

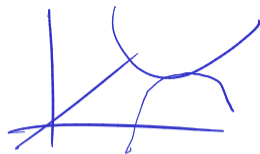
Today

- classification
- computing derivatives
- FD for hyperbolic

Announcements

- Office Hours
- HW 1

Elliptic PDE: Laplace/Poisson Equation



$$\Delta u = \sum_{i=1}^d \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x_i^2} = \nabla \cdot \nabla u(x) \stackrel{2D}{=} u_{xx} + u_{yy} = f(x) \quad (x \in \Omega)$$

Called **Laplace equation** if $f = 0$. With **Dirichlet boundary condition**

$$u(x) = g(x) \quad (x \in \partial\Omega).$$

Demo: Elliptic PDE Illustrating the Maximum Principle

Elliptic PDEs: Singular Solution

$$\int \Delta w_{\delta}(x) = \int \delta(x) \varphi(x) dx = \varphi(0)$$

Demo: Elliptic PDE Radially Symmetric Singular Solution

Given $G(x) = C \log(|x|)$ as the **free-space Green's function**, can we construct the solution to the PDE with a more general f ?

$$u(x) = G * f(x) = \int G(x-y) f(y) dy$$

What can we learn from this?

solutions to elliptic PDEs have global dependence on input data

$$\Delta u = f$$

$$\Delta G = \delta$$

Elliptic PDEs: Justifying the Singular Solution

$$(f * g)' = (f' * g) = (f * g')$$

$$u(x) = (G * f)(x) = \int_{\mathbb{R}^d} G(x-y)f(y)dy$$

Why?

$$\Delta u(x) = \Delta (G * f)(x) = (\Delta G * f)(x) = \int \delta(x-y) f(y) dy = f(x)$$

Parabolic PDE: Heat Equation

$$v'(t) \cdot w(x) = v(t) \cdot w''(x)$$

$$\frac{v'(t)}{v(t)} = c = \frac{w''(x)}{w(x)}$$

$$u_t = u_{xx} \quad ((x, t) \in [0, 1] \times [0, T])$$

$$\rightarrow u(x, 0) = g(x) \quad (x \in [0, 1])$$

$$u(0, t) = u(1, t) = 0 \quad (t \in [0, T])$$

with $g(x) = \sin(\pi x)$. Separation-of-variables analytic solution?

$$u(x, t) = v(t) \cdot w(x) \quad w(0) = w(1) = 0 \quad \left| \quad w(x) = \alpha \sin(n\pi x) \right.$$
$$w''(x) = c w(x) \quad v'(t) = -n^2 \pi^2 v(t)$$

$$v(t) = e^{-n^2 \pi^2 t}$$

$$u(x, t) = \alpha \cdot \sin(n\pi x) \cdot e^{-n^2 \pi^2 t}$$

$$|c| = n^2 \pi^2 \quad \alpha = 1$$

Parabolic PDE: Solution Behavior

Demo: Parabolic PDE What can we learn from analytic and numerical solution?

- washes out solution
- appears to satisfy a maximum principle
- appears to smooth the input data

Hyperbolic PDE: Wave Equation

$$\hookrightarrow u_{tt} = c^2 u_{xx} \quad ((x, t) \in \mathbb{R} \times [0, T])$$
$$u(x, 0) = g(x) \quad (x \in \mathbb{R})$$

with $g(x) = \sin(\pi x)$.

Is this problem well-posed?

$$u_t(x, 0) = 0 \quad (x \in \mathbb{R})$$

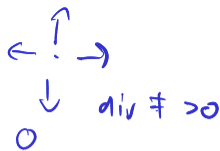
Can be rewritten in **conservation law** form:

$$\vec{q}_t + \nabla \cdot \Phi(q) = s(x)$$

Hyperbolic Conservation Laws

$$q \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$x \in \mathbb{R}^d$$



$$\frac{d}{dt} \int_{\Omega} q(x, t) dx + \int_{\partial \Omega} \vec{F}(q(x, t)) \cdot \vec{n} dx = \int_{\Omega} s(x) dx$$

Why is this called a conservation law?

- Balance of conserved quantity q and a flux \vec{F}
- Flux function \vec{F} prescribes is direction of flow
- Integral form shows "flow across boundary"

$F : ? \rightarrow ?$

$$\vec{F} : \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^d$$

Wave Equation as a Conservation Law

$$u_{tt} = c^2 u_{xx}$$

Rewrite the wave equation in conservation law form:

$$q_t + D \cdot F(q) = 0$$

Introduce a new variable v

$$u_t = c v_x$$

$$v_t = c u_x$$

$$u_{tt} = c v_{xt} = c^2 u_{xx}.$$

Solving Conservation Laws

Solve

$$u_{tt} = c^2 u_{xx}$$

$$q = \begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \end{pmatrix}$$

$$u_t = v_x$$

$$v_t = -u_x$$

$$q_t + \nabla \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -c \\ -c & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

eigenvalues: $c, -c$

$$\tilde{q} := V^{-1} q$$

$$\tilde{q} = \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{u} \\ \tilde{v} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{q}_t + \underbrace{V^{-1} A V}_{\begin{pmatrix} c & \\ & -c \end{pmatrix}} q_x = 0$$

$$\tilde{u}_t = -c \tilde{u}_x$$

$$\tilde{v}_t = c \tilde{v}_x$$

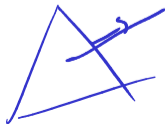
Demo: Hyperbolic PDE

Solution: $u(x,t) = \phi_+(x+ct) + \phi_-(x-ct)$

Hyperbolic: Solution Properties

Properties of the solution for hyperbolic equations:

- models conserved quantities
- energies (conserved) (\rightarrow MUI)
- maintain the smoothness of the IC
- characteristic decomposition; popular trick



Outline

Introduction

Notes

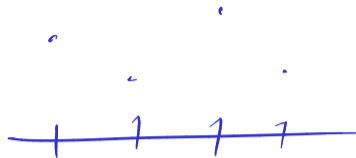
Notes (unfilled, with empty boxes)

About the Class

Classification of PDEs

Preliminaries: Differencing

Interpolation Error Estimates (reference)



Finite Difference Methods for Hyperbolic Problems

Finite Volume Methods for Hyperbolic Conservation Laws

Finite Difference Methods for Elliptic Problems

Finite Element Methods for Elliptic Problems

Discontinuous Galerkin Methods for Hypberbolic Problems

A Glimpse of Integral Equation Methods for Elliptic Problems

Interpolation and Vandermonde Matrices

$V \vec{\alpha} = \text{point values}$

$$p(x) = \sum_{j=0} \alpha_j \underbrace{\varphi_j(x_i)}_{V_{ij}}$$

generalized Vandermonde matrix

$$V \vec{\alpha} = f(\vec{x})$$

$$p'(x_i) \approx \sum_{j=0} \alpha_j \underbrace{\varphi'_j(x_i)}_{V'_{ij}} \rightarrow V' \vec{\alpha} \approx p'(\vec{x})$$

$$p'(\vec{x}) \approx \underbrace{V' V^{-1}}_{V'_{ij}} p(\vec{x})$$

n points:

Interpolation: h^n

Differentiation: h^{n-1}

Taking Derivatives Numerically

Why *shouldn't* you take derivatives numerically?



Demo: Taking Derivatives with Vandermonde Matrices