



Analysis 3

Exercise 11

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Serie 10 Review

1. Unique solution

- Maximum principles are based on the observation that, if a C^2 function u attains its maximum over an open set D at a point $\vec{x}_0 \in D$, then $Du(\vec{x}_0) = 0$, and $D^2u(\vec{x}_0)$ is negative semidefinite.

2. The mean-value principle

3. Maximum principle

$$\int_0^{2\pi} \cos^2(\theta) d\theta = \pi, \quad \int_0^{2\pi} \cos(\theta) d\theta = 0$$

4. Multiple choice

$$\int_D \rho = \int_0^R r \int_0^{2\pi} r^\alpha \sin^2(\theta) d\theta dr = \pi \frac{R^{\alpha+2}}{\alpha+2}$$

$$\int_{\partial D} g = \int_0^{2\pi} R \left(C \cos^2(\theta) + R^{2021} \sin(\theta) \right) d\theta = RC\pi$$

5. Weak maximum principle

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Course Overview

- 1st order PDEs
 - Quasilinear first order PDEs
 - ▶ Method of characteristics
 - ▶ Conservation laws
- 2nd order PDEs
 - Hyperbolic PDEs
 - ▶ Wave equation
 - ▶ D'Alembert formula
 - ▶ Separation of variables
 - Parabolic PDEs
 - ▶ **Heat equation**
 - ▶ **Maximum principle**
 - ▶ Separation of variables
 - Elliptic PDEs
 - ▶ **Laplace equation**
 - ▶ Maximum principle
 - ▶ **Separation of variables**

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Maximum Principle for heat Equation

Consider the heat equation for $u = u(t, \vec{x})$, $t > 0$, $\vec{x} \in D$, namely

$$u_t = k\Delta u$$

Define the parabolic boundary as

$$\partial_P Q_T := \{\{0\} \times D\} \cup \{[0, T] \times \partial D\}$$

Let u solve the homogeneous heat equation, and $D \in \mathbb{R}^2$ bounded,
then u achieves its maximum (and minimum) on $\partial_P Q_T$.

Maximum Principle for heat Equation

Example 1

Let $D \in \mathbb{R}^2$ be a bounded domain, $T > 0$, and set $Q_T = D \times [0, T]$.

Let $u : Q_T \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ be a classical solution to the PDE

$$\begin{cases} u_t = u_{xx} + x^2 u_{yy} + u_y & \text{for } (x, y, t) \in Q_T \\ u(x, y, t) = g(x, y, t) & \text{on } \partial D \times [0, T] \\ u(x, y, 0) = f(x, y) & \text{on } D \end{cases}$$

namely, u is twice differentiable with respect to (x, y) in Q_T , once differentiable with respect to t in Q_T , and continuous in \bar{Q}_T .

Prove that u attains its minimum on the parabolic boundary

$$\partial_P Q_T := (\{0\} \times D) \cup ([0, T] \times \partial D)$$

Hint: consider $v(x, y, t) = u(x, y, t) + \epsilon t$ with $\epsilon > 0$, and prove that v can attain a minimum only on $\partial_P Q_T$.

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Prove that, given f and g , there is at most one classical solution.

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Separation of Variables for elliptic equations

$$\begin{cases} \Delta u = 0 & \text{in } R \\ u = 0 & \text{in } [a, b] \times \{c, d\} \\ u = f & \text{in } \{a\} \times [c, d] \\ u = g & \text{in } \{b\} \times [c, d] \end{cases}$$

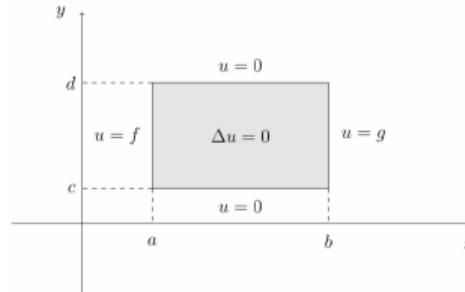


Figure 8.1: Laplace equation in a rectangular domain.

$$u(x, y) = X(x)Y(y)$$

$$X''(x)Y(y) + Y''(y)X(x) = 0$$

$$\frac{X''(x)}{X(x)} = -\frac{Y''(y)}{Y(y)} = \lambda$$

In this case Y is the homogeneous direction and X is the inhomogeneous direction.

Separation of Variables for elliptic equations

$$\begin{cases} Y''(y) + \lambda Y(y) = 0 \\ Y(c) = Y(d) = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$Y_n(y) = \sin\left(\frac{n\pi(y-c)}{d-c}\right) \quad \lambda_n = \left(\frac{n\pi}{d-c}\right)^2 \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

$$X_n''(x) = \lambda_n X_n(x)$$

$$X_n(x) = \alpha_n \sinh\left(\frac{n\pi(x-a)}{d-c}\right) + \beta_n \sinh\left(\frac{n\pi(x-b)}{d-c}\right)$$

$$u(x, y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[A_n \sinh\left(\frac{n\pi(x-a)}{d-c}\right) + B_n \sinh\left(\frac{n\pi(x-b)}{d-c}\right) \right] \sin\left(\frac{n\pi(y-c)}{d-c}\right)$$

General Procedure for Laplace's equation on rectangular domains

1. Check the compatibility condition for the existence of a solution.
 - (Details next week)
2. $u = 0$ on two opposite sides of the rectangle?
 - Yes → No modification
 - No → Split into two sub-problems and check the compatibility condition again
3. Solve the homogeneous direction
4. Solve the non-homogeneous direction
5. Combine the solutions

Laplace's equation on rectangular domains

$$\begin{array}{c} u = h \\ \Delta u = 0 \\ u = k \end{array} \quad \begin{matrix} f \\ \Downarrow \\ f \end{matrix} \quad \begin{array}{c} u_1 = 0 \\ \Delta u_1 = 0 \\ u_1 = 0 \end{array} \quad + \quad \begin{array}{c} u_2 = h \\ \Delta u_2 = 0 \\ u_2 = k \end{array}$$

$\delta = n$ $\delta = 1n$ $u_2 = 0$ $uz = 0$

Figure 8.2: Splitting of the Laplace equation in a rectangular domain.

Laplace's equation in rectangular domains

Eigenfunctions in the homogeneous direction:

Dirichlet:

$$u_1 \text{ (y - direction)} : Y_n(y) = \sin \left(\frac{n\pi(y - c)}{d - c} \right) \quad \lambda_n = \left(\frac{n\pi}{d - c} \right)^2 \quad n = 1, 2, 3, \dots$$

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Continued

In the other direction:

Dirichlet:

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Laplace Equation with Dirichlet boundary condition

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Tips for Serie 11

1. Separation of variables for elliptic equations

- (a) Solve the homogeneous direction first
- (b) Modify (add or subtract) to get Laplace's Equation

2. Heat Equation

- $\sin(\pi x) \geq x(1 - x)$ in the interval $[0, 1]$
- How does the initial value effect the evolution?

3. Uniqueness of solutions

- Similar to 10.1

Self-promotion:

Teaching Assistant for ***Introduction to Machine Learning*** from D-INFK next semester

Instructor: Prof. Dr. Andreas Krause and Prof. Dr. Fan Yang

The course introduces the foundations of learning and making predictions from data.

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