

AM212 MIDTERM 1 (PDES) 2024

Problem 1

Part 1

$$x^2 \frac{d^2 f}{dx^2} + x \frac{df}{dx} = -\lambda f$$

$$f(1) = f(2) = 0$$

① This is the same as

$$x \frac{d^2 f}{dx^2} + \frac{df}{dx} = -\frac{\lambda f}{x}$$

$$\text{b) } \frac{d}{dx} \left(x \frac{df}{dx} \right) = -\frac{\lambda f}{x}$$

→ a regular SLpb

bc $p(x) = x > 0$

$w(x) = \frac{1}{x} > 0$

$\forall x \in [1, 2]$

② Original eq is equidimensional so try ansatz

$$f(x) = x^a$$

$$x^2 \alpha(\alpha-1) x^{\alpha-2} + x \alpha x^{\alpha-1} = -\lambda x^a$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha(\alpha-1) + \alpha = -\lambda$$

$$\alpha^2 = -\lambda$$

$$\alpha = \pm i\lambda^{1/2} \quad \text{if } \lambda > 0$$

$$\alpha = \pm \lambda^{1/2} \quad \text{if } \lambda < 0$$

$$\alpha = 0 \quad \text{if } \lambda = 0$$

if $\lambda \leq 0$ it is not possible to fit homogeneous BCs →

need $\lambda > 0$, $\alpha = \pm i\sqrt{\lambda}$

$$x = e^{\alpha \ln x} = e^{\pm i\sqrt{\lambda} \ln x}$$

$$= \begin{cases} \cos(\sqrt{\lambda} \ln x) \\ \sin(\sqrt{\lambda} \ln x) \end{cases}$$

To fit BCs: at $x=1$ $f(1)=0 \rightarrow$ no cosine

$$\text{at } x=2 \quad \sin(\sqrt{\lambda} \ln 2) = 0$$

$$\sqrt{\lambda} \ln 2 = n\pi$$

$$\lambda = \frac{n^2 \pi^2}{(\ln 2)^2}$$

so finally $f_n(x) = \sin\left(n\pi \frac{\ln x}{\ln 2}\right)$ are eigenfunctions

③ Orthogonality: $\int_1^2 f_n(x) f_m(x) \frac{dx}{x} = \delta_{mn} \cdot \int_1^2 f_n^2(x) \frac{dx}{x}$

$$\int_1^2 f_n^2 \frac{dx}{x} = \int_1^2 \sin^2\left(n\pi \frac{\ln x}{\ln 2}\right) \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$\text{let } y = \ln x \quad dy = \frac{dx}{x}$$

$$= \int_0^{\ln 2} \sin^2\left(\frac{n\pi y}{\ln 2}\right) dy = \frac{\ln 2}{2}$$

$$\text{so } \langle f_n, f_m \rangle = \int_1^2 f_n(x) f_m(x) \frac{dx}{x} = \frac{\ln 2}{2} \delta_{mn}$$

Part 2

$$x^2 \frac{d^2 G}{dx^2} + x \frac{dG}{dx} = \delta(x-x')$$

① Using eigenfunction expansion

$$\frac{d}{dx} \left(x \frac{dG}{dx} \right) = \frac{\delta(x-x')}{x}$$

$$\text{let } G(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} g_n f_n(x)$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} g_n \lambda_n \frac{f_n(x)}{x} = \frac{\delta(x-x')}{x}$$

Project $\int_1^2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} g_n \lambda_n \frac{f_n f_m}{x} dx = \int_1^2 \frac{\delta(x-x')}{x} f_m dx$

$$-g_m a_m \frac{a_m^2}{2} = \frac{f_m(x')}{x'}$$

$$\Rightarrow g_m = -\frac{2}{a_m \ln 2} \frac{f_m(x')}{x'}$$

$$\Rightarrow G(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} -\frac{2}{a_n \ln 2} \frac{f_n(x) f_n(x')}{x'}$$

② Using direct method

$$x^2 \frac{d^2 G}{dx^2} + x \frac{dG}{dx} = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{d}{dx} \left(x \frac{dG}{dx} \right) = 0 \quad x \frac{dG}{dx} = C$$

$$\rightarrow \frac{dG}{dx} = \frac{C}{x} \rightarrow G = C \ln x + D$$

$$\text{at } x \leq x' \quad G_L(x) = C_L \ln x + D_L$$

$$x \geq x' \quad G_R(x) = C_R \ln x + D_R$$

$$\bullet G_L(1) = 0 \Rightarrow D_L = 0$$

$$\bullet G_R(2) = 0 \Rightarrow C_R \ln 2 + D_R = 0 \quad D_R = -C_R \ln 2$$

$$\bullet G_L(x') = G_R(x') \Rightarrow C_L \ln x' = C_R \ln x' - C_R \ln 2 \\ = C_R \ln \left(\frac{x'}{2} \right)$$

$$\bullet \int_{x'-\epsilon}^{x'+\epsilon} \left[\frac{d^2 G}{dx^2} + \frac{1}{x} \frac{dG}{dx} - \frac{\delta(x-x')}{x^2} \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow \left. \frac{dG_R}{dx} \right|_{x'} - \left. \frac{dG_L}{dx} \right|_{x'} = \frac{1}{x'^2} \Rightarrow \frac{C_R}{x'} - \frac{C_L}{x'} = \frac{1}{x'^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow C_R - C_L = \frac{1}{x'}$$

So

$$C_2 = C_1 + \frac{1}{x'}$$

$$\Rightarrow C_1 \ln x' = \left(C_1 + \frac{1}{x'}\right) \ln\left(\frac{x'}{2}\right)$$

$$C_1 \left(\ln x' - \ln\left(\frac{x'}{2}\right)\right) = \frac{1}{x'} \ln\left(\frac{x'}{2}\right)$$

$$C_1 \ln 2 = \frac{1}{x'} \ln\left(\frac{x'}{2}\right) \Rightarrow C_1 = \frac{1}{x' \ln 2} \ln\left(\frac{x'}{2}\right)$$

$$C_2 = C_1 + \frac{1}{x'}, \quad D_1 = -C_2 \ln 2, \quad D_2 = 0$$

Problem 2

$$\frac{\partial B}{\partial t} = D \frac{\partial^2 B}{\partial x^2}$$

$$B(0, t) = F(t), \quad B(L, t) = 0$$

$$B(x, 0) = 0$$

$$(1) \text{ let } B(x, t) = u(x, t) + F(t) \frac{(L-x)}{L}$$

$$u(0, t) = B(0, t) - F(t) = 0$$

$$u(x, 0) = B(x, 0) - F(0) \frac{L-x}{L}$$

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

$$= 0$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial B}{\partial t} - \frac{L-x}{L} \frac{dF}{dt} = D \frac{\partial^2 B}{\partial x^2} - \frac{L-x}{L} \frac{dF}{dt}$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = D \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} - \frac{L-x}{L} \frac{dF}{dt}$$

$$(2) \text{ let } u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n(t) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)$$

$$\frac{du_n}{dt} = -D \frac{n^2 \pi^2}{L^2} u_n - \underbrace{\frac{2}{L} \int_0^L \frac{L-x}{L} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx}_{F_n(t)} \cdot \frac{dF}{dt}$$

$$\lambda_n = D \frac{n^2 \pi^2}{L^2}$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} \left(u_n e^{\lambda_n t} \right) = e^{\lambda_n t} F_n$$

$$u_n(t) e^{\lambda_n t} = \int_0^t e^{\lambda_n t'} F_n(t') dt'$$

Using $u_n(0) = 0$

$$\Rightarrow u_n(t) = e^{-\lambda_n t} \int_0^t e^{\lambda_n t'} F_n(t') dt' = (+) \dots$$

$$= - \int_0^t e^{\lambda_n(t'-t)} \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L \frac{L-x'}{L} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x'}{L}\right) dx' \cdot \frac{dF}{dt} \Big|_{t=t'}$$

so finally

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} - \int_0^t \int_0^L \frac{2}{L} e^{\lambda_n(t'-t)} \frac{dF}{dt} \Big|_{t=t'} \frac{L-x'}{L} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x'}{L}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx'$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} - \left[\int_0^t e^{\lambda_n(t'-t)} \frac{dF}{dt} \Big|_{t=t'} dt' \right] a_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{L}$$

where $a_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L \frac{L-x'}{L} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x'}{L}\right) dx'$

and

$$B(x,t) = \left(1 - \frac{x}{L}\right) F(t) + u(x,t)$$

as given above

Problem 3

$$\frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial z^2} = c^2 \nabla^2 f$$

$$f(a, \theta, t) = 0$$

$$f(r, \theta, 0) = h(r, \theta) = h(r) \cos 5\theta$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \nabla^2 f = -\lambda f$$

$$\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r \frac{\partial f}{\partial r} \right) + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2 f}{\partial \theta^2} = -\lambda f$$

Eigenfunctions in θ direction are $\sin, \cos(m\theta)$

\Rightarrow in radial direction we have

$$\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r \frac{\partial R}{\partial r} \right) - \frac{m^2}{r^2} R = -\lambda R$$

or equiv. $\frac{\partial}{\partial r} \left(r \frac{\partial R}{\partial r} \right) - \frac{m^2}{r} R = -\lambda r R$
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shows $w(r) = r$

or equiv. $r^2 \frac{\partial^2 R}{\partial r^2} + r \frac{\partial R}{\partial r} + (\lambda r^2 - m^2) R = 0$

$$\hookrightarrow R_{mn}(r) = J_m(\sqrt{\lambda} r)$$

$$\hookrightarrow \sqrt{\lambda} a = z_{mn} \quad n\text{th zero of } J_m$$

$$\hookrightarrow A_{mn} = \frac{z_{mn}^2}{a^2}$$

So 2D eigenfunctions are

if $m \neq 0$: $\sin m\theta \cdot J_m\left(\frac{z_{mn}}{a} r\right)$

$\cos m\theta \cdot J_m\left(\frac{z_{mn}}{a} r\right)$

if $m=0$ just $J_0\left(\frac{z_{0n}}{a} r\right)$

② Each eigenfunction oscillates with frequency

$$\omega_{mn} = c \frac{z_{mn}}{a}$$

\Rightarrow solution is

$$f(r, \theta, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} J_0\left(\frac{z_{0n}}{a} r\right) \left(a_{0n} \cos \omega_{0n} t + b_{0n} \sin \omega_{0n} t \right) \\ + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} J_m\left(\frac{z_{mn}}{a} r\right) \left(a_{mn} \cos \omega_{mn} t + b_{mn} \sin \omega_{mn} t \right) \\ \cdot \left(\alpha_{mn} \cos m\theta + \beta_{mn} \sin m\theta \right)$$

At $t=0$, $\frac{\partial f}{\partial t} = 0 \Rightarrow$ all b_s are 0

$$h(r, \theta) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} J_0\left(\frac{z_{0n}}{a} r\right) a_{0n} \\ + \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} J_m\left(\frac{z_{mn}}{a} r\right) \left(a_{mn} \left(\alpha_{mn} \cos m\theta + \beta_{mn} \sin m\theta \right) \right)$$

$\Leftarrow h(r) \cos 5\theta \Rightarrow$ all $\alpha_{mn} = 0$
 $\beta_m = 0$ if $m \neq 5$

③ Projecting on JCS:

$$h(r) \cos 5\theta = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} J_5\left(\frac{z_{5n}}{a} r\right) C_{5n} \quad \text{due to } J_{5n} \times \alpha_{5n}$$

$$\text{Project on } J_5\left(\frac{z_{5n}}{a} r\right): \\ \int_0^a h(r) J_5\left(\frac{z_{5n}}{a} r\right) r dr = \int_0^a \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} J_5\left(\frac{z_{5n}}{a} r\right) C_{5n} J_5\left(\frac{z_{5n}}{a} r\right) r dr \\ = \int_0^a J_5^2\left(\frac{z_{5n}}{a} r\right) C_{5n} r dr$$

$$\Rightarrow C_{5n} = \frac{\int_0^a h(r) J_5\left(\frac{z_{5n}}{a} r\right) r dr}{\int_0^a J_5^2\left(\frac{z_{5n}}{a} r\right) r dr}$$