MATH4853_PDE_PS2_Q3B

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Problem Sheet 2: Q3b

Find, in parametric form, the solution to the PDE and hence obtain a relationship between u, x, yin:

$$uu_x + u_y = 1$$

Where $u = \frac{s}{2}$ when x = s = y for $0 \le s \le 1$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = u \tag{1}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 1 \tag{2}$$

$$\frac{du}{dt} = 1 \tag{3}$$

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(4)

Solving Equation 2

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 1\tag{5}$$

$$\therefore \int dy = \int dt \tag{6}$$

$$\therefore y = t + A \tag{7}$$

When t = 0, y = s.

$$\therefore s = 0 + A \tag{8}$$

$$\therefore A = s \tag{9}$$

$$\therefore y = t + s \tag{10}$$

Solving Equation 3

$$\frac{du}{dt} = 1\tag{11}$$

$$\therefore \int du = \int dt \tag{12}$$

$$\therefore u = t + B \tag{13}$$

When t = 0, $u = \frac{s}{2}$.

$$\therefore \frac{s}{2} = 0 + B \tag{14}$$

$$\therefore B = \frac{s}{2} \tag{15}$$

$$\therefore u = t + \frac{s}{2} \tag{5}$$

Solving Equation 1 using (5)

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = u \tag{17}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = t + \frac{s}{2} \tag{18}$$

$$\therefore \int dx = \int t + \frac{s}{2} dt \tag{19}$$

$$\therefore x = t^2 + \frac{s}{2}t + C \tag{20}$$

When t = 0, x = s.

$$\therefore s = 0 + 0 + C \tag{21}$$

$$\therefore C = s \tag{22}$$

$$\therefore x = t^2 + \frac{s}{2}t + s \tag{6}$$

Need to eliminate s and t from (4), (5), and (6)

$$x = t^2 + \frac{s}{2}t + s \tag{24}$$

$$\therefore x = t(t + \frac{s}{2}) + s \tag{25}$$

$$\therefore x = tu + s \tag{26}$$

(27)

From (5): s = 2u - 2t (8) From (7) using (8):

$$x = tu + 2u - 2t \tag{28}$$

$$\therefore x = t(u-2) + 2u \tag{29}$$

$$\therefore t(u-2) = x - 2u \tag{30}$$

$$\therefore t = \frac{x - 2u}{u - 2}(9) \tag{31}$$

(32)

From (4):

$$y = t + s \tag{33}$$

$$\therefore s = y - t \tag{34}$$

$$\therefore s = y - \frac{x - 2u}{u - 2} \tag{10}$$

(36)

Sub (9) and (10) in (7):

$$x = tu + s \tag{37}$$

$$\therefore x = u \frac{x - 2u}{u - 2} + y - \frac{x - 2u}{u - 2} \tag{38}$$

$$\therefore (x-y)(u-2) = ux - 2u^2 - x + 2u \tag{39}$$

$$\therefore xu - 2x - yu + 2y = ux - 2u^2 - x + 2u \tag{40}$$

$$\therefore 2u^2 - u(y+2) = x - 2y \tag{41}$$

(42)

Doesn't seem much point simplifying further (could use quadratic formula).

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