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Use separation of variable to solve the following boundary value problem

$$\begin{cases} k \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial t}, & 0 < x < L, \quad t > 0, \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(0, t) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(L, t) = 0, & t > 0, \\ u(x, 0) = f(x). \end{cases}$$

$$u(x, t) = X(x)T(t)$$

$$k X'' T = X T'$$

$$\frac{X''}{X} = \frac{T'}{kT} = -\lambda$$

$$X'' + \lambda X = 0$$

$$T' + k\lambda T = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(0, t) = 0 \Rightarrow X'(0) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(L, t) = 0 \Rightarrow X'(L) = 0$$

Case 1:  $\lambda = 0$

$$X'' = 0 \Rightarrow X(x) = C_1 + C_2 x$$

$$X'(x) = C_2, \quad X'(0) = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 = 0$$

$$X'(L) = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow X(x) = C_1$$

$$T' = 0 \Rightarrow T(t) = C$$

$$\Rightarrow u(x, t) = A_0$$

Case 2:  $\lambda < 0, \lambda = -\alpha^2$

$$X'' - \alpha^2 X = 0 \Rightarrow X(x) = C_1 \cosh \alpha x + C_2 \sinh \alpha x$$

$$X'(x) = C_1 \alpha \sinh \alpha x + C_2 \alpha \cosh \alpha x$$

$$X'(0) = 0 \Rightarrow \alpha C_2 = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 = 0$$

$$X'(L) = 0 \Rightarrow \alpha C_1 \sinh \alpha L = 0 \Rightarrow C_1 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow X(x) = 0 \text{ and } u(x, t) = 0$$

Case 3:  $\lambda > 0, \lambda = \alpha^2$

$$X'' + \alpha^2 X = 0 \Rightarrow X = C_1 \cos \alpha x + C_2 \sin \alpha x$$

$$X'(x) = -C_1 \alpha \sin \alpha x + C_2 \alpha \cos \alpha x$$

$$X'(0) = 0 \Rightarrow C_2 = 0$$

$$X'(L) = 0 \Rightarrow \sin \alpha L = 0, \alpha L = n\pi$$

$$\Rightarrow X(x) = C \cos \frac{n\pi}{L} x$$

$$T' + k\alpha^2 T = 0 \Rightarrow T(t) = C e^{-k\alpha^2 t} = C e^{-k \frac{n^2 \pi^2}{L^2} t}$$

$$u(x, t) = A_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \cos \frac{n\pi}{L} x e^{-k \frac{n^2 \pi^2}{L^2} t}$$

when  $t = 0$

$$f(x) = A_0 + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \cos \frac{n\pi}{L} x$$

$$\Rightarrow A_0 = \frac{\int_0^L f(x) dx}{\int_0^L 1 dx} = \frac{1}{L} \int_0^L f(x) dx$$

$$A_n = \frac{\int_0^L f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi}{L} x dx}{\int_0^L \cos^2 \frac{n\pi}{L} x dx} = \frac{2}{L} \int_0^L f(x) \cos \frac{n\pi}{L} x dx$$

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$$\begin{cases} \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial y^2} = 0, & 0 < x < \pi, \quad 0 < y < \pi, \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(0, y) = u(0, y), \quad u(\pi, y) = 1, \\ u(x, 0) = 0, \quad u(x, \pi) = 0. \end{cases}$$

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

$$X''Y + XY'' = 0$$

$$\frac{X''}{X} = -\frac{Y''}{Y} = -\lambda$$

$$X'' + \lambda X = 0$$

$$Y'' - \lambda Y = 0$$

$$u(x, 0) = 0 \Rightarrow Y(0) = 0$$

$$u(x, \pi) = 0 \Rightarrow Y(\pi) = 0$$

Case 1:  $\lambda = 0$

$$Y'' = 0 \Rightarrow Y = c_1 + c_2 y$$

$$Y(0) = 0 \Rightarrow c_1 = 0$$

$$Y(\pi) = 0 \Rightarrow c_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow Y = 0 \text{ and } u(x, y) = 0$$

Case 2:  $\lambda > 0, \lambda = \alpha^2$

$$Y'' - \alpha^2 Y = 0 \Rightarrow Y(y) = c_1 \cosh \alpha y + c_2 \sinh \alpha y$$

$$Y(0) = 0 \Rightarrow c_1 = 0$$

$$Y(\pi) = 0 \Rightarrow c_2 \sinh \alpha \pi = 0 \Rightarrow c_2 = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(y) = 0 \text{ and } u(x, y) = 0$$

Case 3:  $\lambda < 0, \lambda = -\alpha^2$

$$Y'' + \alpha^2 Y = 0 \Rightarrow Y(y) = c_1 \cos \alpha y + c_2 \sin \alpha y$$

$$Y(0) = 0 \Rightarrow c_1 = 0$$

$$Y(\pi) = 0 \Rightarrow c_2 \sin \alpha \pi = 0 \Rightarrow \alpha \pi = n\pi, \alpha = n, n=1, 2, \dots$$

$$\Rightarrow Y(y) = c_2 \sin n y$$

$$X'' - \alpha^2 X = 0 \Rightarrow X(x) = c_3 \cosh \alpha x + c_4 \sinh \alpha x = c_3 \cosh n x + c_4 \sinh n x$$

$$\Rightarrow u(x, y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (A_n \cosh n x + B_n \sinh n x) \sin n y$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(x, y) = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (n A_n \sinh n x + n B_n \cosh n x) \sin n y$$

$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial x}(0, y) = u(0, y) \Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} n B_n \sin n y = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} A_n \sin n y$$

$$\Rightarrow n B_n = A_n$$

$$u(\pi, y) = 1 \Rightarrow 1 = \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (A_n \cosh n \pi + B_n \sinh n \pi) \sin n y$$

$$A_n \cosh n \pi + B_n \sinh n \pi = \frac{\int_0^{\pi} \sin n y \, dy}{\int_0^{\pi} \sin^2 n y \, dy} = \frac{-2}{\pi n} \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{2}$$

$$B_n = \frac{-1}{(n \cosh n \pi + \sinh n \pi)} \cdot \frac{2}{\pi n} \frac{(-1)^n - 1}{2}$$