

Assignment-2

1. Classify the PDE

$$x^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} + 3 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial t} + x \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 17 \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = 100u$$

2. Solve the following equation

$$\frac{\partial^2 z}{\partial x^2} - 2 \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 0 \text{ by the}$$

method of separation of variables.

$$\text{Ans: } z = \left[c_1 e^{(1+\sqrt{1+K})x} + c_2 e^{(1-\sqrt{1+K})x} \right] c_3 e^{-Ky}$$

3. Solve the following equation by the method of separation of variables.

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial t} = e^{-t} \cos x$$

Given that $u=0$ when $t=0$ and

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = 0 \text{ when } x=0$$

Ans:- $u = (1 - e^{-t}) \sin x$

4. A tightly stretched string with fixed end points $x=0$

and $x=1$ is initially in a position given $y = y_0 \sin^3\left(\frac{\pi x}{2}\right)$.

If it is released from rest from this position, find the displacement $y(x, t)$.

Ans $y = \frac{y_0}{4} \left(3 \sin \frac{\pi x}{2} \cos \frac{c\pi t}{2} - \sin \frac{3\pi x}{2} \times \cos \frac{3c\pi t}{2} \right)$

5. A rectangular plate with insulated surface is 8cm wide and so long compared to its width that it may be considered infinite in length without

introducing an appreciable.
of the temperature along
one short edge $y=0$ is given
by

$$u(x, 0) = 100 \sin \frac{\pi x}{\theta}, 0 < x < \theta$$

While the two long edges
 $x=0$ and $x=\theta$ as well as
the other short edge are kept
at 0°C . Show that steady
state temperature at any
plate is given by

$$u(x, y) = 100 e^{-\frac{\pi y}{\theta}} \sin \frac{\pi x}{\theta}$$