

Homework 5

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Problem 1-2

Submitted as a hand written pdf attached at the end of this report.

Problem 3

In problem 3 we are asked to solve the following IBVP of the heat equation

$$u_t = u_{xx}, \quad x \in (0, 2), \quad t > 0$$

$$u(x, 0) = f(x), \quad x \in (0, 2)$$

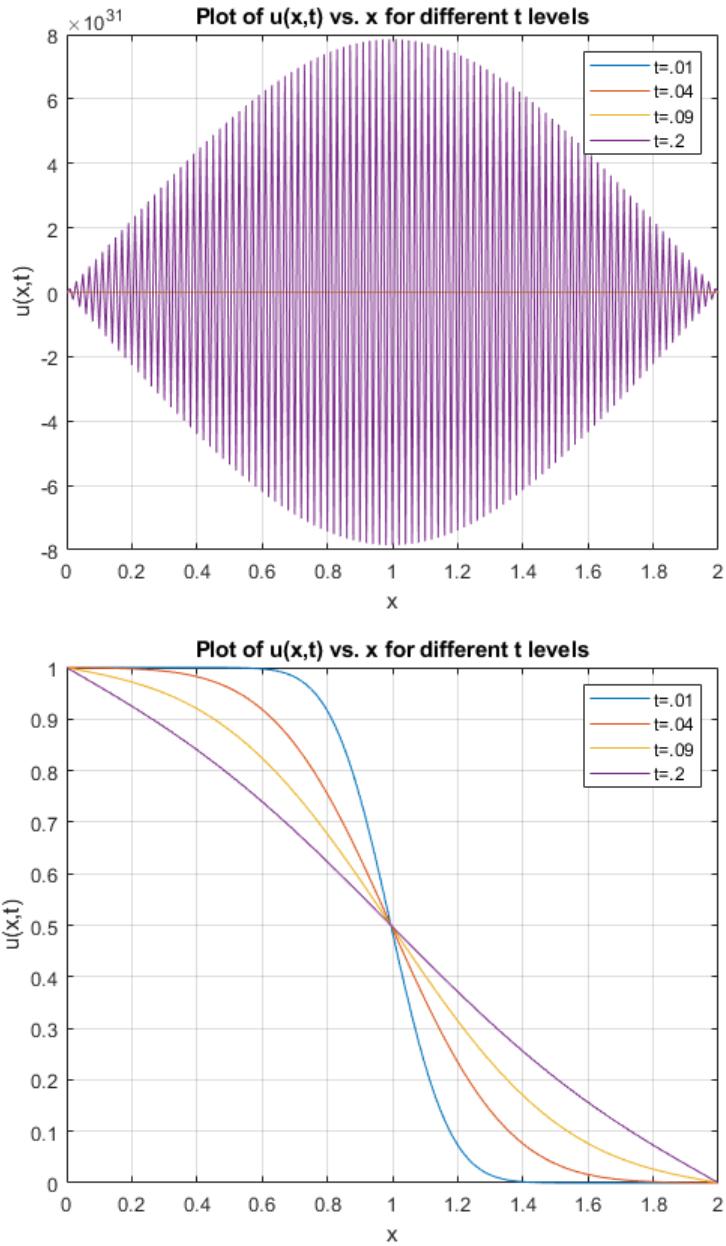
$$u(0, t) = g_L(t), \quad u(2, t) = g_R(t)$$

Where $g_L(t) = 1$, $g_R(t) = 0$, $f(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & 0 < x < 1, \\ 0, & x \geq 1 \end{cases}$. We are to implement FTCS to solve the IBVP to $T = 0.2$ using $\Delta x = 0.01$ and for 2 different values of Δt .

$$\Delta t = \frac{(\Delta x)^2}{2(.99)}$$

$$\Delta t = \frac{(\Delta x)^2}{2(1.01)}.$$

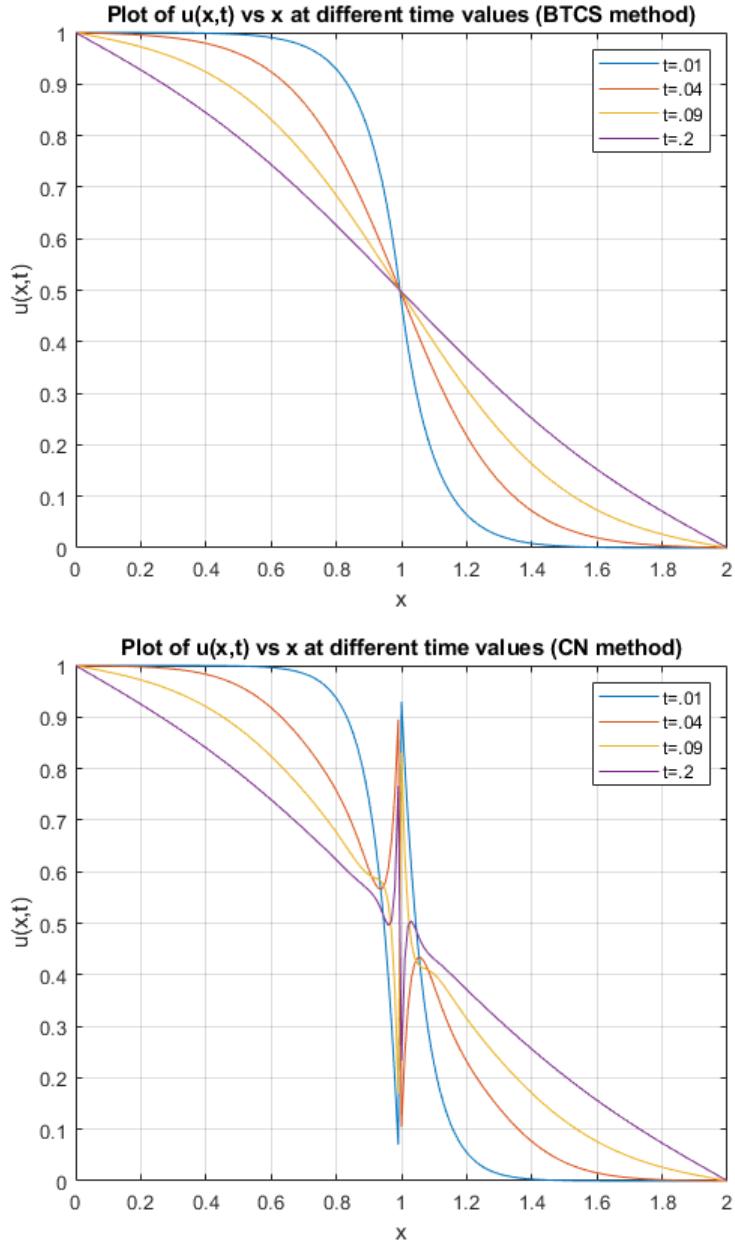
We are then asked to plot $u(x, t)$ vs x for $t = 0.01, 0.04, 0.09, 0.2$ for both Δt . Those figures are shown below.



Problem 4

In problem 4 we implemented the BTCS method and C-N method to solve the same IVP as in problem 3. We again plot $u(x, t)$ vs x at $t = 0.01, 0.04, 0.09, 0.2$

for both methods. From the figures below we can see that the C-N method becomes unstable around $x=1$.

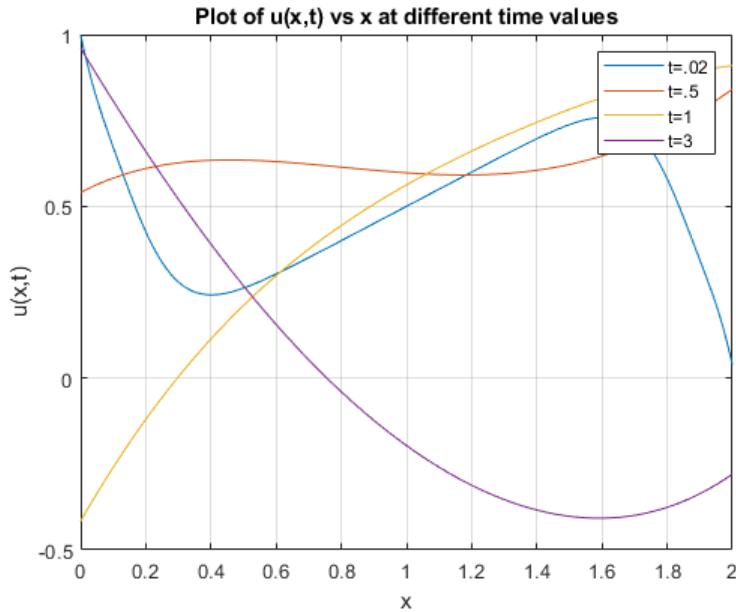


Problem 5

In Problem 5 we use the same IBVP as problem but this time we change the initial and boundary conditions to $f(x) = 0.5x$, $g_L(t) = \cos(2t)$, $g_R(t) = \sin(2t)$. We solve this IBVP using 2s-DIRK with $\alpha = 1 - 1/\sqrt{2}$. Where $T = 3$, $\Delta x = 0.01$ and $\Delta t = 0.01$

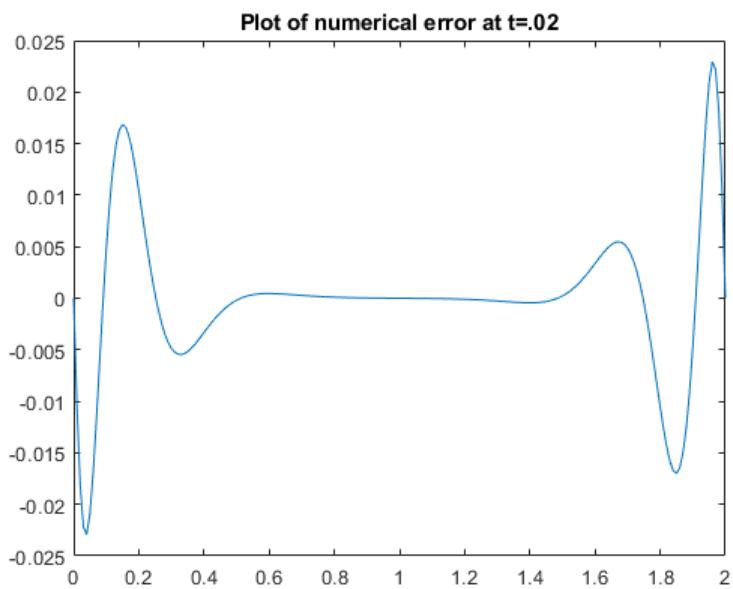
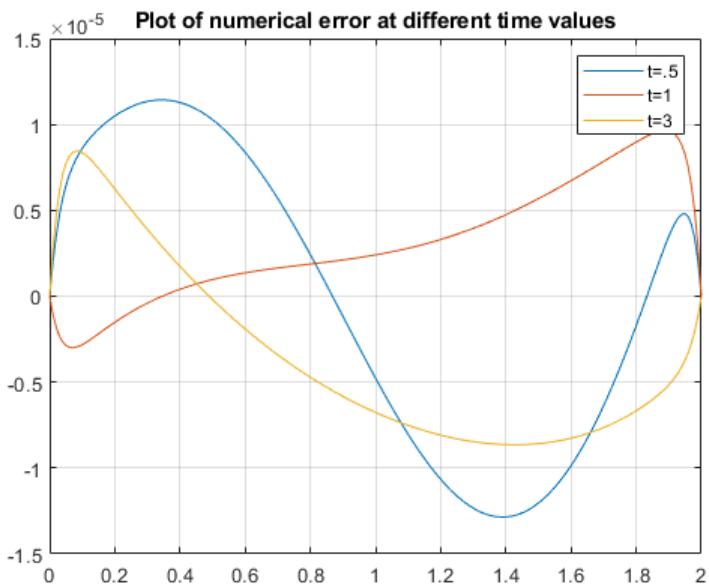
Part 1

For part one we were simply asked to plot the numerical solution $u(x, t)$ vs x at $t = 0.02, 0.5, 1, 3$ shown below.



Part 2

In part 2 we estimated the error of the numerical solution from part 1 and plot it when $t = 0.5, 1, 3$ and then $t = 0.02$ in a separate figure.

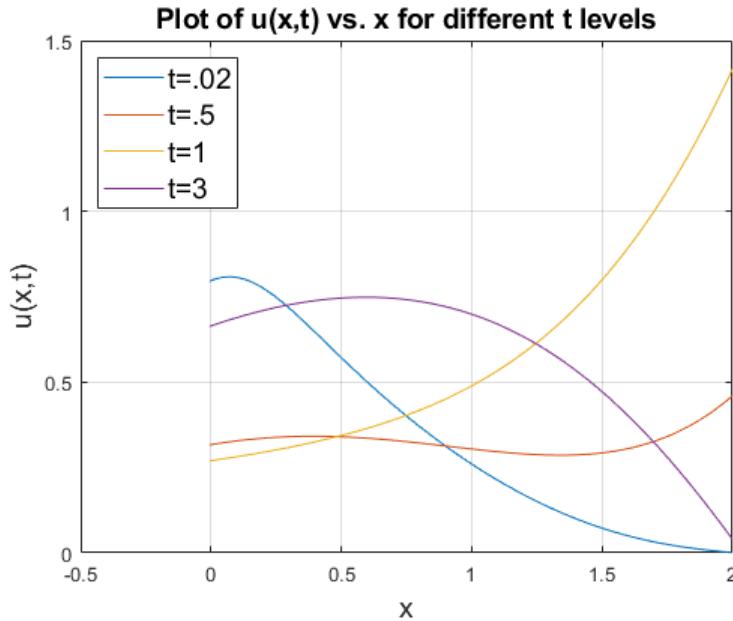


Problem 6

In Problem 6 we have to solve the following IBVP to $T = 3$ using the FTCS where $\Delta t = 4 \times 10^{-5}$ and $\Delta x = \frac{L}{N-0.5}$, $N = 200$. We then plot $u(x, t)$ vs x at $t = 0.02, 0.5, 1, 3$.

$$\begin{cases} u_t = u_{xx}, & x \in (0, L), \quad t > 0 \\ u(x, 0) = p(x), & x \in (0, L) \\ u_x(0, t) - \alpha u(0, t) = 0, & u(L, t) = q(t) \end{cases}$$

where $L = 2$, $\alpha = 0.4$, $p(x) = (1 - 0.5x)^2$, $q(t) = 2\sin^2(t)$.



Problem 1 (Theoretical)

Part 1: Carry out von Neumann stability analysis to show that the BTCS method is unconditionally stable

Part 2: Carry out Taylor expansions to show that the local truncation error of the Crank-Nicolson method is

$$e_t^n(\Delta x, \Delta t) = \Delta t O((\Delta t)^2 + (\Delta x)^2)$$

In the final expression, be sure to convert r back to $\Delta t/(\Delta x)^2$.

1)

Part 1

$$U_i^{n+1} = \beta^n \exp(\sqrt{-1} \xi_i \Delta x)$$

Sub into numerical method

$$\int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \exp(\sqrt{-1} \xi_i \Delta x) = \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \exp(\sqrt{-1} \xi_i \Delta x) + r \int_{-\pi}^{\pi} \exp(\sqrt{-1} \xi_i \Delta x) (\exp(\sqrt{-1} \xi_i \Delta x - 2) + \exp(\sqrt{-1} \xi_i \Delta x))$$

$$\beta = 1 + r \beta \left(\cos(\xi_i \Delta x) + \sqrt{-1} \sin(\xi_i \Delta x) - 2 + \cos(-\xi_i \Delta x) + \sqrt{-1} \sin(-\xi_i \Delta x) \right)$$

$$\beta = 1 + r \beta (2 \cos(\xi_i \Delta x) - 2)$$

$$\beta - r \beta (2 \cos(\xi_i \Delta x) - 2) = 1$$

$$\beta (1 - r (2 \cos(\xi_i \Delta x) - 2)) = 1$$

$$\beta = \frac{1}{1 - 2r(\cos(\xi_i \Delta x) - 1)}$$

For stability we need $|\beta| \leq 1 + C \Delta t$

$$|\beta| = \frac{1}{1 + 4r \sin^2(\frac{\xi_i \Delta x}{2})}$$

since the denom is always positive and

greater than 1 $| \beta | \leq 1 + C \Delta t$

Part 2

C-N method

$$U_i^{n+1} = U_i^n + \frac{r}{2} (U_{i+1}^{n+1} - 2U_i^{n+1} + U_{i-1}^{n+1}) + \frac{C}{2} (U_{i+1}^n - 2U_i^n + U_{i-1}^n)$$

NTS

$$C_i^n(\Delta x, \Delta t) = \Delta t O((\Delta t)^2 + (\Delta x)^2)$$

$$C_i^n(\Delta x, \Delta t) = \left\{ U(x_{i+1}, t_{n+1}) \right\} - L_{num} \left\{ U(x_i, t_n) \right\}$$

for CN

$$U(x_i, t_{n+1}) - U(x_i, t_n) - \frac{C}{2} \left[U(x_{i+1}, t_n) - 2U(x_i, t_n) + U(x_{i-1}, t_n) + U(x_{i+1}, t_{n+1}) - 2U(x_i, t_{n+1}) + U(x_{i-1}, t_{n+1}) \right]$$

Expand around (x_i, t_n)

$$U(x_i, t_{n+1}) - U(x_i, t_n) = U_t \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} U_{tt} (\Delta t)^2 + O(\Delta t^3)$$

$$U(x_{i+1}, t_n) - 2U(x_i, t_n) + U(x_{i-1}, t_n) =$$

$$\cancel{U(x_i, t_n)} + \cancel{U_x \Delta x} + \frac{U_{xx}}{2} \Delta x^2 + O(\Delta x^4) - \cancel{2U(x_i, t_n)}$$

$$+ \cancel{U(x_{i+1}, t_n)} - \cancel{U_x \Delta x} + \frac{U_{xx}}{2} \Delta x^2 + O(\Delta x^4)$$

$$= U_{xx} \Delta x^2 + O(\Delta x^4)$$

$$U(x_{i+1}, t_{n+1}) - 2U(x_i, t_{n+1}) + U(x_{i-1}, t_{n+1}) = U(x_i + \Delta x, t_n + \Delta t) - 2U(x_i, t_n + \Delta t)$$

$$+ U(x_i - \Delta x, t_n + \Delta t)$$

$$= (\Delta x)^2 U_{xx} \Big|_{(x_i, t_{n+1})} + O(\Delta x)^4$$

$$\Delta x^2 U_{xx} + \Delta x^2 \Delta t U_{xxt} + O((\Delta x)^4 + (\Delta t)^2)$$

$$U_{xxt} = U_{xyxx} \quad r = \frac{\Delta t}{(\Delta x)^2}$$

$$U_{tt} = U_{xxxx}$$

$$e_i^n(\Delta x, \Delta t) = U_t \Delta t + \frac{1}{2} U_{tt} (\Delta t)^2 + O(\Delta t^3) - \frac{\Delta t}{2(\Delta x)^2} \left[U_{xx} (\Delta x)^2 + U_{xx} (\Delta x)^2 + U_{xxt} (\Delta x)^2 (\Delta t) + O(\Delta x^4) + O(\Delta t^2) \right]$$

$$e_i^n(\Delta x, \Delta t) = \cancel{U_{xx} \Delta t} + \frac{1}{2} \cancel{U_{xxxx} (\Delta t)^2} - \cancel{U_{xx} (\Delta t)^2} - \cancel{U_{xxt} (\Delta t)^2} + \Delta t O(\Delta x^2 + \Delta t^2) + O((\Delta t)^3)$$

$$= \Delta t O(\Delta x^2 + \Delta t^2)$$

Problem 2 (Theoretical)

Consider matrix

$$A = \frac{1}{(\Delta x)^2} \begin{pmatrix} -2 & 1 & & \\ 1 & -2 & \ddots & \\ & \ddots & \ddots & 1 \\ & & 1 & -2 \end{pmatrix}_{(N-1) \times (N-1)}, \quad \Delta x = \frac{1}{N}$$

Part 1: Verify that the set below are eigenvalues and eigenvectors of matrix A.

$$\lambda^{(k)} = \frac{2}{(\Delta x)^2} (\cos(k\pi \Delta x) - 1), \quad k = 1, 2, \dots, N-1$$

$$w^{(k)} = \begin{cases} \sin(k\pi i \Delta x), & i = 1, 2, \dots, N-1 \end{cases}$$

Part 2: Verify that

$$\frac{1}{(\Delta x)^2} (\cos(k\pi(i-1)\Delta x) - 2\cos(k\pi i \Delta x) + \cos(k\pi(i+1)\Delta x))$$

$$= \frac{2}{(\Delta x)^2} (\cos(k\pi \Delta x) - 1) \cdot \cos(k\pi i \Delta x), \quad k = 1, 2, \dots, N-1$$

Part 3: Explain why $u^{(k)} = [\cos(k\pi i \Delta x), i = 1, 2, \dots, N-1]$ is NOT an eigenvector of A.

Hint: What boundary conditions did we use in defining matrix A?

2)

$$\overbrace{Au}^2 \xrightarrow{A} \overbrace{D_x^2 u}_1$$

$$D_x^2 \{u\}_i = \frac{U_{i+1} - 2U_i + U_{i-1}}{(\Delta x)^2} = \lambda U_i$$

$$V_0 = 0 \quad V_N = 0$$

W.T.S.

$$\frac{w_{i+1}^{(k)} - 2w_i^{(k)} + w_{i-1}^{(k)}}{(\Delta x)^2} = \lambda^{(k)} w_i^{(k)}$$

$$w_0^{(k)} = 0, \quad w_N^{(k)} = 0$$

$$\frac{\sin(k\pi(i+1)\Delta x) - 2\sin(k\pi(i)\Delta x) + \sin(k\pi(i-1)\Delta x)}{(\Delta x)^2} \stackrel{?}{=} \frac{2}{(\Delta x)^2} (\cos(k\pi\Delta x) - 1) \cdot \sin(k\pi i \Delta x)$$

$$\sin(A+B) = \sin(A)\cos(B) + \cos(A)\sin(B)$$

LHS

$$= \sin(k\pi i \Delta x) \cos(k\pi \Delta x) + \cos(k\pi i \Delta x) \cancel{\sin(k\pi \Delta x)} - 2\sin(k\pi i \Delta x) \\ + \sin(k\pi i \Delta x) \cos(k\pi \Delta x) - \cos(k\pi i \Delta x) \cancel{\sin(k\pi \Delta x)}$$

$$= \frac{2\sin(k\pi i \Delta x) \cos(k\pi \Delta x) - 2\sin(k\pi i \Delta x)}{(\Delta x)^2}$$

$$= \frac{2\sin(k\pi i \Delta x)}{\Delta x^2} (\cos(k\pi \Delta x) - 1) \stackrel{RHS}{=} \frac{2}{\Delta x^2} \sin(k\pi i \Delta x) (\cos(k\pi \Delta x) - 1) \quad \checkmark$$

$$i=0 \Rightarrow \sin(k\pi(0)\Delta x) = \sin(0) = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$i=N \Rightarrow \sin(k\pi N(\frac{1}{N})) = \sin(k\pi) = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

We have verified that $\lambda^{(k)}$ and $w^{(k)}$...

We have verified that $\lambda^{(k)}$ and $w^{(k)}$ are eigenvalues and eigen vectors of matrix A respectively.

Part 2

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \frac{1}{(\Delta x)^2} \left[\cos(k\pi(i-1)\Delta x) - 2\cos(k\pi i \Delta x) + \cos(k\pi(i+1)\Delta x) \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{(\Delta x)^2} \left[\cos(k\pi i \Delta x) \cos(k\pi \Delta x) + \sin(k\pi i \Delta x) \sin(k\pi \Delta x) - 2\cos(k\pi i \Delta x) \right. \\
 &\quad \left. + \cos(k\pi i \Delta x) \cos(k\pi \Delta x) - \sin(k\pi i \Delta x) \sin(k\pi \Delta x) \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{(\Delta x)^2} \left[2\cos(k\pi i \Delta x) \cos(k\pi \Delta x) - 2\cos(k\pi i \Delta x) \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{(\Delta x)^2} 2\cos(k\pi i \Delta x) [\cos(k\pi \Delta x) - 1]
 \end{aligned}$$

Part 3 If we take the natural extention of $U^{(k)}$

We see that $\cos(k\pi(0)\Delta x) \neq 0$ and

$\cos(k\pi) \neq 0$ thus $U^{(k)}$ does not satisfy the zero boundary conditions.