

Exam 1 Cheatsheet

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Linearity

$$\begin{aligned}Lu &= f \\ L(cu) &= cL(u) \\ L(u + v) &= L(u) + L(v)\end{aligned}$$

Linear 1-O (Coefficients)

$$\begin{aligned}au_x + bu_y = 0 &\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{b}{a} \Rightarrow y = \frac{b}{a}x + c \\ c = ay - bx &\Rightarrow u(x, y) = f(bx - ay)\end{aligned}$$

Transport Equation

$$\begin{aligned}u_t + cu_x = 0 &\Rightarrow u(x, t) = f(x - ct) \\ \text{Initial condition: } u(x, 0) = \phi(x) &\Rightarrow u(x, t) = \phi(x - ct)\end{aligned}$$

Classification of 2-O

$$\begin{aligned}0 &= a_{11}u_{xx} + 2a_{12}u_{xy} + a_{22}u_{yy} + LO \\ D &= a_{12}^2 - a_{11}a_{22} \text{ and change vars } (x, y) \rightarrow (\xi, \eta) \\ \text{Elliptic: } D < 0 &\Rightarrow \partial_\xi^2 u + \partial_\eta^2 u + LO = 0 \\ \text{Parabolic: } D = 0 &\Rightarrow \partial_\xi^2 u + LO = 0 \\ \text{Hyperbolic: } D > 0 &\Rightarrow \partial_\xi^2 u - \partial_\eta^2 u + LO = 0\end{aligned}$$

Useful Formulae

$$\begin{aligned}\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\lambda z^2} dz &= \sqrt{\frac{\pi}{\lambda}} \quad \lambda > 0 \\ \mathcal{E}rf(x) &= \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^x e^{-z^2} dz \\ \text{Fourier Transform: } \hat{\phi}(\xi) &= \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-i\xi x} \phi(x) dx \\ \text{Inverse Fourier Transform: } f(x) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{i\xi x} \hat{f}(\xi) d\xi \\ \int_{-l}^l f(x) dx &= \begin{cases} 0 & f \text{ is odd} \\ 2 \int_0^l f(x) dx & f \text{ is even} \end{cases} \\ \sin(x + y) &= \sin(x) \cos(y) + \cos(x) \sin(y) \\ \cos(x + y) &= \cos(x) \cos(y) - \sin(x) \sin(y)\end{aligned}$$

Wave Equation

General Solution

$$u_{tt} - c^2 u_{xx} = 0 \quad -\infty < x < \infty$$
$$u(x, t) = f(x + ct) + g(x - ct)$$

IVP Solution

$$u_{tt} - c^2 u_{xx} = 0 \quad u(x, 0) = \phi(x) \quad u_t(x, 0) = \psi(x)$$

d'Alembert's Formula: $u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2}[\phi(x + ct) + \phi(x - ct)] + \frac{1}{2c} \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} \psi(s) ds$

IVP & Forcing Solution

$$u_{tt} - c^2 u_{xx} = f(x, t) \quad u(x, 0) = \phi(x) \quad u_t(x, 0) = \psi(x)$$
$$u(x, t) = v(x, t) + w(x, t) \quad v \text{ is IVP sol, } w \text{ is forcing sol}$$
$$v(x, t) = \text{d'Alembert's formula}$$
$$w(x, t) = \frac{1}{2c} \int_0^t \int_{x-c(t-s)}^{x+c(t-s)} f(y, s) dy ds$$
$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{2}[\phi(x + ct) + \phi(x - ct)] + \frac{1}{2c} \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} \psi(s) ds + \frac{1}{2c} \int_0^t \int_{x-c(t-s)}^{x+c(t-s)} f(y, s) dy ds$$

Half Line

$$u_{tt} - c^2 u_{xx} = 0 \quad u(x, 0) = \phi(x) \quad u_t(x, 0) = \psi(x)$$
$$u(0, t) = 0 \quad 0 < x < \infty$$

Extend ϕ, ψ oddly $\Rightarrow \phi_{\text{odd}}, \psi_{\text{odd}}$

We then have two cases: $u(x, t) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}[\phi(x + ct) + \phi(x - ct)] + \frac{1}{2c} \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} \psi(s) ds & 0 < ct < x \\ \frac{1}{2}[\phi(x + ct) - \phi(ct - x)] + \frac{1}{2c} \int_{ct-x}^{x+ct} \psi(s) ds & 0 < x < ct \end{cases}$

Interval

$$u_{tt} - c^2 u_{xx} = 0 \quad 0 < x < l \quad t > 0$$
$$u(x, 0) = \phi(x) \quad u_t(x, 0) = \psi(x) \quad u(0, t) = u(l, t) = 0 \quad t > 0$$
$$u(x, t) = X(x)T(t) \Rightarrow XT'' = c^2 X''T \Rightarrow \frac{T''}{c^2 T} = \frac{X''}{X} = -\lambda$$
$$= \begin{cases} X'' + \lambda X = 0 & X(0) = X(l) = 0 \\ T'' + \lambda c^2 T = 0 \end{cases}$$
$$\lambda > 0 \Rightarrow \lambda = \mu^2 \quad \mu > 0$$
$$X(x) = c_1 \cos(\mu x) + c_2 \sin(\mu x) \quad c_1 = 0$$
$$X(x) = c_2 \sin(\mu x) \Rightarrow X(l) = 0 = c_2 \sin(\mu l) \quad \mu l = n\pi \Rightarrow \mu = \frac{n\pi}{l}$$
$$X_n(x) = \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right)$$
$$T_n(t) = A_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi ct}{l}\right) + B_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi ct}{l}\right)$$
$$u_n(x, t) = \left[A_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi ct}{l}\right) + B_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi ct}{l}\right) \right] \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right)$$

Heat Diffusion Equation

IVP Solution

$$\begin{aligned}
 u_t - ku_{xx} &= 0 \quad -\infty < x < \infty \quad t > 0 \\
 u(x, 0) &= \phi(x) \\
 u(x, t) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi kt}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{1}{4kt}(x-y)^2} \phi(y) dy \quad (\text{Physical Solution}) \\
 u(x, t) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{i\xi x} e^{-\xi^2 t} \hat{\phi}(\xi) d\xi \quad (\text{Spectral Solution})
 \end{aligned}$$

IVP & Forcing Solution

$$\begin{aligned}
 u_t - ku_{xx} &= f(x, t) \quad -\infty < x < \infty \quad t > 0 \\
 u(x, 0) &= \phi(x) \quad u(x, t) = v(x, t) + w(x, t) \\
 u(x, t) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi kt}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{1}{4kt}(x-y)^2} \phi(y) dy + \int_0^t \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi k(t-\tau)}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} e^{-\frac{1}{4k(t-\tau)}(x-y)^2} f(y, \tau) dy d\tau
 \end{aligned}$$

Extra u Term

$$\begin{aligned}
 u_t - ku_{xx} + c(t)u &= f(x, t) \quad -\infty < x < \infty \quad t > 0 \\
 u(x, 0) &= \phi(x) \quad u(x, t) = v(t)w(x, t)
 \end{aligned}$$

Then 2 equations: $\begin{cases} w_t - kw_{xx} = f(x, t) \\ v' + c(t)v = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{matrix} w \text{ from other solution} \\ v(t) = e^{-\int c(t)dt} \end{matrix}$

Half Line

$$\begin{aligned}
 u_t - ku_{xx} &= 0 \quad 0 < x < \infty \quad t > 0 \\
 u(x, 0) &= \phi(x) \quad 0 < x < \infty \quad u(0, t) = 0 \quad t > 0
 \end{aligned}$$

Extend ϕ oddly: $\phi_{\text{odd}}(x) = \begin{cases} \phi(x) & x > 0 \\ 0 & x = 0 \\ -\phi(-x) & x < 0 \end{cases}$

$$u(x, t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\pi kt}} \int_0^{\infty} \left[e^{-\frac{1}{4kt}(x-y)^2} - e^{-\frac{1}{4kt}(x+y)^2} \right] \phi(y) dy$$

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 u(x, 0) &= \phi(x) \quad 0 < x < l \quad u(0, t) = u(l, t) = 0 \quad t > 0 \\
 u(x, t) &= X(x)T(t) \Rightarrow XT' = kX''T \Rightarrow \frac{T'}{kT} = \frac{X''}{X} = -\lambda \\
 &= \begin{cases} X'' + \lambda X = 0 & X(0) = X(l) = 0 \\ T' + \lambda kT = 0 \end{cases} \\
 \lambda > 0 &\Rightarrow \lambda = \mu^2 \quad \mu > 0 \\
 X(x) &= c_1 \cos(\mu x) + c_2 \sin(\mu x) \quad c_1 = 0 \\
 X(x) &= c_2 \sin(\mu x) \Rightarrow X(l) = 0 = c_2 \sin(\mu l) \quad \mu l = n\pi \Rightarrow \mu = \frac{n\pi}{l} \\
 X_n(x) &= \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) \quad T_n(t) = e^{-\lambda kt} = e^{-\left(\frac{n\pi}{l}\right)^2 kt} \\
 u_n(x, t) &= B_n e^{-\left(\frac{n\pi}{l}\right)^2 kt} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

Fourier Series

General Formula

$$\text{Fourier Series: } f(x) = \frac{1}{2}A_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[A_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) + B_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) \right]$$

$$\text{Fourier Coefficients: } = \begin{cases} A_n &= \frac{1}{l} \int_{-l}^l f(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx & n = 0, 1, 2, \dots \\ B_n &= \frac{1}{l} \int_{-l}^l f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx & n = 1, 2, \dots \end{cases}$$

Even/Odd f

$$f \text{ is even: } \begin{cases} A_n = \frac{2}{l} \int_0^l f(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx \\ B_n = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$f \text{ is odd: } \begin{cases} A_n = 0 \\ B_n = \frac{2}{l} \int_0^l f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) dx \end{cases}$$