

## Prob 2

F. S. expansion:  $u(x, t) = \sum_n C_n(t) e^{inx}$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dC_n}{dt} = [-4n^2t - in^3t + (1+t)n^4 - 16] C_n$$

observing the b.c., only  $n=0, \pm 2$  matter

$$n=0 \Rightarrow \dot{C}_0 = -16C_0 \quad C_0(t) = C_0(0) e^{-16t} = e^{-16t}$$

$$n=2 \Rightarrow \dot{C}_2 = -i8t C_2 \quad C_2(t) = C_2(0) e^{-i4t^2} = \frac{1}{2i} e^{-i4t^2}$$

Full solution:

$$\begin{aligned} u(x, t) &= C_0(t) + [C_2(t) e^{i2x} + c.c.] \\ &= e^{-16t} + \left[ \frac{1}{2i} e^{i(2x-4t^2)} + c.c. \right] \\ &= e^{-16t} + \sin(2x-4t^2) \quad \# \end{aligned}$$

From b.c. (i)

$$\sum_n C_n(0) e^{inx} = 1 + \sin(2x)$$

$$1 + \left[ \frac{1}{2i} e^{i2x} + c.c. \right]$$

$$\Rightarrow C_0(0) = 1$$

$$C_2(0) = \frac{1}{2i}$$

$$\frac{1}{2i} e^{i(2x-4t^2)} + c.c.$$

$$= \frac{-i}{2} [\cos(2x-4t^2) + i \sin(2x-4t^2)] + c.c.$$

$$= \sin(2x-4t^2)$$

## Prob 3

F. S. expansion:  $u(x, t) = \sum_n C_n(t) e^{inx}$

$$\frac{d^2 C_n}{dt^2} = (-9n^2 + n^4 + 8) C_n$$

From the b.c., only  $n=1, 3$  (and  $-1, -3$ ) matter

$$n=1: \ddot{C}_1 = 0 \quad C_1(t) = A_0 t + B_0$$

$$C_1(0) = 0 \Rightarrow B_0 = 0 \quad \dot{C}_1(0) = \frac{1}{2i} \Rightarrow A_0 = \frac{1}{2i}$$

$$n=3: \ddot{C}_3 = 8C_3 \quad C_3(t) = A_3 \cosh(\sqrt{8}t) + B_3 \sinh(\sqrt{8}t)$$

$$\dot{C}_3(t) = \sqrt{8} A_3 \sinh(\sqrt{8}t) + \sqrt{8} B_3 \cosh(\sqrt{8}t)$$

$$C_3(0) = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow A_3 = \frac{1}{2}, \quad \dot{C}_3(0) = 0 \Rightarrow B_3 = 0$$

Full solution:  $u(x, t) = [C_1(t) e^{ix} + C_3(t) e^{i3x}] + c.c.$

$$= \left[ \frac{t}{2i} e^{ix} + \frac{1}{2} e^{i3x} \cosh(\sqrt{8}t) \right] + c.c.$$

$$= t \sin(x) + \cos(3x) \cosh(\sqrt{8}t) \quad \#$$

From b.c. (i):

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_n C_n(0) e^{inx} &= \cos(3x) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} e^{i3x} + c.c. \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow C_3(0) = \frac{1}{2}, \quad C_1(0) = 0$$

From b.c. (ii):

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_n \dot{C}_n(0) e^{inx} &= \sin(x) \\ &= \frac{1}{2i} e^{ix} + c.c. \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \dot{C}_1(0) = \frac{1}{2i}, \quad \dot{C}_3(0) = 0$$