

# HOMEWORK #3 SOLUTION SET

① a)  $-(u')' = 1, \quad 0 < x < 1, \quad u(0) = u(1) = 0$

i) THE WORK FUNCTION

$$\pi[u] = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (u')^2 dx - \int_0^1 1 \cdot u dx$$

$$u = \hat{u}_N = \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j$$

$$\pi[\hat{u}_N] = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \left( \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j' \right)^2 dx - \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \int_0^1 \phi_j dx$$

ii) THE RESIDUAL FUNCTION

$$r = Lu - f = -(u')' - 1$$

$$\int_0^1 r v dx = \int_0^1 v (-(u')' - 1) dx = 0$$

$$u = \hat{u}_N = \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j, \quad v = \sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \psi_k$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \left[ \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \int_0^1 \psi_k (-\phi_j'') dx - \int_0^1 \psi_k dx \right] = 0$$

iii) THE WEAK FORMULATION

FROM THE RESIDUAL FUNCTION,

$$\int_0^1 v (-(u')' - 1) dx = -u'v \Big|_0^1 + \int_0^1 v' u' - v dx = 0$$

$$\int_0^1 v' u' - v dx = 0$$

$$u = \hat{u}_N = \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j, \quad v = \sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \psi_k$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \left[ \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \int_0^1 \phi_j' \psi_k' dx - \int_0^1 \psi_k dx \right] = 0$$

iv)  $\|e\|_{L_2} = \sqrt{\int_0^1 (\hat{u}_N - u)^2 dx}$

v)  $\|e\|_E = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (\hat{u}_N' - u')^2 dx}$

b)  $-(u')' = f, \quad 0 < x < 1, \quad u(0) = 1, \quad u'(1) = 1$

i) THE WORK FUNCTION

Let  $u = u_b + \underbrace{\sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j}_{\hat{u}_N}, \quad u_b = 1+x. \quad \text{NOTE, } u_b'' = 0.$

$$\pi[\hat{u}_N] = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (u')^2 dx - \int_0^1 f u dx$$

$$\pi[\hat{u}_N] = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 \left( \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j \right)^2 dx - 2f \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j dx$$

ii) THE RESIDUAL FUNCTION

$r = 2u - f, \quad u = u_b + \underbrace{\sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j}_{\hat{u}_N}, \quad u_b = 1+x. \quad v = \sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \psi_k$

$$\int_0^1 r v dx = \int_0^1 v (2\hat{u}_N - f) dx + \cancel{\int_0^1 v 2u_b dx} = 0$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \left[ \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \int_0^1 \psi_k (-\phi_j') dx - \int_0^1 f \psi_k dx \right] = 0$$

iii) THE WEAK FORM

From  $\int_0^1 r v dx = \int_0^1 v (-u'') - v f dx = 0$ , with  $u = 1 + \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j$

$$-v u' \Big|_0^1 + \int_0^1 v' u' - v f dx = 0$$

$$v = \sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \psi_k$$

THIS SATISFIES  
ONLY ESSENTIAL  
B.C.'s.

$$\sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \left[ \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \int_0^1 \phi_j' \psi_k' dx - \int_0^1 \psi_k f dx - \psi_k(1) u'(1) \right] = 0$$

iv)  $\|e\|_{L_2} = \sqrt{\int_0^1 (\hat{u}_N - u)^2 dx}$

v)  $\|e\|_E = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (\hat{u}_N' - u')^2 dx}$

$$c) -(Ku')' + Bu' + cu = f, \quad 0 < x < 1, \quad u'(0) = 1, \quad u'(1) = 1$$

i) THE WORK FUNCTION

$$\pi[u] = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 K(u')^2 + Bu'u + cu^2 dx - \int_0^1 f u dx$$

$$u = u_b + \hat{u}_N, \quad u_b = x, \quad \hat{u}_N = \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j. \quad \text{NOTE, } 2u_b \neq 0.$$

$$-(K\hat{u}_N')' + B\hat{u}_N' + c\hat{u}_N = \underbrace{f - B - cx}_{-2u_b}$$

$$\pi[\hat{u}_N] = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 K \left( \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j' \right)^2 + B \left( \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j' \right) \left( \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j \right) + c \left( \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j \right)^2 - 2(f - B - cx) \left( \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j \right) dx$$

ii) THE RESIDUAL FUNCTION

$$r = 2u - f, \quad u = x + \hat{u}_N, \quad \hat{u}_N = \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j. \Rightarrow r = 2\hat{u}_N + 2x - f.$$

$$\int_0^1 r v dx = \int_0^1 v (- (K\hat{u}_N')' + B\hat{u}_N' + c\hat{u}_N - f + B + cx) dx = 0$$

$$v = \sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \psi_k$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \left[ \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \int_0^1 \psi_k (-K\phi_j'' + B\phi_j' + c\phi_j) dx - \int_0^1 \psi_k (f - B - cx) dx \right] = 0$$

iii) THE WEAK FORM

$$\text{FROM } \int_0^1 v (- (Ku')' + Bu' + cu - f) dx = 0,$$

$$-vKu'|_0^1 + \int_0^1 K v' u' + B v u' + c v u - f v dx = 0$$

$$u = \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j, \quad v = \sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \psi_k$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \left[ \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \int_0^1 K \phi_j' \psi_k' + B \phi_j' \psi_k + c \phi_j \psi_k dx - \int_0^1 \psi_k f dx - \psi_k(1) \cdot K + \psi_k(0) K \right] = 0$$

$$iv) \|e\|_{L_2} = \sqrt{\int_0^1 (u - u_h)^2 dx}$$

$$v) \|e\|_E = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 K(u' - u_h')^2 + B(u - u_h)(u - u_h) + c(u - u_h)^2 dx}$$

$$d) -(3xu')' = \sin x, \quad 0 < x < 1, \quad u(0)=1, \quad u(1)=1$$

i) THE WORK FUNCTION

$$\pi[u] = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 3x(u')^2 dx - \int_0^1 u \sin x dx$$

$$u = 1 + \hat{u}_N, \quad \hat{u}_N = \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j$$

$$\pi[\hat{u}_N] = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 3x \left( \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j' \right)^2 dx - 2 \left( \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j \right) \sin x dx$$

ii) THE RESIDUAL FUNCTION

$$r = 2u - f, \quad u = u_b + u_N, \quad u_b = 1, \quad u_N = \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j. \quad \text{NOTE, } 2u_b = 0.$$

$$\int_0^1 r v = \int_0^1 v \left( - (3x \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j')' \right) - \sin x dx = 0 \quad \text{LET } v = \sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \psi_k$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \left[ \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \int_0^1 \psi_k (- (3x \phi_j')') dx - \int_0^1 \psi_k \sin x dx \right] = 0.$$

iii) THE WEAK FORM

$$\text{FROM } \int_0^1 v (- (3x u')' - \sin x) dx = 0$$

$$-3xu'v \Big|_0^1 + \int_0^1 3x v' u' - v \sin x dx = 0.$$

$$u = \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j, \quad v = \sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \psi_k$$

$$\sum_{k=1}^N \beta_k \left[ \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \int_0^1 3x \psi_k' \phi_j' dx - \int_0^1 \psi_k \sin x dx \right] = 0$$

$$iv) \|e\|_{L_2} = \sqrt{\int_0^1 (u - u_h)^2 dx}$$

$$v) \|e\|_E = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 3x (u - u_h')^2 dx}$$

② FOR THE WORK FUNCTION,

$U$  MUST SATISFY BOTH ESSENTIAL & NATURAL B.C.'S

FOR THE RESIDUAL FUNCTION,

$U$  MUST SATISFY BOTH ESSENTIAL & NATURAL B.C.'S

$V$  MUST SATISFY HOMOGENEOUS VERSIONS OF THE GIVEN B.C.'S

FOR THE WEAK FORM,

$U$  MUST SATISFY ESSENTIAL B.C.'S

FOR ALL,  $U \times V$  MUST BE SQUARE INTEGRABLE

③ THE DIRECT FORM (SOLVING THE WORK FUNCTION) OFTEN RESULTS IN A NONLINEAR SET OF COUPLED EQUATIONS  $\left( \left( \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \phi_j' \right)^2 \right.$  FOR INSTANCE). THE RESIDUAL FUNCTION EXPLICITLY SATISFIES ALL B.C.'S (THOUGH SOMETIMES YIELDS  $\Delta u_0$  TERMS AS EFFECTIVE FORCES. THE WEAK FORM ONLY SATISFIES ESSENTIAL B.C.'S, AND CAN INTRODUCE FLUX TERMS  $(K u' v|_0)$  AS EFFECTIVE FORCES.