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Assignment 03

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Use Matlab to solve each of the following problems.

1. The one dimensional homogeneous heat equation is $u_t = a^2 u_{xx}$, where u defines the temperature and a^2 is a positive constant known as the diffusivity. Use symbolic variables and `syms` package to assign units to each of the variables and parameters present in the heat equation. Also, check units consistency of this equation (hint: compute the derivatives).
2. Consider a thin wire made of homogeneous material the diameter of which coincides with the x -axis from $x = 0$ to $x = L$. It is assumed that the initial temperature, f of the rod is specified as a function of the distance x from one end of the rod ($x = 0$). The temperature distribution $u(x, t)$ at some later time in the absence of any heat source is then a solution of the one-dimensional, homogeneous heat equation. Suppose the two ends are suddenly placed in contact with ice packs at 0°C at time $t = 0$ and this temperature is maintained at all times. Then the temperature distribution of this rod is given by

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \frac{\sin n\pi x}{L} e^{-\frac{a^2 n^2 \pi^2 t}{L^2}}$$

- (a) Verify that the solution given satisfies the one-dimensional, homogeneous equation.
 - (b) Suppose, $f(x) = 10$. Compute the coefficients, c_n .
 - (c) Assume, $a^2 = 1.71$, and $L = \pi$. Plot the temperature, $u(x, t)$ for first five non-zero values of n .
 - (d) Express the temperature, $u(x, t)$ as a sum of the terms you obtained in part(b) and hence plot it.
 - (e) Plot the temperature at the center of the rod as a function of time.
 - (f) What would be the temperature of the rod if it is kept for sufficiently long time?
3. Consider the following heat conduction problem through a thin rod:

$$u_t = a^2 u_{xx}; 0 < x < 10; t > 0$$

$$B.C. : u(0, t) = 10; u(10, t) = 30; t > 0$$

$$I.C. : u(x, 0) = 0; 0 < x < 10$$

The solution of this problem is

$$u(x, t) = 10 + 2x + \frac{20}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^n 3 - 1}{n} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{10}\right) e^{-\frac{a^2 n^2 \pi^2 t}{100}}$$

Consider four rods, each of which is made entirely of each of these four materials, Silver (1.71), Copper (1.14), Aluminum (0.86) and Cast iron (0.12) (bracketed values indicate corresponding diffusivity).

- (a) Create a table demonstrating the temperature, $u(x, t)$ at $t = 1$ for each rod (take 0.5 as spatial increment).
 - (b) Repeat part (a) for $t = 10$ and $t = 20$ and hence comment how the diffusivity of material affects the heat conduction.
 - (c) Use first three non-zero terms to visualize the temperature distribution in each rod.
 - (d) How long it will take for the center of each rod to reach a temperature of 15 units?
4. Consider a one-dimensional road with traffic flow described by the following quasi-linear PDE:

$$\frac{\partial \rho}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x}(\rho v) = 0$$

where $\rho(x, t)$ is the traffic density (vehicles per unit length), and $v(\rho)$ is the velocity of the traffic as a function of density. Given:

- Length of the road, $L = 10$ km
- Maximum velocity, $v_{\max} = 120$ km/h
- Density-dependent slowing down parameter, $a = 0.02$ vehicles/(km²)
- Initial density distribution, $\rho_0(x) = 20$ vehicles/km for $0 < x < L$

Considering the scenario of red light turning green, set up the initial conditions, and implement the method of characteristic using MATLAB to simulate the traffic density evolution over time and analyze the system's behavior.

5. Check the transversality condition for the PDE $u_x + 3y^{\frac{2}{3}}u_y = 2$, subject to initial condition, $u(x, 1) = 1 + x$ and hence solve using method of characteristic. Plot the solution surface along with characteristic curves.

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%a3q1
clc;
syms U(x,t) a
unit=symunit;
U=U*unit.K;
x=x*unit.m;
t=t*unit.t;
a=a*unit.m^2/unit.t;
eqn=diff(U,t)==a*diff(U,x,x);
disp('Differential term with respect to time:');
diff(U,t)
disp('Differential term with respect to space:');
a*diff(U,x,x)
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Differential term with respect to time:

ans(x, t) =

diff(U(x, t), t)([K]/[t])*

Differential term with respect to space:

ans(x, t) =

*a*diff(U(x, t), x, x)*([K]/[t])*

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%a3q2
clc;
syms t x n c_n(n) L a f(x) u_n(x, t, n) lambda(n) heat(x, t)

assume(n, "integer")
assume([L a], "positive")

heat(x, t) = 0;

lambda(n) = n*pi/L;

u_n(x, t, n) = c_n .* sin(x*lambda(n)) .* exp(-t*(a^2)*lambda(n).^2);

eqn = simplify(diff(u_n, t) - (a^2)*diff(u_n, x, x));
if eqn == 0
    fprintf('The equation is satisfied.\n')
else
    fprintf('The equation is not satisfied.\n')
end

f(x) = 10;

c_n(n) = (2/L) * int(f(x) .*sin(lambda(n).*x), x, 0, L);

u_n_plot(x, t, n) = subs(u_n(x, t, n), sym(["L" "a" "c_n"]), [pi 1.71 c_n]);

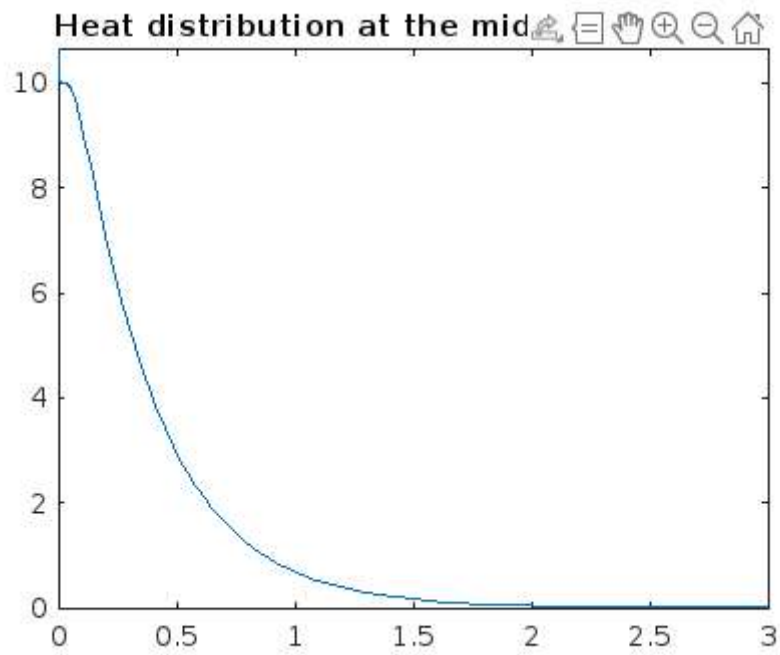
for i = 1:9
    tfinal = 3;
    u_plot(x, t) = u_n_plot(x, t, i);
    heat(x, t) = heat(x, t) + u_plot(x, t);
    fsurf(u_plot, [0 pi 0 tfinal], "EdgeColor","interp"), colormap jet
    hold on
    alpha(0.5)
    title(['First five non-negative terms.']);
end

figure
fsurf(heat, [0 pi 0 tfinal], "EdgeColor","interp"), colormap jet
alpha(0.5)
title(['Total heat distribution.']);

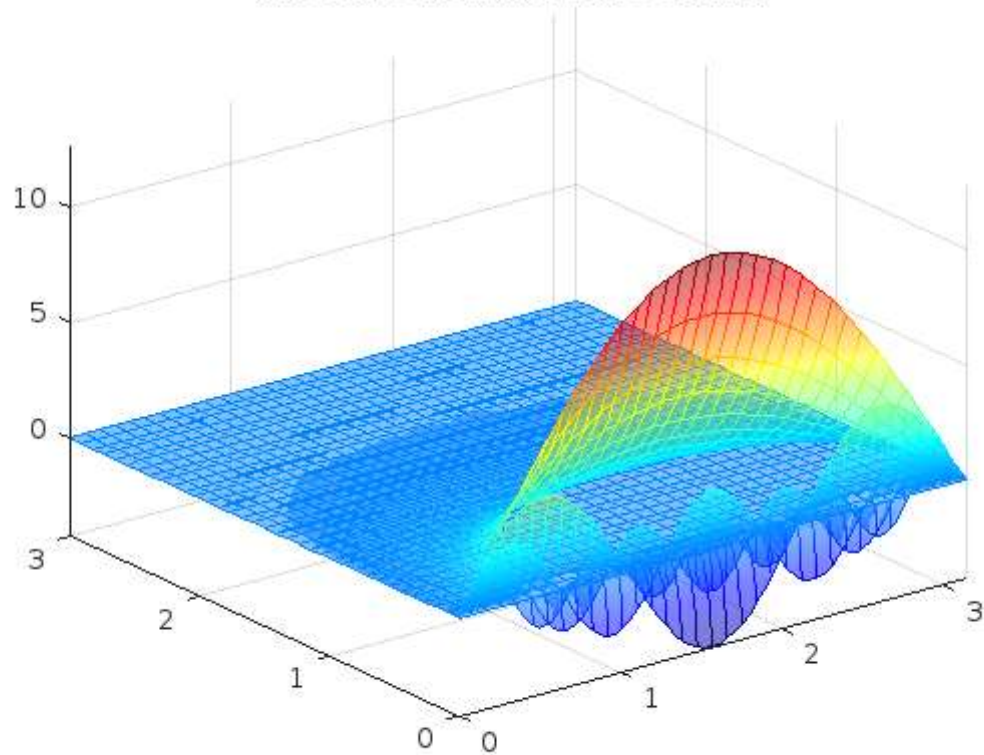
figure
heat_mid = heat(pi/2, t);
fplot(heat_mid, [0 3])
title(['Heat distribution at the middle over time.']);

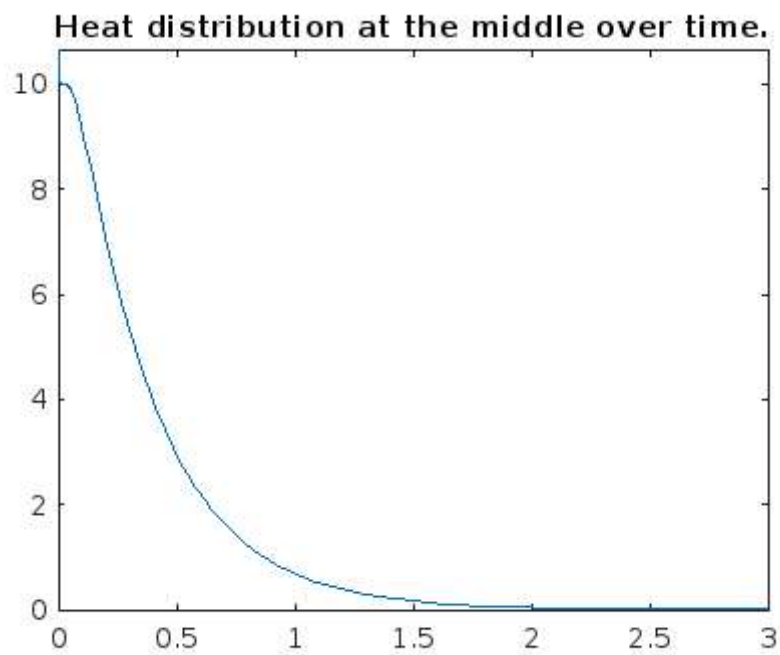
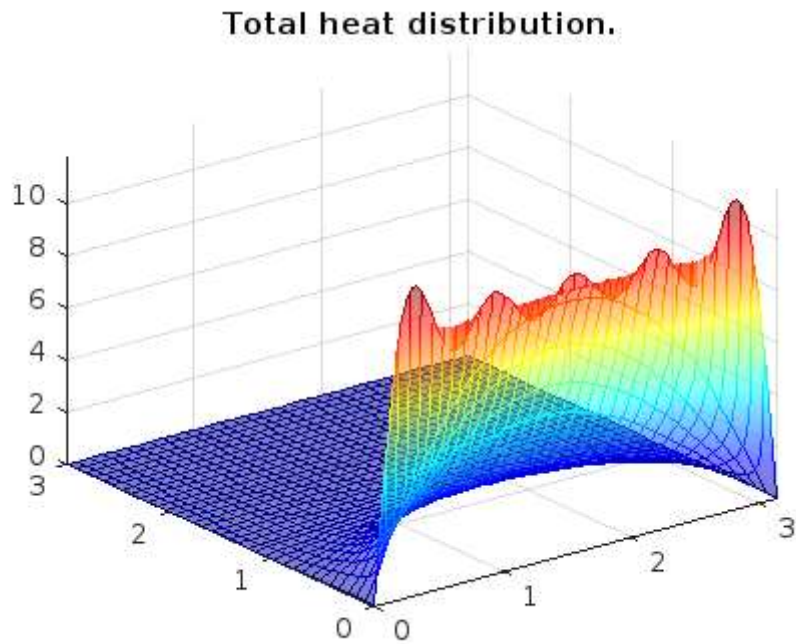
The equation is satisfied.

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First five non-negative terms.





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%a3q3
clc;

syms x_val t_val u_val

silverDist = heatDist(x_val, t_val, 1.71);
copperDist = heatDist(x_val, t_val, 1.14);
aluminumDist = heatDist(x_val, t_val, 0.86);
ironDist = heatDist(x_val, t_val, 0.12);

x = linspace(0, 10, 21);

createHeatDistributionTable(1);
createHeatDistributionTable(10);
createHeatDistributionTable(20);

silverMid(t_val) = silverDist(5, t_val);
for i = 0:.1:30
    if(round(silverMid(i)) == 15)
        tSilverMid = i;
        break
    end
end
tSilverMid

copperMid(t_val) = copperDist(5, t_val);
for i = 0:.1:30
    if(round(copperMid(i)) == 15)
        tCopperMid = i;
        break
    end
end
tCopperMid

aluminumMid(t_val) = aluminumDist(5, t_val);
for i = 0:.1:30
    if(round(aluminumMid(i)) == 15)
        tAluminumMid = i;
        break
    end
end
tAluminumMid

tIronMid = 0;
ironMid(t_val) = ironDist(5, t_val);
for i = 1000:1:1300
    if(round(ironMid(i)) == 15)
        tIronMid = i;
        break
    end
end
tIronMid
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figure
fsurf(silverDist, [0 10 0 30], "EdgeColor","interp"), colormap jet
title('Heat distribution in a thin silver rod')
xlabel('x')
ylabel('t')
zlabel('u(x, t)')
box on
alpha(0.5)

figure
fsurf(copperDist, [0 10 0 30], "EdgeColor","interp"), colormap jet
title('Heat distribution in a thin copper rod')
xlabel('x')
ylabel('t')
zlabel('u(x, t)')
box on
alpha(0.5)

figure
fsurf(aluminumDist, [0 10 0 30], "EdgeColor","interp"), colormap jet
title('Heat distribution in a thin aluminum rod')
xlabel('x')
ylabel('t')
zlabel('u(x, t)')
box on
alpha(0.5)

figure
fsurf(ironDist, [0 10 0 30], "EdgeColor","interp"), colormap jet
title('Heat distribution in a thin iron rod')
xlabel('x')
ylabel('t')
zlabel('u(x, t)')
box on
alpha(0.5)

function createHeatDistributionTable(t)
    syms x_val t_val u_val
    x = linspace(0, 10, 21);

    silverDist = heatDist(x_val, t_val, 1.71);
    copperDist = heatDist(x_val, t_val, 1.14);
    aluminumDist = heatDist(x_val, t_val, 0.86);
    ironDist = heatDist(x_val, t_val, 0.12);

    sil = round(vpa(silverDist(x, t), 7), 6);
    cop = round(vpa(copperDist(x, t), 7), 6);
    alu = round(vpa(aluminumDist(x, t), 7), 6);
    irn = round(vpa(ironDist(x, t), 7), 6);

    disp(table(x', sil', cop', alu', irn', 'VariableNames', {'x', 'Silver',
'Copper', 'Aluminum', 'Iron'}));
end

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function heat = heatDist(x, t, a)
    syms n c_n(n) L f(x) u_n(x, t, n) lambda(n) heat(x, t)

    assume(n, "integer")
    assume([L a], "positive")

    heat(x, t) = 10 + 2*x;

    lambda(n) = n*pi/L;

    u_n(x, t, n) = (20/pi) .* (((3*((-1)^n))-1)/n) .* sin(x*lambda(n)) .* exp(-
t*(a^2)*(lambda(n).^2));

    u_n_plot(x, t, n) = subs(u_n(x, t, n), sym(["L" "a"]), [10 a]);
    for i = 1:50
        u_plot(x, t) = u_n_plot(x, t, i);
        heat(x, t) = heat(x, t) + u_plot(x, t);
    end
end

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| x | Silver | Copper | Aluminum | Iron |
|-------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
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| 0 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 10.0 |
| 0.5 | 8.364143 | 7.564586 | 6.809929 | 0.047454 |
| 1 | 6.798087 | 5.350807 | 4.109533 | -0.009952 |
| 1.5 | 5.363947 | 3.521625 | 2.174542 | -0.005671 |
| 2 | 4.110384 | 2.147785 | 1.000865 | 0.007038 |
| 2.5 | 3.070168 | 1.2099 | 0.398266 | 0.004108 |
| 3 | 2.261658 | 0.628138 | 0.136383 | -0.006242 |
| 3.5 | 1.693896 | 0.301017 | 0.040054 | -0.003572 |
| 4 | 1.37413 | 0.136925 | 0.010083 | 0.006404 |
| 4.5 | 1.316116 | 0.071895 | 0.00234 | 0.003231 |
| 5 | 1.547243 | 0.077057 | 0.001575 | -0.007206 |
| 5.5 | 2.112609 | 0.163995 | 0.00653 | -0.002858 |
| 6 | 3.074501 | 0.394938 | 0.030185 | 0.008712 |
| 6.5 | 4.50635 | 0.898621 | 0.120154 | 0.002248 |
| 7 | 6.481256 | 1.883283 | 0.409149 | -0.01135 |
| 7.5 | 9.056407 | 3.629437 | 1.194798 | -0.000879 |
| 8 | 12.256065 | 6.443299 | 3.002595 | 0.016408 |
| 8.5 | 16.056799 | 10.564865 | 6.523627 | -0.003675 |
| 9 | 20.378855 | 16.052419 | 12.328599 | -0.027561 |
| 9.5 | 25.086718 | 22.693759 | 20.429787 | 0.128964 |
| 10 | 30.0 | 30.0 | 30.0 | 30.0 |

| x | Silver | Copper | Aluminum | Iron |
|-------|-----------|----------|----------|----------|
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| 0 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 10.0 |
| 0.5 | 10.777734 | 9.906949 | 9.180929 | 3.514942 |
| 1 | 11.560939 | 9.839968 | 8.399914 | 0.624074 |
| 1.5 | 12.354952 | 9.824565 | 7.69461 | 0.051886 |

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|-----|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 2 | 13.164845 | 9.885137 | 7.101851 | 0.001939 |
| 2.5 | 13.995298 | 10.044423 | 6.657203 | 0.000032 |
| 3 | 14.850486 | 10.322985 | 6.39445 | 0 |
| 3.5 | 15.733974 | 10.738715 | 6.345007 | 0 |
| 4 | 16.648632 | 11.306386 | 6.537219 | 0 |
| 4.5 | 17.596563 | 12.037246 | 6.99555 | 0 |
| 5 | 18.57905 | 12.938685 | 7.739651 | 0 |
| 5.5 | 19.596525 | 14.013981 | 8.783341 | 0 |
| 6 | 20.64856 | 15.262134 | 10.133564 | 0 |
| 6.5 | 21.733874 | 16.677808 | 11.789404 | 0 |
| 7 | 22.850369 | 18.251384 | 13.741272 | 0.000001 |
| 7.5 | 23.995175 | 19.969137 | 15.970377 | 0.000096 |
| 8 | 25.164728 | 21.813536 | 18.448609 | 0.005818 |
| 8.5 | 26.354852 | 23.763658 | 21.138904 | 0.155658 |
| 9 | 27.560866 | 25.795716 | 23.996156 | 1.872223 |
| 9.5 | 28.777695 | 27.883684 | 26.968656 | 10.544825 |
| 10 | 30.0 | 30.0 | 30.0 | 30.0 |

| x | Silver | Copper | Aluminum | Iron |
|-------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
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| 0 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 10.0 | 10.0 |
| 0.5 | 10.987596 | 10.69375 | 10.080506 | 5.100192 |
| 1 | 11.975498 | 11.395036 | 10.183234 | 1.876323 |
| 1.5 | 12.964003 | 12.111208 | 10.329903 | 0.481068 |
| 2 | 13.953395 | 12.849253 | 10.541223 | 0.08408 |
| 2.5 | 14.943934 | 13.615617 | 10.836422 | 0.009876 |
| 3 | 15.935853 | 14.416052 | 11.232788 | 0.000772 |
| 3.5 | 16.929352 | 15.255475 | 11.745248 | 0.00004 |
| 4 | 17.924591 | 16.13784 | 12.385999 | 0.000001 |
| 4.5 | 18.921686 | 17.066048 | 13.164186 | 0 |
| 5 | 19.92071 | 18.041871 | 14.085647 | 0 |
| 5.5 | 20.921686 | 19.065911 | 15.152737 | 0 |
| 6 | 21.924591 | 20.137578 | 16.364222 | 0.000004 |
| 6.5 | 22.929352 | 21.255115 | 17.715274 | 0.00012 |
| 7 | 23.935853 | 22.415629 | 19.197551 | 0.002317 |
| 7.5 | 24.943934 | 23.615171 | 20.799373 | 0.029628 |
| 8 | 25.953395 | 24.848829 | 22.505987 | 0.25224 |
| 8.5 | 26.964003 | 26.110848 | 24.299929 | 1.443205 |
| 9 | 27.975498 | 27.394774 | 26.161457 | 5.62897 |
| 9.5 | 28.987596 | 28.693612 | 28.069057 | 15.300575 |
| 10 | 30.0 | 30.0 | 30.0 | 30.0 |

$t_{SilverMid} =$

5.4000

$t_{CopperMid} =$

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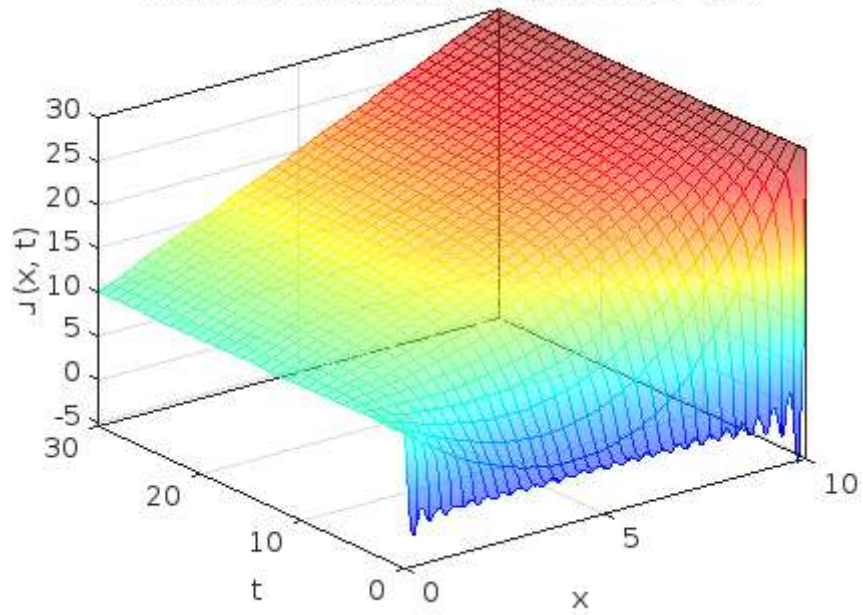
$t_{\text{AluminumMid}} =$

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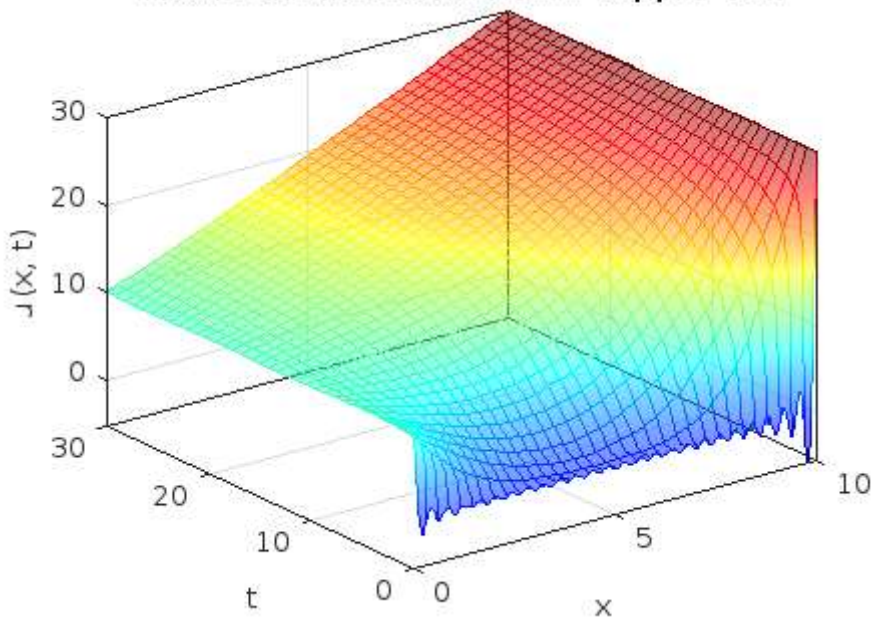
$t_{\text{IronMid}} =$

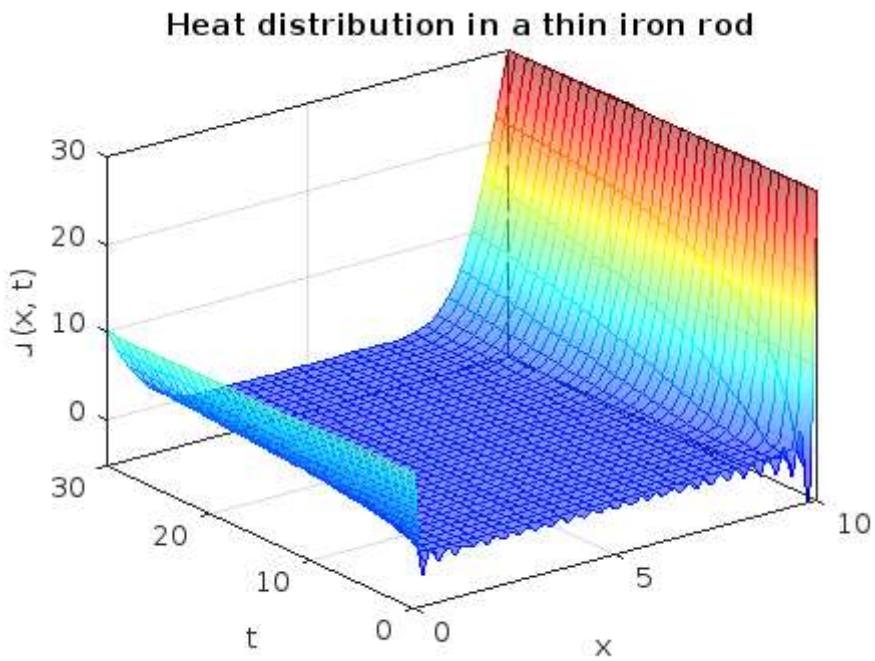
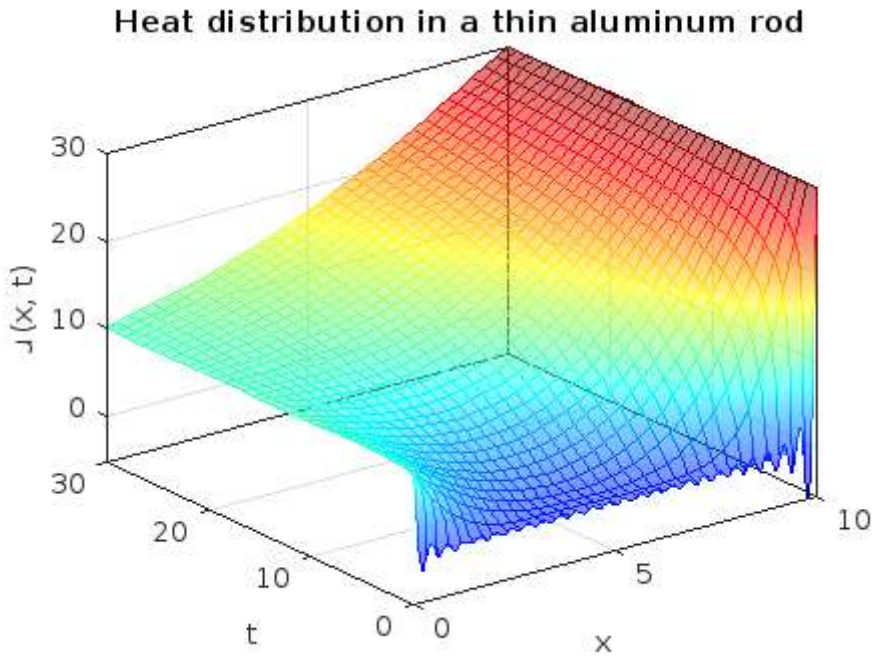
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Heat distribution in a thin silver rod



Heat distribution in a thin copper rod





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%a3q4
road_length = 10;
max_speed = 120;
initial_density = 20;
max_density = initial_density;

time_step = 0.001;
total_time = 0.2;
num_steps = total_time / time_step;

position = linspace(-40, 40, 1000);
density = zeros(size(position));
density(1:end) = initial_density;

colormap('jet');

figure;

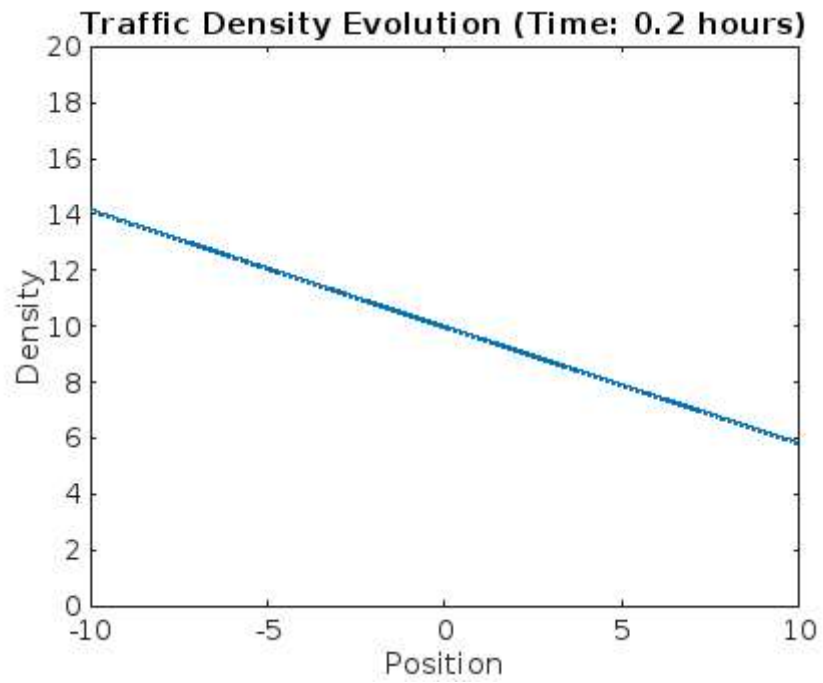
for step = 1:num_steps
    velocity = max_speed * (1 - 2 * density / max_density);
    displacement = max_speed * (1 - 2 * density / max_density) * time_step;
    position = position - displacement;
    density = (max_density / 2) * (1 - position ./ (max_speed * step *
time_step));

    % Boundary conditions
    density(position < -max_speed * step * time_step) = max_density;
    density(position > max_speed * step * time_step) = 0;

    plot(position, density, 'LineWidth', 2);
    xlabel('Position');
    ylabel('Density');
    title(['Traffic Density Evolution (Time: ' num2str(step*time_step) '
hours)']);

    ylim([0, max_density]);
    xlim([-10, 10]);

    drawnow;
end
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%a3q5
clc;
c=1;a=1;
f=@(x,y,u,DuDx) 2 - (1/3)*y^(2/3);
x=linspace(0, 2, 50);
y=linspace(1, 2, 50);
[X,Y]=meshgrid(x,y);
t=linspace(0,1,50);
u0=@(x) 1+x;
sol=pdepe(0, @pdefun,u0, @bcfun,x,t);
u=sol(:, :, 1)';
figure;
surf(X,Y,u);
xlabel('x');
ylabel('y');
zlabel('u');
title('Solution Surface');
hold on;
for i=1:length(y)
    y_char=y(i)*ones(size(x));
    x_char=x;
    z_char=u0(x)+c*t(i);
    plot3(x_char, y_char, z_char, 'r');
end
hold off

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