

MATH 454 - BVPs - lecture notes

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Lecture 1

$$\partial_{x_j} f(x) = \lim_{\epsilon \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x + \epsilon e_j) - f(x)}{\epsilon}$$

Partial differential operator (PDO)

$$P(x, \partial_x) = \sum_{\alpha} C_{\alpha}(x) \partial_x^{\alpha} \rightarrow \partial_x^{\alpha} = \prod_{1 \leq j \leq d} \partial_{x_j}^{\alpha_j} \quad \alpha_j \rightarrow \text{degree}$$

eg: ① $x \partial_x + y \partial_y$

$$\sin(x+y+z) \partial_x \partial_y \partial_z + \partial_x^2 + \partial_y \partial_z.$$

$$P(x, \partial_x) f(x) = \sum_{\alpha} C_{\alpha}(x) \partial_x^{\alpha} f(x)$$

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linear PDO

$$\mathcal{L} = P(t, x, \partial_t, \partial_x)$$

$$\mathcal{L}(\alpha f + \beta g) = \alpha \mathcal{L}(f) + \beta \mathcal{L}(g)$$

linear PDE

$$P(t, x, \partial_t, \partial_x)(U) = f$$

↗ unknown: $U(t, x)$
↘ linear PDE ↘ known

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Linear PDEs

$f=0 \Rightarrow$ homogeneous

$f \neq 0 \Rightarrow$ inhomogeneous.

Laplace: $\Delta u = 0$

Poisson: $\Delta u = f$

Helmholtz: $\Delta u = -k^2 u \Rightarrow (\Delta + k^2) u = 0$

Heat: $(\partial_t - \kappa \Delta) u = 0$

Wave: $(\partial_t^2 - c^2 \Delta) u = 0$

Schrödinger: $(i\hbar \partial_t + \frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \Delta - V) u = 0$

Lec 4 Exponential Ansatz $\rightarrow$ a special form of solution.

$f(x) = e^{\lambda x} \rightarrow$ trial solution. where $\lambda \in \mathbb{C}$.

or $f(x, t) = e^{\lambda t + \mu x}$

lec 5 Separation of Variables

$$u(t, x) = \phi(t) A(x)$$

Eg: Heat equation: $\partial_t u = k \partial_x^2 u$

$$\partial_t u = \phi'(t) A(x)$$

$$k \partial_x^2 u = k A''(x) \phi(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\phi'(t)}{\phi(t)} = \frac{k A''(x)}{A(x)}$$

But each is independent so it must equal constant λ .

$$\Rightarrow \phi'(t) = \lambda \phi(t) \Rightarrow \phi(t) = e^{\lambda t}$$

$$A''(x) = \frac{1}{k} \lambda A(x) \Rightarrow A(x) = \alpha + \beta x \quad \text{if } \lambda = 0$$

$$\text{and } A(x) = \alpha e^{\sqrt{\lambda/k} x} + \beta e^{-\sqrt{\lambda/k} x} \quad \text{if } \lambda > 0$$

↳ blows up (unphysical)

$$\Rightarrow A(x) = \alpha e^{i\sqrt{-\lambda/k} x} + \beta e^{-i\sqrt{-\lambda/k} x} \quad \text{if } \lambda < 0$$

$$= \tilde{\alpha} \cos\left(\sqrt{\frac{-\lambda}{k}} x\right) + \tilde{\beta} \sin\left(\sqrt{\frac{-\lambda}{k}} x\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda < 0 : \quad u(t, x) = e^{\lambda t} \left(\tilde{\alpha} \cos\left(\sqrt{\frac{-\lambda}{k}} x\right) + \tilde{\beta} \sin\left(\sqrt{\frac{-\lambda}{k}} x\right) \right)$$

Boundary Value Problems (BVP)

D: Boundary: $\Omega \in \mathbb{R}^d$; $\partial\Omega = \{x \mid x \in \mathbb{R}^d \text{ \& } \forall \epsilon > 0$

$\exists x_{\text{int}} \in \Omega \text{ \& } x_{\text{ext}} \in \Omega^c = \mathbb{R}^d \setminus \Omega, \text{dist}(x, x_{\text{int}}) < \epsilon \text{ \& }$

$\text{dist}(x, x_{\text{ext}}) < \epsilon \}$



D: Closure: $\bar{\Omega} = \Omega \cup \partial\Omega$

Interior: $\Omega^\circ = \Omega \setminus \partial\Omega$.

D: Open: $\Omega = \Omega^\circ$ or every pt is an int. pt.

closed: if Ω^c is open. or $\Omega = \bar{\Omega}$ or set of all limit pts.

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Rmk: For PDEs, Ω must be open since we need to take derivatives.

Analytic Characterization of Boundaries

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Defined by $F: \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ as

$$\Omega = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^d : F(x) < 0\}$$

$$\partial\Omega = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^d : F(x) = 0\}$$

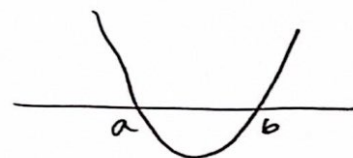
$$\Omega^c = \{x \in \mathbb{R}^d : F(x) \geq 0\}$$

eg: ① $F(x, y, z) = x^2 + y^2 + z^2 - R^2$

$\Rightarrow \Omega = \text{open ball in } \mathbb{R}^3.$

② $\Omega = (a, b) \quad -\infty < a < b < \infty$

$\Rightarrow F(x) = (x-a)(x-b)$



Rmk: If F smooth, $\nabla F \perp \partial\Omega$

In general ∇F is $\perp$ to its level sets (by defn)
& $\partial\Omega$ is a level set.

$\vec{n} = \frac{\nabla F}{|\nabla F|}$ if ∇F is nonvanishing everywhere.

& $\vec{n} \perp \partial\Omega$. & is the exterior unit normal.

Lec 7 Boundary Conditions

$$\mathcal{R} \ni (t', x') \quad \text{s.t.} \quad P(t, x, \partial_t, \partial_x) u(t', x') = g(t, x)$$

I Dirichlet Boundary Condition

$$u(t, x) = g(t, x). \quad \text{Usually } u(t, x) = 0$$

II Neumann Boundary Condition

$$\partial_{\vec{n}} u(t, x) = g(t, x) \quad \text{Usually } \partial_{\vec{n}} u(t, x) = 0$$

$\hookrightarrow \vec{n} \cdot \nabla u$

III Robin Boundary Condition

$$(\alpha u + \beta \partial_{\vec{n}} u)(x) = g(x) \quad \text{where } \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R} \neq 0.$$

IV Cauchy Boundary condition (a.k.a initial condition)

$$u(t_0, x) = g(x) \quad \text{Usually } u(0, x) = u_0(x) = g(x).$$

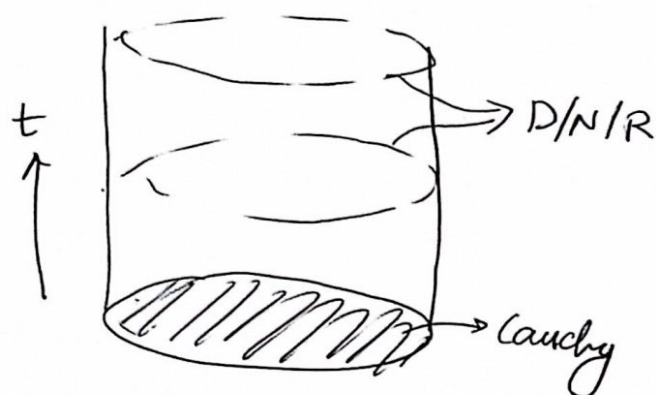
If there are l time derivatives,

$u(t_0, x); \partial_t u(t_0, x); \partial_t^2 u(t_0, x); \dots \partial_t^{l-1} u(t_0, x)$ are specified

Lec 8 Mixed B-C

- For circle $x^2 + y^2 = a^2$, the outward normal DBC is $(x \partial_x + y \partial_y) u(x, y) = 0$.

Cauchy & D/N/R



Separation of Variables with Boundary Conditions

$$\partial_t u = P(x, \partial_x) u$$

$$B(x, \partial_x) u(x) = 0 \quad \forall x \in \partial \Omega$$

Look for solutions $u(t, x) = \phi(t) A(x)$

$$\partial_t u = \phi'(t) A(x)$$

$$P(x, \partial_x) u = \phi(t) P(x, \partial_x) A(x)$$

$$\phi'(t) A(x) = \phi(t) P(x, \partial_x) A(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\phi'(t)}{\phi(t)} = \frac{P(x, \partial_x) A(x)}{A(x)} = \lambda$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi'(t) = \lambda \phi(t) \Rightarrow \phi(t) = c e^{\lambda t}$$

$$\text{and } P(x, \partial_x) A(x) = \lambda A(x)$$

$$\underline{B.C}: \quad \phi(t) \quad B(x, \partial_x) A(x) = 0$$

$$\phi(t) \neq 0 \Rightarrow B(x, \partial_x) A(x) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} P(x, \partial_x) A(x) = \lambda A(x) \\ B(x, \partial_x) A(x) = 0 \end{array} \right. \quad \text{"Eigenvalue problem".}$$

D: Eigenmode

$$\text{A solution to the BVP} \quad \begin{cases} \partial_t u = P(x, \partial_x) u \\ B(x, \partial_x) u = 0 \end{cases}$$

is an eigenmode if one of the following conditions hold.

① At some time t_0 , $u(t_0)$ is an eigenfunction,

$$\begin{cases} P(x, \partial_x) u(t_0) = \lambda(t_0) u(t_0) & \Omega \\ B(x, \partial_x) u(t_0) = 0 & \partial \Omega \end{cases}$$

for some eigenvalue $\lambda(t_0)$.

② Same as above but for all time t .

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If at time t_0 ,

$$P(x, \partial x) u(t_0) = \lambda u(t_0)$$

$$\checkmark \quad B(x, \partial x) u(t_0) = 0$$

Then,

$$u(t, x) = \phi(t) u(t_0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \cancel{\partial_t u} = \cancel{P(x, \partial x) u}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cancel{(\partial_t - P(x, \partial x)) u(t_0)} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \partial_t u(t, x) = P(x, \partial x) u(t, x)$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 = (\partial_t - P(x, \partial x)) u(t, x)$$

$$= \phi'(t) u(t_0) - \phi(t) \lambda u(t_0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi'(t) = \lambda \phi(t) \quad \& \quad \phi(t_0) = 1 \quad \text{since } u(t_0, x) = u(t_0)$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi(t) = c e^{\lambda(t-t_0)} \quad \& \quad \boxed{u(t, x) = e^{\lambda(t-t_0)} u(t_0)}$$

$\Rightarrow$ If u is an eigenmode, then $\exists \lambda$ s.t.

$$u(t_1, x) e^{-\lambda t_1} = u(t_2, x) e^{-\lambda t_2}$$

Linearity of eigenmodes

Let (A_j) be eigenfns. with e-vals λ_j , then

$$u(t, x) = \sum_j \alpha_j e^{\lambda_j t} A_j(x) \text{ are solutions.}$$

Lec 9 Fourier modes

I Dirichlet condition

$$\partial_x^2 u = \lambda u$$

$$* u(0) = u(p) = 0$$

If u is a non-trivial ~~condition~~ ^{solution} -

$$\int_0^p \bar{u} \partial_x^2 u dx = \int_0^p \bar{u} \lambda u dx = \lambda \int_0^p |u|^2 dx$$

$$\stackrel{\text{(IBP)}}{=} \int_0^p \left[\cancel{\bar{u} \partial_x u} \right]_0^p - \int_0^p \partial_x \bar{u} \partial_x u dx$$

from B.C

$$\Rightarrow - \int_0^p |\partial_x u|^2 dx = \lambda \int_0^p |u|^2 dx$$

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$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{- \int_0^p | \partial_x u |^2 dx}{\int_0^p |u|^2 dx}$$

$\partial_x u \neq 0$ in order to satisfy B.C nontrivially.

$$\Rightarrow \lambda < 0$$

$$\text{let } \lambda = -k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \partial_x^2 u = -k^2 u \quad \& \quad u(0) = u(p) = 0.$$

General soln. is $u = \alpha \cos(kx) + \beta \sin(kx)$

$$\text{Apply B.C } \Rightarrow u(0) = \alpha = 0$$

$$u(p) = \beta \sin(kp) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow kp = n\pi, \quad n \in \mathbb{Z}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = - \left(\frac{n\pi}{p} \right)^2 \quad \& \quad u_\lambda(x) = \beta \sin \left(\frac{n\pi}{p} x \right) //$$

II Neumann condition

$$\partial_x^2 u = \lambda u$$

$$u'(0) = u'(p) = 0$$

$$\lambda = \frac{- \int_0^p |\partial_x u|^2 dx}{\int_0^p |u|^2 dx}$$

$\Rightarrow \lambda \leq 0$, $\lambda = 0$ is a valid case.

$$\Rightarrow \partial_x^2 u = -k^2 u \quad \& \quad u'(0) = u'(p) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \alpha \sin(kx) + \beta \cos(kx)$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \alpha \sin kx + \beta \cos kx \quad k p = \frac{2n\pi}{2}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{-n^2 \pi^2}{p^2} \quad n \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$u_1(x) = \cos(kx) = \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)$$

Periodic Condition

$$\partial_x^2 u = \lambda u \quad (-p, p)$$

$$u(-p) = u(p) \quad \& \quad \partial_x u(-p) = \partial_x u(p).$$

$$\lambda \leq 0 \text{ from } \lambda = \frac{-\int_{-p}^p |\partial_x u|^2 dx}{\int_{-p}^p |u|^2 dx}$$

$$u = \alpha \cos(kx) + \beta \sin(kx).$$

$$u(-p) = u(p) \Rightarrow 2\beta \sin(kp) = 0$$

$$\left[\Rightarrow \beta = 0 \text{ or } kp = n\pi \quad n \in \mathbb{N} \quad \text{if } k > 0, n > 0 \right.$$

$$\text{or } u = \alpha \quad \left. \text{if } k = 0 \right]$$

$$\partial_x u(-p) = \partial_x u(p) \Rightarrow -\alpha \sin(kp) + \beta \cos(kp) = +\alpha \sin(kp) + \beta \cos(kp).$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = 0 \text{ or } kp = n\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \left\{ \begin{array}{l} u = \alpha \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{p}x\right) + \beta \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{p}x\right) \quad k > 0, n > 0 \\ \text{or } u = \alpha \quad k = 0 \end{array} \right.$$

Lec 10 Fourier analysis

$$\partial_t u = k \partial_x^2 u \quad \text{--- ①}$$

$$u(t, 0) = u(t, \pi) = 0$$

$$u(0, x) = u_0(x)$$

$$\text{where } u_0(x) = \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n \sin(nx)$$

look for solution of the form $\sum_{n=1}^N \phi_n(t) \sin(nx)$.

Plugging into ①

$$0 = (\partial_t - k \partial_x^2) \sum_{n=1}^N \phi_n(t) \sin(nx)$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^N (\partial_t - k \partial_x^2) (\phi_n(t) \sin(nx))$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^N \phi_n'(t) \sin(nx) + k n^2 \phi_n(t) \sin(nx)$$

$$= \sum_{n=1}^N [\phi_n'(t) + k n^2 \phi_n(t)] \sin(nx)$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi_n'(t) = -k n^2 \phi_n(t) \Rightarrow \phi_n(t) = C_n e^{-k n^2 t}$$

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$$u_0(x) = \sum_{n=1}^N \phi_n(0) \sin(nx) = \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n \sin(nx) = \sum_{n=1}^N C_n \sin(nx)$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_n = C_n$$

$$\Rightarrow \phi_n(t) = \alpha_n e^{-kn^2 t}$$

$$\Rightarrow u(t, x) = \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n e^{-kn^2 t} \sin(nx)$$

↳ From uniqueness, it is unique.

Linear function spaces

Let $\mathbb{F}$ be a field & J be a set. Let V be a set of functions defined on J i.e. $f \in V$ if $f: J \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$. Then we say

V is $\mathbb{F}$ -linear if $\forall f, g \in V$ & $\alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{F}$ we have

$$\alpha f + \beta g \in V.$$

Lec 11

Lineal independance of $\sin(nx)$

lemma: $\forall N \in \mathbb{N}, \forall b_n \in \mathbb{R}.$

$$\text{if } b_1 \sin(x) + \dots + b_N \sin(Nx) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow b_1 = b_2 = \dots = b_N = 0.$$

Pf ①: Apply ∂_x^2 again & again. $(N-1)$ times.

$$\Rightarrow \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2^2 & 3^2 & \dots & (N-1)^2 & N^2 \\ \vdots & & & & \\ 1 & (2^2)^{N-1} & \dots & (N^2)^{N-1} \end{pmatrix}}_{\text{Vandermonde matrix}} \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \sin x \\ \vdots \\ b_N \sin(Nx) \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

Vandermonde matrix $\Rightarrow$ invertible

$$\Rightarrow b_1 \sin x = \dots = b_N \sin(Nx) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow b_1 = b_2 = \dots = b_N = 0.$$

Pf ② $-\partial_x^2 \sin mx = m^2 \sin(mx)$

$$\Rightarrow \partial_x^2 \sin mx = -m^2 \sin(mx)$$

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$$\Rightarrow n^2 \int_0^{\pi} \sin(mx) \sin(nx) dx$$

$$= \int_0^{\pi} \sin(mx) - \partial_x^2 \sin(nx) dx$$

$$= m^2 \int_0^{\pi} \sin(mx) \sin(nx) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow (m^2 - n^2) \int_0^{\pi} \sin(mx) \sin(nx) dx = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{\pi} \sin(mx) \sin(nx) dx = 0 \quad \text{if } m \neq n$$

$$\& \int_0^{\pi} |\sin(nx)|^2 dx \neq 0 \quad \text{if } m = n.$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{\pi} \sin(mx) \left[\underbrace{b_1 \sin(nx) + \dots + b_N \sin(Nx)}_0 \right] dx$$

$$= 0$$

$$\Rightarrow b_m \underbrace{\int_0^{\pi} |\sin(mx)|^2 dx}_{\neq 0} = 0 \Rightarrow b_m = 0 //$$

Note, $b_n = \frac{\int_0^\pi u(x) \sin(nx) dx}{\int_0^\pi (\sin(nx))^2 dx}$

D: Inner Product

$$V \times V \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \quad \text{s.t.}$$

- ① $\langle \alpha f + \beta g, h \rangle = \alpha \langle f, h \rangle + \beta \langle g, h \rangle$
- ② $\langle f, g \rangle = \overline{\langle g, f \rangle}$
- ③ $\langle f, f \rangle \geq 0$ & $\langle f, f \rangle = 0 \Leftrightarrow f = 0$.

Ex: $\mathbb{C}^d \quad \langle x, y \rangle = [x]^* [y] \quad * \quad *$

Ex: $f, g \Rightarrow \langle f, g \rangle = \int_a^b f(x) \overline{g(x)} dx$

Lec 12D: l^2 -space

① Let $J \subseteq \mathbb{Z}$, $l^2(J, \mathbb{R})$ is the set of all sequences

$$a = (a_j)_{j \in J} \text{ s.t. } a_j \in \mathbb{R} \text{ \& } \sum_{j \in J} a_j^2 < \infty.$$

② $l^2(J, \mathbb{R})$ is the set of all sequences $a = (a_j)_{j \in J}$

• s.t. $a_j \in \mathbb{C} \ \forall j$ and $\sum_j a_j \bar{a}_j = \sum_j |a_j|^2 < \infty.$

Cauchy Schwartz

$$|\langle a, b \rangle| \leq \sqrt{\langle a, a \rangle \cdot \langle b, b \rangle}$$

On l^2 , define the following inner products.

• $l^2(J; \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \langle a, b \rangle = \sum_{j \in J} a_j b_j$

$l^2(J, \mathbb{C}) \rightarrow \langle a, b \rangle = \sum_{j \in J} a_j \bar{b}_j$

D: L^2 -space (square integrable fns.)

$\text{If } (a,b) \subseteq \mathbb{R}$ then $L^2(a,b)$ is the set of

all functions $f: (a,b) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ s.t.

$$\int_a^b |f(x)|^2 dx < \infty.$$

Inner product: $\langle f, g \rangle = \int_a^b f(x) \overline{g(x)} dx$

> L^2 is an inner product space, under the condition

that $\|f - g\| = 0 \Rightarrow f = g$ (in the L^2 sense).

> f, g orthogonal if $\langle f, g \rangle = 0$

On $L^2(0, \rho)$, the following sets are orthogonal,

$$\left\{ \sin\left(\frac{k\pi x}{\rho}\right) \right\}_{k \in \mathbb{N} - \{0\}} \Rightarrow \int_0^\rho \sin\left(\frac{m\pi x}{\rho}\right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) dx = \begin{cases} 0 & m \neq n \\ \rho/2 & m = n \end{cases}$$

$$\left\{ \cos\left(\frac{k\pi x}{\rho}\right) \right\}_{k \in \mathbb{N}}$$

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• $\left\{ e^{\frac{i k \pi x}{P}} \right\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}}$ is orthogonal on $L^2(-P, P)$.

Thm : If V is a $S \subseteq V$ orthogonal,

* $u = \sum c_j e_j$ where $c_j \in \mathbb{C}$ & $e_j \in S$.

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{c_j = \frac{\langle u, e_j \rangle}{\langle e_j, e_j \rangle}} \quad \forall j$$

Pf:

$$\langle u, e_k \rangle = \left\langle \sum_j c_j e_j, e_k \right\rangle$$

$$= \sum_j \langle c_j e_j, e_k \rangle$$

$$= c_k \langle e_k, e_k \rangle$$

$$\Rightarrow c_k = \frac{\langle u, e_k \rangle}{\langle e_k, e_k \rangle}$$

Lec 13 Hilbert space (IPS with limit)

An IPS V is a Hilbert space if $\forall$ sequences

$$(f_n)_{n \geq 0} \text{ that satisfies } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{m \geq n} |f_m - f_n| = 0$$

there exists a function $f \in V$ s.t.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \|f_n - f\| = 0.$$

Norms

$$\|f\|_{\ell^2} = \sqrt{\langle f, f \rangle} = \sqrt{\sum_{j \in J} f_j \overline{f_j}}$$

$$\|f\|_{L^2} = \sqrt{\langle f, f \rangle} = \sqrt{\int_a^b f \overline{f} dx} = \sqrt{\int_a^b |f(x)|^2 dx}$$

D: Orthogonal projection

$$g = \frac{\langle f, e \rangle}{\underbrace{\langle e, e \rangle}_{\lambda}} e \quad \times \text{ ~~also~~ } (f - g) \perp e.$$

Q: Orthogonal projection.

Let $S = \{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_n\}$ be a ~~basis~~ set of fns.

Orthogonal projection of f onto $\text{span}(S)$ is

$$g = \lambda_1 e_1 + \dots + \lambda_n e_n \text{ where}$$

$$\lambda_j = \frac{\langle f, e_j \rangle}{\langle e_j, e_j \rangle}$$

Q: Hilbert space (again)

V IPS is Hilbert if $\forall$ sequences $(u_n)_{n \geq 0} \subset V$ s.t.

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{m \geq n} |u_n - u_m| = 0, \exists u \in V \text{ s.t.}$$

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} |u_n - u| = 0 \quad \text{or} \quad \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n = u =$$

eg: ℓ^2 & L^2 are Hilbert spaces.

Lec 14Fourier Series.

Let $S = (e_j)_{j \in J}$ be an orthogonal subset of a

Hilbert space V & $(J \in \mathbb{Z})$. Then for all $f \in V$,

the Fourier series of f is the series

$$f = \sum_{j \in J} \underbrace{\frac{\langle f, e_j \rangle}{\langle e_j, e_j \rangle}}_{\text{Fourier coeffs.}} e_j.$$

Fourier coeffs.

$$\text{Also } \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \left\| \sum_{\substack{j \\ |j| \leq n}} \frac{\langle f, e_j \rangle}{\langle e_j, e_j \rangle} e_j - f \right\| = 0.$$

$$\text{Eg: On } L^2(0, p), \quad f \sim \sum_{n \geq 1} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right),$$

$$b_n = \frac{\int_0^p f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) dx}{\int_0^p \sin^2\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) dx} = \frac{2}{p} \int_0^p f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) dx$$

(Same for cosine.)

Lec 15 (Reviews mid-term solutions)

Lec 16

Review

Linear IPS with limits.

D: Complex Hilbert Space H . (3 properties)

- ① H is a linear function space.
- ② H is an inner product space.
- ③ In H we can take limits.

Eg: $l^2(\mathbb{N})$ or $l^2(\mathbb{C}) = \{ (a_n)_{n=0}^{\infty} \text{ s.t. } \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} |a_n|^2 < \infty \}$

also $\hookrightarrow l^2(\mathbb{N}^*) \rightarrow \mathbb{N}/\{0\}$

$$L^2(a, b) = \{ f : (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbb{C} \text{ s.t. } \int_a^b |f(x)|^2 dx < \infty \}$$

D: Fourier Series

H : Hilbert space

$(e_j)_{j \in \mathbb{J}}$: complete orthogonal set of functions.

● If $f \in H$, then: $f = \sum_{j \in \mathbb{J}} \gamma_j e_j$ where $\gamma_j = \frac{\langle f, e_j \rangle}{\langle e_j, e_j \rangle}$

Parseval's identity (Pythagorean Thm in ∞ dim space)

$$\langle f, f \rangle = \|f\|^2 = \sum_{j \in J} \langle x_j e_j, x_j e_j \rangle = \sum_{j \in J} |x_j|^2 \|e_j\|^2$$

Summary:

Hilbert space	(Sine) $L^2(0, p)$	(Cosine) $L^2(0, p)$	(Exponential) $L^2(-p, p)$
Orthogonal basis	$\left\{ \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) \right\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}^*}$	$\left\{ \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) \right\}_{n \in \mathbb{N}}$	$\left\{ e^{\frac{i\pi k x}{p}} \right\}_{k \in \mathbb{Z}}$
Fourier coeff.	$b_n = \frac{2}{p} \int_0^p f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) dx$	$a_n = \frac{2}{p} \int_0^p f(x) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) dx$	$C_k = \frac{1}{2p} \int_{-p}^p f(x) e^{-\frac{i\pi k x}{p}} dx$
Fourier series	$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)$	$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)$	$f(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\frac{i\pi k x}{p}}$
Parseval's identity	$\int_0^p f(x) ^2 dx = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_0^p b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) ^2 dx$ $= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n ^2 \frac{p}{2}$ $\Rightarrow \frac{2}{p} \int_0^p f(x) ^2 dx = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n ^2$	$\int_0^p f(x) ^2 dx = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \int_0^p a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) ^2 dx + \int_0^p \left \frac{a_0}{2}\right ^2 dx$ $= \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n ^2 \frac{p}{2} + \frac{p}{4} a_0 ^2$ $\Rightarrow \frac{2}{p} \int_0^p f(x) ^2 dx = \frac{1}{2} a_0 ^2 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n ^2$	$\int_{-p}^p f(x) ^2 dx = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-p}^p C_k e^{\frac{i\pi k x}{p}} ^2 dx$ $= \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k ^2 2p$ $\Rightarrow \frac{1}{2p} \int_{-p}^p f(x) ^2 dx = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k ^2$

§2.4 Pointwise Convergence.

Let us only consider $L^2(-p, p)$. We know if

$$f \in L^2(-p, p) \text{ . Then } f(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x / p}$$

$$\text{where } C_k = \frac{1}{2p} \int_{-p}^p f(x) e^{-\pi i k x / p} dx$$

The equality holds in the L^2 -sense

$$\text{i.e. } \int_{-p}^p |f(x) - g(x)|^2 dx = 0.$$

Thm (Lebesgue)

If $f = g$ in L^2 -sense, then for almost every x you
 have $f(x) = g(x)$.
 (measure theory)
 (real analysis)

(i.e. measure of points where $f(x) \neq g(x)$ has measure 0).

(Probability $(x: f(x) \neq g(x)) = 0$).

Thm (Carleson, Luzin)

If $f \in L^2(-p, p)$, then for a.e. $x \in (-p, p)$ we have

$$f(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x / p} ; f \in L^2 \Leftrightarrow (C_k) \in \ell^2(\mathbb{Z}) \Leftrightarrow |C_k|^2 < \infty$$

Thm

If $\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |C_k| < \infty$, then $\forall x \in (-p, p)$ the series

$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x / p}$ is convergent. $\leadsto$ pointwise convergence.

and it converges to a function f with this } Convergent
prescribed Fourier series. of series of functions

$\Rightarrow \left[\begin{array}{l} \text{Summable Fourier coeff} \Rightarrow \text{pointwise convergence} \\ \text{Square summable Fourier coeff} \Rightarrow \text{a.e. convergence} \end{array} \right] *$

Summary Let $f \in L^2(-p, p)$

① if $\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |C_k|^2 < \infty$ then $\forall$ a.e. x , $f(x) \stackrel{\text{a.e.}}{=} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x / p}$

② if $\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |C_k| < \infty$, then $\forall x$, $g(x) \stackrel{+}{=} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x / p}$

(i) $f = g$ in L^2 sense

(ii) $f(x) = g(x)$ almost everywhere

(iii) g is continuous! & f is almost continuous.

$\hookrightarrow$ (1st proof in notes)

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Theorem ① Convergence in $L^2(-p, p) \Leftrightarrow$ square summability of Fourier coefficients.

$\Rightarrow$ almost everywhere convergence of Fourier series.

i.e. with probability 1, the series $\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x / p}$ is convergent.

(i) Since each term in $\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\frac{\pi i k x}{p}}$ is $2p$ -periodic,

$\Rightarrow$ the Fourier series is $2p$ -periodic.

(ii) $\Rightarrow$ if the series is convergent at x , it is also convergent at $x + 2mp$.

(iii) Therefore, the Fourier series of a function $f \in L^2(-p, p)$ gives a periodic extension of f from $(-p, p)$ to $\mathbb{R}$.

(iv) The limit/infinite sum of continuous functions may cease to be continuous.

Eg: Suppose $\lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} u(x) = u(x_0)$ and $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n(x) = u(x)$

In order for u to be continuous, the two limits must commute.

$$u(x_0) = \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} u(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n(x) \stackrel{?}{=} \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \lim_{x \rightarrow x_0} u_n(x) = \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} u_n(x_0) = u(x_0)$$

Thm: If $(C_k)_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \in \ell^1(\mathbb{Z})$, i.e. $\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |C_k| < \infty$.

Then the Fourier Series

$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{i\pi kx/p}$ Converges absolutely & uniformly to a continuous function.

i.e. $\exists$ a continuous $2p$ -periodic function g s.t.

$$\lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} \sup_{x \in \mathbb{R}} \left| g(x) - \sum_{k=-N}^N C_k e^{i\pi kx/p} \right| = 0$$

Let $f \in L^2(-p, p)$ & let $x_0 \in \mathbb{R}$. What can we say

about $\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{i\pi kx_0/p}$?

Thm: (Dini): Let f be $2p$ -periodic, square integrable
 $\forall N \in \mathbb{N}$. Let $S_N[f](x) = \sum_{k=-N}^N C_k e^{i\pi kx/p}$. Let $x_0 \in \mathbb{R}$.

Suppose that, $\exists A \in \mathbb{C}$, $\delta > 0$, s.t.

$$\int_0^\delta \left| \frac{f(x_0+z) + f(x_0-z)}{2} - A \right| \frac{dz}{z} < \infty, \text{ then } \lim_{N \rightarrow \infty} S_N[f](x_0) = A.$$

Corollary: If f is differentiable at x_0 then

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k e^{n i k x/p} = f(x_0).$$

pf, $\left| f(x_0+z) - f(x_0) - f'(x_0)z \right| \leq C(z) |z| \quad \lim_{z \rightarrow 0} C(z) = 0$

Particularly,

$$|f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)| \leq C |z|$$

Let $A = f(x_0)$

$$\left| \frac{f(x_0+z) + f(x_0-z)}{2} - A \right| = \frac{1}{2} \left| (f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)) + (f(x_0-z) - f(x_0)) \right|$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2} |f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)| + \frac{1}{2} |f(x_0-z) - f(x_0)|$$

$$\leq \frac{C}{2} |z| + \frac{C}{2} |z| = C |z| //$$

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Theorem (Dini)

f is $2p$ -periodic, square integrable on $(-p, p)$ and suppose that, for some $A \in \mathbb{C}$, $\delta > 0$, we have

$$\int_0^\delta \left| \frac{f(x_0 + z) + f(x_0 - z)}{2} - A \right| \frac{dz}{z} < \infty$$

$$\text{then } \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x_0 / p} = A.$$

Cor: If in addition f is differentiable at x_0 , then

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x_0 / p} = f(x_0)$$

Def: A function f is called Hölder α -continuous

(where $0 < \alpha < \infty$) at x if for some $\begin{cases} C > 0 \\ \delta > 0 \end{cases}$ - we have

$$|f(x+z) - f(x)| \leq C |z|^\alpha, \quad \forall |z| < \delta.$$

① We know that if f is differentiable at x_0 , then f is Hölder 1-continuous at x_0 .

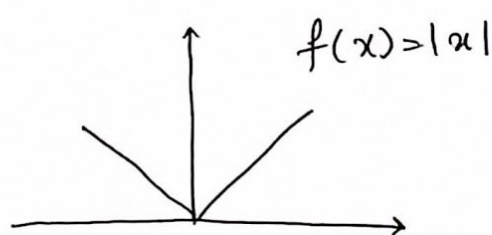
$$|f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)| \leq C |z|$$

(31)

② The converse is not true,

a function can be Hölder 1-continuous (aka Lipschitz) without being differentiable at a point.

Counter example:



① not differentiable at 0.

② Lipschitz at 0.

$$|f(x) - f(0)| = ||x| - 0| = |x| \leq 1|x|'$$

The Corollary that

Differentiability $\Rightarrow$ convergence of Fourier series
can be strengthened to

Lipschitz continuity $\Rightarrow$ convergence of Fourier series.

Proof (Exercise)

Theorem: If f is $2p$ -periodic, square integrable over $(-p, p)$ and if f is α -continuous at x_0 ($\alpha > 0$).

Then
$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k e^{\pi i k x_0 / p} = f(x_0)$$

Proof:
$$\frac{f(x_0 + z) + f(x_0 - z)}{2} - f(x_0) = \frac{1}{2} (f(x_0 + z) - f(x_0)) + \frac{1}{2} (f(x_0 - z) - f(x_0))$$

Triangle inequality,

$$\Rightarrow \left| \frac{f(x_0+z) + f(x_0-z)}{2} - f(x_0) \right| \leq \frac{1}{2} |f(x_0+z) - f(x_0)| + \frac{1}{2} |f(x_0-z) - f(x_0)|$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2} C |z|^\alpha + \frac{1}{2} C |z|^\alpha = C |z|^\alpha \text{ when } |z| < \delta.$$

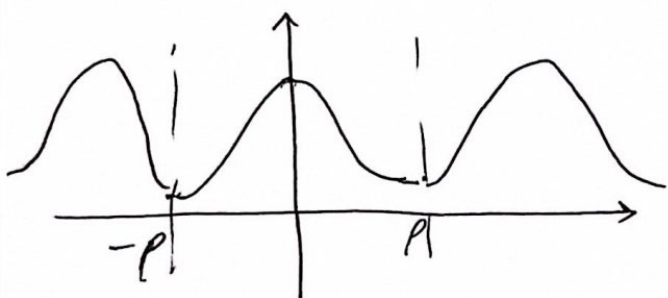
We have,

$$\int_0^\delta \left| \frac{f(x_0+z) + f(x_0-z)}{2} - f(x_0) \right| \frac{dz}{z} \leq \int_0^\delta C |z|^\alpha \frac{dz}{z}$$

$$= \int_0^\delta C z^{\alpha-1} dz = \left[C \frac{z^\alpha}{\alpha} \right]_0^\delta < \infty \text{ when } \alpha > 0 //$$

Q: What if f is not continuous at a point x_0 ?

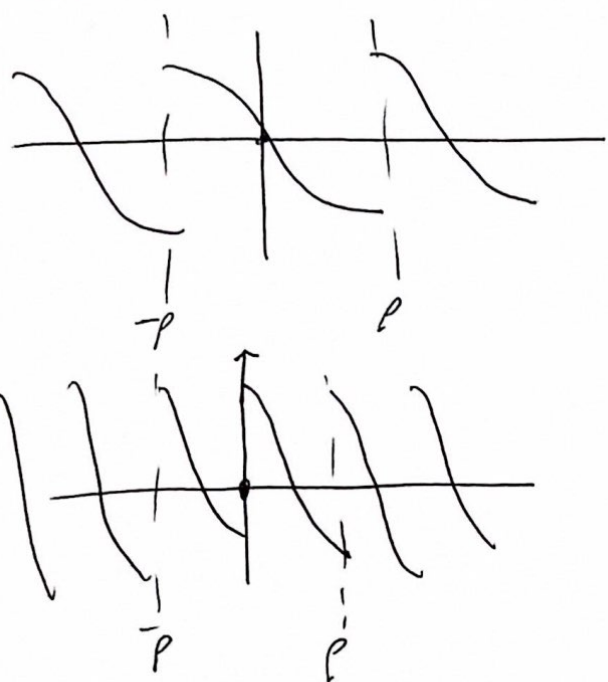
① Suppose that f is even. (very continuous).



$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)$$

pointwise at $x=0$.

② Suppose f is odd. (assuming $\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x)$ exists)



$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) \text{ almost everywhere.}$$

$$\text{when } x=0, \text{ RHS} = 0 = \frac{f(0^+) + f(0^-)}{2}$$

③ General case

$$f(x) = f_{\text{even}}(x) + f_{\text{odd}}(x) \rightarrow \frac{1}{2}(f(x) - f(-x))$$

$$\hookrightarrow \frac{1}{2}(f(x) + f(-x))$$

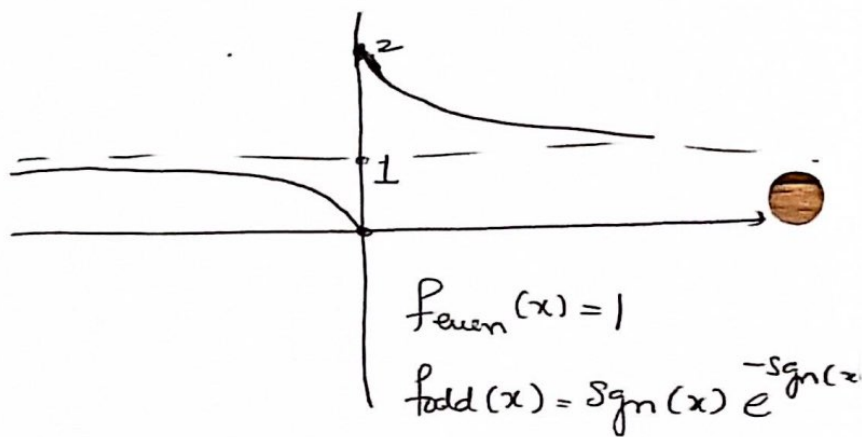
$$f(x) = \underbrace{\frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)}_{\text{even}} + \underbrace{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)}_{\text{odd}}$$

$$\text{At } x=0, \text{ Fourier series at } 0 = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n$$

$$f_{\text{even}}(0) = \frac{1}{2}(f(0^+) + f(0^-))$$

$$f(x) = 1 + \operatorname{sgn}(x) e^{-\operatorname{sgn}(x)}$$

$$= \begin{cases} 1 + e^{-x} & x > 0 \\ 1 & x = 0 \\ 1 - e^x & x < 0 \end{cases}$$



$$\text{i.e.} \left[\frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) \right] \Big|_{x=0}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} (f(0^+) + f(0^-))$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left(\lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} f(x) + \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^-} f(x) \right)$$

Def: (1) A function is called Hölder α -continuous

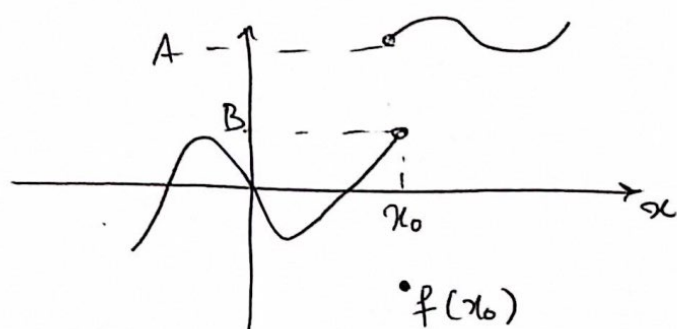
from right at a pt. x_0 , if $\exists \begin{cases} A \in \mathbb{C} \\ \delta > 0 \\ C > 0 \end{cases}$ s.t.

$$|f(x_0 + z) - A| \leq C z^\alpha, \quad \forall 0 < z < \delta.$$

(2) f is α -continuous from left at x_0 , if $\exists$
 $B \in \mathbb{C}$, $\delta > 0$, $C > 0$ s.t.

$$|f(x_0 - z) - B| \leq C z^\alpha, \quad \forall 0 < z < \delta.$$

eg:



Thm: Let f be $2p$ -periodic, square integrable over $(-p, p)$. If f is α -continuous from right at x_0 and β -continuous from left at x_0 .

Then, $\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x_0 / p}$ is convergent.

In fact, if $\begin{cases} |f(x_0 + \delta) - A| \leq C_1 \delta^\alpha \\ |f(x_0 - \delta) - B| \leq C_2 \delta^\beta \end{cases}$ where $\delta > 0$ is small

$$\text{then } \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x_0 / p} = \frac{1}{2} (A+B)$$

Proof (will come in exam) Dini again

$$\begin{aligned} & \left| \frac{f(x_0 + \delta) + f(x_0 - \delta)}{2} - \frac{1}{2} (A+B) \right| = \frac{1}{2} |(f(x_0 + \delta) - A) + (f(x_0 - \delta) - B)| \\ & \leq \frac{1}{2} |f(x_0 + \delta) - A| + \frac{1}{2} |f(x_0 - \delta) - B| \leq \frac{1}{2} C_1 \delta^\alpha + \frac{1}{2} C_2 \delta^\beta \end{aligned}$$

($0 < \delta < \delta_0$)

$$\int_0^\delta \left| \frac{f(x_0+z) + f(x_0-z)}{2} - \frac{1}{2}(A+B) \right| \frac{dz}{z}$$

$$\leq \int_0^\delta \left(\frac{1}{2} C_1 z^\alpha + \frac{1}{2} C_2 z^\beta \right) \frac{dz}{z} = \frac{1}{2} \left[C_1 \int_0^\delta z^{\alpha-1} dz + C_2 \int_0^\delta z^{\beta-1} dz \right]$$

$< \infty$

§2.5 Periodic extensions, Dirichlet/Neumann boundary conditions

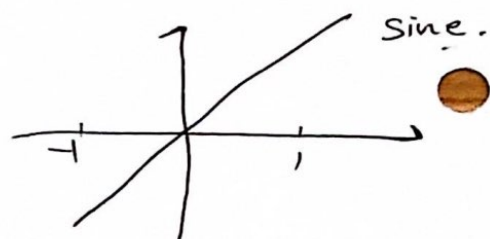
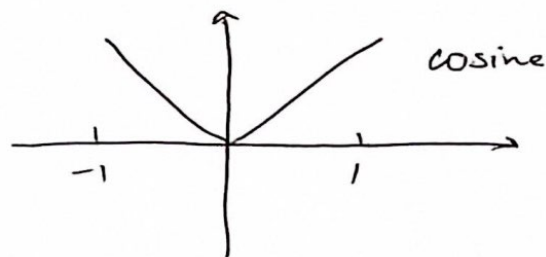
Given a function $f \in L^2(0, \rho)$

You have,

$$\begin{cases} f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) \\ f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) \end{cases} \quad \text{in } L^2$$

The RHS in both expressions are defined for
(almost everywhere) $x \in \mathbb{R}$.

Difference : $\begin{cases} \text{cosine series is even} \\ \text{sine series is odd.} \end{cases}$



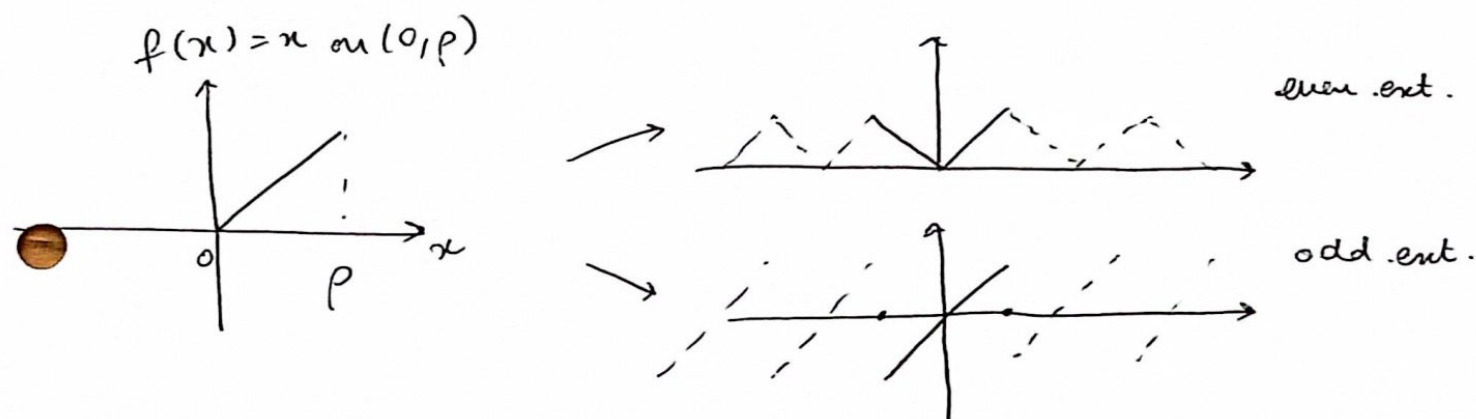
2.5 Periodic Even-Odd extensions

Let $f \in L^2(0, p) \rightarrow$ cosine series

$$f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) \quad 2p\text{-periodic (even)}$$

└ Sine series

$$f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) \quad 2p\text{-periodic (odd)}$$



Question: Let $f \in L^2(0, p)$

Sine series: $f(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)$ (defined a.e. on $\mathbb{R}$)

Particularly, if $x = kp$ where $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

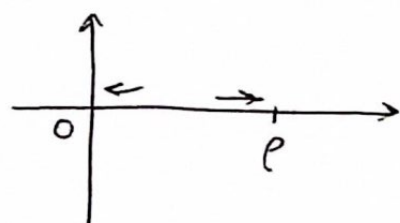
$$\text{then } \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi kp}{p}\right) = 0$$

Conclusion: f satisfies Dirichlet? False since only the periodic ext is 0 but not the function itself, we don't have pointwise convergence. Even under pointwise convergence, DBC is a "limit condition" & does not consider the actual value at a pt.

Therefore, in order for the Fourier series

$\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)$ to satisfy the Dirichlet condition at $0, p$, we need

$$\begin{cases} \lim_{x \rightarrow 0^+} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) = 0 \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow p^-} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) = 0 \end{cases}$$



If continuity is not guaranteed, the limit condition may not be satisfied.

We need the sine series to converge to continuous function (at least continuous at the points 0 & p) to be able to talk about the Dirichlet condition.

Recall that, if $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |b_n| < \infty$, then the sine series defines a continuous function, this continuous function must satisfy the Dirichlet boundary condition.

What about the Neumann condition?

Formally, write $f(x) = \frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)$

$$f'(x) = \left(\frac{a_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) \right)' \quad \left. \vphantom{\sum_{n=1}^{\infty}} \right\} \text{ maybe illegal.}$$

$$\stackrel{?}{=} \left(\frac{a_0}{2} \right)' + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left(a_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) \right)'$$

$$= - \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n \left(\frac{n\pi}{p} \right) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)$$

$$= - \frac{\pi}{p} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (n a_n) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)$$

if $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |n a_n| < \infty$, then f' is continuous $\Rightarrow$ satisfies Dirichlet.

$\Rightarrow f$ satisfies the Neumann condition.

For this to make sense, we need to justify termwise differentiation of Fourier series.

§ 2.6 Termwise differentiation of Fourier series.

Lemma: let f be $2p$ -periodic such that $f' \in L^2(-p, p)$.
(f is a.e. differentiable).

$$\text{then } \frac{1}{2\rho} \int_{-\rho}^{\rho} f'(x) e^{-\pi i k x / \rho} dx = \frac{\pi i k}{\rho} \frac{1}{2\rho} \int_{-\rho}^{\rho} f(x) e^{-\pi i k x / \rho} dx.$$

In other words, if $f(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} c_k e^{\pi i k x / \rho}$, then

$$f'(x) = \frac{\pi i}{\rho} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} k c_k e^{\pi i k x / \rho} \quad \swarrow \text{Equality in } L^2 \text{ space.}$$

Lemma: if f is 2ρ -periodic, $f' \in L^2(-\rho, \rho)$, then

f is everywhere $\frac{1}{2}$ -Hölder continuous!

$$f(y) - f(x) = \int_x^y f'(z) dz$$

$$|f(y) - f(x)| = \left| \int_x^y f'(z) dz \right| = \left| \int_x^y f'(z) \cdot 1 dz \right| = |\langle f', 1 \rangle|$$

$$\leq \|f'\| \cdot \|1\| = \sqrt{\int_x^y |f'(z)|^2 dz} \cdot \sqrt{\int_x^y 1^2 dz} \leq \underbrace{\sqrt{\int_{-\rho}^{\rho} |f'(z)|^2 dz}}_{\text{constant}} |y-x|$$

$\Rightarrow f$ is $\frac{1}{2}$ -Hölder continuous everywhere!

Q. What about the pointwise convergence of $f'(x) = \frac{\pi i}{\rho} \sum_k k c_k e^{\pi i k x / \rho}$?

1) if f' satisfies
$$\begin{cases} |f'(x_0 + \delta) - A| \leq M \delta^\alpha \\ |f'(x_0 - \delta) - B| \leq N \delta^\beta \end{cases} \quad \forall \delta \in (0, \delta) \\ \{\alpha, \beta > 0\}$$

Then at $x = x_0$,

$$\frac{\pi i}{p} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} k C_k e^{\pi i k x_0 / p} = \frac{1}{2} (A+B).$$

3) If f' is differentiable at x_0 (i.e.) $f''(x_0)$ exists,

$$\text{then } \frac{\pi i}{p} \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} k C_k e^{\pi i k x_0 / p} = f'(x_0).$$

Observe that, ① $f \in L^2(-p, p) \Leftrightarrow \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |C_k|^2 < \infty$

$$\text{② } f' \in L^2(-p, p) \Leftrightarrow \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |k|^2 |C_k|^2 < \infty$$

Generalization to higher order $\Rightarrow k C_k \rightarrow 0$ (as $k \rightarrow \infty$)

Def: Let (a, b) be an open interval. Let $m \in \mathbb{N}$, the space of functions $H^m(a, b)$ is the set of all functions $f: (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ s.t. $f^{(m)} \in L^2(a, b)$.

We have shown that, if $f^{(m)} \in L^2(a, b)$, then ~~f~~ $f^{(m-1)}$

$\frac{1}{2}$ -continuous. $\Rightarrow f^{(m-1)} \in L^2$. Therefore,

$$H^m \subset H^{m-1} \subset H^{m-2} \subset \dots \subset H^0 = L^2 //$$

Theorem: If f is $2p$ -periodic, $f \in H^m(-p, p)$ and write

$$f(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x / p}. \quad \text{Then } f^{(m)}(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\pi i k}{p}\right)^m C_k e^{\pi i k x / p}$$

(in L^2 a.e.).

Corollary: (under the same condition)

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |k^m C_k|^2 < \infty$$

$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |k|^{2m} |C_k|^2 < \infty$$

Particularly,
 $\lim_{|k| \rightarrow \infty} k^m C_k = 0.$

C_k goes to 0 faster than
 $\frac{1}{k^m}$
 $\Rightarrow$

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Def: let $m \in \mathbb{N}$, then the "Sobolev Space" $H^m(a, b)$ is the set of all functions $f: (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$, such that f is a.e m -times differentiable.

$$f^{(m)} \in L^2(a, b); \text{ i.e. } \int_a^b |f^{(m)}(x)|^2 dx < \infty.$$

From the def:

$$\bullet \rightarrow L^2 = H^0 \supset H^1 \supset H^2 \dots \supset \bigcap_{n=0}^{\infty} H^n = H^{\infty} \quad (*)$$

(in fact $H^{\infty} \subset C^{\infty}$; space of smooth functions)

Thm: let $f \in L^2(-p, p)$ (& $2p$ -periodic) and write $f(x) = \sum_k c_k e^{\frac{\pi i k x}{p}}$

$\Rightarrow \forall m \in \mathbb{N}, f \in H^m(-p, p)$ iff $(k^m c_k) \in l^2(\mathbb{Z})$.

in other words,

$$\int_{-p}^p |f^{(m)}(x)|^2 dx < \infty \Leftrightarrow \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |k|^{2m} |c_k|^2 < \infty \quad (**)$$

Rmk: (*) is a direct consequence of (**)

$$\Rightarrow f^{(m)}(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\pi i k}{p}\right)^m c_k e^{\pi i k x/p}$$

More precisely, (repeating)

$$f^{(m)}(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \left(\frac{\pi i k}{\rho} \right)^m C_k e^{\pi i k x / \rho}$$

To prove this Thm, we use,

Lemma: If $f \in H'(-\rho, \rho)$ then $\int_{-\rho}^{\rho} f'(x) e^{+\pi i k x / \rho} dx = \frac{\pi i k}{\rho} \int_{-\rho}^{\rho} f(x) e^{\frac{\pi i k x}{\rho}} dx$.

Proof:- Integrate by parts.

$$\int_{-\rho}^{\rho} f'(x) e^{+\frac{\pi i k x}{\rho}} dx = \left[f(x) e^{+\frac{\pi i k x}{\rho}} \right]_{-\rho}^{\rho} - \int_{-\rho}^{\rho} f(x) \left(e^{\frac{\pi i k x}{\rho}} \right)' dx$$

How do we talk about $f(x)$ at $x = \pm \rho$?

$f \in H'$ $\Rightarrow$ f is $\frac{1}{2}$ Hölder continuous.

$\Rightarrow$ in fact it is uniformly continuous

$$\text{since } |f(x) - f(y)| \leq C |y - x|^{1/2}$$

$\Rightarrow$ we can talk about $f(\pm \rho)$ when f is continuous.

Consequently, the boundary value vanishes,

$$\int_{-\rho}^{\rho} f'(x) e^{-\pi i k x / \rho} dx = - \int_{-\rho}^{\rho} f(x) \left(e^{-\pi i k x / \rho} \right)' dx = \frac{\pi i k}{\rho} \int_{-\rho}^{\rho} f(x) e^{-\pi i k x / \rho} dx.$$

Section 3 Fourier method.

3.1 1D - Laplace equation.

$$u'' = f \quad -\rho < x < \rho$$

$$u(-\rho) = u(\rho), \quad u'(-\rho) = u'(\rho)$$

Formally write $u(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x / \rho}$

$$f(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \gamma_k e^{\pi i k x / \rho}$$

$$u'' = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k \left(\frac{\pi i k}{\rho} \right)^2 e^{\pi i k x / \rho}$$

Equating Fourier coefficients

$$C_k \left(\frac{\pi i k}{\rho} \right)^2 = \gamma_k \quad \forall k \Rightarrow C_k = - \frac{\gamma_k \rho^2}{\pi^2 k^2}, \quad k \neq 0$$

When $k=0$, $\gamma_0=0$ in order to obtain a valid solution & C_0 can be arbitrary.

Conclusion:

① If $\gamma_0 = \frac{1}{2\rho} \int_{-\rho}^{\rho} f(x) dx \neq 0$ then no solution.

② If $\gamma_0 = 0$, then ∞ -number of solns. $\left. \vphantom{\int} \right\} u(x) = C_0 - \frac{\rho^2}{\pi^2} \sum_{k \neq 0} \frac{\gamma_k}{k^2} e^{\pi i k x / \rho}$

Rmk on ①

$$\int_{-p}^p f(x) dx = \int_{-p}^p u''(x) dx = \int_{-p}^p (u'(x))' dx = u'(p) - u'(-p) = 0$$

② If u is a solution,

then $u+C$ is also a solution.

In order to make these operations legal,

we need $f \in L^2(-p, p)$

We look for solutions $u \in H^2(-p, p)$.

Let $f \in L^2(-p, p)$ - We would like to find $u \in H^2(-p, p)$ s.t.
 $u'' = f$ and periodic conditions.

Write
$$f(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \gamma_k e^{\pi i k x / p}$$

$$u(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x / p}$$

$$u \in H^2 \Rightarrow u' = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k \left(\frac{\pi i k}{p} \right)^2 e^{\pi i k x / p}$$

We find that if $\gamma_0 = 0$ then

$$u(x) = C_0 - \frac{p^2}{\pi^2} \sum_k \frac{\gamma_k}{k^2} e^{\pi i k x / p} \text{ is a soln. Why?}$$

it suffices to max-b. 1.1.12

Why $u \in H^2$?

Because
$$\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} |k^2 C_k|^2 = \sum_{k \neq 0} \left| k^2 \frac{\gamma_k}{k^2} \frac{\rho^2}{\pi^2} \right|^2$$

$$= \frac{\rho^4}{\pi^4} \sum_{k \neq 0} |\gamma_k|^2 < \infty \quad (f \in L^2).$$

$$\Rightarrow u \in H^2.$$

To verify the boundary condition,

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} u(-p) = u(+p) \\ u'(-p) = u'(+p) \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{Need to show that } u, u' \text{ are} \\ 2p \text{ periodic \& continuous.} \end{array}$$

$$u'(-p) = u'(+p)$$

$$u \in H^2 \Rightarrow u' \in H^1 \Rightarrow u' \text{ } \frac{1}{2} \text{ Hölder continuous}$$

$$\Rightarrow u'(+p) = u'(-p) //$$

Lec 21 (Correcting errors from previous lecture)

Lemma: $f: 2p$ -periodic, $(*) f \in H'(\tau, p)$ then $\int_{-p}^p f'(x) e^{-\pi i k x/p} dx$
 $= \frac{\pi i k}{p} \int_{-p}^p f(x) e^{-\pi i k x/p} dx$

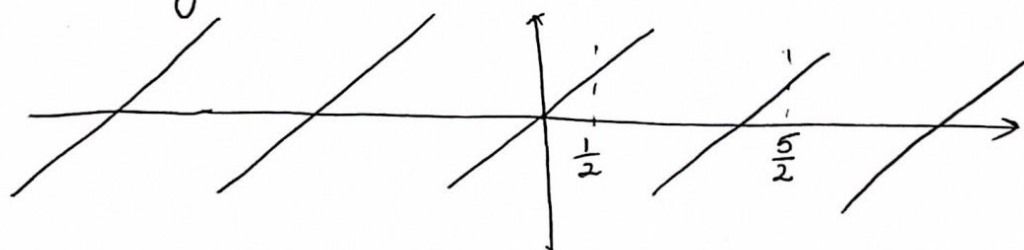
$(*)$ Has a problem which makes this lemma incorrect. It has to be replaced by a stronger condition.

$(**) f \in H'(\tau_0 - p, \tau_0 + p) \quad \forall \tau_0 \in \mathbb{R} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{In HW, } (***) \Rightarrow f \in H'_{loc} \\ \text{i.e. } f \in H'(a, b) \quad \forall (a, b) \end{array} \right.$

The conditions $(*)$ & $(**)$ are not equivalent.

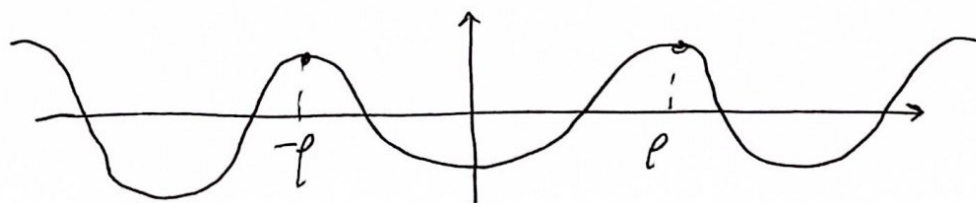
Counter example: $f: 2$ -periodic $f(x) = x \quad -1 < x < 1$

Clearly $f \in H'(-1, 1)$ but $f \notin H'(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2})$ $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{If } f \in H'(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2}) \\ \text{then } f \text{ is continuous} \\ \text{over } (\frac{1}{2}, \frac{5}{2}). \text{ Which} \\ \text{is clearly untrue.} \end{array} \right.$



Remark: $(**) \Rightarrow (*) + \lim_{x \rightarrow p^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow p^-} f(x)$ These 2 limits are equal & finite.

$f: 2p$ -periodic, $f \in H'(-p, p)$



Rmk: f $2p$ -periodic, $f \in H^2(-p, p)$ (*)

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$f \in H^2(x_0 - p, x_0 + p) \forall x_0$ (**)

(**) $\Leftrightarrow$ (*) + $\boxed{\begin{matrix} \lim_{x \rightarrow p^+} f(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow p^-} f(x) \\ \lim_{x \rightarrow p^+} f'(x) = \lim_{x \rightarrow p^-} f'(x) \end{matrix}}$ $\leftarrow$ periodic boundary condition for 1D Laplacian $\Delta = \partial_x^2$
 $u(p) = u(-p);$
 $u'(p) = u'(-p).$

Recall that,

if we use the Fourier method to solve,

$$\partial_x^2 u = f \in L^2(-p, p)$$

$$u(p) = u(-p), u'(p) = u'(-p).$$

$\Rightarrow u \in H^2(-p, p)$ } In fact, solutions obtained this way belongs to a stronger class of functions.
 $u \in H_{loc}^2$, i.e. $u \in H^2(x_0 - p, x_0 + p) \forall x_0$

i.e. By using the Fourier method, you assume (implicitly) the periodic boundary condition.

eg: $\begin{cases} u'' = 0 \\ u(-1) = u(1); u'(-1) = u'(1) \end{cases}$

Look for solutions $u \in H_{loc}^2$. Write $u(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k e^{\pi i k x}$

$$u''(x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} (\pi i k)^2 C_k e^{\pi i k x} = 0 \Rightarrow (\pi i k)^2 C_k = 0 \Rightarrow C_k = 0 \forall k \neq 0$$

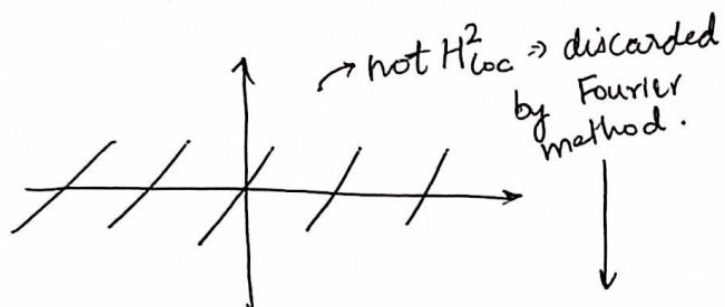
$$\Rightarrow u(x) = C_0 \quad \forall C_0.$$

Another method

$$u'' = 0 \Rightarrow u(x) = Ax + B \text{ or } \alpha + \beta x.$$

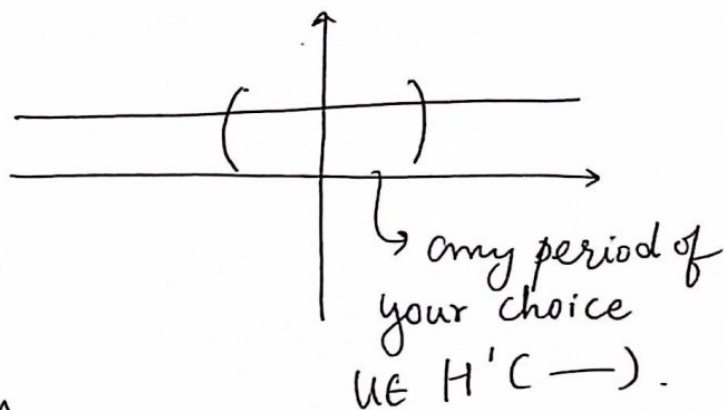
boundary condition $\Rightarrow \beta = 0$.

(i) $\beta \neq 0$

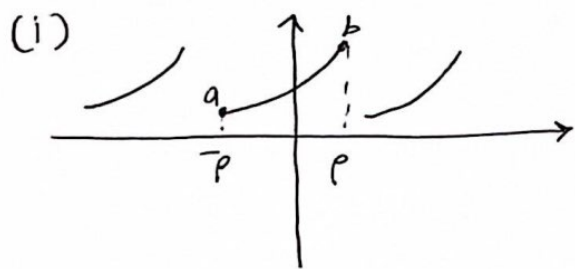


Fourier method
implicitly enforces
(periodic) boundary condition

(ii)



Q: Why are periodic conditions required to extend $f \in H^1(-p, p)$ to $f \in H^1_{loc}$.



$$\begin{cases} f \in H^1(-p, p) \\ g = f' \in L^2(-p, p) \end{cases} \xrightarrow{\text{periodize}} \text{new } f \notin H^1_{loc}.$$

$$\text{new } g \in L^2_{loc} = H^0_{loc}$$

$$\text{new } f' \neq \text{new } g$$

$$f' = g + \sum_{k \in \mathbb{Z}} (a-b) \delta_{(2k+1)p}$$

Rmk: f $2p$ periodic,

$$(*) \quad f \in H^m_{loc}, \text{ i.e. } f \in H^m(x_0-p, x_0+p) \quad \forall x_0$$



$$(**) \quad f \in H^m(-p, p) + \forall j=0, 1, 2, \dots, m-1, \text{ the 2 limits are equal \& finite.}$$

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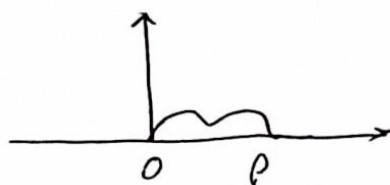
1D Laplacian with Dirichlet Condition.

$$u'' = f \in L^2(0, p)$$

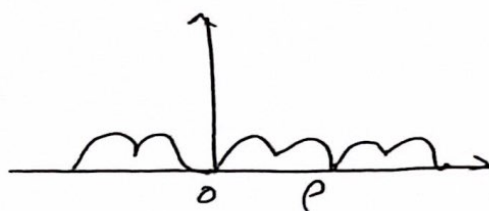
$$u(0) = u(p) = 0.$$

Fourier method $\leftarrow$ periodization, ~~how?~~ how?

Given



Try

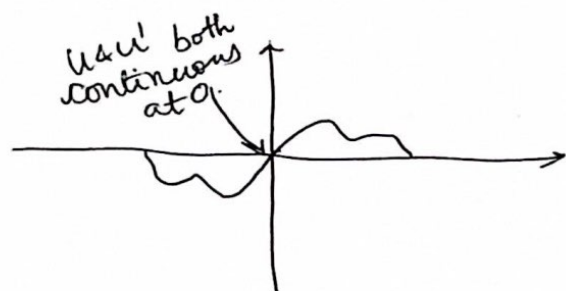


> This gives a continuous function with possibly discontinuous derivatives

• In general such functions do not belong to H_{loc}^2 .

Try another method

Odd periodization.



$$\begin{cases} u'' = f & 0 < x < p \\ u(0) = u(p) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$\Downarrow$

$$\tilde{u}(x) = \begin{cases} u(x) & 0 < x < p \\ -u(-x) & -p < x < 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\tilde{f}(x) = \begin{cases} f(x) & 0 < x < p \\ -f(-x) & -p < x < 0 \end{cases}$$

Do we still have $\tilde{u}'' = \tilde{f}$?

For $-p < x < 0$ $\tilde{u}'' = -u(-x)'' = -u''(-x) = -f(-x) = \tilde{f}(x)$

Dirichlet Laplacian

$$\begin{cases} u'' = f \in L^2(0, \rho) \\ u(0) = u(\rho) = 0 \end{cases}$$



Periodic Laplacian / odd data

$$\tilde{u}'' = \tilde{f} \in L^2_{loc} \times 2\rho\text{-periodic.}$$

$\tilde{u}, \tilde{f}$ odd.

$$\text{odd} + 2\rho\text{-periodic} \Rightarrow \tilde{u}(0) = \tilde{u}(\rho) = 0$$

looking for solution $\begin{cases} \tilde{u} \in H^2_{loc} \\ \text{odd} \\ 2\rho\text{-periodic} \end{cases}$

$$\tilde{u}(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

Then write

$$\tilde{f}(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{u}''(x) &= -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n \left(\frac{n\pi}{\rho}\right)^2 \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) \\ &= \tilde{f}(x) \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \forall n, -b_n \left(\frac{n\pi}{\rho}\right)^2 = \gamma_n \Rightarrow b_n = \frac{-\gamma_n}{(n^2\pi^2/\rho^2)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{u}(x) &= -\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\gamma_n}{n^2\pi^2/\rho^2} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) \\ &= \frac{-\rho^2}{\pi^2} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{\gamma_n}{n^2} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) \end{aligned}$$

because $\sum |\gamma_n|^2 < \infty \Rightarrow \tilde{u} \in H^2_{loc} \Rightarrow \tilde{u}, \tilde{u}'$ continuous

because $\tilde{u}(0) = \tilde{u}(\rho) = 0 \Rightarrow$ Dirichlet condition.

Q: 1D Neumann Laplacian

- > Make even, then periodize
- > Involves cosine series.

Lec 22 Applications of Fourier method.

Laplace equation (1D) ✓ done.

Heat equation $\partial_t u = \partial_x^2 u \quad x \in (0, \rho) \quad t > 0$

$$u(0, x) = u_0$$

$$u(t, 0) = u(t, \rho) = 0 \quad t > 0$$

Formally, $u(t, x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n(t) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$.

$$\partial_t u(t, x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n'(t) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

$$\partial_x^2 u(t, x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n(t) \left[-\left(\frac{n\pi}{\rho}\right)^2 \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) \right]$$

At $t=0$, $u(0, x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} b_n(0) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$

$$\parallel \quad u_0(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) \quad \Rightarrow b_n(0) = \gamma_n.$$

In conclusion, $b_n'(t) = -\frac{n^2 \pi^2}{\rho^2} b_n(t) \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N}^*$

$$b_n(0) = \gamma_n$$

Solution: $b_n(t) = \gamma_n e^{-\frac{n^2 \pi^2}{\rho^2} t}$

$$u(t, x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n e^{-\frac{n^2 \pi^2}{\rho^2} t} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

$$u_0 \in L^2(0, p) \Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\gamma_n|^2 < \infty \Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^{2m} |\gamma_n e^{-\frac{n^2 \pi^2}{p^2} t}|^2 < \infty \quad \forall n \in \mathbb{N} \quad \forall t > 0$$

$\hookrightarrow$ exp. decay

$$\Rightarrow u(t, \cdot) \in H^\infty(0, p)$$

Q: What happens when $t < 0$?

The factor $e^{-\frac{n^2 \pi^2}{p^2} t}$ grows exponentially $\uparrow \infty$ as $n \uparrow \infty$.

$$\text{The solution } u(t, x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n e^{-\frac{n^2 \pi^2}{p^2} t} \sin\left(\frac{n \pi x}{p}\right)$$

is generally not defined for $u_0 \in L^2$

$$\text{As in general } \left(\gamma_n e^{-\frac{n^2 \pi^2}{p^2} t} \right)_{n=1}^{\infty} \notin l^2(\mathbb{N}^*)$$

for fixed $t < 0$

$$\text{i.e. } u(t, \cdot) \notin L^2(0, p).$$

[Of course, in some special cases, the solution is still defined]
e.g. when u_0 has a finite Fourier series.

Boundary condition? Dirichlet condition satisfied when $t > 0$.

u_0 does not need to satisfy the Dirichlet condition

Another perspective

$$\partial_t u = \partial_x^2 u \quad x \in (0, p) \\ t > 0$$

$\forall$ time fixed

$$\partial_x^2 u \in L^2(0, p) \Leftrightarrow u \in H^2(0, p)$$

$\parallel$

$$\underline{\partial_t u \in L^2(0, p)}$$

Assuming that u continuous in t .

$\partial_t u$ continuous in t .

$$\text{Let } b_n(t) = \frac{2}{\rho} \int_0^{\rho} u(t, x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) dx$$

$$\frac{d}{dt} b_n(t) = \frac{2}{\rho} \int_0^{\rho} \partial_t u(t, x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) dx.$$

$$= \frac{2}{\rho} \int_0^{\rho} \partial_x^2 u(t, x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) dx = -\frac{2}{\rho} \left(\frac{n\pi}{\rho}\right)^2 \int_0^{\rho} u(t, x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{dt} b_n(t) = -\left(\frac{n\pi}{\rho}\right)^2 b_n(t).$$

Conclusion: In the function space,

① $u \in H^2$ w.r.t x

② $\partial_t u$ continuous w.r.t t .

There exists a unique solution to the BVP.

$$u(t, x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n e^{-\frac{n^2 \pi^2}{\rho^2} t} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

Ex: Show that u is smooth in t .

ie. $\partial_t^m u$ is continuous in t ($\forall m$)

Rmk: Therefore u is smooth in $(t, x) \in (0, \infty) \times (0, \rho)$

Schrödinger eqn: Exercise.

Wave eqn: $\partial_t^2 u = c^2 \partial_x^2 u \quad (c > 0)$

$$\partial_x u(t, 0) = \partial_x u(t, \rho) = 0 \quad \begin{matrix} 0 < x < \rho \\ -\infty < t < \infty \end{matrix}$$

$$u(0, x) = u_0(x) \quad \partial_t u(0, x) = u_1(x)$$

$$u(t, x) = \frac{a_0(t)}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n(t) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

$$\partial_t^2 u(t, x) = \frac{a_0''(t)}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n''(t) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

$$\partial_x^2 u(t, x) = 0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n(t) \left(-\frac{n^2 \pi^2}{\rho^2} \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)\right)$$

$$\begin{cases} a_0''(t) = 0 \\ a_n''(t) = -\frac{n^2 \pi^2 c^2}{\rho^2} a_n(t) \quad n \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{cases} a_0(t) = p_0 + q_0 t \\ a_n(t) = p_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{\rho}\right) + q_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{\rho}\right) \end{cases}$$

$$u(t, x) = \frac{p_0 + q_0 t}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left\{ p_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{\rho}\right) + q_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{\rho}\right) \right\} \times \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

$$\partial_t u(t, x) = \frac{q_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left\{ -p_n \frac{n\pi c}{\rho} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{\rho}\right) + q_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{\rho}\right) \right\} \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

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$$\left. \begin{aligned} u(0, x) &= \frac{p_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} p_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) \\ u_0(x) &= \frac{\gamma_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow p_n = \gamma_n$$

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \partial_t u(0, x) &= \frac{q_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} q_n \frac{n\pi c}{p} \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) \\ u_1(x) &= \frac{\omega_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \omega_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) \end{aligned} \right\} \Rightarrow q_n = \frac{\omega_n p}{n\pi c}$$

$$u(t, x) = \frac{\gamma_0 + \omega_0 t}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \gamma_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{p}\right) + \frac{\omega_n p}{n\pi c} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{p}\right) \right\} \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)$$

⊙: Boundary condition? i.e. $\partial_x u$ vanishes at $x \rightarrow 0$ or p ?

Nearly $\partial_x u$ vanishes at $x=0$ or $x=p$; it remains to show continuity in x .

We need summability of the Fourier coefficients of $\partial_x u$.

$$\partial_x u(t, x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left\{ \gamma_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{p}\right) + \frac{\omega_n p}{n\pi c} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{p}\right) \right\} \left(-\frac{n\pi}{p} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right) \right)$$

We would like,

$$(*) \quad \begin{cases} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} |\gamma_n| n < \infty \\ \sum |\omega_n| < \infty \end{cases}$$

$\left(\begin{array}{l} \Rightarrow \text{absolute convergence of } \partial_x u \\ \Rightarrow \text{continuity of } \partial_x u \end{array} \right)$

We can guarantee (*) by requiring $\begin{cases} \sum n^2 |\omega_n|^2 < \infty \\ \sum n^4 |\sigma_n|^2 < \infty \end{cases}$
 $\hookrightarrow (**)$

(By Cauchy's inequality)

$$\begin{cases} \sum |\omega_n| \leq \sqrt{\sum (n^2 |\omega_n|^2)} \sqrt{\sum \frac{1}{n^2}} \\ \sum n |\sigma_n| \leq \sqrt{\sum (n^4 |\sigma_n|^2)} \sqrt{\sum \frac{1}{n^2}} \end{cases}$$

$(**) \Leftrightarrow$ the even periodic extension of $u_0 \in H_{loc}^2$ & the even periodic extension of $u_1 \in H_{loc}'$.

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Wave eqn.

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t^2 u = c^2 \partial_x^2 u & (0, \rho) \times \mathbb{R} \\ \partial_x u(t, 0) = \partial_x u(t, \rho) = 0 \end{cases}$$

Neumann.

$$u(0, x) = u_0(x), \quad \partial_t u(0, x) = u_1(x).$$

Fourier method: $u(t, x) = \frac{a_0(t)}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n(t) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$

ODEs for Fourier coefficients.

$$a_n'' = -\frac{n^2 \pi^2 c^2}{\rho^2} a_n$$

Solutions to ODEs

$$a_n(t) = \begin{cases} p_0 + q_0 t \\ p_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{\rho}\right) + q_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{\rho}\right), & n \geq 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\Rightarrow u(t, x) = \frac{p_0 + q_0 t}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[p_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{\rho}\right) + q_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{\rho}\right) \right] \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

$$\partial_t u(t, x) = \frac{q_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[-\frac{n\pi c}{\rho} p_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{\rho}\right) + \frac{n\pi c}{\rho} q_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi c t}{\rho}\right) \right] \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

$$t=0 \Rightarrow$$

$$u(0, x) = \frac{p_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} p_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) = u_0(x) = \frac{\alpha_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \alpha_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

$$\partial_t u(0, x) = \frac{q_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{n\pi c}{\rho} q_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right) = u_1(x) = \frac{\beta_0}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \beta_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow P_n = \alpha_n \quad ; \quad n=0, 1, 2, \dots$$

$$q_0 = \beta_0 \quad , \quad q_n = \frac{p}{n\pi c} \beta_n \quad n=1, 2, \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow u(t, x) = \frac{\alpha_0 + \beta_0 t}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[\alpha_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi ct}{p}\right) + \frac{p}{n\pi c} \beta_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi ct}{p}\right) \right] \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)$$

Question : Does u satisfy the Neumann condition?

Neumann : $\Leftarrow \partial_x u$ continuous in x . (Need to show continuity at boundaries).

Not possible? to show continuity at a pt. for Fourier series, so must show continuity everywhere.

$$\Leftarrow \partial_x u \in H^1(0, p) \Rightarrow \text{it is continuous}$$

$\Leftrightarrow \partial_x u \in H^2(0, p) \leftarrow$ Note that by Fourier method suffices to show u is even & $2p$ -periodic.
 $\Leftarrow u \in H_{loc}^2$ (i.e. the $2p$ periodic & even extension of u belongs to H_{loc}^2).

$$\Leftrightarrow \text{if } u(t, x) = \sum c_k e^{\pi i k x / p}$$

$$\text{then } (k^2 c_k) \in l^2 \Leftrightarrow \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} k^4 |c_k|^2 < \infty.$$

$$\textcircled{or} \quad u(t, x) = \frac{a_0(t)}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n(t) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{p}\right)$$

$$\text{then } \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} n^4 |a_n(t)|^2 < \infty.$$

$$a_n(t) = \alpha_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi ct}{\rho}\right) + \frac{\rho}{n\pi c} \beta_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi ct}{\rho}\right)$$

$$= A_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi ct}{\rho} - \phi_n\right) \quad \text{where} \quad A_n = \sqrt{|\alpha_n|^2 + |\beta_n|^2 \frac{\rho^2}{n^2 \pi^2 c^2}}$$

We want $\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^4 |A_n|^2 < \infty$?? (at the minimum)

$$\Leftrightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^4 |\alpha_n|^2 < \infty \quad \& \quad \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^4 \frac{|\beta_n|^2}{n^2} < \infty$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n^2 |\beta_n|^2 < \infty //$$

$\Leftrightarrow$ The 2ρ -periodic & even extension of $u_0 \in H_{loc}^2$.

and the 2ρ -periodic even extension of $u_1 \in H_{loc}^1$.

Stationary Waves

By Fourier method, we express the solution to the wave eq. as a superposition of Fourier method.

$$u(t, x) = \frac{a_0(t)}{2} + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} a_n(t) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{\rho}\right)$$

each of these solves the wave eqn.

$$A_n \cos\left(\frac{n\pi ct}{\rho} - \phi_n\right)$$

$\Rightarrow$ We get a stationary wave.

* The Fourier expansion is thus a sum of stationary waves, which are in turn a sum of propagating waves in 2 directions.

Another method. (will come in exam).

$$(\partial_t^2 - c^2 \partial_x^2) u = 0 \quad (x, t) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}. \quad ; \quad u(0) = u_0; \quad \partial_t u(0) = u_1.$$

$$\Rightarrow (\partial_t - c \partial_x)(\partial_t + c \partial_x) u = 0$$

$$\text{Let } w = (\partial_t - c \partial_x) u.$$

$$\Rightarrow (\partial_t + c \partial_x) w = 0$$

Now solve,

$$\left. \begin{aligned} (\partial_t - c \partial_x) u &= w & \& \quad (\partial_t + c \partial_x) w &= 0 \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} u(0, x) &= u_0(x) \\ w(0, x) &= \partial_t u(0, x) - c \partial_x u(0, x) \\ &= u_1(x) - c \partial_x u_0(x) \end{aligned}$$

It suffices to solve,

$$\left. \begin{aligned} (\partial_t + v \partial_x) u(t, x) &= f(t, x) \\ u(0, x) &= u_0(x). \end{aligned} \right\} \begin{aligned} &\text{Transport} \\ &\text{equation.} \end{aligned}$$

$$\textcircled{1} \text{ Homogeneous setting, } f=0 \quad (\partial_t + \overset{\text{velocity} \in \mathbb{R}}{v} \partial_x) u = 0$$

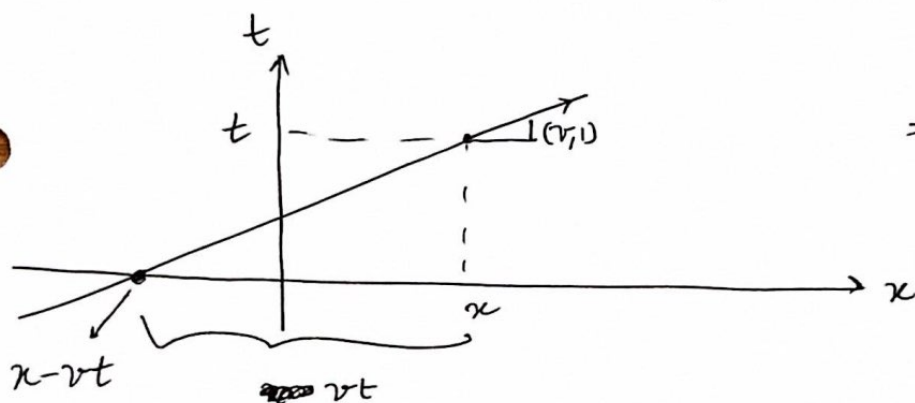
method 1

let $\nabla_{xt} u = (\partial_x u, \partial_t u)$

write $(\partial_t + v\partial_x) u = (v, 1) \cdot \nabla_{xt} u = 0$

$\Rightarrow (\partial_t + v\partial_x) u$ is the directional derivative in space time $\mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$ in $(v, 1)$ direction.

$\Rightarrow u$ is constant along $(v, 1)$ direction.



$$\Rightarrow u(x, t) = u(x - vt, 0) \\ = u_0(x - vt) //$$

method 2 let $w(t, x) = u(t, x + vt)$

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t w(t, x) &= (\partial_t u)(t, x + vt) + (\partial_x u)(t, x + vt) \partial_t(x + vt) \\ &= (\partial_t u)(t, x + vt) + (v\partial_x u)(t, x + vt) \\ &= (\partial_t u + v\partial_x u)(t, x + vt) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$\Rightarrow w$ is time independant.

$$w(t, x) = w(0, x) \Leftrightarrow u(t, x + vt) = u(0, x + v \cdot 0)$$

$$\Leftrightarrow u(t, x) = u_0(x - vt) //$$

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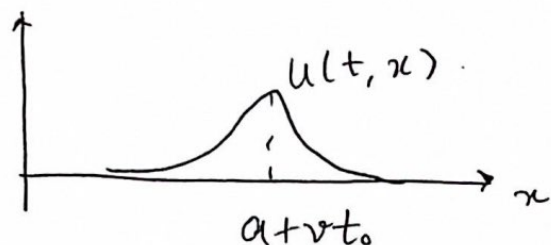
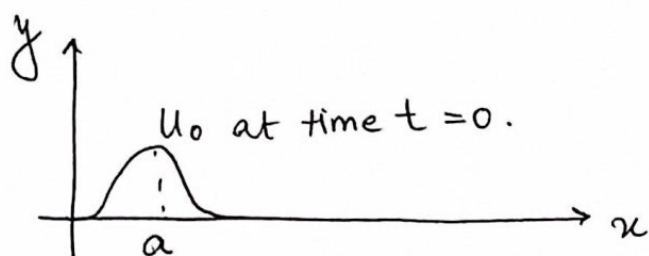
$$\begin{cases} (\partial_t u + v \partial_x) u = f \\ u(0, x) = u_0(x) \end{cases}$$

$$u = u(t, x) \quad (t, x) \in \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R} \\ f = f(t, x)$$

idea is to study
behaviour of u in direction v .

• Homogeneous case, $f \equiv 0$.

$$u(t, x) = u_0(x - vt)$$



• Inhomogeneous case, $\uparrow$

$$\text{let } w(t, x) = u(t, x + vt)$$

By chain rule $\Rightarrow$

$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t w(t, x) &= (\partial_t u)(t, x + vt) \\ &\quad + (v \partial_x u)(t, x + vt) \end{aligned}$$

$$= (\partial_t u + v \partial_x u)(t, x + vt)$$

$$= f(t, x + vt)$$

$$\Rightarrow \partial_t w(t, x) = f(t, x + vt)$$

$$\Rightarrow w(t, x) = w(0, x)$$

$$+ \int_0^t f(s, x + vs) ds$$

$$u(t, x + vt) = u(0, x + v \cdot 0) + \int_0^t f(s, x + vs) ds$$

$$= u_0(x) + \int_0^t f(s, x + vs) ds$$

replace x by $x - vt$.

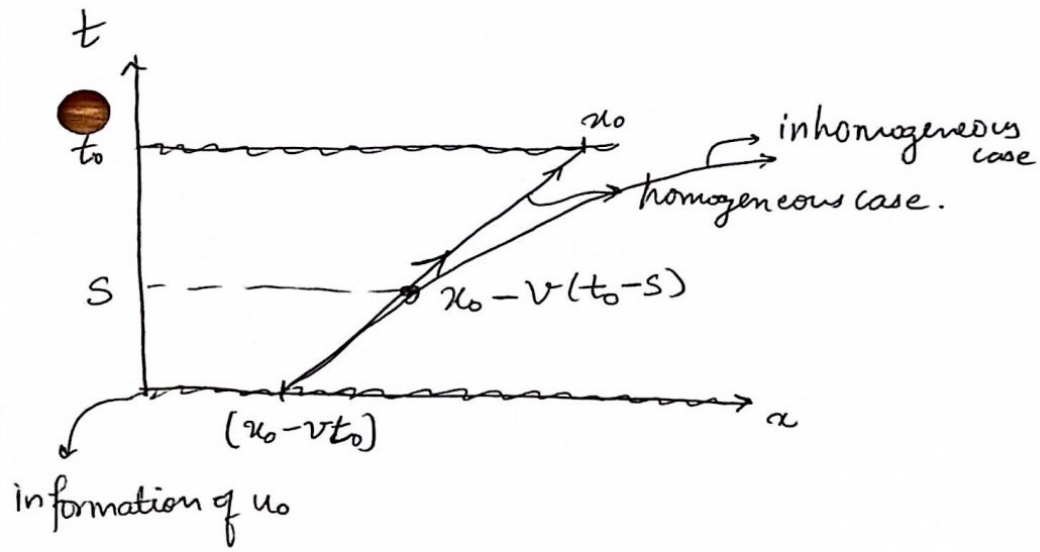
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$$\Rightarrow u(t, x) = u_0(x - vt) + \int_0^t f(s, x - vt + vs) ds$$

$$= u_0(x - vt) + \int_0^t f(s, x - v(t-s)) ds.$$

Rmk : This solution makes sense if

- ① u is differentiable. $\Rightarrow u_0$ has a continuous derivative.
- ② f is integrable. $\Rightarrow$ (piecewise continuous)



Duhamel Principle

At each pt. in time f changes the soln a little & the integral of these affects accumulate

Duhamel Principle.

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t u = L u \\ u(0, x) = u_0(x) \\ \text{Boundary conditions (or not)} \end{cases} \quad L = \text{PDO}$$

$$\begin{aligned} L &= v \partial_x && \text{transport} \\ &= \partial_{xx}^2 && \text{heat} \\ &= i \partial_{xx}^2 && \text{Schrödinger.} \end{aligned}$$

$\forall t$, Define the operator $\Phi(t) : u_0 \rightarrow u(t)$

$\Phi(t)$ is a mapping that maps a function to another.

Properties of $\Phi(t)$ $\rightarrow$ called solution flow or solution group.

① $\Phi(0) = \text{id}$, $\Phi(0) u_0 = u_0$

② $u: t \rightarrow \Phi(t) u_0$ solves the PDE $\begin{cases} \partial_t u = Lu \\ u(0) = u_0 \end{cases}$

③ $\Phi(t)$ is linear

$$\Phi(t) (\alpha u_0 + \beta v_0) = \underbrace{\alpha \Phi(t) u_0}_{\text{initial } u_0} + \underbrace{\beta \Phi(t) v_0}_{\text{initial } v_0}.$$

Eg: Transport eqn.

$$\Phi(t) u_0(x) = u_0(x - vt)$$

$$\Rightarrow u(t, x) = \Phi(t) u_0(x)$$

Eg: Heat eqn.

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t u = \partial_x^2 u \\ u(0, x) = u_0(x) \end{cases} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Dirichlet} \\ (0, \pi) \times (0, \infty) \end{array} \right\}$$

Define $\Phi(t)$ as follows,

$$\text{if } u_0(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n \sin(n\pi x)$$

$$\text{then } \Phi(t) u_0(x) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \gamma_n e^{-n^2 t} \sin(n\pi x). \rightarrow \text{from soln. earlier.}$$

$$\Rightarrow u(t) = \Phi(t) u_0 \text{ solves the BVP.}$$

Inhomogeneous BVP

$$\partial_t u = \mathcal{L}u + f \quad \& \quad u(0) = u_0$$

Solution formula,

$$u(t) = \Phi(t) u_0 + \int_0^t \Phi(t-s) f(s) ds.$$

i.e.
$$u(t, x) = \Phi(t) u_0(x) + \int_0^t \Phi(t-s) f(s, x) ds. \quad *$$

Want to show that (*) solves the BVP.

① Initial condition,

$$u(0) = \Phi(0) u_0 + 0 = u_0$$

②
$$\partial_t u(t) = \partial_t \Phi(t) u_0 + \partial_t \int_0^t \Phi(t-s) f(s) ds$$

(i)
$$\partial_t \Phi(t) u_0 = \mathcal{L} \Phi(t) u_0. \leftarrow \text{homogeneous PDE.}$$

(ii)
$$\begin{aligned} \partial_t \int_0^t \Phi(t-s) f(s) ds &= \Phi(t-t) f(t) + \int_0^t \partial_t \Phi(t-s) f(s) ds \\ &= f(t) + \int_0^t \mathcal{L} \Phi(t-s) f(s) ds \\ &= f(t) + \mathcal{L} \int_0^t \Phi(t-s) f(s) ds \end{aligned}$$

Summing (i) & (ii)

$$\partial_t u(t) = \mathcal{L} \left(\underbrace{\Phi(t) u_0 + \int_0^t \Phi(t-s) f(s) ds}_{u(t)} \right) + f(t) = \mathcal{L} u(t) + f(t) //$$

Back to wave equation.

$$(\partial_t^2 - c^2 \partial_x^2) u = 0.$$

Let $w = (\partial_t - c \partial_x) u$ then

$$(\partial_t - c \partial_x) u = w \quad u(0) = u_0$$

$$\text{and } (\partial_t + c \partial_x) w = 0 \quad w(0) = u_1 - c \partial_x u_0$$

By the solution formula for transport eqn.

$$w(t, x) = w(0, x - ct) = u_1(x - ct) - c \partial_x u_0(x - ct)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Rightarrow u(t, x) &= u(0, x + ct) + \int_0^t w(s, x + c(t-s)) ds \\ &= u_0(x + ct) + \int_0^t u_1(x + c(t-s) - cs) ds \\ &\quad - c \int_0^t \partial_x u_0(x + c(t-s) - cs) ds \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Let } z = x + c(t-s) - cs = x + ct - 2cs$$

$$s=0 \Rightarrow z = x + ct$$

$$s=t \Rightarrow z = x - ct$$

$$dz = d(x + ct - 2cs) = -2c ds.$$

$$\Rightarrow u(t, x) = u_0(x + ct) + \frac{1}{2c} \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} u_1(z) dz - c \frac{(-1)}{2c} \int_{x+ct}^{x-ct} \partial_x u_0(z) dz.$$

$$= u_0(x+ct) + \frac{1}{2c} \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} u_1(z) dz - \frac{1}{2} \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} u_0'(z) dz.$$

$$= u_0(x+ct) + \frac{1}{2c} \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} u_1(z) dz - \frac{1}{2} (u_0(x+ct) - u_0(x-ct))$$

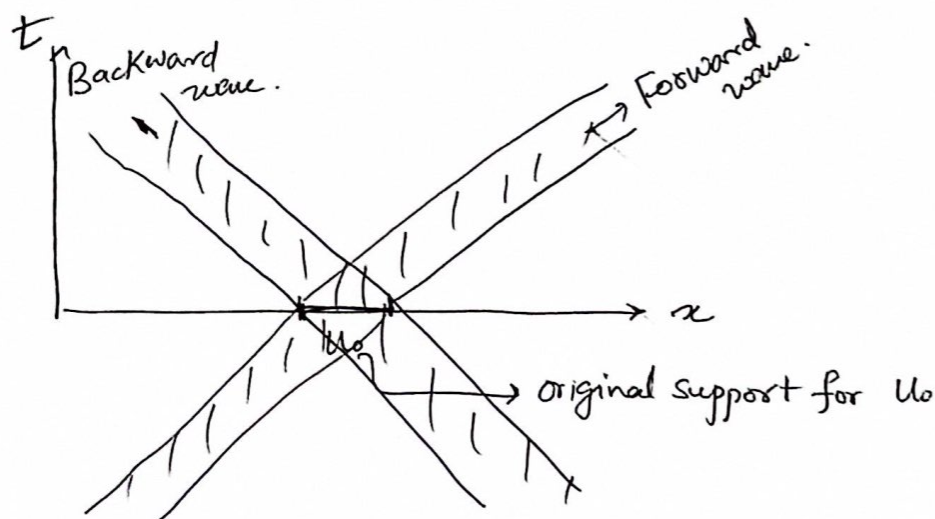
$$u(t, x) = \frac{1}{2} [u_0(x+ct) + u_0(x-ct)] + \frac{1}{2c} \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} u_1(z) dz.$$

This derivation will come up in Final.

d'Alembert Formula.

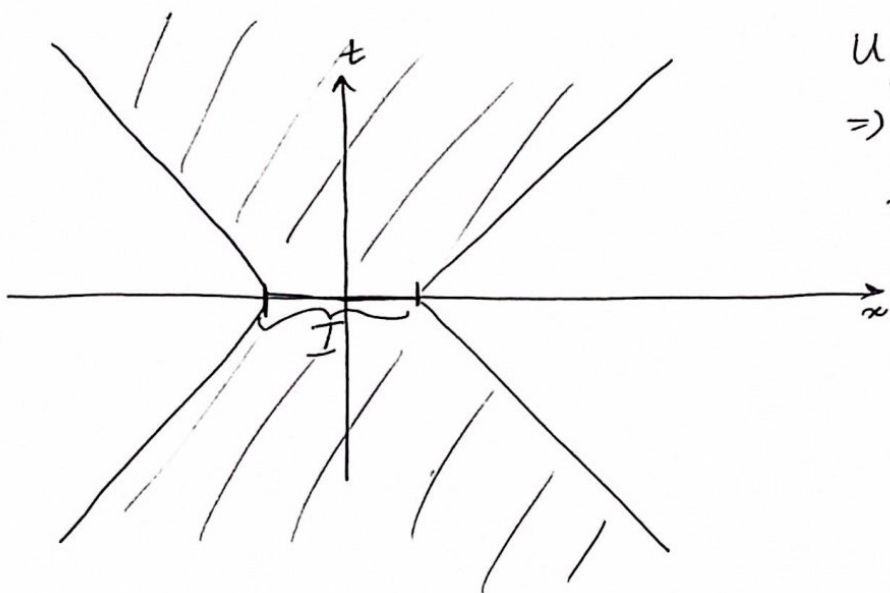
Application from d'Alembert

if $u_1 = 0$; $u(t, x) = \frac{1}{2} [u_0(x+ct) + u_0(x-ct)]$



if $u_0 = 0$,

$$u(t, x) = \frac{1}{2c} \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} u_1(z) dz.$$



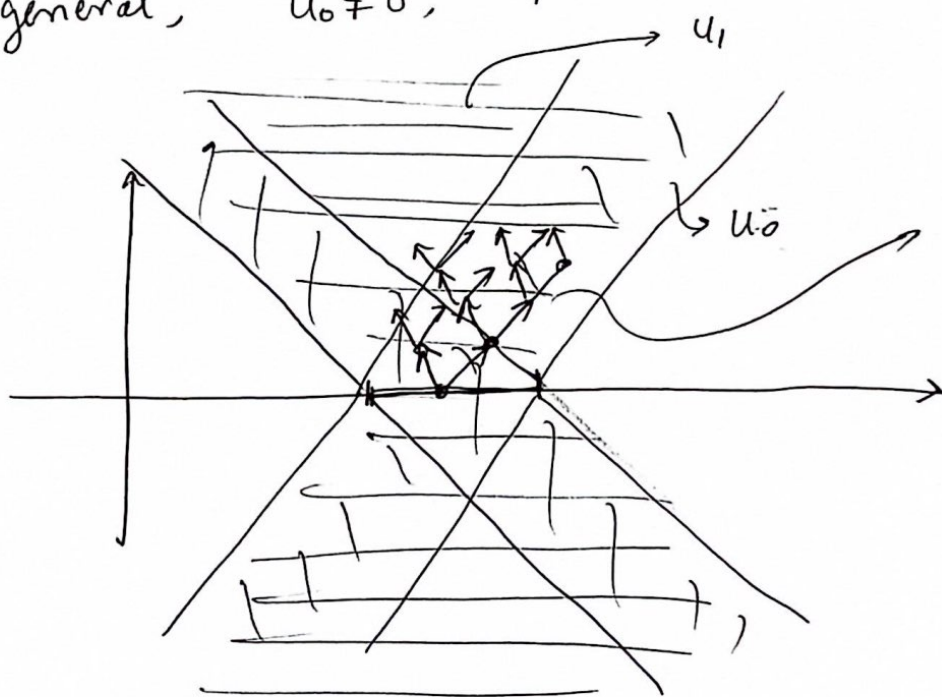
$$u(t, x) \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_{x-ct}^{x+ct} u(z) dz \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists z \in [x-ct, x+ct] \text{ s.t. } u_1(z) \neq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow [x-ct, x+ct] \cap I \neq \emptyset$$

In general, $u_0 \neq 0$, $u_1 \neq 0$



Huygens' Principle.

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$$\begin{cases} \partial_t u = Lu \\ u(0, x) = u_0(x) \end{cases}$$

$\rightsquigarrow$

Solution flow $t \rightarrow \mathbb{F}(t)$

$\mathbb{F}(t)$ is an operator, it maps a function to another.

Solution formula.

$$u(t) = \mathbb{F}(t) u_0.$$

eg: Heat, Schrödinger eq., bounded interval, boundary conditions.

$\mathbb{F}(t)$ changes the Fourier coefficients of u_0 to define a new function

● $\mathbb{F}(t) u_0.$

Precisely, via the Fourier method,

$$u(t, x) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k(t) e^{\pi i k x / p} \quad ; \quad C_k(0) = \gamma_k \quad \text{where } u_0 = \sum_K \gamma_K e^{\pi i k x / p}$$

The solution $\mathbb{F}(t)$ changes the coordinates γ_k to the new coordinates at time t , $(C_k(t))_{k=-\infty}^{\infty}$.

$$\mathbb{F}(t) \left(\sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} \gamma_k e^{\pi i k x / p} \right) = \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} C_k(t) e^{\pi i k x / p}$$

● Once you know $\mathbb{F}(t)$ you can solve

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t u = Lu + f \\ u(0, x) = u_0(x) \end{cases} \quad ; \quad f = f(t, x)$$

via the solution formula.

$$u(t, x) = \underbrace{\Phi(t) u_0(x)}_{\text{homogeneous part}} + \underbrace{\int_0^t \Phi(t-s) f(s, x) ds}_{\text{inhomogeneous part (correction)}}$$

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$$\partial_t^2 u = c^2 \partial_x^2 u + f$$

$$u(t, -\pi) = u(t, \pi) \quad ; \quad \partial_x u(t, -\pi) = \partial_x u(t, \pi) \quad \text{Periodic B.C.}$$

$$u(0, x) = u_0(x) \quad ; \quad \partial_t u(0, x) = u_1(x).$$

~~let~~ ~~let~~ let $W = \begin{pmatrix} u \\ \partial_t u \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} w_0 \\ w_1 \end{pmatrix}$

$$\partial_t W = \begin{pmatrix} \partial_t u \\ \partial_t^2 u \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \partial_t u \\ c^2 \partial_x^2 u + f \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \partial_t u \\ c^2 \partial_x^2 u \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ f \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ c^2 \partial_x^2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ \partial_t u \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ f \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\boxed{\partial_t W = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ c^2 \partial_x^2 & 0 \end{pmatrix} W + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ f \end{pmatrix}}$$

$$\Leftrightarrow \partial_t w_0 = w_1$$

$$\underbrace{\partial_t w_1 = c^2 \partial_x^2 w_0}_{\text{homogeneous}} + \underbrace{f}_{\text{inhomo}}$$

Solution flow $\Phi(t)$

$$\Phi(t) = \begin{pmatrix} u_0 \\ u_1 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{matrix} W(t) \\ \parallel \\ \begin{pmatrix} w_0(t) \\ w_1(t) \end{pmatrix} \end{matrix}$$



Duhamel's Principle

Exercise.

Characteristic Method.

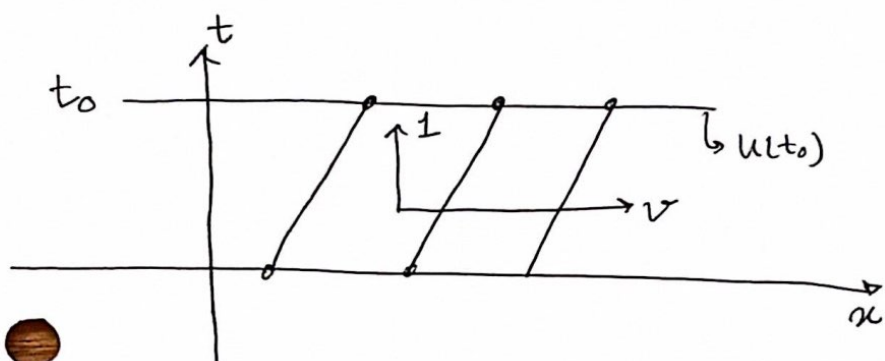
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① Transport equation.

$$\begin{cases} \partial_t u + v \partial_x u = 0 \\ u(0, x) = u_0(x) \end{cases}$$

$$v \in \mathbb{R}.$$

There is a special direction in $\mathbb{R}^{1+1} = \mathbb{R} \times \mathbb{R}$, along which the solution is constant.



$$\Rightarrow u(t, x) = u_0\left(\frac{x}{v} - t\right)$$

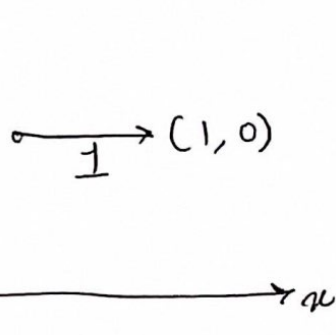
② $a \partial_x u + b \partial_y u = 0 \quad (a, b) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus \{(0, 0)\}.$

• if $b \neq 0 \Rightarrow \partial_y u + \frac{a}{b} \partial_x u = 0 \Rightarrow$ transport eq.

• $(a, b) \cdot \nabla u = 0 \Leftrightarrow D_{(a,b)} u \Leftrightarrow 0$

$\Leftrightarrow u$ is constant along (a, b) direction.

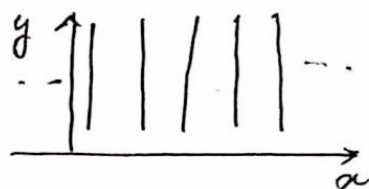
eg 1 $a=1, b=0 \Rightarrow \partial_x u = 0 \Rightarrow u$ independent of x .



$u(x, y)$ constant along x direction.

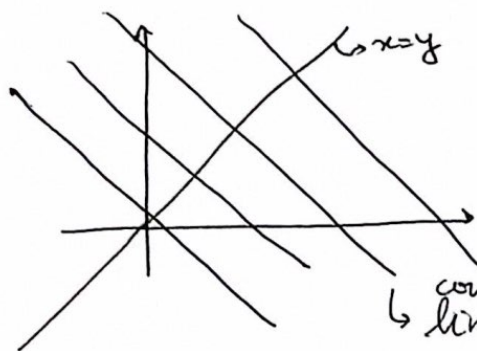
eg: $a=0; b=1$

$u(x,y)$ constant along y direction



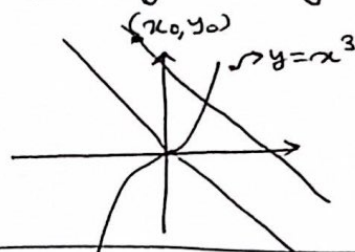
eg: $a=1, b=-1$

$\Rightarrow \partial_x u - \partial_y u = 0$



① $u(x,y) = x^2 + y^2$ when $x=y$

or
② $u(x,y) = x - y$ when $y = x^3$



Variable coefficients case.

$a(x,y)\partial_x u + b(x,y)\partial_y u = 0$ s.t. $(a(x,y), b(x,y)) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \setminus (0,0) \forall (x,y)$

Def: A vector field on $\mathbb{R}^2$ is a mapping

$V: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ $(x,y) \mapsto V(x,y) = (a(x,y), b(x,y))$
point vector



eg: $V(x,y) = (a,b) \rightarrow$ constant field

$V(x,y) = (x,y) \rightarrow$ radial field

$V(x,y) = (-y,x) \rightarrow$ rotational field

Def: Let $V: \mathbb{R}^2 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ be a vector field, a trajectory of V is a mapping $\phi: I \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$
 $\hookrightarrow$ any interval $(a,b) \in \mathbb{R}$ s.t. $\frac{d}{dt} \phi(t) = V(\phi(t))$

Thm: If u satisfies the equation

$$(a(x,y) \partial_x + b(x,y) \partial_y) u = 0 \quad \text{i.e.} \quad V(x,y) \cdot \nabla u = 0$$

& if $\phi: \mathbb{I} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$ is a trajectory of V , then u is constant along ϕ .

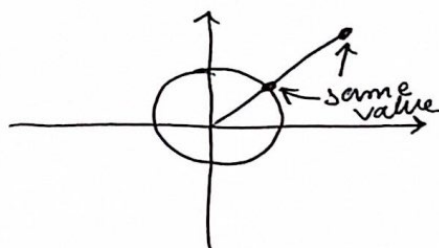
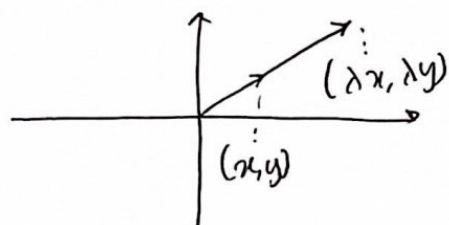
i.e. $\frac{d}{dt} u(\phi(t)) = 0$

Proof $\therefore$ Chain rule

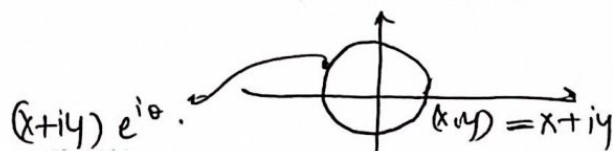
$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dt} u(\phi(t)) &= \nabla u(\phi(t)) \cdot \frac{d}{dt} \phi(t) \\ &= \nabla u(\phi(t)) \cdot V(\phi(t)) \\ &= (V \cdot \nabla u)(\phi(t)) = 0 \quad // \end{aligned}$$

e.g. $(x \partial_x + y \partial_y) u = 0$

then $u(x,y) = u(\lambda x, \lambda y) \quad \forall (x,y) \neq (0,0)$
 $\forall \lambda > 0$



e.g. $(y \partial_x - x \partial_y) u = 0$; $u(x,y) = u(x+iy) = u((x+iy)e^{i\theta})$
 $= u((x+iy)(\cos\theta + i\sin\theta)) = u(x\cos\theta - y\sin\theta, y\cos\theta + x\sin\theta)$



Lec 26 Sturm-Liouville Theory.

Consider the following second order ODE for $u = u(x)$ on a finite interval (a, b) .

$$(ru')' + (q + \lambda p)u = 0$$

Here r, p, q are real valued smooth functions of $x \in [a, b]$ and we require that

- $p(x) \neq 0$ for all $x \in [a, b]$
- $r(x) \neq 0$ for all $x \in [a, b]$

(Robin) Boundary conditions,

Let $a_1, a_2, b_1, b_2 \in \mathbb{R}$ such that $(a_1, a_2) \neq (0, 0)$ and $(b_1, b_2) \neq (0, 0)$.

Boundary conditions at the end pts,

- At $x = a$, we have $a_1 u(a) + a_2 u'(a) = 0$.
- At $x = b$, we have $b_1 u(b) + b_2 u'(b) = 0$.

Sturm Liouville as an eigenvalue problem.

$\lambda \rightarrow$ eigenvalue; $u \rightarrow$ eigenfunction.

In fact, let L be a differential operator given by

$$L = \frac{d}{dx} r \frac{d}{dx} + q,$$

Then SL equation is given by

$$Lu = -\lambda pu; \quad p^{-1}Lu = -\lambda u.$$

Eg:

Laplace equation $u'' = -\lambda u$.

is SL with $r=1$, $q=0$, $p=1$.

> Boundary conditions:

Neumann : $a_1 = b_1 = 0$

Dirichlet : $a_2 = b_2 = 0$

> 2D Laplace equation in polar coordinates.

$$\Delta = \partial_x^2 + \partial_y^2 = \partial_r^2 + r^{-1}\partial_r + r^{-2}\partial_\theta^2.$$

where $x = r \cos \theta$; $y = r \sin \theta$.

> Sometimes we need to find eigenfunctions of this 2D Laplace equation with prescribed angular momentum.

> Note that if u is a function of x, y then under polar coordinates, u is 2π periodic with respect to θ .

That is, $u(r, \theta) = u(r, \theta + 2\pi)$.

> Consequently for each r you can do Fourier analysis w.r.t θ .

Each Fourier mode is of the form,

$$u(r, \theta) = A(r) e^{ik\theta},$$

where $k \in \mathbb{Z}$ and A is a function of r (which is called the amplitude).

Now assume that u is an eigenfunction of the Laplace equation: $\Delta u = -\lambda u$. Plugging the ansatz:

$$\begin{aligned}\Delta u &= e^{ik\theta} (\partial_r^2 + r^{-1} \partial_r) A(r) + r^{-2} A(r) \partial_\theta^2 (e^{ik\theta}) \\ &= (A''(r) + r^{-1} A'(r)) e^{ik\theta} - \frac{k^2}{r^2} A(r) e^{ik\theta} = -\lambda u \\ &= -\lambda A(r) e^{ik\theta}.\end{aligned}$$

Dividing both sides by $e^{ik\theta}$, we get

$$A'' + r^{-1} A' - k^2 r^{-2} A = -\lambda A.$$

Multiplying both sides by r ,

$$r A'' + A' - k^2 r^{-1} A = -\lambda r A.$$

Note that $r A'' + A' = (r A')'$, so

$$(r A')' + (-k^2 r^{-1} + \lambda r) A = 0 //$$

Soln. is non-singular (regular) when $r \neq 0$.

Functional Analysis of SL equation.

On the finite interval (a, b) :

$$(ru')' + (q + \lambda p)u = 0.$$

Boundary conditions at the end points:

- At $x=a$, we have $a_1 u(a) + a_2 u'(a) = 0$
- At $x=b$, we have $b_1 u(b) + b_2 u'(b) = 0$

Assume that,

- $r(x) > 0 \quad \forall x \in [a, b]$
- $p(x) > 0 \quad \forall x \in [a, b]$

Weighted L^2 spaces

The weighted L^2 space over (a, b) with ~~the~~ weight p is denoted by $L_p^2(a, b)$. It is the set of all functions

$f: (a, b) \rightarrow \mathbb{C}$ such that

$$\int_a^b |f(x)|^2 p(x) dx < \infty.$$

If $f \in L_p^2(a, b)$, then its L_p^2 -norm is defined by

$$\|f\|_{L_p^2} = \sqrt{\int_a^b |f(x)|^2 p(x) dx}$$

Thm: $L_p^2(a, b)$ is a Hilbert space.

Our goal is to show that there exists a sequence of eigen functions w.r.t the SL eqn. that forms a complete orthogonal set for $L_p^2(a, b)$.

Lemma: If (λ, u) and (γ, v) are solutions to the SL eqn. (satisfying the BC) and if $\lambda \neq \gamma$, then $u \perp v$ w.r.t $L_p^2(a, b)$ space.

Rmk: If p is constant, then the above lemma holds in the usual $L^2(a, b)$ space.

Proof: For simplicity, let us denote

$$\langle u, v \rangle_p = \int_a^b u(x) \overline{v(x)} p(x) dx$$
$$\cdot \quad \langle u, v \rangle = \int_a^b u(x) \overline{v(x)} dx$$

We have

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda \langle u, v \rangle_p &= \langle \lambda u, v \rangle_p = \langle \lambda p u, v \rangle \\ &= - \langle (\lambda u)' + q u, v \rangle = - \langle (\lambda u)', v \rangle - \langle q u, v \rangle \end{aligned}$$

Integration by parts,

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$$\begin{aligned}\langle (ru')', v \rangle &= -\langle ru', v' \rangle + [ru' \bar{v}]_a^b = -\langle u', rv' \rangle \\ &\quad + [ru' \bar{v}]_a^b \\ &= \langle u, (rv')' \rangle + [ru' \bar{v}]_a^b - [ru \bar{v}']_a^b\end{aligned}$$

Summing up, we have

$$\begin{aligned}\lambda \langle u, v \rangle_p &= -\langle u, (rv')' \rangle - \langle q, u, v \rangle - [r(u' \bar{v} - u \bar{v}')]_a^b \\ &= -\langle u, (rv')' + q, v \rangle - [r(u' \bar{v} - u \bar{v}')]_a^b \\ &= -\langle u, -\gamma p v \rangle - [r(u' \bar{v} - u \bar{v}')]_a^b \\ &= \bar{\gamma} \langle u, v \rangle_p - [r(u' \bar{v} - u \bar{v}')]_a^b\end{aligned}$$

Rearranging,

$$\cancel{\lambda - \bar{\gamma}} (\lambda - \bar{\gamma}) \langle u, v \rangle_p = -[r(u' \bar{v} - u \bar{v}')]_a^b$$

We claim the boundary term vanishes:

• At $x=a$, we have

$$a_1 u(a) + a_2 u'(a) = 0$$

$$a_1 v(a) + a_2 v'(a) = 0$$

$$a_1 \bar{v}(a) + a_2 \bar{v}'(a) = 0; \quad \text{+ similarly at } x=b.$$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} u(a) & u'(a) \\ \bar{v}(a) & \bar{v}'(a) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$\Rightarrow \det \begin{pmatrix} u & u' \\ \bar{v} & \bar{v}' \end{pmatrix} = u(a) \bar{v}'(a) - u'(a) \bar{v}(a) = 0.$$

Conclusion: the boundary term vanishes and we have

$$(\lambda - \bar{\gamma}) \langle u, v \rangle_p = 0$$

Other conclusions:

- Let $u=v$, then: $(\lambda - \bar{\lambda}) \langle u, u \rangle_p = 0$

Because $\langle u, u \rangle_p \neq 0$ (since $u \neq 0$) we must have $\lambda = \bar{\lambda} \Rightarrow \lambda$ real!

$$\Rightarrow \lambda, \gamma \text{ are real} \Rightarrow (\lambda - \gamma) \langle u, v \rangle_p = 0.$$

$$\text{If } \lambda \neq \gamma, \text{ then } \langle u, v \rangle_p = 0 \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{u \perp v.}}$$

Sturm Liouville theory.

$$(BVP) \begin{cases} (ru')' + (q + \lambda p)u = 0 & (S-L) \\ \begin{cases} a_1 u(a) + a_2 u'(a) = 0 \\ b_1 u(b) + b_2 u'(b) = 0 \end{cases} & (B-C) \end{cases} \quad \begin{matrix} x \in (a, b) \\ (a_1, a_2) \neq (0, 0) \\ (b_1, b_2) \neq (0, 0) \end{matrix}$$

assumptions

① p, q, r smooth / real-valued

② $r(x) > 0$ & $p(x) > 0 \quad \forall x \in [a, b]$.

Thm: ① If λ is an eigenvalue, then $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$

② If u, v are eigen functions corresponding to distinct eigenvalues, then $u \perp v$ in $L_p^2(a, b)$:

$$\text{i.e. } \int_a^b p(x) u(x) \overline{v(x)} dx = 0.$$

Pf: Integration by parts.

Alternative view

$$L = \frac{d}{dx} r \frac{d}{dx} + q$$

$$(S-L) \Leftrightarrow Lu = -\lambda p u.$$

In a previous lecture, we proved that if u, v satisfy B-Cs

[do not need to be solutions], then integrating by parts gives

$$\langle u, Lv \rangle_{L^2} = \langle Lu, v \rangle_{L^2}$$

i.e. $\int_a^b u(x) \overline{Lv(x)} dx = \int_a^b Lu(x) \overline{v(x)} dx.$

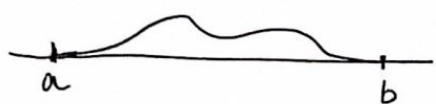
Generally: If L is an arbitrary diff. operator then

$$\langle Lu, v \rangle_{L^2} = \langle u, L^*v \rangle_{L^2} + \text{boundary terms.}$$

① $L^2 = L^2(a, b)$

② Boundary terms don't always vanish,

however, if u, v both vanish near the boundary



For such functions,

$$u^{(m)}(a) = u^{(m)}(b) = v^{(m)}(a) = v^{(m)}(b) = 0.$$

Then the boundary terms vanish.

③ L^* is another differential operator (adjoint operator of L).

It can be computed explicitly via IBP.
 ↳ int by parts.

If $L = L^*$ then L is (formally) self-adjoint.

Proof of Thm (again)

Suppose that
$$\begin{cases} Lu = -\lambda p u \\ Lv = -\lambda p v \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 -\lambda \langle u, v \rangle_{L^2_P} &= -\lambda \langle p u, v \rangle_{L^2} = \langle -\lambda p u, v \rangle_{L^2} \\
 &= \langle L u, v \rangle_{L^2} = \langle u, L^* v \rangle_{L^2} \\
 &= \langle u, -\delta p v \rangle_{L^2} = -\bar{\delta} \langle u, p v \rangle_{L^2} = -\bar{\delta} \langle u, v \rangle_{L^2_P}.
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\lambda - \bar{\delta}) \langle u, v \rangle_{L^2_P} = 0.$$

What if u, v are eigenfunctions corresponding to the same eigenvalue $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$?

Conjecture: They are colinear, i.e. $u = c v$ for some $c \in \mathbb{C}$.

Consider the 2nd ODE

$$(*) \begin{cases} u'' + P(x) u' + Q(x) u = 0 \\ \alpha u(x_0) + \beta u'(x_0) = 0 \end{cases}$$

Thm: If u, v are 2 solutions to (*) then $W[u, v] = \det \begin{pmatrix} u & v \\ u' & v' \end{pmatrix}$ ↗ Wronskian.

$= u v' - u' v = 0.$

Proof: At x_0 , $W = W[u, v]$ vanishes. because

$$\begin{pmatrix} u(x_0) & u'(x_0) \\ v(x_0) & v'(x_0) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \alpha \\ \beta \end{pmatrix} = 0. \Rightarrow \det \begin{pmatrix} u(x_0) & u'(x_0) \\ v(x_0) & v'(x_0) \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$\parallel$
 $W[u, v](x_0).$

How to show it varies everywhere? Show it is zero at x_0 & derivative is 0.

$$W = W[u, v] = uv' - u'v$$

$$W' = (uv' - u'v)'$$

$$= u'v' + uv'' - u'v' - u''v$$

$$= uv'' - u''v$$

$$= u(-pv' - qu) - (-pu' - qu)v$$

$$= -p(uv' - u'v) = -pW$$

$$\Rightarrow W' = -pW$$

$$\Rightarrow W(x) = \underbrace{W(x_0)}_0 e^{-\int_{x_0}^x p(y) dy} \equiv 0$$

$$u'' + pu' + qu = 0$$

$$u'' = -pu' - qu$$

Conclusion.

2 eigenfunctions
corresponding to the
same eigenvalue must
be colinear!

Cor: If u is an eigenfunction, then $\exists c \in \mathbb{C}$ s.t. cu is real valued.

Proof: If $\mathcal{L}u = -\lambda Pu$ then
$$\begin{cases} \mathcal{L} \operatorname{Re} u = -\lambda p \operatorname{Re} u \\ \mathcal{L} \operatorname{Im} u = -\lambda p \operatorname{Im} u. \end{cases}$$

u is an eigenfunction $\Rightarrow u \neq 0 \Rightarrow$ either $\operatorname{Re} u \neq 0$ or $\operatorname{Im} u \neq 0$.

Say that $\operatorname{Re} u \neq 0$. $\operatorname{Re} u$ is an eigenfunction. $\Rightarrow \exists c \in \mathbb{C}$ s.t.
 $\operatorname{Re}(cu) = p u$

$$\textcircled{1} \times a_2 \Rightarrow a_1 a_2 u(a)^2 + a_2^2 u(a) u'(a) = 0$$

$$\textcircled{2} \times a_1 \Rightarrow a_1^2 u(a) u'(a) + a_1 a_2 u'(a)^2 = 0.$$

Sum up, $(a_1^2 + a_2^2) u(a) u'(a) = -a_1 a_2 (u(a)^2 + u'(a)^2)$

$$u(a) u'(a) = \frac{-a_1 a_2}{\geq 0 \{a_1^2 + a_2^2\}} \left(\underbrace{u(a)^2 + u'(a)^2}_{\geq 0} \right)$$

if $a_1 a_2 \leq 0$ then $u(a) u'(a) \geq 0$

Similarly, if $b_1 b_2 \geq 0$ then $u(b) u'(b) \leq 0$

Thm: If $q \leq 0$, $\begin{cases} a_1 a_2 \leq 0 \\ b_1 b_2 \geq 0 \end{cases}$

Then $\lambda \langle v, u \rangle_{L^2_p} \geq 0$; consequently $\lambda \geq 0 //$

S-L version of Fourier method.

$$\begin{cases} \mathcal{L} \phi_n = -\lambda_n \phi_n \\ n = 0, 1, 2, \dots \end{cases} \quad (\lambda_n, \phi_n) \text{ are (eigenvalues, eigen fns.)}$$

$$0 \leq \lambda_0 \leq \lambda_1 \leq \lambda_2 \dots < \lambda_n < \dots$$

$$\begin{matrix} \updownarrow & \updownarrow & \updownarrow & \dots \\ \phi_0 & \phi_1 & \phi_2 & \dots \end{matrix}$$

$(\phi_n)_{n=0}^{\infty}$ is a complete orthogonal set of $L^2_p(a, b)$.

If $u \in L^2_p(a, b)$ then

$$u(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \alpha_n \phi_n(x).$$

To compute α_n ,

$$\langle u, \phi_n \rangle_{L_p^2} = \alpha_n \langle \phi_n, \phi_n \rangle_{L_p^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\alpha_n = \frac{\langle u, \phi_n \rangle_{L_p^2}}{\langle \phi_n, \phi_n \rangle_{L_p^2}}}$$
