

MAT4220 FA22 HW04

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Problem 1 (P89 Q3). Easy to obtain

$$\frac{1}{i} \frac{T'(t)}{T(t)} = \frac{X''(x)}{X(x)} = -\lambda$$

and $\lambda = \beta^2 \geq 0$. Then we have

$$\begin{aligned} T(t) &= e^{-i\lambda t} \\ X(x) &= A \cos \beta x + B \sin \beta x \end{aligned}$$

Applying $X(0) = X(l) = 0$, we have $B = 0$ and $\beta_n = n\pi/l$, $n \in \mathbb{N}$. Hence

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} e^{-i(n\pi)^2 t/l^2}$$

Problem 2 (P92 Q4).

(a) Easy to obtain

$$\frac{1}{k} \frac{T'(t)}{T(t)} = \frac{X''(x)}{X(x)} = -\lambda$$

and we can show that $\lambda \geq 0$ given the periodic boundary condition. Hence, we have $\lambda = \beta^2$

$$X(x) = A \cos \beta x + B \sin \beta x, \quad X'(x) = -A\beta \sin \beta x + B\beta \cos \beta x$$

Plug the P.B.C into it, and we get

$$\begin{aligned} X(l) &= A \cos \beta l + B \sin \beta l = X(-l) = A \cos \beta l - B \sin \beta l \\ X'(l) &= -A\beta \sin \beta l + B\beta \cos \beta l = X'(-l) = A\beta \sin \beta l + B\beta \cos \beta l \\ \Rightarrow B \sin \beta l &= A\beta \sin \beta l = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Hence we have $\beta_n = n\pi/l$ and $\lambda_n = (n\pi/l)^2$.

(b) Using the result from (a), it should be obvious that

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} A_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(A_n \cos \frac{n\pi x}{l} + B_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} \right) e^{-(n\pi/l)^2 t}$$

Problem 3 (P101 Q9).

(a) Let $\lambda = 0$, $X(x) = ax + b$, $X'(x) = a$. Plug in the boundary condition, we have

$$X_0(x) = x - 1$$

(b) Let $\lambda = \beta^2$, then

$$\begin{aligned} X(x) &= A \cos \beta x + B \sin \beta x \\ X'(x) &= A(-\beta \sin \beta x) + B\beta \cos \beta x \end{aligned}$$

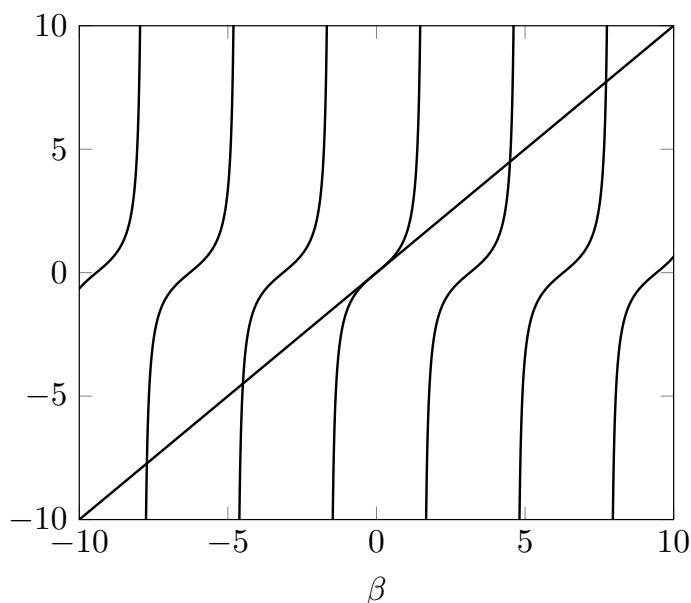
Plug in the boundary condition, we have

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & \beta \\ \cos \beta & \sin \beta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} A \\ B \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

The determinant should be zero to get non-trivial solutions

$$\sin \beta - \beta \cos \beta = 0 \Rightarrow \tan \beta = \beta$$

(c) Sketch:



Thus there are infinitely many solutions.

(d) Suppose we have negative eigenvalues where $\lambda = (i\beta)^2$, then

$$\begin{aligned} X(x) &= A \cosh \beta x + B \sinh \beta x \\ X'(x) &= A\beta \sinh \beta x + B\beta \cosh \beta x \end{aligned}$$

Since

$$\begin{aligned} X(0) &= X'(x) \Rightarrow A = B \\ X(1) &= A \frac{e + e^{-\beta}}{2} + B \frac{e - e^{-\beta}}{2} = Ae^{-\beta} > 0 \end{aligned}$$

thus we cannot have negative eigenvalues.

Problem 4 (P111 Q2).

(a) For sine series

$$\begin{aligned} A_n &= \frac{2}{l} \int_0^l x^2 \sin \frac{n\pi}{l} x \, dx \\ &= \frac{2}{n\pi} \int_0^l \left(-x^2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{l} x \Big|_0^l + 2 \int_0^l x \cos \frac{n\pi}{l} x \, dx \right) \\ &= \dots \\ &= \left(\frac{2}{n\pi} + \frac{8}{(n\pi)^3} \right) l^2 \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$x^2 = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n n \pi x \quad \text{with} \quad A_n = \frac{2}{n\pi} + \frac{8}{(n\pi)^3}$$

(b) For cosine series

$$\begin{aligned}
 A_0 &= \frac{l}{2} \int_0^l x^2 dx = \frac{2}{3} l^2 \\
 A_n &= \frac{l}{2} \int_0^l x^2 \cos \frac{n\pi}{l} x dx \\
 &= \frac{2}{n\pi} \left(x^2 \sin \frac{n\pi}{l} x \Big|_0^l - 2 \int_0^l x \sin \frac{n\pi}{l} x dx \right) \\
 &= \dots \\
 &= \frac{4l^2}{(n\pi)^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

Then

$$x^2 = \frac{1}{2} A_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \cos \frac{n\pi}{l} x$$

Problem 5 (P112 Q9). Due to the Neumann boundary condition, using the fact that

$$\begin{aligned}
 u(x, t) &= \frac{1}{2} A_0 + \frac{1}{2} B_0 t + \sum_{n=1}^n \left(A_n \cos \frac{n\pi}{l} t + B_n \sin \frac{n\pi c}{l} t \right) \cos \frac{n\pi}{l} x \\
 u(x, 0) &= \frac{1}{2} A_0 + \sum_{n=1}^n A_n \cos \frac{n\pi}{l} x = 0 \\
 u_t(x, 0) &= \frac{1}{2} B_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n \frac{n\pi c}{l} \cos \frac{n\pi}{l} x = \cos^2 x
 \end{aligned}$$

We can conclude that $A_n = 0$ and

$$\begin{aligned}
 B_0 &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \cos^2 x dx = 1 \\
 B_n n c &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \cos^2 x \cos n x dx \\
 &= \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \frac{1}{2} (\cos 2x + 1) \cos n x dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \cos 2x \cos n x + \frac{1}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} \cos n x dx \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} \delta_{2n}
 \end{aligned}$$

which means the only two non-zero terms are B_0 and B_2 , therefore

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} t + \frac{1}{4c} \sin 2ct \cos 2x$$