

finite difference:

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$$u(x+h) = u(x) + hu'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2} u''(x) + \dots$$

$$u(x-h) = u(x) - hu'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2} u''(x) + \dots$$

FORWARD

$$u(x+h) = u(x) + hu'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2} u''(x) + \dots$$

Truncate

$$u(x+h) \approx u(x) + hu'(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{u'(x) \approx \frac{u(x+h) - u(x)}{h}}$$

for small h .

BACKWARD

$$u(x-h) = u(x) - hu'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2} u''(x) + \dots$$

Truncate

$$\Rightarrow u(x-h) \approx u(x) - hu'(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{u'(x) \approx \frac{u(x) - u(x-h)}{h}}$$

CENTRAL

$$\begin{array}{rcl} u(x+h) & = & u(x) + hu'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2} u''(x) + \dots \\ - u(x-h) & = & -u(x) + hu'(x) - \frac{h^2}{2} u''(x) + \dots \\ \hline & & + \end{array}$$

Truncate

$$u(x+h) - u(x-h) \approx 2h u'(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{u'(x) \approx \frac{u(x+h) - u(x-h)}{2h}}$$

2nd order

$$u(x+h) = u(x) + hu'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2} u''(x) + \dots$$

$$u(x-h) = u(x) - hu'(x) + \frac{h^2}{2} u''(x) + \dots$$

$$u(x+h) + u(x-h) \approx 2u(x) + \frac{h^2}{2} u''(x)$$

$$2) \quad u''(x) \approx \frac{u(x+h) - 2u(x) + u(x-h)}{h^2}$$

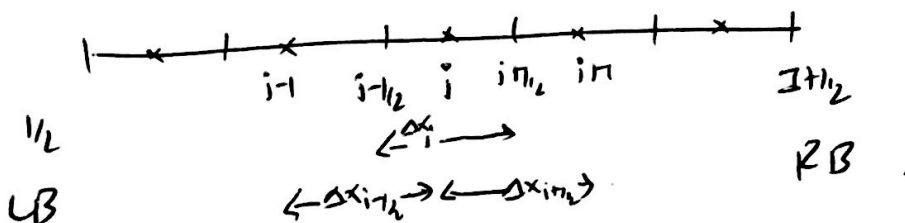
Now discretize diff eq.

$$-\frac{\partial}{\partial x} D \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \epsilon_a \phi = S$$

$$LB \rightarrow \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = 0$$

$$RB \rightarrow \phi = 0$$

We discretize into N nodes (cell centers) so N+1 edges.



Evaluate everything at cell centers (i)

$$\left[-\frac{\partial}{\partial x} D \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} + \epsilon_a \phi = S \right]_i$$

$$\left[-\frac{\partial}{\partial x} D \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \right]_i = \frac{D_{i+1/2} \left[\frac{\phi_{i+1} - \phi_i}{\Delta x_{i+1/2}} \right] - D_{i-1/2} \left[\frac{\phi_i - \phi_{i-1}}{\Delta x_{i-1/2}} \right]}{\Delta x_i}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left. \frac{\partial}{\partial x} D \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \right|_i = \frac{D_{i+1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i+1/2}} [\phi_{i+1}] - \left[\frac{D_{i+1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i+1/2}} + \frac{D_{i-1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i-1/2}} \right] [\phi_i] \quad (2)$$

$$+ \frac{D_{i-1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i-1/2}} [\phi_{i-1}]$$

$$\Rightarrow - \left. \frac{\partial}{\partial x} D \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \right|_i = [\phi_{i+1}] \left(- \frac{D_{i+1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i+1/2}} \right) + [\phi_i] \left(\frac{D_{i+1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i+1/2}} + \frac{D_{i-1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i-1/2}} \right)$$

$$+ [\phi_{i-1}] \left(- \frac{D_{i-1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i-1/2}} \right)$$

$$[\Sigma_a \phi]_i = \Sigma_a i \phi_i$$

$$[S]_i = S_i$$

\Rightarrow Eqn evaluated at i \leftarrow for arbitrary interior nodes.

$$[\phi_{i-1}] \left(- \frac{D_{i-1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i-1/2}} \right) + [\phi_i] \left(\frac{D_{i-1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i-1/2}} + \frac{D_{i+1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i+1/2}} + \Sigma_a i \right)$$

$$+ [\phi_{i+1}] \left(- \frac{D_{i+1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i+1/2}} \right) = S_i$$

Boundary nodes -

Left Boundary \rightarrow Neumann $\frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} = 0$

$$[E\phi]_i = E_{ai} \phi_i$$

$$[S]_i = S_i$$

$$\left[\frac{\partial}{\partial x} D \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \right]_i = \frac{D_{i+1/2} \left. \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \right|_{i+1/2} - D_{i-1/2} \left. \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \right|_{i-1/2}}{\Delta x_i}$$

$$= \frac{D_{i+1/2} \left[\frac{\phi_{i+1} - \phi_i}{\Delta x_{i+1/2}} \right] - D_{i-1/2} \left[\frac{\phi_i - \phi_{i-1/2}}{\frac{\Delta x_{i-1/2}}{2}} \right]}{\Delta x_i} \rightarrow 0$$

we do forward difference here

$$= \frac{D_{i+1/2} [\phi_{i+1} - \phi_i]}{\Delta x_{i+1/2} \Delta x_i}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{we have, } [\phi_i] \left(\frac{D_{i+1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i+1/2}} + E_{ai} \right) + [\phi_{i+1}] \left(-\frac{D_{i+1/2}}{\Delta x_i \Delta x_{i+1/2}} \right) = S_i$$

for right boundary - Dirichlet $\phi = 0$ at x_L

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$$[\Sigma_a \phi]_i = \phi_i \Sigma_{a,i}$$

$$[S]_i = S_i$$

$$\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} D \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \phi \right)_i = \frac{D \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \Big|_{i+\Delta x/2} - D \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \Big|_{i-\Delta x/2}}{\Delta x_i}$$

$$= \frac{D_{i+\Delta x/2} \left[\phi_{i+\Delta x/2} - \phi_i \right] \frac{1}{\frac{\Delta x_{i+\Delta x/2}}{2}} - D_{i-\Delta x/2} \left(\frac{\phi_i - \phi_{i-1}}{\Delta x_{i-1/2}} \right)}{\Delta x_i}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{2 D_{i+\Delta x/2} (-\phi_i)}{\Delta x_{i+\Delta x/2}} - D_{i-\Delta x/2} \left(\frac{\phi_i - \phi_{i-1}}{\Delta x_{i-1/2}} \right)}{\Delta x_i}$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\phi_{i-1} \left(\frac{-D_{i-\Delta x/2}}{\Delta x_{i-\Delta x/2} \Delta x_i} \right) + \phi_i \left(\frac{2 D_{i+\Delta x/2}}{\Delta x_{i+\Delta x/2} \Delta x_i} + \frac{D_{i-\Delta x/2}}{\Delta x_{i-\Delta x/2} \Delta x_i} + \Sigma_{a,i} \right) \right]$$

$= S_i$

Then form a matrix.

$$\begin{bmatrix} i_{z1} \\ i_{z2} \dots \\ i_{zn} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \phi_1 \\ \vdots \\ \phi_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} s_1 \\ \vdots \\ s_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Solving matrix eqn returns soln.