

## Review Exam # 2, Math 4354 Chapter 11.4, 12.1-12.5

**Topics: Eigenvalue Problems:** Find eigenvalues  $\lambda$  (negative, positive, or zero) and nonzero eigenfunctions  $X_n(x)$  of a second-order linear ODE with two HOMOGENEOUS boundary conditions.

I.  $X'' + \lambda X = 0, 0 < x < L, X(0) = 0, X(L) = 0, X_n(x) = \sin(\sqrt{\lambda_n}x), \lambda_n = \left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2, n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

II.  $X'' + \lambda X = 0, 0 < x < L, X(0) = 0, X'(L) = 0, X_n(x) = \sin(\sqrt{\lambda_n}x), \lambda_n = \left(\frac{2n-1}{2L}\pi\right)^2, n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

III.  $X'' + \lambda X = 0, 0 < x < L, X'(0) = 0, X(L) = 0, X_n(x) = \cos(\sqrt{\lambda_n}x), \lambda_n = \left(\frac{2n-1}{2L}\pi\right)^2, n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$

IV.  $X'' + \lambda X = 0, 0 < x < L, X'(0) = 0, X'(L) = 0, X_n(x) = \cos(\sqrt{\lambda_n}x), \lambda_n = \left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2, n = 0, 1, 2, 3, \dots$

The set of eigenfunctions  $\{X_n(x)\}$  is orthogonal on  $[0, L], \int_0^L X_n(x)X_m(x) dx = 0$  for  $m \neq n$ .

**Boundary value problems:** Linear second-order PDE in  $u(x, y) : Au_{xx} + Bu_{xy} + Cu_{yy} + Du_x + Eu_y + Fu = G$  where  $A, B, C, D, E, F,$  and  $G$  are functions of  $x$  and  $y$ . The linear PDE is **homogeneous** if  $G = 0$ . To classify the 2nd order PDE only the coefficients of the second-order derivatives are important:  $A, B, C$ :

$$Au_{xx} + Bu_{xy} + Cu_{yy} + \dots = 0$$

**hyperbolic** if  $B^2 - 4AC > 0$ , **parabolic** if  $B^2 - 4AC = 0$  or **elliptic** if  $B^2 - 4AC < 0$ .

**Separation of Variables** for  $u(x, y)$ , assume  $u(x, y) = X(x)Y(y)$  and separate variable to solve two ODE problems. The solutions are called separable solutions or product solutions. Superposition of all solutions of a homogeneous linear PDE (linear combination of solutions) yields a general solution,  $u(x, y) = \sum c_n u_n(x, y) = \sum X_n(x)Y_n(y)$ .

**Heat Equation:**  $u_t = k u_{xx}, 0 < x < L, t > 0$ . Solution  $u(x, t)$  is the temperature of a rod of length  $L$  where the lateral surface is insulated (no heat flux from the sides),  $k > 0$  is thermal diffusivity, a parabolic PDE. Applying separation of variables,  $u(x, t) = X(x)T(t) : T' + \lambda k T = 0$  and  $X'' + \lambda X = 0$ .

$$u(x, t) = c_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n e^{-\lambda_n k t} X_n(x)$$

For example, Dirichlet BC:  $u(0, t) = 0 = u(L, t), u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n e^{-(n\pi/L)^2 k t} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)$

The coefficients  $c_n$  depend on initial temperature,  $u(x, 0) = f(x)$ , and sometimes can be found by "matching coefficients". Otherwise

$$c_0 = \frac{1}{L} \int_0^L f(x) dx, c_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) X_n(x) dx, n = 1, 2, \dots$$

**Wave equation:**  $u_{tt} = a^2 u_{xx}, 0 < x < L, t > 0$ . Solution  $u(x, t)$  is the displacement from zero of a string at position  $x$  and time  $t$ , hyperbolic PDE. Separation of variables  $u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$  yields two ODEs:  $T'' + a^2 \lambda T = 0, X'' + \lambda X = 0, \lambda = \alpha^2$ .

$$u(x, t) = a_0 + b_0 t + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [a_n \cos(\sqrt{\lambda_n} t) + b_n \sin(a\sqrt{\lambda_n} t)] X_n(x)$$

The coefficients  $a_n$  and  $b_n$  are calculated from initial position and initial velocity,  $u(x, 0) = f(x)$  and  $u_t(x, 0) = g(x)$ , and sometimes can be found by "matching coefficients" or

$$a_0 = \frac{1}{L} \int_0^L f(x) dx, a_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) X_n(x) dx, n = 1, 2, \dots$$

$$b_0 = \frac{1}{L} \int_0^L g(x) dx, b_n a \sqrt{\lambda_n} = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L g(x) X_n(x) dx, n = 1, 2, \dots$$

**Laplace's equation:**  $u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0, 0 < x < b, 0 < y < c$ . Solution  $u(x, y)$  is the steady-state temperature on a rectangular plate, elliptic PDE. The solution from separation of variables  $u(x, y) = X(x)Y(y)$  gives either  $X'' + \lambda X = 0, Y'' - \lambda Y = 0$  or  $Y'' + \lambda Y = 0, X'' - \lambda X = 0$ , to yield one of the forms:

$$u(x, y) = a_0 + b_0 y + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [a_n \cosh(\sqrt{\lambda_n} y) + b_n \sinh(\sqrt{\lambda_n} y)] X_n(x) \text{ or } u(x, y) = a_0 + b_0 x + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [a_n \cosh(\sqrt{\lambda_n} x) + b_n \sinh(\sqrt{\lambda_n} x)] Y_n(y)$$

where either  $X_n(x)$  or  $Y_n(y)$  are calculated from HOMOGENEOUS BCs (see eigenfunctions above). The coefficients  $a_n$  and  $b_n$  are calculated from the NONhomogeneous BCs and sometimes can be found by "matching coefficients". Otherwise, coefficients can be found using the orthogonality of the eigenfunctions.

**NOTE:**  $c_0 = 0, a_0 = 0, b_0 = 0$  in cases I, II, III. Only in case IV, they may be nonzero because  $\lambda_0 = 0, X_0(x) = 1$ .

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Practice Problems:

- Solve the heat, wave, or Laplace's equation. Express the coefficients in terms of  $f(x)$  and  $g(x)$  in (d).
  - $u_t = 4u_{xx}$ ,  $0 < x < \pi$ ,  $u_x(0,t) = 0 = u_x(\pi,t)$ ,  $t > 0$  and  $u(x,0) = 3 + 5\cos(2x)$ ,  $0 < x < \pi$ .
  - $u_{tt} = u_{xx}$ ,  $0 < x < 1$ ,  $u(0,t) = 0 = u(1,t)$ ,  $t > 0$ ,  $u(x,0) = 4\sin(\pi x)$  and  $u_t(x,0) = 6\sin(2\pi x)$ ,  $0 < x < 1$ .
  - $u_{xx} + u_{yy} = 0$ ,  $0 < x < 1$ ,  $0 < y < 1$ ,  $u(0,y) = 0 = u(1,y)$ ,  $0 < y < 1$ ,  $u(x,0) = 7\sin(\pi x) - \sin(3\pi x)$  and  $u(x,1) = 0$ ,  $0 < x < 1$ .
  - $u_{tt} = u_{xx}$ ,  $0 < x < 1$ ,  $u(0,t) = 0 = u_x(1,t)$ ,  $t > 0$ ,  $u(x,0) = f(x)$  and  $u_t(x,0) = g(x)$ ,  $0 < x < 1$ .
- Solve the heat equation  $u_t = u_{xx}$ ,  $0 < x < \pi$  for  $u(0,t) = 0 = u(\pi,t)$ ,  $t > 0$ , and  $u(x,0) = 2$ ,  $0 < x < \pi$ .
- The solution of the wave equation  $u_{tt} = u_{xx}$  on  $0 < x < \pi$ ,  $t > 0$  is  $u(x,t) = 4\sin(3t/2)\cos(3x/2)$ . Find the homogeneous boundary conditions at  $x = 0$  and  $x = \pi$  and the initial position and initial velocity  $u(x,0)$ ,  $u_t(x,0)$ .

Exam 3

1 (a)  $k=4$ ,  $T'+4\lambda T=0$ ,  $X''+\lambda X=0$ ,  $X(0)=0=X'(\pi)$   $\lambda_n = \left(\frac{n\pi}{\pi}\right)^2 = n^2$ ,  $n=0,1,2,\dots$   $X_n(x) = \cos(nx)$ ,  $n=0,1,2,\dots$   
 $L=\pi$   $T=e^{-4\lambda t}$

\*  $u(x,t) = c_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n e^{-4(n^2)t} \cos(nx) = c_0 + c_1 e^{-4t} \cos(x) + c_2 e^{-4(4)t} \cos(2x) + c_3 e^{-4(9)t} \cos(3x) + \dots$   
 $u(x,0) = c_0 + c_1 \cos(x) + c_2 \cos(2x) + c_3 \cos(3x) + \dots = 3 + 5\cos(2x) \Rightarrow c_0 = 3, c_1 = 0, c_2 = 5, c_n = 0, n \geq 3$

$u(x,t) = 3 + 5e^{-16t} \cos(2x)$

(b)  $a^2=1$   $T''+\lambda T=0$ ,  $X''+\lambda X=0$   $X(0)=0=X(1)$ ,  $\lambda_n = \left(\frac{n\pi}{1}\right)^2 = (n\pi)^2$ ,  $n=1,2,\dots$ ,  $X_n(x) = \sin(n\pi x)$ ,  $n=1,2,\dots$   
 $L=1$   $T=c_1 \cos(n\pi t) + c_2 \sin(n\pi t)$

\*  $u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [a_n \cos(n\pi t) + b_n \sin(n\pi t)] \sin(n\pi x)$   
 $u(x,0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \sin(n\pi x) = 4\sin(\pi x) \Rightarrow a_1 = 4, a_n = 0, n=2,3,\dots$   
 $u_t(x,0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n n\pi \cos(n\pi x) = 6\sin(2\pi x) \Rightarrow b_2 \cdot 2\pi = 6 \Rightarrow b_2 = \frac{3}{\pi}, b_n = 0, n \neq 2$   
 $u_t(x,0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n n\pi \sin(n\pi x) = 6\sin(2\pi x)$   
 $u(x,t) = 4\cos(\pi t)\sin(\pi x) + \frac{3}{\pi} \sin(2\pi t)\sin(2\pi x)$

(c)  $y''-\lambda y=0$   $x''+\lambda x=0$ ,  $x(0)=0$ ,  $x(\pi)=1$   $\lambda_n = \left(\frac{n\pi}{\pi}\right)^2 = n^2$ ,  $n=1,2,\dots$   $X_n(x) = \sin(n\pi x)$   
 $y = c_1 \cosh(\sqrt{\lambda} y) + c_2 \sinh(\sqrt{\lambda} y)$

\*  $u(x,y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [a_n \cosh(n\pi y) + b_n \sinh(n\pi y)] \sin(n\pi x)$   
 B.C  $u(x,0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \sin(n\pi x) = 7\sin(\pi x) - \sin(3\pi x) \Rightarrow a_1 = 7, a_3 = -1, a_n = 0, n \neq 1, 3$   
 $u(x,1) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [a_n \cosh(n\pi) + b_n \sinh(n\pi)] \sin(n\pi x) = 0$   $b_n = 0, n \neq 1, 3$   
 $\Rightarrow b_1 = -\frac{7 \cosh(\pi)}{\sinh(\pi)}$   $b_3 = \frac{\cosh(3\pi)}{\sinh(3\pi)}$

$u(x,y) = \left[ 7 \cosh(\pi y) - \frac{7 \cosh(\pi)}{\sinh(\pi)} \sinh(\pi y) \right] \sin(\pi x) + \left[ -\cosh(3\pi y) + \frac{\cosh(3\pi)}{\sinh(3\pi)} \sinh(3\pi y) \right] \sin(3\pi x)$

Exam 3 (d)  $a^2=1$   $L=1$

$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} [a_n \cos(\frac{2n-1}{2}\pi t) + b_n \sin(\frac{2n-1}{2}\pi t)] \sin(\frac{2n-1}{2}\pi x)$   
 $a_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^1 f(x) \sin(\frac{2n-1}{2}\pi x) dx$   $b_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^1 g(x) \sin(\frac{2n-1}{2}\pi x) dx$

3.  $u(x,t) = 4\sin(\frac{3t}{2})\cos(3x/2)$   $u_x(x,t) = -4\sin(\frac{3t}{2})\frac{3}{2}\sin(\frac{3x}{2})$   
 HOMOGENEOUS BC:  $u_x(0,t) = 0$   $u_x(\pi,t) = 0$  IC:  $u(x,0) = 0$   $u_t(x,0) = 6\cos(3x/2)$

#2 Heat equation,  $k=1$ ,  $L=\pi$ ,  $u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n e^{-n^2 t} \sin(nx)$ ,  $u(x,0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin(nx) = 2$

$\lambda_n = \left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2 = n^2$ ,  $n=1,2,\dots$

$X_n = \sin(nx)$

Use Fourier sine series  $c_n = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^{\pi} 2 \cdot \sin(nx) dx = \frac{4}{\pi} \left( \frac{\cos(nx)}{n} \right) \Big|_0^{\pi}$

$c_n = \frac{4}{n\pi} (\cos(n\pi) - 1) = \frac{4}{n\pi} (1 - (-1)^n)$

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{4}{n\pi} (1 - (-1)^n) e^{-n^2 t} \sin(nx)$$

