x)} u_x = 0$$

We change the variables to τ and ξ ; where $\tau = t$.
we have

$$\frac{\partial \tilde{u}}{\partial \tau} = \frac{\partial t}{\partial \tau} u_t + \frac{\partial x}{\partial \tau} u_x$$

$$= u_t + \frac{\partial x}{\partial \tau} u_x$$

where the given PDE is transformed to ODE:

$$\frac{dx}{d\tau} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{2} \cos(x)} ; \quad x(0) = \xi \rightarrow (*)$$

$\frac{d\tilde{u}}{d\tau} = 0$, $\tilde{u}(0, \xi) = u_0(\xi)$; from this ODE, u is constant along each characteristic curve.

The general solution of (*) is given by

$$x(\tau) + \frac{1}{2} \sin(x) - \tau = C$$

and the initial condition $x(0) = \xi$ implies that

$$\xi + \frac{1}{2} \sin \xi - 0 = C$$

Hence the unique solution is in (x, t) coordinate:

$$x + \frac{1}{2} \sin x - t = \xi + \frac{1}{2} \sin \xi$$

Exercise 1.17

$$u_t + xu_x = 0$$

with

$$u(x, 0) = u_0(x) = \begin{cases} 1 & ; 0 \leq x \leq 1 \\ 0 & ; \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

The given PDE corresponds to the system of the equations

$$\frac{d\tilde{u}}{d\tau} = 0 \quad ; \quad \tilde{u}(0, \xi) = u_0(\xi)$$

$$\frac{dx}{d\tau} = x \quad ; \quad x(0) = \xi$$

From the first equation; u is constant along each characteristic curve
 i.e. $\tilde{u}(\xi, \tau) = u_0(\xi)$ ($\because c = u_0(\xi)$)
 the general solution of equation $x(\tau)$ is

$$x(\tau) = ce^{\tau}$$

with $x(0) = \xi$ implies that

$$x(\tau) = \xi e^{\tau} \quad \text{or} \quad \xi = x e^{-\tau}$$

Thus

$$u(t, x) = \tilde{u}(\tau, \xi) = u_0(\xi) = u_0(x e^{-t})$$

so we have; for $t > 0$

$$u(t, x) = \begin{cases} 1 & ; \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq e^t \\ 0 & ; \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

