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# Analysis III - PDE

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## 1 General

### 1.1 Derivative Rules

$$\begin{array}{ll} \text{Product Rule} & \frac{d}{dx} f(x)g(x) = f(x)g'(x) + f'(x)g(x) \\ \text{Chain Rule} & \frac{d}{dx} f(g(x)) = f'(g(x))g'(x) \end{array}$$

### 1.2 Some ODE

$$\begin{array}{llll} x' + ax = c & x = c_1 e^{-ax} + \frac{c}{a} & & \\ ax'' + bx' + cx = 0 & b^2 > 4ac & x = a_1 e^{\lambda_1 x} + a_2 e^{\lambda_2 x} & \lambda_{1,2} = \frac{-b \pm \sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \\ ax'' + bx' + cx = 0 & b^2 = 4ac & x = (a_1 + a_2 x) e^{\lambda x} & \rho = \frac{b}{2a} \\ ax'' + bx' + cx = 0 & b^2 < 4ac & x = a_1 e^{\rho t} \cos(\omega t) + a_2 e^{\rho t} \sin(\omega t) & \omega = \left| \frac{\sqrt{b^2 - 4ac}}{2a} \right| \end{array}$$

### 1.3 Some PDE

Using  $\frac{\partial}{\partial t} x(t, s) = x'(t)$  partial derivatives. Further  $x = x(t, s)$ ,  $y = y(t, s)$

#### First order

$$\begin{array}{ll} x' = x^2 & x = \frac{1}{c_1 - t} \\ x' - tx = 0 & x = c(s) e^{-t^2/2} \end{array}$$

#### Rules

$$[\log(x)]_t = \frac{x_t}{x}$$

### 1.4 Solve linear ODE with Integrating Factor

Problem:  $y' + p(t)y = q(t)$  the ODE can be solved using an integrating factor  $\mu(t)$

1. Calculate integrating factor  $\mu(t) = e^{\int p(t)dt}$
2. Multiply both sides of the ODE by  $\mu(t)$   $\mu(t)[y' + p(t)y] = \mu(t)q(t)$
3. Calculate  $(\mu(t)y)' = \mu(t)q(t)$
4. Integrating each side with respect to  $t$   $\mu(t)y = \int \mu(t)q(t)dt + C$
5. Final form  $y = \mu^{-1}(t) \left( \int \mu(t)q(t)dt + C \right)$

### 1.5 Inequalities

If  $[a, b]$  is some interval,  $f(a) < g(a)$ , and  $f'(x) \leq g'(x)$  on the interval, then  $f(x) < g(x)$  on the interval. This implication cannot be reversed.

### 1.6 Integrals

Area of a disk  $B_R$  with radius  $R$  around  $(x_0, y_0)$

$$\int_{B_R(x_0, y_0)} u(x, y) dx dy = \int_0^R \int_0^{2\pi} u(x_0 + r \cos(\theta), y_0 + r \sin(\theta)) r d\theta dr$$

## 2 Notation of PDE

unknown function  $u : D \subset \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$F(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n, u(x_1, \dots, x_n), u_{x_1}, \dots, u_{x_n}, u_{x_1 x_1}, \dots) = 0$$

Short form:  $F(x) = 0$

## 3 Classification of PDE

### 3.1 Order

Order = order of highest derivative in equation

### 3.2 Linearity

PDE is linear if  $F$  is a linear function of the unknown function  $u$

**Semilinear** All derivatives are linear (Nonlin. only in  $u$ )

$$a(x, y, u) \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + b(x, y, u) \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + c(x, y) \frac{\partial^3 u}{\partial x^2 \partial y} = d(x, y, u)$$

**Quasilinear** Highest-order derivative are linear

$$a(x, y, u, u_x) \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + a(x, y, u, u_y) \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + c(x, y, u, u_x, u_y) \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = d(x, y, u)$$

**Linear**

linear in  $u$   $a(x, y)u_x + b(x, y)u_y = c_0(x, y) + c_1(x, y)$   
if  $u_1, u_2$  are sol. then  $\lambda u_1 + (1 - \lambda)u_2$  is a sol.

### 3.3 Homogeneous

PDE is homogeneous if  $F(x, y) = 0$ .

## 4 First Order PDE: Method of Characteristics

### 4.1 Problem

$$\begin{cases} a(x, y, u)u_x + b(x, y, u)u_y = c(x, y, u) \\ u(x_0, y_0) = f(x) \text{ or } f(y) \end{cases}$$

### 4.2 Solution

1. Bring to standard form

$$au_x + bu_y = c$$

2. Parametrize initial condition

$$\begin{array}{ll} x_t(t, s) = a(x, y, u) & x(0, s) = x_0(s) \\ y_t(t, s) = b(x, y, u) & y(0, s) = y_0(s) \\ u_t(t, s) = c(x, y, u) & u(0, s) = f(s) \end{array}$$

3. Solve characteristic equations

$$\begin{array}{ll} \frac{\partial}{\partial t} x(t, s) = a(x, y, u) & x(0, s) = x_0(s) \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial t} y(t, s) = b(x, y, u) & y(0, s) = y_0(s) \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial t} u(t, s) = c(x, y, u) & u(0, s) = f(s) \end{array}$$

- If linked, parametrize:  $x = s \cdot \cos(t)$ ,  $y = s \cdot \sin(t)$
4. Find  $s(x, y)$ ,  $t(x, y)$  and put in  $u(t, s)$ . Solve for  $u(x, y)$  if Jacobian  $J \neq 0$

### 4.3 Jacobian

$$J = \frac{\partial(x,y)}{\partial(t,s)} = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial x}{\partial t} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} \\ \frac{\partial x}{\partial s} & \frac{\partial y}{\partial s} \end{vmatrix} = \begin{vmatrix} a & b \\ \frac{\partial x_0}{\partial s} & \frac{\partial y_0}{\partial s} \end{vmatrix} = (y_0)_s a - (x_0)_s b$$

Must be  $\neq 0$  for  $x, y$  to be invertable and the method of characteristics to work.

### 4.4 Existence and uniqueness

#### Transversality condition

For  $a, b$  replace  $x, y$  by  $x_0, y_0$ . If transversality condition is fulfilled the PDE has a unique solution. Set  $t = 0$ .

$$J = \det \begin{pmatrix} a_0 & b_0 \\ \frac{\partial x_0}{\partial s} & \frac{\partial y_0}{\partial s} \end{pmatrix} = (y_0)_s a - (x_0)_s b \neq 0$$

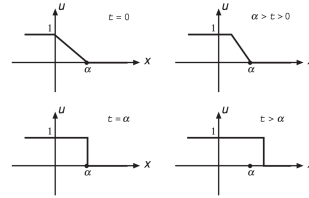
### 4.5 Conservation law & shock waves

Considering the transport equation

$$u_y + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} F(u) = 0$$

$$\begin{cases} u_y + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} F(u) = 0 \\ u(x, 0) = h(s) = \begin{cases} u^- & x \leq \alpha \\ u^+ & x > \alpha \end{cases} \end{cases}$$

If  $u_0(s)$  is never decreasing, there will be no singularity (hence no shock wave).



**Figure 1:** Several snapshots in the development of a shock wave.

### Entropy Condition

Characteristics must enter the shock curve, and are not allowed to emanate from it.

$$F_u(u^-) > \gamma_y > F_u(u^+)$$

Applying this rule to the special case  $F(u) = \frac{1}{2}u^2$  we obtain that the shock solution is valid only if  $u^- > u^+$ .

**Case shock wave:**  $u^- > u^+$

The characteristics intersect and it results in a shock wave. The shock wave  $\gamma(y)$  describes the curve along which  $u(x, y)$  assumes different values.  $\gamma_y(y)$  describes the speed at which the discontinuity is moving (Rankine-Hugoniot condition). The shock wave is given by

$$\begin{aligned} u(x, y) &= \begin{cases} u^- & x < \gamma(y) \\ u^+ & x > \gamma(y) \end{cases} & \gamma_y(y) &= \frac{F(u^+) - F(u^-)}{u^+ - u^-} & \begin{cases} \gamma(y) = \int \gamma_y(y) dy \\ \gamma(0) = \alpha \end{cases} \\ u^+(y) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \gamma_y(y)_+} u(x, y) & u^-(y) &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \gamma_y(y)_-} u(x, y) \end{aligned}$$

$\alpha$  is the projection of the discontinuity point of the shock wave to  $y = 0$ .

$y_c$  denotes the critical time where the solution becomes non-smooth. That is, the classical solution is not well defined for  $y > y_c$ .

$$y_c = \inf_{s \in \mathbb{R}} \left\{ -\frac{1}{h'(s)} : h'(s) < 0 \right\} \quad h(s) = u(x, 0)$$

If  $h(s)$  (the initial value) has a discontinuity (e.g. a step),  $y_c = 0$ : the solution is weak immediately.

## 5 Second Order PDE

$$L[u] = a \cdot u_{xx} + 2b \cdot u_{xy} + c \cdot u_{yy} + d \cdot u_x + e \cdot u_y + f \cdot u = g$$

### 5.1 Classification

Discriminant  $\delta$ :

$$\delta(L)(x, y) = b^2(x, y) - a(x, y) \cdot c(x, y) \quad L[u] \begin{cases} \text{elliptic} & \delta(L) < 0 \\ \text{parabolic} & \delta(L) = 0 \\ \text{hyperbolic} & \delta(L) > 0 \end{cases}$$

## 6 1D Wave Equation

Cauchy problem

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} - c^2 u_{xx} = 0 & (x, t) \in \mathbb{R} \times (0, \infty), \\ u(x, 0) = f(x) & x \in \mathbb{R}, \\ u_t(x, 0) = g(x) & x \in \mathbb{R}. \end{cases}$$

Coordinate transformation to  $\xi, \eta$ . Solution  $u(x, t)$  consists of forwards  $F(x - ct)$  and backwards  $G(c + xt)$  travelling wave.

$$\begin{aligned} \xi &= x + ct & \eta &= x - ct & \omega(\xi, \eta) &= u(x(\xi, \eta), y(\xi, \eta)) \\ -4c^2 \omega_{\xi\eta} &= 0 & \omega(\xi, \eta) &= F(\xi) + G(\eta) & u(x, t) &= F(x - ct) + G(x + ct) \end{aligned}$$

### 6.1 d'Alembert Formula

General solution to the 1D wave equation for  $x \in \mathbb{R}$ . (Not to be used for  $x$  in an interval, use separation of variables.)

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} (f(x + ct) + f(x - ct)) + \frac{1}{2c} \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} g(s) ds$$

### 6.2 Nonhomogeneous case

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} - c^2 u_{xx} = F(x, t) & (x, t) \in \mathbb{R} \times (0, \infty), \\ u(x, 0) = f(x) & x \in \mathbb{R}, \\ u_t(x, 0) = g(x) & x \in \mathbb{R}. \end{cases}$$

Using d'Alembert and extending with the integral on the triangle  $\Delta_{x_0, t_0}$ :

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} (f(x + ct) + f(x - ct)) + \frac{1}{2c} \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} g(s) ds + \frac{1}{2c} \iint_{\Delta_{x_0, t_0}} F(x, t) dx dt$$

Explicit form:

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2} (f(x + ct) + f(x - ct)) + \frac{1}{2c} \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} g(s) ds + \frac{1}{2c} \int_0^t d\tau \int_{x-c(t-\tau)}^{x+c(t-\tau)} F(s, \tau) ds$$

### 6.3 Odd initial data

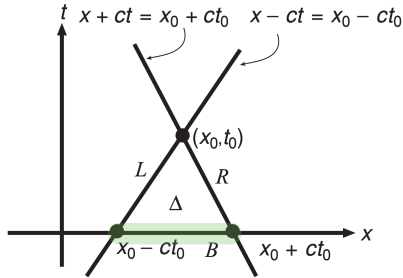
If the problem is stated for  $x > 0$  instead of  $x \in (R)$ , the initial data  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  have to be extended oddly around zero.

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} - c^2 u_{xx} = 0 & (x, t) \in (0, \infty) \times (0, \infty), \\ u(0, t) = 0 & t \in (0, \infty), \\ u(x, 0) = f(x) & x \in [0, \infty), \\ u_t(x, 0) = g(x) & x \in [0, \infty). \end{cases} \quad f(-x) = f(x) \quad g(-x) = g(x)$$

For example:

$$x^2 \mapsto x|x| \quad x^4 \mapsto x^3|x| \quad \sin(x) \mapsto \sin(x)$$

### 6.4 Domain of dependance



The values at  $(x_0, t_0)$  depend only on the initial data at

$$[a = x_0 - ct, b = x_0 + ct]$$

Therefore if the initial data live in  $[a, b]$  then a point  $(x_0, y_0)$  will feel them only if

$$x_0 - ct, x_0 + ct] \cap [a, b] \neq \emptyset$$

Figure 2: Domain of dependence.

### 6.5 Domain of influence

$$\text{DOI} = [x_0 - ct, x_0 + ct]$$

### 6.6 Wave equation in interval

If the problem is stated in an interval  $x \in (a, b)$  with zero boundary conditions, a global problem must be found whose solution  $\tilde{u}(x, t)$  must coincide with  $u$  in the interval.

$$\begin{cases} u_{tt} - c^2 u_{xx} = 0 & (x, t) \in (a, b) \times (0, \infty), \\ u(a, t) = 0 & t \in (0, \infty), \\ u(b, t) = 0 & t \in (0, \infty), \\ u(x, 0) = f(x) & x \in (a, b), \\ u_t(x, 0) = g(x) & x \in (a, b). \end{cases}$$

Therefore extend  $f(x)$  to be odd with respect to  $a$  and  $b$ . That is

$$\tilde{u}(-(x-a), t) = -\tilde{u}((x-a), t) \quad \tilde{u}(-(x-b), t) = -\tilde{u}((x-b), t)$$

Then solve the new Cauchy problem:

$$\begin{cases} \tilde{u}_{tt} - c^2 \tilde{u}_{xx} = 0 & (x, t) \in \mathbb{R} \times (0, \infty), \\ \tilde{u}(x, 0) = \tilde{f}(x) & x \in \mathbb{R}, \\ \tilde{u}_t(x, 0) = \tilde{g}(x) & x \in \mathbb{R}. \end{cases} \quad u(x, t) = \tilde{u}(x, t) \quad \text{for } x \in (a, b)$$

## 7 Separation of variables

### 7.1 Ansatz

1. Write solution as product

$$\begin{aligned} u(x, t) &= X(x)T(t) & u_t(x, t) &= X(x)T'(t) & u_{tt}(x, t) &= X(x)T''(t) \\ u_x(x, t) &= X'(x)T(t) & u_{tx}(x, t) &= X'(x)T'(t) & u_{xx}(x, t) &= X''(x)T(t) \end{aligned}$$

2. Substitute into problem

$$u_t - u_{xx} = 0 \quad \frac{T'}{T} = \frac{X''}{X} = -\lambda = \text{const} \quad u_{tt} - u_{xx} = 0 \quad \frac{T''}{T} = \frac{X''}{X} = -\lambda = \text{const}$$

3. Solve ODE

$$\begin{aligned} X'' &= -\lambda X & \lambda > 0 & X(x) = \alpha \sin(\sqrt{\lambda}x) + \beta \cos(\sqrt{\lambda}x) \\ & & \lambda = 0 & X(x) = \alpha + \beta x \\ & & \lambda < 0 & X(x) = \alpha \sinh(\sqrt{-\lambda}x) + \beta \cosh(\sqrt{-\lambda}x) \\ & & & X(x) = \alpha \sinh(\sqrt{-\lambda}x) + \beta \sinh(\sqrt{-\lambda}(x - \pi)) \\ T' &= -\lambda T & & T(t) = e^{-\lambda t} \end{aligned}$$

4. Write  $u(x, t)$  as sum and impose initial condition

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} X_n(x)T_n(t) \quad u(x, 0) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} X_n(0)T_n(t)$$

### 7.2 Application: Heat equation

$$\begin{cases} u_t - \kappa u_{xx} = 0, & 0 < x < L, t > 0, \\ u(0, t) = u(L, t) = 0, & t \geq 0, \\ u(x, 0) = f(x), & 0 \leq x \leq L. \end{cases}$$

There exists only a solution for  $\lambda > 0$ . And hence  $u(0, t) = u(L, t) = 0$  the boundary conditions are zero, the sin is chosen.

$$\lambda_n = \left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2 \quad u(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} B_n \cdot \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right) e^{-\kappa\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2 t}$$

### 7.3 Boundary conditions

$$\begin{aligned} u(0, t) &= u(L, t) & \rightarrow \text{Dirichlet} & X_n(x) &= \alpha_n \sin(\sqrt{\lambda}x) & \sqrt{\lambda} &= \frac{n\pi}{L} \\ u_x(0, t) &= u_x(L, t) & \rightarrow \text{Neumann} & X_n(x) &= \alpha_n \cos(\sqrt{\lambda}x) & \sqrt{\lambda} &= \frac{n\pi}{L} \\ \text{combination} & & \rightarrow \text{Mixed/Robin} & X_n(x) &= \alpha_n \sin\left((n + \frac{1}{2})\frac{\pi}{L}x\right) & \sqrt{\lambda} &= \left(n + \frac{1}{2}\right)\frac{\pi}{L} \end{aligned}$$

### 7.4 Nonhomogeneous case

$$\begin{cases} u_t - u_{xx} = h(x, t), & 0 < x < L, t > 0, \\ u_x(0, t) = u_x(L, t) = 0, & t \geq 0, \\ u(x, 0) = f(x), & 0 \leq x \leq L. \end{cases}$$

1. Check boundary conditions and decide which  $X_n(x)$  to use (See 7.3). Here Dirichlet is used.  
2. Look for linear combination and make derivatives of  $u(x, y)$ .

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n \geq 0} T_n(t) \cos(\sqrt{\lambda}x) \quad u_t(x, t) = \sum_{n \geq 0} T'_n(t) \cos(\sqrt{\lambda}x) \quad u_{xx}(x, t) = \sum_{n \geq 0} -\lambda T_n(t) \cos(\sqrt{\lambda}x)$$

3. From the initial condition  $u(x, 0) = f(x)$  the initial values of  $T_n(0)$  can be derived

$$u(x, 0) = \sum_{n \geq 0} T_n(0) \cos(\sqrt{\lambda}x) = f(x) \quad \rightarrow T_n(0) = \dots$$

4. Imposing  $u_t - u_{xx} = h(x, t)$  using the ansatz we get a set of ODE:

$$\sum_{n \geq 0} (T'_n(t) + \lambda T_n(t)) \cos(\sqrt{\lambda}x) = h(x, t) \quad \rightarrow T'_n(t) = \dots$$

5. Use  $T'_n(t)$  and  $T_n(0)$  to solve for all  $T_n(t)$   
6. Put solution together  
7. Check solution

## 7.5 Nonhomogeneous boundary conditions

$$\begin{cases} u_t - u_{xx} = h(x, t), & 0 < x < L, t > 0, \\ u_x(0, t) = a(t), & t \geq 0, \\ u_x(L, t) = b(t), & t \geq 0, \\ u(x, 0) = f(x), & 0 \leq x \leq L. \end{cases} \quad \begin{cases} B_a[u] = \alpha u(a, t) + \beta u_x(a, t) = a(t), & t \geq 0 \\ B_b[u] = \gamma u(b, t) + \delta u_x(b, t) = b(t), & t \geq 0 \end{cases}$$

Find new function  $w(x, t)$  satisfying such non-homogeneous boundary conditions and study the problem being satisfied by  $v(x, t) = u(x, t) - w(x, t)$ . If the boundary condition is of the following form, table 1 provides  $w(x, t)$ . **△Resubstitute to  $u(x, t) = v(x, t) + w(x, t)$**

	Boundary condition		$w(x, t)$
Dirichlet	$u(0, t) = a(t)$	$u(L, t) = b(t)$	$w(x, t) = a(t) + \frac{x}{L}[b(t) - a(t)]$
Neumann	$u_x(0, t) = a(t)$	$u_x(L, t) = b(t)$	$w(x, t) = xa(t) + \frac{x^2}{2L}[b(t) - a(t)]$
Mixed	$u(0, t) = a(t)$	$u_x(L, t) = b(t)$	$w(x, t) = a(t) + xb(t)$
Mixed	$u_x(0, t) = a(t)$	$u(L, t) = b(t)$	$w(x, t) = (x - L)a(t) + b(t)$

Table 1: Boundary conditions

## 8 Elliptic Equation

### 8.1 Harmonic functions

Let  $D \subset \mathbb{R}^n$ . A function  $f : D \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$  is harmonic in  $D$  if it is twice differentiable for all  $x \in D$ . It holds:

$$\Delta f(x) = 0$$

### 8.2 Poisson equation

$$\Delta u = F(x, y) \quad \begin{cases} u(x, y) = g(x, y) & \text{on } \partial D & \text{Dirichlet problem} \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial \nu}(x, y) = g(x, y) & \text{on } \partial D & \text{Neumann problem} \\ U(x, y) + \alpha \frac{\partial u}{\partial \nu}(x, y) = g(x, y) & \text{on } \partial D & \text{Robin problem} \end{cases}$$

**Exists a solution?:** A necessary condition for the existence of a solution to the Neumann problem is

$$\int_{\partial D} g(x, y) \, ds = 0$$

### 8.3 Definition

$$\Delta u = u_{xx} + u_{yy} + u_{zz} = 0 \quad \Delta = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_1^2} + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_2^2} + \dots + \frac{\partial^2}{\partial x_n^2}$$

### 8.4 Maximum Principle

**weak maximum principle:** Let  $D$  be a bounded domain, and let  $u(x, y) \in C^2(D) \cap C(\bar{D})$  be a harmonic function in  $D$ . Then the maximum of  $u$  in  $\bar{D}$  is achieved on the boundary  $\partial D$ . If  $u$  is harmonic in  $D$ , then  $-u$  is harmonic there too. Therefore the minimum of a harmonic function  $u$  is also obtained on the boundary  $\partial D$ .

$$\max_{\bar{D}} u = \max_{\partial D} u \quad \min_{\bar{D}} u = \min_{\partial D} u$$

**strong maximum principle:** Let  $u$  be a harmonic function in a domain  $D$ . If  $u$  attains its maximum (minimum) at an interior point of  $D$ , then  $u$  is constant.

## 8.5 Mean value Principle

Let  $(x_0, y_0)$  be a point in  $D$ . Assume that  $B_R$  is a disk of radius  $R$  centered at  $(x_0, y_0)$ , fully contained in  $D$ . For any  $r > 0$  set  $C_r = \partial B_r$ . Then the value of  $u$  at  $(x_0, y_0)$  is the average of the values of  $u$  on the circle  $C_R$ :

$$\begin{aligned} u(x_0, y_0) &= \frac{1}{2\pi R} \oint_{C_R} u(x(s), y(s)) \, ds \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} u(x_0 + R \cos(\theta), y_0 + R \sin(\theta)) \, d\theta \end{aligned}$$

## 8.6 General uniqueness for Poisson eq.

From Theorem (7.12):

1. Let  $v = u_1 - u_2$  ( $u_1$  and  $u_2$  are solutions to the Poisson eq.)
2. Take a point  $(x_0, y_0)$  and propose  $v(x_0, y_0) = M > 0$
3. Show by writing  $0 = \Delta v(x_0, y_0) - kv(x_0, y_0) \leq -kM$  a contradiction  $\rightarrow v(x_0, y_0) \not\leq 0$
4. Take a point  $(x_1, y_1)$  and propose  $v(x_1, y_1) = M < 0$
5. Show by writing  $0 = \Delta v(x_1, y_1) - kv(x_1, y_1) \geq -kM$  a contradiction  $\rightarrow v(x_1, y_1) \not\geq 0$
6. Using *weak max principle* it holds that  $v = 0 \iff u_1 = u_2$

## 8.7 Laplace equation in rectangular domain

$$\begin{cases} \Delta u = 0, & (x, y) \in (a, b) \times (c, d), \\ u(a, y) = f(y) & c < y < d, \\ u(b, y) = g(y) & c < y < d, \\ u(x, c) = h(x) & a < x < b, \\ u(x, d) = k(x) & a < x < b. \end{cases}$$

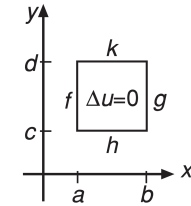


Figure 3: Separation of variables in rectangles.

**Neumann  $\exists$  sol. if:** For  $u_x(\cdot)/u_y(\cdot)$ . The necessary condition must hold that the integral over the boundary is zero. **△Mind the integral limits/direction**

$$0 = - \int_a^b h \, dx + \int_c^d g \, dy + \int_a^b k \, dx - \int_c^d f \, dy$$

**Ansatz:**  $u(x, y) = X(x)Y(y)$  For  $X(x)$  proceed as in 7.3. For  $Y(y)$  The following are equivalent:

$$\begin{aligned} Y_n(y) &= A_n \sinh(\sqrt{\lambda} y) + B_n \cosh(\sqrt{\lambda} y) \\ &= C_n \sinh(\sqrt{\lambda}(y - c)) + D_n \sinh(\sqrt{\lambda}(y - d)) \\ &= E_n \cosh(\sqrt{\lambda}(y - c)) + F_n \cosh(\sqrt{\lambda}(y - d)) \\ &= G_n \cosh(\sqrt{\lambda}(y - c)) + H_n \sinh(\sqrt{\lambda}(y - d)) \\ &= J_n \cosh(\sqrt{\lambda} y) + K_n \sinh(\sqrt{\lambda} y) \end{aligned} \quad \leftarrow \text{use this if } u_x/u_y \text{ is given}$$

Most common:

$$Y_0(y) = \alpha_0 y + \beta_0, \quad Y_n(y) = \alpha_n \sinh(\sqrt{\lambda}(y - c)) + \beta_n \sinh(\sqrt{\lambda}(y - d)) \quad n \geq 1$$

Then use the following and introduce boundaries  $u(x, c)$  and  $u(x, d)$ .

$$u(x, y) = \alpha_0 y + \beta_0 + \sum_{n \geq 1} \cos(\sqrt{\lambda} x) \left[ \alpha_n \sinh(\sqrt{\lambda}(y - c)) + \beta_n \sinh(\sqrt{\lambda}(y - d)) \right]$$

## 8.8 Laplace eq. in circular domain

Problem:

$$\begin{cases} \Delta u = 0, & \text{in } D, \\ u(r_a, \theta) = f(\theta), & \text{for } 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi, \\ u(r_b, \theta) = g(\theta), & \text{for } 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi. \end{cases} \quad \Delta = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial r^2} \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial}{\partial r} + \frac{1}{r^2} \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta^2}$$

Ansatz: If the boundary datum depends only on sine, the sine only ansatz can be chosen. **Provide reason!** Then introduce boundary conditions and solve for  $A_n, B_n, \dots$

General	$u(t, \theta) = \sum_{n>0} (A_n r^n + B_n r^{-n}) \sin(n\theta) + C_0 + D_0 \log(r)$
	$+ \sum_{n>0} (C_n r^n + D_n r^{-n}) \cos(n\theta)$
sin only	$u(t, \theta) = \sum_{n>0} (A_n r^n + B_n r^{-n}) \sin(n\theta)$
cos only	$u(t, \theta) = \sum_{n>0} (C_n r^n + D_n r^{-n}) \cos(n\theta) + C_0 + D_0 \log(r)$

If origin ( $r = 0$ ) is inside domain  $D$  then  $D_n = D_0 = 0 \quad \forall n$  because  $r^{-n}$  and  $\log(r)$  blow up for  $r \rightarrow 0$ .

## 9 Common Tables

### 9.1 Derivatives and Integrals

$[c]' = 0$	$\int 0 dx = c$
$[x]' = 1$	$\int 1 dx = x + c$
$[x^{n+1}]' = (n+1)x^n, n \neq -1$	$\int x^n dx = \frac{1}{n+1} x^{n+1} + x, n \neq -1$
$[\ln x]' = \frac{1}{x}, x > 0$	$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x  + c$
$[\ln(-x)]' = \frac{-1}{-x} = \frac{1}{x}, x < 0$	$\int \frac{1}{x} dx = \ln x  + c$
$[e^x]' = e^x$	$\int e^x dx = e^x + c$
$[a^x]' = a^x \ln a$	$\int a^x dx = \frac{1}{\ln a} a^x + c, a \neq 1$
$[\sin x]' = \cos x$	$\int \cos x dx = \sin x + x$
$[\cos x]' = -\sin x$	$\int \sin x dx = -\cos x + x$
$[\tan x]' = \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} = 1 + \tan^2 x$	$\int \frac{1}{\cos^2 x} dx = \tan x + c$
	$\int \tan^2 x dx = \tan x - x + c$
$[\cot x]' = -\frac{1}{\sin^2 x} = -1 - \cot^2 x$	$\int \frac{1}{\sin^2 x} dx = -\cot x + c$
	$\int \cot^2 x dx = -\cot x - x + c$
$[\arcsin x]' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$	$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \arcsin x + c_1$
$[\arccos x]' = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}}$	$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = -\arccos x + c_2$
$[\arctan x]' = \frac{1}{1+x^2}$	$\int \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \arctan x + c_1$
$[\operatorname{arccot} x]' = -\frac{1}{1+x^2}$	$\int \frac{1}{1+x^2} dx = \operatorname{arccot} x + c_2$
$[\sinh x]' = \cosh x$	$\int \cosh x dx = \sinh x + c$
$[\cosh x]' = \sinh x$	$\int \sinh x dx = \cosh x + c$
$[\tanh x]' = \frac{1}{\cosh^2 x} = 1 - \tanh^2 x$	$\int \frac{1}{\cosh^2 x} dx = \tanh x + c$
$[\coth x]' = -\frac{1}{\sinh^2 x} = 1 - \coth^2 x$	$\int \frac{1}{\sinh^2 x} dx = -\coth x + c$

$[\operatorname{arsinh} x]' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2+1}}$	$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2+1}} dx = \operatorname{arsinh} x + c = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2+1})$
$[\operatorname{arcosh} x]' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-1}}$	$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{x^2-1}} dx = \operatorname{arcosh} x + c = \ln(x + \sqrt{x^2-1})$
$[\operatorname{artanh} x]' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}},  x  < 1$	$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}},  x  < 1 dx = \operatorname{artanh} x + c = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{1+x}{1-x} + c,  x  < 1 + c$
$[\operatorname{arcoth} x]' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}},  x  > 1$	$\int \frac{1}{\sqrt{1-x^2}} dx = \operatorname{arcoth} x + c = \frac{1}{2} \ln \frac{x+1}{x-1} + c,  x  > 1 + c$

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$$\int \sin^2(x) dx = -\frac{1}{4} \sin(2x) + \frac{1}{2} x + c \quad \int \cos^2(x) dx = \frac{1}{4} \sin(2x) + \frac{1}{2} x + c$$

9.2 Derivative rules

$(f + g)' = f' + g'$ 
 $(cf)' = cf'$ 
 $(fg)' = f'g + g'f$

$(\frac{f}{g})' = \frac{f'g - fg'}{g^2}$

9.3 Integral rules

substitution
$$\int_a^b f[u(x)]u'(x)dx = \int_{u(a)}^{u(b)} f(z)dz \quad z = u(x)$$

partial integral
$$\int_a^b u(x)v'(x)dx = u(x)v(x)|_a^b - \int_a^b u'(x)v(x)dx$$

9.4 Trigonometric identities

$\sin(x) = \frac{e^{ix} - e^{-ix}}{2i}$	$\cos(x) = \frac{e^{ix} + e^{-ix}}{2}$
$\sin^2(x) + \cos^2(x) = 1$	$\sin(\alpha + \beta) = \sin(\alpha) \cos(\beta) + \sin \beta \cos(\alpha)$
$\cos(2x) = \cos^2(x) - \sin^2(x)$	$\sin(\alpha - \beta) = \sin(\alpha) \cos(\beta) - \sin \beta \cos(\alpha)$
$\sin(2x) = 2 \sin(x) \cos(x)$	$\cos(\alpha + \beta) = \cos(\alpha) \cos(\beta) - \sin \alpha \sin(\beta)$
$c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos(\gamma)$	$\cos(\alpha - \beta) = \cos(\alpha) \cos(\beta) + \sin \alpha \sin(\beta)$
$\frac{a}{\sin \alpha} = \frac{b}{\sin \beta} = \frac{c}{\sin \gamma}$	$\cos^2(x) = \frac{1 + \cos(2x)}{2}$

9.5 Hyperbolic identities

$\sinh(x) = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{2}$	$\cosh(x) = \frac{e^x + e^{-x}}{2}$
$\cosh^2(x) - \sinh^2(x) = 1$	$\sinh(x \pm y) = \sinh(x) \cosh(y) \pm \sinh y \cosh(x)$
$\sinh(2x) = 2 \sinh(x) \cosh(x)$	$\cosh(x \pm y) = \cosh(x) \cosh(y) \pm \sinh x \sinh(y)$
$\cosh(2x) = \cosh^2(x) + \sinh^2(x)$	
$\sinh(-x) = -\sinh x$	
$\cosh(-x) = \cosh x$	

9.6 Sums

$\sum_{k=1}^n k = \frac{n(n+1)}{2}$	$\sum_{k=1}^n k^2 = \frac{n(n+1)(2n+1)}{6}$	$\sum_{k=1}^n k^3 = \frac{n^2(n+1)^2}{4}$
$\sum_{k=0}^{n-1} q^k = \frac{1-q^n}{1-q}$	$\sum_{k=0}^{\infty} q^k = \frac{1}{1-q}, \text{ for }  q  < 1$	$\binom{n}{k} = \frac{n!}{k!(n-k)!}$