

MAE/MSE 502, Fall 2021 Homework #4

Please follow the rules on collaboration as given in the document for Homework #1. Your work should include a statement of collaboration.

For all problems in this homework, we expect a closed-form exact solution with only a finite number of terms and without any unevaluated integral. The solution, $u(x,t)$, should be expressed explicitly in real functions of x and t and real numbers. Expect a deduction if these requirements are not satisfied.

Problem 1 (2.5 points)

For $u(x,t)$ defined on the domain of $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ and $t \geq 0$, solve the PDE

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

with the boundary conditions

$$(i) u_x(0, t) = 0 \quad (ii) u_x(\pi, t) = 0 \quad (iii) u(x, 0) = \cos(x) .$$

Problem 2 (2.5 points)

For $u(x,t)$ defined on the domain of $0 \leq x \leq \pi$ and $t \geq 0$, solve the PDE

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

with the boundary conditions,

$$(i) u(0, t) = 1 \quad (ii) u_x(\pi, t) = -2 \quad (iii) u(x, 0) = 1 + 2 \sin(x) + \sin(x/2)$$

Problem 3 (2.5 points)

For $u(x,t)$ defined on the domain of $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ and $t \geq 0$, solve the PDE

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^4 u}{\partial x^4} + \cos(x)\cos(t)$$

with periodic boundary conditions in x -direction, and the boundary condition in t -direction given as

$$(i) u(x, 0) = \sin(x) + \sin(3x)$$

Problem 4 (2.5 points)

For $u(x,t)$ defined on the domain of $0 \leq x \leq 1$ and $t \geq 0$, solve the PDE

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} - \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \pi^2 \sin(\pi x)$$

with the boundary conditions

$$(i) u(0, t) = 0 \quad (ii) u(1, t) = 0 \quad (iii) u(x, 0) = \sin(\pi x) \quad (iv) u_t(x, 0) = \sin(\pi x)$$