

# "HEAT EQUATION. CRANK-NICOLSON METHOD"

**Question :** The one – dimension heat equation  $u_t = c^2 u_{xx}$  is a parabolic equation that governs, for instance, the heat flow in a bar where  $u(x, t)$  is the temperature at a point  $x$  and time  $t$ . Solve the corresponding difference equation with  $c^2 = 1$  on the interval  $0 \leq x \leq 1$  (the bar extending from  $x = 0$  to  $x = 1$  along the  $x$  – axis) subject to initial temperature  $u(x, 0) = \sin(\pi x)$  by the Crank – Nicolson method with  $x$  – step  $h = 0.2$  and time step  $k = 0.04$  doing 5 time steps.

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In[1]:= ClearAll["Global`*"]
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In[2]:= n = 4; r = 1; h = 0.2;
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In[3]:= A = Table[Switch[j - k, 0, 4, 1, -1, -1, -1, _, 0], {j, n}, {k, n}];
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In[4]:= MatrixForm[A]
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Out[4]//MatrixForm=

$$\begin{pmatrix} 4 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 4 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 4 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

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In[5]:= Do[u[k] = N[Sin[Pi k h]], {k, 0, n + 1}]
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In[6]:= Table[u[k], {k, 0, n + 1}]
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Out[6]:= {0., 0.587785, 0.951057, 0.951057, 0.587785, 1.22465 × 10-16}
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In[7]:= T0 = Table[{0.2 k, u[k]}, {k, 0, n + 1}]
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Out[7]:= {{0., 0.}, {0.2, 0.587785}, {0.4, 0.951057},  
{0.6, 0.951057}, {0.8, 0.587785}, {1., 1.22465 × 10-16}}
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In[8]:= Table[Temp[k], {k, 1, n + 1}];
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In[9]:= M = 5;
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In[10]:= Do[  
  b = Table[0, {i, 1, n}];  
  Do[b[[k]] = u[k - 1] + u[k + 1], {k, 1, n}];  
  v = N[LinearSolve[A, b]];  
  Print[v]; Temp[j] = v;  
  Do[u[k] = v[[k]], {k, 1, n}],  
  {j, 1, M}  
];
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{0.399274, 0.646039, 0.646039, 0.399274}
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{0.271221, 0.438844, 0.438844, 0.271221}
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{0.184236, 0.2981, 0.2981, 0.184236}
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{0.125149, 0.202495, 0.202495, 0.125149}
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{0.0850118, 0.137552, 0.137552, 0.0850118}
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In[11]:= v = Table[Table[Temp[k][[j]], {j, 1, M - 1}], {k, 1, n + 1}]
Out[11]= {{0.399274, 0.646039, 0.646039, 0.399274},
          {0.271221, 0.438844, 0.438844, 0.271221}, {0.184236, 0.2981, 0.2981, 0.184236},
          {0.125149, 0.202495, 0.202495, 0.125149}, {0.0850118, 0.137552, 0.137552, 0.0850118}}

In[12]:= v[[3]]
Out[12]= {0.184236, 0.2981, 0.2981, 0.184236}

In[13]:= v[[3, 2]]
Out[13]= 0.2981

In[14]:= w = Table[Join[{0}, v[[j]], {0}], {j, 1, M}]
Out[14]= {{0, 0.399274, 0.646039, 0.646039, 0.399274, 0},
          {0, 0.271221, 0.438844, 0.438844, 0.271221, 0},
          {0, 0.184236, 0.2981, 0.2981, 0.184236, 0}, {0, 0.125149, 0.202495, 0.202495, 0.125149, 0},
          {0, 0.0850118, 0.137552, 0.137552, 0.0850118, 0}}

In[15]:= w[[1]]
Out[15]= {0, 0.399274, 0.646039, 0.646039, 0.399274, 0}

In[16]:= T = Table[Table[{0.2 i, w[[p]][[i + 1]]}, {i, 0, n + 1}], {p, 1, M}]
Out[16]= {{ {0., 0}, {0.2, 0.399274}, {0.4, 0.646039}, {0.6, 0.646039}, {0.8, 0.399274}, {1., 0}},
          { {0., 0}, {0.2, 0.271221}, {0.4, 0.438844}, {0.6, 0.438844}, {0.8, 0.271221}, {1., 0}},
          { {0., 0}, {0.2, 0.184236}, {0.4, 0.2981}, {0.6, 0.2981}, {0.8, 0.184236}, {1., 0}},
          { {0., 0}, {0.2, 0.125149}, {0.4, 0.202495}, {0.6, 0.202495}, {0.8, 0.125149}, {1., 0}},
          { {0., 0}, {0.2, 0.0850118}, {0.4, 0.137552}, {0.6, 0.137552}, {0.8, 0.0850118}, {1., 0}}}

In[17]:= T[[1]]
Out[17]= {{0., 0}, {0.2, 0.399274}, {0.4, 0.646039}, {0.6, 0.646039}, {0.8, 0.399274}, {1., 0}}

In[18]:= x = Table[x, {x, 0, 1, 0.2}]
Out[18]= {0., 0.2, 0.4, 0.6, 0.8, 1.}

In[19]:= U = Table[Sin[Pi k h], {k, 0, n + 1}]
Out[19]= {0., 0.587785, 0.951057, 0.951057, 0.587785, 1.22465 × 10-16}

In[20]:= W = Transpose[w]
Out[20]= {{0, 0, 0, 0, 0}, {0.399274, 0.271221, 0.184236, 0.125149, 0.0850118},
          {0.646039, 0.438844, 0.2981, 0.202495, 0.137552},
          {0.646039, 0.438844, 0.2981, 0.202495, 0.137552},
          {0.399274, 0.271221, 0.184236, 0.125149, 0.0850118}, {0, 0, 0, 0, 0}}

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In[21]:= **table =**  
**Table[{x[[1]], U[[1]], W[[1, 1]], W[[1, 2]], W[[1, 3]], W[[1, 4]], W[[1, 5]]}, {1, 1, 6}]**

Out[21]=  $\{\{0., 0., 0, 0, 0, 0, 0\}, \{0.2, 0.587785, 0.399274, 0.271221, 0.184236, 0.125149, 0.0850118\},$   
 $\{0.4, 0.951057, 0.646039, 0.438844, 0.2981, 0.202495, 0.137552\},$   
 $\{0.6, 0.951057, 0.646039, 0.438844, 0.2981, 0.202495, 0.137552\},$   
 $\{0.8, 0.587785, 0.399274, 0.271221, 0.184236, 0.125149, 0.0850118\},$   
 $\{1., 1.22465 \times 10^{-16}, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0\}\}$

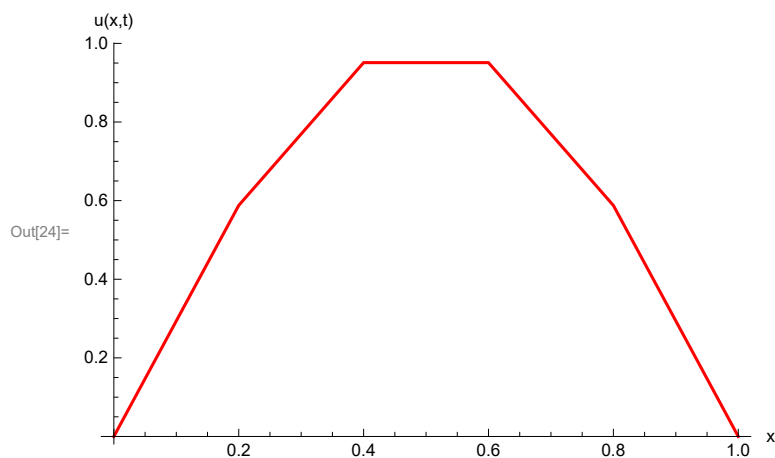
In[22]:= **table1 = Prepend[table, {"x", "u(x,t),t=0", "u(x,t),t=0.04",**  
**"u(x,t),t=0.08", "u(x,t),t=0.12", "u(x,t),t=0.16", "u(x,t),t=0.20"}]**

Out[22]=  $\{x, u(x,t),t=0, u(x,t),t=0.04, u(x,t),t=0.08,$   
 $u(x,t),t=0.12, u(x,t),t=0.16, u(x,t),t=0.20\}, \{0., 0., 0, 0, 0, 0, 0\},$   
 $\{0.2, 0.587785, 0.399274, 0.271221, 0.184236, 0.125149, 0.0850118\},$   
 $\{0.4, 0.951057, 0.646039, 0.438844, 0.2981, 0.202495, 0.137552\},$   
 $\{0.6, 0.951057, 0.646039, 0.438844, 0.2981, 0.202495, 0.137552\},$   
 $\{0.8, 0.587785, 0.399274, 0.271221, 0.184236, 0.125149, 0.0850118\},$   
 $\{1., 1.22465 \times 10^{-16}, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0\}\}$

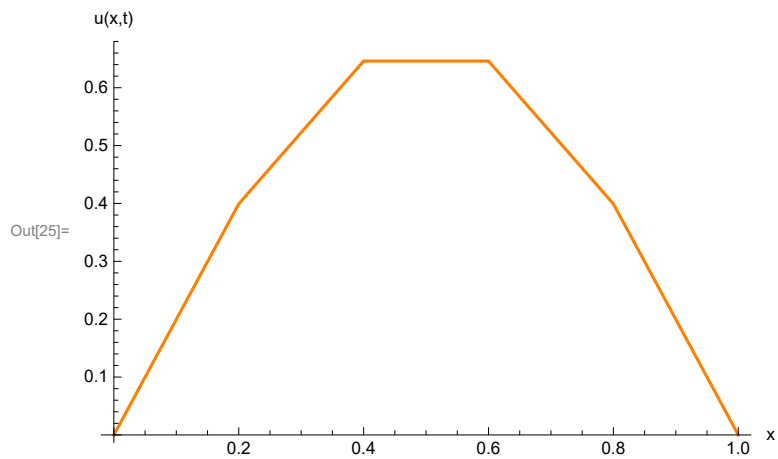
In[23]:= **Grid[table1, Frame  $\rightarrow$  All, Spacings  $\rightarrow$  {1, 1}]**

x	u(x,t),t=0	u(x,t),t=0.04	u(x,t),t=0.08	u(x,t),t=0.12	u(x,t),t=0.16	u(x,t),t=0.20
0.	0.	0	0	0	0	0
0.2	0.587785	0.399274	0.271221	0.184236	0.125149	0.0850118
0.4	0.951057	0.646039	0.438844	0.2981	0.202495	0.137552
0.6	0.951057	0.646039	0.438844	0.2981	0.202495	0.137552
0.8	0.587785	0.399274	0.271221	0.184236	0.125149	0.0850118
1.	$1.22465 \times 10^{-16}$	0	0	0	0	0

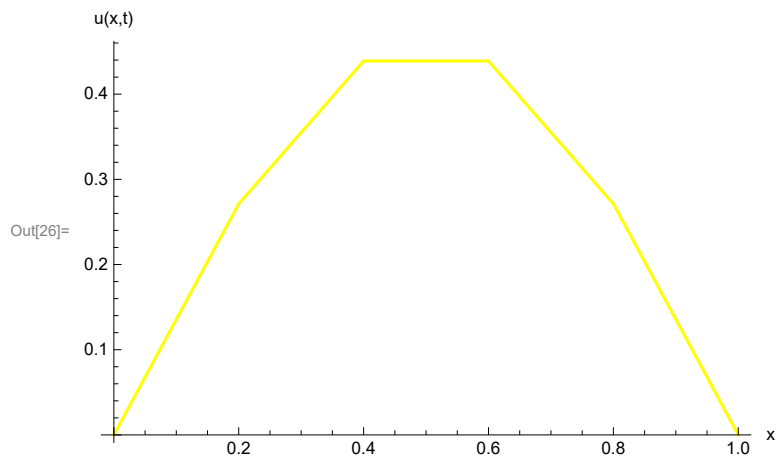
In[24]:= **P0 = ListLinePlot[T0, PlotStyle  $\rightarrow$  Red, AxesLabel  $\rightarrow$  {"x", "u(x,t)"}]**



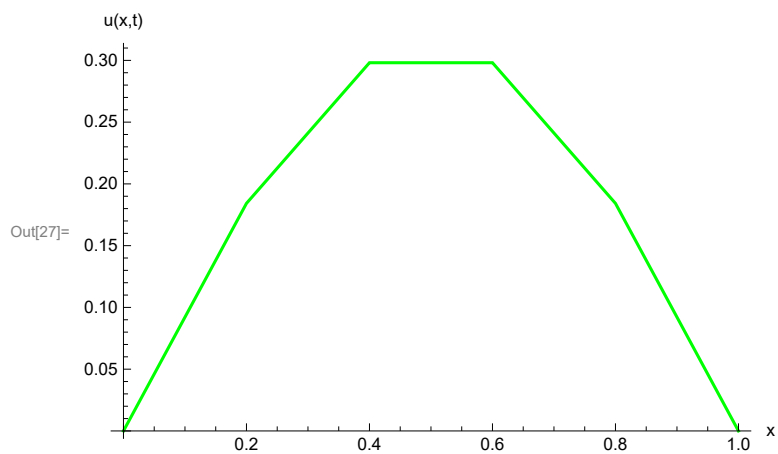
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In[25]:= P1 = ListLinePlot[T[[1]], PlotStyle → Orange, AxesLabel → {"x", "u(x,t)"}]
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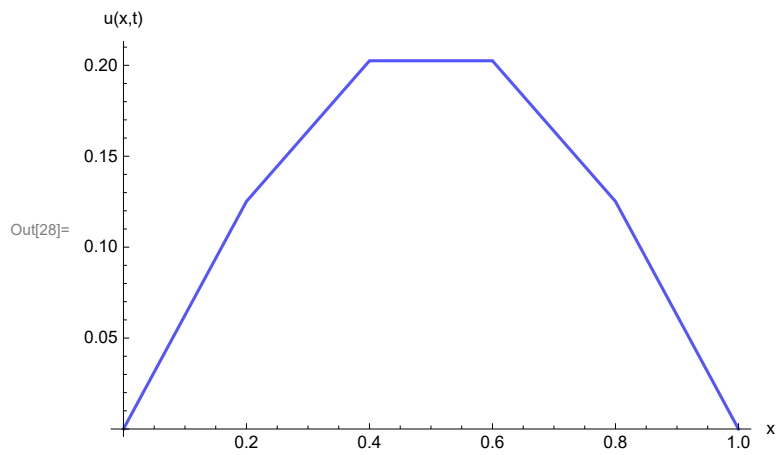
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In[26]:= P2 = ListLinePlot[T[[2]], PlotStyle → Yellow, AxesLabel → {"x", "u(x,t)"}]
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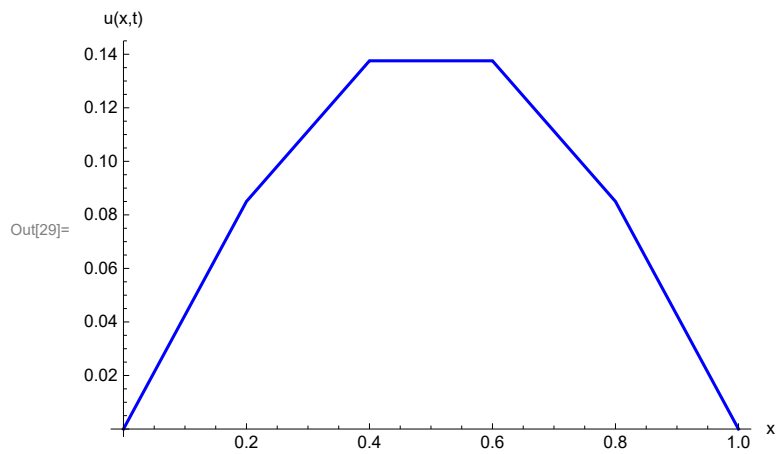
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In[27]:= P3 = ListLinePlot[T[[3]], PlotStyle → Green, AxesLabel → {"x", "u(x,t)"}]
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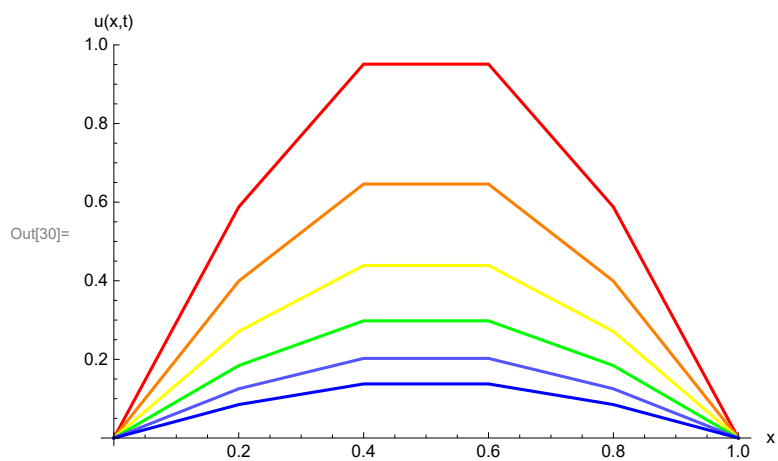
In[28]:= **P4 = ListLinePlot[T[[4]], PlotStyle → Lighter[Blue], AxesLabel → {"x", "u(x,t)"}]**



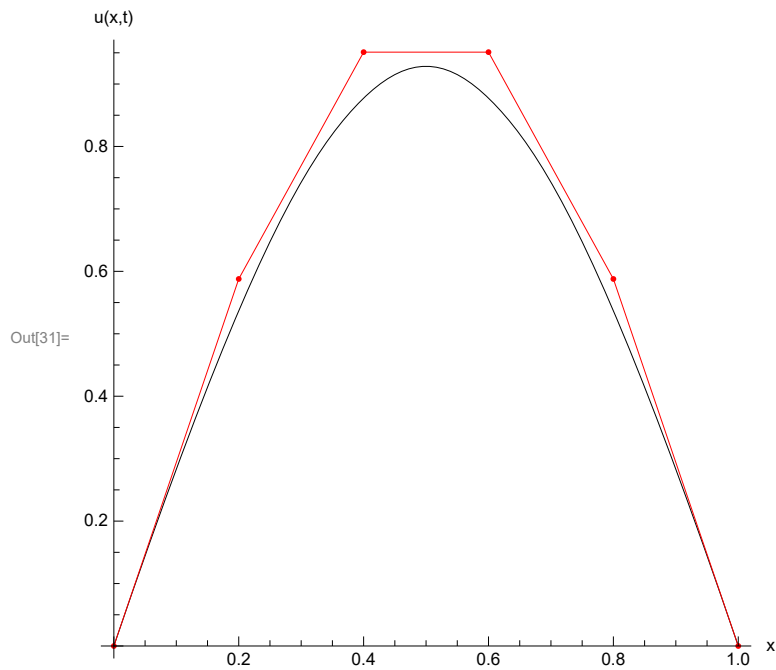
In[29]:= **P5 = ListLinePlot[T[[5]], PlotStyle → Blue, AxesLabel → {"x", "u(x,t)"}]**



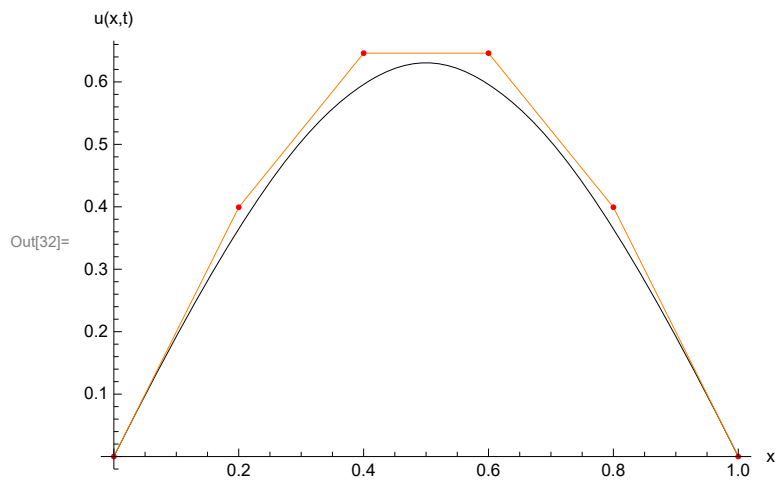
In[30]:= **Show[P0, P1, P2, P3, P4, P5, PlotRange → Automatic]**



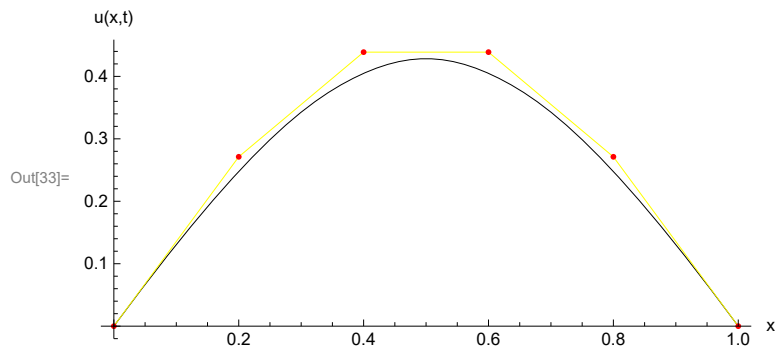
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In[31]:= S0 = Graphics[{BSplineCurve[T0], Red, Line[T0], Red, Point[T0]},  
  Axes -> True, AxesLabel -> {"x", "u(x,t)"}]
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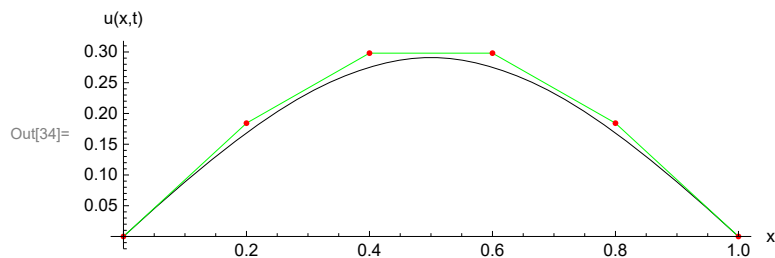
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In[32]:= S1 = Graphics[{BSplineCurve[T[[1]]], Orange, Line[T[[1]]], Red, Point[T[[1]]]},  
  Axes -> True, AxesLabel -> {"x", "u(x,t)"}]
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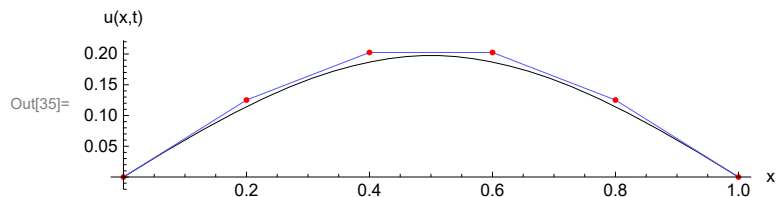
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In[33]:= S2 = Graphics[{BSplineCurve[T[[2]]], Yellow, Line[T[[2]]], Red, Point[T[[2]]]},  
  Axes -> True, AxesLabel -> {"x", "u(x,t)"}]
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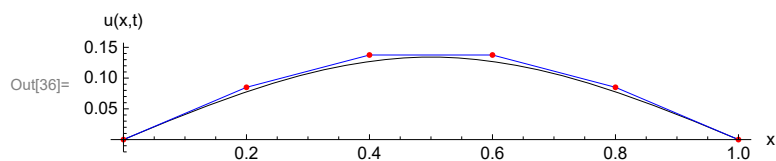
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In[34]:= S3 = Graphics[{BSplineCurve[T[[3]]], Green, Line[T[[3]]], Red, Point[T[[3]]]},  
  Axes -> True, AxesLabel -> {"x", "u(x,t)"}]
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In[35]:= S4 = Graphics[{BSplineCurve[T[[4]]], Lighter[Blue], Line[T[[4]]], Red, Point[T[[4]]]},  
  Axes -> True, AxesLabel -> {"x", "u(x,t)"}]
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In[36]:= S5 = Graphics[{BSplineCurve[T[[5]]], Blue, Line[T[[5]]], Red, Point[T[[5]]]},  
  Axes -> True, AxesLabel -> {"x", "u(x,t)"}]
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In[37]:= Show[S0, S1, S2, S3, S4, S5]

