Solution (12.4, Problem 6): Upon separation of variables, we get

$$\frac{1}{\alpha^2 T} \frac{d^2 T}{dt^2} = \frac{1}{X} \frac{d^2 X}{dx^2}$$
 
$$\begin{cases} k^2 \\ 0 \\ -k^2 \end{cases}.$$

Using some black magic, we get the cases of

$$T(x) = \begin{cases} Ae^{\alpha kt} & k^2 \\ At + B & 0 \\ A\cos(\alpha kt) + B\sin(\alpha kt) & -k^2 \end{cases}$$
 
$$X(x) = \begin{cases} Ce^{kx} & k^2 \\ Cx + D & 0 \\ C\cos(kx) + D\sin(kx) & -k^2 \end{cases}$$

By plugging in the boundary conditions of u(0,t)=u(1,t)=0, we quickly remove the former two cases, we are of the form

$$T(t) = A\cos(\alpha kt) + B\sin(\alpha kt)$$
$$X(x) = C\cos(kx) + D\sin(kx).$$

Since X(0) = 0, we must have C = 0, and since X(1) = 0, we have  $k = n\pi$ ,  $n \in \mathbb{Z}$ . Thus, we have functions of the form

$$u_n(x,t) = (A_n \cos(n\pi a t) + B_n \sin(n\pi a t)) \sin(n\pi x),$$

and the general solution of

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (A_n \cos(n\pi a t) + B_n \sin(n\pi a t)) \sin(n\pi x).$$

Plugging in the initial condition, we have

$$u(x,0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \sin(n\pi x)$$
$$= \frac{1}{100} \sin(3\pi x),$$

so that  $A_n = \frac{1}{100}$  at x = 3 and 0 elsewhere. Writing our amended solution, we have

$$u(x,0) = \left(\frac{1}{100}\cos(3\pi\alpha t) + B_3\sin(3\pi\alpha t)\right)\sin(3\pi\alpha x).$$

Taking derivatives, we have

$$\frac{\partial \mathbf{u}}{\partial \mathbf{t}}\Big|_{(\mathbf{x},0)} = \mathbf{B}_3 \sin(3\pi a \mathbf{x})$$
$$= 0,$$

so  $B_3 = 0$ , and we arrive at the solution

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{100} \cos(3\pi\alpha t) \sin(3\pi x).$$

Solution (12.4, Problem 8): Upon separation of variables, we get

$$\frac{1}{a^2T}\frac{d^2T}{dt^2} = \frac{1}{X}\frac{d^2X}{dx^2}$$
 
$$\begin{cases} k^2\\0\\-k^2 \end{cases}.$$

Using some black magic, we get the cases of

$$T(x) = \begin{cases} Ae^{\alpha kt} & k^2 \\ At + B & 0 \\ A\cos(\alpha kt) + B\sin(\alpha kt) & -k^2 \end{cases}$$
 
$$X(x) = \begin{cases} Ce^{kx} & k^2 \\ Cx + D & 0 \\ C\cos(kx) + D\sin(kx) & -k^2 \end{cases}$$

We plug in the boundary conditions of  $\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}\Big|_{x=0} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}\Big|_{x=1} = 0$  to obtain

$$X_{n}(x) = \begin{cases} C_{n} \cos(\frac{n\pi}{L}x) & -k^{2} \\ Cx + D & 0 \end{cases}$$

$$T_{n}(t) = \begin{cases} B_{n} \cos(\frac{n\pi\alpha}{L}t) & -k^{2} \\ At + B & 0 \end{cases}$$

We may evaluate the solution

$$u(x,t) = X_0(x)T_0(t) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} D_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi\alpha}{L}t\right).$$

To do this, we start with the initial condition, giving  $T_0(t) = 1$  and  $X_0(x) = x$ . Taking the partial derivative with respect to t, we get

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = X_0(x) \frac{dT_0}{dt} - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} D_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right) \left(\frac{n\pi a}{L}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi a}{L}t\right).$$

Therefore,

$$u(x, t) = x$$

Solution (12.5, Problem 2): Separating variables, we have

$$\begin{split} \frac{1}{X}\frac{d^2X}{dx^2} &= -\frac{1}{Y}\frac{d^2Y}{dy^2} \\ &= \begin{cases} -\lambda^2 \\ 0 \\ \lambda^2 \end{cases}. \end{split}$$

Thus, we have

$$X_n = A_n \cos(\lambda x) + B_n \sin(\lambda x).$$

Using the boundary conditions of  $X_n(a) = X_n(0) = 0$ , we simplify to

$$X_n = B_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{a}x\right)$$
.

Similarly, we have

$$Y_{n}(y) = C_{n} \cosh\left(\frac{n\pi}{a}y\right) + D_{n} \sinh\left(\frac{n\pi}{a}y\right).$$

Applying the boundary condition of  $\left.\frac{\partial u}{\partial y}\right|_{(x,0)}=0$ , we have  $D_{\pi}=0$ , and

$$u(x,y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} K_n \sinh\left(\frac{n\pi}{a}y\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{a}x\right).$$

We have

$$\begin{split} f(x) &= u(x,b) \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} K_n \sinh\!\left(\frac{n\pi b}{a}\right) \!\sin\!\left(\frac{n\pi}{a}x\right) \!. \end{split}$$

Using the expansion of Fourier coefficients, we have

$$K_{n} = \frac{2}{a \sinh\left(\frac{n\pi b}{a}\right)} \int_{0}^{a} f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{a}x\right) dx.$$

- | Solution (12.5, Problem 4):
- Solution (12.5, Problem 6):
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