

# Compulsory Assignment 1

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# Problem 1: Use linear/quadratic functions for verification

## a) Derive the equation for the first time step

The problem is formulated as follows

$$u'' + \omega^2 * U = F(t)$$
$$u(0) = T \text{ and } u'(0) = V, \text{ for } t \in (0, T)$$

Function  $U$  gives the displacement from the equilibrium point and function  $F$  gives the source term. In order to find numerical solution for such problem we should start with discretization of the equation. In operator notations it will look as follows:

$$[D_t D_t u + (\omega_2)u = f]^n$$

The equivalent "long" notations are the following:

$$\frac{u(n+1) - 2u(n) + u(n-1)}{dt^2} + \omega^2 u(n) = f$$

That can be written as:

$$u(n+1) = 2u(n) - (\omega * dt)^2 u(n) - u(n-1) + f dt^2$$
$$u(n+1) = (2 - (\omega * dt)^2)u(n) - u(n-1) + f dt^2$$

Now we can derive the equation for the first timestep  $u(n=1)$ . In order to do this we just need to discretize  $u'(0) = V$  as  $[D_{2t}u = V]^0$ .

$$u(-1) = u(1) - 2dtV \text{ and } u(1) = \frac{(2 - (\omega dt)^2)I + f dt^2 + 2dtV}{2}$$

## b) Use the method of manufactured solutions

In this part we are using the method of manufacturing solutions for the verification purposes. The exact solution is chosen in a form of  $u_e(x, t) = ct + d$ . Initial conditions are used to find restrictions on  $c$  and  $d$ .

$$[D_t D_t(u)]_{(n)} = [D_t D_t(ct + d)]_{(n)} = c[D_t D_t(t)]_{(n)} + [D_t D_t(d)]_{(n)}$$

Let's consider this two parts of equation separately:

$$[D_t D_t(d)]_{(n)} = \frac{d(n+1) - 2d(n) + d(n-1)}{dt^2} = 0 \text{ as soon as } d(n) \text{ is constant}$$

Another part is:

$$[D_t D_t(t)]_{(n)} = \frac{t(n+1) - 2t(n) + t(n-1)}{dt^2} = 0$$

As soon as

$$t(n+1) - t(n) = dt \text{ and } t(n-1) - t(n) = -dt$$

Now we can calculate R:

$$R = [D_t D_t(u)]_{(n)} - u(t(n)) \cdot f(t(n)) - u(t(n)) = 0 \text{ since } u''(t) = 0$$

**c) - e)**

In this parts we are using symbolic python to calculate. Solution in code.

## Exercise 21

**a) and b)**

Solution in the code.

**c)**

We consider now pure vertical motion of the elastic pendulum. Thi means that  $x(t) = 0$ .

$$y'' = -\frac{\beta(y-1)}{1-\beta} \left(1 - \frac{\beta}{|y-1|}\right) - \beta$$

For  $(y-1) < 0$  we get:

$$y'' = -\frac{\beta}{1-\beta}(y-1+\beta) - \beta = -y \frac{\beta}{1-\beta}$$

Let's now consider initial conditions:

$$x(0) = 0, \quad \Theta = 0, \quad y(0) = 1 - (\epsilon + 1)\cos(\Theta) = -\epsilon$$

The exact solution to the vertical motion is

$$y(t) = -\epsilon \cos\left(\sqrt{\frac{\beta}{1-\beta}}t\right), \quad |\epsilon| < 1.$$

**d)**

Solution in code.