

MAE/MSE 502, Fall 2022 Homework #3

Please follow the rules on collaboration as given in Homework #1. A statement of collaboration is required.

Problem 1 (2.5 points)

For $u(x, t)$ defined on the domain of $0 \leq x \leq 100$ and $t \geq 0$, consider the 1-D Wave equation,

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

with the boundary conditions,

$$(i) u(0, t) = 0 , \quad (ii) u(100, t) = 0 , \quad (iii) u(x, 0) = P(x) , \quad (iv) u_t(x, 0) = 0 .$$

(a) Solve the system with $P(x)$ given as

$$P(x) = \begin{cases} x/25 , & \text{if } 0 \leq x \leq 25 \\ (100 - x)/75 , & \text{if } 25 < x \leq 100 \end{cases}$$

and plot the solution as a function of x at $t = 0, 30, 50, 70, 100, 180$. Please collect all 6 curves in one plot. (See remarks below HW1-Prob1 on proper truncation of infinite series.)

(b) Solve the system with $P(x)$ given as (this emulates a “wave packet”)

$$P(x) = \sum_{n=30}^{50} \exp \left[- \left(\frac{n - 40}{4} \right)^2 \right] \sin \left(\frac{n\pi x}{100} \right) ,$$

and plot the solution as a function of x at $t = 0, 50, 100, \text{ and } 125$. For this part, it is recommended that the four curves be plotted separately, for example arranged in 4 panels using "subplot" in Matlab.

Problem 2 (3 points)

For $u(x, t)$ defined on the domain of $0 \leq x \leq 2\pi$ and $t \geq 0$, consider the PDE (in which $U, K,$ and B are constants)

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = U \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} + K \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + B \frac{\partial^3 u}{\partial x^3}$$

with periodic boundary conditions in the x -direction. The boundary condition at $t = 0$ is given as

$$u(x, 0) = \frac{[1 - \cos(x)]^8}{256} .$$

Solve the PDE and plot the solution $u(x, t)$ at $t = 0.2$ for the four cases: **(i)** ($U = 10, K = 0, B = 0$), **(ii)** ($U = 0, K = 1.5, B = 0$), **(iii)** ($U = 10, K = 1.5, B = 0$), and **(iv)** ($U = 0, K = 0, B = 0.15$). Also, plot the initial state $u(x, 0)$ (which is the same for all four cases). Please collect all five curves in one plot. [The solution can be expressed as an infinite series. To compute the value of u , the series needs to be truncated to a finite number of terms (see remarks below HW1-Prob1). Matlab can be used to evaluate the expansion coefficients by numerical integration.]

For Problem 3-5, we expect a closed-form solution which consists of only a finite number of terms and no unevaluated integrals. The solution should be expressed in real numbers and functions. Expect a deduction if an imaginary number " i " ($=\sqrt{-1}$) is left in the solution.

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,

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = t \frac{\partial^5 u}{\partial x^5} + t \frac{\partial^3 u}{\partial x^3} + t^2 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 4 t^2 u ,$$

with periodic boundary conditions in the x -direction. The boundary condition in the t -direction is given as

$$u(x, 0) = \sin(x) + \cos(x) + \cos(2x) .$$

Problem 4 (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,

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} = \frac{\partial^4 u}{\partial x^4} + 4 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + 4 u ,$$

with periodic boundary conditions in the x -direction. The boundary conditions in the t -direction are given as

- (i) $u(x, 0) = \sin(x)$
- (ii) $u_t(x, 0) = \cos(2x) .$

Problem 5 (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

$$\frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2} - 4 \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} - \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x \partial t} - 3 \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} - 4 u = 0 ,$$

with periodic boundary conditions in the x -direction, and the boundary conditions at $t = 0$ given as

- (i) $u(x, 0) = 3 + \cos(x)$
- (ii) $u_t(x, 0) = 2 + \cos(x) .$