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Linear second order PDE:

$$A u_{xx} + B u_{xy} + C u_{yy} + a u_x + b u_y + c u = d(x, y)$$

$A, B, C, a, b, c, d \rightarrow$  Functions of  $x, y$

1). Hyperbolic:  $B^2 - 4AC > 0$

$$(x, y) \rightarrow (\xi, \eta)$$

$$u_{\xi\eta} = G(u, u_\xi, u_\eta, \xi, \eta)$$

$$u_{xx} - 2u_{\alpha\beta} = G(u, u_\alpha, u_\beta, \alpha, \beta)$$

2). Parabolic:  $B^2 - 4AC = 0$

$$u_{\eta\eta} = G(u, u_\eta, \eta, u_\xi, \xi)$$

3). Elliptic PDE:  $B^2 - 4AC < 0$  /  $\xi, \eta \rightarrow$  complex  $\alpha \pm i\beta$

$$u_{\xi\xi} + u_{\eta\eta}$$

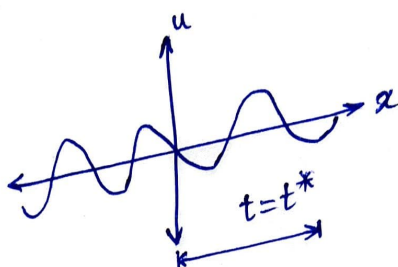
$$u_{xx} + u_{\beta\beta} = G(u, u_\alpha, u_\beta, \alpha, \beta).$$

$(\xi, \eta) \rightarrow$  canonical variable

Some realistic PDEs,

wave equation:

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2}, \quad t > 0, \quad -\infty < x < \infty$$



Hyperbolic

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Toughest

$$\alpha = x + ct; \quad \beta = x - ct$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial \alpha} \cdot c + \frac{\partial u}{\partial \beta} \cdot (-c)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial t} (u_\alpha \cdot c + (-c) u_\beta) \\ &= c (c u_{\alpha\alpha} - c u_{\alpha\beta}) + (-c) (c u_{\alpha\beta} - c u_{\beta\beta}) \\ &= c^2 u_{\alpha\alpha} + c^2 u_{\beta\beta} - 2c^2 u_{\alpha\beta} \end{aligned}$$

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

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial}{\partial \alpha} (u_\alpha) + \frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} (u_\beta) = u_{\alpha\alpha} + u_{\beta\beta} + 2u_{\alpha\beta}$$

$$\Rightarrow c^2 u_{\alpha\beta} = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{u_{\alpha\beta} = 0}$$

$$\Rightarrow u_\alpha = f(\alpha)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{u = F(\alpha) + G(\beta)}$$

$$\Rightarrow u(x, t) = F(x + ct) + G(x - ct)$$

$$t = 0, \quad u(x, 0) = f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow f(x) = F(x) + G(x)$$