

## Partial Differential Equations

### Separation of variable Method

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + u$$

$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$  → distance (length)  
 $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t}$  → heat  
 $\frac{\partial u}{\partial t}$  → single derivative w.r.t "t"  
 $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}$  → single derivative with.r.t "x"

Solution:

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + u$$

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

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = X'(x) \cdot T(t)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = X(x) \cdot T'(t)$$

Put values in equation

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = 2 \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} + u$$

$$X'(x) \cdot T(t) = 2(X(x) \cdot T'(t)) + X(x) \cdot T(t)$$

$$X'T = 2XT' + XT$$

$$X'T - XT = 2XT'$$

$$(X' - X)T = 2XT'$$

$$\frac{X' - X}{X} = 2 \frac{T'}{T}$$

$$\frac{X'}{X} - \frac{X}{X} = 2 \frac{T'}{T}$$

$$\frac{X'}{X} - 1 = 2 \frac{T'}{T}$$

$$\int \frac{X'}{X} - \int 1 = 2 \int \frac{T'}{T}$$

$$\ln X - X = 2 \ln T$$

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k-method

Let Both sides = "k"

$$\ln X - X = k$$

$$2 \ln T = k$$

$$\ln X = k + X$$

$$\ln T = k/2$$

$$e^{\ln X} = e^{k+X}$$

$$e^{\ln T} = e^{k/2}$$

$$X = e^{k+X}$$

$$T = e^{k/2}$$

$$X = e^k \cdot e^X$$

$$X = k e^X$$

As

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

$$u(x, t) = k e^X \cdot e^{k/2}$$

## Difference b/w Heat & Wave Equation

### Heat Equation

Thermal diffusivity  $\leftarrow \alpha$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \alpha \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$$

$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t}$  → time  
 single derivative w.r.t. "t"  
 [time]

$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$  → space/  
 distance/  
 spatial/  
 length  
 double derivative w.r.t. "x"  
 second  
 [spatial/space/distance/length]

$u$  → heat/temperature  
 dependent variable  
 {function of both time(t)  
 and spatial coordinates(.....)  
 depending on dimensionality  
 of the problem}

### Wave Equation

(+ive) speed of wave  
 determining the behavior  
 of wave propagation.  $\leftarrow c$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$$

$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2}$  → time  
 double derivative w.r.t. "t"  
 [time]

$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$  → [space/spatial/distance/length]  
 double derivative w.r.t. "x"  
 second  
 [spatial]

$u$  → wave function  
 {describes the displacement  
 or amplitude of a wave  
 as a function of both  
 time and space.}



## Heat Equation

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = c^2 \cdot \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$$

$$U(x, t) = X(x) \cdot T(t)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = X(x) \cdot T'(t) \quad \left[ \text{first derivative w.r.t. "t"} \right]$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = X'(x) \cdot T(t)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = X''(x) \cdot T(t) \quad \left[ \text{second derivative w.r.t. "x"} \right]$$

Put values in equation

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = c^2 \cdot \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$$

$$X(x) \cdot T'(t) = c^2 [X''(x) \cdot T(t)]$$

$$\frac{T'}{T} = c^2 \frac{X''}{X}$$

Let both sides = "k"

$$c^2 \frac{X''}{X} = k \quad \& \quad \frac{T'}{T} = k$$

**K-Method**

$$c^2 \frac{X''}{X} = k$$

$$c^2 X'' = kX$$

$$c^2 X'' - kX = 0$$

$$X'' - \frac{k}{c^2} X = 0$$

$$[D^2 - \lambda] X = 0$$

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

$$D = \pm \sqrt{\lambda}$$

$$X(x) = C_1 e^{\sqrt{\lambda} x} + C_2 e^{-\sqrt{\lambda} x}$$

$$\frac{T'(t)}{T(t)} = k$$

$$\int \frac{T'}{T} dt = \int k dt$$

$$\ln |T| = kt$$

$$e^{\ln(T)} = e^{kt}$$

$$T(t) = e^{kt}$$

$$U(x, t) = X(x) \cdot T(t)$$

$$U(x, t) = [C_1 e^{\sqrt{\lambda} x} + C_2 e^{-\sqrt{\lambda} x}] e^{kt}$$

## Wave Equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \cdot \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$$

second derivative w.r.t "t"

second derivative w.r.t "x"

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

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = X(x) \cdot T'(t)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = X(x) \cdot T''(t)$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = X'(x) \cdot T(t)$$

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = X''(x) \cdot T(t)$$

Put values in equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \cdot \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}$$

$$X''(x) \cdot T''(t) = c^2 [X''(x) \cdot T(t)]$$

$$\frac{T''}{T} = c^2 \frac{X''}{X}$$

$$\frac{T''}{T(t)} = K$$

Let both sides = "K"

$$c^2 \frac{X''}{X} = K \quad \& \quad \frac{T''}{T} = K$$

$$T'' = KT$$

$$T'' - KT = 0$$

$$(D^2 - K)T = 0$$

$$D^2 - K = 0$$

$$D^2 = K$$

$$D = \pm \sqrt{K}$$

$$T(t) = C_3 e^{\sqrt{K}t} + C_4 e^{-\sqrt{K}t}$$

### K-method

$$\frac{c^2 X''}{X} = K$$

$$c^2 X'' = KX$$

$$c^2 X'' = KX = 0$$

$$X'' - \frac{K}{c^2} X = 0$$

$$X'' - \lambda X = 0$$

$$[D^2 - \lambda]X = 0$$

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

$$D^2 = \lambda$$

$$D = \pm \sqrt{\lambda}$$

$$X(x) = C_1 e^{\sqrt{\lambda}x} + C_2 e^{-\sqrt{\lambda}x}$$

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

$$u(x, t) = [C_1 e^{\sqrt{\lambda}x} + C_2 e^{-\sqrt{\lambda}x}] \cdot [C_3 e^{\sqrt{K}t} + C_4 e^{-\sqrt{K}t}]$$