

# Scientific Computing HW 7

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## Problem 1.

- (a) Multiplying the BVP by  $-1$  and integrating it, we find  $k(x)u' = M$  for some constant  $M$ , i.e.  $u' = \frac{M}{k(x)}$ . The solution is then

$$u(x) = u_a + \int_a^x \frac{M}{k(s)} ds$$

If  $x \leq c$  then

$$u(x) = u_a + \int_a^x \frac{M}{k_1} ds = u_a + \frac{M}{k_1}(x - a)$$

If  $x > c$  then

$$u(x) = u_a + \int_a^c \frac{M}{k(s)} ds + \int_c^x \frac{M}{k(s)} ds = u_a + \int_a^c \frac{M}{k_1} ds + \int_c^x \frac{M}{k_2} ds = u_a + \frac{M}{k_1}(c - a) + \frac{M}{k_2}(x - c)$$

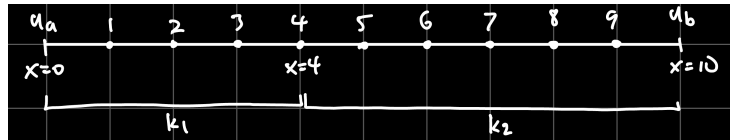
Apply BCs.

$$u_b = u(b) = u_a + \frac{M}{k_1}(c - a) + \frac{M}{k_2}(b - c) = u_a + M \left[ \frac{c - a}{k_1} + \frac{b - c}{k_2} \right] \implies M = \frac{u_b - u_a}{\frac{c - a}{k_1} + \frac{b - c}{k_2}}$$

In summary, the solution is

$$u(x) = \begin{cases} u_a + \frac{M}{k_1}(x - a), & x \leq c \\ u_a + \frac{M}{k_1}(c - a) + \frac{M}{k_2}(x - c), & x > c \end{cases} \quad \text{where} \quad M = \frac{u_b - u_a}{\frac{c - a}{k_1} + \frac{b - c}{k_2}}$$

- (b) Given the parameters, it is enough to solve for the values of the 9 mesh points shown below.



The finite difference scheme is

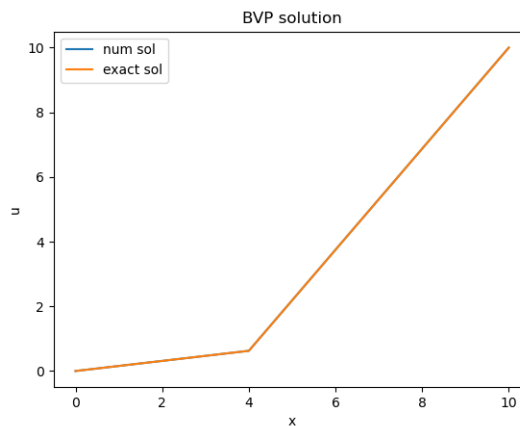
$$L_h u_P = -\frac{1}{h^2} [k_w u_W + k_e u_E - (k_e + k_w) u_P] = 0 \implies -(k_w + k_e) u_P + k_w u_W + k_e u_E = 0$$

Applying the scheme to each mesh point, we obtain a linear system.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9			
1	$-2k_1$	$k_1$								$u_1$		$-k_1 u_6$
2	$k_1$	$-2k_1$	$k_1$							$u_2$		0
3		$k_1$	$-2k_1$	$k_1$						$u_3$		0
4			$k_1$	$-k_1 - k_2$	$k_2$					$u_4$		0
5				$k_2$	$-2k_2$	$k_2$				$u_5$	$=$	0
6					$k_2$	$-2k_2$	$k_2$			$u_6$		0
7						$k_2$	$-2k_2$	$k_2$		$u_7$		0
8							$k_2$	$-2k_2$	$k_2$	$u_8$		0
9								$k_2$	$-2k_2$	$u_9$		$-k_2 u_6$

We solve it and plot the numerical solution  $u$  along with the exact solution from part (a). In this case the solutions agree exactly.

Code: <https://github.com/RokettoJanpu/Scientific-Computing-2/blob/main/hw7q1.ipynb>



**Problem 2.** Code: <https://github.com/RokettoJanpu/Scientific-Computing-2/blob/main/hw7q2.ipynb>

- (a) The L-shape.
- (b) The pentagon with a smaller pentagon removed.
- (c) The semicircle with two smaller circles removed.

**Problem 4.**

- (a) The matrix  $G$  is given by

$$G = A^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad A := \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \\ y_1 & y_2 & y_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

We find  $A^{-1}$  by its adjugate. By cofactor expansion over the first row,

$$D := \det(A) = \begin{vmatrix} x_2 & x_3 \\ y_2 & y_3 \end{vmatrix} - \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & x_3 \\ y_1 & y_3 \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \\ y_1 & y_2 \end{vmatrix} = x_2y_3 - x_3y_2 - x_1y_3 + x_3y_1 + x_1y_2 - x_2y_1$$

The matrix of cofactors is

$$\text{cof}(A) = \begin{bmatrix} x_2y_3 - x_3y_2 & -x_1y_3 + x_3y_1 & x_1y_2 - x_2y_1 \\ -y_3 + y_2 & y_3 - y_1 & -y_2 + y_1 \\ x_3 - x_2 & -x_3 + x_1 & x_2 - x_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

The adjugate of  $A$  is

$$\text{adj}(A) = \text{cof}(A)^T = \begin{bmatrix} x_2y_3 - x_3y_2 & -y_3 + y_2 & x_3 - x_2 \\ -x_1y_3 + x_3y_1 & y_3 - y_1 & -x_3 + x_1 \\ x_1y_2 - x_2y_1 & -y_2 + y_1 & x_2 - x_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus

$$G = \frac{1}{D} \text{adj}(A) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{D} \begin{bmatrix} y_2 - y_3 & x_3 - x_2 \\ y_3 - y_1 & x_1 - x_3 \\ y_1 - y_2 & x_2 - x_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Fix an even permutation  $(i, j, k)$  of  $1, 2, 3$  (i.e.  $(1, 2, 3)$ ,  $(2, 3, 1)$ ,  $(3, 1, 2)$ ). To find an expression for  $\eta_i(x, y)$ , we find an equation for the plane containing  $(x_i, y_i, 1)$ ,  $(x_j, y_j, 0)$ ,  $(x_k, y_k, 0)$ , which involves finding a normal vector  $n$  to the plane.

$$v := (x_k, y_k, 0) - (x_j, y_j, 0) = (x_k - x_j, y_k - y_j, 0), \quad w := (x_i, y_i, 1) - (x_j, y_j, 0) = (x_i - x_j, y_i - y_j, 1)$$

$$n := v \times w = (y_k - y_j, x_j - x_k, (x_k - x_j)(y_i - y_j) - (x_i - x_j)(x_k - y_j))$$

The last component of  $n$  is

$$x_ky_i - x_ky_j - x_jy_i + x_jy_j - x_iy_k + x_iy_j + x_jy_k - x_jy_j = x_ky_i - x_ky_j - x_jy_i - x_iy_k + x_iy_j + x_jy_k$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} x_j & x_k \\ y_j & y_k \end{vmatrix} - \begin{vmatrix} x_i & x_k \\ y_i & y_k \end{vmatrix} + \begin{vmatrix} x_i & x_j \\ y_i & y_j \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ x_i & x_j & x_k \\ y_i & y_j & y_k \end{vmatrix}$$

Since the permutation  $(i, j, k)$  is even, this expression equals  $\det(A) = D$ . Using the point  $(x_j, y_j, 0)$  and the components of  $n = (y_k - y_j, x_j - x_k, D)$ , we have an equation for the plane.

$$(y_k - y_j)(x - x_j) + (x_j - x_k)(y - y_j) + D\eta_i(x, y) = 0$$

$$\implies \eta_i(x, y) = -\frac{1}{D} [(y_k - y_j)(x - x_j) + (x_j - x_k)(y - y_j)] = \frac{1}{D} [(y_j - y_k)(x - x_j) + (x_k - x_j)(y - y_j)]$$

$$\implies \partial_x \eta_i(x, y) = \frac{1}{D} (y_j - y_k), \quad \partial_y \eta_i(x, y) = \frac{1}{D} (x_k - x_j)$$

Thus

$$\begin{bmatrix} \partial_x \eta_1(x, y) & \partial_y \eta_1(x, y) \\ \partial_x \eta_2(x, y) & \partial_y \eta_2(x, y) \\ \partial_x \eta_3(x, y) & \partial_y \eta_3(x, y) \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{D} \begin{bmatrix} y_2 - y_3 & x_3 - x_2 \\ y_3 - y_1 & x_1 - x_3 \\ y_1 - y_2 & x_2 - x_1 \end{bmatrix} = G$$