MAE/MSE502 Fall 2015 Homework #3

Prob. 1 (1.5 points) For u(x, t) defined on the domain of $0 \le x \le 4$ and $t \ge 0$, consider the 1-D Wave equation,

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} ,$$

with the boundary conditions,

(i) u(0, t) = 0, (ii) u(4, t) = 0, (iii) u(x, 0) = P(x), (iv) $u_t(x, 0) = 0$.

Solve the system for the two cases with

(a)
$$P(x) = \sqrt{x} - \frac{x}{2}$$

(b) P(x) = x, if $0 \le x \le 1$ = (4 - x)/3, if $1 \le x \le 4$

For each case, plot the solution as a function of *x* at t = 0, 1.2, 2, 2.8, 4, and 7.2. Please collect all 6 curves in one plot.

Prob. 2 (3 points) For u(x, t) defined on the domain of $0 \le x \le 2\pi$ and $t \ge 0$, solve the PDE,

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 1 + e^{-t} \sin(2x) ,$$

with the boundary conditions,

(i) $u(0, t) = u(2\pi, t)$ (ii) $u_x(0, t) = u_x(2\pi, t)$ (iii) u(x, 0) = 2(iv) $u_t(x, 0) = 3 + \cos(x)$.

We expect a closed form solution with no unevaluated integral or summation of infinite series. Otherwise, no need to make any plot.

Prob 3 (1.5 points)

For u(x, y, t) defined on the domain of $x^2 + y^2 \le 1$ (a circular disk, see figure below) and $t \ge 0$, consider the modified 2-D Heat equation

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} - u \quad ,$$

with the boundary conditions,

(i) $\hat{n} \cdot \nabla u = 2$, at $x^2 + y^2 = 1$ (i.e., the circular boundary) where \hat{n} is the outward unit normal vector at the boundary.

(ii)
$$u(x, y, 0) = x^2 + y^2$$
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The total energy of the system is defined as

$$E(t) \equiv \iint_A u(x, y, t) \, dA \quad ,$$

where the integral is over the whole circular domain.

Use the given information to evaluate E(t) at t = 1 and as $t \to \infty$.

[Note: For this problem, all you are asked to do is to evaluate E(t). You may or may not need to find the full solution, u(x, y, t).]



Prob 4 (3 points)

For u(x, y, t) defined on the domain of $0 \le x \le 1$, $0 \le y \le 1$, and $t \ge 0$, solve the PDE

$$(1+t)\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} - \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} - 4\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0 ,$$

with the boundary conditions,

(i)
$$u_x(0, y, t) = 0$$

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(i) $u(x, y, 0) = \sin(\pi y)[2 + \cos(\pi x)]$.

We expect a closed form solution with no unevaluated integral or summation of infinite series.