

# Math 2280 - Assignment 14

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## Section 9.4 - Applications of Fourier Series

9.4.1 - Find the steady periodic solution,  $x_{sp}(t)$ , of the differential equation below.

$$x'' + 5x = F(t),$$

where  $F(t)$  is the function of period  $2\pi$  such that  $F(t) = 3$  if  $0 < t < \pi$ , and  $F(t) = -3$  if  $\pi < t < 2\pi$ .

**9.4.2** - Find the steady periodic solution,  $x_{sp}(t)$ , of the differential equation below.

$$x'' + 10x = F(t),$$

where  $F(t)$  is the even function of period 4 such that  $F(t) = 3$  if  $0 < t < 1$ , and  $F(t) = -3$  if  $1 < t < 2$ .

**9.4.3** - Find the steady periodic solution,  $x_{sp}(t)$ , of the differential equation below.

$$x'' + 3x = F(t),$$

where  $F(t)$  is the odd function of period  $2\pi$  such that  $F(t) = 2t$  if  $0 < t < \pi$ .

**9.4.19** - Suppose the functions  $f(t)$  and  $g(t)$  are periodic with periods  $P$  and  $Q$  respectively. If the ratio  $P/Q$  of their periods is a rational number, show that the sum  $f(t) + g(t)$  is a periodic function.

**9.4.20** - If  $p/q$  is irrational, prove that the function  $f(t) = \cos pt + \cos qt$  is not a periodic function. *Suggestions:* Show that the assumption  $f(t + L) = f(t)$  would (upon substituting  $t = 0$ ) imply that  $p/q$  is rational.

## Section 9.5 - Heat Conduction and Separation of Variables

9.5.1 - Solve the boundary value problem  $u_t = 3u_{xx}$ ,  $0 < x < \pi$ ,  $t > 0$ ;  
 $u(0, t) = u(\pi, t) = 0$ ,  $u(x, 0) = 4 \sin 2x$ .

**9.5.3** - Solve the boundary value problem  $u_t = 2u_{xx}$ ,  $0 < x < 1$ ,  $t > 0$ ;  
 $u(0, t) = u(1, t) = 0$ ,  $u(x, 0) = 5 \sin \pi x - \frac{1}{5} \sin 3\pi x$ .



**9.5.5** - Solve the boundary value problem  $u_t = 2u_{xx}$ ,  $0 < x < 3$ ,  $t > 0$ ;  
 $u_x(0, t) = u_x(3, t) = 0$ ,  $u(x, 0) = 4 \cos \frac{2}{3}\pi x - 2 \cos \frac{4}{3}\pi x$ .

**9.5.7** - Solve the boundary value problem  $3u_t = u_{xx}$ ,  $0 < x < 2$ ,  $t > 0$ ;  
 $u_x(0, t) = u_x(2, t) = 0$ ,  $u(x, 0) = \cos^2 2\pi x$ .

**9.5.9** - Solve the boundary value problem  $10u_t = u_{xx}$ ,  $0 < x < 5$ ,  $t > 0$ ;  
 $u(0, t) = u(5, t) = 0$ ,  $u(x, 0) = 25$ .

## Section 9.6 - Vibrating Strings and the One-Dimensional Wave Equation

9.6.1 - Solve the boundary value problem  $y_{tt} = 4y_{xx}$ ,  $0 < x < \pi$ ,  $t > 0$ ;  
 $y(0, t) = y(\pi, t) = 0$ ,  $y(x, 0) = \frac{1}{10} \sin 2x$ ,  $y_t(x, 0) = 0$ .

**9.6.3** - Solve the boundary value problem  $4y_{tt} = y_{xx}$ ,  $0 < x < \pi$ ,  $t > 0$ ;  
 $y(0, t) = y(\pi, t) = 0$ ,  $y(x, 0) = y_t(x, 0) = \frac{1}{10} \sin x$ .

**9.6.5** - Solve the boundary value problem  $y_{tt} = 25y_{xx}$ ,  $0 < x < 3$ ,  $t > 0$ ;  
 $y(0, t) = y(3, t) = 0$ ,  $y(x, 0) = \frac{1}{4} \sin \pi x$ ,  $y_t(x, 0) = 10 \sin 2\pi x$ .

**9.6.7** - Solve the boundary value problem  $y_{tt} = 100y_{xx}$ ,  $0 < x < 1$ ,  $t > 0$ ;  
 $y(0, t) = y(1, t) = 0$ ,  $y(x, 0) = 0$ ,  $y_t(x, 0) = x$ .

**9.6.14** - Given the differentiable odd period  $2L$  function  $F(x)$ , show that the function

$$y(x, t) = \frac{1}{2}[F(x + at) + F(x - at)]$$

satisfies the conditions  $y(0, t) = y(L, t) = 0$ ,  $y(x, 0) = F(x)$ , and  $y_t(x, 0) = 0$ .