

MATH5004 Tutorial 6

1D Semi-Space Finite Element formulation

Exercise 1. Consider the two-point BVP:

$$-pu'' + qu = 1, \quad 0 < x < 1,$$

$$u(0) = u(1) = 0,$$

- a) Derive Variable statement
- b) Discretise domain into 4 linear elements and apply Galerkin method to the problem in a)
- c) Construct element matrix, element load vector and assemble all elements together to obtain global matrix system.

Exercise 2. Derive Finite element equations of an unsteady two-point BVP:

$$u_t - u_{xx} = 1, \quad x \in (0,1), t \in (0, \tau)$$

subject to IC: $u(x, 0) = 0$, and each of the following BCs

- a) $u(0, t) = f, \quad u(1, t) = g$
- b) $u(0, t) = f, \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial x} u(1, t) = g$

Assignment II

Question 1. (LUT-WK6)

Discretise spatial domain into 4 linear elements and derive Finite element equations based on Galerkin method of an unsteady two-point BVP:

$$u_t - u_{xx} = 1, \quad x \in (0,1), t \in (0, \tau)$$

subject to IC: $u(x, 0) = 0$, and $\frac{\partial}{\partial x} u(0, t) = f, \quad \frac{\partial}{\partial x} u(1, t) = g$

Note: Assignments II (25%): Assignment Questions will be given weekly.

In this week, Questions 1 (TUT-WK6) is a part of Assignment II, please submit a document file (typesetting using Microsoft word or LATEX) via Blackboard by the due date of Assignment I on Friday 23 October 2020