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HW 13

Lesson 7 problem 3. Solve the IC. Note the questions about steady state behavior.

$$PDE \qquad \qquad u_t = u_{xx} \qquad \qquad 0 < x < 1 \qquad \qquad 0 < t < \infty$$
 
$$BCs \qquad \begin{cases} u_x(0,t) = 0 \\ u_x(1,t) = 0 \end{cases} \qquad \qquad 0 < t < \infty$$
 
$$IC \qquad \qquad u(x,0) = x \qquad \qquad 0 \le x \le 1$$

$$\lambda_n = n\pi$$

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{-\lambda_n^2 t} \cos(\lambda_n x)$$

$$u(x,0) = x = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos(\lambda_n x)$$

$$\int_0^1 \xi \cos(\lambda_m \xi) d\xi = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \int_0^1 \cos(\lambda_n \xi) \cos(\lambda_m \xi) d\xi$$

Because  $\{\cos(\lambda_i x)\}_{0 \le i \le n}$  are orthogonal functions we can convert the above equation into the following.

$$\int_0^1 \xi \cos(\lambda_m \xi) d\xi = a_m \int_0^1 \cos(\lambda_m \xi)^2 d\xi$$
$$= a_m \cdot \frac{\sin(2\lambda_m) + 2\lambda_m}{4\lambda_m}$$
$$= a_m \frac{\lambda_m + \sin(\lambda_m) \cos(\lambda_m)}{2\lambda_m}$$

Recall that we discovered in HW 12 that  $sin(\lambda) = 0$ 

$$= \frac{a_m}{2}$$

$$a_n = 2 \int_0^1 \xi \cos(\lambda_n \xi) \, \mathrm{d}\xi$$

$$= 2 \left[ \frac{\lambda_n x \sin(\lambda_n x) + \cos(\lambda_n x)}{\lambda_n^2} \right]_0^1$$

$$= 2 \left[ \frac{\lambda_n 1 \sin(\lambda_n 1) + \cos(\lambda_n 1)}{\lambda_n^2} - \frac{\lambda_n 0 \sin(\lambda_n 0) + \cos(\lambda_n 0)}{\lambda_n^2} \right]_0^1$$

$$= 2 \left[ \frac{\cos(\lambda_n)}{\lambda_n^2} - \frac{1}{\lambda_n^2} \right] = 2 \left[ \frac{\cos(\lambda_n) - 1}{\lambda_n^2} \right]$$

$$= 2 \left[ \frac{\cos(n\pi) - 1}{(n\pi)^2} \right]$$

$$= \frac{2((-1)^n - 1)}{(n\pi)^2}$$

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^\infty \frac{2((-1)^n - 1)}{(n\pi)^2} e^{-(n\pi)^2 t} \cos(n\pi x)$$