

Lecture 10 : MSc 203B (Canonical Form)

$$\boxed{A\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + B\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial y} + C\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + D\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + E\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + Fu = G} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Here A, B, \dots are smooth form in (x, y)

Classification

$$\Delta := B^2 - 4AC$$

If $\Delta > 0$ --- (1) is Hyperbolic

If $\Delta = 0$ --- (1) is Parabolic

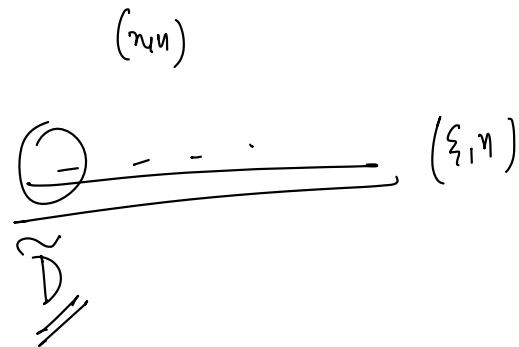
If $\Delta < 0$ --- (1) is Elliptic

$$\text{Ex 1: } u_{tt} - u_{xx} = 0 \quad (\text{Wave Eqn}).$$

$$A=-1, B=0, C=1, D=E=F=G=0$$

$$\Delta := B^2 - 4AC = -4 \cdot (-1) \cdot 1 = 4 > 0$$

Hyperbolic



$$\left| \begin{array}{l} \text{Ex 2: } u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0 \quad (\text{Laplace Eqn}), \\ A=1, B=0, C=1, \dots \\ \Delta := B^2 - 4AC = -4 < 0 \\ \text{Elliptic Eqn} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\left| \begin{array}{l} \text{Ex 3: } u_t - u_{xx} = 0 \quad (\text{Heat Eqn}) \\ A=1, B=0, C=0, D=0, E=1 \\ \Delta := B^2 - 4AC = 0 \quad \text{Parabolic Eqn} \end{array} \right.$$

Change of variable :-

$(x_1, y) \xrightarrow{F} (\xi(x_1), \eta(x_1))$ is called a C.O.V if F is smooth and $JF(x_1, y) \neq 0$.

$$JF(x_1, y) = \begin{vmatrix} \xi_x & \xi_y \\ \eta_x & \eta_y \end{vmatrix} \neq 0.$$

Theorem. The nature of the eqn under a C.O.V remains invariant.

Define $w(\xi, \eta) := u(x_1, y)$.

$$u_x = w_\xi \xi_x + w_\eta \eta_x$$

$$u_y = w_\xi \xi_y + w_\eta \eta_y$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad u_{xx} = [w_{\xi\xi} \xi_{xx} + w_{\xi\eta} \eta_{xx}] \xi_x + w_\xi \xi_{xx} + [w_{\eta\xi} \xi_x + w_{\eta\eta} \eta_x] \eta_x + w_\eta \eta_{xx}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad u_{yy} = [w_{\xi\xi} \xi_{yy} + w_{\xi\eta} \eta_{yy}] \xi_y + w_\xi \xi_{yy} + [w_{\eta\xi} \xi_y + w_{\eta\eta} \eta_y] \eta_y + w_\eta \eta_{yy}.$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad u_{xy} = [w_{\xi\xi} \xi_{xy} + w_{\xi\eta} \eta_{xy}] \xi_x + w_\xi \xi_{xy} + w_\eta \eta_{xy} + [w_{\eta\xi} \xi_y + w_{\eta\eta} \eta_y] \eta_x$$

$$w: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$\nabla w = (w_\xi, w_\eta) = (\xi_x, \eta_x)$$

Our transformed eqn is

$$\tilde{A}w_{\xi\xi} + \tilde{B}w_{\xi\eta} + \tilde{C}w_{\eta\eta} + \tilde{D}w_\xi + \tilde{E}w_\eta + \tilde{F}w = \tilde{G}. \quad (1)$$

$$\tilde{A} = A\xi_n^2 + B\xi_n\eta_y + C\eta_y^2$$

$$\tilde{C} = A\eta_n^2 + B\eta_n\eta_y + C\eta_y^2.$$

$$\tilde{B} = 2\eta_n\eta_y + (\xi_n\eta_y + \eta_n\xi_y)B + 2\xi_y\eta_y$$

$$\tilde{D} = A\xi_n^2 + B\xi_n\eta_y + C\xi_y\eta_y + D\xi_n + E\xi_y.$$

$$\tilde{E} = A\eta_n^2 + B\eta_n\eta_y + C\eta_y^2 + D\eta_n + E\eta_y.$$

$$\tilde{F} = F - G.$$

$$\Delta := \tilde{B}^2 - 4\tilde{A}\tilde{C}.$$

$$= J^2 (B^2 - 4AC) \text{ (Check).}$$

$$= J^2 \Delta.$$

$$J^2 = \begin{vmatrix} \xi_n & \eta_n \\ \xi_y & \eta_y \end{vmatrix}^2$$

Case 1 :- (Hyperbolic Eqn).

$$\tilde{A} = \tilde{C} = 0$$

$$A\tilde{\xi}_x^2 + B\tilde{\xi}_x\tilde{\xi}_y + C\tilde{\xi}_y^2 = 0 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

$$A\tilde{\eta}_x^2 + B\tilde{\eta}_x\tilde{\eta}_y + C\tilde{\eta}_y^2 = 0 \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

(3) + (4) \Rightarrow ξ, η are roots of the eqn $A\theta_x^2 + B\theta_x\theta_y + C\theta_y^2 = 0$.

$$\Rightarrow A \frac{\partial_x^2}{\partial_y^2} + B \frac{\partial_x}{\partial_y} + C = 0 \quad (\theta \neq 0).$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial_x}{\partial_y} = \frac{-B \pm \sqrt{B^2 - 4AC}}{2A} := p$$

$$\theta_x = p\theta_y \Rightarrow \theta_x - p\theta_y = 0.$$

$$x'(s) = 1 \quad | \quad y'(s) = -p \quad (z'(s) = 0)$$

$$\frac{dy}{dx} = -p \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{B \pm \sqrt{B^2 - 4AC}}{2A}$$

This implies $\underline{\theta}$ is constant along the Char. Curves.

Char Curves

\therefore Char Curves are given as $\phi_1(x,y) = 0$ and $\phi_2(x,y) = 0$.

$$\text{Choose } \xi(x,y) = \phi_1(x,y)$$

$$\eta(x,y) = \phi_2(x,y).$$

