

## Solutions to HW#5

Problem 1: This is a standard separation of variable problem

Step 1:  $u = X(x)T(t)$

$$\frac{X''}{X} = \frac{T''}{c^2 T} = -\lambda$$

EVP:  $X'' + \lambda X = 0$ ,  $X'(0) = 0$ ,  $X(l) = 0$  — (2 pts)

ODE:  $T' + c^2 \lambda T = 0$  (2 pts)

Step 2: Solve EVP:  $\lambda$  is positive

$$\lambda = \beta^2 \Rightarrow X = C_1 \cos \beta x + C_2 \sin \beta x$$

$$X'(0) = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 = 0$$

$$X(l) = 0 \Rightarrow \cos \beta l = 0, \quad \beta l = (n - \frac{1}{2})\pi, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$$

$$\lambda_n = \beta_n^2 = \left(\frac{(n - \frac{1}{2})\pi}{l}\right)^2, \quad n = 1, 2, \dots$$

$$X_n(x) = \cos \beta_n x$$

$$T'' + c^2 \lambda T = T'' + (c \beta_n)^2 T = 0$$

$$T = a \cos(c \beta_n t) + b \sin(c \beta_n t)$$

6 pts

2 pts

Step 3: Sum up

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} (a_n \cos(c \beta_n t) + b_n \sin(c \beta_n t)) \cos \beta_n x \quad - 2 \text{ pts}$$

$$u(x, 0) = 0 \Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} a_n \cos \beta_n x = 0 \Rightarrow a_n = 0 \quad \int_0^l x \cos \beta_n x dx \quad 2 \text{ pts}$$

$$u_t(x, 0) = x \Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} (c \beta_n b_n) \cos \beta_n x = x \Rightarrow c \beta_n b_n = \frac{\int_0^l x \cos \beta_n x dx}{\int_0^l \cos^2 \beta_n x dx} \quad - 2 \text{ pts}$$

Here

$$\int_0^l \cos^2 \beta_n x \, dx = \int_0^l \frac{1 + \cos(2\beta_n x)}{2} \, dx = \frac{l}{2}$$

$$\int_0^l x \cos \beta_n x \, dx = \left. \frac{x}{\beta_n} \sin \beta_n x + \frac{1}{\beta_n^2} \cos \beta_n x \right|_0^l$$

$$= \frac{l}{\beta_n} \sin((n-\frac{1}{2})\pi) + \frac{1}{\beta_n^2} \cos((n-\frac{1}{2})\pi) - \frac{1}{\beta_n^2}$$

$$= \frac{l}{\beta_n} (-1)^{n+1} - \frac{1}{\beta_n^2}$$

So 
$$b_n = \frac{2}{(c\beta_n l)} \left[ \frac{l}{\beta_n} (-1)^{n+1} - \frac{1}{\beta_n^2} \right]$$

2pts

Final solution is

$$u(x,t) = \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} \frac{2}{(c\beta_n l)} \left[ \frac{l}{\beta_n} (-1)^{n+1} - \frac{1}{\beta_n^2} \right] \sin(c\beta_n t) \cos \beta_n x$$

Problem 2. Step 1:  $u = X(x)T(t)$

$$\frac{X''(x)}{X(x)} = \frac{T'}{kT} = -\lambda$$

$$X'' + \lambda X = 0, \quad X(0) = X(l), \quad X'(0) = X'(l). \quad -2pts$$

$$T' + \lambda kT = 0 \quad -2pts$$

Step 2: Solve (EVP):

$$\lambda_0 = 0 \Rightarrow X_0 = \Phi$$

- 2pts

$$\lambda_n = \beta_n^2 \Rightarrow X(x) = C_1 \cos \beta_n x + C_2 \sin \beta_n x$$

$$X(0) = X(1), X'(0) = X'(1) \Rightarrow \sin \beta_n x = 1 - \cos \beta_n x = 0$$

4pts

$$\beta_n = 2n\pi$$

$$X_n(x) = a_n \cos(2n\pi x) + b_n \sin(2n\pi x)$$

ODE:  $\lambda_0 = 0 \Rightarrow T = C$

$$\lambda_n = \beta_n^2 \Rightarrow T' + k\beta_n^2 T = 0 \Rightarrow T = a e^{-k\beta_n^2 t}$$

2pts

Step 3: Sum up

$$u = a_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{+\infty} (a_n \cos(2n\pi x) + b_n \sin(2n\pi x)) e^{-k(2n\pi)^2 t}$$

2pts

$$u(x, 0) = \cos^2 x = \frac{1}{2}(1 + \cos 2x)$$

$$a_0 = \int_0^1 \phi(x) dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (1 + \cos 2x) dx = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{4} \sin 2$$

2pts

$$a_n = \frac{\int_0^1 \phi(x) \cos(2n\pi x) dx}{\int_0^1 \cos^2(2n\pi x) dx} = 2 \cdot \int_0^1 \frac{1}{2} (1 + \cos 2x) \cos(2n\pi x) dx$$

$$= \int_0^1 \cos 2x \cos(2n\pi x) dx = \int_0^1 \frac{1}{2} [\cos(2n\pi+2)x + \cos(2n\pi-2)x] dx$$

$$= \frac{1}{4n\pi+4} \sin 2 + \frac{1}{4n\pi-4} \sin 2$$

2pts

$$\begin{aligned}
b_n &= \frac{\int_0^1 \phi(x) \sin(2n\pi x) dx}{\int_0^1 \sin^2(2n\pi x) dx} \\
&= \int_0^1 (1 + \cos(2x)) \sin(2n\pi x) dx \\
&= \int_0^1 \sin(2n\pi x) \cos 2x dx \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \int_0^1 (\sin(2n\pi+2)x - \sin(2n\pi-2)x) dx \\
&= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{2n\pi+2} (1 - \cos 2) - \frac{1}{2n\pi-2} (1 - \cos 2) \right) \\
&= (1 - \cos 2) \left( \frac{1}{4n\pi+4} - \frac{1}{4n\pi-4} \right) \quad \text{--- 2pts}
\end{aligned}$$

Problem 3. (a). step 1.  $u = X(x)T(t)$

$$\frac{X''}{X} = -\frac{T'}{T} = -\lambda$$

$$X'' + \lambda X = 0, \quad T' + \lambda T = 0$$

$$X'(0) + X(0) = 0, \quad X'(1) + 2X(1) = 0 \quad (2pts)$$

Step 2. Solve EVP & ODE

$$\begin{cases}
X'' + \lambda X = 0, & 0 < x < 1 \\
X'(0) + X(0) = 0, & X'(1) + 2X(1) = 0
\end{cases}$$

Case 1.  $\lambda = -\gamma^2 < 0, \quad \gamma > 0$

$$X = c_1 \cosh \gamma x + c_2 \sinh \gamma x. \quad (2pts)$$

$$X' = \gamma c_1 \sinh \gamma x + \gamma c_2 \cosh \gamma x$$

$$X'(0) + X(0) = 0 \Rightarrow$$

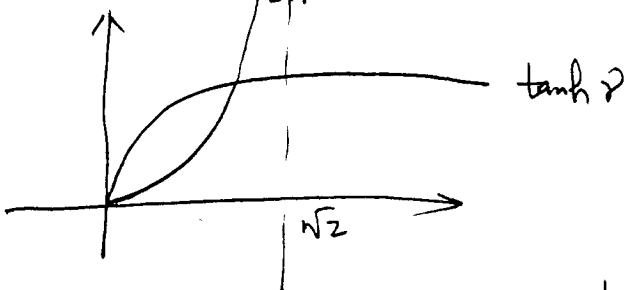
$$\gamma C_2 + C_1 = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 = -\gamma C_2 \Rightarrow C_2 = -\frac{1}{\gamma} C_1$$

$$X'(1) + 2X(1) = 0$$

$$\gamma C_1 \sinh \gamma + \gamma C_2 \cosh \gamma + 2(C_1 \cosh \gamma + C_2 \sinh \gamma) = 0$$

$$-\gamma^2 C_2 \sinh \gamma + \gamma C_2 \cosh \gamma + 2(-C_2 \gamma \cosh \gamma + C_2 \sinh \gamma) = 0$$

$$\tanh \gamma = \frac{\frac{\gamma}{2+\gamma^2}}{\frac{\gamma}{\gamma^2-2}} = \frac{\gamma}{2-\gamma^2} \quad (4 \text{ pts})$$



$$(\tanh \gamma)' \Big|_{\gamma=0} = 1, \quad \left(\frac{\gamma}{2-\gamma^2}\right)' \Big|_{\gamma=0} = \frac{1}{2} \quad (2 \text{ pts})$$

So  $\exists$  a unique negative eigenvalue, called  $\gamma_0$

$$X_0(x) = \cosh \gamma_0 x - \frac{1}{\gamma_0} \sinh \gamma_0 x$$

Case 2.  $\lambda = 0 \Rightarrow X = C_1 + C_2 x \quad (2 \text{ pts})$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} X' = C_2 \\ X'(0) + X(0) = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 + C_1 = 0 \\ X'(1) + 2X(1) = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 + 2C_1 = 0 \end{array} \right\} \Rightarrow C_1 = C_2 = 0$$

Case 3.  $\lambda = \beta^2, \beta > 0 \Rightarrow X = C_1 \cos \beta x + C_2 \sin \beta x$

we have

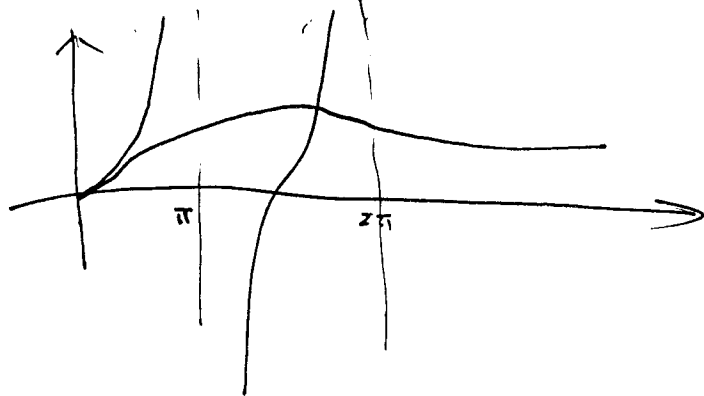
$$X'(0) + X(0) = 0 \Rightarrow -\beta C_2 + C_1 = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 = \beta C_2$$

$$X'(1) + 2X(1) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta C_1 \sin \beta - \beta C_2 \cos \beta + 2(C_1 \cos \beta + C_2 \sin \beta) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan \beta = \frac{\beta}{\beta^2 + 2}$$

(4pts)



$$n\pi < \beta_n < (n+1)\pi, \quad n=1, 2, \dots$$

(2pts)

$$X_n = \cos \beta_n x + \frac{1}{\beta_n} \sin \beta_n x$$

(2pts)

Now corresponding to  $\lambda_n$ , we have

$$T_n(t) = c e^{-\lambda_n t}$$

(2pts)

Step 3 Sum  $u P_{t \rightarrow \infty}$

$$u(x, t) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} a_n e^{-\lambda_n t} X_n(x)$$

(2pts)

where

$$a_n = \frac{\int_0^1 \phi(x) x_n(x) dx}{\int_0^1 x_n^2(x) dx}, \quad n=0, 1, 2, 3, \dots \quad (4 \text{ pts})$$

$$(b) \quad u(x, t) = a_0 e^{\beta_0^2 t} \chi_0(x) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n e^{-\beta_n^2 t} \chi_n(x)$$

Since all the other terms contain the term  $(5 \text{ pts})$   
 $e^{-\beta_n^2 t}$ , and hence they are bdd.

then if  $u(x, t)$  is bdd, then  $a_0 = 0$

Hence  $u$  is bdd if and only if  $a_0 = 0$   $(5 \text{ pts})$

$$\Leftrightarrow \int_0^1 \phi(x) \left( \cosh \beta_0 x - \frac{1}{\beta_0} \sinh \beta_0 x \right) dx = 0$$

Problem 4. Let  $X = X_R + iX_I$

$$\lambda = \lambda_R + i\lambda_I$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned} 0 &= X'' + \lambda X = X_R'' + iX_I'' + (\lambda_R + i\lambda_I)(X_R + iX_I) \\ &= X_R'' + \lambda_R X_R - \lambda_I X_I + i(X_I'' + \lambda_R X_I + \lambda_I X_R) \end{aligned}$$

5 pts

So

$$X_R'' + \lambda_R X_R - \lambda_I X_I = 0 \quad (1)$$

$$X_I'' + \lambda_R X_I + \lambda_I X_R = 0 \quad (2)$$

Multiplying (1) by  $X_I$  and (2) by  $X_R$  and subtracting and integrating

$$\int_0^l (X_I X_R'' - X_R X_I'') - \lambda_I \int_0^l (X_I^2 + X_R^2) = 0$$

5 pts

By Lagrange's identity

$$\int_0^l X_I X_R'' - X_R X_I'' = \int_0^l (X_I X_R' - X_I' X_R)'$$

$$= X_I X_R' - X_I' X_R \Big|_0^l$$

$$= X_I(l) X_R'(l) - X_I'(l) X_R(l) - (X_I(0) X_R'(0) - X_I'(0) X_R(0))$$

~~$$= X_I(0) X_R'(0) - X_I'(0) X_R(0)$$~~

$$= X_I(0) (5X_R(0) + X_R'(0)) - (5X_I(0) + X_I'(0)) X_R(0) - (X_I(0) X_R'(0) - X_I'(0) X_R(0))$$

$$= 0$$

(7 pts)



Hence we obtain

$$\lambda_I \int_0^l (x_I^2 + x_R^2) = \int_0^l (x_I x_R'' - x_R x_I'') \quad (2 \text{ pts})$$
$$= 0.$$

Thus

$$\lambda_I = 0$$

(1 pts)

So

$\lambda = \lambda_R$  is real.

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