

Homework assignment

**Differentialgleichungen II**

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**Problem 19:** Find the solutions of the following initial boundary-value problems

(i)  $u_{xx} = u_{tt}$ ,  $0 < x < 1$ ,  $u|_{x=0} = t + 1$ ,  $u|_{x=1} = t^3 + 2$ ,  $u|_{t=0} = x + 1$ ,  $u_t|_{t=0} = 0$ .

(ii)  $u_t = u_{xx} + u - x + 2 \sin 2x \cos x$ ,  $0 < x < \pi/2$ ,  $u|_{x=0} = 0$ ,  $u_x|_{x=\pi/2} = 1$ ,  $u|_{t=0} = x$ .

**Problem 20:**

(i) Consider the following spectral problem

$$\Delta u(x, y) = -\lambda u(x, y), \quad x \in (0, K), y \in (0, L), \quad (1)$$

where  $K, L > 0$ ,  $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ , with the following boundary conditions

(a)  $u|_{x=0} = u|_{x=K} = 0$ ,  $u|_{y=0} = u|_{y=L} = 0$ ,

(b)  $u_x|_{x=0} = u_x|_{x=K} = 0$ ,  $u_y|_{y=0} = u_y|_{y=L} = 0$ .

Find all eigenfunctions (and corresponding eigenvalues) of the form

$$u(x, y) = f(x)g(y). \quad (2)$$

**Bonus:** Prove that all eigenfunctions of the above spectral problem have the form (2).

(ii) Find the solutions of the following initial boundary-value problems

(a)

$$u_{tt} = \Delta u \quad (0 < x < \pi, 0 < y < \pi),$$

$$u|_{x=0} = u|_{x=\pi} = 0, \quad u|_{y=0} = u|_{y=\pi} = 0,$$

$$u|_{t=0} = 3 \sin x \sin 2y, \quad u_t|_{t=0} = 5 \sin 3x \sin 4y.$$

(b)

$$u_t = \Delta u \quad (0 < x < \pi, 0 < y < 2\pi),$$

$$u_x|_{x=0} = u_x|_{x=\pi} = 0, \quad u_y|_{y=0} = u_y|_{y=2\pi} = 0,$$

$$u|_{x=0} = 2 \cos x (\cos y/2 + 1)^2.$$

**Problem 21:**

- (i) Prove that the Schwartz space is dense in
  - (a)  $L_1(R^n)$  (in the topology of  $L_1(R^n)$ ),
  - (b)  $L_2(R^n)$  (in the topology of  $L_2(R^n)$ ).
- (ii) Let  $f \in L_2(R^n)$ . Denote  $B_N = \{x \in R^n : |x| < N\}$  and

$$F_N(\xi) = (2\pi)^{-n/2} \int_{B_N} e^{-ix\xi} f(x) dx.$$

Prove that the integral in the righthand side converges absolutely for any  $\xi \in R^n$ , defines a function  $F_N(\xi)$  from  $L_2(R^n)$  and

$$\|\hat{f} - F_N\|_{L_2(R^n)} \rightarrow_{N \rightarrow \infty} 0.$$

**Problem 22:**

- (i) Prove or disprove that if  $f \in L_1(R^n)$  then  $\hat{f}(\xi) \rightarrow 0$  as  $|\xi| \rightarrow \infty$ .
- (ii) Let  $\phi(x) = e^{-|x|^2/2}$ ,  $x \in R^n$ . Prove that  $\hat{\phi}(\xi) = \phi(\xi)$ .

**Hint:** Use that the integral of a complex analytic function along a closed contour equals 0.