

## ASSIGNMENT 1

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Question : To solve following PDE with hat function and MATLAB.

$-u'' + u = f$  with boundary conditions  $u(0) = 0$  and  $u'(1) = 0$  in the interval  $(0,1)$

- We have  $p = q = 1$  and let us take  $f = 1$  so the weak formulation is to find  $u$  such that  $u(0) = 0$  and

$$\int_0^1 u'v' + uv \, dx$$

for all  $v$  with  $v(0) = 0$

- For finding solution of given PDE we have to find  $Q$  in  $KQ = F$ . Let us first find load matrix  $F$  element by element.

$$\psi_i = \frac{x - x_{i-1}}{x_i - x_{i-1}} \quad x_{i-1} \leq x \leq x_i$$

$$\psi_i = \frac{x_{i+1} - x}{x_{i+1} - x_i} \quad x_i \leq x \leq x_{i+1}$$

$$\psi_i = 0 \quad \text{otherwise}$$

$$f_1^i = \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} \psi_{i-1} dx = \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} \frac{x_i - x}{x_i - x_{i-1}} dx = \frac{x_i - x}{2}$$

$$f_2^i = \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} \psi_i dx = \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} \frac{x - x_{i-1}}{x_i - x_{i-1}} dx = \frac{x_i - x}{2}$$

where  $f_i$  is element load vector. Following up we get:

$$f_0 = \int_0^1 \psi_0 dx = \int_{x_0}^{x_1} \psi_0 dx = f_1^1$$

$$f_1 = \int_0^1 \psi_1 dx = \int_{x_0}^{x_1} \psi_1 dx + \int_{x_1}^{x_2} \psi_1 dx = f_2^1 + f_1^2$$

and so on. At end we get:

$$F = \begin{pmatrix} f_1^1 \\ f_2^1 + f_1^2 \\ f_2^2 + f_1^3 \\ \vdots \\ f_2^N - 1 + f_1^N \\ f_2^N \end{pmatrix}$$

Hence we now have our load matrix F.

- Now let us find element stiffness matrix K.

$$K_{1,1}^i = \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} \psi'_{i-1} \psi'_{i-1} + \psi_{i-1} \psi_{i-1} dx$$

$$K_{1,2}^i = \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} \psi'_i \psi'_{i-1} + \psi_i \psi_{i-1} dx$$

$$K_{2,1}^i = \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} \psi'_{i-1} \psi'_i + \psi_{i-1} \psi_i dx$$

$$K_{2,2}^i = \int_{x_{i-1}}^{x_i} \psi'_i \psi'_i + \psi_i \psi_i dx$$

which gives us

$$K^i = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{x_i - x_{i-1}} & \frac{-1}{x_i - x_{i-1}} \\ \frac{-1}{x_i - x_{i-1}} & \frac{1}{x_i - x_{i-1}} \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} x_i - x_{i-1} & x_i - x_{i-1} \\ x_i - x_{i-1} & x_i - x_{i-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

also in general:

$$K_{j,j} = \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_i} (\psi'_j)^2 + (\psi_j)^2 dx = K_{2,2}^j + K_{1,1}^{j+1}$$

$$K_{j,j-1} = \int_{x_{j-1}}^{x_i} \psi'_{j-1} \psi'_j + \psi_{j-1} \psi_j dx = K_{2,1}^j$$

Hence we get our matrix K:

$$K = \begin{pmatrix} K_{1,1}^1 & K_{1,2}^1 & & & \\ K_{2,1}^1 & K_{2,2}^1 + K_{1,1}^2 & K_{1,2}^2 & & \\ & & \ddots & & \\ & & & K_{2,2}^{N-1} + K_{1,1}^N & K_{1,2}^N \\ & & & K_{2,1}^N & a_{2,2}^N \end{pmatrix}$$

- Now we will use boundary conditions. Since we need  $u_h(0) = 0$  and our test function must satisfy  $v_h(0) = 0$  we will remove first row and first column from matrix K and first row of load matrix F.
- Since we have all the things required to get solution U. We will solve  $KQ = f$  using matlab. The code and graphs produced:

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% solve -u'' + u = 1 on (0,1) with u(0)=0 and u(1)=0 using FEM
N=4; % number of elements
x=linspace(0,1,N+1); % set up mesh
h=1/N; % h=constant mesh size
K=zeros(N+1,N+1); % set up empty stiffness matrix
F=zeros(N+1,1); % set up global load vector
for i=1:N % loop over elements
    Ktemp = [1 -1;-1 1]/h + [1 1;1 1]h; % compute entries in element stiffness matrix
    Ftemp = [h/2;h/2]; % compute entries in element load vector
    K(i:i+1,i:i+1)=K(i:i+1,i:i+1)+Ktemp; % add to global stiffness matrix
    f(i:i+1)=f(i:i+1)+Ftemp; % add to global load vector
end
K(1,:)=[]; % apply Dirichlet boundary condition by
K(:,1)=[]; % removing first row and column of stiffness matrix
f(1)=[]; % and first row of load vector
U=K\F; % compute solution to matrix problem
U=[0;U]; % add value at x=0 to solution vector
plot(x,U,'rx-') % plot solution
disp(U)
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- For  $N = 4$  we get U as:

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0.0956 \\ 0.1500 \\ 0.1778 \\ 0.1863 \end{pmatrix}$$

- For  $N = 5$  we get U as:

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0.0798 \\ 0.1312 \\ 0.1628 \\ 0.1799 \\ 0.1853 \end{pmatrix}$$

- For  $N = 6$  we get  $U$  as:

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0.0685 \\ 0.1162 \\ 0.1486 \\ 0.1694 \\ 0.1810 \\ 0.1847 \end{pmatrix}$$