

Partial Differential Equations: $u_{xx} + u_{yy} + u_{zz} = 0$ $u_{tt} = c^2 u_{xx}$ Wave Eq.ⁿ
Laplace Equation

Let us define $p = z_x, q = z_y, r = z_{xx}, s = z_{xy}, t = z_{yy}$. $u_t = c^2 u_{xx}$ - heat Eq.ⁿ
P.d.E can be obtained by elimination of arbitrary constants or elimination of arbitrary functions.

(a) Let $x^2 + y^2 + (z-c)^2 = a^2$

$2x + 2(z-c) \frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 0$ --- (i)

$2y + 2(z-c) \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 0$ --- (ii)

Elimination of $(z-c)$ from both eqⁿs

$\Rightarrow xq - yp = 0$

(b) $z = f(x^2 + y^2)$

$p = z_x = 2xf', z_y = 2yf' = q$

$\Rightarrow \frac{p}{q} = \frac{x}{y}$

$xq - yp = 0$

Some definitions: The solution $f(x, y, z, a, b)$ of a first order p.d.e with two arbitrary constants is called a complete integral. The solution obtained by eliminating a and b is called particular integral. If we put $b = \phi(a)$, then find the envelop of family of surfaces $f[x, y, z, a, \phi(a)] = 0$ & called general integral.

Linear P.D. Eq: If it is in first degree in dependent variable and its partial derivatives.

Lagrange's First order Linear Equations: $Pp + Qq = R, P, Q, R$ are fⁿ of (x, y, z)

Solve $\frac{dx}{P} = \frac{dy}{Q} = \frac{dz}{R}$ known as subsidiary equations & $\phi(u, v) = 0$ or $u = f(v)$
 $\Rightarrow u = f(v)$

Note: If $\lambda P + \mu Q + \nu R = 0$ then $\lambda dx + \mu dy + \nu dz$ is integrable. λ, μ, ν are called Lagrange multipliers & can be taken as $\pm x, y, z$ $\pm 1/x, \pm 1/y, \pm 1/z$ or $dx \mp dy, dy \mp dz, dz \mp dx$ may be used.

Solve $(x^2 - yz)p + (y^2 - zx)q = (z^2 - xy)$

Answer: $\frac{dx}{P} = \frac{dy}{Q} = \frac{dz}{R}$, Performing

$\Rightarrow \frac{dx - dy}{(x^2 - yz) - (y^2 - zx)} = \frac{dy - dz}{y^2 - zx - (z^2 - xy)} = \frac{dz - dx}{z^2 - xy - (x^2 - yz)}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{dx - dy}{(x-y)(x+y+z)} = \frac{dy - dz}{(y-z)(x+y+z)} = \frac{dz - dx}{(z-x)(x+y+z)}$

$\Rightarrow \log(x-y) = \log(y-z) + \log C_1$

$\Rightarrow \frac{x-y}{y-z} = C_1$ first Solⁿ

$\Rightarrow \frac{y-z}{z-x} = C_2$ second Solⁿ

$\phi\left(\frac{x-y}{y-z}, \frac{y-z}{z-x}\right) = 0$

Solve $(mz - ny)p + (nx - lz)q = ly - mx$

Answer: $\frac{dx}{P} = \frac{dy}{Q} = \frac{dz}{R}$

Case (a) Using x, y, z as multipliers

$x dx + y dy + z dz$

$x(mz - ny) + y(nx - lz) + z(ly - mx)$
denominator is zero so.

$x dx + y dy + z dz = 0$ is integrable. So

$\frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{y^2}{2} + \frac{z^2}{2} = C$ --- (i)

(b) Similarly using l, m, n as multipliers, denominator is zero i.e

$l(mz - ny) + m(nx - lz) + n(ly - mx)$

$\Rightarrow lx + my + nz = C_2$ --- (ii)

$\phi(x^2 + y^2 + z^2, lx + my + nz) = 0$

Q. Solve $x(y-z)p + y(z-x)q = z(x-y)$

Answer

(i) $dx + dy + dz = 0 \Rightarrow x + y + z = c_1$

(ii) $\frac{dx}{y-z} + \frac{dy}{z-x} + \frac{dz}{x-y} = 0 \Rightarrow$

$\frac{dx}{x} + \frac{dy}{y} + \frac{dz}{z} = 0 \Rightarrow xyz = c_2$

Q. $(x^2 - y^2 - z^2)p + 2xyzq = 2xz$

$\frac{dx}{x^2 - y^2 - z^2} = \frac{dy}{2xy} = \frac{dz}{2xz}$

Last two gives $y/z = c_1$ — (i)

Now

$\frac{x dx + y dy + z dz}{x(x^2 + y^2 + z^2)} = \frac{dz}{2xz}$

$\Rightarrow \log(x^2 + y^2 + z^2) = \log z + \log c_2$

$\Rightarrow \phi(y/z, \frac{x^2 + y^2 + z^2}{z}) = 0$

Q. Solve

$x(z^2 - y^2)\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} + y(x^2 - z^2)\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = z(y^2 - x^2)$

Ans

Multiplicands x, y & z and

$\frac{1}{x}, \frac{1}{y}$ & $\frac{1}{z}$

Solution

$x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = c_1$ — (i)

& $\log x + \log y + \log z = c_2$ — (ii)

$\phi(x^2 + y^2 + z^2, xyz) = 0$

Solve $px(z - 2y^2) = (z - 9y)(z - y^2 - 2x^3)$

Ans $\Rightarrow \{x(z - 2y^2)\}p + \{y(z - y^2 - 2x^3)\}q = \{z(z - y^2 - 2x^3)\}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{x(z - 2y^2)} = \frac{dy}{y(z - y^2 - 2x^3)} = \frac{dz}{z(z - y^2 - 2x^3)}$

First solution is easy by taking last two relations.

For second solution: Take $\frac{dx}{x(z - 2y^2)} = \frac{dy}{y(z - y^2 - 2x^3)}$

Put $y = az \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{x(z - 2a^2z^2)} = \frac{dz}{z(z - a^2z^2 - 2x^3)}$

$\Rightarrow \frac{dx}{x(1 - 2a^2z)} = \frac{dz}{z}$

$(x dz - z dx) - a^2(2xz dz - z^2 dx) + 2x^3 dx = 0$

$\Rightarrow \frac{x dz - z dx}{x^2} - a^2 \frac{(2xz dz - z^2 dx)}{x^2} + 2x dx = 0$

$\Rightarrow \frac{z}{x} - a^2 \frac{z^2}{x} + x^2 = b$ Answer.

Partial differential equations: non linear

Forms (i) $f(p, q) = 0$ (ii) $f(z, p, q) = 0$ (iii) $f(x, p) = F(y, q)$ (iv) $z = px + qy + f(p, q)$ (v) Charpit's Method

Form 1: $f(p, q) = 0$ complete solution is given by $z = ax + by + c$ where we put $p = a$ and b is found by $f(a, b) = 0$.

Example solve $p^2 + q^2 = 1 \Rightarrow f(a, b) = a^2 + b^2 = 1 \Rightarrow b = \sqrt{1 - a^2}$, $p = a$ so solution is $z = ax + \sqrt{1 - a^2}y + c$.

Example solve $x^2 p^2 + y^2 q^2 = z^2$. For this $\left(\frac{x}{z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{y}{z} \frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right)^2 = 1$ --- (1)

Let $\frac{dx}{x} = du$, $\frac{dy}{y} = dv$, $\frac{dz}{z} = dw \Rightarrow u = \log x$, $v = \log y$, $w = \log z$.

From equation (1) we get $\left(\frac{dw}{du}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dw}{dv}\right)^2 = 1 \Rightarrow P^2 + Q^2 = 1$ whose

solution is by above form $\Rightarrow w = au + bv + c \Rightarrow a \log x + \sqrt{1 - a^2} \log y + c$ Ans.

Form 2: In this form we assume $z = \phi(y + ax) = \phi(u) \Rightarrow z_x = p = a \phi'(y + ax)$

$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial z}{\partial u} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = a \frac{dz}{du}$ --- (i)

and $z_y = q = \phi'(y + ax) = \frac{dz}{du}$ --- (ii)

We substitute these values in given differential equation.

Solve $z^2 = 1 + p^2 + q^2 \Rightarrow z^2 = 1 + a^2 \left(\frac{dz}{du}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{dz}{du}\right)^2 \Rightarrow z^2 - 1 = (a^2 + 1) \left(\frac{dz}{du}\right)^2$

$\Rightarrow \frac{dz}{du} = (a^2 + 1)^{1/2} \sqrt{z^2 - 1} \Rightarrow \frac{dz}{(z^2 - 1)^{1/2}} = (a^2 + 1)^{1/2} du + c \Rightarrow \cosh^{-1} z = Mu + c$

Solve $z^2 (p^2 x^2 + q^2) = 1$ Let we write $z^2 \left[\left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right)^2 \right] = 1$

change $\frac{\partial x}{x} = dx \Rightarrow \log x = X \Rightarrow z^2 \left\{ \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial X}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial y}\right)^2 \right\} = 1$. solve as above.

Form 3: Method Put $f_1(x, p) = f_2(y, q) = a$ put $dz = p dx + q dy$ and integrate.

Example: $q = xy p^2 \Rightarrow \frac{q}{y} = x p^2 = a$ (let) $\Rightarrow p = \sqrt{\frac{a}{x}}$, $q = ay$

so $dz = \sqrt{a/x} dx + ay dy \Rightarrow z = 2\sqrt{ax} + (1/2) ay^2 + c$ Ans.

Form 4: $z = px + qy + f(p, q)$, put $p = a$ & $b = q$ &

$z = ax + by + f(a, b)$ gives solution

Charpit's Method: General method for finding solution of n.L.P.D.E of first order $f(x, y, z, p, q) = 0$ --- (1)

Here we solve subsidiary eqns $\frac{dx}{-f_p} = \frac{dy}{-f_q} = \frac{dz}{-pf_p - qf_q} = \frac{dp}{f_x + pf_z} = \frac{dq}{f_y + qf_z}$

solve these equations to get p and q and put in * along with (1) $dz = p dx + q dy$ & solve.

Form $f(x, y, z, p, q) = 0$

Example: Charpit's method: Find complete integral $z^2 = pqxy$

Answer: subsidiary equations are $\frac{dx}{-qxy} = \frac{dy}{-pxy} = \frac{dz}{-2pqxy} = \frac{dp}{pqy - 2pz} = \frac{dq}{pqx - 2qz}$

Putting $\frac{x dp + p dx}{-2pxz} = \frac{y dq + q dy}{-2qyz} \Rightarrow \frac{d(px)}{px} = \frac{d(qy)}{qy} \Rightarrow \int \frac{d(px)}{px} = \log(qy) + \log C$

$\Rightarrow px / qy = C^2$ which is first solution ----- ①

solving ① and $z^2 = pqxy$ ----- ② $\Rightarrow p = \frac{Cz}{x}$ & $q = \frac{z}{Cy}$

Hence $dz = p dx + q dy \Rightarrow dz = \frac{Cz}{x} dx + \frac{z}{Cy} dy$

$\Rightarrow \frac{dz}{z} = \frac{C}{x} dx + \frac{1}{Cy} dy \Rightarrow \boxed{z = ax^C y^{1/C}}$ Answer.

Example solve $p^2 + 2z + qy + 2y^2 = 0$ or $f(x, y, z, p, q) = p^2 + 2z + qy + 2y^2 = 0$

subsidiary equations $\frac{dx}{-2p} = \frac{dy}{-y} = \frac{dz}{-(2p^2 + qy)} = \frac{dp}{2p} = \frac{dq}{4y + 3q}$

Taking $\frac{dx}{-2p} = \frac{dp}{2p} \Rightarrow p = -x + a$ ----- ① Now from ① we get

$q = \frac{1}{y} [-2z - 2y^2 - (C-x)^2] \Rightarrow dz = (C-x) dx - \frac{1}{y} [2z + 2y^2 + (C-x)^2] dy$

multiplying both sides by $2y^2 \Rightarrow$

$2y^2 dz + 4yz dy = 2y^2 (C-x) dx - 4y^3 dy - 2y (C-x)^2 dy$

Integrating we get $2zy^2 = -[y^2 (C-x)^2 + y^4] + b$. solⁿ.

Some General Problems:

(1) Solve $(x-y)(px - qy) = (p-q)^2$. (Hint $x+y = u, xy = v$)

(2) $z^2(p^2 + q^2) = x^2 + y^2$ (Hint put $\frac{z^2}{2} = Z$)

(3) $p^2 x^2 + q^2 y^2 = z$ (Hint $x = e^x, y = e^y, \frac{z^{1/2}}{2} = Z$)

(4) $(p^2 + q^2)y = qz$ Charpit's Method.

Solve $p^2 + q^2 = z^2(x+y) \Rightarrow \left(\frac{p}{z}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{q}{z}\right)^2 = x+y$

$\left(\frac{1}{z} \frac{p}{z}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{1}{z} \frac{q}{z}\right)^2 = x+y \Rightarrow \left(\frac{\partial Z / z}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial Z / z}{\partial y}\right)^2 = x+y$ | Take $\frac{\partial Z}{z} = dz$
| $\Rightarrow \log z = Z$

$\Rightarrow \left(\frac{\partial Z}{\partial x}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial Z}{\partial y}\right)^2 = x+y \Rightarrow P^2 + Q^2 = x+y$

Let $P^2 - x = y - Q^2 = a \Rightarrow P = \sqrt{a+x}, Q = \sqrt{y-a}$

$dz = \frac{\partial Z}{\partial x} dx + \frac{\partial Z}{\partial y} dy \Rightarrow dz = \sqrt{a+x} dx + \sqrt{y-a} dy$

$\Rightarrow z = \frac{2}{3} (a+x)^{3/2} + \frac{2}{3} (y-a)^{3/2} + C$

$\Rightarrow \log z = \text{Ans}$ —

Applications of partial differential equations: Separations of
 Acoustic wave, water wave, electromagnetic wave Variable method.

Q1 Seismic wave, Laplace equations, Vibrating Membranes, Transmission Lines equation.

Solve $z_{xx} + z_y - 2z_x = 0$: Let $z = X(x) \cdot Y(y) \Rightarrow Y \frac{\partial^2 X}{\partial x^2} - 2 \frac{\partial X}{\partial x} = -X \frac{\partial Y}{\partial y}$

Ans: $\frac{\partial^2 X / \partial x^2 - 2 \partial X / \partial x}{X} = -\frac{\partial Y / \partial y}{Y} \Rightarrow \frac{X'' - 2X'}{X} = -\frac{Y'}{Y} = k \text{ (const)}$

$\Rightarrow X'' - 2X' - kX = 0 \dots \textcircled{1}$ and $Y' + kY = 0 \dots \textcircled{11}$

$\Rightarrow m^2 - 2m - k = 0$

$\Rightarrow m_1 = 1 + \sqrt{1+k}, m_2 = 1 - \sqrt{1+k}$

$\frac{dY}{dY} = -k \cdot Y \Rightarrow \frac{dY}{Y} = -k dy$

$Y' = -kY \Rightarrow Y = c e^{-ky}$

So $X = c_1 e^{(1+\sqrt{1+k})x} + c_2 e^{(1-\sqrt{1+k})x}$

Hence $z = \{ c_1 e^{(1+\sqrt{1+k})x} + c_2 e^{(1-\sqrt{1+k})x} \} \{ c e^{-ky} \}$ Ans

Q.2 Solve $3u_x + 2u_y = 0$, $u(x, 0) = 4e^{-x}$ i.e Boundary conditions.

Answer Let $u = X(x) \cdot Y(y) \Rightarrow \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial X}{\partial x} \cdot Y$ & $\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = X \frac{\partial Y}{\partial y}$, Put in Question

$3Y \frac{\partial X}{\partial x} + 2X \frac{\partial Y}{\partial y} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{3}{X} \frac{\partial X}{\partial x} = -\frac{2}{Y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial y} = k \Rightarrow \frac{3}{X} \frac{\partial X}{\partial x} = k$ & $\frac{2}{Y} \frac{\partial Y}{\partial y} = -k$

Now equation $\textcircled{1}$ and $\textcircled{11}$ gives

$3 \frac{\partial X}{X} = k \partial x \Rightarrow 3 \log X = kx + \log C$

$\Rightarrow X = c e^{kx/3}$

From 2:

$2 \log Y = -ky + \log C$
 $Y = c e^{-ky/2}$

So $u = c e^{-ky/2} \cdot e^{kx/3}$ Applying condition (Boundary)

we get $4e^{-x} = c e^{-k \cdot 0 / 2} e^{kx/3} \Rightarrow c = 4e^{-x} / e^{kx/3}$ Ans.

Two Very Important PDE $\textcircled{1}$ Wave Eqn $\textcircled{11}$ Heat eqn

The solution of these are required w.r. to given boundary conditions which can be obtained by separation of variable method and boundary conditions such as

(1) Dirichlet's Type

$u(x, t) = u(0, t) = f_1(t)$

$u(L, t) = f_2(t)$
 or

$y(0, 0) = f_1 = y(x, l)$

$y(0, l) = f_2$

(2) Neumann's Type

$y = f(x)$ at $t = 0$ and

$\frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = 0, t = 0$

Initial Condition

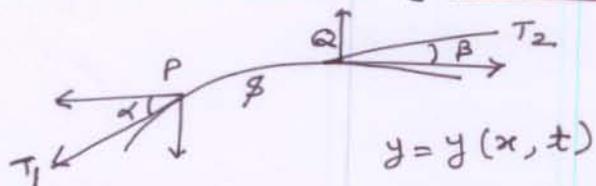
$u(x, t) = f(x)$

(3) Mixed Type.

$y = 0, t = 0$

$\frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = g(x), t = 0$

Transverse vibration of elastic string



$s \rightarrow$ length, $m \rightarrow$ mass per unit length

$y \rightarrow$ displacement, $\ddot{y} \rightarrow$ acceleration

Equations of motion will be

$$T = T_2 \cos \beta - T_1 \cos \alpha = 0 \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

$$\text{Let } T_2 \sin \beta - T_1 \sin \alpha = F = m \Delta s \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2} \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

From (i) and (ii)

$$\frac{T_2 \sin \beta - T_1 \sin \alpha}{T} = \left(\frac{m \Delta s}{T} \right) \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{T_2 \sin \beta}{T_2 \cos \beta} - \frac{T_1 \sin \alpha}{T_1 \cos \alpha} = \text{R.H.S.}, \text{ Now as } \Delta s = \Delta x$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d^2 y}{dt^2} = \left(\frac{T}{m \Delta x} \right) \left[\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \Big|_{x+\Delta x} - \frac{\partial y}{\partial x} \Big|_x \right]$$

as $\tan \alpha = \partial y / \partial x$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2} = \frac{T}{m} \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2} \text{ as } \Delta x \rightarrow 0$$

$$\boxed{\frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial t^2} = c^2 \frac{\partial^2 y}{\partial x^2}} \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

Bound Cond's (a) $y=0, x=0$ (b) $y=0, x=l$
may be (c) $y=f(x), t=0$ (d) $\frac{\partial y}{\partial t}=0, t=0$

Solution by separation of variables:

$$\text{Let } y = X(x)T(t) \Rightarrow X \frac{d^2 T}{dt^2} = T c^2 \frac{d^2 X}{dx^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{c^2 T} \frac{d^2 T}{dt^2} = \frac{1}{X} \frac{d^2 X}{dx^2} = -k^2 \text{ (say)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \ddot{T} = -k^2 c^2 T \text{ \& } \ddot{X} = -k^2 X$$

$$\Rightarrow T = A \cos ckt + B \sin ckt$$

$$X = C \cos kx + D \sin kx, \text{ So}$$

$$y = (A \cos ckt + B \sin ckt) (C \cos kx + D \sin kx) \quad \text{--- (A)}$$

Applying Bound cond (a) $C=0$,

" " (b) $\sin kl = 0 \Rightarrow k = \frac{n\pi}{l}$

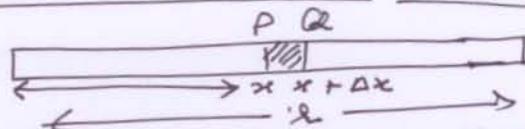
$$\Rightarrow y = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[A_n \cos \frac{n\pi x c t}{l} + B_n \sin \frac{n\pi x c t}{l} \right] \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} \quad \text{--- (B)}$$

Apply (c) we get $A_n = \frac{2}{l} \int_0^l f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} dx$

" (d) B_n 's = 0 using orthogonality of \sin fns.

So eq (B) will give solution if $f(x)$ is known.

Heat Flow in a bar One Dim!



$u = u(x, t) =$ temperature, $t \rightarrow$ time
 $A =$ Area of PQ, $\Delta t \rightarrow$ small time
Heat flow across the section at P in time $\Delta t = -kA \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) \Delta t$

Similarly at Q $\Rightarrow -kA \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \right) \Delta t$

$$\text{Heat Retained } \Delta Q = -kA \left[\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \Big|_x - \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \Big|_{x+\Delta x} \right] \Delta t \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

This heat will raise temperature of element by Δu temperature.

$$Q = (\rho A \Delta x) s \cdot \Delta u \quad \text{--- (ii)}$$

$$\text{(i) = (ii)} \Rightarrow kA \left[\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \Big|_x - \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \Big|_{x+\Delta x} \right] \Delta t = \rho A s \Delta x \Delta u \quad \text{--- (iii)}$$

Dividing both sides by $\Delta x \cdot \Delta t$ and $\Delta x \rightarrow 0$
 $\Delta t \rightarrow 0$

$$\frac{kA}{\Delta x} \left[\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \Big|_{x+\Delta x} - \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \Big|_x \right] \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta t} = \rho A s \frac{\Delta x \Delta u}{\Delta x \Delta t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \left(\frac{\rho s}{k} \right) \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}, \text{ } \rho = \text{density}$$

$$\Rightarrow c^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \rightarrow \text{Heat Equation.}$$

Bound cond's: (a) $x=0, u=0$, (c) $t=0$
(b) $x=l, u=0$ | $u=f(x)$

Solution by separation of variables:

$$\text{Let } u = X(x)T(t) \Rightarrow c^2 T \frac{d^2 X}{dx^2} = X \frac{dT}{dt}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{X} \frac{d^2 X}{dx^2} = \frac{1}{c^2 T} \frac{dT}{dt} = -k^2$$

$$\frac{d^2 X}{dx^2} + k^2 X = 0, \frac{dT}{dt} + c^2 k^2 T = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow u = XT = (A \cos kx + B \sin kx) e^{-c^2 k^2 t} \quad \text{--- (A)}$$

Applying Boundary Conditions (a)

we get $A=0$, At B.C (b) we get

$$k = \frac{n\pi}{l} \text{ (} n \in \mathbb{I} \text{)}$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} B_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} \cdot e^{-t \left(\frac{n\pi c}{l} \right)^2} \quad \text{--- (B)}$$

Applying $t=0, u=f(x)$ & using orthogonality of \sin fns

$$f(x) = \sum B_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l}$$

$$\Rightarrow B_n = \frac{2}{l} \int_0^l f(x) \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} dx$$

Q.1. A tightly stretched string with fixed ends is initially in equilibrium. It is set vibrating by giving each point a velocity $v_0 \sin \frac{3\pi x}{l}$. Find displacement $y(x,t)$.

Ans We know wave eqⁿ $y_{tt} = c^2 y_{xx}$

Boundary condⁿs $y(x=0, t) = 0$ (I), $y(x=l, t) = 0$ (II)

$y(x, t=0) = 0$ (III), $y(x, t=0) = 0$ (IV)

$$\left. \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} \right|_{t=0} = v_0 \sin \frac{3\pi x}{l} \text{ --- (IV)}$$

General solution of hequation 1 is $y(x,t) = (c_1 \cos kx + c_2 \sin kx)(c_3 \cos kt + c_4 \sin kt)$

Apply 2(a) $\Rightarrow 0 = c_1 (c_3 \cos kt + c_4 \sin kt)$

$\Rightarrow c_1 = 0$, Now apply 2(b)

$\Rightarrow k = n\pi/l$ for all t .

So general solution reduces to

$$y(x,t) = c_2 \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} (c_3 \cos \frac{n\pi ct}{l} + c_4 \sin \frac{n\pi ct}{l})$$

Applying (III) we get $c_3 = 0$

$$y = \sum b_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} \sin \frac{n\pi ct}{l}$$

$$\left. \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} \right|_{t=0} = \sum b_n \left\{ \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} \right\} \frac{c n\pi}{l} \cos \frac{n\pi ct}{l}$$

$$\frac{v_0}{4} \sin \frac{3\pi x}{l} = \sum \frac{n\pi c}{l} b_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l}$$

{using $\sin 3\theta = 3\sin\theta - 4\sin^3\theta$ }

$$\frac{v_0}{4} \left[3\sin \frac{\pi x}{l} - \sin \frac{3\pi x}{l} \right] = \sum b_n \frac{c n\pi}{l} \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l}$$

$$= \frac{c\pi}{l} b_1 \sin \frac{\pi x}{l} + \frac{2c\pi}{l} b_2 \sin \frac{2\pi x}{l}$$

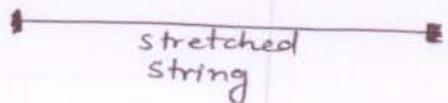
$$+ b_3 \frac{3c\pi}{l} \sin \frac{3\pi x}{l} + \dots$$

Compair both sides

$$\Rightarrow b_1 = \frac{3lv_0}{4c\pi}, b_3 = -\frac{lv_0}{12c\pi}, b_2 = b_4 = b_6 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow y = \frac{lv_0}{12c\pi} \left[9 \sin \frac{\pi x}{l} \sin \frac{c\pi t}{l} - \sin \frac{3\pi x}{l} \sin \frac{3c\pi t}{l} \right]$$

$$\text{Ans}$$



Q.2 string length l stretched. motion started by displacing string in form $y = a \sin \frac{\pi x}{l}$ which is released at $t=0$. Find $y(x,t) = ?$

Ans: condⁿs: $y(x,0) = a \sin(\pi x/l)$ (I)

Initial transverse velocity $\left. \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} \right|_{t=0} = 0$ (II)

$y(0,t) = 0$ (III)

$y(l,t) = 0$ (IV)

Applying (II) $c_1 = 0$, Apply (III) $k = \frac{n\pi}{l}$

$$\left. \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} \right|_{t=0} = (c_2 \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} x) c_4 \cdot c \frac{n\pi}{l}$$

$\Rightarrow c_4 = 0$, $c_2 \neq 0$ as it will lead to trivial solution

$$\Rightarrow y(x,t) = c_2 c_3 \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} \cos \frac{n\pi ct}{l}$$

$$a \sin \frac{\pi x}{l} = c_2 c_3 \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l}$$

$$\Rightarrow c_2 c_3 = a \text{ \& } n=1$$

$$\Rightarrow y(x,t) = a \sin \frac{\pi x}{l} \cos \frac{\pi ct}{l} \text{ --- A}$$

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$\lambda_n = c n\pi / l$ called

eigenvalues corresponding to $y(x,t) = c_2 c_3 \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} \cos \frac{n\pi ct}{l}$ eigen functions.

Solution A is sin wave $y = y_0 \sin \frac{\pi x}{l}$ of wave length l , wave velocity c and amplitude $y_0 = a \cos \frac{\pi ct}{l}$ which

varies harmonically with time t . What ever t maybe $y=0$ when $x=0, l, 2l, 3l, \dots$ called nodes. A represents

stationary sinewave of varying amplitudes whose frequency is $c/2l$.

Ex1: A rod of length l with insulated sides is initially at a uniform temperature u_0 . Its ends are suddenly cooled to 0°C and kept at that temperature. Find $u(x, t)$

Ans $u_t = c^2 u_{xx}$ — (1)
 $u(0, t) = 0, u(l, t) = 0$ — 2b

General solⁿ
 $u(x, t) = (c_1' \cos px + c_2' \sin px) x e^{-p^2 c^2 t}$ — (3)

Applying 2(a) $\Rightarrow c_1' = 0$
 2(b) $\Rightarrow p = n\pi/l$

So 3 gives
 $u_n = b_n e^{-(n^2 c^2 x^2 / l^2)} \cdot \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l}$

Also given $u = u_0$ at $t = 0$

$u_0 = b_n \sin \frac{n\pi x}{l} \Rightarrow$

$b_n = \text{Ans}$

Ex2 Solve $u_t = d^2 u_{xx}$ for conduction of heat along a rod without radiation s/t following conditions:

- (i) $u \neq \infty$ for $t \rightarrow \infty$
- (ii) $u_x = 0$ for $x = 0, x = l$
- (iii) $u = lx - x^2$ for $t = 0$ between $x = 0$ and $x = l$

Ans: let $U = X(x) T(t)$
 $X'' + k^2 X = 0, T' + k^2 d^2 T = 0$

$U = (c_1 \cos kx + c_2 \sin kx) c_3 e^{-k^2 d^2 t}$ — (A)
 is valid if $-k^2$ is R.H.S.

If $k^2 = 0, X = c_7 x + c_8, T = c_9$

applying $U = (c_7 x + c_8) \cdot c_9$

applying (ii) we get $c_7 = 0$

$U = c_8 c_9 = d_0$ — B

So

$U = d_0$ — B

From A $u_{xx} = (-c_1 \sin kx + c_2 \sin kx) \cdot k e_3 e^{-k^2 d^2 t}$

applying (iii) we get

$c_2 = 0, \Rightarrow k = \frac{n\pi}{l} e^{-\frac{n^2 \pi^2 d^2 t}{l^2}}$

$U = d_0 + \sum d_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{l}\right) e^{-\frac{n^2 \pi^2 d^2 t}{l^2}}$

using the condition (iii) in above

$lx - x^2 = d_0 + \sum d_n \cos \frac{n\pi x}{l}$

This being expansion of $lx - x^2$ as a half range cosine in (l) .

$d_0 = \frac{1}{l} \int_0^l (lx - x^2) dx = l^2/6, d_n = \frac{2}{l} \int_0^l (lx - x^2) \cos \frac{n\pi x}{l} dx$

$= \frac{2}{l} \left\{ -\frac{l^3}{n^2 \pi^2} (\cos n\pi + 1) \right\}$

$= -\frac{4l^2}{n^2 \pi^2}$ when n is even, otherwise 0

So taking $n = 2m$

$u = \frac{l^2}{6} - \frac{l^2}{\pi^2} \sum_{m=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{m^2} \cos\left(\frac{2m\pi x}{l}\right) e^{-\frac{4m^2 \pi^2 d^2 t}{l^2}}$

Ans