



## 2. Fictitious point method for Robin Boundary Conditions<sup>4</sup>

Consider

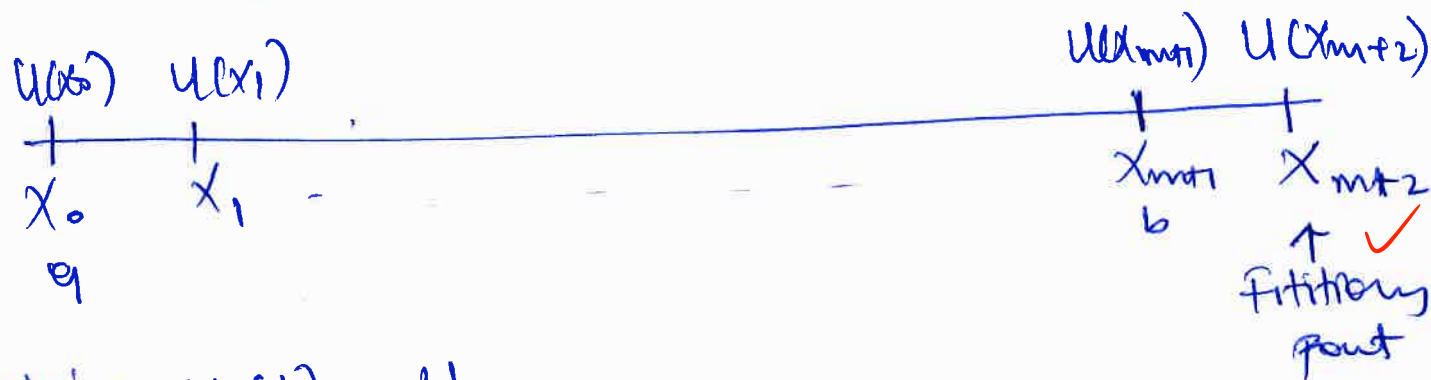
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$$U'' = P(x)U' + q(x)U + r(x) \quad \text{--- (1)}, x \in [a, b]$$

with mixed Boundary Conditions.

$$U(a) = \alpha \text{ and } \beta_1 U(b) + \beta_2 U'(b) = \beta_3$$

Discretize equation (1) with  $n+1$  equally spaced subintervals.



taking  $U(b) \approx U_{m+1}$

$$U(b-h) \approx U_m$$

$$P_{m+1} = P(b)$$

$$q_{m+1} = q(b)$$

$$r_{m+1} = r(b)$$

After discretization, <sup>at  $x_{m+1}$</sup>  equation (1) becomes;

$$U''_{m+1} = P_{m+1} U'_{m+1} + q_{m+1} U_{m+1} + r_{m+1} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

From the Central difference formula;

$$U''_{m+1} = \frac{U_{m+2} - 2U_{m+1} + U_m}{h^2}$$

where  $U_{m+2}$  is  $U(x_{m+2})$ , where  $x_{m+2}$  is a fictitious point.

From the boundary conditions;  $\beta_1 U_{m+1} + \beta_2 U'_{m+1} = \beta_3$



we have

$$U_{mt+1}' = \frac{\beta_3 - \beta_1 U_{mt+1}}{\beta_2}$$

So

$$P_{mt+1} U_{mt+1}' = \frac{P_{mt+1}}{\beta_2} (\beta_3 - \beta_1 U_{mt+1}) \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

but  $U_{mt+1}'$  can be discretized to

$$U_{mt+1}' = \frac{U_{mt+2} - U_m}{2h} = \frac{\beta_3 - \beta_1 U_{mt+1}}{\beta_2}$$

$$U_{mt+2} = \frac{2h}{\beta_2} (\beta_3 - \beta_1 U_{mt+1}) + U_m$$

from

$$U_{mt+1}'' = \frac{U_{mt+2} - 2U_{mt+1} + U_m}{h^2}$$

Substituting  $U_{mt+2}$ , we obtain

$$U_{mt+1}'' = \frac{\frac{2h}{\beta_2} (\beta_3 - \beta_1 U_{mt+1}) + U_m - 2U_{mt+1} + U_m}{h^2}$$

Substituting  $U_{mt+1}''$  and equation (3) into equation (2) we have

$$\frac{\frac{2h}{\beta_2} (\beta_3 - \beta_1 U_{mt+1}) + 2U_m - 2U_{mt+1}}{h^2} = \frac{P_{mt+1}}{\beta_2} (\beta_3 - \beta_1 U_{mt+1}) + g_{U_{mt+1}} + r_{mt+1}$$

$$\frac{2h}{\beta_2} (\beta_3 - \beta_1 U_{mt1}) + 2U_m - 2U_{mt1} - g \frac{h^2}{L_{mt1}} U_{mt1} +$$

$$\frac{P_{mt1}}{\beta_2} h^2 \beta_1 U_{mt1} = \frac{P_{mt1}}{\beta_2} h^2 \beta_3 + h^2 r_{mt1}$$

which simplifies to

$$2U_m + \left[ -2 - h^2 g \frac{L_{mt1}}{\beta_2} + \beta_1 h^2 \frac{P_{mt1}}{\beta_2} - 2h \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_2} \right] U_{mt1} =$$

$$-2h \frac{\beta_3}{\beta_2} + \frac{\beta_3}{\beta_2} h^2 P_{mt1} + h^2 r_{mt1}$$

$$-2U_m + \left[ 2 + h^2 g \frac{L_{mt1}}{\beta_2} + (2 - h P_{mt1}) h \frac{\beta_1}{\beta_2} \right] U_{mt1} =$$

$$-h^2 r_{mt1} + (2 - h P_{mt1}) h \frac{\beta_3}{\beta_2} \quad \checkmark$$



3) 9)

Show that the linear system (5) has a unique solution regardless of  $b$ .

from (i)  $Au + \lambda w = 0$

multiplying through by  $w^T$  from the left hand side.

$$w^T (Au + \lambda w) = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

$$w^T A u + w^T \lambda w = 0$$

Since  $w$  is an <sup>an eigen value of  $A$</sup>  non zero vector with mtr entries ~~and~~ <sup>that</sup>  $w^T A = 0^T$ , then,

$$w^T A u = 0 \Rightarrow w^T \lambda w = 0$$

This becomes

$$\lambda w^T w = 0, \text{ Since } \lambda \text{ is a constant}$$

Since  $w$  is non ~~zero~~ vector then  $w^T w \neq 0$ ,  
therefore for  $\lambda w^T w = 0$  then  $\lambda$  must be zero.  
hence  $\lambda = 0$   $\checkmark$

from (i):  $Au + \lambda w = 0$

if  $\lambda = 0$

$$\underline{\underline{Au = 0}} \quad \checkmark$$

\* (ii)  $w^T u = 0$

If  $Au = 0$ , This means  $u = \alpha e$   $\checkmark$  for some  $\alpha$   
Using  $w^T u = 0$ , then substituting in  $u = \alpha e$

$$w^T \alpha e = 0, \text{ Since } \alpha \text{ is a constant then } \alpha w^T e = 0.$$

but  $w^T = [\frac{1}{2} \quad 1 \quad \dots \quad 1 \quad \frac{1}{2}]$

so,  $w^T e = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

So  $w^T e = [\frac{1}{2} \quad 1 \quad \dots \quad 1 \quad \frac{1}{2}] \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

$$w^T e = \frac{1}{2} + 1 + 1 + \dots + 1 + 1 + \frac{1}{2}$$

Since  $w$  and  $e$  are vectors of <sup>length</sup>  $n$ , not 2

then  $w^T e = 1 + 1 + 1 + \dots + 1 + 1$

we are summing  $n$  terms which reduces to

$$w^T e = \sum_{i=1}^{n+1} 1 = \underline{n+1} \neq 0$$

but  $\alpha w^T e = 0$ , hence for  $\alpha w^T e$  to be zero  
then  $\alpha$  must be zero because  $n+1 \neq 0$ .

therefore  $\alpha = 0$  ✓

b)

Show that if  $w^T b = 0$  in (5) then  $\lambda = 0$ .  
from (5)

$$A u + \lambda w = b$$

multiplying through by  $w^T$  from the left hand side we have

$$w^T A u + w^T \lambda w = w^T b \quad \checkmark$$

If  $w^T b = 0$  then  $A u = 0$  then

$$w^T \lambda w = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda w^T w = 0 \quad \checkmark$$

Since  $w$  is a non zero vector then  $w^T w \neq 0$ ,  
Therefore for  $\lambda w^T w$  to be zero then  $\lambda = 0$



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9) Show that row  $j$  of system (2) simplifies to

$$\sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \left( 2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi k}{m+1} \right) - 2 \right) \cos \left( \frac{\pi j k}{m+1} \right) = h^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \cos \left( \frac{\pi j k}{m+1} \right)$$

from (2), we can conclude that the  $j$ th row is given by

$$\frac{1}{h^2} (U_{j-1} - 2U_j + U_{j+1}) = f_j$$

Starting for the case  $1 \leq j \leq m$ , we have

$$U_{j-1} - 2U_j + U_{j+1} = 2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \cos \left( \frac{\pi(j-1)k}{m+1} \right) - 2 \left( 2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \cos \left( \frac{\pi j k}{m+1} \right) \right) + 2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \cos \left( \frac{\pi(j+1)k}{m+1} \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow 2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \cos \left( \frac{\pi(j-1)k}{m+1} \right) - 4 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \cos \left( \frac{\pi j k}{m+1} \right) + 2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \cos \left( \frac{\pi(j+1)k}{m+1} \right)$$

$$= 2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \left[ \cos \left( \frac{\pi(j-1)k}{m+1} \right) - 2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi j k}{m+1} \right) + \cos \left( \frac{\pi(j+1)k}{m+1} \right) \right]$$

$$\text{but } \cos \left( \frac{\pi(j-1)k}{m+1} \right) + \cos \left( \frac{\pi(j+1)k}{m+1} \right) = 2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi j k}{m+1} \right) \cos \left( \frac{\pi k}{m+1} \right)$$

$$= 2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \left[ 2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi j k}{m+1} \right) \cos \left( \frac{\pi k}{m+1} \right) - 2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi j k}{m+1} \right) \right] \quad \checkmark$$



Therefore;

$$U_{j-1} - 2U_j + U_{j+1} = 2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \left[ 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi j k}{m+1}\right) - 2 \right] \cos\left(\frac{\pi j k}{m+1}\right)$$

So  $U_{j-1} - 2U_j + U_{j+1} = h^2 f_j$  ;  $f_j = \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{f}_k \cos\left(\frac{\pi j k}{m+1}\right)$ , becomes

$$\sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \left( 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi j k}{m+1}\right) - 2 \right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi j k}{m+1}\right) = h^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{f}_k \cos\left(\frac{\pi j k}{m+1}\right)$$

Checking for  $j=0$ .

~~$U_{j-1}$~~   $- 2U_j + 2U_{j+1} = h^2 \hat{f}_j$  becomes;

$U_{0+1} - 2U_0 + 2U_1 = h^2 \hat{f}_0$

$$-2U_0 + 2U_1 = -4 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \cos\left(\frac{\pi k (0)}{m+1}\right) + 4 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \cos\left(\frac{\pi k}{m+1}\right)$$

$$= 2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \left( 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi k}{m+1}\right) - 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi k (0)}{m+1}\right) \right)$$

$$= 2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \left( 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi k}{m+1}\right) - 2 \right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi k (0)}{m+1}\right)$$

So  $-2U_0 + 2U_1 = h^2 \hat{f}_0$ , becomes;

$$2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \left( 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi k}{m+1}\right) - 2 \right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi k (0)}{m+1}\right) = h^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{f}_k \cos\left(\frac{\pi k (0)}{m+1}\right)$$

In case  $j = m+1$

from (2), we have  $2U_m - 2U_{m+1} = h^2 f_{m+1}$

but  $U_m = U_{m+2}$ , from (2)

then

$$2U_{m+2} - 2U_{m+1} = h^2 f_{m+1}$$

$$4 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \cos\left(\frac{\pi(m+2)k}{m+1}\right) - 4 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \cos\left(\frac{\pi(m+1)k}{m+1}\right) = h^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{f}_k \left(\frac{\pi(m+1)k}{m+1}\right)$$

This reduces to

$$2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \left[ 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(m+2)k}{m+1}\right) - 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(m+1)k}{m+1}\right) \right] = h^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{f}_k \left(\frac{\pi(m+1)k}{m+1}\right)$$

but

$$\cos\left(\frac{\pi(m+2)k}{m+1}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi(m+1)k}{m+1}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi k}{m+1}\right) - \sin\left(\frac{\pi(m+1)k}{m+1}\right) \sin\left(\frac{\pi k}{m+1}\right)$$

Since  $\sin \pi k = 0$ , for  $k$ , integer, then

$$\cos\left(\frac{\pi(m+2)k}{m+1}\right) = \cos\left(\frac{\pi(m+1)k}{m+1}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi k}{m+1}\right)$$

then;

$$2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \left[ 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(m+1)k}{m+1}\right) \cos\left(\frac{\pi k}{m+1}\right) - 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi(m+1)k}{m+1}\right) \right] = h^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{f}_k \left(\frac{\pi(m+1)k}{m+1}\right)$$

$$2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \left[ 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi k}{m+1}\right) - 2 \right] \cos\left(\frac{\pi(m+1)k}{m+1}\right) = h^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{f}_k \left(\frac{\pi(m+1)k}{m+1}\right)$$

b)

$$\sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \left( 2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi k}{m+1} \right) - 2 \right) \cos \left( \frac{\pi j k}{m+1} \right) = h^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{f}_k \cos \left( \frac{\pi j k}{m+1} \right)$$

for  $k=0$ .

$$\sum_{\substack{k=0 \\ k \neq 0}}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k (2 - 2) \cos \left( \frac{\pi j k}{m+1} \right) = h^2 \sum_{k=0}^{m+1} \hat{f}_k$$

$0 \neq \hat{f}_0$  have undefined, therefore we start from  $k=1$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{m+1} \hat{U}_k \left( 2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi k}{m+1} \right) - 2 \right) \cos \left( \frac{\pi j k}{m+1} \right) = h^2 \sum_{k=1}^{m+1} \hat{f}_k \cos \left( \frac{\pi j k}{m+1} \right)$$

which reduces to

$$\hat{U}_k \left( 2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi k}{m+1} \right) - 2 \right) = h^2 \hat{f}_k$$

hence

$$\hat{U}_k = \frac{h^2 \hat{f}_k}{2 \cos \left( \frac{\pi k}{m+1} \right) - 2}$$

if  $\hat{f}_0 = 0$ , gives

$$\frac{1}{m+1} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \hat{f}_0 + \sum_{j=1}^m \hat{f}_j \cos \left( \frac{\pi (0) j}{m+1} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \hat{f}_{m+1} \right] = 0$$

$$\left[ \frac{1}{2} \hat{f}_0 + \sum_{j=1}^m \hat{f}_j + \frac{1}{2} \hat{f}_{m+1} \right] = 0 \quad \text{--- ①}$$

for the discrete compatibility condition

$$W^T b = W^T f = 0.$$

$$W^T = \left[ \frac{1}{2}, \dots, 1, \frac{1}{2} \right]$$



therefore;

$$W^T f = \left[ \frac{1}{2}, 1, \dots, 1, \frac{1}{2} \right] \begin{bmatrix} f_0 \\ f_1 \\ f_2 \\ \vdots \\ f_{m+1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$W^T f = \frac{1}{2} f_0 + f_1 + f_2 + \dots + f_{m-1} + f_m + \frac{1}{2} f_{m+1}$$

but from ①,  $\frac{1}{2} f_0 + \sum_{j=1}^m f_j + \frac{1}{2} f_{m+1} = 0$  and for  $\hat{f}_0 = 0$ , therefore;

$$W^T f = \frac{1}{2} f_0 + \sum_{j=1}^m f_j + \frac{1}{2} f_{m+1} = 0$$

Hence  $\hat{f}_0 = 0$  corresponds to  $W^T b = W^T f = 0$

c) To Obtain the Solution for (2), the discrete Compatibility Condition  $W^T f = 0$  must be satisfied.

So since it's satisfied on the right hand side, hence we can obtain the solution to (2)

So for  $W^T f = 0$  to be satisfied on the right hand means the non-zero eigen ~~value~~ <sup>vector</sup> is orthogonal to  $f$ , hence their dot product is zero.



Also explain how one makes the solution unique by fixing the arbitrary constant to  $U$   
 let  $U_0$  be <sup>fixed to an</sup> arbitrary constant  $U$  i.e.  $U_0 = U$

but 
$$\hat{U}_0 = \frac{1}{m+1} \left[ \frac{1}{2} U_0 + \sum_{j=1}^m U_j + \frac{1}{2} U_{m+1} \right] = U$$

$$\frac{1}{2} U_0 + \sum_{j=1}^m U_j + \frac{1}{2} U_{m+1} = (m+1)U$$

but 
$$\frac{1}{2} U_0 + \sum_{j=1}^m U_j + \frac{1}{2} U_{m+1} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{2} & 1 & \dots & 1 & \frac{1}{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} U_0 \\ U_1 \\ \vdots \\ U_{m+1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= W^T U$$

there 
$$\frac{1}{2} U_0 + \sum_{j=1}^m U_j + \frac{1}{2} U_{m+1} = W^T U = (m+1)U$$

So  $W^T U = (m+1)U$  implies that the solution to (2) is unique.

- e) First of all they are mathematically equivalent. Since in ~~both~~ both we are solving the same equation, and the conditions in both methods almost draw to the same conclusion.
- In problem (3), we are interested more in the value of  $\lambda$ . If  $\lambda = 0$  then the solution exists, and also the error gives some information.

- As in problem (4) we see that the Poisson equation doesn't have a solution unless the discrete Compatibility Condition is satisfied, and that the solution is unique if  $Q_0$  is fixed to  $U$ .
- So all these methods will draw to some equivalent solutions. ✓

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%The program uses idct and dct ad procedures (a)-(c) to solve problem from
%4(c)

a=0; b=2*pi;
m=99;

h=(b-a)/(m+1);
j=[0:m+1]';
xj=a+j*h;
k=[1:m+1]';

%take v(0) to be 0.000002 since at k=0, uap is undefined, so uap(0) can be
%choosen arbitrary. You should be using k=[0:m+1]'
v=[0.000002; (2*cos((pi*k)/(m+1)))-2];
f=-4*cos(2*xj);

%obtaining fcap
fcap=dct(f);

%obtaining uap
ucap=(h^2)*fcap./v;
you should just set uap(1) = U after this line
%obtaining u
uap=idct(ucap);

%relative two norm
L2norm=RelL2Norm(uex,uap);
fprintf('%10s %16.8e\n','Relative two norm =',L2norm);
fprintf('According to the results from the two graphs, we can conclude that the results are the same.');
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✓

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%ploting the solution of u
figure(1);
plot(xj,uap,'*');
hold on;
uex=u_ex(xj);
plot(xj,uex);
legend('Numerical','true solution')
ylabel('u(x)');
xlabel('x');
title('A graph of u against x');
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figure(2);
err=er(uex,uap);
plot(xj,err);
ylabel('error');
xlabel('x');
title('A graph of error against x');
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%exact solution
function uexact=u_ex(xj)
uexact=cos(2*xj);
end

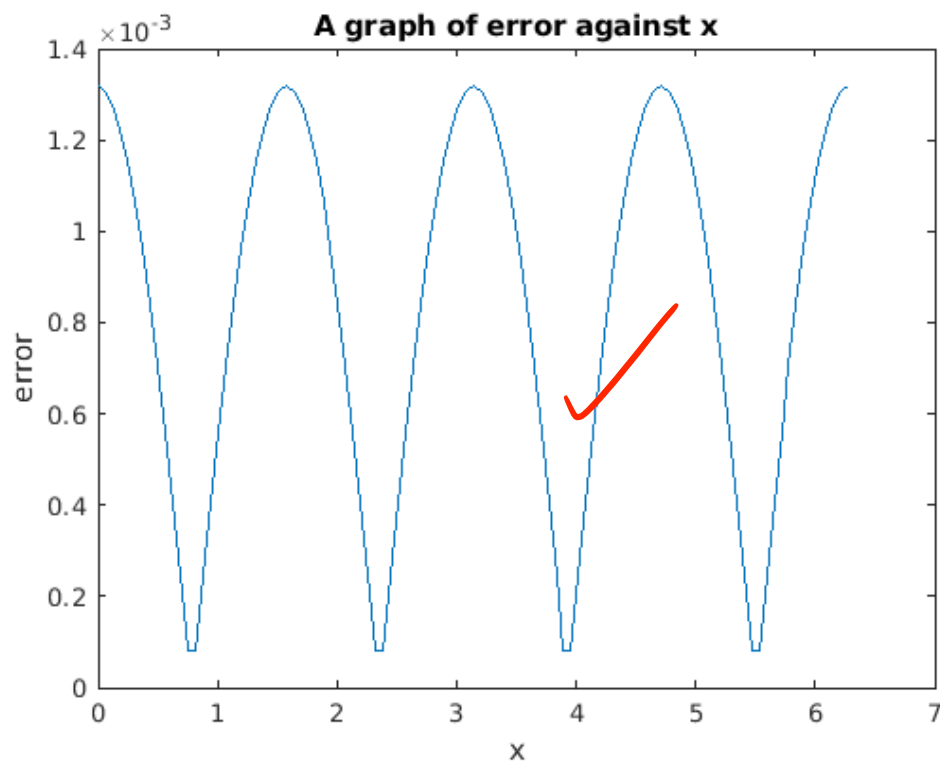
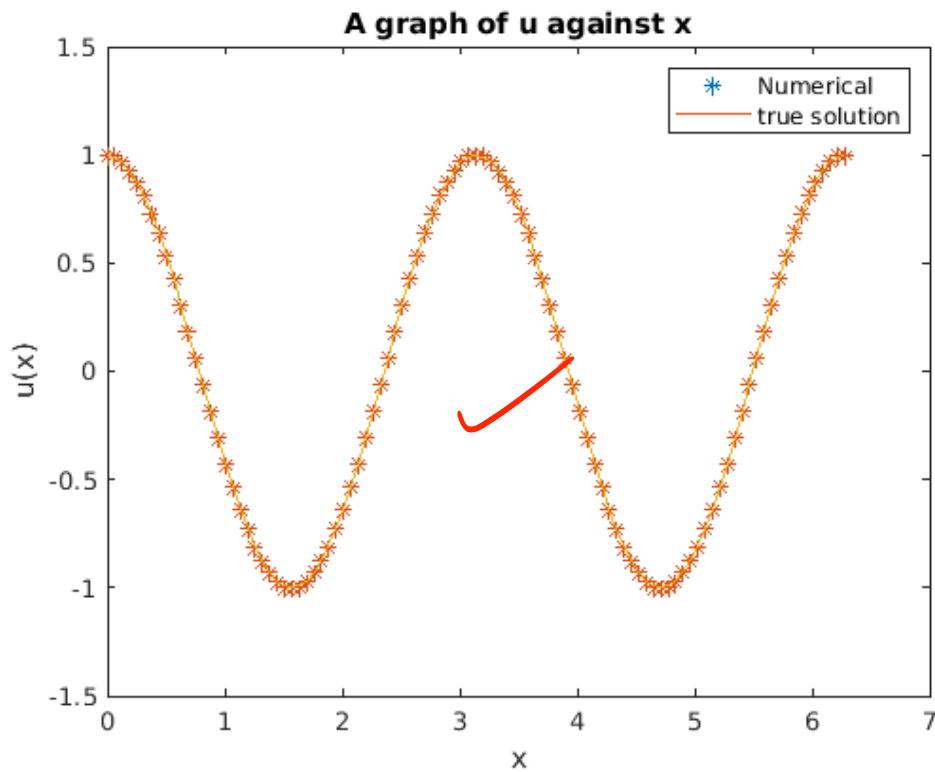
%error
function error=er(uex,uap)
error=abs(uex - uap);
end

%relative two norm of the error
function L2 = RelL2Norm(uex,uap)
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R = (uex - uap).^2;  
L2 = sqrt(sum(R)/sum(uap.^2));  
end
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Relative two norm = 1.31525476e-03

According to the results from the two graphs, we can conclude that the results are the same.





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