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## Unit-10 Separation of Variable Contd:

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### Section 10.6 Problems:

- 1) Find the steady state solution of the heat conduction equation  
 $\alpha^2 u_{xx} = u_f$  that satisfies the given boundary conditions.

$$u(0, t) = 10, \quad u(50, t) = 40$$

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Hence the given boundary conditions are

$$u(0, t) = 10 \quad (i), \quad u(50, t) = 40 \quad (ii)$$

for the heat condition equation

$$\alpha^2 u_{xx} = u_f \quad (iii)$$

Let us suppose after a long time ( $t \rightarrow \infty$ ), a steady temperature distribution  $v(x)$  will be reached which is independent of time  $t$  and initial condition.

∴ The eqn  $(iii)$  can be written as

$$v_{xx} = 0 \quad (iv) \text{ with boundary condition}$$

$$v(0) = 10 \quad (v)$$

$$\text{and } v(50) = 40 \quad (vi)$$

on integrating  $(iv)$  w.r.t  $x$  we get

$$v_x = A \quad \text{which on further int. gives}$$

$$v(x) = Ax + B \quad (vii)$$

from  $(v)$  and  $(vii)$  and from  $(vi)$  and  $(vii)$

$$10 = A \cdot 0 + B$$

$$40 = 50A + 10$$

$$\therefore B = 10$$

$$\therefore A = \frac{3}{5}$$

substituting the value of A and B in (vii) we get

$$V(x) = 10 + \frac{3}{5}x - \underline{\underline{A}m}$$

which is the required steady-state solution.

and the steady state solution of the heat conduction equation  $\alpha^2 u_{xx} = u_f$  that satisfies the set of boundary conditions

$$u(0, t) = 30, \quad u(40, t) = -20$$

the given heat conduction equation is

$$\alpha^2 u_{xx} = u_f \quad (i)$$

the given boundary conditions are

$$u(0, t) = 30 \quad (ii) \text{ and}$$

$$u(40, t) = -20 \quad (iii)$$

we suppose after a long time ( $t \rightarrow \infty$ ) a steady temperature distribution  $v(x)$  will be reached which is independent of time + the initial conditions.

so the eqn (i) can be written as

$$v_{xx} = 0 \quad (iv) \text{ with boundary conditions } v(0) = 30 \quad (v)$$

on integration with respect to x gives  $v(40) = -20 \quad (vi)$

$$v_x = A$$

on further integration gives

$$v(x) = Ax + B \quad (vii)$$

from (v) and (vi) we get

$$30 = A \cdot 0 + B$$

$$\therefore B = 30$$

and from (vi) and (vii) we get

$$-20 = 40 \cdot A + 30$$

$$\text{or } A = -\frac{5}{4}$$

On substituting the value of A and B in (viii) we get

$$V(x) = -\frac{5}{4}x + 30$$

$\therefore V(x) = 30 - \frac{5}{4}x$  is the required steady state solution of the heat conduction eq<sup>n</sup>. Ans

4) Find the steady state solution of the heat conduction equation  $\partial^2 U_{xx} = u_t$  that satisfies the set of boundary conditions

$$U_x(0, t) = 0, \quad U(L, t) = T$$

Soln.

From the given heat conduction equation is

$$\partial^2 U_{xx} = u_t \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

and the given boundary conditions are

$$U_x(0, t) = 30 \quad \text{--- (ii)} \text{ and}$$

$$U(L, t) = T \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

Let us suppose after a long time (i.e.  $t \rightarrow \infty$ ) a steady temperature

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ibution (vi) will be reached which is independent of time  
and two conditions.

eqn (ii) can be written as

~~$V_{xx} = 0$~~  — (iv) with boundary conditions

$$\partial V_x / \partial x(0) = 0 \quad (\text{v})$$

$$\text{and } V(L) = T \quad (\text{vi})$$

first eqn (iv) w.r.t  $x$  we get

$$V_x(x) = A \quad (\text{vii})$$

which on further integrating w.r.t  $x$  gives

$$V(x) = Ax + B \quad (\text{viii})$$

from eqn (v) and (viii) we get

$$A = 0$$

and from eqn (vi) and (viii) we get

$$T = 0 \cdot L + B$$

$$\therefore B = T$$

substituting these values of  $A$  and  $B$  in (viii) we get

$V(x) = T$  which is the required steady-state solution Ans.

5) Find the steady-state solution of the heat conduction equation  $\alpha^2 u_{xx} = u_f$  that satisfies the given boundary conditions

$$u(0,t) = 0, \quad u_x(L,t) = 0$$

~~Soln~~

Hence the given heat conduction eqn is

$$\alpha^2 u_{xx} = u_f \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

and the given boundary conditions are

$$u(0,t) = 0 \quad \text{--- (ii) and}$$

$$u_x(L,t) = 0 \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

Now we suppose at large interval of time (i.e  $t \rightarrow \infty$ ), steady temperature distribution  $v(x)$  will be reached which is independent of time  $t$  and the initial condition.

Now eqn (i) can be written as

$$v_{xx} = 0 \quad \text{--- (iv) with the boundary condition}$$

$$v(0) = 0 \quad \text{--- (v)}$$

$$\text{and } v_x(L) = 0 \quad \text{--- (vi)}$$

Int. (iv) w.r.t  $x$  we get

$$v_x = A \quad \text{--- (vii)}$$

which on further integration gives

$$v(x) = Ax + B \quad \text{--- (viii)}$$

Using (vii) and (viii) we get

$$A = 0$$

and on using (v) and (viii) we get

$$0 = 0 + B$$

$$\therefore B = 0$$

On substituting the values of  $A$  and  $B$  in (viii) we get  
 $v(x) = 0$  which is required steady-state solution Ans

Find the steady-state solution of the heat conduction equation  
 $\frac{\partial^2 u_{xx}}{\partial x^2} = u_f$  that satisfies the given set of boundary conditions.

$$u(0,t) = T, \quad u_x(L,t) = 0$$

e. The given heat conduction eqns.

$$\frac{\partial^2 u_{xx}}{\partial x^2} = u_f \quad (i)$$

The given boundary conditions are

$$u(0,t) = T \quad (ii) \text{ and}$$

$$u_x(L,t) = 0 \quad (iii)$$

o we suppose that at large interval of time ( $t \rightarrow \infty$ ) the steady temperature will be reached which is independent of time  $t$  and initial condition.

in (i) can be written as

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = 0 \quad (iv) \text{ with initial boundary condition}$$

$$u(0) = T \quad (v) \text{ and}$$

$$u(L) = 0 \quad (vi)$$

Integrating eqn(iv) we get

$$u_x = A \quad (vii)$$

further integration it gives

$$u(x) = Ax + B \quad (viii)$$

using (v) and (viii) we get  
 $A = 0$

and on using (v) and (viii) we get  $B = T$

On substituting these values of  $A$  and  $B$  in (viii) we get

$$V(x) = T$$

which is the required steady state solution. Ans.

8) Find the steady state solution of heat conduction equation  $\alpha^2 u_{xx} = u_t$  that satisfies the given boundary conditions

$$u(0,t) = T, \quad u_x(L,t) + u(L,t) = 0$$

so,

Hence the given heat conduction is

$$\alpha^2 u_{xx} = u_t \quad (i)$$

and the given boundary conditions are

$$u(0,t) = T \quad (ii) \text{ and}$$

$$u_x(L,t) + u(L,t) = 0 \quad (iii)$$

Now, we suppose that after long time interval of time ( $t \rightarrow \infty$ ), steady temperature distribution will be reached which is independent of time ( $t$ ) and initial condition.

Now eqn (i) can be written as

$$V_{xx} = 0 \quad (iv) \text{ with the boundary conditions}$$

$$V(0) = T \quad (v) \text{ and}$$

$$V_x(L) + V(L) = 0 \quad (vi)$$

Now on int. of eqn (iv) we get

$$V_x(x) = A \quad (vii) \quad ; \quad V_x(L) = A$$

which on further int. gives  $V(x) = Ax + B \quad (viii)$

$$; \quad V(L) = AL + B \quad (ix)$$

$$x(L) + v(L) = AL + B + A$$

$$v_x(L) + v(L) = A(L+L) + B \quad (x)$$

using (V) and (Vii) we get

$$T = A \cdot 0 + B$$

$$\therefore B = T$$

using (V) and (Vi)

$$0 = A(L+L) + B$$

$$\therefore A = -\frac{T}{L+L}$$

substituting these values of A and B in (vi) we get

$$v(x) = Ax + B$$

$$v(x) = -\frac{T}{L+L} x + T$$

$$(2) = \frac{(L+L)T - Tx}{(L+L)} \quad \text{Am}$$

$$(3) = \frac{T(L+L-x)}{(L+L)} \quad \text{is the required steady-state solution.} \quad \text{Am}$$

## #. The Wave Equation: Vibration of an Elastic String:

Suppose that an elastic string of length  $L$  is tightly stretched between two supports at the same horizontal level, so that the  $x$ -axis lies along the string. Suppose that the string is set in motion so that it vibrates in vertical plane and let  $u(x,t)$  denote the vertical displacement experienced by the string at the point  $x$  at time  $t$ . Damping such as air resistance are neglected, if the amplitude of the motion is not too large, then  $u(x,t)$  satisfies the partial differential equation

$$\alpha^2 u_{xx} = u_{tt} \quad (i) \quad 0 < x < L, \quad t > 0$$

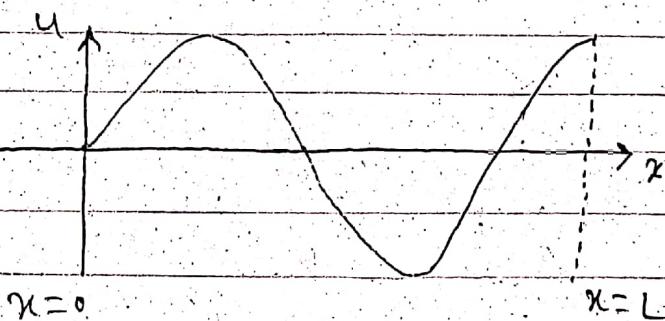
This equation is known as one dimensional wave equation.  
where,

$$\alpha = T/\rho \quad T \text{ is tension in string}$$

$$\rho \text{ is mass per unit length.}$$

For the motion of string i.e for the displacement  $u(x,t)$ , we need to specify the suitable initial and boundary conditions. For this we assume that the ends of the string are fixed so the boundary conditions are

$$u(0,t) = 0, \quad u(L,t) = 0 \quad t > 0 \quad (ii)$$



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As the diff. eqn (iv) of second order w.r.t. to  $t$ , we need to prescribe two initial conditions.

$$u(x, 0) = f(x) \quad 0 \leq x \leq L \quad (\text{iii})$$

and its initial velocity  
 $u_t(x, 0) = g(x) \quad 0 \leq x \leq L \quad (\text{iv})$

where  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  are the given functions.

and since  $u(0, t) = 0$

$$\therefore u(0, 0) = f(0)$$

$$\therefore f(0) = 0 \quad (\text{v})$$

and  $u(L, t) = 0$

$$\text{or } u(L, 0) = f(L)$$

$$\therefore 0 = f(L)$$

$$\therefore f(L) = 0 \quad (\text{vi})$$

and same is for  $g(x)$

$$\text{i.e. } g(0) = 0 \quad (\text{vii})$$

$$g(L) = 0 \quad (\text{viii})$$

## Section 10.7

## # Elastic String with non-zero Initial Displacement

Suppose that the string is disturbed from its equilibrium position and then released at time  $t=0$  with zero velocity to vibrate freely. Then the vertical displacement  $u(x,t)$  must satisfy the wave equation

$$\alpha^2 u_{xx} = u_{tt}, \quad 0 < x < L, \quad t > 0 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

the boundary conditions

$$u(0,t) = 0, \quad \text{(ii)} \quad \text{and} \quad u(L,t) = 0, \quad \text{(iii)}$$

and the initial conditions

$$u(x,0) = f(x), \quad u_t(x,0) = 0, \quad 0 \leq x \leq L \quad \text{--- (iv)}$$

where  $f(x)$  is the given function.

Now,

Let  $u(x,t) = X(x)T(t)$  be the solution of eqn (i) then

$$u_{xx} = X''(x)T(t)$$

$$\text{and } u_{tt} = X(x)T''(t)$$

On substituting these values in (i) we get

$$\alpha^2 X''(x)T(t) = X(x)T''(t)$$

$$\text{or } X''(x) = \frac{T''(t)}{\alpha^2 T(t)} = -\lambda \quad (\text{say}) \quad \text{--- (vii)}$$

otherwise  $u=0$ , which is out of interest.

from (vii)

$$X''(x) + \lambda X(x) = 0 \quad \text{--- (viii)}$$

$$\text{and } T''(t) + \alpha^2 \lambda T(t) = 0 \quad \text{--- (ix)}$$

stly we solve for (v, iii)

$x''(x) + \lambda x(x) = 0$  is a second order linear homogeneous equation so its characteristic eqn is

$$\gamma^2 + \lambda = 0$$

for eigen values we put  $\lambda = \mu^2$

$$\therefore \gamma^2 + \mu^2 = 0$$

$$\text{or } \gamma^2 = -\mu^2$$

$$\therefore \gamma = \pm i\mu$$

The solution of (v, iii) is

$$x(x) = A_1 \cos \mu x + B_1 \sin \mu x \quad (x)$$

we have,

$$u(0, t) = 0$$

$$\therefore \text{and } u(x, t) = x(x) T(t)$$

$$\text{or } u(0, t) = x(0) T(t)$$

$$\text{or } 0 = x(0) T(t)$$

$$\therefore x(0) = 0 \quad (\text{ii})$$

$$\text{and } u(L, t) = 0$$

$$\text{and } u(x, t) = x(x) T(t)$$

$$\text{or } u(L, t) = x(L) T(t)$$

$$\text{or } 0 = x(L) T(t)$$

$$\therefore T(t) = x(L) = 0 \quad (\text{iii})$$

using (x) and (ii) we get

$$0 = A_1$$

using (x) and (iii) we get

$$0 = B_1 \sin \mu L$$

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$\therefore B \neq 0$ , otherwise the solution is trivial,

$$\therefore \sin ML = 0$$

$$\therefore \sin ML = \sin n\pi$$

$$\therefore ML = n\pi$$

$$\therefore M = \frac{n\pi}{L}$$

$$\therefore \lambda_n = \omega_n = \frac{n^2\pi^2}{L^2}$$

$\therefore$  The required solution is eigen function is

$$X_n(x) = B \sin n\pi x$$

$$x_0 X_n(0) = \sin n\pi x_0 \quad (\text{iii})$$

Now, substituting the value of  $x$  in (iv) we get

$$T'(t) + \frac{\omega^2 n^2 \pi^2}{L^2} T(t) = 0 \quad (\text{iv})$$

or  $\frac{T'(t)}{T(t)} = -\frac{\omega^2 n^2 \pi^2}{L^2}$  characteristic eqn for (iv) is

$$\therefore r^2 + \frac{\omega^2 n^2 \pi^2}{L^2} = 0$$

$$\text{or } r^2 = -\frac{\omega^2 n^2 \pi^2}{L^2}$$

$$\therefore r = \pm i \frac{\omega n \pi}{L}$$

$\therefore$  The solution of (iv) is

$$T(t) = A_2 \cos \frac{\omega n \pi t}{L} + B_2 \sin \frac{\omega n \pi t}{L} \quad (\text{v})$$

and we have  $u_x(x, 0) = 0$

$$\text{and } u_t(x, 0) = X(x) T'(0)$$

$$u_t(x,0) = X(x) T'(0)$$

$$0 = X(x) T'(0)$$

$$T'(0) = \cancel{X(0)} - (xvi)$$

From (v) and (xvi) we get

$$\therefore T(t) = -\frac{A_2}{L} \sin \frac{n\pi}{L} t + B_2 \frac{\cos \frac{n\pi}{L} t}{L} - (xvi')$$

From (xvi) and (xvi') we get

$$0 = \frac{B_2}{L} \cancel{\cos \frac{n\pi}{L} t} + \cancel{\frac{\sin \frac{n\pi}{L} t}{L}} +$$

$$\therefore \cancel{\cos \frac{n\pi}{L} t} \therefore B_2 = 0$$

Now,

$$\therefore T(t) = \frac{A_2}{L} \cos \frac{n\pi}{L} t$$

Required solution of wave eqn is

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin \frac{n\pi x}{L}}{L} \cos \frac{n\pi}{L} t$$

and we have  $u(x,0) = f(x)$

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or  $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} \cos \frac{n\pi}{L} = f(x)$

$\therefore f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L}$

which is fourier sine series.

$c_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} dx$

thus the required solution of vibrating string is

$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} \cos \frac{n\pi t}{L}$  where

$c_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} dx$

→ further the quantity  $\frac{n\pi}{L} = \omega_n$  is said to be the natural frequency i.e. the frequency at which the string is free to vibrate

and the factor  $\sin \frac{n\pi x}{L}$  represents the displacement pattern occurring in the string when it is executing vibration of the given frequency.

→ Each displacement pattern is said to be natural mode of vibration whose time period is  $\frac{2L}{n\pi}$  and it is said to be the wavelength mode with frequency  $\frac{n\pi}{L}$ .

in 10.7 Problems:

Consider an elastic string of length  $L$  whose ends are held fixed. The string is set in motion with no initial velocity from an initial position  $u(x,0) = f(x)$ . Let  $L=10$ , find the displacement  $u(x,t)$  for the given initial position  $f(x)$ .

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 4x/L & ; 0 \leq x \leq L/4 \\ 1 & ; L/4 < x < 3L/4 \\ 4(L-x)/L & ; 3L/4 \leq x \leq L \end{cases}$$

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use the given initial position is

$$u(x,0) = f(x) = \begin{cases} 4x/L & ; 0 \leq x \leq L/4 \\ 1 & ; L/4 < x < 3L/4 \\ 4(1-x)/L & ; 3L/4 \leq x \leq L \end{cases}$$

where the length of the rod ( $L$ ) = 10

or one-dimensional wave eq<sup>n</sup> we have,

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} \cos \frac{n\pi t}{T} \quad (1)$$

where

$$\therefore u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} \cos \frac{n\pi t}{T}$$

$$\text{where } c_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} dx$$

$$\text{or } c_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^{10} f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} dx$$

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$$\text{or } C_n = \frac{1}{5} \left\{ \int_{0/4}^{10/4} \frac{4x}{10} \sin nx dx + \int_{10/4}^{30/4} \frac{1}{10} \sin nx dx + \int_{30/4}^{10} \frac{4(10-x)}{10} \sin nx dx \right\}$$

$$\text{or } C_n = \frac{1}{5} \left\{ \frac{4}{10} \left[ \frac{10x \cos nx}{n\pi} + \frac{100 \sin nx}{n\pi^2} \right]_{0/4}^{10/4} - \frac{10}{n\pi} \left[ \cos nx \right]_{10/4}^{30/4} - \frac{4 \cdot 10}{n\pi} \left[ \cos nx \right]_{30/4}^{10} - \frac{4}{10} \left[ \frac{-10x \cos nx}{n\pi^2} + \frac{100 \sin nx}{n\pi^2} \right]_{30/4}^{10} \right\}$$

$$\text{or } C_n = \frac{1}{5} \left\{ \frac{4}{10} \left\{ -10 \cos \frac{n\pi}{4} + \frac{100 \sin n\pi}{n\pi^2} \right\} - \frac{10 \cos 3n\pi}{n\pi} + \frac{10 \cos 3n\pi}{n\pi} - \frac{40 \cos n\pi}{n\pi} + \frac{40 \cos 3n\pi}{n\pi} - \frac{4}{10} \left\{ -10 \cos n\pi + \frac{100 \sin 3n\pi}{n\pi^2} \right. \right. \\ \left. \left. - \frac{100 \sin 3n\pi}{n\pi^2} \right\} \right\}$$

$$\text{or } C_n = \frac{1}{5} \left[ -\frac{40 \cos n\pi}{n\pi} + \frac{40 \sin n\pi}{n^2\pi^2} + \frac{10 \cos 3n\pi}{n\pi} - \frac{10 \cos 3n\pi}{n\pi} + \frac{10 \cos n\pi}{n\pi} + \frac{10 \cos 3n\pi}{n\pi} + \right. \\ \left. - \frac{40}{n\pi} \cos n\pi + \frac{40}{n\pi} \cos 3n\pi + \frac{40}{n\pi} \cos n\pi - \frac{4}{n\pi} \cos 3n\pi + \frac{40}{n^2\pi^2} \sin 3n\pi \right]$$

$$\text{or } C_n = \frac{1}{5} \left( \frac{8916}{n^2\pi^2} \sin n\pi \right) \frac{1}{4} \left\{ \frac{40}{n^2\pi^2} \sin 3n\pi + \frac{40}{n\pi^2} \sin n\pi \right\}$$

$$\text{or } C_n = \left( \frac{4}{n\pi} \right)^2 \sin \frac{n\pi}{4} \frac{1}{5} \times \frac{408}{n^2\pi^2} \left[ \sin \frac{n\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{3n\pi}{4} \right] \\ \therefore C_n = \frac{8}{n^2\pi^2} \left[ \sin \frac{n\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{3n\pi}{4} \right]$$

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Substituting the value of  $c_n$  in (i) we get

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$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{16}{n\pi^2} \sin \frac{3n\pi}{4} \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} \cos \frac{dn\pi t}{L}$$

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{8}{n^2\pi^2} \left[ \sin \frac{n\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{3n\pi}{4} \right] \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} \cos \frac{dn\pi t}{L}$$

$$\therefore u(x,t) = \frac{8}{\pi^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^2} \left( \sin \frac{n\pi}{4} + \sin \frac{3n\pi}{4} \right) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} \cos \frac{dn\pi t}{L}$$

which is the required sol<sup>n</sup> for wave equation  $\ddot{u}$ .

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- 3) Consider an elastic string of length  $L$  whose ends are held fixed. The string is set in motion with no initial velocity from an initial position  $u(x,0) = f(x)$ . Let  $L = 10$ , and find the displacement  $u(x,t)$  for the given initial position  $f(x)$ .

$$f(x) = 8x(L-x)^2/L^3$$

Soln

Here the given initial position is

$$u(x,0) = f(x) = \frac{8x(L-x)^2}{L^3}$$

$$\text{where } L = 10$$

$$\therefore u(x,0) = f(x) = \frac{8x(10-x)^2}{1000}$$

Now for one dimensional wave equation we have

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} \cos \frac{n\pi t}{L}$$

$$\therefore u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} \cos \frac{n\pi t}{10} \quad (V)$$

where for  $c_n$ , we have

$$c_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} dx$$

$$\text{or } c_n = \frac{2}{10} \int_0^{10} \frac{8x(10-x)^2}{1000} \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} dx$$

$$\text{or } c_n = \frac{1}{5} \times \frac{8}{1000} \left[ \int_0^{10} (100x \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} - 20x^2 \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} + \frac{x^3}{3} \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10}) dx \right]$$

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$$c_{n2} = \frac{1}{625} \left\{ 100 \int_0^{10} x \sin n\pi x dx - 20 \int_0^{10} x^2 \sin n\pi x dx + \right.$$

$$\left. \int_0^{10} x^3 \sin n\pi x dx \right\}$$

$$c_n = \frac{1}{625} \left\{ 100 \left[ \frac{-10x \cos n\pi x}{n\pi} + \frac{100 \sin n\pi x}{n^2\pi^2} \right]_0^{10} - 20 \left[ \frac{10 \cos n\pi x}{n\pi} \right]_0^{10} \right. \\ \left. + \left\{ \frac{200}{(n\pi)^2} - x^2 \right\} + \frac{200x}{(n\pi)^2} \sin n\pi x \right]_0^{10} \\ + \left[ \frac{-10x^3 \cos n\pi x}{n\pi} + \frac{30}{n\pi} \left[ \frac{10x^2}{n\pi} \sin n\pi x + \frac{200x}{(n\pi)^2} \cos n\pi x \right]_0^{10} \right. \\ \left. - \frac{2000}{(n\pi)^3} \sin n\pi x \right]_0^{10} \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{625} \left[ \left\{ 100 \left( -\frac{100 \cos n\pi}{n\pi} \right) - 20 \left( \frac{10 \cos n\pi}{n\pi} \left( \frac{200}{(n\pi)^2} - 100 \right) \right) \right\} - \frac{10}{n\pi} \left( \frac{200}{(n\pi)^2} \right) \right] \\ + \left\{ -\frac{10000 \cos n\pi}{(n\pi)} + \frac{30000}{(n\pi)^2} \cdot \frac{60000 \cos n\pi}{(n\pi)^2} - 0 \right\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{625} \left[ \frac{-10000 \cos n\pi}{n\pi} - \frac{40000 \cos n\pi}{(n\pi)^3} + \frac{2000 \cos n\pi}{n\pi} \right. \\ \left. - \frac{2000}{(n\pi)^3} - \frac{-10000 \cos n\pi}{n\pi} + \frac{60000 \cos n\pi}{(n\pi)^2} \right]$$

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$$\text{or } C_n = \frac{1}{625} \left\{ 100 \int_0^{10} x \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} dx - 20 \int_0^{10} x^2 \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} dx + \int_0^{10} x^3 \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} dx \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{or } C_n = \frac{1}{625} & \left\{ 100 \left[ \frac{-10x \cos n\pi x}{(n\pi)} + \frac{100 \sin n\pi x}{(n\pi)^2} \right]_0^{10} - 20 \left[ \frac{-10x^2 \cos n\pi x}{(n\pi)} + \frac{200x \sin n\pi x}{(n\pi)^2} \right]_0^{10} \right. \\ & + \left. \frac{2000x \cos n\pi x}{(n\pi)^3} \right]_0^{10} + \left[ \frac{-10x^3 \cos n\pi x}{(n\pi)} + \frac{300x^2 \sin n\pi x}{(n\pi)^2} + \frac{6000x \sin n\pi x}{(n\pi)^3} \right]_0^{10} \\ & \left. - \frac{60000 \sin n\pi x}{(n\pi)^4} \right]_0^{10} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{or } C_n = \frac{1}{625} & \left\{ 100 \left\{ -\frac{100 \cos n\pi}{(n\pi)} + \frac{100 \sin n\pi}{(n\pi)^2} \right\} - 20 \left\{ -\frac{10000 \cos n\pi}{(n\pi)} + \frac{2000 \sin n\pi}{(n\pi)^2} \right. \right. \\ & + \left. \left. \frac{2000 \cos n\pi}{(n\pi)^3} - \frac{2000}{(n\pi)^3} \right\} + \left\{ -\frac{100000 \cos n\pi}{(n\pi)} + \frac{30000 \sin n\pi}{(n\pi)^2} \right. \\ & \left. + \frac{60000 \cos n\pi}{(n\pi)^3} - \frac{60000 \sin n\pi}{(n\pi)^4} \right\} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{or } C_n = \frac{1}{625} \left\{ -\frac{100000 \cos n\pi}{(n\pi)} + \frac{10000 \sin n\pi}{(n\pi)^2} + \frac{20000 \cos n\pi}{n\pi} - \frac{40000 \sin n\pi}{(n\pi)^2} \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & - \frac{40000 \cos n\pi}{(n\pi)^3} + \frac{40000}{(n\pi)^3} - \frac{10000 \cos n\pi}{(n\pi)} + \frac{30000 \sin n\pi}{(n\pi)^2} + \frac{60000}{(n\pi)^3} \\ & - 60000 \sin n\pi / (n\pi)^4 \end{aligned}$$

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$$-\frac{10000}{(n\pi)} \cos n\pi + \frac{20000}{(n\pi)} \cos n\pi - \frac{40000}{(n\pi)^3} \sin n\pi + \frac{40000}{(n\pi)^3}$$

$$-\frac{10000}{n\pi} \cos n\pi + \frac{60000}{(n\pi)^3} \sin n\pi \quad \left. \right\} 625$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \frac{20000}{(n\pi)^3} \cos n\pi + \frac{40000}{(n\pi)^3} \end{array} \right\} 1$$

$$\sum \frac{20000}{(n\pi)^3} (\cos n\pi + 2) \times \frac{1}{625} = \frac{32}{n^3 \pi^3} (\cos n\pi + 2)$$

Substituting the value of  $C_n$  in (i) we get

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} C_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} \cos \frac{n\pi \omega t}{10}$$

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{32}{n^3 \pi^3} (2 + \cos n\pi) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} \cos \frac{n\pi \omega t}{10}$$

$$u(x,t) = \frac{32}{\pi^3} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^3} (2 + \cos n\pi) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} \cos \frac{n\pi \omega t}{10}$$

This is the required solution for displacement.

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5) Consider an elastic string of length  $L$  whose ends are held fixed. The string is set in motion from its equilibrium position with an initial velocity  $u_t(x,0) = g(x)$ . Let  $L = 10$ , find the displacement  $u(x,t)$  for the given  $g(x)$ .

$$f(x) = \begin{cases} 2x/L & 0 \leq x \leq L/2 \\ 2(L-x)/L & L/2 < x \leq L \end{cases}$$

Soln

then the given initial velocity of the string is

$$u_t(x,0) = g(x) = \begin{cases} 2x/L & 0 \leq x \leq L/2 \\ 2(L-x)/L & L/2 < x \leq L \end{cases}$$

where  $L = 10$ .

Now for one dimensional wave eq we have

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} k_n \frac{\sin n\pi x}{L} \sin \frac{n\pi t}{L}$$

$$\text{or } u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} k_n \frac{\sin n\pi x}{10} \sin \frac{n\pi t}{10} \quad (i)$$

$$\text{and } u_t(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} k_n \frac{w n \pi d}{10} \frac{\sin n\pi x}{10} \cos \frac{n\pi t}{10}$$

and we have,  $u_t(x,0) = g(x)$

$$\text{or } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} k_n \frac{w n \pi d}{10} \frac{\sin n\pi x}{10} = g(x)$$

which is sine fourier series.

or  $k_n$ 

$k_n \frac{n\pi}{10}$  is the fourier coefficient of fourier sine series

and is given by

$$k_n \frac{n\pi}{10} = \frac{2}{10} \int_0^{10} g(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} dx$$

$$k_n \frac{n\pi}{10} = \frac{2}{10} \left[ \int_0^5 g(x) \sin n\pi x dx + \int_5^{10} g(x) \sin n\pi x dx \right]$$

$$\text{in } \frac{n\pi}{10} = \frac{2}{10} \left[ \int_0^5 2x \frac{\sin n\pi x}{10} dx + \int_5^{10} 2(10-x) \frac{\sin n\pi x}{10} dx \right]$$

$$\frac{n\pi}{10} = \frac{2}{10} \left[ \frac{1}{5} \left[ -10x \cos n\pi x + \frac{100}{(n\pi)^2} \sin n\pi x \right] \Big|_0^5 + \frac{1}{5} \left[ \int_5^{10} 10 \sin n\pi x dx - \int_5^0 x \sin n\pi x dx \right] \right]$$

$$\frac{n\pi}{10} = \frac{2}{10} \left[ \frac{1}{5} \left[ -10x \cos n\pi x + \frac{100}{(n\pi)^2} \sin n\pi x \right] \Big|_0^5 + \frac{1}{5} \left\{ -10 \int_0^{10} [\cos n\pi x] dx - \left[ \frac{-10x \cos n\pi x}{n\pi} + \frac{100}{(n\pi)^2} \sin n\pi x \right] \Big|_0^{10} \right\} \right]$$

$$\frac{n\pi}{10} = \frac{2}{10} \left[ \frac{1}{5} \left[ -\frac{50}{n\pi} \cos 2n\pi + \frac{100}{(n\pi)^2} \sin 2n\pi - 0 \right] + \frac{1}{5} \left\{ -\frac{100}{n\pi} \cos n\pi + \frac{100}{(n\pi)^2} \sin 2n\pi + \frac{100}{n\pi} \cos 2n\pi + \frac{100}{(n\pi)^2} \sin n\pi - \frac{50}{n\pi} \cos 2n\pi + \frac{100}{(n\pi)^2} \sin 2n\pi \right\} \right]$$

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$$\text{or } K_n \frac{n\pi x}{10} = \frac{2}{10} \left[ \frac{-10}{n\pi} \cos 2n\pi - \frac{20}{n\pi} \cos n\pi + \frac{20}{n\pi} \cos 2n\pi + \frac{20}{n\pi} \cos n\pi \right. \\ \left. + \frac{20}{n\pi} - \frac{10}{n\pi} \cos 2n\pi \right]$$

$$\text{or } K_n \frac{n\pi x}{10} = 0$$

$$\therefore K_n = 0$$

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Consider an elastic string of length  $L$  whose ends are held fixed. The string is set in motion from its equilibrium position with an initial velocity  $u_t(x, 0) = g(x)$ . Let us suppose that  $L = 10$  and find the displacement  $u(x, t)$  for given  $g(x)$ .

$$g(x) = \begin{cases} 2x/L & 0 \leq x \leq 4L \\ 2(L-x)/L & 4L < x \leq L \end{cases}$$

Given the given initial velocity is

$$u_t(x, 0) = g(x) = \begin{cases} 2x/L & 0 \leq x \leq 4L \\ 2(L-x)/L & 4L < x \leq L \end{cases}$$

and  $L = 10$

$$u_t(x, 0) = g(x) = \begin{cases} 2x/10 & 0 \leq x \leq 5 \\ 2(10-x)/10 & 5 < x \leq 10 \end{cases}$$

for one dimensional wave equation we have

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} k_n \frac{\sin nx}{L} \sin \frac{n\pi ct}{L} \quad (i)$$

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} k_n \frac{\sin nx}{10} \frac{\sin n\pi ct}{10}$$

$$u_t(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n\pi c}{10} k_n \frac{\sin nx}{10} \frac{\cos n\pi ct}{10}$$

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and we have,

$$u_1(x_1) = g(x)$$

$$\therefore g(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n\pi}{10} k_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10}$$

which is fourier sine representation.

and  $\frac{n\pi}{10} k_n$  is the sine fourier coefficient which is given by

$$\frac{n\pi}{10} k_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L g(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L} dx$$

$$\text{or } \frac{n\pi}{10} k_n = \frac{2}{10} \int_0^{10} g(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} dx$$

$$\text{or } n\pi k_n = 2 \left\{ \int_0^5 g(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} dx + \int_5^{10} g(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} dx \right\}$$

$$\text{or } n\pi k_n = 2 \left\{ \int_0^5 \frac{2x}{10} \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} dx + \int_5^{10} 2(10-x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} dx \right\}$$

$$\text{or } n\pi k_n = 2 \left\{ \frac{2}{10} \int_0^5 x \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} dx + \frac{2 \times 10}{10} \int_5^{10} x \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} dx - 2 \int_5^{10} x \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} dx \right\}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{or } n\pi k_n &= 2 \left\{ \frac{2}{10} \left[ \frac{-10x}{n\pi} \cos \frac{n\pi x}{10} + \frac{100}{(n\pi)^2} \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} \right]_0^5 - 2 \times 10 \left[ \frac{\cos n\pi x}{10} \right]_5^{10} \right. \\ &\quad \left. - 2 \left[ \frac{-10x}{n\pi} \cos \frac{n\pi x}{10} + \frac{100}{(n\pi)^2} \sin \frac{n\pi x}{10} \right]_5^{10} \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} n\pi k_n &= 2 \left\{ \frac{2}{10} \left[ \frac{-50}{n\pi} \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{100}{(n\pi)^2} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \right] - \frac{20}{n\pi} \left[ \cos n\pi - \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} \right] \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \frac{2}{10} \left[ \frac{-100}{n\pi} \cos n\pi + \frac{100}{(n\pi)^2} \sin n\pi + \frac{50}{n\pi} \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - \frac{100}{(n\pi)^2} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \right] \right\} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} n\pi k_n &= 2 \left[ \frac{-10}{n\pi} \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{20}{(n\pi)^2} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} - \frac{20}{n\pi} \cos n\pi + \frac{20}{(n\pi)^2} \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} + \frac{20}{n\pi} \cos \frac{n\pi}{2} - \right. \\ &\quad \left. \frac{20}{(n\pi)^2} \sin n\pi - 10 \cdot \frac{\cos \frac{n\pi}{2}}{n\pi} + 20 \sin \frac{n\pi}{2}/(n\pi)^2 \right] \end{aligned}$$

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$$\pi \alpha K_n = 2 \left\{ \frac{40}{(n\pi)^2} \sin \frac{n\pi}{2} \right\}$$

$$K_n = \frac{80}{\pi^3 n^3 d} \frac{\sin n\pi}{2}$$

Substituting the value of  $K_n$  in (i) we get

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{80}{\pi^3 n^3 d} \frac{\sin \frac{n\pi}{2}}{2} \frac{\sin n\pi x}{10} \frac{\sin n\pi dt}{10}$$

$$\therefore u(x,t) = \frac{80}{\pi^3 d} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\sin n\pi/2}{n^3} \frac{\sin n\pi x}{10} \frac{\sin n\pi dt}{10} \frac{a_n}{10}$$

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12) Dimensionless variable can be introduced into the wave equation  $\alpha^2 u_{xx} = u_{tt}$  in the following manner. Let  $s = x/L$  and show that

The wave equation becomes

$$\alpha^2 u_{ss} = l^2 u_{tt}.$$

Then show that  $l/\alpha$  has the dimensions of time and thus can be used as the unit on the time scale. Finally let  $\tau = at/l$  and show that the wave equation then reduces to

$$u_{ss} = u_{\tau\tau}$$

So?

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### Ques 10.8 Laplace's Equation:

The equation of the form  $U_{xx} + U_{yy} = 0$  (in two dimensions) and  $U_{xx} + U_{yy} + U_{zz} = 0$  (in three dimension) are Laplace equation.

### Dirichlet Problem for a Rectangle:

Find the function  $U(x,y)$  which satisfy the Laplace equation.

$$U_{xx} + U_{yy} = 0$$

in rectangle  $0 < x < a$ ,  $0 < y < b$  and also satisfying the boundary conditions

$$U(x,0) = 0, \quad U(x,b) = 0 \quad 0 < x < a,$$

$$U(0,y) = 0, \quad U(a,y) = f(y) \quad 0 \leq y \leq b,$$

where  $f(y)$  is a given function on  $0 \leq y \leq b$

Here the given Laplace equation is

$$U_{xx} + U_{yy} = 0 \quad (i)$$

in a rectangle  $0 < x < a$ ,  $0 < y < b$  and with the boundary conditions

$$U(x,0) = 0, \quad 0 < x < a \quad (ii)$$

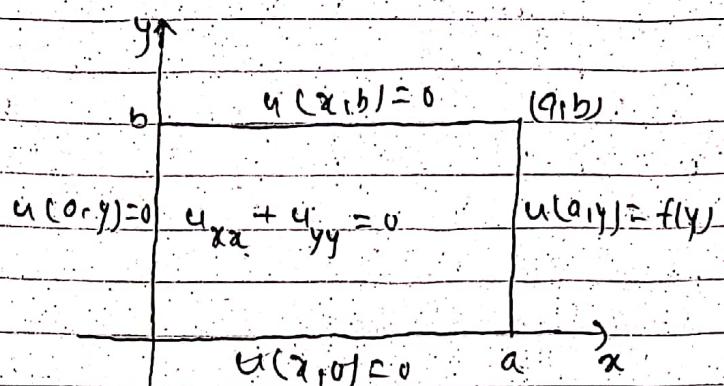
$$U(x,b) = 0, \quad 0 < x < a \quad (iii)$$

$$U(0,y) = 0, \quad 0 \leq y \leq b \quad (iv)$$

and  $U(a,y) = f(y), \quad 0 \leq y \leq b \quad (v)$

where  $f(y)$  is the given function on  $0 \leq y \leq b$ .

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Let  $u(x, y)$  be the solution of eq<sup>n</sup>(i) such that

$$u(x, y) = X(x) Y(y) \quad (vi)$$

$$\text{or } u_x(x, y) = X'(x) Y(y)$$

$$\text{or } u_{xx}(x, y) = X''(x) Y(y)$$

$$\text{or } u_y(x, y) = X(x) Y'(y)$$

$$\text{or } u_{yy}(x, y) = X(x) Y''(y)$$

On substituting the value of  $u_{xx}$  and  $u_{yy}$  in (i) we get

$$X''(x) Y(y) + X(x) Y''(y) = 0$$

$$\text{or } \frac{X''(x)}{X(x)} = -\frac{Y''(y)}{Y(y)} = \lambda \quad (\text{say})$$

$$\therefore X''(x) - \lambda X(x) = 0 \quad (vii)$$

$$\text{and } Y''(y) + \lambda Y(y) = 0 \quad (viii)$$

Now, for (vi)

$$\text{we have, } u(0, y) = 0 \quad \{ \text{from (iv)} \}$$

$$\text{or } X(0) Y(y) = 0$$

$$\therefore X(0) = 0 \quad (ix)$$

$$\text{and we have, } u(x, 0) = 0$$

$$\text{or } X(x) Y(0) = 0$$

$$\text{i.e. } Y(0) = 0 \quad (x)$$

$$\text{and } u(x, b) = 0$$

$$\text{or } X(x) Y(b) = 0 \quad \therefore Y(b) = 0 \quad (xi)$$

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or (Vii)

$$x''(x) - \lambda x(x) = 0$$

for eigen values we put  $\lambda = u^2$

$$\therefore x''(x) - u^2 x(x) = 0$$

characteristic eqn is

$$r^2 - u^2 = 0$$

$$\therefore r = \pm u$$

or (Viii)

$$Y''(y) + \lambda Y(y) = 0$$

for the eigenvalues we put  $\lambda = u^2$

$$\text{or } Y''(y) + u^2 Y(y) = 0$$

characteristic eqn is

$$r^2 + u^2 = 0$$

$$\therefore r = \pm iu$$

∴ Solution of (Viii) is

$$Y(y) = C_1 \cos uy + C_2 \sin uy \quad (\text{ixi})$$

from (xi) and (v)

$$Y(y=0) = 0$$

$$\text{or } C_1 = 0$$

again from (xi) and (vi)

$$Y(y=b) = 0$$

$$\text{or } C_2 \sin ub = 0$$

∴  $C_2 \neq 0$  otherwise the solution is trivial so

$$\sin ub = 0$$

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or  $\sin \alpha b = \sin n\pi$

$$\therefore \alpha = \frac{n\pi}{b}$$

$$\therefore \lambda_n = \alpha_n^2 = \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^2$$

- The eigen function of (viii) is

$$Y(y) = \sin\left(\frac{n\pi y}{b}\right) \quad (\text{ix})$$

Now substituting the value of  $\lambda_n$  in (vi) we get

$$x''(x) - \frac{n^2 \pi^2}{b^2} x(x) = 0$$

Now the characteristic eqn is

$$r^2 - \left(\frac{n\pi}{b}\right)^2 = 0$$

$$\therefore r = \pm \frac{n\pi}{b}$$

- The solution of (vii) is

$$x(x) = A \cosh \frac{n\pi x}{b} + B \sinh \frac{n\pi x}{b} \quad (\text{xiv})$$

from (ix) and (xiv) we get

$$x(x=0) = A_1 = 0$$

so  $x(x)$  must be proportional to  $\sinh \frac{n\pi x}{b}$

- The eigen function of (viii) is

$$x_n(x) = \sinh \frac{n\pi x}{b} \quad (\text{xv})$$

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The solution for homogeneous boundary condition is

$$u_n(x, y) = X_n(x) Y_n(y)$$

$$\therefore u_n(x, y) = \sinh \frac{n\pi x}{b} \sin \frac{n\pi y}{b}$$

Now for the non-homogeneous boundary condition

$$u(a, y) = f(y) \text{ ie at } x=a$$

we have solution

$$u(x, y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n u_n(x, y)$$

$$\therefore u(x, y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sinh \frac{n\pi x}{b} \sin \frac{n\pi y}{b} \quad (\text{Xvi})$$

which is the Fourier sine series and

$c_n \sinh \frac{n\pi x}{b}$  is the coefficient of Fourier sine series.

$$\text{and } c_n \sinh \frac{n\pi x}{b} = \frac{2}{b} \int_0^b f(y) \sin \frac{n\pi y}{b} dy$$

This is the required solution.

and for large value of  $n$ , we have

$$\sinh d = \frac{ed}{2}$$

$$\therefore \frac{\sinh(n\pi x/b)}{\sinh(n\pi a/b)} \approx \frac{e^{n\pi x/b}}{e^{n\pi a/b}} = e^{-\frac{n\pi}{b}(a-x)}$$

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# Dirichlet

# Dirichlet Problem for a circle.

Find the function  $U(r, \theta)$  which satisfy the Laplace's equation of polar form

$$u_{rr} + \frac{1}{r} u_r + \frac{1}{r^2} u_{\theta\theta} = 0$$

In a circular region  $r < a$  subjected to the boundary condition

$$u(a, \theta) = f(\theta)$$

where  $f(\theta)$  is the given function on  $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$

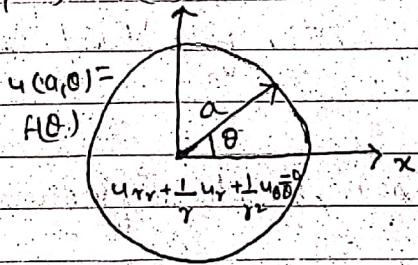
Sol:

Here the given Laplace equation in the polar form is

$$u_{rr} + \frac{1}{r} u_r + \frac{1}{r^2} u_{\theta\theta} = 0 \quad \text{in a circular region } r < a \text{ subjected} \quad (i)$$

to boundary condition

$$u(a, \theta) = f(\theta) \quad (i) \quad 0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$$



Now we suppose that  $u(r, \theta)$  is the solution of (i) such that

$$u(r, \theta) = R(r) \cdot F(\theta) \quad (ii)$$

$$\therefore u_r(r, \theta) = R'(r) F(\theta)$$

$$\therefore u_{rr}(r, \theta) = R''(r) F(\theta)$$

$$\text{and } u_{\theta\theta}(r, \theta) = R(r) F''(\theta)$$

$$u_{\theta\theta}(r, \theta) = R(r) F''(\theta)$$

In substituting the value of  $u_{rr}$ ,  $u_r$ ,  $u_{\theta\theta}$  in (i) we get

$$R''(r)F(\theta) + \frac{1}{r} R'(r)F(\theta) + \frac{1}{r^2} R(r)F''(\theta) = 0$$

$$\text{or } r^2 R''(r)F(\theta) + rR'(r)F(\theta) + R(r)F''(\theta) = 0$$

$$\text{or } r^2 R''(r)F(\theta) + r^2 R'(r)F(\theta) = -R(r)F''(\theta)$$

$$\text{or } \frac{r^2 R''(r)F(\theta)}{R(r)F(\theta)} + \frac{r^2 R'(r)F(\theta)}{R(r)F(\theta)} = -\frac{R(r)F''(\theta)}{R(r)F(\theta)}$$

$$\text{or } r^2 \frac{R''(r)}{R(r)} + r^2 \frac{R'(r)}{R(r)} = -\frac{F''(\theta)}{F(\theta)} = \lambda$$

This gives,

$$r^2 R''(r) + rR'(r) - \lambda R(r) = 0 \quad (\text{iii})$$

$$\text{and } F''(\theta) + \lambda F(\theta) = 0 \quad (\text{iv})$$

Now it is necessary that  $u(r, \theta)$  be bounded and periodic in  $\theta$  with period  $2\pi$ , for this  $\lambda$  must be real. So we put  $\lambda > 0$ .

So we put

$$\lambda = \mu^2 \text{ where } \mu > 0 \text{ then from (iii) and (iv)}$$

$$r^2 R''(r) + rR'(r) - \mu^2 R(r) = 0 \quad (\text{v})$$

$$\text{and } F''(\theta) + \mu^2 F(\theta) = 0 \quad (\text{vi})$$

Eqn (v) is Euler's equation and has solution

$$R(r) = K_1 r^\mu + K_2 r^{-\mu} \quad (\text{vii})$$

and eqn (vi) has solution

$$F(\theta) = C_1 \sin \mu \theta + C_2 \cos \mu \theta \quad (\text{viii})$$

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In order that  $F(\theta)$  be periodic with period  $2\pi$  it is necessary that  $\mu$  be positive integer  $n$ .

With  $\mu=n$ , when  $n=n$ , the solution  $r^{-\mu}$  becomes unbounded as  $r \rightarrow 0$ , so  $r^{-\mu}$  must be neglected which gives  $K_2=0$ .

∴ eq<sup>n</sup> (vii) becomes and eq<sup>n</sup> (i) becomes

$$R(r) = k_1 r^n$$

$$\text{and } F(\theta) = c_1 \sin n\theta + c_2 \cos n\theta$$

The putting the value of  $R(r)$  and  $F(\theta)$  in eq<sup>n</sup> (i) we get

$$\therefore \text{if } R, U(r, \theta) = r^n(c_1 \sin n\theta + c_2 \cos n\theta)$$

Now

## # Section 18.8 problem:

2) Find the solution  $u(x,y)$  of Laplace's equation in rectangle  $0 < x < a, 0 < y < b$  that satisfies the boundary conditions.

$$\begin{aligned} u(0,y) &= 0, \quad u(a,y) = 0, \quad 0 < y < b \\ u(x,0) &= h(x), \quad u(x,b) = 0. \quad 0 \leq x \leq a. \end{aligned}$$

Soln

We have Laplace's equation is

$$u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0 \quad (i)$$

and the given rectangle is

$$0 < x < a, \quad 0 < y < b$$

and the given boundary conditions are

$$u(0,y) = 0 \quad 0 < y < b \quad (ii)$$

$$u(a,y) = 0 \quad 0 < y < b \quad (iii)$$

$$u(x,0) = h(x) \quad 0 \leq x \leq a \quad (iv)$$

$$u(x,b) = 0 \quad 0 \leq x \leq a \quad (v)$$

Now, we have for Dirichlet problem for rectangle

$$u(x,y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sinh \frac{n\pi x}{b} \frac{\sin ny}{b} \quad (vi)$$

we assume that  $u(x,y)$  be the solution of (i) such that

$$u(x,y) = X(x)Y(y) \quad (vii)$$

$$\therefore u_x(x,y) = X'(x)Y(y)$$

$$u_{xx}(x,y) = X''(x)Y(y)$$

$$u_y(x,y) = X(x)Y'(y)$$

$$u_{yy}(x,y) = X(x)Y''(y)$$

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Substituting the value of  $U_{xx}$  and  $U_{yy}$  in (i) we get

$$X''(x)Y(y) + X(x)Y''(y) = 0$$

$$\text{or } X''(x)Y(y) = -X(x)Y''(y)$$

$$\text{or } \frac{X''(x)}{X(x)} = -\frac{Y''(y)}{Y(y)} = \lambda \text{ (say)}$$

$$\therefore X''(x) - \lambda X(x) = 0 \quad (\text{vii})$$

$$\text{and } Y''(y) + \lambda Y(y) = 0 \quad (\text{viii})$$

again,

$$\text{we have } U(x,y) = X(x)Y(y)$$

$$\text{and also we have, } U(a,y)$$

$$\text{or } X(a)Y(y) = 0$$

$$\therefore X(a) = 0 \quad (\text{i})$$

$$\text{again, } U(a,y) = 0$$

$$\text{or } X(a)Y(y) = 0$$

$$\therefore X(a) = 0 \quad (\text{ii})$$

$$\text{and } U(x,b) = 0$$

$$\text{or } X(x)Y(b) = 0$$

$$\therefore Y(b) = 0 \quad (\text{iii})$$

For (vii)

$$X''(x) - \lambda X(x) = 0$$

for eigen values we put  $\lambda = \mu^2$

$$X''(x) - \mu^2 X(x) = 0$$

its characteristic equation

$$\mu^2 - \lambda^2 = 0$$

$$\therefore \mu = \pm \lambda$$

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The solution of (iii) is

$$X(x) = C_1 \cosh \mu x + C_2 \sinh \mu x \quad (\text{xi})$$

using (vii) and (ix) we get

$$0 = C_1$$

using (x) and (xi) we get

$$0 = C_2 \sinh \mu a$$