

## 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

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

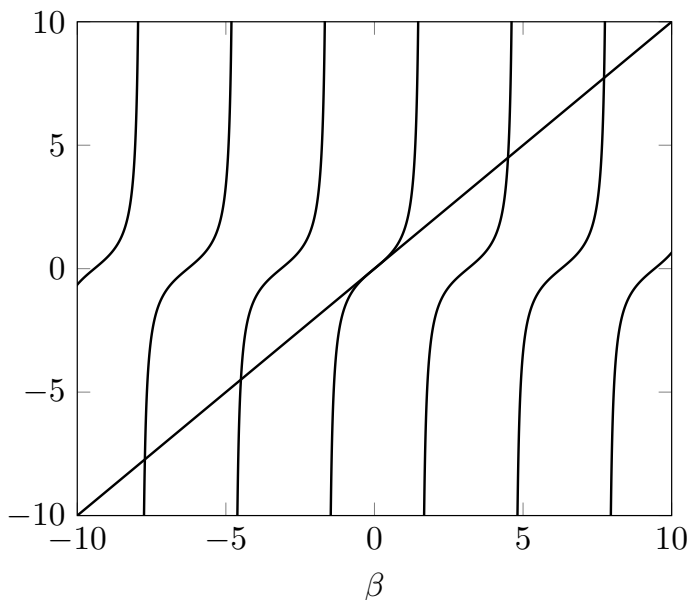
Plug in the boundary condition, we have

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

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

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

$$\begin{aligned}
&= \dots \\
&= \left( \frac{2}{n\pi} + \frac{8}{(n\pi)^3} \right) l^2
\end{aligned}$$

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

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

**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

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

