

# HW 5

**2.6** (2) (0 pts) From fig. 7, and since the initial condition is  $f(x) = 0$ , the maximum will be the maximum between  $u(0, t) = T_0$  and  $u(a, t) = -\frac{k}{h} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(a, t) + T_1 \approx -\frac{k}{h} \frac{h(T_1 - T_0)}{k + ha} + T_1 = (T_0 - T_1) \cdot \frac{2}{2 + 1} + T_1$  for  $t > 0$  (and 0 for  $t = 0$ ).

(5 pts)

(8) By Ex. 7,  $b_m = \frac{2(1 - \cos(\lambda_m a))}{\lambda_m(a + \frac{k}{h} \cos^2(\lambda_m a))}$ .

So in Ex. 8, the new coefficients are  $B_m = T_1 b_m$ .

(10 pts)

(10) This is about proving orthogonality for the eigenvalues  $\lambda_n$  (not their approximation).

$$\int_0^a \sin(\lambda_n x) \sin(\lambda_m x) dx = \frac{1}{2} \int_0^a (\cos((\lambda_n - \lambda_m)x) - \cos((\lambda_n + \lambda_m)x)) dx = \frac{1}{2(\lambda_n - \lambda_m)} (\sin(\lambda_n a) \cos(\lambda_m a) - \cos(\lambda_n a) \sin(\lambda_m a)) + \frac{1}{2(\lambda_n + \lambda_m)} \left( -\frac{k\lambda_n}{h} \cos(\lambda_n a) \cos(\lambda_m a) - \frac{k\lambda_m}{h} \cos(\lambda_n a) \cos(\lambda_m a) \right)$$

and apply eq. (11).

(10 pts)

**2.10** (4)  $u(x, t) = \phi(x)T(t)$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(0, t) = \phi'(0) \cdot T(t) = 0 \implies \phi'(0) = 0$$

$$\phi'(x) = -c_1 \lambda \sin(\lambda x) + c_2 \lambda \cos(\lambda x)$$

Thus  $\phi'(0) = 0 \Rightarrow c_2 = 0$ . So  $\phi(x; \lambda) = \cos(\lambda x)$ .

As in book, we get  $u(x, t) = \int_0^\infty A(\lambda) \cos(\lambda x) e^{-\lambda^2 kt} d\lambda$ ,

$$A(\lambda) = \frac{2}{\pi} \int_0^\infty f(x) \cos(\lambda x) dx.$$

$$\textcircled{6} \text{ (10 pts) (a) } \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = p^2 e^{-px} (2 \cos(\omega t - px)) = \\ = \frac{1}{k} \cdot (\omega e^{-px} \cos(\omega t - px)) = \frac{1}{k} \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}$$

(c) (0 pts) Half a year corresponds to  $t = \frac{\pi}{\omega}$ .

Need  $x$  such that  $u(x, 0) = u(x, \frac{\pi}{\omega}) \Rightarrow$

$$\Rightarrow e^{-px} \sin(\pi - px) = 0 \Rightarrow x = \frac{\pi}{p} = \pi \cdot \sqrt{\frac{2k}{\omega}}$$

$$\textcircled{8} \text{ (10 pts) } \phi(x) = c_1 e^{px} + c_2 e^{-px}$$

$\phi(0) = 0 \Rightarrow c_2 = -c_1 \Rightarrow \phi(x) = c_1 (e^{px} - e^{-px})$  only bounded if  $c_1 = 0$  (for  $p > 0$ ,  $\lim (e^{px} - e^{-px}) = \infty - 0 = \infty$ , similarly for  $p < 0$ ).

For  $p > 0$ ,  $\phi(x)$  bounded  $\Rightarrow c_1 = 0 \Rightarrow \phi(x) = c_2 e^{-px}$

so  $\phi(0) = 0 \Rightarrow \phi \equiv 0$  (similarly for  $p < 0$ ).

2.11  $\textcircled{4}$  (10 pts) the problem with condition

$u(x, 0) = f_0(x)$  for  $x \in \mathbb{R}$  has solution given by

eq. 7, which can be written:

$$u(x,t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\kappa t}} \cdot \left( \int_0^{\infty} f_0(x') \exp\left[\frac{-(x'-x)^2}{4\kappa t}\right] dx' + \int_{-\infty}^0 f_0(x') \exp\left[\frac{-(x'-x)}{4\kappa t}\right] dx' \right)$$

now just make a change of variable  $y = -x'$ .

⑥ (10 pts).

• odd:  $u(-x,t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\kappa t}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x') \exp\left[\frac{-(x'+x)^2}{4\kappa t}\right] dx' =$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\kappa t}} \int_{\infty}^{-\infty} (-1)f(-y) \exp\left[\frac{-(x-y)^2}{4\kappa t}\right] dy \quad y = -x'$$

$$= (-1) \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(y) \exp\left[\frac{-(y-x)^2}{4\kappa t}\right] dy = -u(x,t).$$

• periodic:  $u(x+2a,t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\kappa t}} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x') \exp\left[\frac{-(x'-x-2a)^2}{4\kappa t}\right] dx' =$

$$= u(x,t) \text{ by change of variable } y = x' - 2a.$$

⑦ (5 pts) By eq. 7, and change of var.  $y = -x'$ ,

$$u(x,t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{4\kappa t}} \left( \int_0^{\infty} \exp\left[\frac{-(x'-x)^2}{4\kappa t}\right] dx' + \int_0^{\infty} (-1) \exp\left[\frac{-(y+x)^2}{4\kappa t}\right] dy \right).$$