

MAE/MSE 502, Spring 2021, Homework #4

See Homework #1 for rules on collaboration.

Problem 1 (2 points)

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

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

with the boundary conditions,

$$(i) u_x(0, t) = 0, \quad (ii) u_x(1, t) = 0, \quad (iii) u(x, 0) = 1 + \cos(\pi x)$$

We expect a closed form solution that contains only a finite number of terms and with no unevaluated integrals.

Problem 2 (3 points)

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

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

with the boundary conditions,

$$(i) u(0, t) = 0 \quad (ii) u(2\pi, t) = 2\pi \quad (iii) u(x, 0) = \sin(0.5x) + \cos(x) + x - 1$$

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Problem 3 (3 points)

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

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

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

$$(i) u(x, 0) = 0 \quad (ii) u_t(x, 0) = 0$$

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Problem 4 (3 points)

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

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

with the boundary conditions,

$$(i) u_x(0, t) = 1 \quad (ii) u(2\pi, t) = 2 \quad (iii) u(x, 0) = 2 \cos(x) + \sin(x) + \cos(0.25x) \quad (u_x \text{ is } \partial u / \partial x).$$

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