

MATH 251-019: Homework 12 (Due: 11/29/2017)

Please make your hand-writing clear to read. Please box your final answer.

1. (Fall 2016, Final, Question 9) Find the steady-state solution, $v(x)$, of the heat conduction problem with nonhomogeneous boundary conditions

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha^2 u_{xx} &= u_t, & 0 < x < 9, & \quad t > 0 \\ u(0, t) - u_x(0, t) &= 0, & u(9, t) - u_x(9, t) &= 18, \\ u(x, 0) &= f(x).\end{aligned}$$

- (A) $v(x) = 2$
(B) $v(x) = 2 + 2x$
(C) $v(x) = 2 - 2x$
(D) $v(x) = 2x$
2. (Spring 2015, Final, Question 9) Consider the third order linear partial differential equation

$$u_{tt} + u_{xtt} = u_{xx}.$$

Use the substitution $u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$, where $u(x, t)$ is not the trivial solution, which of following ordinary differential equation pairs does it separate into? Please use $-\lambda$ as the separation constant.

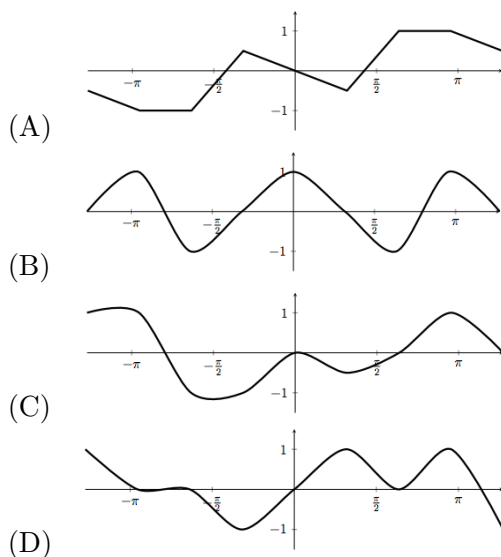
- (A) $T'' + \lambda T = 0, X'' + \lambda(X + X') = 0.$
(B) $T'' - \lambda T = 0, X'' - \lambda(X - X') = 0.$
(C) $T'' - \lambda T = 0, X'' + \lambda(X + X') = 0.$
(D) $T'' + \lambda T = 0, X'' + X - \lambda X' = 0.$
3. (Spring 2017, Final, Question 5) Suppose $y_1(t)$ and $y_2(t)$ are any two solutions of the second order linear equation

$$(1 + t^2)y'' + 4ty' + (1 - t)y = 0.$$

Which function below can possibly be their Wronskian, $W(y_1, y_2)(t)$?

- (A) $W(y_1, y_2) = \frac{-5}{(1 + t^2)^2}$
(B) $W(y_1, y_2) = -4 \arctan(t)$
(C) $W(y_1, y_2) = 7e^{-2t^2}$
(D) $W(y_1, y_2) = 2(1 + t^2)^2$

4. (Fall 2014, Final, Question 12) Each graph below shows a single period of certain periodic function. Which function will have a Fourier series that **does not** contain any sine term?



5. Determine whether each statement below is **TRUE** or **FALSE**. You must justify your answers.
- (Spring 2017, Final, Question 11(d)) The Fourier series representing any odd periodic function $f(x)$ necessarily converges to 0 at $x = 0$.
 - (Spring 2015, Final, Question 12(b)) Using the formula $u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$, the partial differential equation $u_t + \sin(x)u_{xxx} = 0$ can be separated into 2 ordinary differential equations.
 - (Spring 2015, Final, Question 12(c)) Every even periodic function has a Fourier series containing a non-zero constant term $\frac{a_0}{2}$.
 - (Spring 2015, Final, Question 12(d)) Any odd periodic function has a Fourier series consisting only of sine functions.
 - (Fall 2014, Final, Question 13(d)) The constant term in the Fourier series representing an odd periodic function may be nonzero.
6. (Fall 2016, Final, Question 13) Let $f(x) = 4 - x^2$, $0 < x < 2$
- Consider the **odd** periodic extension, of period $T = 4$, of $f(x)$. Sketch 3 periods, on the interval $-6 < x < 6$, of this function.
 - To what value does the Fourier series of this odd periodic extension converge at $x = -1$? At $x = 8$?
 - Consider the **even** periodic extension, of period $T = 4$, of $f(x)$. Sketch 3 periods, on the interval $-6 < x < 6$, of this function.
 - Find $\frac{a_0}{2}$, the constant term of the Fourier series of the even periodic function described in (c).

- (e) State TRUE/FALSE with reason. For the even periodic function in part (c), the Fourier cosine coefficients a_n , $n \geq 1$, are given by

$$a_n = \frac{1}{2} \int_{-2}^2 (4 - x^2) \cos\left(\frac{n\pi x}{2}\right) dx.$$

7. Suppose the temperature distribution function $u(x, t)$ of a rod is given by the initial-boundary value problem

$$\begin{aligned} 5u_{xx} &= u_t, & 0 < x < \pi, & \quad t > 0 \\ u_x(0, t) &= 0, & u_x(\pi, t) &= 0, \\ u(x, 0) &= 1 - 5 \cos(2x) + \cos(3x). \end{aligned}$$

- (a) State the general form of its solution. Then find the particular solution of the initial-boundary value problem.
- (b) Find $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} u(x, t)$, $0 < x < \pi$. What is the physical interpretation of this limit?
- (c) Suppose the **initial condition** was changed to $2 - 100 \cos(x)$. What is $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} u\left(\frac{\pi}{2}, t\right)$ in this case?