

# Heat Problems §5

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n=1,3,5:

$$u_t = u_{xx}$$

$$u(0,t) = 0$$

$$u(1,t) = 0$$

$$(k=1 \quad L=1)$$

The boundary conditions translate to  $X(0)=0 \quad X(1)=0$

So we obtain the 1st basic SL-BVP

$$X'' + \lambda X = 0$$

$$X(0)=0$$

$$X(1)=0$$

and we know

$$\lambda_n = n^2 \pi^2$$

$$X_n \sim \sin \sqrt{\lambda_n} x$$

$$n=1,2,\dots$$

for each of  $\#1,3,5,\dots$  and

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

1.

$$u(x,0) = \sin 2\pi x - 3 \sin 6\pi x \Rightarrow$$

match up

$$\sin 2\pi x - 3 \sin 6\pi x = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin n\pi x \Rightarrow b_2 = 1 \quad b_6 = -3$$

all other  $b_n$ 's = 0.

$$\Rightarrow u(x,t) = \sin 2\pi x e^{-4\pi^2 t} - 3 \sin 6\pi x e^{-36\pi^2 t}$$

2)

$$u(x,0) = -2 \Rightarrow$$

$$-2 = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin n\pi x$$

$$b_n = \frac{\int_0^1 -2 \sin n\pi x dx}{\int_0^1 \sin^2 n\pi x dx}$$

$$\text{num} = \frac{2}{n\pi} (\cos n\pi - 1)$$

$$\text{den.} = 1/2$$

$$\Rightarrow u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{n\pi} (\cos n\pi - 1) \sin n\pi x e^{-n^2 \pi^2 t}$$

3)

$$u(x,0) = 2x+1$$

$$b_n = \frac{\int_0^1 (2x+1) \sin n\pi x dx}{\int_0^1 \sin^2 n\pi x dx}$$

after integrating

$$\text{num} = -\frac{3}{n\pi} \cos n\pi + \frac{1}{n\pi}$$

$$\text{denom} = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left( \frac{2}{n\pi} - \frac{6}{n\pi} \cos n\pi \right) \sin n\pi x e^{-n^2 \pi^2 t}$$



E-function expansion problem

This is 3.1.2 #17

Given  $f'' + \lambda f = 0$        $f(0) = 0$        $f'(1) + f(1) = 0$        $0 < x < 1$

Write  $u(x) = 1$  as a sum of e-functions of this problem - first two terms only.

Sol: We found in an example solved in class

that the e-values were the positive solutions  $\lambda_n$  to  $\tan \sqrt{\lambda_n} = -\sqrt{\lambda_n}$  and the e-functions were  $f_n \sim \sin \sqrt{\lambda_n} x$ .

We estimate the first two e-values:  $\sqrt{\lambda_1} \approx 2.03$        $\sqrt{\lambda_2} \approx 4.91$

$$u(x) \approx a_1 \sin \sqrt{\lambda_1} x + a_2 \sin \sqrt{\lambda_2} x$$

in general  $a_n = \frac{\int_0^1 f(x) \sin \sqrt{\lambda_n} x \, dx}{\int_0^1 \sin^2 \sqrt{\lambda_n} x \, dx} = \frac{\int_0^1 \sin \sqrt{\lambda_n} x \, dx}{\int_0^1 \sin^2 \sqrt{\lambda_n} x \, dx}$

num.  $a_n = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda_n}} \cos \sqrt{\lambda_n} x \Big|_0^1 = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{\lambda_n}} (\cos \sqrt{\lambda_n} - 1)$

den.  $\int_0^1 \left( \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \cos 2\sqrt{\lambda_n} x \right) dx = \left( \frac{1}{2}x - \frac{1}{4\sqrt{\lambda_n}} \sin 2\sqrt{\lambda_n} x \right) \Big|_0^1$

$$= \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{4\sqrt{\lambda_n}} \sin 2\sqrt{\lambda_n} = \frac{2\sqrt{\lambda_n} - \sin 2\sqrt{\lambda_n}}{4\sqrt{\lambda_n}}$$

$$\Rightarrow a_n = \frac{4(1 - \cos \sqrt{\lambda_n})}{2\sqrt{\lambda_n} - \sin 2\sqrt{\lambda_n}}$$

$$a_1 \approx 1.2$$

$$a_2 \approx .32$$

$$u(x) \approx 1.2 \sin 2.03x + .32 \sin 4.91x$$