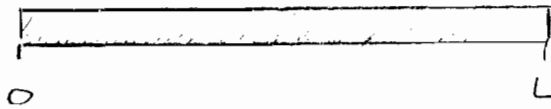


# Homework Solutions

Section 12.3

(445) #1, 6

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$$u(0, t) = u(L, t) = 0$$

$$u(x, 0) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 < x < L/2 \\ 0 & L/2 < x < L \end{cases}$$

$$k \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \Rightarrow \text{Let } u = XT$$

$$\Rightarrow k X'' T = X T' \Rightarrow \frac{k X'' T}{k X T} = \frac{X T'}{k X T}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{X''}{X} = \frac{T'}{k T} = -\lambda_n$$

$$T' = -k \lambda_n T \Rightarrow T' + k \lambda_n T = 0 \Rightarrow (D + k \lambda_n) T = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow D = -k \lambda_n$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{T_n = b_n e^{-\lambda_n t}}$$

$$X'' = -\lambda_n X \Rightarrow X'' + \lambda_n X = 0$$

$$\underline{\lambda = 0} \Rightarrow X'' = 0 \Rightarrow X' = b_1 \Rightarrow X = b_1 x + b_2$$

$$\Rightarrow X(0) = b_2 = 0 \Rightarrow X = b_1 x \Rightarrow X(L) = b_1 L = 0 \Rightarrow b_1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow X(x) \Rightarrow \underline{\text{trivial}}$$

Separate  
Variables

Solve  
for  
T(t)

Solve  
for  
X(x)

$$\underline{\lambda_n < 0} \quad X'' - \lambda_n X = 0 \Rightarrow (D^2 - \lambda_n)X = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow D = \pm \lambda_n^{1/2} \quad \therefore X = q_1 e^{-\lambda_n^{1/2} x} + q_2 e^{\lambda_n^{1/2} x}$$

$$\Rightarrow X(0) = q_1 + q_2 = 0 \Rightarrow q_2 = -q_1$$
$$X(L) = q_1 e^{-\lambda_n^{1/2} L} + q_2 e^{\lambda_n^{1/2} L} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow X(L) = q_1 e^{-\lambda_n^{1/2} L} - q_1 e^{\lambda_n^{1/2} L} = 0$$
$$\Rightarrow q_1 (e^{-\lambda_n^{1/2} L} - e^{\lambda_n^{1/2} L}) = 0$$

$\uparrow$  this is never zero

$\therefore$  this must be zero

$$\Rightarrow q_1 = 0 \Rightarrow q_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow X = 0, \Rightarrow \underline{\underline{\text{trivial}}}$$

$$\lambda_n > 0 \Rightarrow X'' + \lambda_n X = 0 \Rightarrow (D^2 + \lambda_n)X = 0$$

$$\therefore D = \pm \lambda_n^{1/2} i \Rightarrow X = a_1 \sin(\lambda_n^{1/2} x) + a_2 \cos(\lambda_n^{1/2} x)$$

$$X(0) = a_2 = 0 \Rightarrow X = a_1 \sin(\lambda_n^{1/2} x)$$

$$\Rightarrow X(L) = a_1 \sin(\lambda_n^{1/2} L) = 0$$

$\Rightarrow a_1$  can not be zero because this would produce trivial solution

$$\therefore \sin(\lambda_n^{1/2} L) = 0 \Rightarrow \lambda_n^{1/2} L = n\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda_n^{1/2} = \left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2$$

$$\therefore X_n = a_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right)$$

Since  $u = XT$

$$u_n = X_n T_n = a_n b_n e^{-\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2 t} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right)$$

combine

$$\Rightarrow u_n = c_n e^{-\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2 t} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} u_n$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n e^{-\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2 t} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right)$$

$$u(x, 0) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right) = \begin{cases} 1 & 0 \leq x \leq L/2 \\ 0 & L/2 < x < L \end{cases}$$

this is just a sine series

$$\therefore c_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^{L/2} (1) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right) dx + \int_{L/2}^L 0 \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right) dx$$

$$\Rightarrow c_n = \frac{2}{n\pi} \left(1 - \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\right)\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow u = \frac{2}{\pi} \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n} \left(1 - \cos\left(\frac{n\pi}{2}\right)\right) e^{-\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}\right)^2 t} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right)$$

$$6) \begin{cases} k \frac{\partial u}{\partial x^2} - hu = \frac{\partial u}{\partial t} \\ u(0,t) = u(L,t) = 0 \\ u(x,0) = f(x) \end{cases}$$

let  $u = XT$

Separate variables

$$\Rightarrow k X'' T - h XT = XT'$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{k X'' T}{k XT} - \frac{h XT}{k XT} = \frac{XT'}{k XT} \Rightarrow \frac{X''}{X} - \frac{h}{k} = \frac{T'}{kT} = -\lambda_n$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{X''}{X} = \frac{T'}{kT} + \frac{h}{k} = -\lambda_n$$

Solve for T

$$\begin{cases} T + hT = -\lambda_n k T \Rightarrow T' + (h + \lambda_n k) T = 0 \\ \Rightarrow (D + (h + \lambda_n k)) T = 0 \Rightarrow D = -(h + \lambda_n k) \\ \therefore T_n = b_n e^{-(h + \lambda_n k)t} \end{cases}$$

Solve for X

$$\frac{X''}{X} = -\lambda_n \Rightarrow X'' + \lambda_n X = 0$$

Note! Since boundary conditions are the same as #1 we know that

$$X_n = a_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right)$$

Find u

$$u_n = \underbrace{a_n b_n}_{\text{combine}} e^{-(h + (\frac{n\pi}{L})^2 k)t} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi}{L}x\right) = c_n$$

$$u = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} c_n e^{-(h + (\frac{n\pi}{L})^2 k) t} \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow u(x, 0) = \sum c_n \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) = f(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow c_n = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \sin\left(\frac{n\pi x}{L}\right) dx$$

Apply  
Initial  
condition  
&  
sine series  
to find  
constant