

Orthogonality and normalization of the Bessel functions

Orthogonality conditions we know:

$$\int_{-1}^1 P_n(x) P_m(x) dx = 0 \quad \text{for } n \neq m$$

$$\int_0^1 \sin n\pi x \sin m\pi x dx = 0 \quad \text{for } n \neq m$$

notice that $n\pi$ & $m\pi$ are the zeros of $\sin x$

Bessel function has similar orthogonality properties:

If $d_i^{(p)}$ are the zeros of $J_p(x)$, then

$$\int_0^1 J_p(d_i^{(p)} r) J_p(d_j^{(p)} r) r dr = 0 \quad \text{for } i \neq j$$

To prove that one will use a "standard" method of writing the Bessel equation for two different $J_p(dr)$

$$x^2 y'' + xy' + (d_i^2 x^2 - p^2) y = 0 \Rightarrow x \frac{d}{dx} (xy') + (d_i^2 x^2 - p^2) y = 0,$$

multiplying both equations by $J_p(d_j r)$ and $J_p(d_i r)$ correspondingly, and subtracting them - see Boas Ch 12-19 for details.

Normalization

$$\int_0^1 r J_p(d_i r) J_p(d_j r) dr = \delta_{ij} \cdot \frac{1}{2} J_{p+1}^2(d_i) = \delta_{ij} \cdot \frac{1}{2} J_{p-1}^2(d_i) = \delta_{ij} \cdot \frac{1}{2} J_p'(d_i)$$

If the integration limit is different $r \rightarrow r/a$

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$$\int_0^a r J_p(d_i \frac{r}{a}) J_p(d_j \frac{r}{a}) dr = \frac{1}{2} a^2 J_{p+1}^2(d_i) = \frac{1}{2} J_{p+1}^2(d_i) = \frac{1}{2} a^2 J_p'(d_i)$$

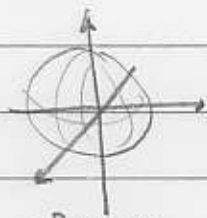
Partial Differential Equations

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| 1. Laplace equation: | $\nabla^2 u = 0$ |] linear steady-state PDE |
| 2. Helmholtz equation: | $\nabla^2 u + ku = 0$ | |
| 3. Poisson's equation: | $\nabla^2 u = f(\vec{r})$ | non-linear steady-state PDE |
| 4. Diffusion equation: | $\nabla^2 u = \frac{1}{\alpha^2} \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}$ |] time-dependent |
| 5. Wave equation: | $\nabla^2 u = \frac{1}{v^2} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial t^2}$ | |
| 6. | $-\frac{\hbar^2}{2m} \nabla^2 \Psi + V\Psi = i\hbar \frac{\partial \Psi}{\partial t}$ |] linear PDE |

We will start with the Laplace equation (Helmholtz equation gets very similar treatment)

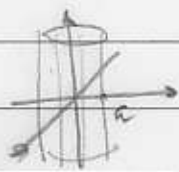
$\nabla^2 u = 0 \rightarrow$ describes electric potential with no charges
 — u — gravitational — u — — u — masses
 — u — temperature distribution with no heat sources
 — u — velocity distribution of fluids with no sources or sinks

For each particular situation the solution of the equation will depend on boundary conditions



$$\nabla^2 \psi = 0$$

$$\psi(r) = \frac{q}{4\pi\epsilon_0} \frac{1}{r}$$

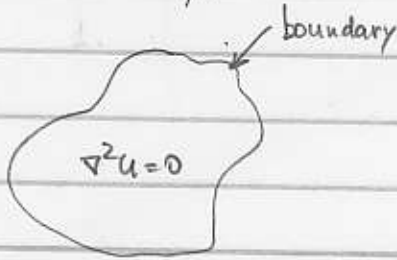


$$\nabla^2 \psi = 0$$

$$\psi(r) = \frac{\lambda}{2\pi\epsilon_0} \ln r/a$$

For example, the symmetries of the boundary conditions will define the preferred geometry of the problem.

Main types of the boundary conditions



① Dirichlet BC: the value of the solution on the boundary is specified

$$u(\vec{r})|_{\text{on the boundary}} = f(\vec{r})$$

Example: grounded metal surface: $\varphi(\vec{r})|_{\text{surface}} = 0$
or given temperature distribution on the surface

$$u(\vec{r})|_{\text{surface}} = T_0(\vec{r})$$

② Neumann BC: the value of the normal derivative of the solution is specified

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \vec{n}} u |_{\text{boundary}} = (\nabla u \cdot \vec{n}) |_{\text{boundary}} = f(\vec{r})$$

Example: thermoisolated boundary (no heat flow) $(\nabla u \cdot \vec{n}) |_{\text{surf.}} = 0$

③ Cauchy BC: combination of ① and ②

Laplace eqn in Cartezian coordinates (2D case)

$$\nabla^2 u = 0 \quad \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0$$

Separating the variables

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

$$X'' \cdot Y + X Y'' = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \frac{X''}{X} + \frac{Y''}{Y} = 0$$

Since the first term depends only on x, and the second only on y, they both has to be constant and opposite for the equation to be valid.

$$\frac{X''}{X} + \frac{Y''}{Y} = 0$$

or $\begin{pmatrix} -k^2 \\ -k^2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} k^2 \\ k^2 \end{pmatrix} = 0$

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$$\{ \sin kx, \cos kx \}$$

$$\{ e^{-ky}, e^{ky} \}$$

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$$\{ \cos ky, \sin ky \}$$

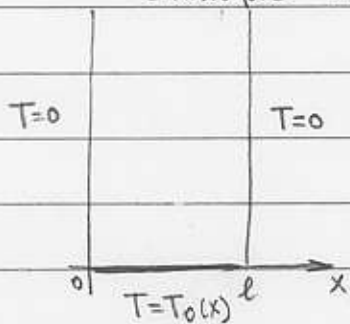
$$X(x) = A \cos kx + B \sin kx$$

$$Y(y) = C e^{ky} + D e^{-ky}$$

X is oscillatory, Y is monotonous

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Example 1: temperature distribution in the semi-infinite slab



$$\nabla^2 T(x,y) = 0$$

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

X must be oscillatory (X=0 for x=0, x=l)

$$Y = D e^{-ky}, \text{ since } Y(y \rightarrow \infty) = 0$$

$$\text{so } T(x,y) = (A \cos kx + B \sin kx) e^{-ky}$$

$$x=0 \Rightarrow A=0; \quad X(l)=0 \Rightarrow \sin kl=0 \Rightarrow k_n = \frac{\pi n}{l} \quad n=0,1,2,\dots$$

$$T(x,y) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} B_n \sin \frac{\pi n x}{l} e^{-\frac{\pi n y}{l}}$$

last boundary condition: $T(x,y=0) = T_0(x)$

$$T(x,0) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} B_n \sin \frac{\pi n x}{l} = T_0(x)$$

To find the coefficients, we have to decompose $T_0(x)$

into the sine series $T_0(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} T_n \sin \frac{\pi n x}{l}$

then $B_n = T_n$, and

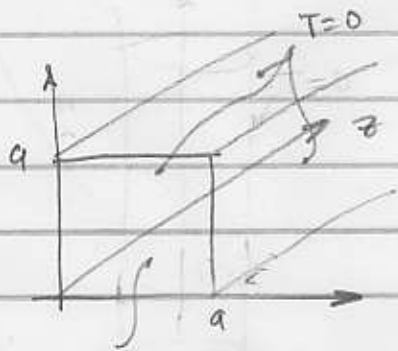
$$T(x,y) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} T_n \sin \frac{\pi n x}{l} e^{-\frac{\pi n y}{l}}$$

Suppose $T_0(x) = T_0$ - constant temperature

$$T_n = \frac{2}{l} \int_0^l T_0 \cdot \sin \frac{\pi n x}{l} dx = \frac{2T_0}{\pi n} \left(-\cos \frac{\pi n x}{l} \right) \Big|_0^l = \frac{2T_0}{\pi n} (-(-1)^n + 1) = \frac{4T_0}{\pi n} \quad n=1,3,5$$

$$T(x,y) = \sum_{\substack{n=1 \\ n \text{ odd}}}^{\infty} \frac{4T_0}{\pi n} \sin \frac{\pi n x}{l} e^{-\frac{\pi n y}{l}}$$

Example 2: Same situation, but in 3D



$$T_0(x,y) = T_0 \frac{xy}{a^2}$$

$$\nabla^2 u = 0 \quad \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial z^2} = 0$$

$$u(x,y,z) = XYZ$$

$$\underbrace{\frac{X''}{X}}_{C_1} + \underbrace{\frac{Y''}{Y}}_{C_2} + \underbrace{\frac{Z''}{Z}}_{C_3} = 0$$

$$C_1 + C_2 + C_3 = 0$$

x and y are oscillatory \rightarrow so $C_1 < 0$ $C_2 < 0$

$$X'' = -k_1^2 X \quad Y'' = -k_2^2 Y$$

Since $X(0) = X(a) = 0$ and $Y(0) = Y(a) = 0$

$$X_n = \sin \frac{\pi n x}{a} \quad Y_m = \sin \frac{\pi m y}{a} \quad n, m = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Then $C_3 = -C_1 - C_2 = k_1^2 + k_2^2 = \frac{\pi^2 n^2}{a^2} + \frac{\pi^2 m^2}{a^2} = k_{n,m}^2$

$$Z_{n,m}(z) = e^{-k_{n,m} z}$$

$$T(x,y,z) = \sum_{n,m} A_{n,m} \sin \frac{\pi n x}{a} \sin \frac{\pi m y}{a} e^{-k_{n,m} z}$$

To find the coefficients $A_{n,m}$ we have to decompose the function $T_0(x,y) = T_0 \frac{xy}{a^2}$ into a double Fourier series

$$T_0(x,y) = \sum T_{n,m} \sin \frac{\pi n x}{a} \sin \frac{\pi m y}{a}$$

To do that we first do the decomposition in y (treating x as a constant parameter)

$$y = \sum_{m=0}^{\infty} C_m(x) \sin \frac{\pi m y}{a} = T_0 \frac{xy}{a^2} \Rightarrow C_m(x) = \frac{2T_0 x}{\pi m} (-1)^{m+1}$$

Then we decompose $C_m(x)$ into a Fourier sine series over x

$$C_m(x) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{4T_0}{\pi^2 n m} (-1)^{n+m} \sin \frac{\pi n x}{a}$$

Thus $T_0(x,y) = \sum_{n,m} \underbrace{\frac{4T_0}{\pi^2 n m} (-1)^{n+m}}_{A_{n,m}} \sin \frac{\pi n x}{a} \sin \frac{\pi m y}{a}$

$$T(x,y,z) = \sum_{n,m=0}^{\infty} \frac{4T_0}{\pi^2 n m} (-1)^{n+m} \sin \frac{\pi n x}{a} \sin \frac{\pi m y}{a} e^{-\frac{\pi \sqrt{n^2 + m^2}}{a} z}$$