# HW3 Solutions

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[1]: %matplotlib inline
  import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
  import numpy as np
  from matplotlib import rcParams
  rcParams['font.size'] = 16
  rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (10,8)
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### 1 Problem 1

### 1.1 Boundary value problem with a capacitor

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[2]: L = 0.1

N = 100

a = L/N

clo = N//5

chi = 4*N//5

omega = 0.9
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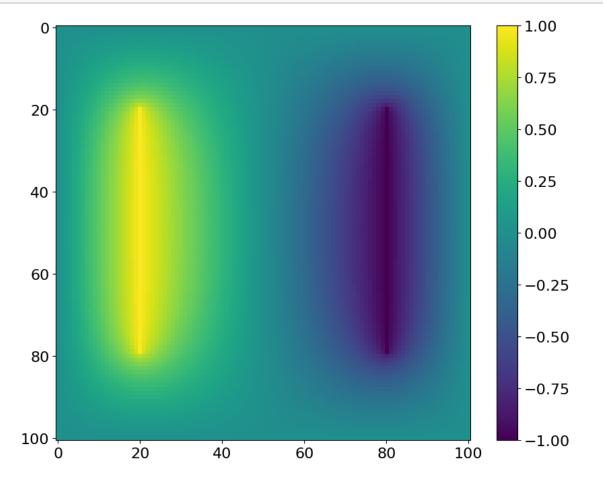
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[3]: # Set up initial values and boundary array
phi = np.zeros([N+1, N+1], float)
phi[clo:chi,clo] = 1.0
phi[clo:chi,chi] = -1.0

plates = np.zeros([N+1,N+1], float)
plates[clo:chi,clo] = 1
plates[clo:chi,chi] = 1
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[4]: # Solve for phi using Gauss-Seidel and over-relaxation
delta = 1.0
target = 1e-6

while delta > target:
    delta = 0.0
    # Loops are bad and slow, but it's more clear this way
    for i in range(1,N):
        for j in range(1,N):
            if plates[i,j] == 0:
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[5]: plt.imshow(phi)
plt.colorbar()
plt.show()
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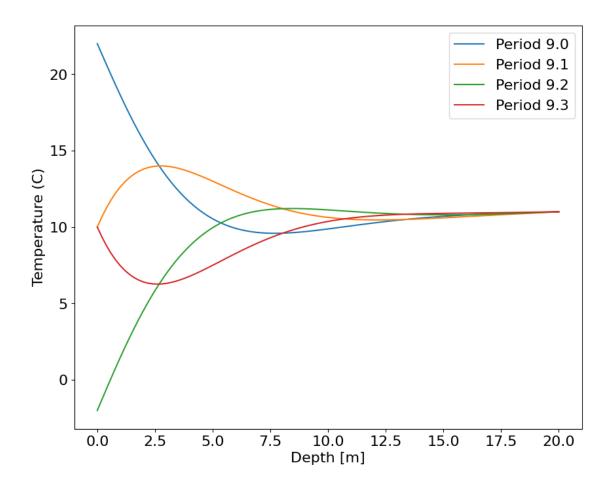


## 2 Problem 2

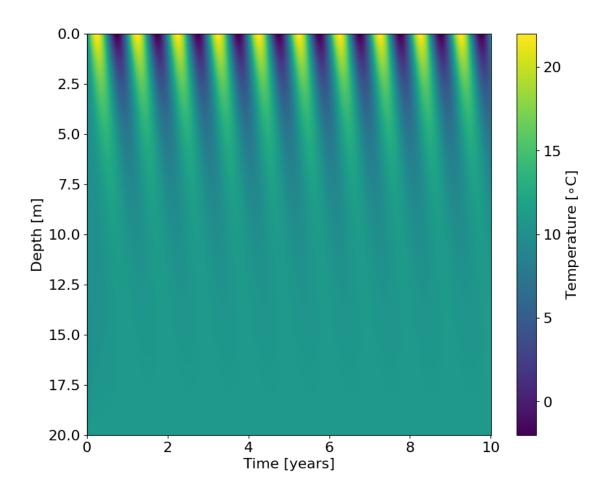
### 2.1 Thermal diffusion in the Earth's crust

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[6]: # Constants
L = 20  # length of the system
N = 100  # Number of spatial points
a = L/N  # Point separation
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h = 0.01 # Time spacing in days
      D = 0.1 # Thermal diffusivity of the crust
      A = 10.0 # Constants for sinusoidal variation
      B = 12.0
      tau = 365
      Tfixed = 11.0 # Temperature at the bottom
 [7]: tmax = 10.01*365
      steps = int(tmax/h)
      s1 = int(9.25*365/h)
      s2 = int(9.50*365/h)
      s3 = int(9.75*365/h)
      s4 = int(10.0*365/h)
 [8]: # Set up initial conditions
      T = np.zeros(N+1, float)
      T[0:N] = A
      T[N] = Tfixed
 [9]: # Main loop
      x = np.linspace(0, L, N+1)
      saved_soln = []
      allT = np.empty((N+1,steps))
      for k in range(steps):
         t = k*h
          T[0] = A + B*np.sin(2*np.pi*t/tau)
          T[1:N] += h*D*(T[0:N-1] + T[2:N+1] - 2*T[1:N]) / (a*a)
          allT[:,k] = T.copy()
          if k in [s1,s2,s3,s4]:
              saved_soln.append(T.copy())
[10]: # Plot it
      for i,soln in enumerate(saved_soln):
          plt.plot(x, soln, label='Period 9.%d' % (i))
      plt.legend(loc='best')
      plt.xlabel('Depth [m]')
      plt.ylabel('Temperature (C)')
      plt.show()
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[11]: plt.imshow(allT, aspect='auto', extent=[0, tmax/365, L, 0])
    plt.xlabel('Time [years]')
    plt.ylabel('Depth [m]')
    cb = plt.colorbar(label=r'Temperature [$\circ$C]')
```



# 3 Problem 3

## 3.1 FTCS solution of the wave equation

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[12]: %matplotlib inline
    from matplotlib import animation

[13]: L = 1.0
    N = 100
    v = 100.0
    C = 1.0
    sigma = 0.3
    d = 0.1
    a = L/N
    h = 1e-6
    tfinal = 2e-2
    steps = int(tfinal / h)
    ainv = 1.0/a
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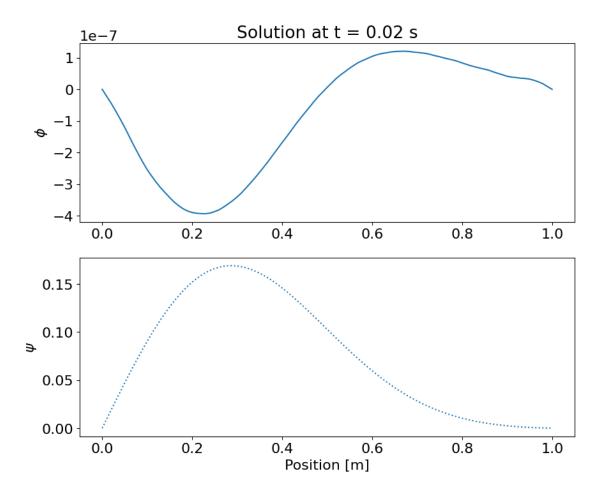
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[14]: def f(y):
    result = np.zeros(N+1)
    result[1:N] = (y[0:N-1] + y[2:N+1] - 2*y[1:N]) * v**2 * ainv**2
    return result
```

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[15]: # Initialize system
t = 0.0
x = np.linspace(0,L,N+1)
psi = np.zeros(N+1)
dpsi = np.zeros(N+1)
dpsi = C * x * (L - x) / L**2 * np.exp(-(x - d)**2 / (2*sigma**2))
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### 3.2 Plot at t = t final

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[16]: plt.clf()
    fig, ax = plt.subplots(2,1)
    ax[0].set_title(f'Solution at t = {tfinal} s')
    ax[0].set_ylabel(r'$\phi$')
    ax[1].set_ylabel(r'$\psi$')
    ax[1].set_xlabel('Position [m]')
    for n in range(steps):
        psi, dpsi = psi + h*dpsi, dpsi + h*f(psi)
    ax[0].plot(x, psi, ls='-')
    ax[1].plot(x, dpsi, ls=':')
    plt.show()
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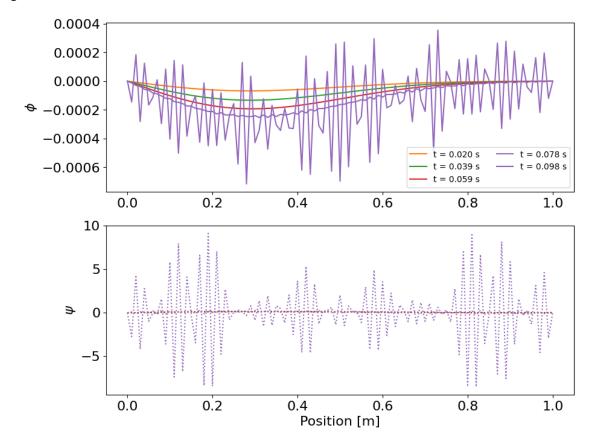
### 3.3 Plot of when the solution becomes unstable

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[17]: # Initialize system
    t = 0.0
    x = np.linspace(0,L,N+1)
    psi = np.zeros(N+1)
    dpsi = np.zeros(N+1)
    dpsi = C * x * (L - x) / L**2 * np.exp(-(x - d)**2 / (2*sigma**2))

[18]: plt.clf()
    tfinal = 0.098
    steps = int(tfinal/h)
    nplots = 5
    nev = steps // nplots
    fig, ax = plt.subplots(2,1)
    ax[0].set_ylabel(r'$\phi$')
    ax[1].set_ylabel(r'$\psi$')
    ax[1].set_xlabel('Position [m]')
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for n in range(steps):
    if (n % nev == 0 and n > 0) or n == steps-1:
        ax[0].plot(x, psi, c='C%d' % ((n//nev) % 10), ls='-', label = f't =_
        * {n*h:.3f} s')
        ax[1].plot(x, dpsi, c='C%d' % ((n//nev) % 10), ls=':')
        psi, dpsi = psi + h*dpsi, dpsi + h*f(psi)
        ax[0].legend(loc='best', ncol=2, fontsize=10)
    plt.show()
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### 3.4 Just for fun: example with an animation

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[]: %matplotlib widget
  from matplotlib import animation
  from IPython import display

[]: # Initialize system
  t = 0.0
  x = np.linspace(0,L,N+1)
  psi = np.zeros(N+1)
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dpsi = np.zeros(N+1)
#x0,x1 = int(0.2*N), int(0.3*N)
#dpsi[x0:x1] = 1.0
dpsi = C * x * (L - x) / L**2 * np.exp(-(x - d)**2 / (2*sigma**2))
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[]: show_every = 1000
     # Initialize plot
     fig = plt.figure()
     ax = plt.axes(xlim=(0,L), ylim=(-1e-3,1e-3))
     line, = ax.plot([], [], lw=2)
     ax.set_xlabel('x [m]')
     ax.set_ylabel('Displacement [m]')
     title = ax.set_title('Time = %g s' % (t))
     def initialize_plot():
         global psi, dpsi
         line.set_data([], [])
         title.set_text("")
         return line, title
     def update_plot(n):
         global psi, dpsi, h, t
         psi, dpsi = psi + h*dpsi, dpsi + h*f(psi)
         t += h
         if n % show_every == 0: # Show every Nth timestep
             line.set_data(x, psi)
             title.set_text('cycle = %d, Time = %g s' % (n, t))
             ax.set_ylim(-1e-3, 1e-3)
         return (line, title)
     anim = animation.FuncAnimation(fig, update_plot, init_func=initialize_plot,
                                    frames=steps, blit=True, interval=1, __
      →repeat=False)
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[ ]: plt.close()
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