

SOLUTIONS

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Question1. [24 marks total, 2 marks for each blank]

Fill in all the following blanks. Only the final results are required to be written down.

- a). The exponential form of $\frac{(\cos 5\varphi + i \sin 5\varphi)^2}{(\cos 3\varphi - i \sin 3\varphi)^3}$ is ($e^{i19\varphi}$).
- b). Suppose that $\text{Arg}(z+2) = \frac{\pi}{3}$ and $\text{Arg}(z-2) = \frac{5\pi}{6}$. Then $z = (-1 + i\sqrt{3})$.
- c). $\lim_{z \rightarrow i} \frac{z-i}{z(1+z^2)} = (-\frac{1}{2})$.
- d). If $\cos(2+z) = 3$, then $z = (-2 + 2k\pi - i \ln(3 \pm 2\sqrt{2}))$.
- e). Let C denote the semicircle $|z| = 1$ from 1 to -1 . Then $\oint_C (z^2 + z\bar{z}) dz = (-\frac{8}{3})$.
- f). $\int_{-\infty}^{+\infty} \frac{1}{(1+x^2)^2} dx = (\pi/2)$.
- g). The PDE $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 5 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial t} + 6xu + 5t = 0$ is of (hyperbolic) type.
- h). The general solution of the equation $(1-x^2)y''(x) - 2xy'(x) + 12y(x) = 0$ is $(c_1 P_3(x) + c_2 Q_3(x))$
- i). The characteristic curves of $\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} - 3 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + 2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = \sin(x^2 + y^2)$ are $(x+y = C_1, 2x+y = C_2)$.
- j). The eigenvalues of the problem
$$\begin{cases} X''(x) + \lambda X(x) = 0, & 0 < x < l \\ X'(0) = 0, & X(l) = 0 \end{cases}$$
 are $(\frac{[(n-\frac{1}{2})\pi]^2}{l^2}, n=1,2,\dots)$, and the corresponding eigenfunctions are $(X_n(x) = \cos \frac{(n-\frac{1}{2})\pi x}{l}, n=1,2,\dots)$.
- k). $\int_0^x x^4 J_1(x) dx = (x^4 J_2(x) - 2x^3 J_3(x))$, where $J_1(x)$ is the first kind of 1st order Bessel function.

Question2. [6 marks total, 2 marks for each one]

a). The convergence domain of the power series $\sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} \frac{(z-i)^n}{n^3}$ is (B).

- A. $|z-i| < \frac{1}{n^3}$ B. $|z-i| < 1$ C. $|z| < 1$ D. $|z-i| < \frac{1}{n}$

b). Which equation is not correct? (D)

- A. $\int_{|z|=2} \frac{3z-1}{z(z-1)} dz = 6\pi i$ B. $\oint_{|z-i|=0.5} \frac{e^z dz}{z^2+1} = \pi(\cos 1 + i \sin 1)$
 C. $\int_{|z|=1} \frac{\cos z dz}{z^3} = -\pi i$ D. $\int_0^i (z-1)e^{-z} dz = -\sin 1 + i \cos 1$

c). Which one is correct? (B)

A. $J_\nu(x)$ and $J_{-\nu}(x)$ are linearly dependent.

B. The first kind of n order Bessel function $J_n(x)$ and the Bessel function of second kind $Y_n(x)$ are linearly independent.

C. $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} J_n(x) = 0$ when n is positive integer.

D. $J_n(0) = 0$ for positive integer, and $J_0(0) = \infty$ when ν is nonnegative.

Question3. [18 marks total, 6 marks for each part]

a). Find out all points at which the function $f(z)$ is differentiable and analytic (please give the explanation), when $f(z) = \frac{\sin z \cdot \text{Log}(1+z)}{z}$.

b). If the real part of entire function $f(z)$ is $u(x, y) = e^x(x \cos y - y \sin y)$, and $f(0) = 0$, then find the imaginary part of $f(z)$ and calculate the value of $f'(1)$.

c). Give the Laurent series expansions for the function $f(z) = \frac{1}{z(z+1)}$ in the following annular domain $1 < |z-1| < 2$.

Solution.

a). For $f(z) = \frac{\sin z \cdot \text{Log}(1+z)}{z}$, we know that $\sin z$ and z are all differentiable and analytic throughout the entire complex plane. Since $\text{Log} z$ is differentiable and analytic throughout $r > 0, -\pi < \theta < \pi$, we know $\text{Log}(1+z)$ is differentiable and analytic except the points $z = x + iy, x \leq -1, y = 0$. Thus, $f(z)$ is differentiable and analytic except 0 and $z = x + iy$ where $x \leq -1, y = 0$. [6 marks]

b). $f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y)$ satisfies the C-R equation, then

$$v_y = u_x = e^x (x \cos y - y \sin y + \cos y),$$

$$-v_x = u_y = -e^x (x \sin y + \sin y + y \cos y).$$

Then using the equations $v_x = e^x (x \sin y + \sin y + y \cos y)$, we have

$$v(x, y) = e^x (x \sin y + y \cos y) + \varphi(y). \quad [4 \text{ marks}]$$

By using $v_y = e^x (x \cos y - y \sin y + \cos y)$, $\varphi(y) = C$. The corresponding analytic function is

$$f(z) = u(x, y) + iv(x, y) = e^x (x \cos y - y \sin y) + ie^x (x \sin y + y \cos y + C).$$

Since $f(0) = 0$, $C = 0$.

And $f(z) = e^x (x \cos y - y \sin y) + ie^x (x \sin y + y \cos y) = ze^z$ and $f'(1) = 2e$.

[2 marks]

3) In the annular domain $1 < |z-1| < 2$,

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{z} - \frac{1}{z+1} = \frac{1}{z-1+1} - \frac{1}{z-1+2} = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^n \frac{1}{(z-1)^{n+1}} + \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} (-1)^{n+1} \frac{(z-1)^n}{2^{n+1}}. \quad [6 \text{ marks}]$$

Question 4. [10 marks total, 5 marks for each part]

Determine all the isolated singular points of the following two functions and identify their types, explaining each type. Hence, select one isolated point and calculate its residue.

a). $f(z) = \frac{1}{z \sin\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)}$; b). $f(z) = \frac{\sin z - z}{\cos z - 1}$.

Solution.

a). $f(z)$ has singular points: $0, \frac{1}{k\pi}, k = \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$.

Obviously, $z = 0$ is not isolated.

Since $z = \frac{1}{k\pi} (k \neq 0)$ is a zero of order 1 of $\sin\left(\frac{1}{z}\right)$, $z = \frac{1}{k\pi}$ is a simple pole of $f(z)$.

For $z = \frac{1}{k\pi} (k \neq 0)$,

$$\text{Res}\left[f(z), \frac{1}{k\pi}\right] = (-1)^{k+1} \frac{1}{k\pi},$$

$$k = \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$$

[5 marks]

b). $f(z)$ has singular points: $2k\pi, k = 0, \pm 1, \pm 2, \dots$.

Since $z = 0$ is a zero of order 2 of $\cos z - 1$, and a zero of order 3 of $\sin z - z$, we know $z = 0$ is a removable singular point. Thus $\text{Res}[f(z), 0] = 0$.

Since $z = 2k\pi (k \neq 0)$ are zeros of order 2 of $\cos z - 1$, and $\sin z - z$ is analytic and nonzero at these points, we know $z = 2k\pi (k \neq 0)$ are poles of order 2.

[5marks]

Question 5. [10 marks]

Solve the following problem of small oscillation of semi-infinite unloaded string with rigidly free end $x = 0$.

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} - 4u_{xx} = 0, & 0 < x < +\infty, t > 0, \\ u_x(0, t) = 0, & t > 0, \\ u(x, 0) = x^2, u_t(x, 0) = x, & 0 < x < +\infty. \end{cases}$$

Solution. Consider the Cauchy problem of the one dimensional infinite string oscillation equation:

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} = a^2 u_{xx}, -\infty < x < +\infty, t > 0 \\ u|_{t=0} = \varphi(x), u_t|_{t=0} = \psi(x) \end{cases}.$$

The D'Alembert formula tells us that $u(x, t) = \frac{\varphi(x-at)^2 + \varphi(x+at)^2}{2} + \frac{1}{2a} \int_{x-at}^{x+at} \psi(\xi) d\xi$. [5 marks]

For the problem of small oscillation of semi-infinite unloaded string with rigidly free end $x = 0$, we need prolong the functions $\varphi(x)$ and $\psi(x)$ as even functions, that is,

$$\varphi(x) = x^2, \psi(x) = |x|, \quad a = 2.$$

$$\text{Then } u(x) = \frac{(x-2t)^2 + (x+2t)^2}{2} + \frac{1}{2 \times 2} \int_{x-2t}^{x+2t} |\xi| d\xi = \begin{cases} x^2 + xt + 4t^2, & x \geq 2t \\ \frac{5(x^2 + 4t^2)}{4}, & x < 2t \end{cases}. \quad [10 \text{ marks}]$$

Question 6. [10 marks]

Determine the type of the PDE $u_{xx} - 6u_{xy} + 9u_{yy} = xy^2$ and transform it into its standard form.

Solution. The discriminant is $\Delta = (-6)^2 - 4 \times 9 = 0$, so this PDE is of parabolic type.

The characteristic equations is $dy^2 + 6dxdy + 9dy^2 = 0$.

[5 marks]

It has a real solution $\frac{dy}{dx} = -3$. That is, $y = -3x + C$

So we may let $\begin{cases} \xi = y + 3x \\ \eta = y \end{cases}$.

[8 marks]

The Jacobian of the transformation is $J = \begin{vmatrix} \xi_x & \xi_y \\ \eta_x & \eta_y \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{vmatrix} = 3 \neq 0$.

With this variable transformation, the PDE is transformed into $u_{\eta\eta} = \frac{1}{9}xy^2 = \frac{1}{27}\xi\eta^2 - \frac{1}{27}\eta^3$.

[10 marks]

Question 7. [12 marks]

Solve the following problem by means of separation of variables:

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} - 4u_{xx} = 0, & 0 < x < 1, t > 0, \\ u_x(0, t) = 0, u_x(1, t) = 0, & t \geq 0, \\ u(x, 0) = \sin \pi x, u_t(x, 0) = 0, & 0 \leq x \leq 1. \end{cases}$$

Solution.

Let $u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$ and substitute it into the equation, we have

$$X(x)T''(t) = 4X''(x)T(t).$$

Dividing it by $X(x)T(t)$, we have $\frac{T''(t)}{4T(t)} = \frac{X''(x)}{X(x)} = -\lambda$.

$$\text{Then } \begin{cases} X''(x) + \lambda X(x) = 0, \\ T''(t) + 4\lambda T(t) = 0 \end{cases}$$

[5 marks]

And the boundary conditions become $X'(0) = X'(1) = 0$.

Solving the eigenvalue problem $\begin{cases} X''(x) + \lambda X(x) = 0 \\ X'(0) = X'(1) = 0 \end{cases}$, we obtain the eigenvalues

$$\lambda_n = n^2\pi^2 (n = 0, 1, 2, \dots) \text{ and the eigenfunctions } X(x) = \cos n\pi x.$$

Solving the other problem $T''(t) + 4\lambda T(t) = 0$ for $\lambda_n = n^2\pi^2 (n = 0, 1, 2, \dots)$, we obtain

$$T_0(t) = A_0t + B_0; \quad T_n(t) = A \cos 2n\pi t + B \sin 2n\pi t, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$$

$$\text{So, } u(x, t) = A_0t + B_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (A_n \cos 2n\pi t + B_n \sin 2n\pi t) \cos n\pi x.$$

[10 marks]

$$\text{According to the initial condition, we have } \begin{cases} \sin \pi x = B_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \cos n\pi x \\ 0 = A_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n 2n\pi \cos n\pi x \end{cases},$$

$$\text{Then } A_0 = \int_0^1 \sin \pi x dx = \frac{2}{\pi}, \quad A_n = 2 \int_0^1 \sin \pi x \cos n\pi x dx = \begin{cases} 0 & n \text{ is odd,} \\ \frac{-4}{(n^2-1)\pi} & n \text{ is even,} \end{cases} \text{ and } B_n = 0.$$

$$\text{Hence the solution is } u(x, t) = \frac{2}{\pi} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{(4n^2-1)\pi} \cos 4n\pi t \cos 2n\pi x.$$

[12 marks]

Question 8. [10 marks]**Solve the vibration problem of a half infinite string:**

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} = c^2 u_{xx}, & 0 < x < \infty, \quad t > 0, \\ u(x, 0) = 0, \quad u_t(x, 0) = 0, \\ u(0, t) = f(t), \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} u_x(x, t) = 0. \end{cases}$$

Solution. Let $V(x, p) = \mathcal{L}[u(x, t)]$, $L(p) = \mathcal{L}[f(t)]$.Then by equation $u_{tt} = c^2 u_{xx}$, we have

$$\mathcal{L}[u_{tt}] - c^2 \mathcal{L}[u_{xx}] = 0. \quad (1)$$

Moreover, by $u(x, 0) = 0$, $u_t(x, 0) = 0$,

$$\mathcal{L}[u_{tt}] = p^2 \mathcal{L}[u] - pu(x, 0) - u_t(x, 0) = p^2 V. \quad (2)$$

Thus, combining (1) and (2), we obtain

$$\frac{d^2 V}{dx^2} - \frac{p^2}{c^2} V = 0.$$

Solving this equation, then

$$V(x, p) = C_1(p)e^{-\frac{p}{c}x} + C_2(p)e^{\frac{p}{c}x}. \quad (3) \quad [4 \text{ marks}]$$

From (3), it is obvious that

$$V(0, p) = L(p), \quad \lim_{x \rightarrow +\infty} \frac{dV}{dx}(x, p) = 0. \quad (4)$$

Thus, substituting (4) into (3), we have

$$C_1(p) = L(p), \quad C_2(p) = 0.$$

Then

$$V(x, p) = L(p)e^{-\frac{p}{c}x}. \quad [6 \text{ marks}]$$

Finally, by the Laplace inverse transformation we have

$$u(x, t) = \mathcal{L}^{-1}[V(x, p)] = \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[L(p)e^{-\frac{p}{c}x}\right] \quad [8 \text{ marks}]$$

$$\begin{aligned} &= \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\int_0^{+\infty} f(t)e^{-pt}e^{-\frac{p}{c}x} dt\right] \\ &= \mathcal{L}^{-1}\left[\mathcal{L}\left[f\left(t - \frac{x}{c}\right)\right]\right] = f\left(t - \frac{x}{c}\right). \end{aligned}$$

[10 marks]